

# Caveats

- Problems in the slide will be independent from midterm problems
  - $P(p_1|p'_1 \text{ in slide}) = P(p_1)$
- Problems are mostly from homework previous years
  - Midterm will be slightly easier than homework in general
- All numbers will be replaced by symbols in the slide
  - In midterm, you may need to compute
- We will cover top-K options from the Slido survey
  - Survey does not cover all topics
  - You still need to review all topics by yourself

# Agenda & Survey result

- Bernoulli Process
  - Bernoulli/ Binomial/ Geometry/ Neg. Bi. Review
  - Questions for distributions
- Conditional Probability
  - Bayes and Law of Total Probability
  - Questions

# Bernoulli Process

An infinite sequence  $X_1, X_2 \dots$  s.t.  $X_k \sim Bern(p)$

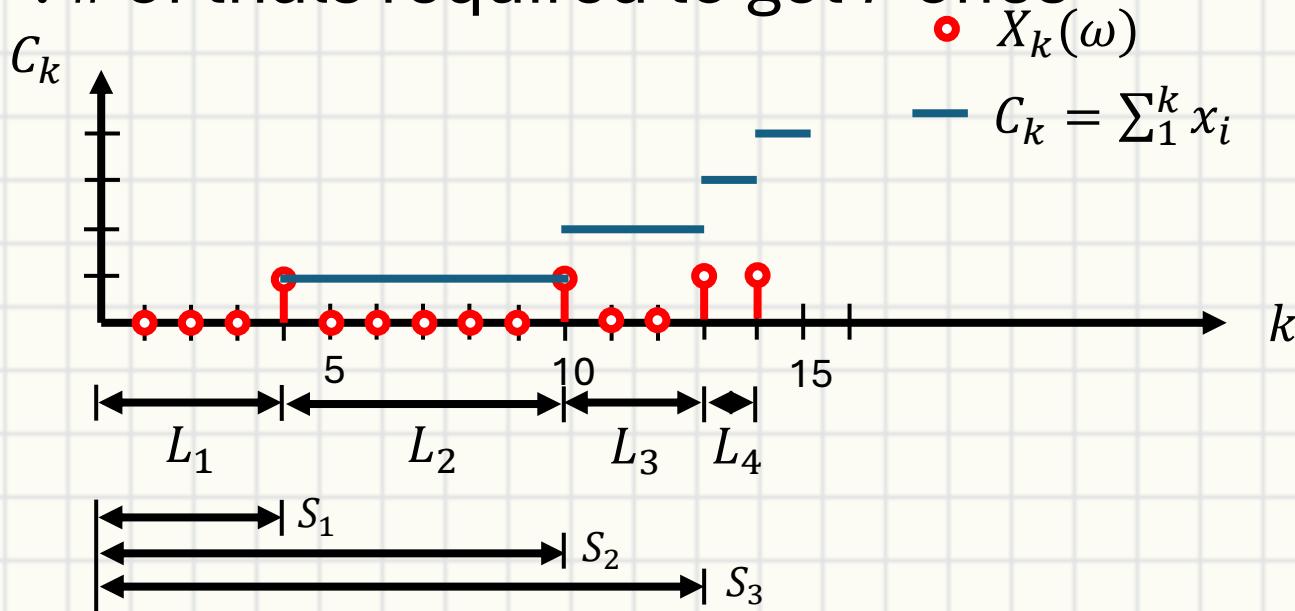
- Toss unfair coin many times

1.  $X_k \sim Bern(p)$

2.  $C_k \sim Bin(k, p) = \sum_k X_i$

3.  $L_k \sim Geo(p)$

4.  $S_r \sim NB(r, p) = \sum_1^r L_r$  : # of trials required to get  $r$  ones



# Properties

	$Bern(p)$	$Bin(n, p)$	$Poi(\lambda)$	$Geo(p)$	$NB(r, p)$
Relation	$X_i$	$\sum_n X_i$	$\sum_n X_i, n \rightarrow \infty$	$Y_i$	$\sum_n Y_i$
Mean					
Variance					
pmf					
Example	Toss a coin	Toss n times	Large $n$ small $p$	Until first $H$	Until $r^{th}$ $H$
Special		$(p + q)^n$		Memoryless	

# Binomial

	$Bern(p)$	$Bin(n, p)$	$Poi(\lambda)$	$Geo(p)$	$NB(r, p)$
Mean	$p$	$np$	$\lambda$	$1/p$	$r/p$
Variance	$p(1 - p)$	$np(1 - p)$	$\lambda$	$(1 - p)/p^2$	$r(1 - p)/p^2$
pmf	-	$\binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k}$	$e^{-\lambda} \lambda^k / k!$	$(1 - p)^{k-1} p$	$\binom{k-1}{r-1} (1 - p)^{k-r} p^r$

An airplane has  $s$  seats but sell  $t$  tickets. Each customer has probability  $p$  to show.

- $P(\text{everyone has seats})$
- Can we model the number of no-shows?

# Geometry

	$Bern(p)$	$Bin(n, p)$	$Poi(\lambda)$	$Geo(p)$	$NB(r, p)$
Mean	$p$	$np$	$\lambda$	$1/p$	$r/p$
Variance	$p(1 - p)$	$np(1 - p)$	$\lambda$	$(1 - p)/p^2$	$r(1 - p)/p^2$
pmf	-	$\binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k}$	$e^{-\lambda} \lambda^k / k!$	$(1 - p)^{k-1} p$	$\binom{k-1}{r-1} (1 - p)^{k-r} p^r$

Play a Roulette wheel

- $\Omega = \{00, 0, 1, \dots, 36\}$
- Always bet “small”  $S = \{1, 2, \dots, 15\}$
- $P(\text{Lose first 3 bets})$
- $P(\text{First win on } 5^{\text{th}} \text{ bet})$
- $P(\text{First win on } 6^{\text{th}} \text{ bet} \mid \text{Lose on first bet})$



# Neg. Bin.

	$Bern(p)$	$Bin(n, p)$	$Poi(\lambda)$	$Geo(p)$	$NB(r, p)$
Mean	$p$	$np$	$\lambda$	$1/p$	$r/p$
Variance	$p(1 - p)$	$np(1 - p)$	$\lambda$	$(1 - p)/p^2$	$r(1 - p)/p^2$
pmf	-	$\binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k}$	$e^{-\lambda} \lambda^k / k!$	$(1 - p)^{k-1} p$	$\binom{k-1}{r-1} (1 - p)^{k-r} p^r$

$$X \sim NB(r, p)$$

- $P(r \text{ success occurs before } m \text{ loss})?$

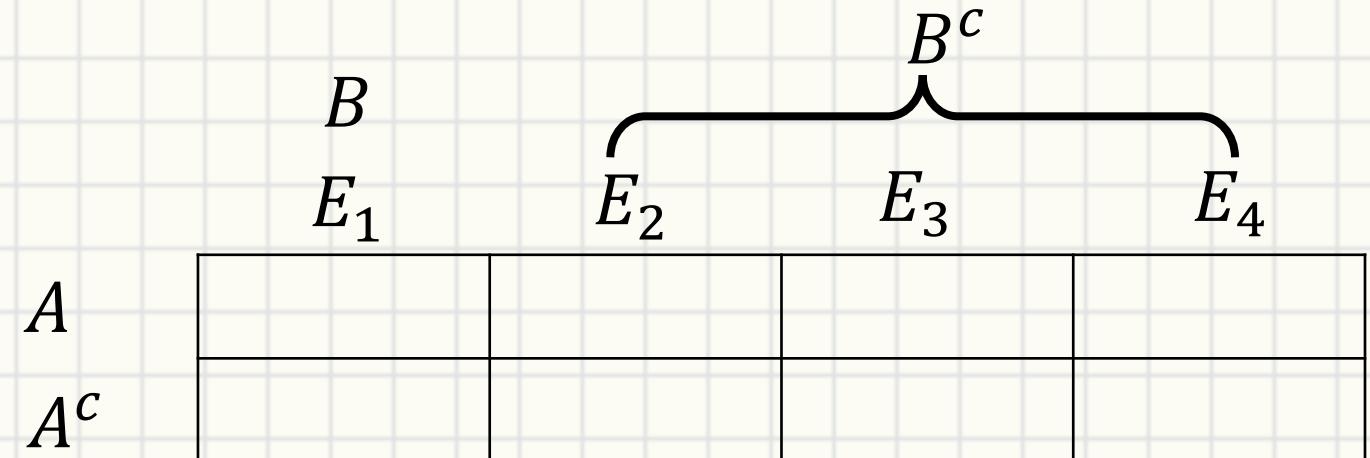
# Conditional Probability

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A,B)}{P(A)} \text{ if } P(A) > 0$$

If  $A$  and  $B$  are independent,  $P(A|B) = P(A)$  or  $P(AB) = P(A)P(B)$

Bayes -  $P(B|A) = \frac{P(A,B)}{P(A)} = \frac{P(A|B)P(B)}{P(A)}$

LOTP -  $P(A) = \sum_i P(A|E_i)P(E_i)$



# Conditional Probability

Suppose  $Z_1, Z_2, Z_3$  are i.i.d. Bernoulli random variables with parameter  $p$ .

- $S = Z_2 + Z_3$  if  $Z_1 = 1$ , and  $S = Z_2 - Z_3$  if  $Z_1 = 0$
- $P(S = 1)$ ?
- $P(Z_1 = 1|S = 1)$ ?
- $P(Z_1 = 1|S = 0)$ ?

	(0,0)	(1,0)	(0,1)	(1,1)
$Z_1$				
$Z_1^c$				

# Bayes

Consider a disease test

- $D$  denotes infected,  $T$  denotes test positive
- $P(T|D) = p$
- $P(T|D^c) = q$
- $P(D) = d$
- $P(D|T) = ?$

# **Real-Time QA**