

Sets ①

Cardinality $|A|$: size of set

Empty set $\{\emptyset\}$: $\{\emptyset\}$

Subset $A \subseteq B$: elem in A in B

Proper subset $A \subset B$: $A \subseteq B$, but $A \neq B$

Intersection $A \cap B$: both A and B

Disjoint: $A \cap B = \emptyset$

Union $A \cup B$: either A or B

Set Difference $B - A (B \setminus A)$

Natural \mathbb{N} Rational \mathbb{Q}

Integer \mathbb{Z} Complex \mathbb{C}

Cross Product $A \times B$: $(u, v), u \in A, v \in B$

Power set $\mathcal{P}(S)$: set of subsets

Logic ②

1) Conjunction $[P \wedge Q]$: and

2) Disjunction $[P \vee Q]$: or

3) Negation $[\neg P]$: not

4) Implication $[P \Rightarrow Q]$: implies

a) Contrapositive $[\neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P]$

b) Converse $[Q \Rightarrow P]$

DeMorgan's Laws:

$\neg(P \wedge Q) \equiv (\neg P \vee \neg Q)$

$\neg(P \vee Q) \equiv (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

Proofs ③

a) b $2110 = 5$ $b = aq$

1) Direct Proof $[P \Rightarrow Q]$

2) Proof By Contraposition $[\neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P] = [P \Rightarrow Q]$

3) Proof By Contradiction $[P]$

$\neg P$, show B, $\neg B$, P holds

4) Proof By Cases $[P]$

proof result in all cases

5) Induction

Pigeonhole Principle: *

n pigeons, k holes

if $n > k$, at least 1 hole > 1 pigeon

Induction ④

Prove for all natural #s

1) Base Case: Eq holds for initial value

2) Inductive Hypothesis: for $n=k$ suppose $P(k)$ holds

3) Inductive Step: Assuming Inductive hypothesis, show $P(k+1)$

Strong Induction

Assume holds $0 \leq n \leq k$ for $k \geq 1$

Hyper cube

$V = 2^n$ V has n degrees

$E = \frac{n}{2} 2^n$

Edge is one bit different

Stable Matching ⑤

Propose-and-Reject Algo *

Loop each day until no offers rejected

Morning: job proposes to most preferable candidate who hasn't rejected

Afternoon: candidate collects offers and put most liked on a string, reject others

Evening: Rejected job crosses candidate who rejected

Always halts since one job must eliminate candidate terminate at n^2

No rogue couples

Lemma: every subsequent day C has job offer she likes as much as J

Well Ordering Principle *

any non-empty set of natural nums has smallest num

Propose-and-reject is job optimal, candidate pessimal

Graph Theory ⑥

Graph $G = (V, E)$ set of vertices and edges

Edge: $\{u, v\}$ pair of vertices, line segments

Vertices: points in a graph

Directed graph: $G = (V, E)$ but set of Edges are ordered arrow (u, v)

Edge e is incident on vertices u, v and u, v are neighbors, adjacent

degree $(u) = |\{v \in V: \{u, v\} \in E\}|$

Path: sequence of edges $\{u, v\}, \{v, w\}, \dots$ distinct

Cycle (circuit): simple path starts and ends at same place, distinct

Walk: sequence of edges w/ repeated vertices

Tour: walk starts and ends same vertex

Connected: If has path to reach distinct vertices

Eulerian walk/tour: uses each edge exactly once

even degree graph: all vertices have even degree

Planar: drawn in plane w/o crossing

Faces: regions that subdivide plane

Euler's formula: $V + F = E + 2$ for every planar

planar graphs $E \leq 3V - 6$

Non-planar graphs can pass test

Complete graphs have max num of edges

Trees: removing edge disconnects

① connected, no cycles

② connected, $n-1$ edges

③ connected, removal of edge disconnects

④ no cycles, addition creates cycles

Mod Arithmetic ⑦

range $\{0, 1, \dots, N-1\}$ $x \bmod m$ remainder r

Bijections: $b \in B$ unique preimage $a \in A$ $f(a) = b$

1) onto (surjective): every $b \in B$ has a $a \in A$ preimage

2) 1-to-1 (injective): B can't have many A

Inverse: $xy \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ $\gcd(m, x) = 1 \Rightarrow x$

$d = \gcd(m, x) = a \cdot m + b \cdot x$ b is multiplicative inverse of $x \bmod m$

CRT

unique x that satisfies $x \equiv a_i \pmod{n_i} \dots x \equiv a_k \pmod{n_k}$

$x = \sum_{i=1}^k a_i b_i \bmod N$ where $b_i = \frac{N}{n_i} \left(\frac{N}{n_i} \right)^{-1} \bmod n_i$

$N = \prod_{i=1}^k n_i$

$\left(\frac{N}{n_i} \right)^{-1} \bmod n_i$ inverse $\pmod{n_i}$ of $\frac{N}{n_i}$

RSA ⑧

p, q large primes, $N = pq \bmod N$

e is relatively prime to $(p-1)(q-1)$

public key: (N, e)

private key: $d = \text{inverse } e \bmod (p-1)(q-1)$

Encryption: message x (compute $E(x) = x^e \bmod N$)

Decryption: $y = E(x)$ $D(y) = y^d \bmod N = x$

Fermat's Little Theorem *

for prime p and any $a \in \{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}$ we have $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

Polynomials ⑨

1) Non-zero polynomial degree d has at most d roots

2) Given $d+1$ pairs with x_i distinct, unique polynomial $P(x)$ degree at most d st $P(x_i) = y_i$ for $1 \leq i \leq d+1$

Lagrange Interpolation *

$\Delta_i(x) = \frac{\prod_{j \neq i} (x - x_j)}{\prod_{j \neq i} (x_i - x_j)}$

$P(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{d+1} y_i \Delta_i(x)$

$P(x) = q'(x) q(x) + r(x)$

working in $\text{GF}(m)$

polynomial degree 2 in $\text{GF}(m)$ total?

m^3 bc each coefficient can take m values

Secret Sharing

1) Any group K can figure out

2) No group $< k-1$ have any info

code = s q is prime larger than n and s n officials

$P(x)$ degree $k-1$ where $P(0) = s$ and $P(i)$ to first official, $P(2)$ to second...

1) Any k officials use Lagrange interpolation to find P

2) Group $k-1$ cannot reconstruct

Graph Theory

max edges for vertex $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

Bipartite planar graph: $e \leq 2v - 4$ not enough to prove

bipartite: two disjoint sets, no 2 vertices of same set are adjacent

We assume $3F \leq 2E$ for face at least 3 sides

can change $5F = 2E$

Removing edge for cycle, still connected

Not Planar



$K_{2,3}$



K_5

4D cube

Stable Matching

$(n-1)^2 + 1$ at most rejections

$n(n-1) + 1$ at most proposals

Companies get worse candidates over time

Candidates get better job offers

Proofs (Examples)

1) Sum of digits of n divisible by 9 $\Rightarrow 9 | n$ (Direct)

let n be written as $n = abc$ $n = 100a + 10b + c$
 $a + b + c = 9k \Rightarrow 100a + 10b + c = 9(k + 11a + b)$

2) $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational (Contradiction)

Use if a^2 is even $\Rightarrow a$ is even

Must be $\sqrt{2} = \frac{a}{b} \Rightarrow 2 = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$ must be some $a = 2c$
 since $a^2 = 2b^2$ state a, b share no common factors
 prove a, b even

3) Every $n \in \mathbb{N}$ $n \geq 12$, $n = 4x + 5y$ $x, y \in \mathbb{N}$ (Induction)

Base Case: $n = 12, 13, 14, 15$

Induction Hypo: Assume holds for all $12 \leq n \leq k$ $k \geq 15$

Prove for $n = k+1 \geq 16$ $k+1 - 4 \geq 4x' + 5y'$ $x = x' + 1$ $y = y'$

4) Improvement Lemma (Induction)

If job J makes offer to candidate C on k th day
 every subsequent day C has job she likes as much as J

Proof: induction on i $i \geq k$

Base ($i=k$) receives offer, have J or better

Induction step: prove $i+1$ had offer from job J' on a
 string she likes as much as J . J' proposes again $i+1$.
 will either have J' or another better

5) Matching is always stable (Direct)

No job can be in a rogue couple. Consider couple
 (J, C) Suppose J prefers C^* to C , C^* prefers current
 job to J , (J, C^*) not rogue. made offer to C^* but C^*
 likes current more. No job J in a rogue couple.

6) Matching is job/employer optimal (Contradiction)

Exists day job got rejected from optimal candidate
 J rejected by C^* for J^* in $T: \{(J, C^*), \dots, (J^*, C^*)\}$.

(J^*, C^*) is rogue C^* prefers J^* J^* made offer to C^*

7) Euler's formula: For every connected planar graph. (Induction)

$V + F = E + 2$

Induction on E Base: $E=0$ $V=F=1$

If tree) $F=1$ $E=V-1$

Not tree) in cycle, take cycle delete edge reduce E and F
 by 1 not changing V

8) Let m, x be \mathbb{Z} $\gcd(m, x) = 1$, x has multiplicative inverse mod m (Direct)
 and unique

$0, x, 2x, \dots, (m-1)x$ distinct mod m so $ax \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ for one a

Suppose $ax \equiv bx \pmod{m}$ then $(a-b)x \equiv 0 \pmod{m}$ $(a-b)x \equiv km$ but x, m relatively prime

$a-b$ must be integer multiple of m $a-b$ ranges 1 to $(m-1)$

* Need $\gcd(m, x) = 1$ for inverse

9) CRT (Direct)

$\left(\frac{N}{n_i}\right)^{-1}_{n_i}$ exists $\frac{N}{n_i} = T_{i, n_i}$ integer coprime n_i , inverse exists

$$x \pmod{n_i} = \left(\sum_{j=1}^k a_j b_j \right) \pmod{N} \pmod{n_i}$$

$$= a_j b_j \pmod{n_i}$$

$$= a_j \pmod{n_i}$$

10) FLT p any $a \in \{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}$ $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

$S = \{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}$ $a, 2a, 3a, \dots, (p-1)a$ if $\gcd(a, p) = 1$ are distinct

none of them zero $p-1$ of them $S' = \{a \pmod{p}, 2a \pmod{p}, \dots, (p-1)a \pmod{p}\}$

$(p-1)! \pmod{p}$ $a^{p-1} (p-1)! \pmod{p}$ product of num's

$$(p-1)! \pmod{p} \equiv a^{p-1} (p-1)! \pmod{p} \quad a^{p-1} \equiv 1$$

p is prime every int has inverse

11) RSA $(x^e)^d = x \pmod{N}$ $x \in \{0, 1, \dots, N-1\}$ (Direct Cases)

$$ed \equiv 1 \pmod{(p-1)(q-1)} \quad ed = 1 + k(p-1)(q-1)$$

$$x^{ed} = x = x^{1+k(p-1)(q-1)} = x \cdot x^{k(p-1)(q-1)} \quad \text{show } = 0 \pmod{N}$$

1) Not multiple of p

$$x \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p} \quad \text{FLT: } x^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

$$x^{k(p-1)(q-1)} = (x^{p-1})^{k(q-1)} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

must also be divisible by q so divide by product N

12) Prime Number Theorem $\pi(n)$: primes $\leq n$ for $n \geq 17$ $\pi(n) \geq \frac{n}{\ln n}$

13) dcl pairs has unique polynomial (Contradiction)

Suppose another $q(x)$ $q(x) = y$ then $r(x) = p(x) - q(x)$

r is at most degree d $r(x) = p(x) - q(x) = 0$ at dcl points so
 $r(x)$ at least dcl roots

14) Euler's Totient Theorem

n and a are coprime $a^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$ $\phi(n)$: # $2 \leq n$ coprime to n

FLT model $\{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n\} = \phi(n)$ set $\{a m_1, a m_2, \dots, a m_n\}$

m_i and a coprime to n . Suppose shared factor p $p | n$ or $p | m_i$.

Injective: $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow ax \equiv ay \pmod{n}$ a has inverse

Surjective: take y prime n $f^{-1}(a^{-1}y) \equiv y \pmod{n}$ $f(x) = y$ $a^{-1}y$ prime n

General

Use variable to suppose things

Sets: De Morgan's $\forall \in$

$$\neg(\forall x) P(x) \equiv \exists x (\neg P(x))$$

10 Error Correcting Codes

Erasur Errors: n packets, k packets lost
Need $n+k$ to retrieve

- ① Polynomial $P(x)$ degree $n-1$,
- ② mod q , send $P(i)=m$, $n+k \leq q$
- ③ Recover w/ any n points
Use Lagrange interpolation:
points \rightarrow Polynomial

General Errors: n packets, k packets corrupted
Need $n+2k$ to retrieve, Berlekamp-Welch Alg

- ① Polynomial $P(x)$ degree $n-1$, $q \nmid F(q)$
- ② Error Location Polynomial $E(x) = (x-e_1)(x-e_2)\dots(x-e_k)$
Plug in $Q(i) = r_i E(i)$ $1 \leq i \leq n+2k$ where $Q(i) = P(i)E(i)$
- ③ Solve for error correcting $E(x)$ errors e_1, e_2, \dots
and $P(x) = \frac{Q(x)}{E(x)}$ use long division

Distance Properties Reed-Solomon Codes

Hamming distance: positions where strings differ
 $d(z, \vec{r}) = \sum_{i=1}^n 1_{(r_i \neq z_i)}$ iff true

Min distance of two codes d
At $d/2$, can impersonate two codes equally

11 Counting

First Rule Counting: Succession of k choices where
 n_1 ways first choice, then for every first choice n_2 second choice
Total choices: $n_1 \times n_2 \times \dots \times n_k$

Second Rule Counting: Succession choices order does not matter
Ways of choosing k elements from n total elements
Total: $\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{n-k!k!}$

Ed Select multiset size k with set size n , use binary strings w/ 1 for bin edge can model $\binom{n+k-1}{k}$ fruits

Zeroth Rule of Counting: if set A bijection set B ,
 $|A| = |B|$

Combinatorial Proofs: Proofs by stories told from multiple points of view

Permutations: rearrangement, $n!$ distinct ways

Derangement: Permutation w/ no fixed points

Inclusion Exclusion:

Disjoint: $|A \cup A_2| = |A_1| + |A_2|$, since $|A \cap A_2| = 0$

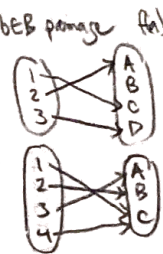
$$|A_1 \cup \dots \cup A_n| = \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^{i-1} \sum_{1 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_i \leq n} |A_{j_1} \cap \dots \cap A_{j_i}|$$

Stirling's Approx: $n! \approx \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$

$$\text{Simple: } \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$

12 Countability and Computability

Bijections: $f: A \rightarrow B$ every $a \in A$ unique image $b \in B$
injection (1-to-1): distinct input to distinct output
surjection (onto): every element in range has preimage
 $(\forall y \in B) (\exists x \in A) (f(x) = y)$



Bijection: injection and surjection



Countable set S if bijection between S and \mathbb{N} or $\mathbb{N} \subseteq S$
 $\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}$ have same cardinality

\mathbb{R} is not using Cantor's diagonalization

Ex) Enumerate real numbers in infinite list diagonal $= r$,
We find r and 1 to every digit, must be real but is 1 num off from n th digit

No program can test if in infinite loop, self reference,
cannot separate programs from data

13 Discrete Probability

Probability Space: Sample space Ω , probability $P[\omega]$

- 1) Non-negative: $0 \leq P[\omega] \leq 1$ for $\omega \in \Omega$
- 2) Total 1: $\sum_{\omega \in \Omega} P[\omega] = 1$

Event A is subset sample space $A \subseteq \Omega$

$$P[A] = \sum_{\omega \in A} P[\omega]$$

Event \bar{A} is complement of A $\bar{A} = 1 - A$ $A^c \cup A = \Omega$ $A \cap A^c = \emptyset$

Throw m balls into n bins n^m sample space

- 1) What is Sample space? (experiment, possible outcomes)
- 2) What is probability of each outcome? (sample point)
- 3) Event we are interested in? (What subset of sample space)
- 4) Add up probabilities of sample points in it.

14 Conditional Probability, Independence, Combination

Conditional Probability of A given B , events $A, B \subseteq \Omega$

$$P[A|B] = \frac{P[A \cap B]}{P[B]}$$

$$\text{Bayes rule: Flip } P[A|B] = \frac{P[A \cap B]}{P[B]} = \frac{P[B|A]P[A]}{P[B]} = \frac{P[B|A]P[A]}{\sum_{i=1}^n P[B|A_i]P[A_i]}$$

Total Probability Rule

$$P[B] = P[A \cap B] + P[\bar{A} \cap B] = P[B|A]P[A] + P[B|\bar{A}]P[\bar{A}]$$

$$P[A|B] = \frac{P[B|A]P[A] + P[B|\bar{A}](1-P[A])}{P[B|A]P[A] + P[B|\bar{A}](1-P[A])}$$

Where A is partitioned $A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n = 1$

$$\text{Total Prob Rule: } P[B] = \sum_{i=1}^n P[B|A_i]P[A_i]$$

Independent: $P[A \cap B] = P[A] \cdot P[B]$

$$P[A|B] = \frac{P[A \cap B]}{P[B]} = P[A]$$



Mutual Independence: Events, A_1, \dots, A_n $B_i \in \{A_1, \dots, A_n\}_{i=1, \dots, n}$

$$P[B_1, \dots, B_n] = \prod_{i=1}^n P[B_i]$$

Pairwise Independence: each pair is independent

Mutual Independence \Rightarrow Pairwise Independence

Product Rule (not mutually independent)

$$P[\bigcap_{i=1}^n A_i] = P[A_1] \cdot P[A_2 | A_1] \times \dots \times P[A_n | \bigcap_{i=1}^{n-1} A_i]$$

Principle Inclusion-Exclusion: A_1, \dots, A_n probability space

$$P[A_1 \cup \dots \cup A_n] = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k-1} \sum_{S \subseteq \{1, \dots, n\}: |S|=k} P[\bigcap_{i \in S} A_i]$$

$$P[\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i] = \sum_{i=1}^n P[A_i] - \sum_{i < j} P[A_i \cap A_j] + \sum_{i < j < k} P[A_i \cap A_j \cap A_k] + (-1)^{n-1} P[\bigcap_{i=1}^n A_i]$$

Mutually Exclusive: A_1, \dots, A_n ($A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$ all i, j)

$$P[\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i] = \sum_{i=1}^n P[A_i]$$

Union Bound: A_1, \dots, A_n all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

$$P[\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i] \leq \sum_{i=1}^n P[A_i]$$

15 Random Variables

Random variable: depends on outcome of probabilistic experiment

X on Ω func $X: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ $X(\omega)$ for all $\omega \in \Omega$

Distribution of X is collection of values $\{a_i, P[X=a_i]: a_i \in A_X\}$

The collection of events form partition

Bernoulli Distribution: take s in $\{0, 1\}$

$$P[X=i] = \begin{cases} p & \text{if } i=1 \\ 1-p & \text{if } i=0 \end{cases} \quad X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p)$$

Binomial Distribution: values of X , prob of $X=i$ sum of sample probs $\binom{n}{i}$ and $p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$

$$P[X=i] = \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i} \quad X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$$

Hypergeometric Distribution: sample w/o replacement, not independent

$$P[Y=k] = \frac{\binom{n}{k} \frac{B!}{(B-k)!} \frac{(N-B)!}{(N-B-(n-k))!}}{\frac{N!}{(N-n)!}} = \frac{\binom{B}{k} \binom{N-B}{n-k}}{\binom{N}{n}}$$

$N=B+W$ balls sample $n \leq N$ $Y \sim \text{Hypergeometric}(N, B, n)$

Joint Distribution X and Y $\{(a, b), P[X=a, Y=b]: a \in A, b \in B\}$

marginal distribution $P[X=a] = \sum_{b \in B} P[X=a, Y=b]$

RV X and Y independent: $P[X=a, Y=b] = P[X=a] P[Y=b]$

Indicator RV I_1, \dots, I_n mutually independent

Summarize distribution w/ Expectation

Expectation discrete RV X sum over all possible values

$$E[X] = \sum_{a \in A} a \cdot P[X=a]$$

"typical" value

Linearity of Expectation: $E[X+Y] = E[X] + E[Y]$

$$E[cX] = cE[X]$$

Geometric Distribution: how long before event happens

$$P[X=i] = (1-p)^{i-1} p \quad X \sim \text{Geometric}(p)$$

General

- Binary String to Solve balls bins

- Inclusion Exclusion to flip and find $P[A \cap B \cap C]$

- d+1 points determine d degree polynomial

- $E[x] = x - e_i$ where e_i is x val of corrupted packet

- Not all polynomials have d roots

- Use symmetry when you can

16 Variance and Covariance

Variance: For RV X w/ $E[X] = \mu$,

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[(X - \mu)^2] = E[X^2] - E[X]^2$$

Standard Deviation

$$\sigma(X) := \sqrt{\text{Var}(X)}$$

Independent RV $X = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$ if $X_i \perp X_j$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i) = n \text{Var}(X_i)$$

$$\sigma(X) = \sqrt{n} \cdot \sigma(X_i)$$

$$E[X] = n E[X_i]$$

For RV X, Y

$$E[XY] = E[X]E[Y] \quad \text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y)$$

Covariance

$$\text{Cov}(X, Y) = E[XY] - E[X]E[Y]$$

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2\text{Cov}(X, Y)$$

19 Geometric, Poisson Distributions

Geometric: tossing tails for $i-1$ before heads with p

$$P[X=i] = (1-p)^{i-1} p \quad X \sim \text{Geometric}(p)$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{p}$$

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

Poisson: avg num λ per time or space determines prob func

$$P[X=i] = \frac{\lambda^i}{i!} e^{-\lambda} \quad X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda)$$

$$E[X] = \lambda$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \lambda$$

Independent Poisson RV

Let $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda)$ and $Y \sim \text{Poisson}(\mu)$

$$X+Y \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda+\mu)$$

Similar to Binomial($n, \frac{\lambda}{n}$)

17 Concentration Inequalities & Law of Large Numbers

Markov's Inequality

For nonnegative RV X $X(\omega) \geq 0$ & $\omega \in \Omega$, c constant

$$P[X \geq c] \leq \frac{E[X]}{c}$$

Chebyshev's Inequality

iid

RV X w/ finite expectation $E[X] = \mu$ constant c

$$P[|X - \mu| \geq c] \leq \frac{\text{Var}(X)}{c^2}$$

$$P[|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma] \leq \frac{1}{k^2} \quad \text{where } \sigma = \sqrt{\text{Var}(X)}$$

Law of Large Numbers

for iid X_1, X_2, X, \dots $S_n = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$ $E[X_i] = \mu$

$$P\left[\left|\frac{1}{n}S_n - \mu\right| < \epsilon\right] \rightarrow 1 \quad n \rightarrow \infty$$

20 Continuous Probability Distributions

No longer probability points, but intervals

Probability Density Function (pdf) "probability per unit length"

For RV X is func $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

1. f is nonnegative $f(x) \geq 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

2. The total integral of f is equal to 1: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$

$$P[a \leq X \leq b] = \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad \text{for all } a < b$$

Cumulative Distribution Function (cdf)

$$F(x) = P[X \leq x] = \int_{-\infty}^x f(z) dz$$

$$\text{pdf: } f(x) = \frac{dF(x)}{dx}$$

$$E[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - E[X]^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2 f(x) dx - \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx\right)^2$$

Joint Distribution

"probability per unit area"

2 RV X, Y is func $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

1. f is nonnegative $f(x, y) \geq 0$

2. total integral equals 1: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dx dy = 1$

$$P[a \leq X \leq b, c \leq Y \leq d] = \int_c^d \int_a^b f(x, y) dx dy$$

Independence

$$P[a \leq X \leq b, c \leq Y \leq d] = P[a \leq X \leq b] P[c \leq Y \leq d]$$

Marginal Dist

$$f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) dy$$

Conditional

$$f_{Y|X}(y|x) = \frac{f(x, y)}{f_X(x)}$$

Exponential Distribution

Continuous version of geometric

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda e^{-\lambda x} & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda)$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{\lambda} \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

Normal Distribution

for any $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\sigma > 0$, cont RV X

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

Standard normal distribution $\mu=0, \sigma^2=1$

If $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, then $Y = \frac{X-\mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0,1) \Leftrightarrow$

If $Y \sim N(0,1)$ then $X = \sigma Y + \mu \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$$E[X] = \mu \quad \text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$$

Can relate to $N(0,1)$ by $P[X \leq a] = P[Y \leq \frac{a-\mu}{\sigma}]$

Independent Normal RV

Let $X \sim N(\mu_x, \sigma_x^2)$ and $Y \sim N(\mu_y, \sigma_y^2)$

RV $Z = aX + bY$ normally distributed

$$\sigma^2 = a^2 \sigma_x^2 + b^2 \sigma_y^2$$

$$\mu = a\mu_x + b\mu_y$$

Distribution Formulas

Binomial $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$

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

$$E[X] = np$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = np(1-p)$$

Geometric $X \sim \text{Geometric}(p)$

$$p(1-p)^{i-1}$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{p}$$

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

Poisson $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda)$

$$\frac{\lambda^i}{i!} e^{-\lambda}$$

$$E[X] = \lambda$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \lambda$$

Bernoulli $X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p)$

$$\begin{cases} p & \text{if } i=1 \\ 1-p & \text{if } i=0 \end{cases}$$

$$E[X] = p$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = p(1-p)$$

Cont

Exponential $X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda)$

$$f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \quad \text{if } x \geq 0$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

Normal $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$$E[X] = \mu$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$$

Uniform interval $[0, l]$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{l}$$

$$E[X] = \frac{l}{2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{l^2}{12}$$

Central Limit Theorem

Distribution of sample avg $\frac{S_n}{n}$ for large enough n looks like normal distribution w/ mean μ var $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$
50% of mass in width 0.67 σ of either side
99.7% in interval width 3 σ either side

CLT

Let X_1, X_2 be sequence of iid w/ $E[X_i] = \mu$ $\text{Var} = \sigma^2$

Let $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ $\frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}$ conv to $N(0,1)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$P\left[\frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \leq c\right] \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^c e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx \quad n \rightarrow \infty$$

Don't use for probabilities smaller than $O(1/n)$
Approx finite n

Expectation

$$E[X] = \sum_{i=1}^n i P[X=i]$$

$$E[X+Y] = E[X] + E[Y]$$

$$E[cX] = cE[X]$$

Variance

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - E[X]^2$$

$$\text{Var}(cX) = c^2 \text{Var}(X)$$

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) + 2\text{Cov}(X,Y)$$

Independent

$$P[X=a, Y=b] = P[X=a]P[Y=b]$$

$$E[XY] = E[X]E[Y]$$

$$\text{Var}(X+Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y)$$

$$P[A \cap B] = P[A]P[B]$$

$$P[A|B] = P[A]$$