

Math 137 9/8/08.

3.1.8

$$\mathcal{A} = \{ P \in \mathcal{B} : \mu(P) = \nu(P) \}$$

$$\mu(E) = \nu(E).$$

$$\text{if } P_1, P_2 \in \mathcal{A} \quad \text{and } P_1 \cap P_2 = \emptyset$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \mu(P_1 \cup P_2) &= \mu(P_1) + \mu(P_2) = \nu(P_1) + \nu(P_2) \\ &= \nu(P_1 \cup P_2). \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_1 \cup P_2 \in \mathcal{A}.$$

$$\text{if } P_1, P_2 \in \mathcal{A} \quad \text{and } P_1 \subseteq P_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(P_2 \setminus P_1) &= \mu(P_2) - \mu(P_1) \\ &= \nu(P_2) - \nu(P_1) = \nu(P_2 \setminus P_1). \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{if } \{ P_n \}_{n=1}^{\infty} \subseteq \mathcal{A} \quad \text{and } P_n \supset P.$$

then

$$P_0 = \emptyset. \quad \mu(P) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \mu(P_j \setminus P_{j-1}) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \nu(P_j \setminus P_{j-1}) = \nu(P)$$

$\mathcal{A}$  is a  $\lambda$  system containing  $\mathcal{C}$ , so by our Lemma,  $\mathcal{B} \subseteq \mathcal{A}$ .

3.1.12  $P_n$   $n \geq 1$  are sets.

$$\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} = \bigcap_{m=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n$$

$$\underline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} = \bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} \bigcap_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n$$

$$\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} = \{x : x \in P_n \text{ infinitely many } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+\}$$

$$\underline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} = \{x \in x \in P_n \text{ for all but finitely many } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+\}$$

$$\underline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} \subseteq \overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n} \text{ with equality when } \{P_n\} \text{ is}$$

monotone.

$$i). \bigcap_{n \geq m} P_n \nearrow \underline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n}$$

$$\bigcap_{n \geq m} P_n \subset \cancel{P_m} \text{ for each } m$$

$$ii) \bigcup_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n \rightarrow \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n$$

$$\text{and } P_m \subset \bigcup_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n \quad \text{for each } m$$

$$\text{so if } \mu \left( \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} P_n \right) < +\infty$$

$$\mu \left( \bigcup_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n \right) \rightarrow \mu \left( \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right)$$

$$\text{and } \mu(P_m) \leq \mu \left( \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right) \text{ for each } m$$

$$\text{so that } \overline{\lim}_{m \rightarrow \infty} \mu(P_m) \leq \mu \left( \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right).$$

iii).

$$\text{clf } \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n = \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \quad \text{thkthk}$$

$$\text{and } \text{thkthk} \mu \left( \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} P_n \right) < +\infty$$

then.

$$\overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(P_n) \leq \mu \left( \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right) = \mu \left( \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right) \leq \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(P_n)$$

$$\text{and } \therefore \underline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(P_n) = \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mu(P_n) = \mu \left( \overline{\lim}_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n \right)$$

iv). if  $\sum_1^{\infty} \mu(P_n) < +\infty$  then

$$\mu\left(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n}\right) \leq \mu\left(\bigcup_{n=m}^{\infty} P_n\right) \quad \text{for each } m$$
$$\leq \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} \mu(P_n)$$

and the convergence of the series implies

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} \mu(P_n) \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } m \rightarrow \infty.$$

$$\text{so } \mu\left(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n}\right) = 0.$$

## Independence

Let  $(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P)$  be a Prob. space.  
for each  $i \in I \rightarrow$  an index set

$\mathcal{F}_i$  is a  $\sigma$ -algebra.

Def: The  $\mathcal{F}_i$  are mutually  
 $P$ -independent iff

for any finite  $\{i_1, \dots, i_n\} \subset I$   
and choice  $A_{i_m} \in \mathcal{F}_{i_m} \quad 1 \leq m \leq n$ .

we have

$$P(A_{i_1} \cap \dots \cap A_{i_n}) = P(A_{i_1}) \dots P(A_{i_n}).$$

Def: If  $\{A_i : i \in I\}$  is a family  
of sets from  $\mathcal{A}$ , we say the  
 $A_i$  are independent (mutually  $P$   
independent)  
iff the  $\sigma$ -algebras  $\mathcal{F}_i = \{\emptyset, A_i, A_i^c, \Omega\}$  are

e.g. two sets  $A_1, A_2$  are ind. iff

$$P(A_1 \cap A_2) = P(A_1)P(A_2).$$

We just need to check what happens

$$\text{with } A_1^c \cap A_2^c = (A_1 \cup A_2)^c.$$

$$P(A_1^c \cap A_2^c) = 1 - P(A_1 \cup A_2)$$

$$= 1 - (P(A_1) + P(A_2) - P(A_1 \cap A_2)).$$

$$= 1 - P(A_1) - P(A_2) + P(A_1)P(A_2).$$

$$= (1 - P(A_1))(1 - P(A_2)).$$

$$(P(A_1 \cap A_2^c)) = P(A_1) - P(A_1 \cap A_2) = P(A_1)(1 - P(A_2))$$

etc....

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### Kolmogorov's 0-1 law

Note that, by exercise 1.1.12, to check independence of  $\sigma$ -algebras, it is enough to check the definition for generative  $\pi$ -systems  $C_i \subset \mathcal{F}_i$ .

Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an index set.

$$\mathcal{F}_\emptyset = \{\emptyset, \Omega\}.$$

and for  $\Lambda \subseteq \mathcal{A}$   $\Lambda \neq \emptyset$

$$\mathcal{F}_\Lambda = \bigvee_{i \in \Lambda} \mathcal{F}_i$$

the  $\sigma$ -alg. generated by

the  $\bigvee_{i \in \Lambda} \mathcal{F}_i$ .

Def: The tail  $\sigma$ -algebra  $\mathcal{I}$

$$\text{is } \bigcap_{\Lambda \text{ Finite}} \mathcal{F}_{\Lambda^c}$$

e.g. If  $\mathcal{A}$  is finite

$$\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset, \Omega\}.$$

and  $P(A) \in \{0, 1\}$  for each  $A \in \mathcal{I}$ .

Claim:  
If the  $\mathcal{F}_i$  are independent  
then this is true for any  $\mathcal{A}$ .

1st  $\mathcal{F}_{F_1}$  is independent of  $\mathcal{F}_{F_2}$

when  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are finite  
and ~~distinct~~, disjoint.

This is because

$$\{A : A = A_{i_1} \cap \dots \cap A_{i_m}, i_j \in F_1, j=1, \dots, m\}$$

is a generating  $\pi$ -system for  $\mathcal{F}_{F_1}$ ,

$$\text{and } \{B : B = B_{j_1} \cap \dots \cap B_{j_p}, j_n \in F_2, n=1, \dots, p\}$$

is a generating  $\pi$ -system for  $\mathcal{F}_{F_2}$ .

(use exercise 1.12)



Now, for any  $\Lambda \subset \mathcal{U}$   
 (\*)  $\bigcup \{ \mathcal{F}_F : F \text{ is a finite subset of } \Lambda \}$   
 is an algebra. (check it).  
 and this algebra generates  $\mathcal{F}_\Lambda$

By exercise 1.12 (again)

•  $\mathcal{F}_\Lambda$  and  $\mathcal{F}_{\Lambda^c}$  are  $\mathcal{P}$ -independent  
 for every  $\Lambda \subset \mathcal{U}$

•  $\mathcal{I}$  is  $\mathcal{P}$  independent of  $\mathcal{F}_F$   
 where  $F$  is any finite  
 subset of  $\mathcal{U}$   
 $\therefore \mathcal{I}$  is ind of  $\bigcup_{F \text{ finite}} \mathcal{F}_F$   
 (ind of any el of (\*)).

Since  $\mathcal{I} \subseteq \mathcal{F}_\mathcal{U}$

$\mathcal{I}$  is independent of itself

$$\text{So } P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B) \quad \forall A, B \in \mathcal{F}$$

$$\text{but then } P(A) = P(A \cap A) = P(A)^2$$

$$\text{so } P(A) \in \{0, 1\}.$$

e.g.  $\{A_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \subset \Omega$

$$\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n} \equiv \bigcap_{m=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n \geq m} A_n$$

$$= \left\{ \omega : \omega \in A_n \text{ for infinitely many } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \right\}$$

is measurable w.r.t. the tail algebra

$$\text{determined by } \mathcal{F}_n = \{ \emptyset, A_n, A_n^c, \Omega \}.$$

So if  $A_n$ 's are  $P$ -ind. then

$$P\left(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n}\right) \in \{0, 1\}.$$

We saw that  $(\{A_n : n \in \mathbb{Z}^+\} \subseteq \mathcal{F})$ .

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(A_n) < \infty \Rightarrow P(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n}) = 0.$$

Conversely, if the  $A_n$ 's are

$P$ -independent sets, then

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(A_n) = \infty \Rightarrow P(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n}) = 1.$$

Pf:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n}^c &= \left( \bigcap_{m=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n \geq m} A_n \right)^c = \bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} \left( \bigcup_{n \geq m} A_n \right)^c \\ &= \bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} \left( \bigcap_{n \geq m} A_n^c \right) \end{aligned}$$

so  $P(\overline{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n}^c) = 0$  iff  $P\left(\bigcap_{n \geq m} A_n^c\right) = 0$ .

for each  $m$ .

But

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\bigcap_{n \geq m} A_n^c\right) &= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \prod_{n=m}^N (1 - P(A_n)) \\ &\leq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\sum_{n=m}^N P(A_n)} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(A_n) = \infty$ .

$$(1 - t \leq e^{-t}) \quad t \in [0, 1]$$

The current assignment is due next  
Monday.

Add	1.1.18	to it.	in [PT]
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