Assignment 14

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1 Question No. 6.17

A person plays a game of tossing a coin thrice. For each head, he is given Rs 2 by the organiser of the game and for each tail,he has to give Rs 1.50 to the organiser. Let X denote the amount gained or lost by the person. Show that X is a random variable and exhibit it as a function on the sample space of the experiment.

2 SOLUTION

Let X_1, X_2, X_3 be the three tosses of the coin and X be the total amount such that

$$X = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 \tag{2.0.1}$$

where

$$X_i = \{2, -1.5\} \tag{2.0.2}$$

Assuming a fair coin, the probability mass function of X is given by

$$P(r, n, p) = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} p^r q^{n-r}$$
 (2.0.3)

where

$$n = 3, p = \frac{1}{2}, q = \frac{1}{2}, r = 0, 1, 2, 3$$
 (2.0.4)

r	0	1	2	3
P(r)	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	3/8	1/8

TABLE 2.1: PMF of X

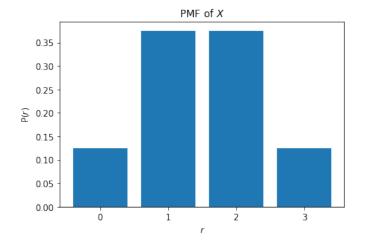


Fig. 2.1: PMF of *X*