

Math 263 Exam 2 Review Solutions

Basic Probability

- a. $1 - .12 - .31 - .29 = .28$
- b. $1 - 0.12 = 0.88$

Conditional Probability and Independence

- a. $P(A^c) = 0.69$
- b. $P(A \text{ and } B) = 0.08$

	Car	Light truck	
Domestic	.23	.55	.78
Imported	.08	.14	.22
	.31	.69	1

- c. $P(\text{light truck} \mid \text{imported}) = P(\text{light truck} \ \& \ \text{imported}) / P(\text{imported}) = 0.14 / (1 - 0.78) = 0.6364$
- d. $P(\text{light truck}) = 0.69$
 $P(\text{imported}) = 0.22$
 $P(\text{light truck}) * P(\text{imported}) = 0.1518$
 $P(\text{light truck} \ \& \ \text{imported}) = 0.14$
Not independent.

Mean and Variance

- a. $\mu_x + \mu_y$
- b. $\mu_x - \mu_y$
- c. $(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2)^{1/2}$
- d. $(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2)^{1/2}$

CLT

You can think of the 100-question test as a sample of 100 from a population with proportion 0.88. Then the proportion she gets right on the test is normally distributed by CLT. (Alternatively, the count she gets right is Binomial.)

1. a. $\sigma = (p(1-p)/100)^{1/2} = 0.0325$
 $z = (.85-.88)/.0325 = -0.923$
 $p = 0.178$

b. $\sigma = (p(1-p)/n)^{1/2} = 0.021$ ($n=250/100$)
 $z = (.85-.88)/.021 = -1.46$
 $p=0.0721$

c. $\sigma = 0.0325/2 = 0.0163 = (p(1-p)/n)^{1/2}$
 $n = p(1-p)/\sigma^2 = .88*.12/.0163^2 = 400$ questions (approximately)
Exactly 400 question if you do the calculations exactly

2. a. $\mu_{\bar{x}} = 0.5$

$$\sigma_{\bar{x}} = 0.7/\text{sqrt}(50) = 0.099$$

b. $z = (0.6-0.5)/0.099 = 1.01$

$$p = 1 - 0.8438 = 0.1562$$