

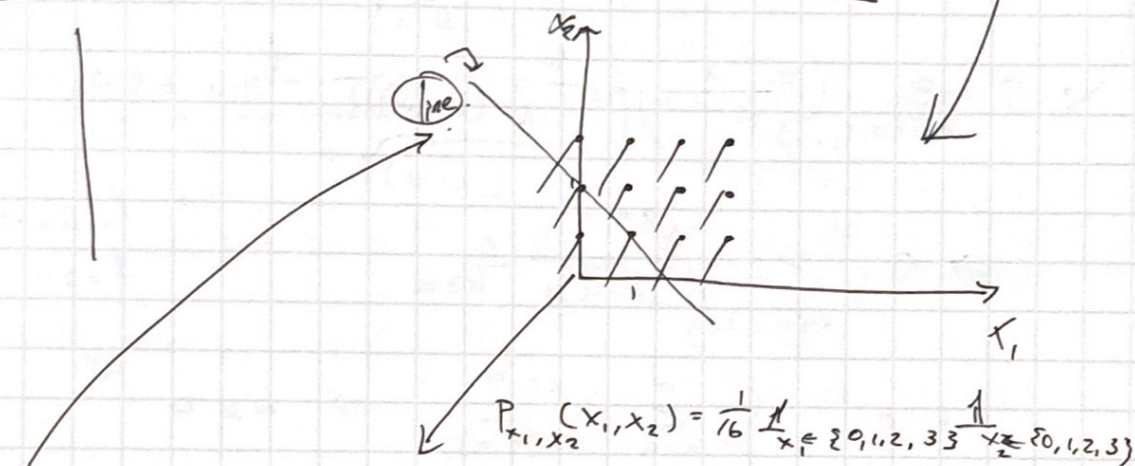
$x_1, x_2 \text{ iid } U(\{0, 1, 2, 3\}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{w.p. } \frac{1}{4} \\ 1 & \vdots \\ 2 & \vdots \\ 3 & \frac{1}{4} \end{cases}$   
 uniform discrete  
 $= \frac{1}{4} \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}}$

legal random variable

In general  $X \sim U(A) = \frac{1}{|A|} \mathbb{1}_{x \in A}$

Parameter Space:  $A$  is finite set  $\subset \mathbb{R}$

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



$p(t) = \sum_{x_1 \in \mathbb{R}} \sum_{x_2 \in \mathbb{R}} p(x_1, x_2) \mathbb{1}_{x_2 = t - x_1}$

$p(1) = \sum \sum p \mathbb{1}_{x_2 = 1 - x_1}$  two hairs touching line.

$p(0.5) = \text{none hair is touching line.}$

Let  $Y = \underbrace{-X}_{g(x)} \Rightarrow X = -Y$

$X \sim U(\{0, 1, 2, 3\}) \Rightarrow Y \sim U(\{0, -1, -2, -3\})$   
all places where there is + prob.

$\text{Supp}[Y] = -\text{Supp}[X]$

$X=0 \Rightarrow Y=0$

$X=1 \Rightarrow Y=-1$

$X=2 \Rightarrow Y=-2$

$X=3 \Rightarrow Y=-3$

We know  $\text{Supp}[X], P_X[X]$

We know  $\text{Supp}[Y], P_Y[Y]$

$P_Y(y) = P(Y=y) = P(-Y=y) = P(X=-y) = P_X(-y)$

$\text{Supp}[Y] = \{z : p_Y(z) > 0\} = \{z : p_X(-z) > 0\} = \{-z' : p_X(z') > 0\}$   
let  $z' = -z \Rightarrow z = -z'$

$X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p), Y = -X \sim \binom{n}{-y} p^{-y} (1-p)^{n+y}$

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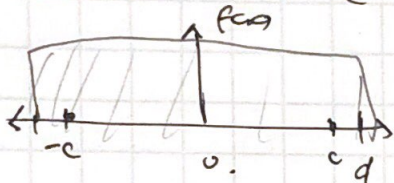
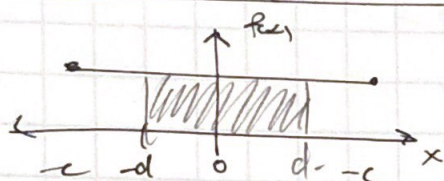
$$\sum_{x \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-c, c]} = 2c + 1$$

$\mathbb{Z} \leftarrow \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

$$\sum_{\substack{x \in \mathbb{Z} \\ x \in [-d, -d+1, \dots, 0, \dots, d-1, d]}} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-c, c]} = \begin{cases} 2d+1 & \text{if } d \leq c \\ 2c+1 & \text{if } d > c \end{cases}$$

and  $c \in \mathbb{N}_0$   
 $d \in \mathbb{N}_0$

i.e.  $\sum_{x \in [-3, 3]} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-3, 3]} = 7$   
if  $x \in \{-4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$ ,  
 $\sum_{x \in [-3, 3]} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-3, 3]} = 5$   
if  $x \in \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$ .



$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-c, c]} dx = 2c$$

$$\int \mathbb{1}_{x \in [-c, c]} dx = \begin{cases} 2d & \text{if } d < c \\ 2c & \text{if } d > c \end{cases}$$

$$X_1, X_2 \text{ iid Poisson}(\lambda) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

$$T = X_1 + X_2 \sim \text{Poisson}(2\lambda)$$

probability of getting 5, 10 or 10, 5.

$$P_{X_1, T}(x, t) = \frac{P_{X_1, T}(x, t)}{P_T(t)} = \frac{P_{X_1, X_2}(x, t-x)}{P_T(t)}$$

$\times$  Poisson

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P(x) p(t-x)}{P_T(x)} = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{t-x}}{(t-x)!}$$

$\frac{e^{-2\lambda} (2\lambda)^t}{t!}$

$$\text{Bin}(t, \frac{1}{2}) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{t-x} = \binom{t}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^t$$



$X_1, X_2$  iid Poisson ( $\lambda$ )

$$\text{Supp}[X] = +\mathbb{Z}_0$$

$$Y = -\mathbb{Z}_0$$

$$D = X_1 - X_2 = \underbrace{X_1}_X + \underbrace{(-X_2)}_Y$$

$$P_x(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

$$P_y(y) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{-y}}{(-y)!}$$

$$\text{Supp}[D] = \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\sim \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \left( \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \right) \left( \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{-(d-x)}}{(-(d-x))!} \mathbb{1}_{d-x \in \{0, -1, -2, \dots\}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-2\lambda} \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x!(x-d)!} \mathbb{1}_{x \geq d}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \mathbb{1}_{x-d \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}} \mathbb{1}_{x \geq d}$$

$$= e^{-2\lambda} \left\{ \sum_{x=d}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x!(x-d)!} \text{ if } d \geq 0 \right.$$

$$\left. \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x!(x-d)!} \text{ if } d < 0 \right\}$$

$$\text{Let } x' = x - d \\ \Rightarrow x = x' + d$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{x'=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^{2(x'+d)-d}}{(x'+d)!(x')!}$$

$$\text{Let } d' = -d \\ \Rightarrow d' = |d|$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^{2x+d}}{x!(x+d')!}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-2\lambda} \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{2\lambda}{2}\right)^{2x+|d|}}{x!(x+|d|)!} = e^{-2\lambda} I_{|d|}(2\lambda)$$

$$I_{|d|}(2\lambda)$$

Modified Bessel  
Function of the 1st kind



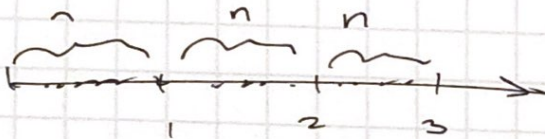
Geom  $\Rightarrow$  Bernoulli  $\rightarrow$  util. get / over

## Continuous Random Variables.

$$\text{Let } X_1 \sim \text{Geom}(p) = (1-p)^x p \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_{X_1}(x) &= P(X_1 \leq x) = 1 - P(X_1 > x) \\ &= 1 - (1-p)^x \end{aligned}$$

Let  $n$  Bernoulli experiments occur between each time period of  $x$  sale.



Let  $X_n$  be the waiting time.

$\text{Supp}[X_n]$ .

$$P_{X_n}(x) = (1-p)^{nx} p \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, \frac{1}{n}, \frac{2}{n}, \dots\}} = \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^{nx} \frac{\lambda}{n}$$

$$F_{X_n}(x) = 1 - (1-p)^{nx} = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^{nx}$$

Let  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $p \rightarrow 0$  s.t.  $\lambda = np \Rightarrow p = \frac{\lambda}{n}$   
Similar to the Poisson construction.

$$P_{X_\infty} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_{X_n}(x) = \underbrace{\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^n\right)^x}_{e^{-\lambda}} \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\lambda}{n}}_0 = 0 \quad \forall x$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_{X_\infty} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = 1 - \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^n}_{e^{-\lambda}} \\ &= (1 - e^{-\lambda x}) \mathbb{1}_{x \geq 0} \end{aligned}$$

$\text{Supp}[X_\infty] = [0, \infty)$   $\leftarrow$  continuous.

$$\sum_{x \in \text{Supp}[X_\infty]} P_{X_\infty}(x) = 0 \neq 1 \quad \Rightarrow X_\infty \text{ has no PMF}$$

$$|\text{Supp}[X_\infty]| = |\mathbb{R}| \Rightarrow X_\infty \text{ a const r.v.}$$

$$- \text{Is } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x) = 0$$

$$- \text{Is } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x) = 1$$

$$- \text{Is } F(x) \text{ monotonic increasing?}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [F(x)] = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} > 0 \quad \forall x \geq 0$$

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

exponential r.v.

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