

WARM UP 1:00 - 1:10

STAT 154 Lec 4

- The color of a person's eyes is determined by a single pair of genes. If they are both blue-eyed genes (bb), then the person will have blue eyes; if they are both brown-eyed genes (BB), then the person will have brown eyes; and if one is a brown-eyed gene and the other is a blue-eyed gene (Bb), then the person will have brown eyes as the brown-eyed gene is dominant over the blue-eyed gene. A newborn child independently receives one eye gene from each of its parents, and the gene it receives from a parent is equally likely to be either one of the genes of that parent. We know that Greg has brown eyes, and his dad has eye genes Bb. Given this information, what is the chance that Greg's mother has blue eyes?

$$M = \text{mother } bb$$

$$D = \text{dad } Bb$$

$$G = \text{Greg brown eyes}$$

$$\text{Find } P(M | D, G) = \frac{P(M, D, G)}{P(D, G)} = \frac{P(G | M, D) P(M, D)}{P(G | D) P(D)}$$

$$P(M) = \frac{1}{4} \quad \begin{matrix} bb \\ Bb \end{matrix}$$

$$P(G | M, D) = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{since for Greg to have brown eyes, dad gives Greg } B \text{ which has a 50% chance.}$$

$$P(G | D) = P(G | D, \text{mom } bb) \cdot P(\text{mom } bb)$$

$$+ P(G | D, \text{mom } Bb) \cdot P(\text{mom } Bb)$$

$$+ P(G | D, \text{mom } Bb) \cdot P(\text{mom } Bb)$$

$$+ P(G | D, \text{mom } BB) \cdot P(\text{mom } BB) = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(M | D, G) = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{3}{4}} = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$$

ASSUMPTIONS:

$$P(M) = \frac{1}{4} \quad (bb, bB, Bb, BB) \quad \text{are equally likely.}$$

$$P(M, D) = P(M)P(D) \quad P(M)P(D)$$

Announcement: ① Q1 next Wednesday 8-12 am  
Coverage Sec 1.1-1.6  
logistics info TBA

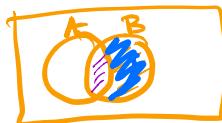
② my OH: 2-2:45 after class  
on lecture zoom  
meeting (not SLC).

### Last time

#### sec 1.4 Independence

Note that if  $P(AB) = P(A)P(B)$  then  $P(A^cB) = P(A^c)P(B)$   
since,

$$P(A^cB) = P((AB)^c B) = P(B) - P(AB)$$



$$\stackrel{\text{difference rule}}{=} P(B) - P(A)P(B) = (1 - P(A))P(B) = P(A^c)P(B)$$

#### sec 1.5 Bayes' rule

There are two types of conditional probabilities:

From today's warmup question

$P(D|M, \theta)$   $\triangleright$  forward conditional (likelihood conditional)  
**DON'T NEED BAYES TO COMPUTE**

$P(M|D, \theta)$   $\triangleright$  backwards conditional (posterior conditional)  
**NEED BAYES TO COMPUTE**

### Today

① sec 1.6 independence of 3 or more events

② sec 2.1 Binomial Distribution

③ sec 2.1 The shape of the binomial distribution

### Sec 1.6 Independence of 3 events

Def<sup>n</sup> (pairwise independence of 3 events)

$A, B, C$  are pairwise independent if

$$P(AB) = P(A)P(B) \text{ and } P(AC) = P(A)P(C) \text{ and } P(BC) = P(B)P(C)$$

ex 3 people

$B_{ij}$  = the event that person  $i$  and  $j$  have the same B-day.

Are  $B_{12}, B_{13}, B_{23}$  pairwise independent?

$$P(B_{12}B_{13}) \stackrel{?}{=} P(B_{12})P(B_{13})$$

Person 1 can have any B-day. The chance that Person 2 and 3 both have that B-day is  $(\frac{1}{365})^2$ .

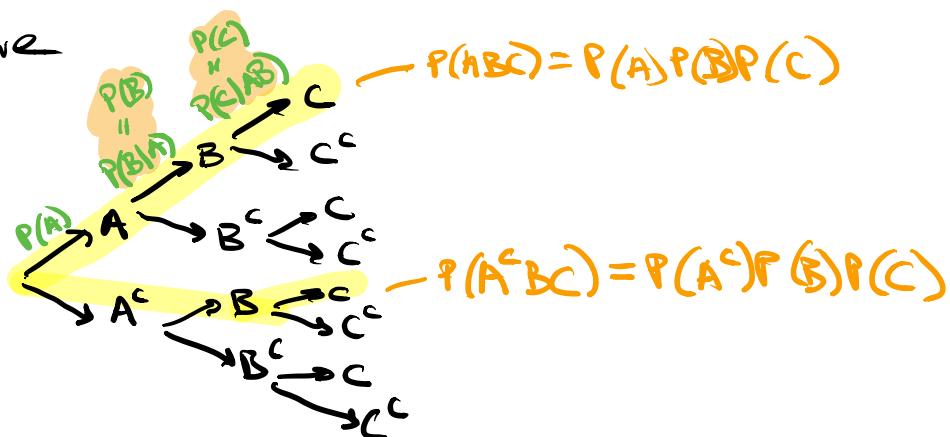
Def<sup>n</sup> (independence of 3 events)

$A, B, C$  are independent if

1)  $A, B, C$  are pairwise indep

2)  $P(ABC) = P(A)P(B)P(C)$ , (and the same for any of the events replaced by its complement)

Picture



Note that we need  $P(C|AB) = P(C)$  for independence but this is not given by pairwise indep of  $A, B, C$  !!

In class there was a question of whether independence of 3 events implies pairwise independence. The answer is no:

e.g. Flip a coin 2 times,

let  $H_1$  = event 1<sup>st</sup> coin lands head

$H_2$  = event 2<sup>nd</sup> coin lands head

$S$  = event get  $H_1H_2$  or  $T_1T_2$ .

The events  $H_1, H_2, S$  are pairwise independent but not independent.

e.g.

Are  $B_{12}, B_{13}, B_{23}$  independent?

We already know pairwise independent.

No  
??

$$\text{Check } P(B_{12}B_{13}B_{23}) \stackrel{?}{=} P(B_{12})P(B_{13})P(B_{23})$$

Notice that  $B_{12}B_{13}B_{23} = B_{12}B_{13}$  since

$B_{12}B_{13}B_{23}$  says 3 people have the same B-day and  $B_{12}B_{13}$  says 3 people have the same B-day.

$$\text{So } P(B_{12}B_{13}B_{23}) = P(B_{12}B_{13}) = \left(\frac{1}{365}\right)^2 \text{ but}$$

$$P(B_{12})P(B_{13})P(B_{23}) = \left(\frac{1}{365}\right)^3.$$

(2) Sec 2.1 Binomial distributions.

Bernoulli ( $p$ ) trial distribution

two outcomes  $\begin{cases} \text{success} \\ \text{failure} \end{cases}$   $\begin{cases} p \\ 1-p \end{cases}$

Ex roll a die.

success  $\rightarrow$  getting a 6  $\rightarrow \frac{1}{6}$

failure  $\rightarrow$  not getting a 6  $\rightarrow \frac{5}{6}$

Binomial ( $n, p$ ) distribution  $(\text{Bin}(n, p))$

we have  $n$  independent Bernoulli ( $p$ ) trials

$\uparrow$  fixed  
 $\uparrow$  fixed (unconditional probability)

Ex we roll a die  $n$  times,

what are the possible number of successes?  $\{0, 1, 2, \dots, n\}$

The chance of having each of these number of successes is called the  $\text{Bin}(n, p)$  distribution

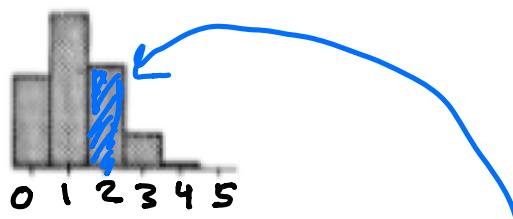
Binomial formula:

$$P(K) = \frac{n!}{K!(n-K)!} p^K (1-p)^{n-K}$$

$\uparrow$  # trials  
 $\uparrow$  number of successes  
 $\uparrow$  chance of success.

Ex You roll a die 5 times. What is the chance of getting 2 sixes?

$$\begin{aligned} n &=? - 5 \\ K &=? - 2 \\ p &=? - \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$



$$P(2) = \frac{5!}{2!3!} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 = \boxed{10 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3}$$

this is the area of the block above  $k=2$ .

What is chance of getting

success (6)

failure (not 6)

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{cccccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & ? \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & ? \\ \vdots & & & & & \\ \hline & & 5! & & & \\ & & \hline & & 2!3! & \end{array} \right.$$

How many of these are there?

5 positions for 1<sup>st</sup> 1  
4 positions for the 2<sup>nd</sup> 1  
3 positions for the 3<sup>rd</sup> 0  
2 positions for the 4<sup>th</sup> 0  
1 " " " 3<sup>rd</sup> 0

$5 \text{ choose } 2 = \frac{5!}{2!3!}$

We write  $\frac{5!}{2!3!}$  as  $\binom{5}{2}$  or  $\binom{5}{3}$  or  $\binom{5}{2,3}$

$$\frac{5!}{3!2!}$$



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## Chapter 2

1. Ten cards are dealt off the top of a well shuffled deck. The binomial formula doesn't apply to find the chance of getting exactly three diamonds because:

- a The probability of a trial being successful changes
- b** The trials aren't independent
- c There isn't a fixed number of trials
- d more than one of the above

The (unconditional probability) of getting a diamond is always  $\frac{1}{4}$ . However the trials are dependent on one another

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} P(1D) = \frac{1}{4} \\ P(2D) = \frac{1}{4} \end{array} \right\} \text{says 1D and 2D have same probability.}$$

$$P(2D|1D) = \frac{12}{51} \neq P(2D) \text{ so 1D and 2D are dependent}$$

To get answer d : Suppose the top card is always a diamond, and the rest of the deck is well shuffled, then  $P(1D) = 1$  and  $P(2D) = P(3D) = \frac{12}{51}$

