

Statistics 394, Problem Set 7

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Reading: Kelly, Chapter 4, Sections 4.1 - 4.4.

Optional Web Section I.D.1,2,3,5

Expected Value; Variance, Correlation;

Conditional Expected value at

Reading: <http://www.math.uah.edu/stat/expect/index.html> .

Due: Wednesday, February 23, 2000.

1. K 3.5, #9, page 207.
2. K 4.1, #3, page 238.
3. K 4.1, #5, page 238.
4. K 4.1, #7, page 238.
5. K 4.1, #9, page 239.
6. K 4.1, #15, page 240.
7. Bonus Problem 1: K 4.1, # 8, page 239. In part (c), let $T_n = X_1 + \cdots + X_n$ denote your winnings in n plays of the game. Compute $E(T_n)$, $Var(T_n)$, and $\sigma_{T_n} = \sqrt{Var(T_n)}$ first for n plays of the game; then make a table of these quantities for $n = 10^2, 10^3$, and 10^4 .
8. Bonus Problem 2: Look at the Bivariate Uniform Experiment at the Virtual Laboratories website:

<http://www.math.uah.edu/stat/expect/index.html>

- (a) For the circle part of this experiment, give a picture showing the region where the density is positive and where it is zero.
- (b) For the circle part of this experiment, find the marginal density of X .
- (c) Find the conditional density of $(Y|X = x)$ for x in the range -6 to 6 .
- (d) Verify that the correlation coefficient equals zero: $\rho_{X,Y} = 0$.