

Last time

Tail bounds Markov $X \geq 0, a > 0$ $P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{E(X)}{a}$

Chebyshev $P(|X - \mu| \geq k\sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$

Sec 3.3 $\text{Var}(x+y) = \text{Var}(x) + \text{Var}(y)$ if x, y are independent

Central Limit Thm (CLT)

Let $S_n = X_1 + \dots + X_n$ where X_1, \dots, X_n are iid RVS,
 $E(X) = \mu$, $\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$.

Then,

$S_n \approx N(n\mu, n\sigma^2)$ for "large" n .

Approximately

often ≥ 10

Suppose X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4 are lengths of independent calls, with expectation 6 minutes and SD 7 min.

Let $T = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 + X_4$ be the total length of the calls.

Give a lower bound for $P(T \leq 60)$:

$$E(T) = 4 \cdot 6 = 24$$

$$\text{Var}(T) = 4 \cdot 7^2 \Rightarrow \text{SD} = 14$$

Markov $P(T \geq 60) \leq \frac{24}{60} = .40 \Rightarrow P(T \leq 60) \geq 1 - .4 = .6$

Chebyshev: $P(T \geq 60) \leq \frac{1}{(2.57)^2} = .15 \Rightarrow P(T \leq 60) \geq 1 - .15 = .85$

$$\frac{\mu + k\sigma}{\mu - k\sigma} \Rightarrow k = 2.57$$

↑
better lower bound.

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X - \mu)^2 = E(X^2) - \mu^2 \quad \text{where } \mu = E(X)$$

Today

① 60 over concept test responses from last time

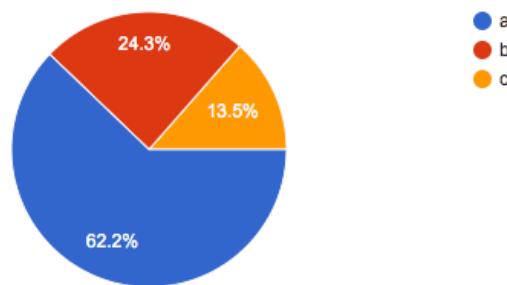
② Sec 3.6 (next time sec 3.4) Calculating Variance of a sum of dependent indicators →

③ Sec 3.6 Hypergeometric distribution

X is nonnegative random variable with $E(X) = 3$ and $SD(X) = 2$. True, False or Maybe:

$$P(X^2 \geq 40) \leq \frac{1}{3}$$

- a) True
- b) False
- c) Maybe



a

False for Markova, true for Chebysheva

b

using chebyshev on $P(X \geq 40)$ we get $k = 1.66$. thus, it is less than $1/1.66^2$, which is greater than $1/3$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \geq 40) &= P\left(\frac{|X - 3|}{\sqrt{4}} \geq \frac{40 - 3}{\sqrt{4}}\right) \\ &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} P(|X - 3| \geq 1.66 \cdot 2) \\ k &= \frac{\sqrt{40} - 3}{\sqrt{4}} = 1.66 \\ \leq \frac{1}{(1.66)^2} &= .36 \Rightarrow \text{maybe} \end{aligned}$$

a

If we calculate with Markov's inequality using $E(X^2)$, we find that the above probability is less than or equal to $13/40$, and since that is less than $1/3$, the above statement is true.

a

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= (SD(X))^2 = 2^2 = 4 \\ E(X^2) &= \text{Var}(X) + E(X)^2 = 4 + 3^2 = 13 \\ P(X^2 \geq 40) &\leq 13/40 < 1/3 \\ \text{Thus, the statement is true.} \end{aligned}$$

Sec 3.6 Var of sum of dependent indicators.

But first:

The variance of a sum of independent indicators

$$\stackrel{def}{=} I = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Prob } p \\ 0 & \text{Prob } 1-p \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Var}(I) = E(I^2) - E(I)^2$$

$$E(I^2) = 1^2 \cdot p + 0^2(1-p) = p$$

$$E(I) = p$$

$$\text{Var}(I) = p - p^2 = p(1-p)$$

$$\stackrel{def}{=} X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$$

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_n$$

$$E(X) = n E(I_i) = np$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = n \text{Var}(I_i) = np(1-p)$$

$$SD(X) = \sqrt{np(1-p)}$$

Next we will look at an example where X is a sum of dependent indicators

Ex

14. A building has 10 floors above the basement. If 12 people get into an elevator at the basement, and each chooses a floor at random to get out, independently of the others, at how many floors do you expect the elevator to make a stop to let out one or more of these 12 people?

$$X = \text{number of elevator stops}, \quad P_i = 1 - \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{12}$$

a) Find $E(X)$

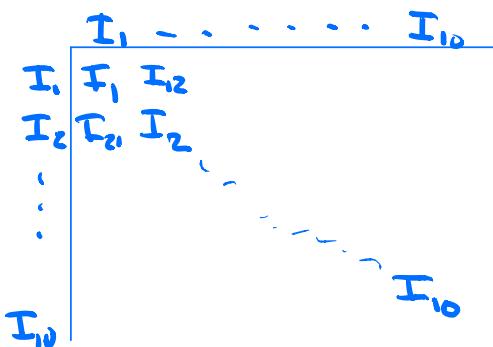
$$X = I_1 + \dots + I_{10} \quad I_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if stop at } i^{\text{th}} \text{ floor} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = 12P_i$$

b) Find $V_{ar}(X)$.

$$Var(X) = E(X^2) - (E(X))^2$$

$$E(X^2) = E((I_1 + \dots + I_{10})^2) = \sum_{1 \leq i, j \leq 10} E(I_i I_j)$$



→ 9.10 nondiagonals

$$I_1 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if stop 1^{st} floor} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if stop 2^{nd} floor} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$I_{12} = I_1 I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if stop 1^{st} and 2^{nd} floor} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$P_{12}$$

Note $I_{11} = I_1$

$$P_{12} = 1 - \text{Prob}(\text{dont stop at 1st floor or dont stop 2nd floor})$$
$$= 1 - \left[\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{8}{10}\right)^2 \right]$$
$$= \boxed{1 - 2\left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{8}{10}\right)^2}$$

Prob dont stop at 1st and 2nd floor.

$$E(X^2) = \underbrace{10E(I_1)}_{\text{diagonals}} + \underbrace{9 \cdot 10 E(I_{12})}_{\text{non diagonals}}$$

$$(E(X))^2 = (10P_1)^2$$

$$\text{var}(X) = \underbrace{10P_1 + 9 \cdot 10 P_{12}}_{E(X^2)} - \underbrace{(10P_1)^2}_{(E(X))^2}$$

Summary

Variance of sum of dependent indicators

$$X = I_1 + \dots + I_n$$

$$P_i = E(I_i)$$

$$P_{12} = E(I_{12}) = E(I_1 I_2)$$

$$E(X) = nP_i$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \underbrace{n P_i + n(n-1) P_{12}}_{E(X^2)} - \underbrace{(nP_i)^2}_{E(X)^2}$$

Variance of sum of independent indicators

$$X = I_1 + \dots + I_n$$

$$P_i = E(I_i)$$

$$P_{12} = P_1 \cdot P_2 = P_i^2$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \underbrace{n P_i + n(n-1) P_i^2}_{E(X^2)} - \underbrace{(nP_i)^2}_{E(X)^2} = n P_i - n P_i^2$$
$$= n P_i (1 - P_i)$$

Recall multinomial distribution

roll a die 10 times

$$P(\text{2 ones, 3 twos}) = \binom{10}{2,3,5} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^5$$

$$\overbrace{10!}^{2!3!5!}$$

Stat 134

Monday February 24 2019

1. A fair die is rolled 14 times. Let X be the number of faces that appear exactly twice. Which of the following expressions appear in the calculation of $Var(X)$ 

$$\mathbf{a} \quad 14 * 13 * \overbrace{\binom{14}{2,2,10}}{} (1/6)^2 (1/6)^2 (4/6)^{10}$$

$$(b) \binom{14}{2} (1/6)^2 (5/6)^{12} = P_1$$

c more than one of the above

d none of the above

$x = \#$ face that appear twice

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_6 \quad I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{2nd face turne} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$P_{I_2} = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{10}\right) \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^1$

$$I_{12} = \begin{cases} 1 & 1^{\text{st}} \text{ and } 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ face turne} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(x^2) = 6P_1 + 6 \cdot 5 P_{1,2}$$

$$E(x^2) = 6P_1 + 6 \cdot 5 P_{12}$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = E(x^2) - (E(x))^2 = 6P_1 + 30P_{12} - (6P_1)^2$$

Hypergeometric (n, N, G)

ex

A deck of cards has G aces.

$X = \#$ aces in n cards drawn without replacement from a deck of N cards

$$N = 52$$

$$G = 4$$

$$n = 5$$

a) Find $E(X)$

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_5 \quad I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd card is ace} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = 5 \left(\frac{4}{52} \right)$$

$$= \boxed{n \left(\frac{G}{N} \right)}$$

b) Find $\text{Var}(X)$

$$I_{12} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 1st and 2nd aces} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{6}{N}$$

$$P_{12} = \frac{6}{N} \cdot \frac{6-1}{N-1}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = nP_1 + n(n-1)P_{12} - (nP_1)^2$$