

1.

$$\begin{aligned}\Pr[(A \cup \bar{B}) \cap \overline{B \cup C} \cap (C \cup \bar{D})] &= 1 - \Pr[(\bar{A} \cap B) \cup B \cup C \cup (\bar{C} \cap D)] \\ &= 1 - \Pr[B \cup C \cup D]\end{aligned}$$

as $\bar{A} \cap B$ is a subset of B , and $C \cup (\bar{C} \cap D) = \Omega \cap (C \cup D) = C \cup D$. Now

$$1 - \Pr[B \cup C \cup D] = \Pr(\bar{B} \cap \bar{C} \cap \bar{D}) = 0.79 \times 0.17 \times 0.45 = 6.0435\%$$

2.

$\begin{smallmatrix} X \rightarrow \\ Y \downarrow \end{smallmatrix}$	0	1	2	3	4	
0	1c	3c	5c	7c	9c	25c
1	2c	4c	6c	0	0	12c
2	3c	0	0	0	0	3c
	6c	7c	11c	7c	9c	

a. $c = \frac{1}{40}$

b.

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_x &= \frac{7 + 22 + 21 + 36}{40} = \frac{43}{20} \\ \mu_y &= \frac{12 + 6}{40} = \frac{9}{20} \\ \text{Var}(X) &= \frac{7 + 44 + 63 + 144}{40} - \left(\frac{43}{20}\right)^2 = \frac{731}{400} \\ \text{Var}(Y) &= \frac{12 + 12}{40} - \left(\frac{9}{20}\right)^2 = \frac{159}{400} \\ \text{Cov}(X, Y) &= \frac{4 + 12}{40} - \frac{43}{20} \cdot \frac{9}{20} = -\frac{227}{400}\end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$\rho = \frac{-227}{\sqrt{731 \cdot 159}} = -0.6658$$

c.

Y X=0	0	1	2
Pr	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{2}{6}$	$\frac{3}{6}$

Answer:

$$2 \cdot (1 - 2) \cdot \frac{3}{6} = -1$$

3. ...

a.

$$\begin{aligned}\Lambda_1 &= 12.3 \times \frac{6}{60} = 1.23 \\ \Lambda_2 &= 12.3 \times \frac{12}{60} = 2.46\end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$(1 + 1.23)e^{-1.23} - (1 + 2.46)e^{-2.46} = 35.62\%$$

b.

$$\Lambda = 12.3 \times \frac{26}{60} = 5.33$$

Answer:

$$e^{-5.33} \sum_{i=0}^4 \frac{5.33^i}{i!} = 38.46\%$$

c.

$$\begin{aligned} 3 - 2 \times 5.33 &= -7.66 \\ 2 \times \sqrt{5.33} &= 4.617 \end{aligned}$$

4.

SS	R	BR	BBR	BBBR	BBBBR	BBBBBR
X	1	2	3	4	5	6
Pr	$\frac{7}{12}$	$\frac{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{7}{11}}{= \frac{35}{132}}$	$\frac{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{4}{11} \cdot \frac{7}{10}}{= \frac{7}{66}}$	$\frac{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{4}{11} \cdot \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{7}{9}}{= \frac{7}{198}}$	$\frac{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{4}{11} \cdot \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{7}{8}}{= \frac{7}{792}}$	$\frac{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{4}{11} \cdot \frac{3}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{8}}{= \frac{1}{792}}$

$$\mu = \sum_{i=1}^6 i \times \Pr(X = i) = \frac{13}{8} = 1.625$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \sum_{i=1}^6 (i - \frac{13}{8})^2 \times \Pr(X = i) = \frac{455}{576} = 0.7899$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^6 (i - \frac{13}{8})^3 \times \Pr(X = i)}{\text{Var}(X)^{3/2}} = 1.519$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^6 (i - \frac{13}{8})^4 \times \Pr(X = i)}{\text{Var}(X)^2} = 5.140$$

5. ...

a.

$$\sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{19}{i} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^i \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{19-i} - \sum_{i=0}^3 \binom{30}{i} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^i \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^{30-i} = 36.74\%$$

b.

$$\begin{aligned} 4 \times 6 &= 24 \\ \sqrt{4 \times 6 \times 5} &= 10.95 \end{aligned}$$

c. We know that $P(z) = z^4(6 - 5z)^{-4}$. The third derivative is $144z(36 + 90z + 25z^2)(6 - 5z)^{-7}$, evaluated at $z = 1$ yields 21,744.

6.

$$W = 3X + Y - 2Z$$

where X , Y and Z is the number of aces, face cards and spades, respectively.

$$\mathbb{E}(3X + Y - 2Z) = 3 \cdot \frac{5}{13} + \frac{5 \cdot 3}{13} - 2 \cdot \frac{5}{4} = -19.23 \text{ ¢}$$

$$\text{Var}(3X + Y - 2Z) = 5 \left(9 \cdot \frac{1}{13} \frac{12}{13} + \frac{3}{13} \frac{10}{13} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{4} \frac{3}{4} - 6 \cdot \frac{1}{13} \frac{3}{13} \right) \frac{52-5}{52-1} = \frac{77315}{11492}$$

implying that

$$\sigma_w = \sqrt{\frac{77315}{11492}} = 2.594 \text{ \$}$$

Losing more than \$7 can happen only when we get 4 spades, no ace and no face card, of we get 5 spades, no ace and up to 2 face cards. The probability is:

$$\frac{\binom{9}{4} \binom{27}{1} + \binom{9}{5} + \binom{9}{4} \binom{3}{1} + \binom{9}{3} \binom{3}{2}}{\binom{52}{5}} = 0.1600\%$$

7. ...

a. The first derivative of $P(z)$ is

$$\frac{80 \cdot (3 + 2z)^3}{(7 - 2z)^5}$$

evaluated at $z = 1$ yields the mean of $\frac{16}{5} = 3.2$. The second derivative evaluated at $z = 1$ yields $\frac{256}{25}$. This implies

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{256}{25} + \frac{16}{5} - \left(\frac{16}{5}\right)^2} = 1.789$$

b. Expanding $P(z)$ in Taylor series, the coefficients of z^3 is: 23.20%

The expansion is of course done by Maple. Doing it ‘by hand’ takes a lot longer, but it is still feasible:

$$\begin{aligned} & (3 + 2z)^4 \cdot 7^{-4} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{2}{7}z\right)^{-4} = \\ & 7^{-4} \cdot \left(3^4 + 4 \cdot 3^3 \cdot (2z) + 6 \cdot 3^2 \cdot (2z)^2 + 4 \cdot 3 \cdot (2z)^3 + \dots\right) \cdot \\ & \left(1 + \binom{-4}{1} \cdot \frac{-2}{7}z + \binom{-4}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{-2}{7}z\right)^2 + \binom{-4}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{-2}{7}z\right)^3 + \dots\right) \end{aligned}$$

This implies that the answer is

$$7^{-4} \cdot \left(3^4 \cdot \binom{-4}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)^3 + 4 \cdot 3^3 \cdot (2) \cdot \binom{-4}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{-2}{7}\right)^2 + 6 \cdot 3^2 \cdot (2)^2 \cdot \binom{-4}{1} \cdot \frac{-2}{7} + 4 \cdot 3 \cdot (2)^3\right)$$

which evaluates to the same 23.20%. This is what students had to do in pre-Maple days!

c.

$$z^5 \left(\frac{3 + 2z^2}{7 - 2z^2} \right)^4$$

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This note is for the ‘purists’ who want to avoid using Maple entirely. This is how we can evaluate the third derivative of $z^4(6 - 5z)^{-4}$ at $z = 1$, utilizing the following product rule:

$$(f \cdot g)''' = f''' \cdot g + 3f'' \cdot g' + 3f' \cdot g'' + f \cdot g'''$$

In our case, this yields

$$4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot (-4) \cdot (-5) + 3 \cdot 4 \cdot (-4) \cdot (-5) \cdot (-5)^2 + (-4) \cdot (-5) \cdot (-6) \cdot (-5)^3 = 21,744$$

Are not we lucky to have Maple!