

① Let X denote the # of throws reqd to get a 6

$$\mathcal{X} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$P(X=x) = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{x-1} \frac{1}{6} \quad x \in \mathcal{X}$$

$= 0 \quad \text{if } \omega$

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \sum_1^{\infty} x \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{x-1} \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{6} \sum_1^{\infty} x \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{x-1} = \left(1 + 2\left(\frac{5}{6}\right) + 3\left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \dots\right) \frac{1}{6} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\left(1 + \frac{5}{6} + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \dots\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{5}{6} \left(1 + \frac{5}{6} + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \dots\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{5}{6} + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \dots\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{1}{1 - \frac{5}{6}} + \frac{5}{6} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{5}{6}} + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 \frac{1}{1 - \frac{5}{6}} + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \left[6 \left(1 + \frac{5}{6} + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \dots\right) \right] = 6 \end{aligned}$$

② X : length of run of heads or tails starting with trial 1
 $\mathcal{X} = \{1, 2, \dots\}$

$$P(X=x) = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{run of } x \text{ T's}}}{(1-p)^x} p + p^x \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{run of } x \text{ H's}}}{(1-p)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \sum_1^{\infty} x \left((1-p)^x p + p^x (1-p) \right) \\ &= p(1-p) \left(\sum_1^{\infty} x (1-p)^{x-1} + \sum_1^{\infty} x p^{x-1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= p(1-p) \left(\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{(1-p)^2} \right) \leftarrow \text{as in (1)}$$

$$= \frac{1-2p+2p^2}{p(1-p)}$$

(3) (a) $E(|X|) = \sum_1^{\infty} |x| \frac{1}{x(x+1)} = \sum_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x+1}$ not convergent
 $\Rightarrow E(X)$ does not exist

(b) $E(|X|) = \int_{|x|>1} |x| \frac{1}{2x^2} dx = \infty$
 $\Rightarrow E(X)$ does not exist

(c) $E(|X|) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{|x|}{\pi} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx$
 $= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\log(1+x^2) \right]_0^{\infty} = \infty$
 $\Rightarrow E(X)$ does not exist

(4) e.g. (a) Trivial calculations
 $E(X) = a \int_0^1 x^a dx = \frac{a}{a+1}$; $E(X^2) = \frac{a}{a+2}$
 $V(X) = E(X^2) - (E(X))^2 = \frac{a}{a+2} - \left(\frac{a}{a+1} \right)^2$
 $= \dots$

(5) $E(X) = \frac{c}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x \left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^{c-1} e^{-\left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^c} dx$
 $y = \left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^c \quad dy = \frac{c}{a} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^{c-1} dx$
 $\Rightarrow E(X) = \int_0^{\infty} (ay^{1/c} + \mu) e^{-y} dy = a \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{c}+1\right) + \mu$

$$E(X^2) = \frac{c}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 \left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^{c-1} e^{-\left(\frac{x-\mu}{a} \right)^c} dx$$

$$\stackrel{\text{sim } E(X)}{=} = \int_0^{\infty} (ay^{1/c} + \mu)^2 e^{-y} dy$$

$$= a^2 \sqrt{\frac{2}{c}+1} + 2a\mu \sqrt{\frac{1}{c}+1} + \mu^2$$

$$V(X) = E(X^2) - (E(X))^2$$

$$= \left(a^2 \sqrt{\frac{2}{c}+1} + 2a\mu \sqrt{\frac{1}{c}+1} + \mu^2 \right) - \left(a \sqrt{\frac{1}{c}+1} + \mu \right)^2$$

$$= \dots$$

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$$\int_0^m 3x^2 dx = \int_m^1 3x^2 dx = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = \dots$$

⑦

$$\int_0^{\infty} (1-F(x)) dx = \int_0^{\infty} \int_x^{\infty} f_X(y) dy dx$$

$$\stackrel{0 < x < y < \infty}{=} \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^y f_X(y) dx dy = \int_0^{\infty} y f_X(y) dy = E(X)$$

⑧ let Z denote the r. v. \Rightarrow

Z : score in a shot $\mathcal{X}_Z = \{0, 2, 3, 4\}$.

$$P(Z=0) = P(X > \sqrt{3}) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\sqrt{3}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \tan^{-1} x \Big|_{\sqrt{3}}^{\infty} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(Z=2) = P(1 < X < \sqrt{3}) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_1^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(Z=3) = P\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} < X < 1\right) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(Z=4) = P\left(0 < X < \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{3}$$

Expect \rightarrow score,

$$\begin{aligned} E(Z) &= 0 \times \frac{1}{3} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{3} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{3} = \dots \end{aligned}$$

⑨ $M_X(t) = e^{-5t} \frac{1}{2} + e^{4t} \frac{1}{6} + e^{5t} \frac{1}{8} + \frac{5}{24} e^{25t}$
a 4 pt distⁿ

p.m.f.

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|----------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| $X = x$ | -5 | 4 | 5 | 25 |
| $P(X=x)$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{6}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{5}{24}$ |

d.f. $F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < -5 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -5 \leq x < 4 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} & 4 \leq x < 5 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{8} & 5 \leq x < 25 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{5}{24} = 1 & x \geq 25 \end{cases}$

(10) X is (+)ve valued r.v., by Markov's inequality

$$P(X \geq 2\mu) = P(|X| \geq 2\mu) \leq \frac{E(X)}{2\mu} = \frac{1}{2}$$

(11) $P(-2 < X < 8) = P\left(\frac{-2-3}{2} < \frac{X-E(X)}{\sqrt{V(X)}} < \frac{8-3}{2}\right)$

$E(X) = 3$
 $V(X) = 4$

$$= P\left(-\frac{5}{2} < \frac{X-E(X)}{\sqrt{V(X)}} < \frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$= P(|X-\mu| \leq \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{V(X)})$$

$$= 1 - P(|X-\mu| \geq \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{V(X)})$$

$$\geq 1 - \frac{V(X)}{\frac{25}{4} \cdot V(X)} \quad (\text{Chebyshev's inequality})$$

$$= 1 - \frac{4}{25} = \frac{21}{25}$$

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$$E(X) = -\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = 0 = \mu; \quad V(X) = EX^2 = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{4} = \sigma^2$$

By Chebyshev's inequality

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \quad P(|X-\mu| \geq \epsilon) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\epsilon^2}$$

$$\text{i.e. } P(|X| \geq \epsilon) \leq \frac{1}{4\epsilon^2}$$

Also,
$$P(|X| \geq \epsilon) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{4} & 0 < \epsilon \leq 1 \\ 0 & \epsilon > 1 \end{cases}$$

i.e. $P(|X| \geq \epsilon) = \frac{1}{4} \quad \forall \epsilon \geq 0 < \epsilon \leq 1$

\Rightarrow for $\epsilon = 1$, bound from Chebyshev's inequality is attained exactly and hence cannot be improved

(13) Let X be the r.v. denoting the # of components functioning

$$P(\text{system works effectively}) = P(X \geq \lceil n/2 \rceil + 1)$$

(a) $P(5 \text{ comp. system works}) = p_5$

i.e. $p_5 = P_5(X \geq 3) = \binom{5}{3} p^3 (1-p)^2 + \binom{5}{4} p^4 (1-p) + p^5$

& $p_3 = \binom{3}{2} p^2 (1-p) + p^3 = P(3 \text{ comp system works})$

$$p_5 > p_3$$

$$\text{If } \binom{5}{3} p^3 (1-p)^2 + \binom{5}{4} p^4 (1-p) + p^5 > \binom{3}{2} p^2 (1-p) + p^3$$

simplify to get the condition as $p > \frac{1}{2}$.

(b) $P_{2k+1}(X \geq k+1) = p_{2k+1} = P_{2k-1}(X \geq k+1)$

$$+ P_{2k-1}(X=k) P_2(X \geq 1)$$

$$+ P_{2k-1}(X=k-1) P_2(X=2)$$

$$\text{i.e. } p_{2k+1} = P_{2k-1}(X \geq k+1) + P_{2k-1}(X=k) (1-(1-p)^2) \\ + P_{2k-1}(X=k-1) p^2$$

$$\text{Further } p_{2k-1} = P_{2k-1}(X \geq k) \\ = P_{2k-1}(X=k) + P_{2k-1}(X \geq k+1)$$

$$\text{Since } p_{2k+1} = \underbrace{P_{2k-1}(X \geq k+1) + P_{2k-1}(X=k)}_{\leftarrow} \\ - P_{2k-1}(X=k) (1-p)^2 \\ + P_{2k-1}(X=k-1) p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p_{2k+1} = p_{2k-1} - P_{2k-1}(X=k) (1-p)^2 \\ + P_{2k-1}(X=k-1) p^2$$

$$\Rightarrow p_{2k+1} > p_{2k-1} \quad \text{iff}$$

$$P_{2k-1}(X=k) (-(1-p)^2) + P_{2k-1}(X=k-1) p^2 > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \binom{2k-1}{k} p^k (1-p)^{k-1} (-1-p^2+2p) + \binom{2k-1}{k-1} p^{k-1} (1-p)^k p^2 > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } p^k (1-p)^{k-1} (-1-p^2+2p + p-p^2) > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } -1-2p^2+3p > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } (2p-1)(1-p) > 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } p > \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}}} \quad \text{reqd condition.}$$