

B1_exercise

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Exercise 1

Assume that D follows the following discrete distribution.

d	20	25	30	35
$P[D = d]$	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.3
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$30 \wedge d$	20	25	30	30
$(30 - d)^+$	10	5	0	0
$24 \wedge d$	20	24	24	24
$(24 - d)^+$	4	0	0	0

Answer the followings.

- $E[30 \wedge D] = \sum((30 \wedge D) \cdot P(D)) = 20 \times 0.1 + 25 \times 0.2 + 30 \times 0.4 + 30 \times 0.3 = 28$
- $E[(30 - D)^+] = \sum((30 - D)^+ \cdot P(D)) = 10 \times 0.1 + 5 \times 0.2 + 0 \times 0.4 + 0 \times 0.3 = 2$
- $E[24 \wedge D] = \sum((24 \wedge D) \cdot P(D)) = 20 \times 0.1 + 24 \times 0.2 + 24 \times 0.4 + 24 \times 0.3 = 23.6$
- $E[(24 - D)^+] = \sum((24 - D)^+ \cdot P(D)) = 4 \times 0.1 + 0 \times 0.2 + 0 \times 0.4 + 0 \times 0.3 = 0.4$

Exercise 2

Find your brother's optimal stock level by the above Theorem 2. Then, find his expected profit using the Remark 1.

Answer

$$C_o = (\text{Material Cost} - \text{Salvage Price, overstock cost}) = (1 - \frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$C_u = (\text{Retail Price} - \text{Material Cost, understock cost}) = (2 - 1) = 1$$

$$E[\text{Profit}] = E(\text{Sale Rev.}) + E(\text{salvage Rev.}) - E(\text{material Cost})$$

$$\text{Newspapers have discrete properties that can count. } \therefore F(y) \geq \frac{c_u}{c_o + c_u}$$

$$F(y) \geq \frac{1}{1 + 0.5} = \frac{2}{3}$$

d	11	12	13	14	15
$P(D = d)$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$

$$F_D(11) = \frac{1}{5} < \frac{2}{3}$$

$$F_D(12) = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{2}{5} < \frac{2}{3}$$

$$F_D(13) = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{3}{5} < \frac{2}{3}$$

$$F_D(14) = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{4}{5} \geq \frac{2}{3}$$

Thus, $x^* = 14$

To find expected profit

$$\text{Sale Revenue} = 2 \times (D \wedge X), \text{ Salvage Revenue} = 0.5 \times (X - D)^+$$

$$\text{Material Cost} = X, x^* = 14$$

$$E[\text{Profit}] = E(\text{Sale Rev.}) + E(\text{salvage Rev.}) - E(\text{material Cost})$$

$$= \sum_{D=11}^{15} (2 \times (D \wedge X) \times P(D)) + \sum_{D=11}^{15} (0.5 \times (D - X)^+ \times P(D)) - \sum_{D=11}^{15} (X \times P(D))$$

$$\rightarrow E[\text{Profit}] = \sum_{D=11}^{15} (2 \times (D \wedge 14) \times P(D)) + \sum_{D=11}^{15} (0.5 \times (D - 14)^+ \times P(D)) - \sum_{D=11}^{15} (14 \times P(D))$$

$$= 2 \times (\sum_{D=11}^{14} (D \times P(D)) + 14 \times P(15)) + 0.5 \times \sum_{D=11}^{14} ((14 - D) \times P(D)) - 14$$

$$= 2 \times (\frac{11+12+13+14}{5} + \frac{14}{5}) + 0.5 \times (\frac{3+2+1+0}{5}) - 14$$

$$=12.2$$

$$\therefore E[Profit] = 12.2\$$$

Exercise 3

Your brother is now selling milk. The customer demands follow $U(20,40)$ gallons. Retail price is \$2 per gallon, material cost is \$1 per gallon, and salvage cost is \$0.5 per gallon. Find optimal stock level and expected profit.

Answer

$$D \sim U(20,40)$$

$$f_d(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{20} & 20 \leq x \leq 40 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$F_d(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & 20 < x \\ \frac{x-20}{20} & 20 \leq x \leq 40 \\ 1 & x > 40 \end{cases}$$

$$F(Y) = \frac{C_u}{C_o + C_u}$$

$$C_o = (\text{Material Cost} - \text{Salvage Price}) = (1 - \frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$C_u = (\text{Retail Price} - \text{Material Cost}) = (2-1)=1$$

$$F(Y) = \frac{1}{1 + 1/2}$$

$$F(Y) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\frac{Y-20}{20} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore x^* = \frac{100}{3}$$

To find expected profit

$$\text{Sale Revenue} = 2 \times (D \wedge X), \text{ Salvage Revenue} = 0.5 \times (X - D)^+$$

$$\text{Material Cost} = X, x^* = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$E[Profit] = E(\text{Sale Rev.}) + E(\text{salvage Rev.}) - E(\text{material Cost})$$

$$= E[2 \times (D \wedge X)] + E[0.5 \times (X - D)^+] - E[X]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
E[Profit] &= \int_{20}^{40} (2 \times (D \wedge \frac{100}{3}) \times \frac{1}{20}) d_D + \int_{20}^{40} (0.5 \times (\frac{100}{3} - D)^+ \times \frac{1}{20}) d_D - \int_{20}^{40} (\frac{100}{30} \times \frac{1}{20}) d_D \\
&= \frac{1}{10} \times (\int_{20}^{\frac{100}{3}} (D) d_D + \int_{\frac{100}{3}}^{40} (\frac{100}{3} - D) d_D) + \frac{1}{40} \times \int_{20}^{\frac{100}{3}} (\frac{100}{3} - D) d_D - \frac{100}{3} \\
&= \frac{1}{10} \times ([\frac{1}{2} D^2]_{20}^{\frac{100}{3}} + \frac{100}{3} [D]_{\frac{100}{3}}^{40}) + \frac{1}{40} \times [\frac{100}{3} D - \frac{1}{2} D^2]_{20}^{\frac{100}{3}} - \frac{100}{3} \\
&= \frac{80}{3} \\
\therefore E[Profit] &= \frac{80}{3}
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 4

Lemonade sells for \$18 per gallon but only costs \$3 per gallon to make. If we run out of lemonade, it will be impossible to get more. On the other hand, leftover lemonade has a value of \$1. Express the following quantity using sale as X and demand as D.

- C_u
- C_o
- Expected economic cost
- Expected Profit

Answer

$$C_u = (\text{Retail Price} - \text{Material Cost}) = (18 - 3) = 15$$

$$C_o = (\text{Material Cost} - \text{Salvage Price}) = (3 - 1) = 2$$

Expected Economic Cost = E[Cost associated with understock Risk] + E[Cost associated with overstock Risk]

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \operatorname{argmin}(C_u \times E[(D - X)^+] + C_o \times E[(X - D)^+]) \\
&= \operatorname{argmin}(15 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 2 \times E[(X - D)^+])
\end{aligned}$$

Expected Profit = E[Revenue] - E[Cost]

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \operatorname{argmax}(18 \times E[(X \wedge D)] + 1 \times E[(D - X)^+] - (3 \times E[X] + \\
&15 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 2 \times E[(X - D)^+]))
\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

- $C_u = 15$
- $C_o = 2$
- $E[\text{cost}] = \operatorname{argmin}(15 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 2 \times E[(X - D)^+])$

- $E[\text{profit}] = \text{argmax}(18 \times E[(X \wedge D)] + 1 \times E[(D - X)^+] - (3 \times E[X] + 15 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 2 \times E[(X - D)^+]))$

Exercise 5

Answer

Book Exercise 16

A company is obligated to provide warranty service for Product A to its customers next year. The warranty demand for the product follows the following distribution.

d	100	200	300	400
$Pr(D = d)$.2	.4	.3	.1

The company needs to make one production run to satisfy the warranty demand for entire next year. Each unit costs \$100 to produce; the penalty cost of a unit is \$500. By the end of the year, the salvage value of each unit is \$50.

- Suppose that the company has currently 0 units. What is the optimal quantity to produce in order to minimize the expected total cost? Find the optimal expected total cost.
- Suppose that the company has currently 100 units at no cost and there is \$20000 fixed cost to start the production run. What is the optimal quantity to produce in order to minimize the expected total cost? Find the optimal expected total cost.

$$C_o = (\text{Material Cost} + \text{Salvage cost, overstock cost}) = (100 + 50) = 150$$

$$C_u = (\text{penalty cost} + \text{Material Cost, understock cost}) = (500 + 100) = 600$$

Unit have discrete properties that can count. $\therefore F(y) \geq \frac{c_u}{c_o + c_u}$

$$F(y) \geq \frac{600}{150 + 600} = 0.8$$

From problem's table,

$$F_D(100) = 0.2 < 0.8$$

$$F_D(200) = 0.2 + 0.4 < 0.8$$

$$F_D(300) = 0.2 + 0.4 + 0.3 \geq 0.8$$

Thus, $x^* = 300$

Expected Economic Cost = E[Cost associated with understock Risk] + E[Cost associated with overstock Risk]

$$= E[\text{cost}] = (600 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 150 \times E[(X - D)^+]) = (\sum_{D=100}^{400} (600 \times (D \wedge 300) \times P(D)) + \sum_{D=100}^{400} (150 \times (D - 300)^+ \times P(D)))$$

$$= 600 \times (0.2 \times 100 + 0.4 \times 200 + 0.3 \times 300 + 0.1 \times 300) + 150 \times (0.2 \times 200 + 0.4 \times 100 + 0.3 \times 0) = 126,000$$

\therefore Expected Economic Cost = 126,000\$

b C_o =(Material Cost + Salvage cost, overstock cost)=(100+50)=150

C_u =(penalty cost + Material Cost, understock cost)=(500+100)=600

Unit have discrete properties that can count. $\therefore F(y) \geq \frac{c_u}{c_o + c_u}$

$$F(y) \geq \frac{600}{150 + 600} = 0.8$$

From problem's table,

$$F_D(100) = 0.2 < 0.8$$

$$F_D(200) = 0.2 + 0.4 < 0.8$$

$$F_D(300) = 0.2 + 0.4 + 0.3 \geq 0.8$$

Thus, $x^*=300$

Expected Economic Cost = E[Cost associated with understock Risk] + E[Cost associated with overstock Risk] + E[Fixed cost]

$$= E[\text{cost}] = (600 \times E[(D - X)^+] + 150 \times E[(X - D)^+] + 20000 \times (D - 100) \vee 1)$$

$$= (\sum_{D=100}^{400} (600 \times (D \wedge 300) \times P(D)) + \sum_{D=100}^{400} (150 \times (D - 300)^+ \times P(D)) + \sum_{D=100}^{400} (20000 \times (D - 100) \vee 1))$$

$$= 600 \times (0 \cdot P(100) + \sum_{D=200}^{300} (D \cdot P(D)) + 300 \cdot P(400)) + 150 \times \sum_{D=200}^{300} (14 - D) \cdot P(D) - 150 + 20000 \times \sum_{D=200}^{400} P(D)$$

$$= 600 \times (0.4 \times 200 + 0.3 \times 300 + 0.1 \times 300) + 150 \times (0.2 \times 200 + 0.4 \times 100 + 0.3 \times 0) + 20000 \times 0.9 = \$150000$$