

Warm-up 1:00 - 1:10

A fair coin is tossed twice.

Let $X = \#$ heads on the first toss.

Let $Y = \#$ heads on the first 2 tosses.

		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$P(X)$
		0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
		$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
		$\frac{1}{4}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$
		y	0	1
		x		
2	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
1	1	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$

a The table above is correct

b $Y \sim Bin(2, \frac{1}{2})$

c More than one of the above

d None of the above

Is X and Y indep?

NO et. has zero in table w/ nonzero marginal,

Last time

Sec 3.1 Random Variables

The event $(X=x, Y=y)$ is the intersection of events
 $X=x$ and $Y=y$. ↙ sometimes written (x, y)

The probability X and Y satisfies some condition
(i.e. $P(X+Y=s)$) is the sum of $P(x, y)$
that satisfy that condition.

$$\text{Ex } P(X+Y=s) = \sum_{(x,y): x+y=s} P(x, y) = \sum_{\text{all } x} P(x, s-x)$$

Independence of (X, Y, Z) means

$$P(X=x, Y=y, Z=z) = P(X=x) P(Y=y) P(Z=z) \quad \text{for all } x \in X, \\ y \in Y, z \in Z.$$

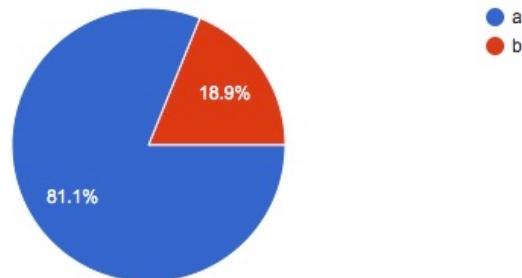
Today

- ① Student responses from Concept test last time.
- ② Sec 3.1 Sums of independent Poissons is Poisson
- ③ Sec 3.2 Expectations of a RV.

① Student responses from Concept test last time.

The joint distribution of X and Y is drawn below:

	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$P(X)$
$P(Y)$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{12}$	$\frac{3}{5}$
0	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{24}$	$\frac{1}{5}$
X	0	1	2	



- a X and Y are independent
- b X and Y are dependent since the two rows $Y = 0$ and $Y = 1$ give different probabilities for each value of X .

a	Requirement for independence is that $p(xy) = p(x)p(y)$ for all x and y , which is satisfied here
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a	Calculate the probability of y is 0 given x is 1 and if it is equal to the probability that y is 0 then the variables are independent. They are both $1/3$ so they are independent from each other
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need to check for all cells.

② Sum of independent Poisson is Poisson

informal argument:

$$\begin{aligned} X_1 &\sim \text{Bin}(1000, \frac{1}{1000}) \\ X_2 &\sim \text{Bin}(2000, \frac{1}{1000}) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \xrightarrow{\text{indep}} \\ \approx \text{Pois}(2) \end{array} \right.$$

$$X_1 + X_2 \sim ? \quad \text{Bin}(3000, \frac{1}{1000}) \approx \text{Pois}(3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_1 + X_2 &= \# \text{ heads in } 1000 + 2000 = 3000 \\ p &= \frac{1}{1000} \text{ coin tosses.} \end{aligned}$$

So sum of two indep binomials with the same p is Binomial and this example suggest that sum of 2 indep Poisson is Poisson.

Let's prove this rigorously:

Recall binomial theorem

$$\begin{aligned} (a+b)^3 &= \binom{3}{0} a^3 b^0 + \binom{3}{1} a^2 b^1 + \binom{3}{2} a^1 b^2 + \binom{3}{3} a^0 b^3 \\ &= a^3 + 3a^2 b + 3ab^2 + b^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$(a+b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} a^k b^{n-k}$$

Recall $X \sim \text{Pois}(\mu)$

$$P(X=k) = \frac{e^{-\mu} \mu^k}{k!}$$

Claim If $X \sim \text{Pois}(\mu)$ and $Y \sim \text{Pois}(\lambda)$ are independent then

$$S = X + Y \sim \text{Pois}(\mu + \lambda).$$

Pf/ $P(S=s) = P(X=0, Y=s) + P(X=1, Y=s-1) + \dots + P(X=s, Y=0)$

addition rule

independent of X, Y

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{k=0}^s P(X=k, Y=s-k) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^s P(X=k) P(Y=s-k) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^s \frac{e^{-\mu} \mu^k}{k!} \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{s-k}}{(s-k)!} \\ &\stackrel{\frac{s!}{s!} = 1}{=} e^{-(\lambda+\mu)} \frac{1}{s!} \sum_{k=0}^s \frac{s!}{k!(s-k)!} \lambda^k \mu^{s-k} \\ &\stackrel{\text{binomial theorem}}{=} e^{-(\lambda+\mu)} \frac{1}{s!} (\mu+\lambda)^s \\ &\Rightarrow S \sim \text{Pois}(\mu + \lambda). \end{aligned}$$

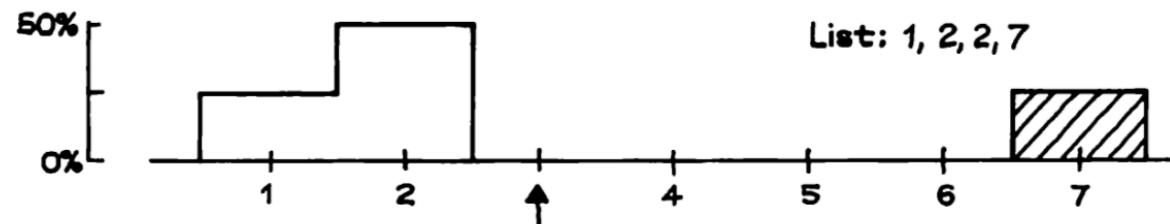
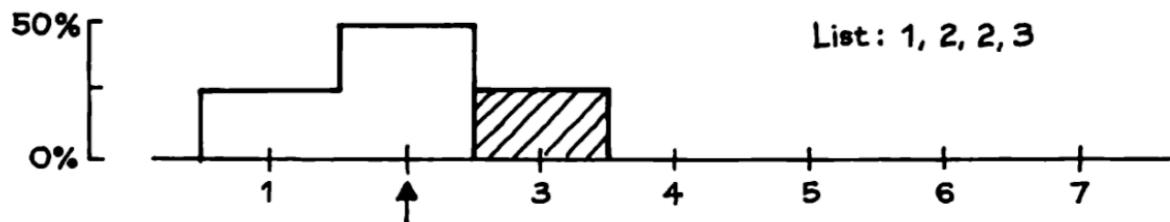
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Sec 3.2 Expectation

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

$$E(X) = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{4} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{4} = 2$$



Properties of Expectation - Pitman

$$\textcircled{1} \quad E(c) = c$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad E(X+Y) = E(X)+E(Y) \quad (X, Y \text{ don't need to be independent})$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad E(aX+b) = aE(X)+b$$

Indicators

An indicator is a RV that has only 2 values 1 (w/prob p) and 0 (w/prob 1-p).

$$I = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{prob } p \\ 0 & \text{prob } 1-p \end{cases} \quad \text{Same as a Bernoulli p trial.}$$

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

RV that are counts can often be written as a sum of indicators.

$$\text{ex } X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$$

↙ # successes in n Bernoulli p trials,

ex $X = \# \text{ heads in } n \text{ flips at } p \text{ coin}$

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

$$\text{where } I_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } j^{\text{th}} \text{ trial} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases} \quad \overset{P}{\text{P}}$$

$$E(X) = E(I_1) + \dots + E(I_n) \quad \boxed{n p}$$

indicators are independent since trials are indep.

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

$$X \sim \text{Hyper}(n, N, G)$$

$$N = 52$$

$$G = 4$$

$$n = 5$$

a) What are the range of values of X ?

$$0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

b) Write X as a sum of indicator I 's.

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

c) How is I_2 defined?

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2nd card is an ace} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Note: X is a sum of def. Bernoulli trials w/ prob

6/52 of success.

d) Find $E(I_2)$

$$E(I_2) = P(\text{2nd card is an ace}) = \boxed{\frac{4}{52}}$$

e) Find $E(X)$

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

Note

You may define $I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if get 2 aces} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$

$$\text{so } X = I_1 + 2 \cdot I_2 + 3 \cdot I_3 + 4 \cdot I_4$$

This is also correct but more complicated than my solution.

We have

$$E(I_1) = \frac{\binom{4}{1}\binom{48}{4}}{\binom{52}{5}}$$

$$E(I_2) = \frac{\binom{4}{2}\binom{48}{3}}{\binom{52}{5}}$$

$$E(I_3) = \frac{\binom{4}{3}\binom{48}{2}}{\binom{52}{5}}$$

$$E(I_4) = \frac{\binom{4}{4}\binom{48}{1}}{\binom{52}{5}}$$

$$\text{so } E(X) = \frac{1}{\binom{52}{5}} \left[\binom{4}{1}\binom{48}{4} + 2 \cdot \binom{4}{2}\binom{48}{3} + 3 \cdot \binom{4}{3}\binom{48}{2} + 4 \cdot \binom{4}{4}\binom{48}{1} \right]$$

wow! $\Downarrow 5 \cdot \left(\frac{4}{52} \right)$ I checked this using R

Ex Suppose a fair die is rolled 10 times.

Let $X =$ Number of different faces
that appear in 10 rolls.

Ex If roll 2, 3, 4, 2, 3, 5, 2, 3, 3, 2 then $X = 4$

a) What are the range of values of X ?

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

b) Write X as a sum of indicator

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5 + I_6$$

c) How is I_2 defined?

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2 appears at least once,} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

d) Find $E(I_2)$

$$= 1 - P(2 \text{ never appears}) = 1 - \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{10}$$

e) Find $E(X)$

$$6 \cdot \left(1 - \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{10}\right)$$

- A die is rolled 12 times. Find the expectation of
- the number of faces that don't appear

a) What are the range of values of X ?

$$X = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$$

b) Write X as a sum of indicator

$$X = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 + I_5 + I_6$$

$P = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{12}$

c) How is I_2 defined?

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if 2 doesn't appear} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

d) Find $E(I_2)$

$$\approx \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{12}$$

$P(2 \text{ never appears})$

e) Find $E(X) = \boxed{6 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{12}}$

