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$$X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p) := p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

$$X \sim \text{Binomial}(n, p) := \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}$$

$$X \sim \text{Hypergeometric}(n, K, N) := \frac{\binom{K}{x} \binom{N-K}{n-x}}{\binom{N}{n}}$$

$$X \sim \text{Hypergeometric}(n, p, N) := \frac{\binom{pN}{x} \binom{(1-p)N}{n-x}}{\binom{N}{n}}$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} p = \frac{K}{N} \\ K = pN \end{array} \right\}$ Equivalent Parameterization

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \text{Hyper}(n, p, N) = \text{Binom}(n, p)$$

Recall the following fact:

$$\sum_{x \in \text{supp}[X]} p(x) = 1$$

$$\sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x} = 1$$

$$\text{Recall: } (a+b)^n = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} a^i b^{n-i} \quad \text{Binomial Theorem}$$

Let $a=p$

$b=1-p$

$i=x$

$$(p+(1-p))^n = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$$

$$1 = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$$

This is why the binomial r.v. got its name - from binomial theorem.

X_1 and X_2 are independent random variables if ...

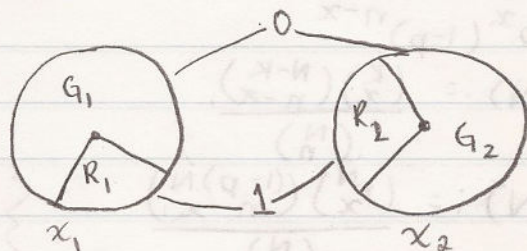
$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Joint Mass} \\ \text{Function} \\ (\text{JMF}) \end{array} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} P(X_1 = x_1 | X_2 = x_2) = P(X_1 = x_1) \text{ or} \\ P(X_2 = x_2 | X_1 = x_1) = P(X_2 = x_2) \text{ or} \\ P(X_1 = x_1, X_2 = x_2) = P(X_1 = x_1) P(X_2 = x_2) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \forall x_1 \in \text{supp}[X_1], \\ \forall x_2 \in \text{supp}[X_2] \end{array}$$

iid

* X_1 and X_2 are independent and identically distributed, if X_1, X_2 are independent and $X_1 \stackrel{d}{=} X_2$ and denoted X_1, X_2 iid

equal in distribution

Example: $X_1, X_2 \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Bern}(\frac{1}{3})$



A new r.v.

$$T_2 = X_1 + X_2$$

$$= g(X_1, X_2)$$

A function of two r.v.

→ How is T_2 distributed? $T_2 \sim ?$

- What is the support of T ? $\text{Supp}[T_2] = \{0, 1, 2\}$

Because T_2 can be $0+1, 0+0, 1+0, 1+1$.

- In order to find $T_2 \sim$, you have to find the prob of 0, 1, and 2.

This is the PMF.

Supp $[X_1]$	Supp $[X_2]$		$T_2 = X_1 + X_2$
$\frac{1}{3}$	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	2
		$\frac{2}{3}$	1
$\frac{2}{3}$	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	1
		$\frac{2}{3}$	0
			$\frac{4}{9}$

$$P(X_1=1, X_2=1) = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$P(X_1=1, X_2=0) = \frac{2}{9}$$

$$P(X_1=0, X_2=1) = \frac{2}{9}$$

$$P(X_1=0, X_2=0) = \frac{4}{9}$$

→ $T_2 \sim \begin{cases} 0 & \text{wp } \frac{4}{9} \\ 1 & \text{wp } \frac{4}{9} \\ 2 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{9} \end{cases}$

→ How is T_3 distributed?

Supp $[X_1]$	Supp $[X_2]$	Supp $[X_3]$	$T_3 = X_1 + X_2 + X_3$
$\frac{1}{3}$	1	1	3
		0	2
$\frac{2}{3}$	1	1	2
		0	1
		0	1
		0	2
		0	1
		0	1
		0	0

$$(\frac{1}{3})^3 (\frac{2}{3})^0$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^2 (\frac{2}{3})^1$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^2 (\frac{2}{3})^1$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^1 (\frac{2}{3})^2$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^2 (\frac{2}{3})^1$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^1 (\frac{2}{3})^2$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^1 (\frac{2}{3})^2$$

$$(\frac{1}{3})^0 (\frac{2}{3})^3$$

3rd Row of
Pascal's Δ !

$$\Rightarrow T_3 \sim \begin{cases} 0 & \text{wp } 1 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^0 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 \\ 1 & \text{wp } 3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^1 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \\ 2 & \text{wp } 3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^1 \\ 3 & \text{wp } 1 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^0 \end{cases} \begin{cases} 1 = \binom{3}{0} \\ 3 = \binom{3}{1} \\ 3 = \binom{3}{2} \\ 1 = \binom{3}{3} \end{cases}$$

!!! Pattern: $T_3 \sim \binom{3}{x} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{3-x} = \text{Binom}(3, \frac{1}{3})$!!!

$1\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^0 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3$ $3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^1 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2$ $3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^1$ $1\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^0$

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$\binom{3}{0}$ $\binom{3}{1}$ $\binom{3}{2}$ $\binom{3}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Bern}(\frac{1}{3})$$

$$\text{Supp}[T_n] = \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$$

$$T_n = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$T_n \sim \text{Binom}(n, \frac{1}{3}) \sim \begin{cases} 0 & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{0} (\frac{1}{3})^0 (\frac{2}{3})^n \\ 1 & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{1} (\frac{1}{3})^1 (\frac{2}{3})^{n-1} \\ 2 & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{2} (\frac{1}{3})^2 (\frac{2}{3})^{n-2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \\ n-2 & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{n-2} (\frac{1}{3})^{n-2} (\frac{2}{3})^2 \\ n-1 & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{n-1} (\frac{1}{3})^{n-1} (\frac{2}{3})^1 \\ n & \text{wp} & \binom{n}{n} (\frac{1}{3})^n (\frac{2}{3})^0 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Bern}(p)$

$$T_n \sim \text{Binom}(n, p) \sim \begin{cases} 0 & \text{wp } \binom{n}{0} (p)^0 (1-p)^n \\ 1 & \text{wp } \binom{n}{1} (p)^1 (1-p)^{n-1} \\ 2 & \text{wp } \binom{n}{2} (p)^2 (1-p)^{n-2} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ n-2 & \text{wp } \binom{n}{n-2} (p)^{n-2} (1-p)^2 \\ n-1 & \text{wp } \binom{n}{n-1} (p)^{n-1} (1-p)^1 \\ n & \text{wp } \binom{n}{n} (p)^n (1-p)^0 \end{cases}$$

2 concepts for Binomial:

① $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \text{Hyper}(n, p, N) = \text{Binom}(n, p)$

OR

② $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Bern}(p) \Rightarrow X_1 + \dots + X_n \sim \text{Binom}(n, p)$

• Sampling with replacement and sampling without replacement are the same thing as long as the "bag" is big.

1000 Coin Flips

$P(600H) = P(X=600) = \binom{1000}{600} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{600} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{400}$

$\hookrightarrow X \sim \text{Binom}(1000, \frac{1}{2})$

CDF of X

$F(x) := P(X \leq x)$

What is the CDF of Binomial?

$F(x) := \sum_{i=0}^x p(i) = \sum_{i=0}^x \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$

$= I_{1-p}(n-k, 1+k) := (n-k) \binom{n}{k} \int_0^{1-p} t^{n-k-1} (1-t)^k dt$

\hookrightarrow Incomplete regularized gamma function

Consider the following: $X_1, X_2, \dots \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Bern}(p)$

This is an infinite sequence of random variables.

Infinite experiments.

Calculus Stuff

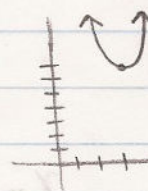
$f(x) = 7 + (x-3)^2$

• $\min(f(x)) = 7$

\hookrightarrow The lowest the function could get on the y axis.

• $\arg\min(f(x)) = 3$

\hookrightarrow Argument to a function. What can you put into f to get the $\min(f(x))$?



Back to X_1, X_2, \dots iid Bern(p)

→ Let $T = \min \{t : X_t = 1\}$

↳ "first success", "stopping time", The first time a success occurs.

$$P(1) \Rightarrow P(T=1) \Rightarrow P(X_1=1) = p$$

↳ 1 _ _ _ _

$$P(2) \Rightarrow P(T=2) \Rightarrow P(X_1=0, X_2=1) \Rightarrow P(X_1=0) * P(X_2=1) = (1-p)p$$

↳ 0 1 _ _ _

$$P(3) \Rightarrow P(T=3) \Rightarrow P(X_1=0, X_2=0, X_3=1) = (1-p)^2 p$$

↳ 0 0 1 _ _

⋮

$$P(x) \Rightarrow P(T=x) \Rightarrow (1-p)^{x-1} p$$

$$X \sim \text{Geometric}(p) := (1-p)^{x-1} p$$

Parameter Space

$p \in (0, 1) \leftarrow$ Same parameter space as Bern.

Support

$$\text{Supp}[X] = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = \mathbb{N}$$

↳ What are the possible outcomes? How many experiments would it take to get a success? Can't be 0 b/c if you do 0 experiments, there's no way of getting a success.

True or False?

Is

equal to 1?

$$\sum_{x \in \text{Supp}[X]} p(x) = 1$$

$$\sum_{x=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{x-1} p \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \quad \text{True, it is a random variable}$$

Proof:

Divide both sides by p .

Sub: $q = 1-p$

Reindexing Trick

$$\text{Sub: } \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} q^x = S$$

$$\sum_{x=0}^{\infty} q^x = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} q^i = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

Geometric Series
($q \in (0, 1)$)

↳ How $X \sim \text{Geom}$ got its name

$$\sum_{x=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{x-1} = \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\sum_{x=1}^{\infty} q^{x-1} = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

$$\sum_{x=0}^{\infty} q^x = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

$$S = 1 + q + q^2 + q^3 + \dots$$

$$S = 1 + q(1 + q + q^2 + \dots)$$

$$S = 1 + q(S)$$

$$S - q(S) = 1$$

$$S(1-q) = 1$$

$$S = \frac{1}{1-q}$$

CDF
 $F(x) = P(X \leq x) = \sum_{i=1}^x (1-p)^{i-1} p \rightarrow \text{closed form.}$

OR

$F(x) = 1 - P(X > x) \rightarrow \text{Complement Rule}$

$P(X > x) = P(\underbrace{0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \dots 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \dots}_{\substack{\text{All failures} = 0. \quad \text{Success lies somewhere here.}}})$

$P(X > x) = (1-p)^x$

so $F(x) = 1 - (1-p)^x$

Proof:

$P(X > x) = P(X = x+1) + P(X = x+2) + P(X = x+3) + \dots$

$= \sum_{i=x+1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{i-1} p$

$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{(1-p)^{x+i-1}}_{\text{looks like } (1-p)^x (1-p)^{i-1}} p$

looks like $(1-p)^x (1-p)^{i-1}$.

Pull out the constant(s).

$= (1-p)^x \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{i-1} p$

$= 1$ (We proved this to be true already).