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Exercises 3

1. Random variables and probability (easy)

Let $f(x) = x/15$, $x = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$, zero elsewhere, be the probability function of X .

Find $Pr(X = 1)$ or 2 , $Pr(1/2 < X < 5/2)$, and $Pr(1 \leq X \leq 2)$.

2. Binomial distribution

Let X be the number of heads in $n=7$ independent tosses of an unbiased coin. Find the mean value and the variance of X . What is the probability of $X = 5$?

3. Poisson distribution

In a manuscript, it is discovered that only 13.5% of the pages contain no typing errors. If we assume that the number of errors per page is a random variable with a Poisson distribution, find the percentage of pages that have exactly one error.

4. Score distribution

Now the search engine outputs 100 peptide identifications with scores in descending order. There are 87 identifications scoring larger than s_1 , in which 8 false identifications are found. In the following table, the last 13 peptide identifications are listed. What is the q-value of the peptide ID scoring s_8 ?

What is the $FDR[s \geq s_8]$? And what is the corresponding FPR?

Peptide identification	Search engine score	True/false
LCEVEEGDKEDVDK	s_1	T
YTAQVDAEEKEDVK	s_2	T
IVADKDYSVTANSK	s_3	T
TGIEIIKK	s_4	T
DLGEEHFK	s_5	T
TASSDTSEELNSQDSPK	s_6	F
GAGGENEPPAAAPEPR	s_7	T
IKDPDAAKPEDWDDR	s_8	T
VDEVGGEALGR	s_9	T
SEEQLKEEGIEYK	s_{10}	F
LHVDPENFK	s_{11}	T
FSTVAGESGSADTVRDPK	s_{12}	T
AEDEILNR	s_{13}	F

5. EM algorithm: One step (medium)

Given $x = [-6, -5, -4, 0, 4, 5, 6]$ and the initial parameters $\mu_1 = -1$ and $\mu_2 = 6$, $\sigma_1 = 2$, $\sigma_2 = 1$, $\pi_1 = \pi_2 = 0.5$.

Perform the first iteration of the EM algorithm, i.e., calculate the responsibilities for the first component [= 1-second] for each datum below, $r_{1,1}$, $r_{1,5}$, $r_{1,6}$, then give MLEs of the new parameters for one component: μ_1 , σ_1 , π_1 .

6. Working on a discrete joint probability table

x	y	P(X = x, Y = y)
0	1	0.2
0	2	0.1
1	1	0.0
1	2	0.2
2	1	0.3
2	2	0.2

Given the following setting: The random variable X has a range of $\{0, 1, 2\}$ and the random variable Y has a range of $\{1, 2\}$. The joint distribution of X and Y is given by the above table.

Calculate the following marginal probabilities:

$$P(X = 0) =$$

$$P(X = 1) =$$

$$P(X = 2) =$$

$$P(Y = 1) =$$

$$P(Y = 2) =$$

Calculate the conditional probability distribution of X given Y = 2:

$$P(X = 0|Y = 2) =$$

$$P(X = 1|Y = 2) =$$

$$P(X = 2|Y = 2) =$$

Calculate the expectation values:

$$E(X) =$$

$$E(Y) =$$

$$E(XY) =$$

Are X and Y independent?