

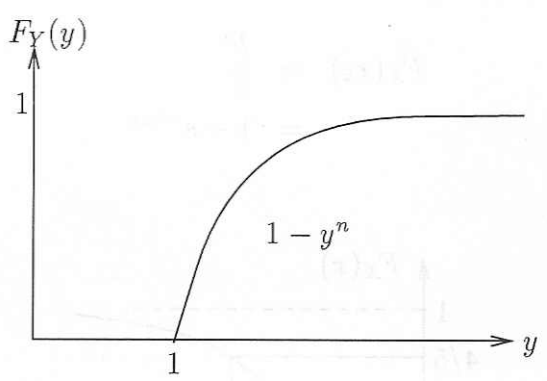
3.14 a)  $1 = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{c}{k^2} = c \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$  is a special case of the zeta function  
 $= 1.6449 \Rightarrow c = 0.608$   
 The sum of the first 100 terms gives  $1.6349 \Rightarrow c \approx 0.611$

b)  $P[X > 6] = 1 - P[X \leq 5] = 1 - c \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{25} \right]$   
 $= 0.1102$  (where the bracketed sum is 0.88979)

c)  $P[4 \leq X \leq 8] = c \left[ \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{25} + \frac{1}{36} + \frac{1}{49} + \frac{1}{64} \right] = 0.1011$

3.15  $P[X \geq 5] = \sum_{k=5}^7 p_k = \frac{3}{8}$   
 $P[Y \geq 5] = \sum_{k=5}^7 p'_k = 3 \cdot \frac{3}{16} = \frac{9}{16}$

3.16 a)



b)  $P[k < Y \leq k + 1] = F_Y(k + 1) - F_Y(k) = \left(\frac{1}{k}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1}{k+1}\right)^n$

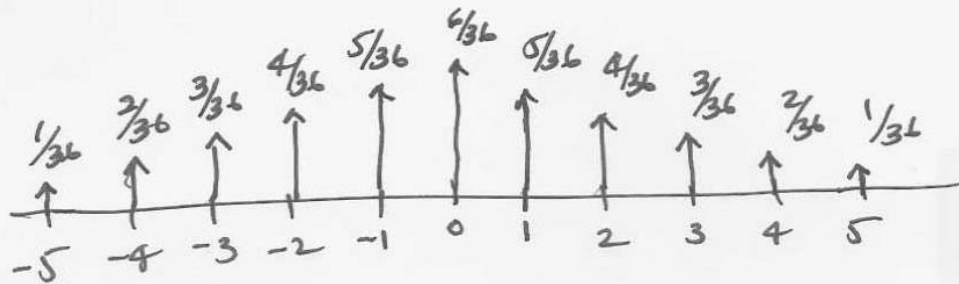
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2nd toss

	1	2	3	4	5	6	
1st toss	1	0	1	2	3	4	5
	2	-1	0	1	2	3	4
	3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
	4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2
	5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1
	6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0

$P[X=0] = \frac{6}{36}$   
 $P[X=1] = \frac{5}{36} = P[X=-1]$   
 $P[X=2] = \frac{4}{36} = P[X=-2]$   
 $P[X=3] = \frac{3}{36} = P[X=-3]$   
 $P[X=4] = \frac{2}{36} = P[X=-4]$   
 $P[X=5] = \frac{1}{36} = P[X=-5]$

$P[X=k] = \frac{6-|k|}{36}, |k| \leq 5$



$$P[|X| \leq 2] = \frac{6}{36} + 2 \cdot \frac{5}{36} + 2 \cdot \frac{4}{36} = \frac{24}{36}$$

3.28  $E[X] = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j P[X=j] = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j \frac{c}{j^2} = c \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{j} = \infty$

mean does not exist.

$E[X^2] = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} j^2 \frac{c}{j^2} = c \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} 1 = \infty$

none of the moments exist

This pmf decays sufficiently fast that probabilities add to 1, but too slowly for moments to exist.

3.29  $E[Y] = -1 \cdot \frac{1}{10} + 0 \cdot \frac{2}{10} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{10} + 2 \cdot \frac{4}{10} = \frac{10}{10} = 1$

$E[Y^2] = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{10} + 1 \cdot \frac{3}{10} + 4 \cdot \frac{4}{10} = \frac{20}{10} = 2$

$\text{VAR}[Y] = 2 - 1^2 = 1.$

3.48

(a)  $A_i = \{U_i < 0.25\}$   
 $A_i^c = \{U_i > 0.25\}$

$P[A_1 A_2 A_3 A_4 A_5^c A_6^c A_7^c A_8^c] = (0.25)^4 (0.75)^4$   
 = 0.00124

(b)  $P[N=4] = \binom{8}{4} (0.25)^4 (0.75)^4 = 0.0865$

(c)  $A_i = \{U_i < 0.25\}$   
 $B_i = \{0.25 < U_i < 0.75\}$   
 $C_i = \{U_i > 0.75\}$   
 $P[A_1 A_2 A_3 B_4 B_5 C_6 C_7 C_8] = (0.25)^3 (0.5)^2 (0.25)^3$   
 $= (0.25)^6 (0.5)^2$   
 $= 6.10 \times 10^{-5}$

(d)  $P[N_1=3, N_2=2, N_3=3] = \frac{8!}{3! 2! 3!} (0.25)^3 (0.5)^2 (0.25)^3$   
 multinomial

(e)  $P[A_1 A_2 A_3 A_4 C_5 C_6 C_7 C_8] = (0.25)^4 (0.25)^4 = 1.526 \times 10^{-5}$   
 = 0.0342

(f)  $P[N_1=4, N_2=0, N_3=4] = \frac{8!}{4! 0! 4!} (0.25)^4 (0.5)^0 (0.25)^4$   
 $= 0.00107$

3.49

This Octave program will plot binomial pmf.  
 $> n=4;$   
 $> x=[0:n];$   
 $> p=0.10;$   
 $> stem('binomial - pdf(x, n, p)')$

3.51 a) 
$$\frac{p_k}{p_{k-1}} = \frac{\binom{n}{k} p^k q^{n-k}}{\binom{n}{k-1} p^{k-1} q^{n-k+1}} = \frac{\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} p}{\frac{n!}{(k-1)!} q} = \frac{(n-k+1)p}{kq}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)p - k(1-q)}{kq} = 1 + \frac{(n+1)p - k}{kq}$$

b) First suppose  $(n+1)p$  is not an integer, then  
 for  $0 \leq k \leq [(n+1)p] < (n+1)p$

$$(n+1)p - k > 0$$

so

$$\frac{p_k}{p_{k-1}} = 1 + \frac{(n+1)p - k}{kq} > 1$$

$\Rightarrow p_k$  increases as  $k$  increases from 0 to  $[(n+1)p]$   
 for  $k > (n+1)p \geq [(n+1)p]$

$$(n+1)p - k < 0$$

so

$$\frac{p_k}{p_{k-1}} = 1 + \frac{(n+1)p - k}{kq} < 1$$

$\Rightarrow p_k$  decreases as  $k$  increases beyond  $[(n+1)p]$   
 $\therefore p_k$  attains its maximum at  $k_{MAX} = [(n+1)p]$   
 If  $(n+1)p = k_{MAX}$  then above implies that

$$\frac{p_{k_{MAX}}}{p_{k_{MAX}-1}} = 1 \Rightarrow p_{k_{MAX}} = p_{k_{MAX}-1}$$

3.54  $N$  geometric  $n = 1, 2, \dots$

$$\text{(a) } P[N=k | N \leq m] = \frac{P[N=k, N \leq m]}{P[N \leq m]} = \frac{P[N=k]}{P[N \leq m]} \quad 1 \leq k \leq m$$

$$= \frac{p(1-p)^{k-1}}{\sum_{j=1}^m p(1-p)^{j-1}} = \frac{p(1-p)^{k-1}}{1-(1-p)^m} \quad 1 \leq k \leq m$$

$$\text{(b) } P[N \text{ is even}] = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} p(1-p)^{2j} = p \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} ((1-p)^2)^j$$

$$= \frac{p}{1-(1-p)^2}$$

3.55

$$P[M \geq k+j | M > j] = \frac{P[M \geq k+j, M > j]}{P[M > j]} = \frac{P[M \geq k+j]}{P[M > j]} \quad \text{for } k \geq 1$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=k+j}^{\infty} p(1-p)^{i-1}}{\sum_{i=j+1}^{\infty} p(1-p)^{i-1}}$$

$$= \frac{(1-p)^{k+j-1}}{(1-p)^j} = (1-p)^{k-1} = P[M \geq k]$$

The probability of  $k$  additional trials until the first success is independent of how many failures have already transpired.

3.67  $n = 10^4$  drives  $p = 10^{-3}$   $np = 10^4(10^{-3}) = 10/\text{day}$

(a)  $P[N=0] \approx e^{-np} = e^{-10} = 4.54 \times 10^{-5}$

(b) Failure rate in 2 days = 20  
 $P[N \leq 10] = \sum_{j=0}^{10} \frac{(20)^j}{j!} e^{-20} = 1.08 \times 10^{-2}$

(c)  $0.99 = P[N \leq k] = \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{10^j}{j!} e^{-10} \Rightarrow P[N \leq 17] = 0.986$

3.68  $p = 10^{-5}$   $n = 10^4$   $np = 10^{-1}$

(a)  $P[N=0] = e^{-np} = 0.9048$

$P[N \leq 3] = \sum_{k=0}^3 \frac{(0.01)^k}{k!} e^{-np} = 0.9999961$

(b) Find  $p$  so that  
 $0.99 = P[N \geq 1] = 1 - P[N=0] = 1 - e^{-np}$   
 $0.01 = e^{-np}$   
 $\Rightarrow p = \frac{\ln 0.01}{n} = 4.6 \times 10^{-6}$

3.69

65  $E[X] = \sum_{k=1}^n kP[X=k] = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2n} = \frac{n+1}{2}$

$\sigma_X^2 = E[X^2] - E[X]^2 = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{k^2}{n} - \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - \frac{(n+1)^2}{4}$

$= \frac{n^2 - 1}{12}$

3.70  $X$  uniform in  $\{-3, -2, \dots, 3, 4\}$   $P[X=j] = \frac{1}{8}$

Ⓐ  $E[X] = -4 + \frac{3+1}{2} = 0.5$

$$\text{VAR}(X) = \frac{8^2-1}{12} = \frac{63}{12} = \frac{21}{4}$$

Ⓑ  $E[Y] = E[-2X^2+3] = -2E[X^2]+3$   
 $= -2[\text{VAR}(X)+E[X]^2]+3$

$$= -2\left[\frac{21}{4} + (0.5)^2\right] + 3 = -8$$

$$E[Y^2] = E[(-2X^2+3)^2] = E[4X^4 - 12X^2 + 9]$$

$$\text{VAR}[Y] = E[Y^2] - E[Y]^2$$

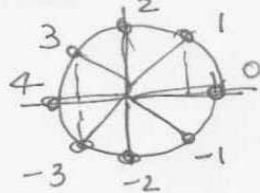
$$= 4E[X^4] - 12E[X^2] + 9 - (-8)^2$$

$$E[X^4] = \frac{1}{8} [(-3)^2 + (-2)^2 + (-1)^2 + 0^2 + 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2]$$

$$= \frac{44}{8} = \frac{11}{2}$$

$$\text{VAR}[Y] = 4\left(\frac{11}{2}\right) - 12(-8) + 9 - 64 = 99$$

Ⓒ  $W = \cos\left(\frac{\pi X}{8}\right)$



$X$	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4
$W$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	1	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	0	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	-1

$$P[W = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}] = \frac{2}{8} \quad P[W = 0] = \frac{2}{8}$$

$$P[W = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}] = \frac{2}{8} \quad P[W = 1] = \frac{1}{8} \quad P[W = -1] = \frac{1}{8}$$