

$$1. \quad Y_n = \left| 1 - \frac{\Theta}{\pi} \right|^n, \quad \Theta \sim \text{Unif}[0, 2\pi].$$

We notice that for all  $\omega \in \Omega$  such that  $\Theta(\omega) \in (0, 2\pi)$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 < \Theta(\omega) < 2\pi &\iff -2\pi < -\Theta(\omega) < 0 \\ &\iff -2 < -\frac{\Theta(\omega)}{\pi} < 0 \\ &\iff -1 < 1 - \frac{\Theta(\omega)}{\pi} < 1 \\ &\iff \left| 1 - \frac{\Theta(\omega)}{\pi} \right| < 1. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Y_n(\omega) = \begin{cases} 0, & \omega \in \{\Theta \in (0, 2\pi)\}, \\ 1, & \omega \in \{\Theta = 0\} \cup \{\Theta = 2\pi\}. \end{cases}$$

It is then clear that

$$Y_n \xrightarrow{\text{Pointwise}} Y, \quad \text{where } Y(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & \Theta(\omega) \in \{0, 2\pi\}, \\ 0, & \Theta(\omega) \in (0, 2\pi). \end{cases}$$

Also, noting that  $P(\Theta \in (0, 2\pi)) = 1$ ,  
we have

$$Y_n \xrightarrow{\text{a.s.}} 0 \Rightarrow Y_n \xrightarrow{P} 0, \quad Y_n \xrightarrow{d} 0.$$

Notice that  $|Y_n| \leq 1 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Thus,

$$Y_n \xrightarrow{P} 0, \quad |Y_n| \leq 1 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \implies Y_n \xrightarrow{\text{m.s.}} 0.$$

using p. to m.s. reverse implication via dominance

2(a):  $X_1, X_2, \dots \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Ber}(0.5)$ .

Notice that  $F_{X_1} = F_{X_2} = \dots$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = F_{X_1}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0, \\ \frac{1}{2}, & 0 \leq x < 1, \\ 1, & x \geq 1. \end{cases}$$

Thus,

$$X_n \xrightarrow{d} X, \quad X \sim \text{Ber}(0.5).$$

Remark: The limit random variable is not unique. For instance, we could have written

$$X_n \xrightarrow{d} 1-X, \quad X \sim \text{Ber}(0.5).$$

Only the CDF of the limit random variable matters, not the exact random variable itself, when speaking about convergence in distribution.

However, for other forms of convergence (a.s., m.s., p.), the limit random variable itself matters, not just its CDF.

2(b) Suppose there exists  $X$  s.t.  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ . Then, by triangle inequality,

$$|X_{n+1} - X_n| \leq |X_n - X| + |X_{n+1} - X|.$$

Now, if  $|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon$ , then we will have

$$|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon \implies |X_n - X| + |X_{n+1} - X| > \varepsilon$$

$$\implies |X_n - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \text{ OR } |X_{n+1} - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \text{ OR Both}$$

In set theoretic terms,

$$\{|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon\} \subseteq \{|X_n - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2}\} \cup \{|X_{n+1} - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2}\}.$$

Using the union bound, we have for all  $\varepsilon > 0$  that

$$\mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon) \leq \mathbb{P}(|X_n - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2}) + \mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2})$$

Applying  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$  on both sides, and using the assumption that  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon) &\leq \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_n - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2})}_{\stackrel{=0}{\text{because}} \atop X_n \xrightarrow{P} X} + \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X| > \frac{\varepsilon}{2})}_{=0 \text{ because } X_n \xrightarrow{P} X} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \varepsilon) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

On the other hand, for  $\varepsilon = \frac{Y_2}{2}$ , we note that

$$\forall n, \quad \mathbb{P}(|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \frac{Y_2}{2}) = \mathbb{P}(X_n = 0, X_{n+1} = 1) + \mathbb{P}(X_{n+1} = 0, X_n = 1)$$

because  $X_n \perp\!\!\! \perp X_{n+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= P(X_n=0) \cdot P(X_{n+1}=1) + P(X_{n+1}=0) \cdot P(X_n=1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X_{n+1} - X_n| > \frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{2} \neq 0. \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

\textcircled{1} and \textcircled{2} are contradictory.

Thus, the very assumption that  $X_n \xrightarrow{P} X$  is incorrect!

3(a) If  $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda)$ , then its MGF  $M_X$  is given by

$$M_X(t) = e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)}, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}. \quad (\text{this is a good exercise to do if you haven't done this before})$$

We then have

$$\begin{aligned} M_{S_n}(t) &= E[e^{tS_n}] = E\left[e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}\right] \\ &= E\left[\prod_{i=1}^n e^{tX_i}\right] \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n E[e^{tX_i}] \quad (\text{because } X_i \text{'s are independent}) \\ &= \left(E[e^{tX_1}]\right)^n \quad (\text{because } X_i \text{'s are identically distributed}) \\ &= e^{n\lambda(e^t - 1)}, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_n \sim \text{Poisson}(n\lambda).$$

Setting  $\lambda=1$  for the question, we get

$$S_n \sim \text{Poisson}(n) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

3(b)

We have  $E[S_n] = n$ ,  $\text{Var}(S_n) = n$ .

Let  $D_n = S_n - n$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Then,

$$E[D_n] = 0, \quad \text{Var}(D_n) = \text{Var}(S_n) = n.$$

Notice that

$$D_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - E[X_i].$$

Noting that  $X_i$ 's are identically distributed, and Using the Taylor's approximation formula for the characteristic function of  $X_i - E[X_i]$  upto order  $k=2$ , we get

$$C_{X_i}(s) = \sum_{m=0}^2 \mathbb{E}\left[\left(X_i - E[X_i]\right)^m\right] \frac{(js)^m}{m!} + o(s^2)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{s^2}{2} + o(s^2), \quad s \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Consequently, we have

$$\begin{aligned} C_{D_n}(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}) &= \mathbb{E}\left[e^{j\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - E[X_i]\right)\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}\right] \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n C_{X_i - E[X_i]}(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}) \\ &= \left[C_{X_i - E[X_i]}(\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}})\right]^n \\ &= \left[1 - \frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right]^n. \end{aligned}$$

Fix  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $a_n(s) = \left[1 - \frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right]^n$

$$= \exp\left(n \log\left(1 - \frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right)\right)$$

Notice that  $1 - \frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right) > 0$  for all sufficiently large  $n$ .

Using the relation

$$\log x \leq x-1 \quad \forall x > 0,$$

we get

$$\begin{aligned} a_n(s) &\leq \exp\left(n\left(-\frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right)\right) \\ &= \exp\left(-\frac{s^2}{2} + n o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right) \quad \text{for all sufficiently large values of } n. \end{aligned}$$

Now, by definition of ' $o$ ' notation,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)}{\frac{1}{n}} = 0.$$

Thus,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n(s) \leq \exp\left(-\frac{s^2}{2} + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right)$$

$$= \exp(-s^2/2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n(s) \leq \exp(-s^2/2) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

On the other hand, using the relation

$$\log x \geq 1 - \frac{1}{x} \quad \forall x \geq 0,$$

We get that for all sufficiently large  $n$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} a_n(s) &= \exp\left(n \log\left[1 - \left(\frac{s^2}{2n} - o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)\right)\right]\right) \\ &\geq \exp\left(n \cdot -\left(\frac{\frac{s^2}{2n} - o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)}{1 - \frac{s^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{s^2}{n}\right)}\right)\right) \\ &= \exp\left(\frac{-s^2/2 + n o(s^2/n)}{1 - s^2/2n + o(s^2/n)}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\log x \geq 1 - \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\log(1-x) \geq -\frac{x}{1-x}$$

Letting  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n(s) &\geq \exp\left(\frac{-s^2/2 + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n o(s^2/n)}{1 - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s^2/2n + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} o(s^2/n)}\right) \\ &= \exp(-s^2/2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n(s) \geq \exp(-s^2/2) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

From  $\textcircled{1}$  and  $\textcircled{2}$ , we get

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} C_{\frac{D_n}{\sqrt{n}}} (s) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n(s) = e^{-s^2/2} \quad \forall s \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{D_n}{\sqrt{n}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1).$$

3(c)

Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{-n} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n^k}{k!} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \mathbb{P}(S_n = k) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(S_n \leq n) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}(S_n - n \leq 0)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}\left(\frac{S_n - n}{\sqrt{n}} \leq 0\right)$$

from 3(b) ←  
 $\frac{S_n - n}{\sqrt{n}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1)$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}.$$


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4(a)

$$\begin{aligned} M_{S_n}(t) &= \mathbb{E}\left[e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n X_i}\right] \\ &= (\mathbb{E}[e^{tX_i}])^n \\ &= (1-p+pe^t)^n, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}. \end{aligned}$$

4(b) Because  $X_i \in \{0, 1\} \quad \forall i$ , we have

$$S_n \in \{0, \dots, n\} \quad \forall n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{S_n}{n} \in \left\{0, \frac{1}{n}, \dots, 1\right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{S_n}{n} \in [0, 1]$$

Therefore, we have

$$0 \leq \frac{S_n}{n} \leq 1$$

$$-1 < -p < 0 \quad (\because 0 < p < 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 < \frac{S_n}{n} - p < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{S_n}{n} - p \right| < 1.$$

Thus,

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left|\frac{S_n}{n} - p\right| > \varepsilon\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 1.$$

4(c). Noting that  $\frac{S_n}{n} \in [0, 1]$ , we have  $\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{S_n}{n} > p + \varepsilon\right) = 0$  if

Suppose  $0 \leq p + \varepsilon < 1$ . Then, by Chernoff bound,

$$p + \varepsilon \geq 1.$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{S_n}{n} > p + \varepsilon\right) = \mathbb{P}(S_n > n(p + \varepsilon))$$

$$\leq \inf_{t>0} \frac{\mathbb{E}[e^{tS_n}]}{e^{tn(p+\varepsilon)}}$$

$$= \inf_{t>0} \frac{(1-p+pe^t)^n}{e^{tn(p+\varepsilon)}}$$

$$= \exp \left\{ -n \left( \sup_{t>0} \underbrace{(p+\varepsilon)t}_{f(t)} - \underbrace{\log(1-p+pe^t)}_{f(t)} \right) \right\}$$

The maximum of  $f(t)$  occurs at  $t^*$  s.t.

$$p+\varepsilon = \frac{1}{1-p+pe^{t^*}} \cdot pe^{t^*}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1-p+pe^{t^*}}{pe^{t^*}} = \frac{1}{p+\varepsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1-p}{pe^{t^*}} = \frac{1}{p+\varepsilon} - 1 = \frac{1-(p+\varepsilon)}{p+\varepsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{t^*} = \frac{(1-p)(p+\varepsilon)}{p(1-(p+\varepsilon))}.$$

Furthermore,

$$\sup_{t>0} f(t) = f(t^*) = (p+\varepsilon) \log \frac{(1-p)(p+\varepsilon)}{p(1-(p+\varepsilon))} - \log \left( 1-p + \frac{(1-p)(p+\varepsilon)}{1-(p+\varepsilon)} \right)$$

$$= (p+\varepsilon) \log \frac{p+\varepsilon}{p} + (1-(p+\varepsilon)) \log \left( \frac{1-(p+\varepsilon)}{1-p} \right)$$

$$= D(p+\varepsilon \parallel p).$$

4(d) Because  $\frac{S_n}{n} \in [0, 1]$ , we have  $\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{S_n}{n} < p - \varepsilon\right) = 0$  if  $p - \varepsilon \leq 0$ .

For  $0 < p - \varepsilon < 1$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{S_n}{n} - p < -\varepsilon\right) = \mathbb{P}\left(1 - \frac{U_n}{n} - p < -\varepsilon\right)$$

$$= \mathbb{P}\left(\frac{U_n}{n} > 1-p + \varepsilon\right),$$

where  $U_n = \sum_{i=1}^n 1 - X_i$   
 $= n - S_n.$

Noting that  $U_n \sim \text{Bin}(n, 1-p)$ , and applying the result of 4(c), we get

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{U_n}{n} > 1-p + \varepsilon\right) \leq \exp(-n D(1-p+\varepsilon \parallel 1-p)).$$

4(e) Combining the results of 4(b), 4(c), and 4(d),

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}\left(|\frac{S_n}{n} - p| > \varepsilon\right) < +\infty \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\left\{|\frac{S_n}{n} - p| > \varepsilon\right\} \text{ i.o.}\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

Borel-Cantelli

Lemma, part(i)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{S_n}{n} \xrightarrow{\text{a.s.}} p.$$

5.

By Markov's inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{P}(|X_{n-2}| > \varepsilon) &= \mathbb{P}(|X_{n-2}|^p > \varepsilon^p) \\ &\leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[|X_{n-2}|^p]}{\varepsilon^p} \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_{n-2}| > \varepsilon) \leq \frac{1}{\varepsilon^p} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}[|X_{n-2}|^p]$$

$$< +\infty, \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\{|X_{n-2}| > \varepsilon\} \text{ i.o.}\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

Borel-Cantelli  
Lemma, part(i)

$$\Rightarrow X_n \xrightarrow{\text{a.s.}} 2.$$

6(a) Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
 P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) &= P(Y_n \leq a \log n) \\
 &= P(\max\{X_1, \dots, X_n\} \leq a \log n) \\
 &= P(X_1 \leq a \log n, \dots, X_n \leq a \log n) \\
 &= [P(X_1 \leq a \log n)]^n \quad (\text{because of i.i.d. nature of } X_i\text{'s}) \\
 &= (1 - e^{-a \log n})^n \\
 &= \exp(n \log(1 - e^{-a \log n})) \\
 &= \exp(n \log(1 - \frac{1}{n^a})).
 \end{aligned}$$

Case 1:  $a < 1$ :

Applying  $\log(1-x) \leq -x$  with  $x = \frac{1}{n^a}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) &\leq \exp\left(-\frac{n}{n^a}\right) \\
 &= \exp(-n^{1-a}).
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{-n^{1-a}} = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) = 0 \quad \forall a < 0} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Case 2:  $a > 1$ :

Applying  $\log x \geq 1 - \frac{1}{x}$  with  $x = 1 - \frac{1}{n^a}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) &\geq \exp\left(-\frac{n}{n^a - 1}\right) \\
 &\geq \exp\left(-\frac{n}{n^{\frac{a}{2}}}\right) \quad \forall \text{ large } n \quad (\text{because } n^{a-1} \geq \frac{n^a}{2}) \\
 &= \exp\left(-\frac{2}{n^{a-1}}\right) \quad \forall \text{ large } n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{Y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) \geq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{2}{n^{a-1}}} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{y_n}{\log n} \leq a\right) = 1 \quad \forall a > 1 \quad \rightarrow ②$$

From ① and ②, we have

$$\frac{y_n}{\log n} \xrightarrow{d} 1. \Rightarrow \frac{y_n}{\log n} \xrightarrow{P} 1.$$

6(b)

We know from 6(a) that

$$\frac{y_n}{\log n} \xrightarrow{P} 1 \Leftrightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log n} - 1\right| > \varepsilon\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0.$$

Now, for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log_2 n} - \log 2\right| > \varepsilon\right) &= P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log n} \cdot \log_2 n - \log 2\right| > \varepsilon\right) \\ &= P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log n} - 1\right| > \frac{\varepsilon}{\log_2 n}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log_2 n} - \log 2\right| > \varepsilon\right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\left|\frac{y_n}{\log n} - 1\right| > \frac{\varepsilon}{\log_2 n}\right) \\ &= 0. \quad (\text{because } \frac{y_n}{\log n} \xrightarrow{P} 1) \end{aligned}$$

Because the above relation holds for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , we get

$$\frac{y_n}{\log_2 n} \xrightarrow{P} \log 2.$$

6(c) We have

$$\begin{aligned} (1-x_k)^{n_k} &= \exp(n_k \log(1-x_k)) \\ &\geq \exp\left(-\frac{n_k x_k}{1-x_k}\right) \quad (\text{using } \log(1-x) \geq -\frac{x}{1-x} \quad \forall x \geq 0) \\ &\geq \exp(-2n_k x_k) \quad \forall \text{ sufficiently large } k \quad (\text{because } x_k \rightarrow 0, \text{ we have } x_k < y_2 \quad \forall k \text{ large}) \end{aligned}$$

6(d) For any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$P\left(\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > (\log 2 + \varepsilon)\right) = P(y_{n_k} > k(\varepsilon + \log 2)) \quad (\text{because } \log_2 n_k = k)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 1 - \mathbb{P}(Y_{n_k} \leq k(\varepsilon + \log 2)) \\
&= 1 - [\mathbb{P}(X_1 \leq n_k(\varepsilon + \log 2))]^k \\
&= 1 - (1 - x_k)^{n_k} \\
&\leq 1 - \exp(-2n_k x_k) \quad \forall k \text{ sufficiently large} \\
&\leq 2n_k x_k \quad (\text{using } 1 - e^{-x} \leq x \quad \forall x \geq 0) \\
&= 2 \cdot 2^k \cdot e^{-(\varepsilon + \log 2)k} \\
&= 2e^{-\varepsilon k}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \varepsilon + \log 2\right) \leq 2e^{-\varepsilon k} \quad \forall k \text{ sufficiently large}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{P}\left(\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \varepsilon + \log 2\right) < +\infty \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Borel-Cantelli Lemma, part (i)

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left\{\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \varepsilon + \log 2\right\} \text{ i.o.}\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=N}^{\infty} \left\{\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq \varepsilon + \log 2\right\}\right) = 1 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$\xrightarrow{\text{using rationals are dense in reals}}$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=N}^{\infty} \left\{\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq q + \log 2\right\}\right) = 1 \quad \forall q \in \mathbb{Q}_+$$

$\therefore A_q := \left\{\frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq q + \log 2\right\}$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\bigcap_{q \in \mathbb{Q}_+} \left\{\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq \log 2 + q\right\}\right) = 1 \quad (\text{because if } \mathbb{P}(A_q) = 1 \quad \forall q \in \mathbb{Q}_+, \text{ then } \mathbb{P}(\bigcap_q A_q) = 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{P}\left(\limsup_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq \log 2\right) = 1.$$

6(e) For all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1-y_k)^{n_k} &= \exp(n_k \log(1-y_k)) \\
 &\leq \exp(-n_k y_k) \quad (\text{using } \log x \leq x-1 \ \forall x \geq 0 \\
 &\Rightarrow \log 1-x \leq (1-x)-1 \\
 &= \exp(-e^{\varepsilon k}) \\
 &\leq \exp(-\varepsilon k). \quad (\text{using } e^x > x \ \forall x \geq 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, we note that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P\left(\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq \log_2 -\varepsilon\right) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(y_{n_k} \leq k(\log_2 -\varepsilon)) \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1-y_k)^{n_k} \\
 &\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{-\varepsilon k} < +\infty.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underset{\substack{\text{Borel-Cantelli} \\ \text{Lemma, part(i)}}}{P}\left(\left\{\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \leq \log_2 -\varepsilon\right\} \text{ i.o.}\right) = 0 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=N}^{\infty} \left\{\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \log_2 -\varepsilon\right\}\right) = 1 \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underset{\substack{\text{using} \\ \text{"rationals"} \\ \text{are dense in} \\ \text{reals}}}{P}\left(\bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=N}^{\infty} \left\{\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \log_2 -q\right\}\right) = 1 \quad \forall q \in \mathbb{Q}_+$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\bigcap_{q \in \mathbb{Q}_+} \bigcup_{N=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{k=N}^{\infty} \left\{\frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} > \log_2 -q\right\}\right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\liminf_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{y_{n_k}}{\log_2 n_k} \geq \log_2\right) = 1.$$