

3 successes in 5 Bernoulli Trials

$$C_1 : S S S F F \quad p^3 (1-p)^2$$

$$C_2 : S S F S F \quad p^3 (1-p)^2$$

$$C_3 : S S F F S \quad p^3 (1-p)^2$$

⋮

$$F F S S S \quad p^3 (1-p)^2$$

of cases: $m = \binom{5}{3}$

$P(3 \text{ successes})$

$$= P(C_1) + P(C_2) + \dots + P(C_m)$$

$$= m p^3 (1-p)^2$$

$$= \binom{5}{3} p^3 (1-p)^2$$

k successes in n Bernoulli Trials

- prob of sequence w/ k successes
n-k failures

$$= p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

- # of such sequences:

$$\binom{n}{k}$$

- $P(k \text{ successes})$

$$= \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

Theorem 5.8

X : # of successes in n

Bernolli trials

$$P(X=k) = \begin{cases} \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} & 0 \leq k \leq n \\ 0 & \text{if not} \end{cases}$$

X : Binomial Random Var.

Binomial distr.bution

Expected Value of K_v

\approx Average over many experiments

- X : result of rolling a die
- $E(x)$?
- First consider rolling the die 100 times

2, 4, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, \dots , 4, 6

Average

$$= \frac{2 + 4 + 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 4 + 6}{100}$$

$$= 1 \cdot \frac{\# \text{ of } 1\text{'s}}{100} + 2 \cdot \frac{\# \text{ of } 2\text{'s}}{100} + \dots$$

$$\approx 1 \cdot P(X=1) + 2 \cdot P(X=2) + \dots$$

$$= E(x).$$

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- Flip coin n times,
of heads to expect?

OR: Repeat many times

flip coin n times

of heads on average?

- Flip coin until head,
of flips to expect?

OR: Repeat many times

flip coin until head

Average # of flips

Lemma 5.9

• Biased coin: $p(T) = \frac{2}{3}$

• Toss it 3 times, X : # of tails

	s_1	s_2	s_3	s_4	...	s_8
S :	TTT	TTH	THT	HTT	HHH
X :	3	2	2	2		0

$$E(X) = 3 \cdot p(X=3) + 2 \cdot p(X=2) + \dots$$

$$+ 1 \cdot p(X=1) + 0 \cdot p(X=0)$$

$$= X(s_1) p(s_1)$$

$$+ X(s_2) p(s_2) + X(s_3) p(s_3) + X(s_4) p(s_4)$$

$$+ \dots + X(s_8) p(s_8)$$

$$= \sum_{s \in S} X(s) p(s)$$

proof of Theorem 5.11

$$E(cx) = \sum_{s \in S} c x(s) p(s)$$

$$= c \sum_{s \in S} x(s) p(s)$$

$$= c E(x).$$

[P42]

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (1-p)^i = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=0}^n (1-p)^i$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - (1-p)^{n+1}}{1 - (1-p)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - (1-p)} = \frac{1}{p}$$

Known fact: $r \neq 1$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n i r^i = \frac{n r^{n+2} - (n+1) r^{n+1} + r}{(1-r)^2}$$

$0 < r < 1$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} i r^i = \frac{r}{(1-r)^2}$$

Expected number of trials

$$= 1 \cdot p + 2 \cdot (1-p)p + 3 \cdot (1-p)^2 p + \dots + i \cdot (1-p)^{i-1} p + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i (1-p)^{i-1} p$$

$$= \frac{p}{1-p} \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^i i \quad \Rightarrow \text{L17-8}$$

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

$$= \frac{p}{p^2} = \frac{1}{p}$$

Theorem 5.13

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