

# 概率论（不完全版）

只记到一元连续型随机变量

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# Theory of Probability.

Frequency 频率.

hypothesis 假设.  
set 集合.

Disjoint / Mutually exclusive:

$$A \cap B = \emptyset.$$

Universal set: 全集.

Subset: 子集.

Empty / Null set:  $\emptyset$ .

Union, Intersection, Complement  
并 交 补 ( $\bar{A}$ ).

Distributive laws:  $A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$ .

$$A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C).$$

DeMorgan's laws  $\overline{A \cup B} = \bar{A} \cap \bar{B}$ .

$$\overline{A \cap B} = \bar{A} \cup \bar{B}.$$

Venn diagram 维恩图.

Experiment: the process by which an <sup>observation</sup> ~~observation~~ is made.

Outcomes: Events.  $A, B, C, \dots$

Compound event: 复合的

Simple event:

sample point: 样本点.  $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots$

Sample space: 样本空间: all possible outcomes.

Discrete  $\dots$ : 离散 <sup>S</sup> 的: S 可数或有限.



## Basic axioms of probability.

$P(A)$

- (1) :  $P(A) \geq 0$ . (2)  $P(S) = 1$ . (3)  $A_1, A_2, \dots$  mutually exclusive, then  
 $P(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} P(A_i)$ . 可列可加.

## Equally-Likely Outcomes Model 等概模型.

$N$  outcomes 等概率发生.

Laplace.

## Counting Rules.

$$P(A) = \frac{\# \text{ of simple events in } A}{\# \text{ of } \dots \dots \text{ in } S}.$$

Rule 1 :  $m \times n$ .



$3 \times 2$ .



$2 \times 3$

Rule 2 : Permutations.

$$P_r^n = n(n-1) \cdots (n-r+1) = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}.$$

Rule 3 : Combinations.

$$C_r^n = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}.$$

$$C_r^n + C_{r+1}^n = C_{r+1}^{n+1}.$$

Rule 4 : Partitions.

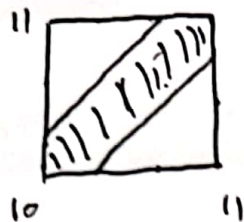
$n$  个人分为  $k$  组, 每组有  $n_1, \dots, n_k$  人.  $\sum_{i=1}^k n_i = n$ .

$$\binom{n}{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k} = \frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_k!}.$$



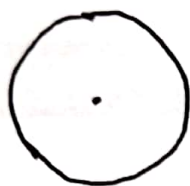
几何模型.

eg. 10点~11点 碰面, 则到达时刻相差  $< 20 \text{ min}$  的概率?



$$P = \frac{5}{9}.$$

贝特柯特论.



求弦长  $>$  内接  $\Delta$  边长的概率.

## 2.7. Conditional Probability & Independence.

Definition: B发生时 A 的概率.

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \quad \text{if } P(B) > 0.$$

Independent Events:  $A \perp B \Leftrightarrow P(A|B) = P(A)$   
 $\Leftrightarrow P(B|A) = P(B)$   
 $\Leftrightarrow P(AB) = P(A)P(B)$   
(用  $P(AB) = P(A|B)P(B)$  可证)

## 2.8 Laws of probability.

1.  $P(A_1 A_2 \dots A_n) = P(A_1) P(A_2 | A_1) P(A_3 | A_1 A_2) \dots P(A_n | A_1 \dots A_{n-1})$ .

2.  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(AB)$ .

if  $A \perp B$  then  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$ .

3.  $P(A) + P(\bar{A}) = 1$ .

4. Total Probability:

$$S = \bigcup_{i=1}^k B_i, \quad P(B_i) > 0, \quad B_i \cap B_j = \emptyset$$

$$P(A) = \sum_{i=1}^k P(B_i) P(A|B_i).$$



5. The Bayes' Rule:  $P(B|A) = \frac{P(A|B)P(B)}{P(A)}$ .

2.10 Random Variables  $\Rightarrow$  样本空间的实值函数.

Types: Discrete random variable: 离散.

Continuous: 连续.

eg.  $S = \{H, T\}$

$$X = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } H \\ 0 & \text{if } T \end{cases}$$

rv.

### Chapter 3. Discrete random variables.

pmf (probability mass function, 概率分布列): a function assigning probabilities to each possible value  $y$  of  $Y$ .

- Properties:
1.  $0 \leq p(y) \leq 1$  for all  $y$
  2. if  $y$  isn't in the range of  $Y$ ,  $p(y) = 0$
  3.  $\sum_y p(y) = 1$ .

$$P(a \leq Y \leq b) = \sum_{a \leq y \leq b} p(y).$$

cdf (cumulative distribution function, 累积分布函数):  $F(y) = P(Y \leq y)$ .

- Properties:
1. nondecreasing
  2.  $F(-\infty) = 0$ ,  $F(+\infty) = 1$ .

### 3.3. 期望与方差.

expected value:  $E(Y) = \sum_{y \in R} y p(y)$ . ,  $R$  is the range of  $Y$ .

$\downarrow$   
 $\mu$





$$E(g(Y)) = \sum_y g(y)p(y) \rightarrow \text{不用求 } g(Y) \text{ 的 pmf.}$$

Theorem:  $Y$  is a r.v.

$$E(g_1(Y) + g_2(Y)) = E(g_1(Y)) + E(g_2(Y)).$$

Extension:  $X, Y$  are two r.v.s,

$$\text{then } E(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y).$$

$$\text{Variance: } V(Y) = E((Y - \mu_Y)^2) = \sum_y (y - \mu_Y)^2 p(y) = \sigma_Y^2.$$

Standard deviation:  $\sigma_Y$ .

Theorem:  $V(Y) = E(Y^2) - (E(Y))^2$ . (用期望的线性性质证).

$$V(a+bY) = b^2 V(Y).$$

$$\text{proof: LHS} = E((a+bY - E(a+bY))^2) = E((bY - E(bY))^2) = b^2 E((Y - E(Y))^2) = \text{RHS.}$$

$$\sigma(a+bY) = b \sigma(Y).$$

### 3.4. Binomial Distribution.

Bernoulli Trial: An experiment with only two possible mutually exclusive outcomes.

Bernoulli distribution:  $Y \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p)$ .

$$Y = \begin{cases} 1 & p \\ 0 & 1-p \end{cases}, \quad p(Y=y) = p^y(1-p)^{1-y}, \quad y=0,1.$$

单次 Bernoulli Trial 基础上的分布.

$$E(Y) = p, \quad V(Y) = p(1-p).$$



## Binomial Probability Distribution:

Binomial Experiment { 组成:  $n$  次 Bernoulli Trials  
 每次  $p(S) = p$  相同  
 Trials are independent

$Y$ : number of successes in  $n$  trials

$Y$  服从二项分布. Range:  $0, 1, \dots, n$ .  $Y \sim \text{Binomial}(n; p)$

$$P(Y=y) = \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y}$$

$$E(Y) = np; \quad V(Y) = np(1-p). \quad (\#)$$

# proof:

$$E(Y) = \sum_{y=0}^n y \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} = \sum_{y=1}^n \frac{(n-1)!}{(y-1)!(n-y)!} p^{y-1} (1-p)^{n-y} \cdot (np) = np$$

$$V(Y) = E(Y^2) - (E(Y))^2 = E(Y(Y-1)) + E(Y) - (E(Y))^2$$

$$E(Y(Y-1)) = \sum_{y=2}^n \frac{n!}{(y-2)!(n-y)!} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} = n(n-1)p^2 \sum_{y=2}^n \frac{(n-2)!}{(y-2)!(n-y)!} p^{y-2} (1-p)^{n-y}$$

$$= p^2 n(n-1)$$

$$\therefore V(Y) = p^2 n(n-1) + np - n^2 p^2 = np(1-p)$$

## Geometric Probability Distribution.

$X$  = # at the first success appears.

$$P(X=x) = (1-p)^{x-1} p, \quad x=1, 2, \dots$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{1}{p}; \quad V(Y) = \frac{1-p}{p^2}$$

$$\text{proof: } \frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{1}{[1-(1-p)]^2} = \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y(1-p)^{y-1}$$

$$\text{So } \sum_{y=1}^{\infty} y(1-p)^{y-1} p = \frac{1}{p}$$

$$F(b) = P(X \leq b) = 1 - (1-p)^b$$

Memoryless property:  $P(Y > a+b | Y > a)$   
 无记忆性.  $= P(Y > b)$



## Hypergeometric Distribution.

$N$ : Population size

$r$ :  $r$  items are  $S$ .

$n$ : selected.

$Y = \#$  of  $S$  in the sample of  $n$ .  $Y \sim HG(n, r, N)$

$$P(Y=y) = \frac{\binom{r}{y} \binom{N-r}{n-y}}{\binom{N}{n}}, \quad \max\{0, n+r-N\} \leq y \leq \min\{n, r\}.$$

$$E(Y) = n \frac{r}{N}, \quad V(Y) = n \frac{r}{N} \left(1 - \frac{r}{N}\right) \frac{N-n}{N-1}.$$

As  $N \rightarrow \infty$  in such a way that  $\frac{r}{N} \rightarrow p$ , then

HG converges to Bin

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\binom{r}{y} \binom{N-r}{n-y}}{\binom{N}{n}} = \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} \quad \left(\frac{r}{N} \rightarrow p\right).$$

## Negative Binomial Probability Distribution.

$Y = \#$  on which the  $r^{\text{th}}$  success occurs.

$Y \sim NB(r, p)$ .

$$P(Y=y) = \binom{y-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^{y-r}, \quad y = r, r+1, \dots$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{r}{p}; \quad V(Y) = \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}.$$

## Poisson Distribution.

单位时间小概率事件发生的次数.

Poisson Process: 事件独立; 强度固定  $\lambda$ ; 两件及以上几乎不发生.

$$P(Y=y) = \frac{\lambda^y e^{-\lambda}}{y!}, \quad y = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$E(Y) = \lambda; \quad V(Y) = \lambda.$$





近似:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} = \frac{\lambda^y e^{-\lambda}}{y!}$

small  $p$ , large  $n$ ,  $np \rightarrow \lambda$ .

Moments:

阶矩:  $k$ 阶:  $\mu_k' = E(X^k)$ .

$$\mu_0' = 1, \mu_1' = E(X).$$

中心矩:  $k$ 阶:  $\mu_k = E\{(X-\mu)^k\}$

$$\mu_0 = 1, \mu_1 = 0, \mu_2 = V(X).$$

偏度 Skewness:  $\Gamma_1 = \frac{\mu_3}{\mu_2^{1.5}}$

$\Gamma_1 > 0$ : 右偏



$\Gamma_1 < 0$ : 左偏



峰度 Kurtosis:  $\Gamma_2 = \frac{\mu_4}{\mu_2^2} - 3$ .

$\Gamma_2$  大: sharper peak.

性质:  $\exists g$ , s.t.  $\mu_k = g(\mu_0', \mu_1', \dots, \mu_{k-1}')$ .

Moment Generating Function (mgf)

$$m(t) = E(e^{tx}) = \sum_x e^{tx} p(x).$$

$$\mu_k' = \left. \frac{d^k m(t)}{dt^k} \right|_{t=0} = m^{(k)}(0).$$

mgf 相同 pmf 也相同.



Bernoulli ( $p$ )  
Binomial ( $n, p$ )

$$m(t) = pe^t + 1-p.$$
$$(pe^t + 1-p)^n$$

Geometric ( $p$ )

$$\frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t}.$$

NB ( $r, p$ )

$$\left( \frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t} \right)^r.$$

Poisson ( $\lambda$ )

$$e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}.$$

~~Cheb~~ Chebyshev's Inequality.

$$P(|x - \mu| > k\sigma) < \frac{1}{k^2}.$$

Continuous Random Variables.

CDF: cumulative distribution function

$$F(y) = P(Y \leq y).$$

若  $F(y)$  连续, 称  $Y$  为连续型 r.v.

for any  $y$ ,  $P(Y=y) = 0$  ( $y$  为连续型 r.v.).

Properties:  $F(-\infty) = 0$ ;  $F(+\infty) = 1$

$F(y)$  nondecreasing

pdf: probability density function

$$f(y) = F'(y).$$

$$P(a \leq Y \leq b) = \int_a^b f(t) dt.$$

Properties:  $f(y) \geq 0$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(y) dy = 1.$$



分位数: the  $\alpha$ th quantile of  $Y$ ,  $Q_\alpha$  pdf

min  $Q_\alpha$ , s.t  $F(Q_\alpha) \geq \alpha$ .



$S = \alpha$ .

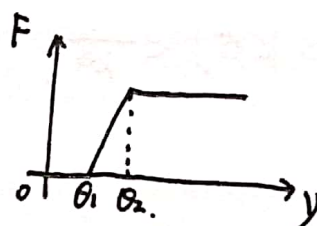
$$E(Y) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} y f(y) dy.$$

$$E(g(Y)) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} g(y) f(y) dy.$$

The Uniform Distribution  $U(\theta_1, \theta_2)$ .

$$f(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\theta_2 - \theta_1} & \theta_1 \leq y \leq \theta_2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$F(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{y - \theta_1}{\theta_2 - \theta_1} & \theta_1 \leq y \leq \theta_2 \\ 1 & y > \theta_2. \end{cases}$$



$$E(Y) = \frac{1}{2}(\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$V(Y) = \frac{1}{12}(\theta_2 - \theta_1)^2.$$

$$m(t) = \frac{e^t - 1}{t}.$$

The Normal Distribution  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} e^{-\frac{(y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}.$$

Properties: symmetric.  
bell-shaped.

centred at  $\mu$ .

$$E(Y) = \mu, \quad V(Y) = \sigma^2.$$

$$m(t) = e^{\mu t + \frac{1}{2} \sigma^2 t^2}.$$



$$Z \sim N(0, 1).$$

$$\phi(z) = f(z) = p(Z \leq z) = \int_{-\infty}^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}} dt.$$

查表求解：表中给出的是  右侧面积，即  $1 - \phi(z)$ .

$$p(-1 \leq Z \leq 1) = 0.6826 \quad (1\sigma)$$

$$2\sigma : 0.9544$$

$$3\sigma : 0.9973$$

$$p(-1.28 \leq Z \leq 1.28) = 0.8$$

$$0.9 \text{ 区间} : 1.64$$

$$0.95 : 1.96$$

$$0.99 : 2.58.$$

Standardization:

$$Y \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2), \text{ then } Z = \frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$p(Y < y) = \phi\left(\frac{y - \mu}{\sigma}\right).$$

the  $\alpha$ th percentage point of  $X$ :  $x_\alpha$ ,  $p(X \geq x_\alpha) = \alpha$ .

$$Q_\alpha = x_{1-\alpha}.$$

查表解 ~~表~~,  $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  then  $x_\alpha = \sigma z_\alpha + \mu$ .

正态近似二项:

$$Y \sim \text{Binomial}(n, p), \quad \mu = np, \quad \sigma = \sqrt{np(1-p)}.$$

$$n \rightarrow \infty, \quad np > 10, \quad n(1-p) > 10,$$

$$\text{then } p(Y \leq y) \approx p\left(Z \leq \frac{y + 0.5 - \mu}{\sigma}\right), \quad Z \sim N(0, 1).$$





## Gamma Function

$$\Gamma(x) = \int_0^{+\infty} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x} dx.$$

$$\Gamma(n) = (n-1)!$$

$$\alpha > 1, \Gamma(\alpha) = (\alpha-1) \Gamma(\alpha-1).$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}.$$

## The Gamma distribution.

$$\alpha > 0, \beta > 0, y > 0.$$

$$f(y) = \frac{y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y/\beta}}{\beta^{\alpha} \Gamma(\alpha)}.$$

$$Y \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta)$$

$\alpha$  控制对称性,  $\beta$  控制尺度.

$$E(Y) = \alpha\beta, \quad V(Y) = \alpha\beta^2$$

$$m(t) = (1 - \beta t)^{-\alpha}.$$

## Exponential distribution.

$$Y \sim \text{Exp}(\beta).$$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{\beta} e^{-\frac{y}{\beta}}, \quad y > 0.$$

$$E(Y) = \beta, \quad V(Y) = \beta^2.$$

$$F(y) = P(Y \leq y) = 1 - e^{-\frac{y}{\beta}}.$$

Memoryless property:  $P(Y \geq a+b | Y \geq a) = P(Y \geq b).$

场合: 独立随机事件的时间间隔; 电子产品寿命.



Chi-square distribution

$\alpha = \frac{\nu}{2}, \beta = 2.$   $\nu$ : degrees of freedom

$$Y \sim \chi^2(\nu)$$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{2^{\frac{\nu}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{\nu}{2})} y^{\frac{\nu}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{y}{2}}, y > 0.$$

$$E(Y) = \nu, V(Y) = 2\nu.$$

Beta Function:  $B(\alpha, \beta) = \int_0^1 y^{\alpha-1} (1-y)^{\beta-1} dy$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}, \alpha, \beta > 0.$$

$$B(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) = \pi.$$

Beta Distribution.

$$f(y) = \frac{y^{\alpha-1} (1-y)^{\beta-1}}{B(\alpha, \beta)}, 0 \leq y \leq 1, \alpha, \beta > 0$$

若  $\alpha = \beta = 1$ ,  $Y \sim U(0, 1)$ .

$\alpha = \beta$  时对称.  $\alpha < \beta$  左偏;  $\alpha > \beta$  右偏.

$$E(Y) = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}, V(Y) = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}.$$

$m(t)$  无 closed form.

