

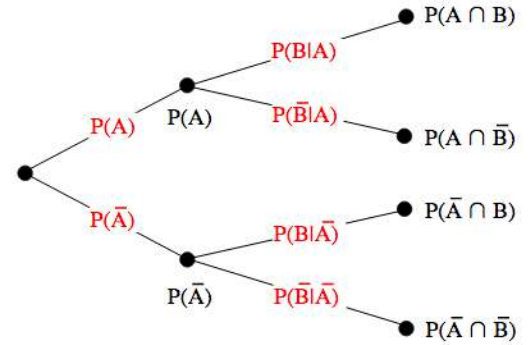


ADM2303 Midterm - Summary Statistics for Management

Statistics for Management (University of Ottawa)

PROBABILITY

AND $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B|A)$ IF INDEP. $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B)$
 OR $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$ IF DISJOINT $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$
 GIVEN $P(A|B) = P(A \cap B) / P(B)$
 BAYES $P(A|B) = P(B|A) \times P(A) / P(B)$ NOTE: $P(B) = P(B \cap C) + P(B \cap D)$



Contingency Table:

If filled with absolute values, divide each value by the sum of all values, to attain probabilities that altogether total to 1.

Add columns and rows for marginal values.

NOTE: $P(A|C) = P(A \cap C) / P(C)$ → can find conditional probabilities

	C	D	Total
A	$P(A \cap C)$	$P(A \cap D)$	$P(A)$
B	$P(B \cap C)$	$P(B \cap D)$	$P(B)$
Total	$P(C)$	$P(D)$	1

DISCRETE DISTRIBUTIONS: **INDEPENDENT RANDOM VARIABLES**

$E(X) = \mu = \sum x_i \times P(x_i)$ ex. $\mu = (0)(0.25) + (1)(0.5) + (2)(0.25)$ $\sum P(x_i) = 1$
 $Var(X) = \sigma^2 = \sum (x - EV)^2 \times P(x)$ ex. $\sigma^2 = (0-1)^2(0.25) + (1-1)^2(0.5) + (2-1)^2(0.25)$
 $SD(X) = \sigma = \sqrt{Var(X)}$ ex. $\sigma = \sqrt{(0-1)^2(0.25) + (1-1)^2(0.5) + (2-1)^2(0.25)}$

$E(X \pm c) = E(X) \pm c$ $E(aX) = aE(X)$ $E(X \pm Y) = E(X) \pm E(Y)$
 $Var(X \pm c) = Var(X)$ $Var(aX) = a^2 Var(X)$ $Var(X \pm Y) = Var(X) + Var(Y)$
 $SD(X \pm c) = SD(X)$ $SD(aX) = |a| SD(X)$ $SD(X \pm Y) = \sqrt{Var(X) + Var(Y)}$ [Like Pythagorean]

NOTE: If payout on policy doubles: $2EV = 2 \times EV = 2 \times 200 = 400$

But if number of policy holders doubles: $EV(X+Y) = E(X) + E(Y) = 200 + 200 = 400$

The EV is the same, but Var and SD will be different (two policy holders are diff. random variables)

Value	Probability	Expected Value	[1 st step to Var]	Variance	Standard Dev
x	P(x)	x × P(x)	(x - EV)²	(x - EV)² × P(x)	
5	2/5	5(2/5) = 2	(5-11) ² = 36	36 × 2/5 = 14.4	
10	2/5	10(2/5) = 4	(10-11) ² = 1	1 × 2/5 = 0.4	
25	1/5	25(1/5) = 5	(25-11) ² = 196	196 × 1/5 = 39.2	SD:
	EV:	Σ x × P(x)	Var:	Σ (x - EV)² × P(x)	√ Var
		2+4+5 = 11		14+0.4+39 = 54	√ 54 = 7.35

UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION

$P(x) = 1/n$ $E(X) = n+1/2$ $Var(X) = n^2+1/12$

BINOMIAL DISTRIBUTION

The probability of achieving exactly x successes in n trials

n=sample size | x=number of successes | n-x=number of failures | p=P(success) | q=P(failure)=1-p

$P(x) = \frac{n!}{(n-x)!x!} \times p^x q^{n-x}$ NOTE: $nCx = \frac{n!}{(n-x)!x!}$ $E(X) = np$
 $Var(X) = npq$

POISSON DISTRIBUTION

The probability of achieving exactly x successes in a given period of time (or space)

$$P(X=x) = \frac{\lambda^x e^{-\lambda}}{x!} \quad \begin{array}{l} X = \text{number of successes} \\ \lambda = \text{mean (expected) number of successes} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} EV = \mu = \lambda \\ SD = \sigma = \sqrt{\lambda} \end{array}$$

BAYES THEOREM

The probability that a probability is valid (reverse conditional probability)

Given: $P(\text{Faulty})$, $P(1\text{-Faulty}=\text{Okay})$, $P(\text{Test Pos}|\text{F})$, $P(\text{Test N}|\text{F})$, $P(\text{P}|\text{O})$, $P(\text{N}|\text{O})$ LF: $P(\text{F}|\text{P})$

BAYES: $P(\text{A}|\text{B}) = P(\text{B}|\text{A}) \times P(\text{A}) / P(\text{B})$ or $P(\text{F}|\text{P}) = P(\text{P}|\text{F}) \times P(\text{F}) / P(\text{P})$

Already have top two elements of the equation, just need to find denominator $P(\text{P})$

Which is made up of $P(\text{P} \cap \text{F}) + P(\text{P} \cap \text{O}) \rightarrow [P(\text{F}) \times P(\text{P}|\text{F})] + [P(\text{O}) \times P(\text{P}|\text{O})]$

PLAN, DO REPORT

State Approach

Ex. "Use definition of marginal, joint, conditional probability"

Gen Addition, Gen Multiplication, Complement Rule, Bernoulli Trials, Baye's Theorem

ETHICS

Professionalism: relevance, competence, accuracy, predisposition by investigator, obsolete approach, conflict of interest

Responsibilities in Publications and Testimony: insufficient information (validity, who/why), written in language not intended for audience

Responsibilities of Employers: pressure from employers to provide certain result

VOCABULARY

Cross-Sectional Data: Observed at a fixed time. VS Time Series Data: Ordered data observed over time.

Discrete Variable: Counted items. VS Continuous Variable: Measured characteristics.

Disjoint Events: Mutually exclusive; cannot occur simultaneously, and thus cannot be independent.

Event: Outcome of a trial. VS Trial: Process that produces an outcome.

Independent Event: $P(\text{A}) = P(\text{A}|\text{B})$, $P(\text{B}) = P(\text{B}|\text{A})$ OR Check:

Law of Large Numbers: If events are independent, the long-run relative frequency becomes a single value.

Marginal Probability: Single event.

Nominal Values: Name or label. VS Ordinal Values: Non-numeric values, have an order.

Primary Data: You collected the data. VS Secondary Data: Someone else collected the data.

Sample Space: Collection of all exhaustive events, with a combined probability of 1.

VOCABULARY LIST

Complement | Continuous Variable | Cross-Sectional Data | Discrete Variable | Disjoint Event

Empirical Assessment | Event | Identifier Variable | Independent Event | Law of Large Numbers

Marginal Probability | Nominal Value | Ordinal Value | Primary Data | Sample Space | Secondary Data

Subjective Assessment | Theoretical Assessment | Time Series Data | Trial