

P1. a. $\Pr\{X=x\} = \frac{1}{5}$ for $x=1, \dots, 5$, since each number is equally likely.

b. $\Pr\{Y=5|X=x\} = \frac{1}{6-x}$, since $Y=x, x+1, \dots, 5$ are equally likely.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \Pr\{Y=5\} &= \sum_{x=1}^5 \Pr\{Y=5|X=x\} \Pr\{X=x\} \quad (\text{law of total probability}) \\ &= \sum_{x=1}^5 \frac{1}{6-x} \cdot \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + 1 \right) \approx 0.457. \end{aligned}$$

P2. a. $\Pr\{N=n\} = \frac{1}{6}$ for $n=1, \dots, 6$

b. If $n=1$, $\Pr\{Z=2|N=n\} = 0$.

$$\text{If } n \geq 2, \Pr\{Z=2|N=n\} = \binom{n}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-2} = \binom{n}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \Pr\{Z=2\} &= \sum_{n=1}^6 \Pr\{Z=2|N=n\} \Pr\{N=n\} \quad (\text{law of total probability}) \\ &= 0 + \sum_{n=2}^6 \binom{n}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) = \frac{1}{6} \left(1\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + 6\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 + 10\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 + 15\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 \right) \\ &\approx 0.258 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{P3. } \sum_{\text{all } j} E[g(X)|Y=y_j] p_Y(y_j) = \sum_{\text{all } j} \sum_{\text{all } i} g(x_i) p_{X|Y=y_j}(x_i) p_Y(y_j)$$

$$= \sum_{\text{all } j} \sum_{\text{all } i} g(x_i) \Pr\{X=x_i|Y=y_j\} \Pr\{Y=y_j\} = \sum_{\text{all } i} g(x_i) \sum_{\text{all } j} \Pr\{X=x_i|Y=y_j\} \Pr\{Y=y_j\}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{law of total probability}}{=} \sum_{\text{all } i} g(x_i) \Pr\{X=x_i\} = \sum_{\text{all } i} g(x_i) p_X(x_i) = E[g(X)]$$

$$\text{P4. a. } \Pr\{M=m\} = \begin{cases} 0.2 & \text{if } m=1 \\ 0.3 & \text{if } m=2 \\ 0.5 & \text{if } m=3 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } \Pr\{D=1|M=1\} &= 0.01 \\ \Pr\{D=1|M=2\} &= 0.02 \\ \Pr\{D=1|M=3\} &= 0.03 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c. } \Pr\{D=1\} &= \sum_{m=1}^3 \Pr\{D=1|M=m\} \Pr\{M=m\} \\ &= 0.01(0.2) + 0.02(0.3) + 0.03(0.5) \\ &= 0.023. \end{aligned}$$