

Homework3

2.18

When $Y = 4$, there are 2 cases. $p(X = AAAA) = \frac{1}{16}, p(X = BBBB) = \frac{1}{16}$

When $Y = 5$, there are $2 \times 4 = 8$ cases, with $p = \frac{1}{32}$

When $Y = 6$, there are $2 \times C_5^2 = 20$ cases, with $p = \frac{1}{64}$

When $Y = 7$, there are $2 \times C_6^3 = 40$ cases, with $p = \frac{1}{128}$

$$\begin{aligned} H(X) &= -\left(\sum_{i=1}^2 \frac{1}{16} \log \frac{1}{16} + \sum_{i=1}^8 \frac{1}{32} \log \frac{1}{32} + \sum_{i=1}^{20} \frac{1}{64} \log \frac{1}{64} + \sum_{i=1}^{40} \frac{1}{128} \log \frac{1}{128}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{5}{4} + \frac{15}{8} + \frac{35}{16} \\ &= 5.8125 \\ H(Y) &= -\left(\frac{1}{8} \log \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5}{16} \log \frac{5}{16} + \frac{5}{16} \log \frac{5}{16}\right) \\ &= 1.92379 \end{aligned}$$

Since Y is a function of X , then $H(Y|X) = 0$.

$$\therefore H(X|Y) + H(Y) = H(Y|X) + H(X)$$

$$\therefore H(X|Y) = H(X) - H(Y) = 3.88871$$

2.20

Denote $H(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) = H(\mathcal{X})$

Since \mathbf{R} is the function of \mathcal{X} , and $H(\mathbf{R}) + H(\mathcal{X}|\mathbf{R})$ thus $H(\mathbf{R}) \leq H(\mathcal{X})$

Besides, if we know $H(\mathbf{R}, X_i), i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$, then we could determine \mathcal{X} . Therefore, $H(\mathbf{R}, X_i) \geq H(\mathcal{X})$

$$H(\mathcal{X}) \leq H(\mathbf{R}, X_i) = H(\mathbf{R}) + H(X_i|\mathbf{R}) \leq H(\mathbf{R}) + H(X_i)$$

Since $H(X_i) = -p \log p - (1-p) \log(1-p) \leq 1$. Therefore,

$$H(\mathcal{X}) \leq H(\mathbf{R}, X_i) = H(\mathbf{R}) + H(X_i|\mathbf{R}) \leq H(\mathbf{R}) + H(X_i) \leq H(\mathbf{R}) + 1$$

2.21

$$H(X) = -\sum_p p(x) \log p(x) \geq -\sum_{p(x) \leq d} p(x) \log p(x) = \sum_{p(x) \leq d} p(x) \log \frac{1}{p(x)} \geq \log \frac{1}{d} \times \Pr\{p(x) \leq d\}$$

2.27

$$\begin{aligned} H(\mathbf{p}) &= -\sum_{i=1}^m p_i \log p_i \\ H(\mathbf{q}) &= -\sum_{i=1}^{m-1} q_i \log q_i = -\left[\sum_{i=1}^{m-2} p_i \log p_i + (p_{m-1} + p_m) \log(p_{m-1} + p_m)\right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
H(\mathbf{p}) - H(\mathbf{q}) &= -(p_{m-1} \log p_{m-1} + p_m \log p_m) + (p_{m-1} + p_m) \log(p_{m-1} + p_m) \\
&= (p_{m-1} + p_m) \times (-1) \times \left(\frac{p_{m-1}}{p_{m-1} + p_m} \log p_{m-1} + \frac{p_m}{p_{m-1} + p_m} \log p_m - \log(p_{m-1} + p_m) \right) \\
&= (p_{m-1} + p_m) \times (-1) \times \left(\frac{p_{m-1}}{p_{m-1} + p_m} \log \frac{p_{m-1}}{p_{m-1} + p_m} + \frac{p_m}{p_{m-1} + p_m} \log \frac{p_m}{p_{m-1} + p_m} \right) \\
&= (p_{m-1} + p_m) H\left(\frac{p_{m-1}}{p_{m-1} + p_m}, \frac{p_m}{p_{m-1} + p_m}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

2.29

$$H(X, Y|Z) = H(X|Z) + H(Y|X, Z) \geq H(X|Z)$$

With equality when $H(Y|X, Z) = 0$, meaning that the Y is the function of X, Z

$$I(X, Y; Z) = I(X; Z) + I(Y; Z|X) \geq I(X; Z)$$

With equality when $I(Y; Z|X) = 0$, meaning that Y and Z are conditionally independent given X

$$H(X, Y, Z) - H(X, Y) = H(Z|X, Y) = H(Z|X) - I(Y; Z|X) \leq H(Z|X) = H(X, Z) - H(X)$$

With equality when $I(Y; Z|X) = 0$, meaning that Y and Z are conditionally independent given X

$$I(X; Z|Y) + I(Z; Y) = I(X, Y; Z) = I(Z; X) + I(Z; Y|X)$$

Therefore, this is actually an equality.

2.32

a)

$$\hat{X}(Y) = \begin{cases} 1, Y = a \\ 2, Y = b \\ 3, Y = c \end{cases}$$

$$P_e = \frac{1}{2}$$

b)

$$H(X|Y) = H(X, Y) - H(Y)$$

$$H(X, Y) = -3 \times \frac{1}{6} \times \log \frac{1}{6} - 6 \times \frac{1}{12} \log \frac{1}{12} = \log 3 + 1.5$$

$$H(Y) = -3 \times \frac{1}{3} \log \frac{1}{3} = \log 3$$

$$\therefore H(X|Y) = 1.5$$

$$\text{Fano inequality: } P_e \geq \frac{H(X|Y) - 1}{\log(|X| - 1)}$$

$P_e = \frac{1}{2}$ satisfies the Fano's inequality, and is also the lower bound.

2.40

a)

$$H(X) = -\frac{1}{8} \sum_{i=1}^8 \log \frac{1}{8} = 3$$

b)

$$H(Y) = - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2^{-k} \cdot (-k) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} (2 - \frac{1}{2^{k-1}} - \frac{k}{2^k}) = 2$$

c)

$$H(X+Y,X-Y)=H(X,Y)=H(X)+H(Y)-I(X;Y)=5$$

3.1

a)

Since $X \geq 0, t > 0$

$$Pr\left\{X \geq t\right\} \cdot t \leq \sum_{x \geq t} p(x) \cdot x \leq EX$$

$$X = \begin{cases} 0, p = 1/2 \\ 1, p = 1/2 \end{cases}$$

let $t = 1$, then the equality is reached.

b)

$$\text{Let } X = |Y - \mu|^2$$

$$\Pr\{|Y - \mu| > \epsilon\} \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\epsilon^2} \Leftrightarrow \Pr\{X > \epsilon^2\} \leq \frac{EX}{\epsilon^2}$$

By the Markov's inequality in (a), Chebyshev's inequality holds

c)

$$\text{Let } Y = \overline{Z_n}, \; \sigma' = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\Pr\left\{\left|\overline{Z_n} - \mu\right| > \epsilon\right\} \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{n\epsilon^2} \Leftrightarrow \Pr\left\{|Y - \mu| > \epsilon\right\} \leq \frac{\sigma'^2}{\epsilon^2}$$

By Chebyshev's inequality, it holds.

3.3

Let R_n be the cake remained after n^{th} cut. Let C_i denote the bigger fraction of cake in i^{th} cut.

Then we have:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \log R_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log C_i = E(\log C_1) = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \log \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \log \frac{3}{5}$$

3.13

a)

$$H(X) = -0.6 \log 0.6 - 0.4 \log 0.4 = 0.970951$$

b)

$$\left| -\frac{1}{25} \sum \log p(x^{25}) - H(X) \right| < \epsilon$$

Which means $-\frac{1}{25} \sum \log p(x^{25}) \in (H(X) - \epsilon, H(X) + \epsilon) = (0.870951, 1.070951)$

Check the last column of the table, we could see $k = 11, 12, 13, \dots, 19$ satisfy the requirement.

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1  from math import comb as C
2  from math import pow
3  n = 25
4  p = 0.6
5  F = [0]
6  c = [0]
7  for k in range(0, n + 1):
8      tmp = C(n, k) * pow(p,k) * pow((1-p),n - k)
9      F.append(F[k] + tmp)
10
11 for k in range(0, n + 1):
12     tmp = C(n, k)
13     c.append(c[k] + tmp)
14
15 print(F[20] - F[11]) # 0.9362462771170672
16 print(c[20]- c[11]) # 26366510
17

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$$\left|A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}\right|=\sum_{k=11}^{19}\binom{n}{k}=\sum_{k=0}^{19}\binom{n}{k}-\sum_{k=0}^{10}\binom{n}{k}=33486026-7119516=26366510$$

c)

Since $p = 0.6 > 0.5$, obviously more one in a sequence(i.e. bigger k) , larger the probability of this sequence. Thus, if we want to make the 0.9 set as small as possible, we should start filling it in this order: $k = 25, 24, \dots$. Once the probability of the set is over 0.9, then we terminate the procedure.

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9      F.append(F[k] + tmp)
10
11 print(F[26] - F[13]) # [13,26] 0.8462322310242368
12 print(F[26] - F[12]) # [12,26] 0.9221989361329268
13
14
15

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From the output of the code we know that the smallest set includes k from 13 to 25 and some sequences with $k = 12$

For $k = 12$, we still need some sequence to gap the distance from $d = 0.9 - 0.8462322310242368 \approx 0.053768$

Then we need at least $d/[p^{12} \cdot (1 - p)^{13}] = 3680687.875 \approx 3680688$

Then the smallest set with probability 0.9 has $16777216 + 3680688 = 20457904$ sequences.

Note that this number might not be the exactest, since we have applied some approximation. However, the size of the smallest set with probability 0.9 objectively exists.

d)

In (b), k is from 11 to 19, while in (c), k is from 12 to 25, and some sequences with $k = 12$ are not included

So the intersection set includes sequences with k from 13 to 19, and some sequences with $k = 12$.

It's size is $33486026 - 16777216 + 3680688 = 20389498$

Let s denote the probability of some sequences with $k = 12$

In (c), we have known that $s = 0.053768$

$$F(19) - F(12) = 0.8168700262319829$$

The probability is $F(19) - F(12) + s = 0.870638$