

Problem 1

- a. The sample space of the experiment of rolling 2 five-sided dice is $\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \times \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}^2$. Overall, there are 25 possible outcomes, which are all equiprobable, since the 2 dice are fair and the rolls are independent of each other. It is useful to define the following events

$A_1 =$ "at least one of the dice has a 5 showing"

$A_2 =$ "at least one of the dice has a 1 showing"

- i. It is

$$\begin{aligned} P(A) &= p(\{5, 5\}) = \frac{1}{25}. \\ P(A_1) &= \sum_{j=1}^5 p(\{5, j\}) + \sum_{i=1}^4 p(\{i, 5\}) \\ &= \frac{5}{25} + \frac{4}{25} = \frac{9}{25}. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,

$$P(A \cap A_1) = p(\{5, 5\}) = \frac{1}{25}.$$

We observe that

$$P(A \cap A_1) = \frac{1}{25} \neq \frac{9}{25^2} = P(A)P(A_1).$$

Thus, the events A and A_1 are not independent.

- ii. It is

$$P(A_2) = \sum_{j=1}^5 p(\{1, j\}) + \sum_{i=2}^5 p(\{i, 1\}) = \frac{9}{25}.$$

Moreover,

$$P(A \cap A_2) = p(\{\emptyset\}) = 0 \neq \frac{9}{25^2} = P(A)P(A_2).$$

So, the events A and A_2 are not independent.

- b. Let's define the events

$B_1 =$ "I get doubles"

$B_2 =$ "at least one of the dice has a 3 showing"

- i. It is

$$\begin{aligned} P(B) &= p(\{4, 4\}) + p(\{3, 5\}) + p(\{5, 3\}) = \frac{3}{25}. \\ P(B_1) &= \sum_{i=1}^5 p(\{i, i\}) = \frac{5}{25}. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,

$$P(B \cap B_1) = p(\{4, 4\}) = \frac{1}{25} \neq \frac{3 \cdot 5}{25^2} = P(B)P(B_1).$$

Thus, the events B and B_1 are not independent.

- ii. It is

$$P(B \cap B_2) = p(\{3, 5\}) + p(\{5, 3\}) = \frac{2}{25}.$$

Thus, we have

$$P(B_2|B) = \frac{P(B \cap B_2)}{P(B)} = \frac{2/25}{3/25} = \frac{2}{3}.$$

- iii. It is

$$P(B \cap A_1) = p(\{3, 5\}) + p(\{5, 3\}) = \frac{2}{25}.$$

So,

$$P(A_1|B) = \frac{P(B \cap A_1)}{P(B)} = \frac{2/25}{3/25} = \frac{2}{3}.$$

Problem 2

O, any pair: 4 choices

T, any pair but O: 3 choices

W, any pair but T: 3 choices

R, any pair but W: 3 choices

F, any pair but R: 3 choices

$$4 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 324 \text{ possibilities}$$

(b) (i) A: event of no complete pair

$$P(A) = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{|A|}{\binom{16}{4}}$$

The four shoes in an outcome in A must be from distinct pairs. There are $\binom{8}{4}$ ways to choose these 4 pairs. For each pair, there are $\binom{2}{1}$ to select which shoe (left or right) is in the outcome for each pair.

$$\Rightarrow |A| = \binom{8}{4} \binom{2}{1} \binom{2}{1} \binom{2}{1} \binom{2}{1} = 1120$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A) = \frac{1120}{1820} = \frac{8}{13} = 0.6154$$

(ii) B: event of two complete pairs

$$|B| = \binom{8}{2} = 28$$

↑ choose the two pairs

$$\Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{|B|}{|S|} = \frac{28}{1820} = 0.01538$$

C: event of exactly one complete pair

$$P(C) = 1 - P(A) - P(B)$$

$$= 0.3692$$

Problem 3

4) (a) A: event fish are all of same kind

$$P[A] = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{\binom{r}{1} \binom{n}{5}}{\binom{nr}{5}}$$

↑ choose 5 fish from nr

(b) A: event are each of a different kind

$$P[A] = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{\binom{r}{5} \left[\binom{n}{1} \right]^5}{\binom{nr}{5}}$$

(c) A: event 3 of one kind, 2 are 2 different kinds

$$P[A] = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{\binom{r}{1} \binom{r-1}{2} \binom{n}{3} \left[\binom{n}{1} \right]^2}{\binom{nr}{5}}$$

Problem 4

Let A: 3 defective parts out of 5, T_2 : shipment from the second truck

$$(a) P(A) = P(T_1)P(A|T_1) + P(T_2)P(A|T_2) + P(T_3)P(A|T_3) = \frac{\binom{5}{3}\binom{15}{2}}{\binom{20}{5}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{\binom{10}{3}\binom{30}{2}}{\binom{40}{5}}$$

$$\frac{1}{3} + 0 \cdot \frac{1}{3}$$

$$(b) P(T_2|A) = \frac{P(A|T_2)P(T_2)}{P(A)} = \frac{\frac{\binom{10}{3}\binom{30}{2}}{\binom{40}{5}} \cdot \frac{1}{3}}{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Problem 5

5) (a)

$$\begin{aligned}P(X \leq 3) &= P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3) \\&= 0.05 + 0.10 + 0.15 + 0.20 \\&= 0.50\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(b) \quad P(X \leq 3 | X \geq 2) &= \frac{P(\{X \geq 2\} \cap \{X \leq 3\})}{P(\{X \geq 2\})} \\&= \frac{P(2 \leq X \leq 3)}{P(X \geq 2)} \\&= \frac{P(X=2) + P(X=3)}{P(X=2) + P(X=3) + P(X=4) + P(X=5)} \\&= \frac{0.35}{0.85} = \frac{7}{17}\end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}P(\text{bad chip} \leq 3) &= P(\text{bad chips} \leq 3 | X)P(X) + P(\text{bad chips} \leq 3 | Y)P(Y) \\&= 0.50 \cdot 0.25 + 0.85 \cdot 0.75 \\&= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{17}{20} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \\&= \frac{61}{80}\end{aligned}$$

(d)

Y. Probabilities of small number of failures are large compared to X.