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# In[1]:
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from numpy.random import rand
from numpy import mean, roots
import numba
import numpy as np
from scipy.linalg import pascal
get_ipython().magic('load_ext autotime')
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# In[2]:
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def probability_deterministic(win_prob, games=82):
    """
    The goal is to find the probability of a team making it through all games
    without consecutive losses.
    In order to succeed, a team will always be on either a 0 or 1 game losing
    streak.
    The approach uses dynamic programming to take advantage of previous
    calculations.
    To start, you calculate the probabilities of ending the second game with a
    0 and 1 game losing streak.
    From these calculations, you can use the following formula to iterate
    through any number of games:
    format: prob(length of losing streak, number of games completed)
    prob(0, n) = [prob(0, n-1) + prob(1, n-1)] * win_prob
    prob(1, n) = prob(0, n-1) * (1-win_prob)
    The final answer is the addition of prob(0, n) and prob(1, n).
    """
    num_columns = games-1
    matrix = np.zeros((2,num_columns))
    matrix[0][0] = win_prob * win_prob + (1-win_prob) * win_prob
    matrix[1][0] = win_prob * (1-win_prob)
    for i in range(1, num_columns):
        prob_0_win = matrix[0][i-1]
        prob_1_win = matrix[1][i-1]
        matrix[0][i] = win_prob * (prob_0_win + prob_1_win)
        matrix[1][i] = (1-win_prob) * prob_0_win
    return matrix[0][num_columns-1] + matrix[1][num_columns-1]
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# In[3]:
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def probability_pascal(win_prob, games=82):
    """
    This method takes advantage of pascal's triangle, finding all the possible
    ways to lose consecutive games.
    Beginning 3 games into the season, create this table:
    The rows represent how many games can be lost before the 2 game losing
    streak (no consecutive losses prior)
    The columns represent the number of games played thus far
    The cells are the number of occurrences among each row/column
    combination
    """
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This table is a modified upper pascal triangle, with slight adjustments to the preceeding zeros in each row.  
 Since pascal's traingle can be easily computed, the table can be filled out for an arbitrary number of games.  
 Each cell represents a number of combinations for a single probability, calculted with this formula:

$$\text{prob} = \text{win\_prob} * (2 + \text{column value} - \text{row value}) * (1 - \text{win\_prob}) * (\text{row value} + 2)$$

Multiply each probability by the value of the cell and sum all cells.

Add this number to the probability of two consecutive losses after 3 games.

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num_rows = int(games/2)
num_columns = games-3
triangle = pascal(num_columns, kind='upper')
matrix = np.zeros((num_rows,num_columns))
for row in range(num_rows):
    if row == 0:
        matrix[row] = list(triangle[row])
    elif row == 1:
        row_list = list(triangle[row])
        del row_list[0]
        row_list.append(row_list[-1]+1)
        matrix[row] = row_list
    else:
        row_list = list(triangle[row])
        for _ in range(row-2):
            row_list.insert(0,0)
            del row_list[-1]
        matrix[row] = row_list
probs = (1-win_prob)**2 + win_prob*(1-win_prob)**2
for row in range(num_rows):
    for column in range(num_columns):
        combos = matrix[row][column]
        probs += combos*(win_prob)**(2+column-row)*(1-win_prob)**(row+2)
return 1-probs
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# In[4]:
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def probability_approximation(win_prob, games=82, streak=2):
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This method uses distributions to derive the probability of interest.

After deriving the probability generating function, the distribution is slightly skewed.

Partial fraction expansion is then used to approximate the tail of the distribution.

This leads to the formula:

p: win probability

q: loss probability

r: length of losing streak

n: number of games

$$\text{prob} \sim (1 - p*x) / ((r + 1 - r*x)*q) * 1/(x**(n+1))$$

where x is the positive root, not equal to 1/p in the following equation:

$$1 - x + q*(p**r)*x**(r+1) = 0$$

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loss_prob = 1 - win_prob
x_vals = roots(np.append(np.append([win_prob*loss_prob**streak], np.repeat
    (0,streak-1)), [-1, 1]))
for val in x_vals:
    if val != 1/loss_prob and val > 0:
        x = val
return (1 - loss_prob*x)/((streak + 1 - streak*x)*win_prob) * 1/(x**(games
    +1))

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# In[5]:

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@numba.jit(nopython=True, cache=False, nogil=True)
def probability_simulation(win_prob, simulations=1000000, games=82):
    """
    This method uses repeated simulation to approximate the probability of
    interest
    For each simulated game, a random number from 0 to 1 is generated.
    If the number is less than the losing probability, the game is deemed a
    loss.
    This process is repeated for all 82 games or unless there are two
    consecutive losses.
    At the end of the simulation, it is recorded whether or not there was a
    string of consecutive losses.
    This is then repeated for n seasons and the average number of seasons with
    consecutive losses is calculated.
    """
    two_losses = 0
    for _ in range(simulations):
        lost_previous = False
        for _ in range(games):
            if rand() <= 1-win_prob:
                if lost_previous:
                    two_losses += 1
                    break
                lost_previous = True
            else:
                lost_previous = False
    return 1 - two_losses/simulations

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# In[6]:

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def win_prob_to_prevent_losses(win_prob=.8, increment=.0001, outcome_prob=.5,
    method=probability_deterministic):
    prob = method(win_prob)
    while prob < outcome_prob:
        win_prob += increment
        prob = method(win_prob)
    return win_prob

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