

Discussion 5

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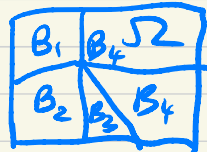
- Inclusion-exclusion formula

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) \quad P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

- randomly draw with replacement
without replacement

- independence

conditional probability



Bayes' formula / partition

$$P(B_k | A) = \frac{P(A | B_k) \cdot P(B_k)}{\sum P(A | B_i) \cdot P(B_i)}$$

$$P(A) = \sum P(A \cap B_i) = \sum P(A | B_i) \cdot P(B_i)$$

- CDF

$$P(X \leq a) = F(a)$$

$$P(X < a) = \lim_{t \rightarrow a^-} F(t) = \lim_{\substack{\epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \epsilon > 0}} F(a - \epsilon)$$

$$P(a < X < b)$$

= $P(a \leq X \leq b)$ if X continuous

- p.m.f

$$P(X=k) = p(k)$$

$$E[X]$$

$$\sum_k k p(k)$$

$$E[g(X)]$$

$$\sum_k g(k) \cdot p(k)$$

- p.d.f.

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$$P(a \leq X \leq b) = P(a < X < b)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f(x) dx$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} g(x) f(x) dx$$

- $\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - (E[X])^2 \geq 0$

- Gaussian random variable $Z \sim N(0, 1)$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-x^2/2}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

mean \rightarrow variance

$$\mathbb{E}[z^{2k+1}] = 0, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[z^{2k}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^{2k} \cdot e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^{2k-1} \cdot x e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} x^{2k-1} (-e^{-x^2/2}) \Big|_{-\infty}^{+\infty} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (2k-1) \cdot x^{2k-2} (-e^{-x^2/2}) dx$$

$$= \frac{(2k-1)}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^{2k-2} e^{-x^2/2} dx = (2k-1) \cdot \mathbb{E}[z^{2k-2}]$$

$$= (2k-1) \cdot (2k-3) \cdot \mathbb{E}[z^{2k-4}]$$

$$\mathbb{E}[z^{2k}] = (2k-1)!!$$

$v = -e^{-x^2/2}$
 $dv = x e^{-x^2/2} dx$

mean \rightarrow variance

Fact 3.61. Let μ be real, $\sigma > 0$, and suppose $X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$. Let $a \neq 0$, b real, and $Y = aX + b$. Then $Y \sim \mathcal{N}(a\mu + b, a^2\sigma^2)$, that is, Y is normally distributed with mean $a\mu + b$ and variance $a^2\sigma^2$.

In particular, $Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}$ is a standard normal random variable.

$$X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$P(c \leq X \leq d)$$

$$= P(c < X < d)$$

$$= P(c - \mu < X - \mu < d - \mu)$$

$$\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$\sigma \rightarrow$ standard deviation

$$= P\left(\frac{c - \mu}{\sigma} < \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} < \frac{d - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= \int_{\frac{c - \mu}{\sigma}}^{\frac{d - \mu}{\sigma}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

• Approximation $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$ by $Y \sim N(np, np(1-p))$

$P(X=c)$ if $np(1-p) > 10$

$$= P(c - \frac{1}{2} < X < c + \frac{1}{2})$$

$$\approx P(c - \frac{1}{2} < Y < c + \frac{1}{2})$$

$$= P\left(\frac{c - \frac{1}{2} - np}{\sqrt{np(1-p)}} < \frac{Y - np}{\sqrt{np(1-p)}} < \frac{c + \frac{1}{2} - np}{\sqrt{np(1-p)}}\right)$$

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

• Approximation $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$

by $Y \sim \text{Poisson}(np)$

if np^2 small.