

$$\Omega = \{H, T\}$$

$$n = 3$$

$$w_1 = H$$

$$w_2 = T$$

$$w_3 = H$$



Generally, there is a form

$$X: \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

called a "random variable" (rv)

~~the rv~~

$$I_{w=H} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{of } w=H \\ 0 & \text{of } w \neq H \end{cases}$$

$$I_{w_1=H}, I_{w_2=T}, I_{w_3=H}$$

$$\text{Supp}[X] = \{0, 1\}$$

$$X(H) = 1$$

$$X(T) = 0$$

the set of all things that could happen

$$\bar{x} = \frac{40+1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(X=1) = P(\{w: X(w)=1\}) = P(\{H\}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

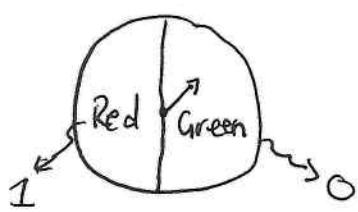
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"Support". the range of the r.v (random variable) denoted: $\text{Supp}[X] = \{x: P(X=x) > 0\}$
 $\text{Supp}[X] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

Def

A discrete r.v is one ~~set~~ ^{such that} $|\text{Supp}(X)| \leq |\mathbb{N}|$ i.e finite or countably infinite

$$\Omega = \{R, G\}$$



$$P(X=1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(X=0) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Supp}[X] = \{0, 1\}$$

r.v "discrete as" "with prob"

$$X \sim \begin{cases} 1 & \text{w.p } \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \text{w.p } \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

~~the Bernoulli~~ ~~the Bernoulli~~ $(\frac{1}{2})$

$$X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\frac{1}{2}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{w.p } \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \text{w.p } \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

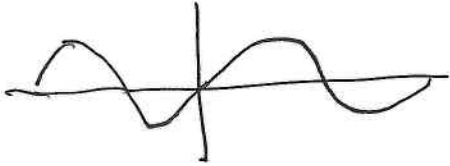
$$\text{Supp}[X] = \{0, 1\}$$

X is discrete.

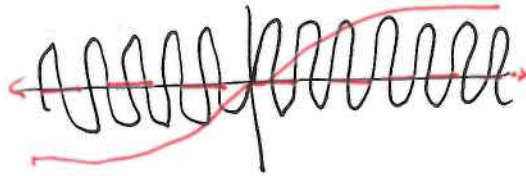
$$X\text{-Bernoulli}(p) := \begin{cases} 1 & \text{w.p. } p \\ 0 & \text{w.p. } 1-p \end{cases}$$

p is called a "parameter", a number you choose to "tune" the model.

$$f(x) = \sin(x)$$



$$f(x) = \sin(ax) \text{ where } a \in \mathbb{R}$$



if $a = 10$;

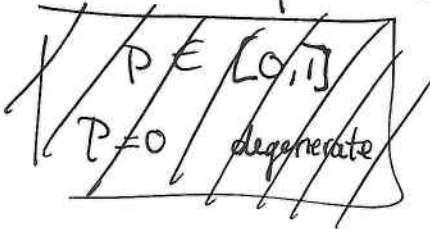
if $a = \frac{1}{10}$

if $a = 0$! ---
degenerate case!

if you exclude $a=0$ where $a \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

$$f(x) = \sin(ax) \text{ where } a \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$

Parameter space: the set where p "lives"



$$p \in (0,1)$$

$$p=0 \text{ degenerate} \Rightarrow X\text{-Deg}(0)$$

$$p=1 \quad " \quad \Rightarrow X\text{-Deg}(1)$$

$$X\text{-Deg}(c) := \begin{cases} c & \text{w.p. } 1 \\ \text{degenerate} \end{cases}$$

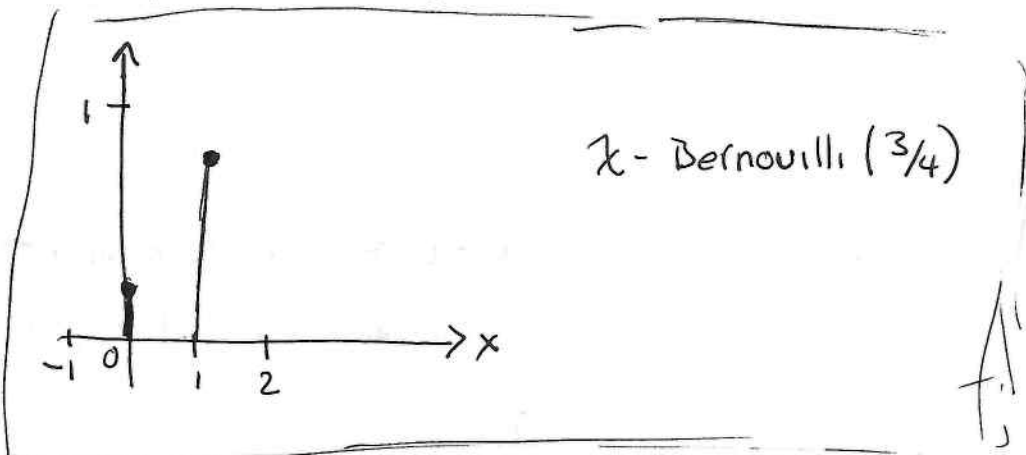
$$\text{Supp}[X] = \{c\}$$

$$P(X=x) = P(X=x)$$

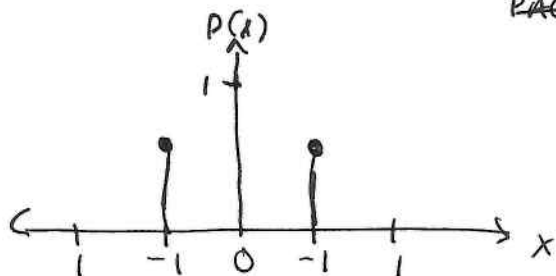
probability mass function (PMF)

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

$$p: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0,1)$$

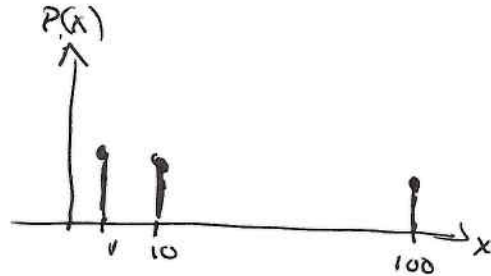


$$X\text{-Rademacher} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$



$$X\text{-Unif}(\{1, 10, 100\}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{3} \\ 10 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{3} \\ 100 & \text{wp } \frac{1}{3} \end{cases}$$

"discrete uniform"



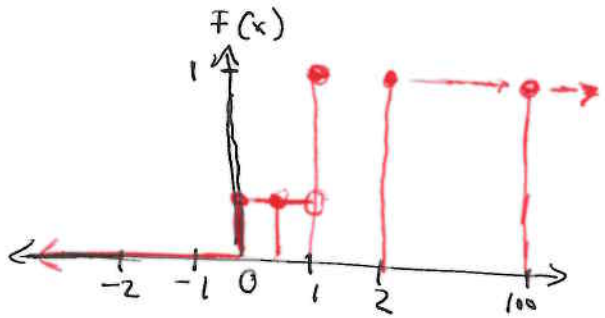
$$X\text{-Unif}(A) \quad \text{Supp}(X) = A$$

$A \in 2^{\mathbb{R}}$ but $|A|$ is finite

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

"cumulative distribution function" (CDF)

$$X \sim \text{Bern}(3/4)$$



Properties of CDF

- ① $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x) = 1$
- ② $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} F(x) = 0$
- ③ $x \leq y \Rightarrow F(x) \leq F(y)$ monotonically increasing

$$X\text{-Bern}(p) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{wp } p \\ 0 & \text{wp } 1-p \end{cases}$$

$$P(X) = p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

Def
 X_1, X_2 are "identically" denoted
 $X_1 \stackrel{d}{=} X_2$ if

$$a) P_{X_1}(x) = P_{X_2}(x)$$

$$b) F_{X_1}(x) = F_{X_2}(x)$$

10 cards, 4R, 6B

$$P(2R \text{ when drawing } 3) = \frac{\binom{4}{2} \binom{6}{1}}{\binom{10}{3}}$$

$$P(xR \text{ when drawing } 3) = \frac{\binom{4}{x} \binom{6}{3-x}}{\binom{10}{3}}$$

$$P(xR \text{ when drawing } n) = \frac{\binom{4}{x} \binom{6}{n-x}}{\binom{10}{n}}$$

10 cards, K Red

$$P(xR \text{ when drawing } n) = \frac{\binom{K}{x} \binom{10-K}{n-x}}{\binom{10}{n}}$$

N cards, K Red

$$P(xR \text{ when drawing } n) = \frac{\binom{K}{x} \binom{N-K}{n-x}}{\binom{N}{n}} = p_i$$

x - Hypergeometric (n, K, N)

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