

Midterm Practice Exam

M. Q 1

let A & B be independent events.

Show that E & F also independent

$$\text{where } E = A \quad F = B^c$$

we have two facts about independent events.

$$P(A) + P(A^c) = 1$$

$$P(A \cap B^c) + P(A \cap B) = P(A)$$

$\because A$ & B are independent event

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) P(B)$$

$$= P(A) (1 - P(B^c))$$

$$= P(A) - P(A) P(B^c)$$

$$P(A) P(B^c) = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$= P(A \cap B^c)$$

$$\therefore P(A \cap B^c) = P(A) P(B^c)$$

hence if $E = A$ & $F = B^c$

then its prove that they also are independent events.

M.2. Given PMF

$$P[X=n] = (1-p)^n p \quad p \in (0,1) \\ n \in \mathbb{N}^+$$

9) Show that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P[X=n] = 1$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} P[X=n] = p + (1-p)p + (1-p)^2 p + (1-p)^3 p + \dots$$

$$= p [1 + (1-p) + (1-p)^2 + (1-p)^3 + \dots]$$

$$= p \left[\frac{1}{1-(1-p)} \right]$$

$$= p \frac{1}{p} = 1$$

hence prove.

b) $P[X \geq 3] = 1 - P[X < 3]$
 $= 1 - [P[X=0] + P[X=1] + P[X=2]]$

$$= 1 - [p + p(1-p) + p(1-p)^2]$$

$$= 1 - p [1 + 1-p + 1+p^2-2p]$$

$$= 1 - [3 - 3p + p^2] p$$

$$= 1 - 3p + 3p^2 - p^3 = (1-p)^3$$

c)

$n, i \in \mathbb{I}^+$

$$P[X \geq n+i | X \geq n] = P[X \geq i]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} = P[X \geq i] &= \sum_{k=i}^{\infty} (1-p)^k p \\ &= (1-p)^i \frac{1}{1-(1-p)} \\ &= (1-p)^i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LHS} = P(X \geq i+n-1 | X \geq n)$$

$$= \frac{P(X \geq i+n, X \geq n)}{P(X \geq n)}$$

$$= \frac{P(X \geq i+n)}{P(X \geq n)} = \frac{(1-p)^{i+n}}{(1-p)^n}$$

$$= (1-p)^i$$

$$= \text{RHS.}$$

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Q.3)

a) Boole's Inequality is given as

$$P\left[\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n\right] \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P[E_n]$$

Proof by induction.

Hold for $n=1$ (trivial case)

for $n=m$.

$$P\left[\bigcup_{n=1}^m E_n\right] \leq \sum_{n=1}^m P[E_n]$$

show hold true for $n=m+1$

$$P\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{m+1} E_n\right) = P\left[\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^m E_n\right) \cup E_{m+1}\right]$$

$$= P\left[\bigcup_{n=1}^m E_n\right] + P[E_{m+1}]$$

$$- P\left[\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{m+1} E_n\right) \cap E_{m+1}\right]$$

$$\leq P\left(\bigcup_{n=1}^m E_n\right) + P(E_{m+1})$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=1}^m P(E_n) + P(E_{m+1})$$

$$\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(E_n). \quad \text{hence proved.}$$

b) By De Morgan's law

$$\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n \right)^c = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n^c$$

$$\therefore P \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n \right) = 1 - P \left(\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n \right)^c \right)$$

$$= 1 - P \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n^c \right)$$

$$P \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n^c \right) \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(E_n^c)$$

$$1 + P \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n^c \right) \leq 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(E_n^c)$$

$$1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(E_n^c) \leq 1 - P \left(\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n^c \right)$$

$$\therefore P \left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n \right) = 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(E_n^c)$$

$$= 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - P(E_n))$$

$$\because \text{all } P(E_n) = 1$$

hence

$$P\left(\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} E_n\right) = 1$$

hence proved.

M.4

- a) There 65 student
then unique combination can be
given as
$$\frac{(65+1)}{2} = 33 \text{ unique ways where } 64 \text{ is total.}$$

∴ there are 33 ways to split students into
two class.

Similarly

- b) If Capacity of class is 34

∴ Combination are

34 31
33 32
32 33
31 34

} only two ways
to split class.

which 34, 31 Unique ways 2 & 4
total.