

3.14 By multiplication rule,

$$\begin{aligned} P(E_1 E_2 E_3 E_4) &= P(E_1) P(E_2 | E_1) P(E_3 | E_2 E_1) P(E_4 | E_3 E_2 E_1) \\ &= \frac{C_1^4 C_2^4}{C_3^2} \frac{C_1^3 C_2^3}{C_3^2} \frac{C_1^2 C_2^2}{C_3^2} \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_3} \approx 0.105 \end{aligned}$$

3.21 According to Hint,

we assume  $P_s$  is the proportion of people on the street over the age of 50

Then we estimate  $P_s$  but  $P_s = \frac{d_1 P}{d_1(1-P) + d_2 P}$

Comment on this method:

- ① If  $d_1 = d_2$ , then  $P_s = P$ . This is a reasonable estimation.
- ② If  $d_1 > d_2$ , then  $P_s < P$ . This could be underestimated.
- ③ If  $d_1 < d_2$ , then  $P_s > P$ . This could be overestimated.

3.31 Actually, this is an urn problem.

So there are 12 white balls and 8 red balls in the urn initially, where 8 red balls are the persons have returned at least once.

Now we have to determine the 4 persons who are coming back, it is equivalent to draw 4 balls in the urn, change them into red balls and return them to the urn.

So the red balls are the persons who have ever left the hall.

Finally, we select 4 balls in the urn, calculate the probability that 4 balls are all white, where the white balls are the persons have never left the hall.

Let  $E_x$  be the event that  $x$  red balls are selected in the initial urn.

$N$  be the event that the selected 4 balls are all white in the final urn.

$$\text{Then } P(N) = \sum_{x=0}^4 P(N|E_x) P(E_x)$$

$$\text{where } P(E_x) = \frac{C_8^x C_{12}^{4-x}}{C_{20}^4} \left( \frac{8 \text{ 顆紅球取 } x \text{ 顆紅球, } 12 \text{ 顆白球取 } (4-x) \text{ 顆白球}}{20 \text{ 球任取 } 4 \text{ 球}} \right)$$

Under  $E_x$ , there are  $8 + (4-x) = 12-x$  red balls  $\Rightarrow 20 - (12-x) = 8+x$  white balls

$$\text{So } P(N|E_x) = \frac{C_{8+x}^4}{C_{20}^4} \left( \frac{(8+x) \text{ 顆白球取 } 4 \text{ 顆}}{20 \text{ 球任取 } 4 \text{ 球}} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(N) = \sum_{x=0}^4 \frac{C_8^x C_{12}^{4-x}}{C_{20}^4} \frac{C_{8+x}^4}{C_{20}^4} \approx 0.0384$$

3.46 Let  $X$  be the one will be executed,  $Y$  be the jailer's answer

$$\text{Then } P(X=A) = P(X=B) = P(X=C) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y=B) &= P(Y=B|X=A)P(X=A) + P(Y=B|X=B)P(X=B) + P(Y=B|X=C)P(X=C) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + 0 \cdot \frac{1}{3} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{3} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Q: Why  $P(Y=B|X=A) = \frac{1}{2}$ ?

A: 建立在 A 會被處刑的狀況下, B 跟 C 都會被釋放,

因此獄卒是任意一個回答就好  $\Rightarrow$  回答是 B 的機率 =  $\frac{1}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X=A|Y=B) &= \frac{P(X=A, Y=B)}{P(Y=B)} \\ &= \frac{P(Y=B|X=A)P(X=A)}{P(Y=B)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}}{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $P(Y=C) = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $P(X=A|Y=C) = \frac{1}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow P(X=A) = P(X=A|Y=B) = P(X=A|Y=C) = \frac{1}{3}$$

That is, the jailer's answer won't change the probability that A will be executed or not.

3.48 Let  $M$  and  $F$  be the events that the policyholder will be male or female respectively.

Then  $P(M) = \alpha$  and  $P(F) = 1 - \alpha$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A_2|A_1) &= \frac{P(A_2 A_1)}{P(A_1)} \\ &= \frac{P(A_2 A_1 | M)P(M) + P(A_2 A_1 | F)P(F)}{P(A_1 | M)P(M) + P(A_1 | F)P(F)} \\ &= \frac{P_m \alpha + P_f (1 - \alpha)}{P_m \alpha + P_f (1 - \alpha)} \end{aligned}$$

To show  $P(A_2|A_1) > P(A_1) \Rightarrow \frac{P(A_2 A_1)}{P(A_1)} > P(A_1) \Rightarrow P(A_2 A_1) - [P(A_1)]^2 > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } P(A_2 A_1) - [P(A_1)]^2 &= [P_m \alpha + P_f (1 - \alpha)] - [P_m \alpha + P_f (1 - \alpha)]^2 \\ &= P_m \alpha + P_f (1 - \alpha) - [P_m^2 \alpha^2 + P_f^2 (1 - \alpha)^2 + 2 P_m P_f \alpha (1 - \alpha)] \\ &= P_m^2 (\alpha - \alpha^2) + P_f^2 [(1 - \alpha) - (1 - \alpha)^2] - 2 P_m P_f \alpha (1 - \alpha) \\ &= \alpha (1 - \alpha) (P_m - P_f)^2 > 0 \quad (\because P_m \neq P_f \text{ and } 0 < \alpha < 1) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $P(A_2|A_1) > P(A_1)$

Intuitive explanation:

① If  $P_m > P_f$ , given  $A_1$ , the policyholder is more likely to be male and more likely to make a claim in year 2.

② If  $P_m < P_f$ , given  $A_1$ , the policyholder is more likely to be female and more likely to make a claim in year 2.

60.  $\begin{matrix} 4 \text{ first-year boys.} & 6 \text{ sophomore boys} \\ 6 \text{ first-year girls.} & x \text{ sophomore girls.} \end{matrix}$

If sex and class are indep.  $\Rightarrow$  knowing sex 與否對 class 的資訊沒有幫助, 反之亦然。

Thus for first-year, boys : girls = 4 : 6 should equal to boys : girls for sophomore. i.e. 6 : x

Similarly, for boy, first-year : sophomore = 4 : 6 should equal to first-year : sophomore for girls, i.e. 6 : x

Therefore  $x = \frac{6}{4} \cdot 6 = 9$

63. 擲一 coin, coin lands on head with prob. : p,  $p \in [0, 1]$

Then: 1. 擲一次

2. 再擲一次

3. If step 1. and 2. outcomes are same, return to step 1.

4. 最後一次的結果作為 experiment.  $\Rightarrow$  代表 1st, 2nd 結果不同時, 才記最後一次的結果

- (a.) experiment 為 heads 的 prob. :  $P(H)$   $\left( \begin{matrix} H & H \\ T & T \end{matrix} \right)$   
 experiment 為 tails 的 prob. :  $P(T)$   $\left( \begin{matrix} H & H \\ T & T \end{matrix} \right)$

$$P(H) = P((T,H) | (T,H) \text{ or } (H,T)) = \frac{P(T,H)}{P((T,H) \text{ or } (H,T))} = \frac{P(T,H)}{P((T,H)) + P((H,T))} = \frac{(1-p) \cdot p}{(1-p) \cdot p + p \cdot (1-p)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

And  $P(T) = 1 - P(H) = \frac{1}{2} = P(H)$

- (b) Step 3. 改成 if step 1. and 2. outcomes are same  $\Rightarrow$  continue flip until 倒數兩次 outcome 不同

$$\text{Then } P(H) = P((T,H)) + P((T,T,H)) + P((T,T,T,H)) + \dots = (1-p) \cdot p + (1-p)^2 \cdot p + \dots = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} P((1-p)^i) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p(1-p)(1-(1-p)^n)}{1-(1-p)} = \frac{p(1-p)}{p} = 1-p \neq \frac{1}{2}$$

68. A 打中 B prob. =  $p_A$   
 B 打中 A prob. =  $p_B$

- (a) A 沒被打中, B 被打中:

$$\frac{p_A(1-p_B)}{\text{一輪結束}} + \frac{(1-p_A)(1-p_B)[p_A(1-p_B)]}{\text{兩輪結束}} + \dots = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^i \cdot p_A(1-p_B) = \frac{p_A(1-p_B)}{1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)} = \frac{p_A(1-p_B)}{1-(1-p_A+p_B+p_A p_B)} = \frac{p_A - p_A p_B}{p_A + p_B - p_A p_B}$$

- (b) A, B 皆被打中:

$$p_A p_B + (1-p_A)(1-p_B)p_A p_B + \dots = \frac{p_A p_B}{1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)} = \frac{p_A p_B}{p_A + p_B - p_A p_B}$$

For (c) (d) (e) dual ends after the nth round 有兩種解讀:  
 1. 在第 n 輪結束  
 2. 在第 n 輪後才結束 i.e. n+1, n+2, ... th 結束

- (c) 1. 在第 n 輪結束:

$$[(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^{n-1} \cdot [1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)] = [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^{n-1} \cdot (p_A + p_B - p_A p_B)$$

2. 在第 n 輪後才結束

$$\sum_{i=n}^{\infty} [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^i [1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)] = \frac{[(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^n [1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]}{1-(1-p_A)(1-p_B)} = [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^n$$

- (d) 1. P(在第 n 輪結束 | A is not hit)

$$= \frac{P(\text{nth 結束, A is not hit})}{P(A \text{ is not hit})} = \frac{[(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^{n-1} \cdot p_A(1-p_B)}{[p_A(1-p_B)] / (p_A + p_B - p_A p_B)} = [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^{n-1} \cdot (p_A + p_B - p_A p_B)$$

$\therefore$  至少一人被打中才有結果, A is not hit  $\Rightarrow$  B is hit

2. P(在第 n 輪後才結束 | A is not hit)

$$= \frac{P(\text{nth 後才結束, A is not hit})}{P(A \text{ is not hit})} = \frac{[(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^n \cdot p_A(1-p_B)}{[p_A(1-p_B)] / (p_A + p_B - p_A p_B)} = [(1-p_A)(1-p_B)]^n$$

(e) 1.  $P(\text{在第 } n \text{ 輪結束} | A, B \text{ hit})$

$$= \frac{P(\text{在第 } n \text{ 輪結束}, A, B \text{ hit})}{P(A, B \text{ hit})} = \frac{((1-P_A)(1-P_B))^{n-1} \cdot P_A \cdot P_B}{P_A P_B / (P_A + P_B - P_A P_B)} = ((1-P_A)(1-P_B))^{n-1} (P_A + P_B - P_A P_B)$$

2.  $P(\text{在第 } n \text{ 輪後才結束} | A, B \text{ hit})$

$$= \frac{P(\text{在第 } n \text{ 輪後才結束}, A, B \text{ hit})}{P(A, B \text{ hit})} = \frac{[(1-P_A)(1-P_B)]^n P_A P_B}{P_A P_B / (P_A + P_B - P_A P_B)} = [(1-P_A)(1-P_B)]^n$$

89. (a) Show  $P(A=B) = (\frac{3}{4})^n$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A=B) &= \sum_{i=0}^n P\{A=B | N(B)=i\} \cdot P\{N(B)=i\} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{\binom{2^i}{i} \cdot \binom{C_i}{i} / 2^n}{C_i / 2^n} \cdot \binom{C_i}{i} / 2^n \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{2^i \cdot C_i}{4^n} \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{C_i \cdot 2^i \cdot 1^{n-i}}{4^n} \\ &= \frac{1}{4^n} (1+2)^n = (\frac{3}{4})^n \end{aligned}$$

(b)  $P(A \cap B = \phi) = P(A=B^c) = (\frac{3}{4})^n$   
 $\because A, B$  are arbitrary, by replace  $P(A=B)$  的  $B$  by  $B^c$ , we have  $P(A=B^c) = (\frac{3}{4})^n$

94 For each judge :

有罪判有罪 prob. = 0.7

無罪判有罪 prob. = 0.2

If 70% 被告實際有罪

$$\begin{aligned} (a) P(\text{judge 3 votes guilty} | \text{judge 1, 2 vote guilty}) &= \frac{P(\text{all judge vote guilty} | \text{此人 有罪}) + P(\text{all judge vote guilty} | \text{此人 無罪})}{P(\text{judge 1, 2 vote guilty} | \text{此人 有罪}) + P(\text{judge 1, 2 vote guilty} | \text{此人 無罪})} \\ &= \frac{0.7 \times (0.7)^3 + 0.3 \times (0.2)^3}{0.7 \times (0.7)^2 + 0.3 \times (0.2)^2} = 0.683 \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) P(\text{judge 3 votes guilty} | \text{one of the judge 1, 2 vote guilty}) = \frac{C_1^2 \cdot 0.7 \times (0.7)^2 \times 0.3 + C_1^2 \times 0.3 \times (0.2)^2 \times 0.8}{C_1^2 \cdot 0.7 \times 0.7 \times 0.3 + C_1^2 \times 0.3 \times 0.2 \times 0.8} = 0.577$$

Similarly as (a), condition 在此人 guilty or not 計算。

$$(c) P(\text{judge 3 votes guilty} | \text{none of the judge 1, 2 vote guilty}) = \frac{0.7 \times 0.7 \times 0.3^2 + 0.3 \times 0.2 \times 0.8^2}{0.7 \times 0.3^2 + 0.3 \times 0.8^2} = 0.324$$

$$(d) P(E_i) = 0.7 \cdot 0.7 + 0.3 \cdot 0.2 = 0.55 \quad \forall i = 1, 2, 3$$

For  $i, j \in \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $i \neq j$ .

$$\text{And } P(E_i \cap E_j) = 0.7 \cdot 0.7^2 + 0.3 \cdot 0.2^2 = 0.355$$

$$\text{But } P(E_i)P(E_j) = 0.3025 \leftarrow \text{不相同}$$

$\Rightarrow E_i$  之間 not indep.

Conditional indep. :

$\because$  when the defendant is in fact guilty, each judge will independently vote  $\Rightarrow$  they are conditional indep.