

Probability and Statistics

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Why Probability and Statistics?

- Probability is an essential tool in applied mathematics and mathematical modelling
 - Random experiment
 - Sample space
 - Counting Techniques
 - Conditional Probability
- Statistics means collection, study and summarizing data
 - Assume the context is analysing performance of students in an admission test
 - How to collect data?
 - What type of study to be performed?
 - How to summarize ?





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Objective

- To learn the concept of Random Experiment
- To Identify Sample Space for simple experiments
- To perform Set Operation on Events
- To learn about Mutually Exclusive Events

Random Experiment

Throwing a die



Choosing a card from deck of cards

An experiment that can result in different outcomes



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Tossing a coin



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Monitoring vitals of a patient



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Sample Space

- Set of all possible outcomes of a random experiment is called the sample space, denoted as S
- Tossing a coin

$$S = \{H, T\}$$

Tossing a coin 2 times

$$S = \{HH, HT, TT, TH\}$$

Rolling a die

$$S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

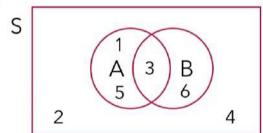
Events

- Event is a subset of the sample space
- Venn diagrams can be used to represent a sample space and events in a sample space

Let the random experiment be rolling a die

A - Odd number turns up in die

B - Number divisible by 3 turns up in dice



$$A = \{1,3,5\}$$

 $B = \{3,6\}$
Complement
 $\bar{A} = \{2,4,6\}$
 $\bar{B} = \{1,2,4,5\}$

Union

$$A \cup B = \{1,3,5,6\}$$

Intersection

$$A \cap B = \{3\}$$

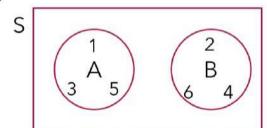
Mutually Exclusive Events

Events that cannot occur simultaneously

Let the random experiment be rolling a die

A - Odd number turns up in die

B - Number divisible by 2 turns up in die



$$A = \{1,3,5\}$$

 $B = \{2,4,6\}$

Complement

$$\bar{A} = \{2,4,6\}$$

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Union

$$A \cup B = \{1,2,3,4,5,6\}$$

Intersection

$$A \cap B = \emptyset$$

Example

A weighing machine can record weights up to 100 kg. Let A be the
event that weight exceeds 50 kg, B denote the event that a weight
is less than or equal to 75 kg, C be the event that a weight is
greater than or equal to 40 kg and less than or equal to 60 kg. Find
the following

$$A = \{51,52,...,100\}, B = \{0,1,...,75\}, C = \{40,41,...,60\}$$

$$A \cup C = \{100,141,...,60\}$$

$$A \cup B = \{0,1,2,...,100\}$$

$$A \cap B = \{51,52,...,75\}$$

$$A \cap B \cap C = \{51,52,...,60\}$$

$$A \cup B \cup C = \{0,1,2,...,50\}$$

$$B \cap C = \emptyset$$

$$A \cup B \cup C = \{0,1,2,...,100\}$$

$$A \cup \{B \cap C\} = \{40,41,...,100\}$$



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Objective

To learn counting techniques



Multiplication Rule

 If a task can be described as a sequence of k steps and

Number of ways completing step 1 pNumber of ways completing step 2 q

Number of ways completing step k = r

• The total number of ways of completing the task is $p \times q \times \cdots r$



Permutations

- Ordered sequence of the elements
- Number of permutations of n different elements is n!
- Number of permutations of subset of r elements selected from a set of n different element is $P_r^n = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$
- Number of permutations of $n=n_1+n_2+\cdots+n_r$ objects where n_1 are of one type, n_2 are of a second type and n_r are of r'th type is $\frac{n!}{n_1!n_2!...n_r!}$

Permutations-Example 1

• If $S = \{a, b, c, d\}$, number of permutations is 4! = 24

abcd	bacd	cabd	dabc
abdc	badc	cadb	dacb
acbd	bcad	cbad	dbac
acdb	bcda	cbda	dbca
adbc	bdac	cdab	dcab
adcb	bdca	cdba	dcba

• If $S = \{1,2,3\}$, number of permutations is 3! = 6

 123
 213
 312

 132
 231
 321

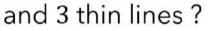
Permutations-Example 2

 Eight seats are there in a row. If four celebrities are to be seated on the row, how many different arrangements are possible?

8 locations and 4 components

Permutations-Example 3

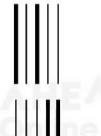
How many different barcodes can be generated from 2 thick lines



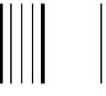
$$\frac{5!}{2!3!} = 10$$

$$5x \cancel{3} \times \cancel{3} \times$$











In how many ways the word MISSISSIPPI can be arranged?

Combinations

- Sequence of elements where order does not matter
- The number of combinations of size r that can be selected from a set of n elements is denoted by \mathcal{C}^n_r

$$C_r^n = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

How to select 4 panel members from 8 members?

$$C_4^8 = \frac{8!}{4!(8-4)!} = 70$$

Conclusion

- Multiplication Rule
- Permutations
- Combinations



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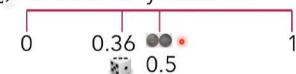
Objective

- To learn the concept of Probability for small examples
- To use counting techniques for probability calculation



Probability

- Probability is used to quantify the chance, that an outcome of a random experiment will occur, denoted by P(E)
- If S is the sample space and E is any event in a random experiment
 - P(S) = 1
 - $0 \le P(E) \le 1$
 - $P(E_1 \cup E_2 \dots) = P(E_1) + P(E_2) + \dots$, where E_1, E_2, \dots are mutually exclusive
- $P(E) = \frac{number\ of\ ways\ E\ can\ occur}{total\ number\ of\ possible\ outcomes}$





Experiment : Toss the coin once, report if it heads or tails $S = \{H, T\}$ $P(H) = \frac{1}{2}, P(T) = \frac{1}{2}$

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Example-1

Experiment: Roll six sided dice twice. Record the sum of numbers

$$2 - \{(1,1)\}$$

$$3 - \{(1,2), (2,1)\}$$

$$4 - \{(1,3), (2,2), (3,1)\}$$

$$5 - \{(1,4), (2,3), (3,2), (4,1)\}$$

$$6 - \{(1,5), (2,4), (3,3), (4,2), (5,1))\}$$

$$7 - \{(1,6), (2,5), (3,4), (4,3), (5,2), (6,1))\}$$

$$8 - \{(2,6), (3,5), (4,4), (5,3), (6,2)\}$$

$$9 - \{(3,6), (4,5), (5,4), (6,3)\}$$

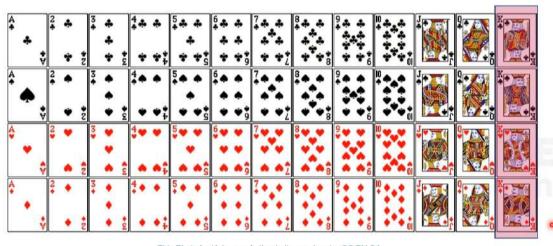
$$10 - \{(4,6), (5,5), (6,4)\}$$

$$11 - \{(5,6), (6,5)\}$$

$$12 - \{(6,6)\}$$

Sum	Number of ways	Probability
2	1	1/36
3	2	2/36
4	3	3/36
5	4	4/36
6	5	5/36
7	6	6/36
8	5	5/36
9	4	4/36
10	3	3/36
11	2	2/36
12	1	1/36

Example-2



Total no of outcomes = 52Number of kings = 4Let K be the event

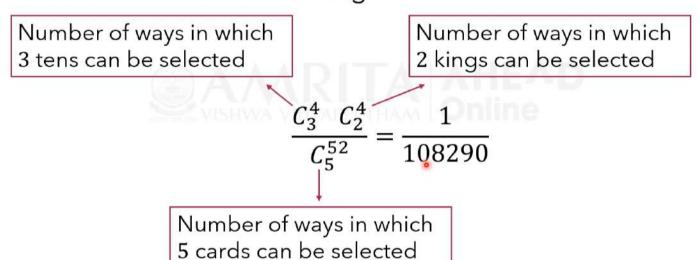
$$P(K) = \frac{4}{52}$$

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What is probability of getting a king in a single draw?

Example-3 (Using Counting techniques)

 Five cards are drawn from a pack of 52 cards. Find the probability that 3 are tens and 2 are kings



Conclusion

To calculate probabilities of different events





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Objective

- To learn the concept of Conditional Probability
- Identify Independent events
- To learn concept of Random variable



Conditional Probability

- Sales at a Store
- Election results
- Weather Prediction
- Events in real life rarely have simple probability

Conditional Probability (2 Events)

• Let A and B be two events and P(A) > 0. Probability of B given that A has occurred is denoted by P(B|A)

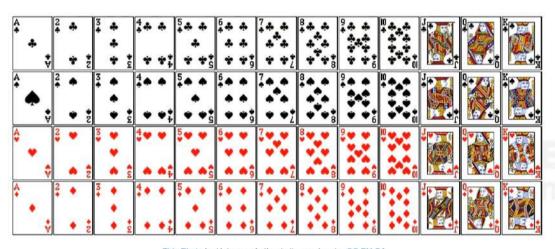
$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$

- Find probability that a single roll of a die will result in number less than 4
 - If no other information is provided (Answer: $\frac{3}{6}$)
 - Given that rolling resulted in an odd number

B denote the event less than 4A denote the event resulting odd number

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Independent Events



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What is probability of getting a 2 kings when 2 cards are draw?

- With replacement
- Without replacement

Let K_1 be the event of getting a king in first draw Let K_2 be the event of getting a king in second draw

With replacement /

$$P(K_1 \cap K_2) = P(K_1)P(K_2)$$

Without replacement

$$P(K_1 \cap K_2) = P(K_1)P(K_2 | K_1)$$



Two events A and B are independent if

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$$

Random Variable (Discrete)

- Function that assigns a real number to each outcome in the sample space of a random experiment
- Denoted by an uppercase letter such as X
- Suppose a coin is tossed twice. Let *X* represents the number of tails that can come up. Probability function will be as follows

x	0	1	2
f(x)	1	2	1
, , ,	$\overline{4}$	$\frac{\overline{4}}{4}$	$\overline{4}$

Conclusion

- To calculate conditional probability for events
- To construct probability function for toy examples

