


I checked notes for Prob. Theory. (see examples - many omitted)

$\Omega = \{0, 1\}^2$ ,  $P(\{(\omega_i, \omega_j)\}) = \frac{1}{4}$  (discrete space),  $E_H = \{(0,0), (0,1), (1,0)\}$ ,  $E_{\text{win 2}} = \{(1,1), (0,1), (1,0)\}$   
 $P(E_H \cap E_T) = P(\{(0,1), (1,0)\}) = \frac{1}{2} \neq \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4} = P(E_H)P(E_T)$

classical playing cards

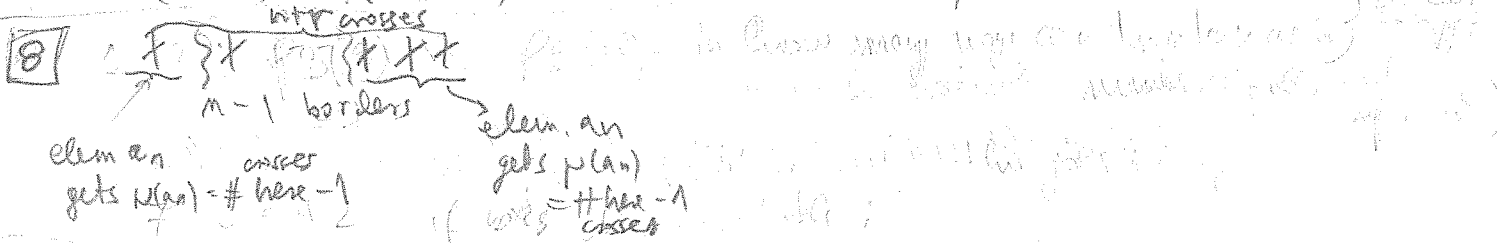
pack/deck  $\rightarrow$  52 cards

suits: heart, club, spade, diamond (13 each)  
 (joker)

count cards/face cards: jack, queen, king, ace, 2-9.

$\binom{52}{5}$ ;  $\binom{13}{4} \times \binom{39}{1}$  (order not important)

$\binom{13}{3} \times \binom{13}{2} / \binom{52}{5}$  (all hands equally likely)



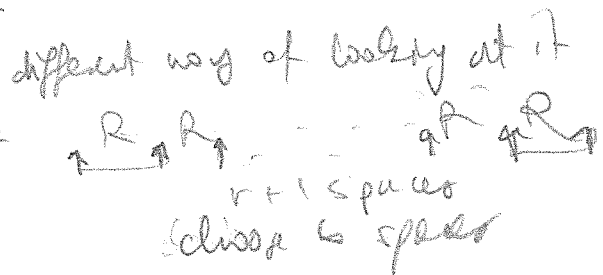
$P_n(n+r)$  - if boxes indistinguishable  
 $\binom{n+r-1}{n-1}$  - if boxes distinguishable  
 COMBINATIONS WITH REPETITION

First part: at least one red ball between every blue one  
 P. B R B . B R B .

$r - (b-1)$  left red balls distribute among  $b+1$  boxes  
 $\rightarrow$  0 or more each

$\binom{b+1+r-(b-1)-1}{b+1-1}$  - ways

$= \binom{r+1}{b}$



(each ordering equally likely)

$\frac{\binom{40}{13} \times 13! \times 39!}{52!}$

as in 9: 13 blue balls (hearts)  
 39 red balls (all others)  
 distribute hearts among the rest!  
 cards actually distinguishable.

12)  $\frac{5+5}{6 \times 5} = \frac{10}{30} = \frac{1}{3}$

13) C: 0.7  $\rightarrow$  0.2 (faulty)  
 B: 0.3  $\rightarrow$  0.1

first one shows a 6  
 lines, the  
 and one cut

11)  $S \ni a$  choice.  $U \binom{P}{1} \times \binom{P}{1}$   
 it is not: one-to-one onto  
 "S(n-1, 2) x 2"  
 partitioning S into 2 parts  
 into 2-1 cuts  $\rightarrow$  # is  $S(n-1, 2-1)$

(a)  $0.7 \times 0.2 = 0.14$   
 (b)  $0.7 \times 0.2 + 0.3 \times 0.1 = 0.17$

SHEETS

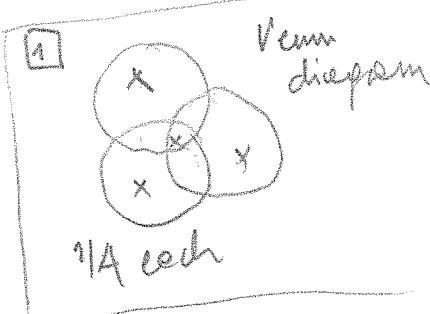
2)  $\{ (H, H), (T, T) \}$   $\{ (H, T), (T, H) \}$   $\{ (H, H), (T, T) \}$   
 $X$  is a r.v.  $\rightarrow (x, p) \rightarrow (k, P(X=k))$  if  $F^{-1}(u) \in F \cap \text{AC}(\mathbb{R})$   
 $\{ (H, T), (T, H), (H, H) \}$   $\{ (H, T), (T, H), (T, T) \}$   $\mathbb{R}, \emptyset$

if  $X$  has values and  
 ch. more values  
 $X_1, X_2, \dots$   
 $X \sim (X_1, X_2, \dots)$

EX =  $1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} + (-1) \cdot \frac{1}{2} + 0 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 0$   $X$  discrete

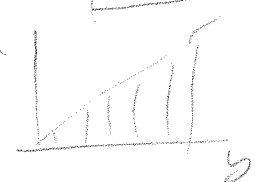
3)  $w$   $E[X]$   
 4)  $w$   $E[X(X-1)]$

5)  $EH = E \sum_{i=1}^n (1-p)^{i-1} p = n(p(1 + (1-p) + \dots + (1-p)^{n-1})) = np$   
 $EH^2 = E \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 (1-p)^{i-1} p = np(1+p)$   
 $\text{Var } H = np(1-p)$



6)  $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(1+x)^3} = 1 \iff c \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 1 \implies c = 2$

7)  $\int_0^1 \frac{x dx}{(1+x)^3} = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(1+x)^2} = 1$   
 $\left(\frac{x}{(1+x)^2}\right)' = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} - \frac{2x}{(1+x)^3}$   
 $F(x) = 2 \int \frac{x dx}{(1+x)^3} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 - (1+x)^{-2} \quad x > 0 \\ 0 \quad x < 0 \end{array} \right.$



8)  $EY = \int_0^1 y f_Y(y) dy = \int_0^1 \int_0^y dx f_Y(y) dy$   
 $= \int_0^1 dx \int_x^1 dy f_Y(y) = \int_0^1 dx P(Y > x)$

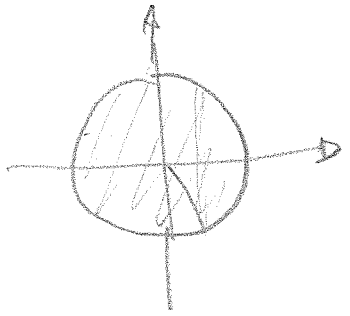
9)  $Y = F \circ X$   $f_Y = f_X \circ F^{-1} \cdot |F^{-1}'|$  (conditions)  
 $\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)\right) Y = e^{x-\mu} e^{\sigma^2}$   
 $f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma y} e^{-\frac{(\ln y + \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$   
 $EY = Ee^X = e^{\mu + \sigma^2/2}$  (characteristic func.)  
 10)  $w$   $e^{\mu + \sigma^2/2}$  (characteristic func.)  
 completing the squares.

1]  $P\left(\frac{X_1}{X_2} < x\right) = P(X_1 < x X_2) = \int_0^{\infty} dx_1 \int_{(1/x)x_1}^{\infty} dx_2 e^{-x_1} e^{-x_2}$   
 $x > 0$   
 $x \geq 0$   
 $0, x < 0$

$= \int_0^{\infty} dx_2 e^{-x_1} e^{-x_2/x} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{x}}$

$\therefore f_{\frac{X_1}{X_2}}(x) = \frac{1}{x^2(1 + \frac{1}{x})^2} = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}, x > 0$   
 $0, x < 0$

2]



$\rho = \frac{1}{\pi^2}$  X & Y are not independent  
 (X close to  $\pm 1$  implies Y close to 0)

Similarly  $f_X(x) = \frac{2\sqrt{1-x^2}}{\pi^2}$   $f_Y(y) = \frac{2\sqrt{1-y^2}}{\pi^2}$

etc. etc.  $X \neq f(X, Y(x, y))$

$D = \sqrt{X^2 + Y^2}$

$P(D \leq r) = \frac{\pi r^2}{\pi} = r^2 \quad 0 \leq r \leq 1$

3]

$N \sim \text{Poi}(\beta)$

$\therefore f_D(d) = 2d$

$P(N=n | N \text{ is even})$

n odd  $\rightarrow 0$

even  $\frac{\beta^n e^{-\beta}}{n!}$

$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^k e^{-\beta}}{(2k)!} = e^{-\beta} \cosh \beta = \frac{e^{\beta} + e^{-\beta}}{2}$

$E[N | N \text{ is even}] = \sum_{n \text{ even}} \frac{\beta^n}{n!} = \frac{\cosh \beta}{\cosh \beta} \sinh \beta = \beta \tanh \beta < \beta$

4]

$C_a = (\beta \cosh \beta + \sinh \beta) e^{-\beta}$

5]

p.g.f.  $f_X(z) = E[z^X] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^k P(X=k)$   $R_X \subset \text{Int} \cup \{0\}$

$X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$   $\sum_{k=0}^n z^k \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} = (pz + (1-p))^n = (1 + p(z-1))^n$

$f_{X+Y} = f_X f_Y$  if X & Y indep.  $\therefore X+Y \sim \text{Bin}(n+m, p)$

# heads in n  
 # heads in m

5]  $e^{\theta(t-1)} = e^{-\theta} \sum \frac{\theta^k t^k}{k!} \therefore X \sim \text{Poi}(\theta)$

7] m.g.f.  $\phi_X(t) = E[e^{tX}]$

$\int_0^{\infty} e^{tx} e^{-\theta x} dx = \frac{\theta}{\theta-t} \quad t < \theta$

8]  $\int_0^{\infty} e^{tx} \left[ \lambda e^{-\lambda x} + \lambda^2 x e^{-\lambda x} \right] dx = \frac{\lambda^2}{(\lambda-t)^2} \int_0^{\infty} x e^{-(\lambda-t)x} dx \quad (\lambda-t)^2$   
 $(x e^{-\lambda x})' = e^{-\lambda x} - \lambda x e^{-\lambda x} = \frac{1}{(\lambda-t)^2} \quad t < \lambda$

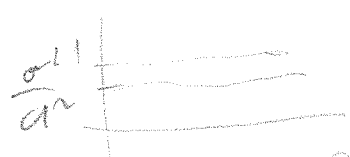
$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{1}{1-\frac{t}{\lambda}} \right) \Big|_{t=0}$   
 $= \frac{2}{\lambda^2}$

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1]  $P(X \geq c) \leq \frac{EX}{c} \quad X \geq 0$

$P(X^2 \geq b) \leq \frac{EX^2}{b} = \frac{VX + \mu^2}{b}$

$P(X \geq a) = P(X+b \geq a+b) \leq P((X+b)^2 \geq (a+b)^2) \leq \frac{E(X+b)^2}{(a+b)^2} = \frac{\sigma^2 + b^2}{(a+b)^2}$



naively  $\frac{2b(a+b)^2 - 2(\sigma^2 + b^2)(a+b)}{(a+b)^4} = 0 \Rightarrow a$  (the other way)

$(a+b)^2 = \sigma^2 + b^2$   
 $ba = \sigma^2$   
 $b = \frac{\sigma^2}{a}$

$\frac{\sigma^2 + b^2}{(a+b)^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{a+b} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + a^2}$

$\therefore P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + a^2}$

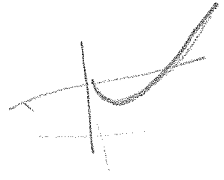
$\frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + a^2} \leq \frac{\sigma^2 + b^2}{(a+b)^2}$   
 $\sigma^2(a^2 + 2ab + b^2) \leq (\sigma^2 + b^2)(\sigma^2 + a^2)$   
 $2ab\sigma^2 \leq \sigma^4 + a^2 b^2$   
 $0 \leq a^2 b^2 + \sigma^4 - 2ab\sigma^2 = (ab - \sigma^2)^2$   
 $0 = \sigma^4 a^2 - 4a^2 \sigma^4 = 0$

2)  $P(W \geq 12) = P(W + 10 \leq 22) \leq \frac{10}{12} = 5/6$

$P(W - 10 \geq 2) \leq 4 / (4 + 4) = 1/2$  (much better)

3)  $E[e^{tX}] \geq e^{ta} P(X \geq a)$

$X \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda) \Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} e^{tk} \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^k}{k!} = e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)}$



$P(X \geq a) \leq e^{-ta} e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)} = e^{\lambda(e^t - 1) - ta}$

$\lambda \geq a$   $\lambda e^t - a = 0$   $t^* = (\ln a / \lambda) \vee 0$

no minimum attained at  $t=0$  if  $k \rightarrow \lambda$

$P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{\lambda^a}{k!} e^{k - \lambda}$

4) a)  $X \sim N(150000)$

$\frac{X - 50000}{\sqrt{10,000} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{1}{25}\right)^{1/2}} = \frac{X - 50,000}{25} \sim N(0,1)$

(a)  $P\left(\frac{X - 50000}{25} > 40\right) \approx 1 - \Phi(40)$

(b)  $P\left(\frac{X - 50000}{25} \leq 4\right) \approx \Phi(4)$

(c)  $1 - 2\Phi(-2)$

(d)  $1 - \Phi(-4)$

5)  $P(\text{Poi}(n) \leq n) = P(\sum_{i=1}^n \text{Poi}(1) - n \leq 0) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \Phi(0) = \frac{1}{2}$