

Homework 8; Due 8.30 a.m. Wed Mar 4. Ross Problems: Ch 6; 2(a)&35, 3(a)&37, 28; Ch 7 48, 51.

Ch 6: 2(a)&35; Urn of 13 balls, of which 5 are white; 3 balls chosen.

2(a) $X_i = 1$ if i th ball selected is white;

$$P(X_1 = 1) = 5/13. P(X_2 = 1 | X_1 = 1) = 4/12, P(X_2 = 0 | X_1 = 1) = 8/12$$

$$\text{So } P((X_1, X_2) = (1, 1)) = 5/39, P((X_1, X_2) = (1, 0)) = P((X_1, X_2) = (0, 1)) = 10/39,$$

$$\text{and } P((X_1, X_2) = (0, 0)) = (8/13)(7/12) = 14/39.$$

35(a) Note $P(X_2 = 1) = 5/13$;

$$P(X_1 = 1 | X_2 = 1) = (5/39)/(5/13) = 1/3 P(X_1 = 0 | X_2 = 1) = 1 - (1/3) = 2/3.$$

35(b) $P(X_2 = 0) = 1 - 5/13 = 8/13$.

$$P(X_1 = 1 | X_2 = 0) = (10/39)/(8/13) = 5/12, P(X_1 = 0 | X_2 = 0) = 1 - (5/12) = 7/12.$$

Ch 6: 3(a)&37; Urn of 13 balls, (of which 5 are white); 3 balls chosen.

$Y_i = 1$ if i th white ball is selected; $P(Y_i = 1) = 3/13$. $P(Y_2 = 1 | Y_1 = 1) = 2/12$,

So $P((Y_1, Y_2) = (1, 1)) = 1/26$, $P((Y_1, Y_2) = (1, 0)) = P((Y_1, Y_2) = (0, 1)) = 5/26$,

and $P((Y_1, Y_2) = (0, 0)) = (26 - 1 - 5 - 5)/26 = 15/26$.

37(a) Note $P(Y_2 = 1) = 3/13$;

$$P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_2 = 1) = (1/26)/(3/13) = 1/6 P(Y_1 = 0 | Y_2 = 1) = 1 - (1/6) = 5/6.$$

37(b) $P(Y_2 = 0) = 1 - 3/13 = 10/13$;

$$P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_2 = 0) = (5/26)/(10/13) = 1/4, P(Y_1 = 0 | Y_2 = 0) = 1 - (1/4) = 3/4.$$

Ch 6 28; $Z = X_1/X_2$, $X_1 \sim \mathcal{E}(\lambda_1)$, $X_2 \sim \mathcal{E}(\lambda_2)$, X_1 and X_2 independent.

$$\begin{aligned} F_Z(z) &= P(Z \leq z) = P(X_1 \leq zX_2) = \int_{y=0}^{\infty} \int_{x=0}^{zy} f_{X_1}(x) f_{X_2}(y) dx dy = \int_{y=0}^{\infty} F_{X_1}(zy) f_{X_2}(y) dy \\ &= \int_{y=0}^{\infty} (1 - \exp(-\lambda_1 zy)) \lambda_2 \exp(-\lambda_2 y) dy = 1 - \lambda_2 / (\lambda_1 z + \lambda_2) = \lambda_1 z / (\lambda_1 z + \lambda_2) \end{aligned}$$

So $F_Z(z) = 0$ on $z < 0$ and $F_Z(z) = 1$ on $z \geq 0$.

Also $P(X_1 < X_2) = P(Z < 1) = F_Z(1) = \lambda_1 / (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)$.

Ch 7 48. X is number of tries to get a 6; Y is number of rolls to get a 5.

(a) $X \sim Geo(1/6)$; $P(X = k) = 5^{k-1}/6^k$, $k = 1, 2, \dots$, $E(X) = 6$.

(b) Given $Y = 1$, $X \sim 1 + Geo(1/6)$. $E(X | Y = 1) = 1 + E(X) = 7$.

(c) Given $Y = 5$, $X = 1, 2, 3, 4$ with probs $4^{k-1}/5^k$, and $P(X \leq 4 | Y = 5) = 0.5904$

and $X = 5 + k$ with probs $(1 - 0.5904) * 5^{k-1}/6^k$,

giving $E(X | Y = 5) = 1.3136 + 0.4896 * (5 + 6) = 5.8192$

Ch 7 51. $f_{X,Y}(x, y) = \exp(-y)/y$ on $0 < x < y < \infty$.

So $f_Y(y) = \int_{x=0}^y \exp(-y)/y dy = \exp(-y)$ on $0 < y < \infty$.

So $f_{X|Y}(x|y) = f_{X,Y}(x, y)/f_Y(y) = 1/y$ on $0 < x < y$.

So, given $Y = y$, X is $U(0, y)$, and $E(X^3 | Y = y) = (1/y) \int_0^y x^3 dx = y^3/4$.