

warmup: 11:00-11:10 Stat 134 lec 11

A drawer contains  $s$  black socks and  $s$  white socks ( $s > 0$ ). I pull two socks out at random without replacement and call that my first pair. Then I pull out two socks at random without replacement and call that my second pair. I proceed in this way until I have  $s$  pairs and the drawer is empty. Find the expected number of pairs in which two socks are different colors.

$X$  = number of pairs (out of  $s$ ) of mismatches.

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd pair is mismatch} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$P = 2 \frac{s}{2s} \cdot \frac{s}{2s-1} \leftarrow \text{chance get WB or BW} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\binom{s}{1} \cdot \binom{s}{1}}{\binom{2s}{2}}$$

$$X = I_1 + \dots + I_s$$

$$E(X) = s \cdot \frac{\binom{s}{1} \cdot \binom{s}{1}}{\binom{2s}{2}}$$

Last time sec 3.2 Expectation

$$E(X) = \sum_{x \in X} x P(X=x)$$

If  $X$  is a count,  $X$  can be written as a sum of indicators

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_n, \quad I_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Prob } p \\ 0 & \text{Prob } 1-p \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$E(I_j) = 1 \cdot p + 0 \cdot (1-p) = p.$$

Idea Even if indicators are dependent the expectation of each indicator is an unconditional probability.

Try choosing indicators such that all indicators have the same expectation  $p$ .

$$\text{then } E(X) = n \cdot p$$

$$\text{we proved if } X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p) \Rightarrow E(X) = np$$

$$\text{if } X \sim \text{HG}(n, N, G) \Rightarrow E(X) = n \frac{G}{N}$$

ex  $X = \# \text{ aces in a poker hand from a deck of cards}$

$$X \sim \text{HG}(n, N, G) \quad \begin{matrix} N = 52 \\ G = 4 \\ n = 5 \end{matrix}$$

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5$$

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd card is an ace} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases} \quad \text{--- } p = 4/52$$

$$E(X) = 5 \cdot E(I_1) = 5 \cdot \left( \frac{4}{52} \right)$$

Today

(1) sec 3.2 More expectation with indicator examples

(2) sec 3.2 tailsum formula

① Sec 3.2 more expectation/indicator examples

ex Consider a 5 card deck consisting of 2, 2, 3, 4, 5.  
Shuffle the cards.

Let  $X$  = number of cards before the first 2.

a) what are the range of values of  $X$ ?

0, 1, 2, 3

b) write  $X$  as a sum of indicators

$$X = I_3 + I_4 + I_5$$

c) How is an indicator defined.

$$I_3 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 3 before first 2} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

d) Find  $E(I_3)$

$$\left( \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

slot can be empty or have a 3 in it.  $\frac{1}{3}$

— 2 — 2 —

3 places you can put 3

e) Find  $E(X)$

$$E(X) = E(I_3) + E(I_4) + E(I_5) = \boxed{1}$$

$\frac{1}{3} \quad \frac{1}{3} \quad \frac{1}{3}$

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1. Consider a well shuffled deck of cards. The expected number of cards before the first ace is?

a  $52/5$

**b  $48/5$**

c  $48/4$

d none of the above

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_{48}$$

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd non-ace before 1st ace} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\downarrow A_1 \rightarrow A_2 \rightarrow A_3 \rightarrow A_4 \rightarrow$$

$p = 1/5$  since 5 equally likely slots the second non-ace can go,

$$E(X) = 48 \left( \frac{1}{5} \right)$$

③ Sec 3.2 Tail Sum formula for expectation

Suppose  $X$  is a count  $0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$E(X) = 0 \cdot P(X=0) + 1 \cdot P(X=1) + 2 \cdot P(X=2) + \dots$$

$$= \underbrace{1 \cdot P(X=1)}_{P_1} + \underbrace{2 \cdot P(X=2)}_{P_2} + \dots$$

$$= \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline P_1 \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline P_2 \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline P_3 \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline P_4 \\ \hline \end{array} \dots \\ \begin{array}{c} P(X \geq 1) \\ P(X \geq 2) \\ P(X \geq 3) \\ P(X \geq 4) \\ \vdots \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$= P(X \geq 1) + P(X \geq 2) + P(X \geq 3) + \dots \quad \text{Tail Sum Formula}$$

This is useful when it is easy to find  $P(X \geq k)$ .

ex: A fair die is rolled 10 times.

Let  $X = \max(X_1, \dots, X_{10})$ .

Find  $P(X \geq k)$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \geq k) &= 1 - P(X < k) \\ &= 1 - P(X_1 < k, X_2 < k, \dots, X_{10} < k) \\ &= 1 - P(X_1 < k) P(X_2 < k) \dots P(X_{10} < k) \\ &= 1 - P(X_1 < k)^{10} \\ &= 1 - \left(\frac{k-1}{6}\right)^{10} \quad \text{for } 1 \leq k \leq 6 \end{aligned}$$

use  $P(X \geq k) = 0$  if  $k > 6$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } E(X) &= \underbrace{P(X \geq 1)}_1 + \underbrace{P(X \geq 2)}_{1 - \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^{10}} + \dots + \underbrace{P(X \geq 6)}_{1 - \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{10}} + \underbrace{P(X \geq 7)}_0 + \dots \\ &= 6 - \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^{10} [1^{10} + 2^{10} + 3^{10} + 4^{10} + 5^{10}] = \boxed{5.82} \end{aligned}$$

ex A fair die is rolled 3 times,  $X_1, X_2, X_3$ .

Let  $Y$  be the sum of the largest 2 numbers.

Notice that  $Y = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 - \min(X_1, X_2, X_3)$ .

a) Find  $P(\min(X_1, X_2, X_3) \geq 2)$  Picture

$$\begin{aligned} &= P(X_1 \geq 2, X_2 \geq 2, X_3 \geq 2) \\ &= P(X_1 \geq 2)^3 = \boxed{\left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3} \end{aligned}$$



(b) Find  $E(\min(X_1, X_2, X_3))$

$$\begin{aligned} &P(\min \geq 1) + P(\min \geq 2) + \dots + P(\min \geq 6) \\ &\quad \text{"} \quad \quad \quad \text{"} \quad \quad \quad \text{"} \\ &P(X_1 \geq 1)^3 \quad P(X_1 \geq 2)^3 \quad P(X_1 \geq 6)^3 \\ &= 1^3 + \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^3 + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{6^3} [6^3 + 5^3 + \dots + 1^3] \end{aligned}$$

(c) Find  $E(Y) = E(X_1) + E(X_2) + E(X_3) - E(\min)$

$$E(X_1) = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + \dots + 6 \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$E(Y) = 3 \cdot \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{6^3} [6^3 + 5^3 + \dots + 1^3]$$

### Extra practice

- (3 pts) On a telephone wire,  $n$  birds sit arranged in a line. A noise startles them, causing each bird to look left or right at random. Calculate the expected number of birds which are not seen by an adjacent bird.

$X = \# \text{ birds not seen by an adjacent bird}$

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

$$I_1 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 1st bird not seen} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$P = \frac{1}{2}$

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd bird not seen} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$P = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

$$E(X) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + (n-2) \cdot \frac{1}{4}$$