

intro

- foreshadowing/context: under all prob computations are *sample spaces*
- rarely work with sample spaces directly, unless they're simple (heads/tails)
 - (so, we start here)

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- what is prob?
 - objective prob: long run freq of occurrence (eg heads in coin flip)
 - often called frequentist/classical methods.
 - used more often in undergrad CMU
 - subjective prob: a possibly informed belief in rate of occurrence of event
 - can called bayesian
- set notation
 - $A \supset B, A \subset B, A \cup B, A \cap B, \overline{A}$ aka A^C
 - let the set of all experimental outcomes $\Omega = A \cup \overline{A}$
 - $A \cap B = \emptyset \implies A$ and B are mutually exclusive aka disjoint
 - distributive/associative laws
 - de morgan's ($\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$, etc)
- experiments
 - passive
 - active
- sample space (Ω)
 - two coins tossed? $\Omega = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$
 - HH is simple event
 - TH is compound event (“at least one tail”)
 - free throws until miss? $\Omega = \{M, HM, HHM, \dots\}$
 - relative freqs of above? don't know! need more info