

# PROBABILITY CLASS 22

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3 COIN TOSS. FAIR

RANDOM EXPERIMENT: TOSS 3 COINS,

OBSERVE 2 RANDOM VARIABLES FROM EACH EXPERIMENT.

OUTCOMES: 8 WAYS 3 COINS  
COME UP.

2 RV:  $X$ : # HEADS

$Y$ : POSITION OF 1st

OUTCOME       $X$        $Y$

TTT      0      0

TTH      1      3

THT      1      2

THT      2      1

HTT      1      1

HHT      2      1

HHT      2      1

HHH      3      1

# PMF MASS FUNCTIONS

PMF  $X$ :

0	1
1	3
2	3
3	1

PMF  $Y$ :

0	1
1	4
2	2
3	1

IF 1<sup>st</sup> HEAD WAS AT POSITION 1,  
WHAT'S PROB FOR  $H$  HEADS.

$$P(X|Y)$$

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$$X: \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

$$Y: \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

$x$      $y$      $\#(x, y)$      $P$

0    0    1     $1/8$

0    1    0

0    2    0

0    3    0

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1    0    0

1    1    1

1    2    1

1    3    1

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2    0    0

2    1    2

2    2    1

2    3    0

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3    0    0

3    1    1

3    2    0

3    3    0

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CONDITIONALS

$$P(X|Y) P(Y) = P(X \& Y)$$

$$P(X|Y) = \frac{P(X \& Y)}{P(Y)}$$

$$P(X=1|Y=1) = \frac{P(X=1 \& Y=1)}{P(Y=1)}$$

$$= \frac{1/8}{1/2} = 1/4$$

$$E[X]$$

$$E[X^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VAR}(X) &= E[(X - E[X])^2] \\ &= E[X^2] - (E[X])^2 \end{aligned}$$

2 RV

$$\begin{aligned} \text{COV}(X, Y) &= \\ E[(X - E(X))(Y - E(Y))] &= \\ E[XY] - E(X)E(Y) \end{aligned}$$

E.G. 2 LINKED COINS.

T → H → 1

	H	T
H	-3	2
T	-2	3

$P = \begin{matrix} .5 & .5 \\ .5 & .5 \end{matrix}$   $X = \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$

$$E(X) = .5 \times 0 + .5 \times 1 = .5 = 1/2$$

$$E(Y) = 1/2$$

$$E[XY] = .3 + 1 + .2 + 0 + .2 + 0 + .3 = .3$$

$$\text{COV}(X, Y) = E[XY] - E(X)E(Y) = .3 - .25 = .05$$

POSITIVE: X, Y CORRELATED.

FOR ANYTHING  $E[\varphi] =$

$\sum$  (POSSIBLE VALUES FOR  $\varphi$ )  
  $\times$  (PROBABILITY)

TOSS COIN       $X$        $P$   
                      0       $\frac{1}{2}$

$$E(X) = 0 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

FOR  $E[X^2]$       "4 TIMES"

$X$	$X^2$	$P$
0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$
0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$
1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$

$$E(X^2) = 0 + 0 + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{VAR}(X) &= \underbrace{E[X^2]}_{1/2} - \underbrace{(E[X])^2}_{(1/2)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{STD}(X) = \sqrt{\text{VAR}(X)} = 1/2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{COV}(X, Y) &= \underbrace{E[XY]}_{.3} - \underbrace{E[X]}_{.5} \underbrace{E[Y]}_{.5} \\ &= .05 \end{aligned}$$

CORREL COEF

$$\rho = \frac{\text{COV}(X, Y)}{\text{STD}(X)\text{STD}(Y)} = \frac{.05}{.25}$$

$$= .2$$

.2 IS SMALL

$$|\rho| \leq 1$$

REGO FOR STRONGLY CORRELATED  
CORUS

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{array}{cc|c}
 & X & \\
 & Y & \\
 \hline
 X & 4 & 1 \\
 Y & 1 & 4 \\
 \hline
 & \sigma_X & \sigma_Y \\
 & 2.5 & 2.5
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

$$E[X] = 4$$

$$\text{VAR}(X) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$E[X^2] = 4 \quad \text{COV}(X, Y) = .4 - .25$$

$$= -.15$$

$$\text{CORREL} = \frac{-.15}{.25} = .6$$

PROBABLY

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$N$  RV  $X_1, \dots, X_n$

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$$

$$E[S_n] = \sum E[X_i]$$

$$\text{VAR}(S_n) = E[(S_n - E[S_n])^2]$$

$$= E[(\sum X_i - \sum E[X_i])^2]$$

$$= E[(\sum X_i)^2 - 2 \sum X_i (E[X_i] + E[X_i])] =$$

$$= \sum \text{VAR}(X_i) + \sum_{i \neq j} \text{COV}(X_i, X_j)$$

GENERALLY

$$\text{VAR}(\sum X_i) \neq \sum \text{VAR}(X_i)$$

(IF ALL  $\text{COV}(X_i, X_j) = 0$

$$\text{VAR}(\sum X_i) = \sum \text{VAR}(X_i)$$

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(IF ALL  $X_i$  (IID) INDEPENDENT  
IDENT  
DIST,

$$\sigma = \text{STD}(X_i)$$

$$\text{VAR}(\sum X_i) = n \sigma^2$$

## §2.2 SAMPLE MEAN

LAW OF LARGE NUMBERS.

(HAVE  $n$  R.V.  $X_i$ )

(DON'T KNOW  $E[X_i]$ )

(WANT  $\bar{x}$ .)

DEFINE NEW R.V.  $M_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$

"SAMPLE MEAN"

THE SAMPLE MEAN IS A MEAN.

$$E[M_n] = \frac{1}{n} \sum E[X_i] = \mu$$

$\mu$  = UNKNOWN POPULATION MEAN.

HOW MUCH DOES

$E[M_n]$  BOUNCE  
AROUND?

	HAPPY	✓	✓
$3.5 = 4$	✓	✓	✓
HAVE	✓	✓	✓
N	✓	✓	✓

$X_i$  NOT  
CORRELATED

$$\text{VAR}[\bar{X}_n] = \text{VAR}\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{VAR}[\sum X_i]$$

← NOT = !!

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum \text{VAR}(X_i) = \frac{1}{n^2} n \sigma^2$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

LARGER SAMPLE (LARGER  $n$ )  $\Rightarrow$   
SMALLER VARIANCE OF SAMPLE  
MEAN.



TAKE SAMPLES OF 4 BIRDS.

$S_1$  32, 25, 33, 29

$S_2$  40, 30, 25, 31

$S_3$  29, 29, 32, 30

SAMPLE MEAN  $M_4$

ALL SAMPLE MEANS HAVE A

MEAN  $E[M] = \mu = 30$

$$\text{VAR}[M] = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$\text{STD}[M] = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$n=4$  SAMPLE  $\sigma = 5$

How close is unknown true  
POP MEAN  $\mu$  to sample mean?  
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$$P(|M_n - \mu| > \epsilon) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{n \epsilon^2}$$

THIS IS A VERY LOOSE BOUND.  
WEAK LAW OF LARGE NUMBERS  
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|M_n - \mu| < \epsilon) = 1$

ASSUMES POP VARIANCE IS FINITE.

9.3 CENTRAL LIMIT THM. P 369  
 $M_n$  BECOMES GAUSSIAN AS  
 $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

REGARDLESS OF PDF OF  $X_i$