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PROBABILITY THEORY

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Part 1: Foundations of Probability

1.1 Historical and Philosophical Overview

- Origins of probability theory
- Frequentist vs. Bayesian interpretations

1.2 Basic Concepts and Definitions

- Experiment, sample space, events
- Probability axioms

1.3 Rules of Probability

- Addition rule, multiplication rule
- Conditional probability and independence

1.4 Counting Methods

- Permutations and combinations
- Applications in probability

Part 2: Discrete Probability Distributions

2.1 Basics of Discrete Distributions

- Probability mass function (PMF)
- Expected value, variance, and moments

2.2 Binomial and Poisson Distributions

- Assumptions and properties
- Real-world applications and examples

2.3 Hypergeometric and Negative Binomial Distributions

- Differences and similarities to other discrete distributions
- Use cases

2.4 Other Discrete Distributions

- Geometric, multinomial, etc
- Understanding their significance and application

Part 3: Continuous Probability Distributions

3.1 Basics of Continuous Distributions

- Probability density function (PDF) and cumulative distribution function (CDF)
- Expected value, variance, and moments for continuous distributions

3.2 Normal and Exponential Distributions

- Properties and significance
- Central Limit Theorem and its importance

3.3 Beta, Gamma, and Chi-square Distributions

- Relationships between these distributions
- Applications in statistical inference

3.4 Other Continuous Distributions

- Uniform, log-normal, Weibull, etc
- Understanding their context and relevance

Part 4: Advanced Topics in Probability

4.1 Joint and Marginal Distributions

- Bivariate distributions: joint, marginal, and conditional
- Independence and correlation

4.2 Functions of Random Variables

- Transformation techniques
- Moment-generating functions

4.3 Order Statistics

- Distribution of order statistics
- Applications in reliability and life data analysis

4.4 Convergence Concepts in Probability

- Convergence in probability, almost sure convergence
- Law of large numbers and its implications

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- 1.2 Espaces probabilisés - Probabilité
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2 Variables aléatoires - Loi, espérance - 2.2.1 Loi d'une variable aléatoire réelle, fonction de répartition

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2 Variables aléatoires - Loi, espérance - 2.2.4 Variables aléatoires réelles à densité.

2 Variables aléatoires - Loi, espérance - 2.2.5 Variables aléatoires vectorielles

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3 Fonctions génératrices, fonctions caractéristiques, variables gaussiennes 35 - 3.1 Fonctions génératrices

3 Fonctions génératrices, fonctions caractéristiques, variables gaussiennes 35 - 3.2 Fonctions caractéristiques

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Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires, loi des grands nombres 4.1 Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires 4.1.3 Convergence presque sûre

Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires, loi des grands nombres 4.1 Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires 4.1.4 Convergence dans LP

Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires, loi des grands nombres 4.1 Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires 4.1.5 Convergence en probabilité. . . .

Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires, loi des grands nombres 4.1 Convergence des suites de variables aléatoires Comparaison des différents types de convergence

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- 4.4 Tribu asymptotique, loi du 0-1 de Kolmogorov
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5 Convergence en loi, théorème limite central - 5.1 Convergence en loi

5 Convergence en loi, théorème limite central - 5.3 Convergence en loi et convergence des fonctions caractéristiques

5 Convergence en loi, théorème limite central - 5.4 Théorème limite central

5 Convergence en loi, théorème limite central- Loi du χ^2 , théorème de Karl Pearson

KEYWORDS (NEW)



Probability Spaces

Sigma-Algebras

Conditional Probabilities

Random Variables

Distribution

Expectation

Independence

Generating Functions

Gaussian Variables

Convergence

Part 5: Introduction to Probability Spaces

5.1 Introduction

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5.2 Probability Spaces

- Sigma-Algebras
- Probability

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- Overview of Finite Probability Spaces

5.4 Construction of General Probability Spaces

- Overview of General Probability Space Construction

5.5 Conditional Probabilities

- Overview of Conditional Probabilities

5.6 Independence of Sigma-Algebras and Events

- Overview of Independence Concepts

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- Distribution of a Real Random Variable, Cumulative Distribution Function
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- Vectorial Random Variables
- Independence of Random Variables
- Sum of Independent Random Variables, Convolution Product
- Moments of a Real Random Variable, Variance, Standard Deviation
- Covariance, Correlation Coefficient

5.8 Generating Functions, Characteristic Functions, Gaussian Variables

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- Gaussian Random Variables

5.9 Convergence of Sequences of Random Variables, Law of Large Numbers

- Convergence of Sequences of Random Variables
- Borel-Cantelli Lemma
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- Almost Sure Convergence
- Convergence in LP
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- Comparison of Different Types of Convergence
- Strong Law of Large Numbers

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- Structure of Measurement
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- Discrete Quantitative Variable
- Continuous Quantitative Variable
- Concept of Ratio and Interval
- Summary

6.2 Description of Relationship

- Relationship Between a Numeric Variable and a Categorized Variable
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- Comparison of Dispersions
- Block Distribution Comparison
- Locating an Individual
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- Correlation and Causality
- Relationship Between Two Categorized Variables
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6.3 Algebra of Events

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- Permutations
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- Summary Table
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- Simulation of a Uniform Process
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 Continuous Case: $S = \mathbb{R}$ or \mathbb{R}^*
 Product Spaces Case
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Definition of a Random Variable
 Expectation and Variance
 Inequalities
 Law of a Random Variable
 Law of a Tuple of Random Variables
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7.3 Independence

Independence of Events and Random Variables
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7.4 Law of Large Numbers

Weak Law of Large Numbers
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7.5 Convergence of Sequences of Random Variables

Different Types of Convergence
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7.6 Central Limit Theorem

Characteristic Function of the Normal Distribution
 Central Limit Theorem
 Numerical Illustration
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7.7 Conditional Expectation

Definition of Conditional Expectation
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7.8 Martingale Theory

Concept of Martingale
 Convergence of Martingales
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 Exercises

7.A Integration Recap

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 Inequalities
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7.B Formula Sheet

Law of a Random Variable
 Inequalities
 Pairs of Random Variables
 Convergence of Random Variables
 Limit Theorems
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 Martingales

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Part 8: Further Exploration into Probabilistic Formalisms

8.1 Kolmogorov Formalism

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 Product Spaces Case
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- Fonction caractéristique
- Loi normale
- Illustration numérique
- Espérance conditionnelle
- Conditionnement
- Variable aléatoire
- Martingale
- Convergence
- Temps d'arrêt
- Marche aléatoire
- Espaces probabilisés
- Dénombrement
- Formule du crible
- Probabilités conditionnelles
- Variables aléatoires discrètes
- Modélisation
- Variables aléatoires continues
- Fonctions caractéristiques
- Théorèmes limites
- Vecteurs Gaussiens
- Simulation
- Estimateurs
- Tests
- Intervalles
- Régions de confiance
- Contrôles à mi-cours
- Hardy-Weinberg Model
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 - Continuous Random Variables
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 - Simulation
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 - Mid-course Controls
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RAPPELS DE PROBABILITES

- Règles opératoires du calcul de l'espérance et de la variance d'une variable aléatoire
- Lois de probabilités de variables aléatoires
- Vecteurs aléatoires
- Vecteurs gaussiens
- Théorèmes limites

KEYWORDS

- Probability Theory
- Historical Origins
- Frequentist Interpretation
- Bayesian Interpretation
- Basic Concepts
- Definitions
- Experiments
- Sample Spaces
- Events
- Probability Axioms
- Addition Rule
- Multiplication Rule
- Conditional Probability
- Independence
- Counting Methods
- Permutations
- Combinations
- Probability Mass Functions (PMFs)
- Expected Values
- Variances
- Moments
- Binomial Distribution
- Poisson Distribution
- Hypergeometric Distribution
- Negative Binomial Distribution
- Geometric Distribution
- Multinomial Distribution
- Continuous Probability Distributions
- Probability Density Functions (PDFs)
- Cumulative Distribution Functions (CDFs)
- Normal Distribution
- Exponential Distribution
- Central Limit Theorem
- Beta Distribution
- Gamma Distribution
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- Uniform Distribution
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- Weibull Distribution
- Advanced Probability Topics
- Joint and Marginal Distributions
- Bivariate Distributions
- Independence
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- Functions of Random Variables
- Transformation Techniques
- Moment-Generating Functions
- Order Statistics
- Reliability
- Life Data Analysis
- Convergence in Probability
- Almost Sure Convergence
- Law of Large Numbers
- Statistician
- Data Scientist
- Uncertainty
- Confidence
- Expertise
- Knowledge

In the context of the course on Foundations of Probability, Discrete and Continuous Probability Distributions, and Advanced Topics in Probability, let's explore a use case related to analyzing risk using probability distributions. This use case involves the application of probability concepts to assess and manage risk in financial investments.

Description:

In this use case, we will focus on modeling the risk associated with a financial investment using probability distributions. We will consider a hypothetical investment in a stock and assess the potential returns and risks associated with it by modeling the stock's price movement.

Key Components:

1. Foundations of Probability: Understanding the basic concepts of probability, such as sample space, events, and probability axioms, is essential for modeling and assessing risk.
2. Discrete and Continuous Probability Distributions: Knowledge of discrete and continuous probability distributions, including their probability mass functions (PMFs) and probability density functions (PDFs), is crucial for modeling financial data.
3. Expected Value and Variance: Calculating the expected value and variance of a random variable helps assess the average return and risk associated with an investment.
4. Advanced Topics in Probability: Concepts such as joint and marginal distributions, functions of random variables, and convergence concepts are useful for analyzing the relationship between multiple financial instruments.

Python Code Example (Analyzing Investment Risk):

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3 from scipy.stats import norm
4
5 # Define parameters of the stock's return distribution
6 mean_return = 0.08 # Mean return
7 volatility = 0.15 # Annual volatility (standard deviation)
8
9 # Generate a range of possible annual returns
10 returns = np.linspace(-0.3, 0.3, 1000)
11
12 # Calculate the probability density function (PDF) using the normal distribution
13 pdf_values = norm.pdf(returns, loc=mean_return, scale=volatility)
14
15 # Plot the PDF of the stock's returns
16 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
17 plt.plot(returns, pdf_values, label='PDF', color='blue')
18 plt.xlabel('Annual Return')
19 plt.ylabel('Probability Density')
20 plt.title('Probability Density Function (PDF) of Stock Returns')
21 plt.legend()
22 plt.grid(True)
23
24 # Calculate and print the expected return and risk (standard deviation)
25 expected_return = mean_return
26 risk = volatility
27 print(f'Expected Return: {expected_return:.2%}')
28 print(f'Risk (Standard Deviation): {risk:.2%}')
29
30 plt.show()
```

In this code, we model the probability distribution of a stock's annual returns using a normal distribution with a specified mean return and volatility. We calculate and display the probability density function (PDF) of returns and then calculate the expected return and risk (standard deviation) as measures of investment risk.

This use case demonstrates how probability concepts can be applied to assess investment risk, allowing investors and analysts to make informed decisions based on the expected return and risk associated with a financial instrument.

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TEXTE DE DESCRIPTION DU COURS

Welcome to "Probability Unveiled: Exploring the Foundations and Beyond." This course is your gateway to unraveling the fascinating world of probability theory from its historical origins to its advanced applications in modern statistics and data science. Prepare to embark on a captivating journey through the fundamental principles, discrete and continuous probability distributions, and advanced probability concepts.

As your voyage begins, we'll take you on a historical and philosophical overview of probability theory. You'll discover the intriguing origins of probability theory and explore the timeless debate between frequentist and Bayesian interpretations. These philosophical underpinnings will provide you with a profound perspective on probability.

In the section on basic concepts and definitions, you'll delve into the core building blocks of probability theory. Learn to conceptualize experiments, sample spaces, and events, and gain a solid grasp of the probability axioms that form the bedrock of probability theory. Rules of probability, including the addition and multiplication rules, as well as conditional probability and independence, will become your second nature.

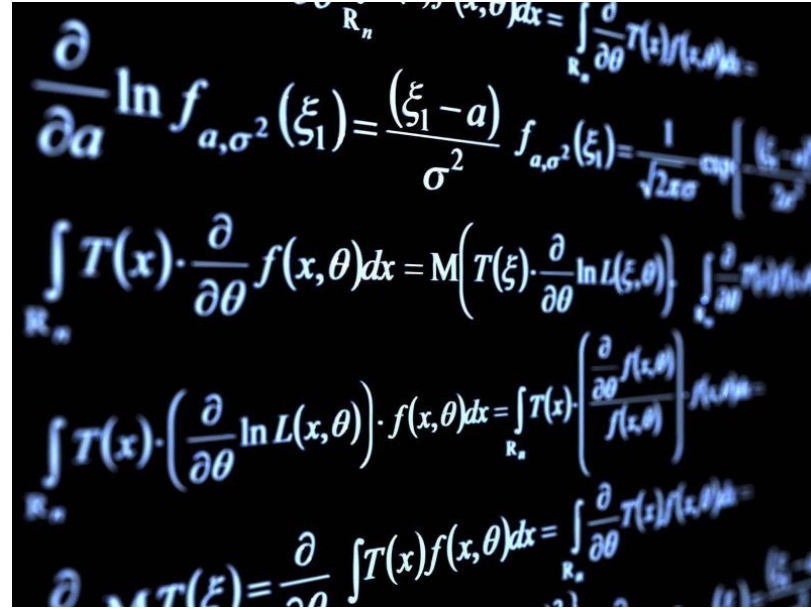
Counting methods will equip you with powerful tools for probability analysis. Understand permutations and combinations and witness their real-world applications in solving intricate probability problems.

The course then transitions into discrete probability distributions, where you'll explore the basics of probability mass functions (PMFs) and delve into expected values, variances, and moments. Dive deep into the binomial and Poisson distributions, examining their assumptions, properties, and practical applications. Discover the hypergeometric and negative binomial distributions and learn how to wield them effectively in various scenarios. Gain insights into other discrete distributions such as the geometric and multinomial distributions, and understand their significance.

Continuing your journey, you'll explore continuous probability distributions. Get comfortable with probability density functions (PDFs) and cumulative distribution functions (CDFs), and master the calculations of expected values, variances, and moments for continuous distributions. The normal and exponential distributions will take center stage, revealing their properties and significance, as well as their role in the Central Limit Theorem. Delve into the beta, gamma, and chi-square distributions, unraveling their relationships and their applications in statistical inference. Explore other continuous distributions like the uniform, log-normal, and Weibull distributions, gaining insights into their contexts and relevance.

The final part of the course introduces advanced topics in probability. Understand the intricacies of joint and marginal distributions, exploring bivariate distributions, independence, and correlation. Master functions of random variables, including transformation techniques and moment-generating functions. Explore the distribution of order statistics and its applications in reliability and life data analysis. Finally, grasp the concept of convergence in probability and almost sure convergence, and discover the profound implications of the law of large numbers.

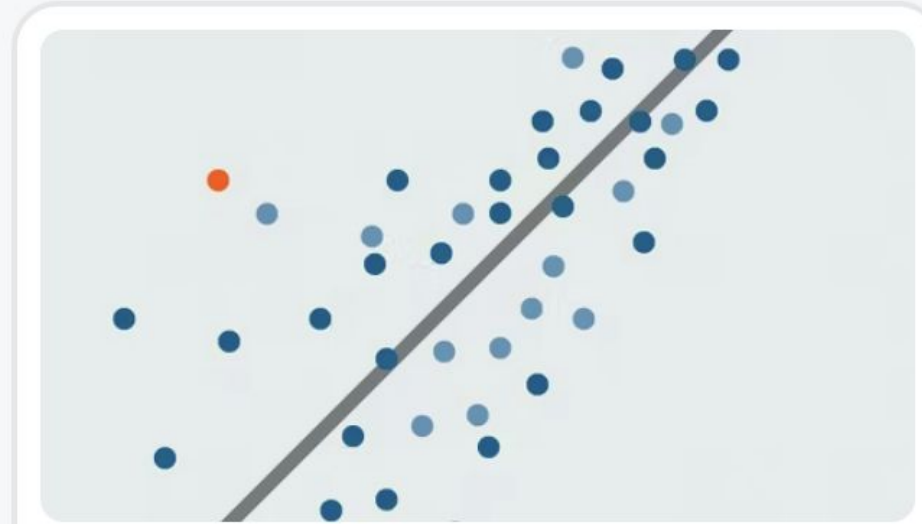
Whether you're a budding statistician, a data scientist, or simply someone intrigued by the art of uncertainty, this course will equip you with the knowledge and tools to navigate the intricate world of probability with confidence and expertise.



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