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- ① HW3 due next Tue (9/15)
- ② Office hour structure - waiting room
- ③ Study group survey (around this weekend)

## STAT 88: Lecture 7

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### Last time

**Sec 3.3** The binomial distribution has 2 parameters,  $\text{Binomial}(n, p)$ :

- $n$  = # independent trials
- $p$  = probability of success
- $X$  = # successes out of  $n$  trials  $\sim \text{Binomial}(n, p)$

Binomial formula:

$$P(X = k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}.$$

$k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$

Generalize.

$\leftarrow \binom{5}{3} \cdot p^3 (1-p)^2$

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$n=5$  trials  
Head = success  
 $p = P(\text{Head})$

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There are  $\binom{5}{3}$  many permutations

Warm up: 13 cards are dealt from a deck with replacement:

(a) Find the chance that the hand contains two aces.

(b) Find the chance that the hand contains more than two aces.  $k=2$

(c) Find the chance that the hand contains six face cards.  $k=6$

(a)  $X = \# \text{ aces in the hand.}$

$$X \sim \text{Binomial}(13, \frac{4}{52})$$

$$P(X=2) = \binom{13}{2} \left(\frac{4}{52}\right)^2 \left(\frac{48}{52}\right)^{11}$$

$$(b) P(X > 2) = P(X=3) + P(X=4) + \dots + P(X=13)$$

$$\underbrace{(1 - P(X \leq 2))}_{\text{}} = \sum_{k=3}^{13} \binom{13}{k} \left(\frac{4}{52}\right)^k \left(\frac{48}{52}\right)^{13-k}$$

(c)  $X = \# \text{ face cards in the hand (J, Q, K)}$

$$X \sim \text{Binomial}(13, \frac{12}{52})$$

$$P(X=6) = \binom{13}{6} \left(\frac{12}{52}\right)^6 \left(\frac{40}{52}\right)^7$$

### 3.4. The Hypergeometric Distribution

When you are sampling at random from a finite population, it is more natural to draw without replacement than with replacement.

*Hyper Geom*

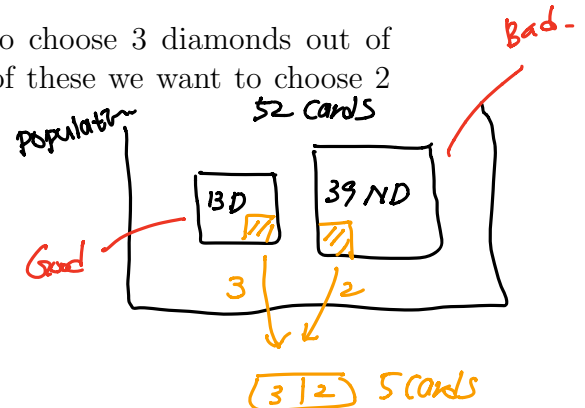
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Example: Five cards are dealt at the top of a deck. Find the chance of getting exactly 3 diamonds.

Let  $X = \#$  diamonds out of 5 cards. We want to choose 3 diamonds out of 13 ( $=52/4$ ). There are  $\binom{13}{3}$  ways to do this. For each of these we want to choose 2 nondiamonds out of 39  $\rightarrow \binom{39}{2}$ .

Since all  $\binom{52}{5}$  sample are equally likely we get

$$P(X = 3) = \frac{\binom{13}{3} \binom{39}{2}}{\binom{52}{5}}.$$



More generally the ingredients of a hypergeometric distribution are:

- $N =$  population size (*52 card deck*)
- $G = \#$  good elements in your population ( $B = N - G$  is the number of bad elements) (*13 aces*, *39 non aces*)  
*Diamonds*, *Diamonds*
- $n = \#$  sample size (*5 cards*)

Let  $X = \#$  good elements in your sample. Then the hypergeometric formula is

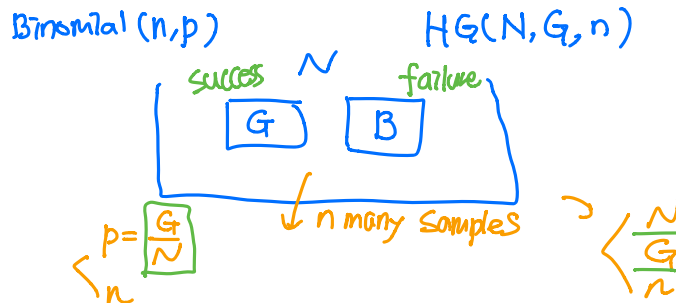
$$P(X = g) = \frac{\binom{G}{g} \binom{B}{n-g}}{\binom{N}{n}}.$$

$$B = N - G$$

$$b = n - g$$

We say  $X \sim \text{HG}(N, G, n)$ .

$$g = 0, 1, \dots, \min(n, G)$$

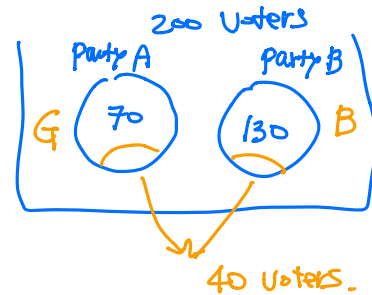


Example: (Exercise 3.6.6) In a population of 200 voters, 70 are registered with Party A and the other 130 are registered with Party B. A simple random sample of 40 voters is drawn from this population. Let  $X$  be the number of sampled voters who are registered with Party A, and let  $W = 40 - X$  be the number of sampled voters who are registered with Party B. Find:

(a)  $P(V = 10)$

(b)  $P(V > 10)$

(c)  $P(W < 3V)$



$$(a) P(X=10) = \frac{\binom{70}{10} \binom{130}{30}}{\binom{200}{40}}$$

$N = 200$   
 $n = 40$   
 $G = 70.$

$X = \#$  sampled voters w/ party A.

$$(b) P(X > 10) = P(X=11) + P(X=12) + \dots + P(X=40) \\ = \sum_{k=11}^{40} \frac{\binom{70}{k} \binom{130}{40-k}}{\binom{200}{40}}$$

$$(c) P(W < 3X) = P(40 - X < 3X) \\ = P(X > 10) \\ = \text{Same as part (b)}$$

**Hypergeometric Probabilities in Python** You can use the stats module of SciPy to calculate hypergeometric probabilities, just as you used it to calculate binomial probabilities.

Hypergeometric formula:

$$P(X = g) = \frac{\binom{G}{g} \binom{B}{n-g}}{\binom{N}{n}}.$$



$$\frac{\binom{70}{1} \binom{130}{30}}{\binom{200}{40}}$$

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from scipy import stats
import numpy as np
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stats.hypergeom.pmf(10, 200, 70, 40)
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0.05054861360578296
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sum(stats.hypergeom.pmf(np.arange(11, 71), 200, 70, 40))
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0.9043345335065547
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$$\sum_{g=11}^{70} \frac{\binom{70}{g} \binom{130}{40-g}}{\binom{200}{40}}$$



$\min(n, G)$   
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$g$  can only take values from  $0, 1, 2, \dots, 40$ .  
If  $g > 41$ , then  $40 - g$  in  $\binom{130}{40-g}$  becomes negative.

In textbook and Python, they extend the definition that quantities like  $\binom{130}{-2}$  and  $\binom{70}{75}$  are "0". i.e. there is no way to choose  $-2$  elements out of  $130$  and there is no way to choose  $75$  elements out of  $70$ .