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Probability Theory Basics and Calculus Guide for Beginners, with Applications in Games of Chance and Everyday Life No Starch Press
Knowledge Discovery in the Social Sciences helps readers find valid, meaningful, and useful information. It is written for researchers and data analysts as well as students who have no prior experience in statistics or computer science. Suitable for a variety of classes—including upper-division courses for undergraduates, introductory courses for graduate students, and courses in data management and advanced statistical methods—the book guides readers in the application of data mining techniques and illustrates the significance of newly discovered knowledge. Readers will learn to: • appreciate the role of data mining in scientific research • develop an understanding of fundamental concepts of data mining and knowledge discovery • use software to carry out data mining tasks • select and assess appropriate models to ensure findings are valid and meaningful • develop basic skills in data preparation, data mining, model selection, and validation • apply concepts with end-of-chapter exercises and review summaries
Odds, Combinations, Systems INFAROM Publishing
Continuing his series of books on the mathematics of gambling, the author shows how a simple-rule game such as roulette is suited to a complex mathematical model whose applications generate improved betting systems that take into account a player's personal playing criteria. The book is both practical and theoretical, but is mainly devoted to the application of theory. About two-thirds of the content is lists of categories and sub-categories of improved betting systems, along with all the parameters that might stand as the main objective criteria in a personal strategy - odds, profits and losses. The work contains new and original material not published before. The mathematical chapter describes complex bets, the profit function, the equivalence between bets and all their properties. All theoretical results are accompanied by suggestive concrete examples and can be followed by anyone with a minimal mathematical background because they

involve only basic algebraic skills and set theory basics. The reader may also choose to skip the math and go directly to the sections containing applications, where he or she can pick desired numerical results from tables. The book offers no new so-called winning strategies, although it discusses them from a mathematical point of view. It does, however, offer improved betting systems and helps to organize a player's choices in roulette betting, according to mathematical facts and personal strategies. It is a must-have roulette handbook to be studied before placing your bets on the turn of either a European or American roulette wheel.

Doing Meta-Analysis with R Createspace Independent Publishing Platform

Fun guide to learning Bayesian statistics and probability through unusual and illustrative examples. Probability and statistics are increasingly important in a huge range of professions. But many people use data in ways they don't even understand, meaning they aren't getting the most from it. Bayesian Statistics the Fun Way will change that. This book will give you a complete understanding of Bayesian statistics through simple explanations and un-boring examples. Find out the probability of UFOs landing in your garden, how likely Han Solo is to survive a flight through an asteroid shower, how to win an argument about conspiracy theories, and whether a burglary really was a burglary, to name a few examples. By using these off-the-beaten-track examples, the author actually makes learning statistics fun. And you'll learn real skills, like how to: - How to measure your own level of uncertainty in a conclusion or belief - Calculate Bayes theorem and understand what it's useful for - Find the posterior, likelihood, and prior to check the accuracy of your conclusions - Calculate distributions to see the range of your data - Compare hypotheses and draw reliable conclusions from them Next time you find yourself with a sheaf of survey results and no idea what to do with them, turn to Bayesian Statistics the Fun Way to get the most value from your data.

Calculating Texas Hold'em Poker Odds Made Easy Lulu.com

In The Breakthrough Company, Keith McFarland pinpoints how everyday companies become extraordinary, showing that luck is a negligible factor. Rather, breakthrough success turns out to be associated with a clearly identifiable set of strategies and skills that anyone in any business can emulate - from small startup to industry paragon. Encouraged by experts such as business legend Peter Drucker and Good to Great author Jim Collins to identify the drivers that enable a company to push past the entrepreneurial phase, McFarland spent five years building and analyzing the world's largest growth-company performance database and interviewing more than 1,500 growth-company executives on four continents. His goal was simple: to identify the secrets of breakthrough. This book is the result. Winnowing a study pool of more than 7,000 companies down to nine that have made the transition to major-player status, McFarland highlights real-world tools and myth-busting insights that can be used by anyone wanting his or her business to join this

exclusive circle.

Head First Statistics High Stakes

Who said the math of poker has to be hard? You don't have to be a whiz kid or a know it all to incorporate poker math effectively into your game. First, I'm going to show you how to break it down and simplify it all. Then we build it back up again, to help you think just like a pro does. After you first understand the odds, you can quickly apply the information to improve your own game. The goal is to help you understand probabilities in a practical, efficient, easy, and effortless manner. Afterwards, you can use it all, each and every time you're sitting at the tables. With a little knowledge and some practical thinking, you can be a master of estimating, calculating, and applying the odds both swiftly and effortlessly. Knowing poker math, probabilities, and win rates can immensely improve both your understanding and skill of the game. In this book we will cover topics like Game theory, Nash Equilibrium, and expert strategies. Finally, you can get the scoop on what the pro players are thinking about, before stacking up all the chips. Rest assured that beating the odds is easy and anybody can do it! I am going to show you how to understand, both the ins, and the outs of Texas Hold'em Poker. In the book Beating the Odds: Using Math as a Strategy to Win at Texas Holdem', there is something for the beginner, regular, and pro alike. Never before has it been easier, to master the math of Texas Hold'em.

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Taking a non-technical approach, 'Understanding and Using Statistics in Psychology' encourages the reader to understand why a particular test is being used and what the results mean in the context of a psychological study, focusing on meaning and understanding rather than mindless numerical calculations.

Statistics Using Technology, Second Edition Springer Science & Business Media

A comprehensive introduction to statistics that teaches the fundamentals with real-life scenarios, and covers histograms, quartiles, probability, Bayes' theorem, predictions, approximations, random samples, and related topics.

Using Math as a Strategy to Win at Texas Hold'em

Understanding and Calculating the OddsProbability Theory Basics and Calculus Guide for Beginners, with Applications in Games of Chance and Everyday Life

This book presents not only the mathematical concept of probability, but also its philosophical aspects, the relativity of probability and its applications and even the psychology of probability. All explanations are made in a comprehensible manner and are supported with suggestive examples from nature and daily life, and even with challenging math paradoxes. (Mathematics)

Probability and the Regress Problem CRC Press

Introductory Statistics is designed for the one-semester, introduction to statistics course and is geared toward students majoring in fields other than math or engineering. This text assumes students have been exposed to intermediate algebra, and it focuses on the applications of statistical knowledge rather than the theory behind it. The foundation of this textbook is

Collaborative Statistics, by Barbara Illowsky and Susan Dean. Additional topics, examples, and ample opportunities for practice have been added to each chapter. The development choices for this textbook were made with the guidance of many faculty members who are deeply involved in teaching this course. These choices led to innovations in art, terminology, and practical applications, all with a goal of increasing relevance and accessibility for students. We strove to make the discipline meaningful, so that students can draw from it a working knowledge that will enrich their future studies and help them make sense of the world around them. Coverage and Scope Chapter 1 Sampling and Data Chapter 2 Descriptive Statistics Chapter 3 Probability Topics Chapter 4 Discrete Random Variables Chapter 5 Continuous Random Variables Chapter 6 The Normal Distribution Chapter 7 The Central Limit Theorem Chapter 8 Confidence Intervals Chapter 9 Hypothesis Testing with One Sample Chapter 10 Hypothesis Testing with Two Samples Chapter 11 The Chi-Square Distribution Chapter 12 Linear Regression and Correlation Chapter 13 F Distribution and One-Way ANOVA

Practical Poker Math INFAROM Publishing

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All the Right Angles Lulu.com

In the following pages you will find the basic information needed to clearly understand chance in terms of easy mathematical rules, and will learn how to apply it to work out the odds of winning any lottery, or lottery-like game of chance. This work is addressed not only to high school students with a passion for the mathematics of chance and probability, but also to those who simply want to understand how lotteries function, in terms of mathematics. It is not going to be an in depth study of the subject, but an introduction to basic concepts and methods in probability, and how to apply them to lotteries. This book is not promising you any secret or system to win the lottery. If there was a systematic way of predicting a winning combination, the numerous authors of the large amount of books on lottery systems would now be millionaires themselves, and would not be selling the secret.

The Doctrine of Chances, Or, A Method of Calculating the Probabilities of Events in Play INFAROM Publishing

Have you ever wondered . . .– how to calculate your odds and expected return on various gambles?– whether you will profit from a specific wager in the long term?– how to manage your bankroll and avoid gambler's ruin?This book will use simple mathematics and evidence-based research to answer these questions and many others you have not yet considered. So if you want to reduce your gambling losses, or learn about bankroll management, or understand different wagers and how to profit from them, then this book is essential reading."[Understanding a Wager] provides a persuasive summary of the mathematical basis for [wagers]. It thoroughly discusses statistical concepts such as

expected value, zero-sum games, Pareto efficiency, probability over a series of multiple trials . . . randomness, Poisson clumping, regression toward the mean, gambling fallacies, gambler's ruin and the Kelly criterion."– Minimax Mathematical and Statistical Consulting, LLC, the United States"I recommend this book [Understanding a Wager] as the first stop for anyone who knows a losing gambler they would like to help. I also think this book would be perfect for young adults to read before they ever place their first wager."– Guy West, Managing Director of Smartgambler and OZmium Pty Ltd, Australia"[Understanding a Wager] sets out the basic mathematical guidelines that will enable players to determine their long-term chances of winning, and to reduce, as much as possible, their losses . . . In doing so, it examines issues such as probability theory, randomness and bankroll management, as well as differentiating "good" bets from "bad" bets on the basis of fairly simple mathematical formulae . . . Ramy Christopher Tadros has done an excellent job of making mathematical and statistical information very accessible to the ordinary reader."– Lynk Manuscript Assessment Service, Australia

A Data Mining Approach INFAROM Publishing

This text is designed for an introductory probability course at the university level for sophomores, juniors, and seniors in mathematics, physical and social sciences, engineering, and computer science. It presents a thorough treatment of ideas and techniques necessary for a firm understanding of the subject. The text is also recommended for use in discrete probability courses. The material is organized so that the discrete and continuous probability discussions are presented in a separate, but parallel, manner. This organization does not emphasize an overly rigorous or formal view of probability and therefore offers some strong pedagogical value. Hence, the discrete discussions can sometimes serve to motivate the more abstract continuous probability discussions. Features: Key ideas are developed in a somewhat leisurely style, providing a variety of interesting applications to probability and showing some nonintuitive ideas. Over 600 exercises provide the opportunity for practicing skills and developing a sound understanding of ideas. Numerous historical comments deal with the development of discrete probability. The text includes many computer programs that illustrate the algorithms or the methods of computation for important problems. The book is a beautiful introduction to probability theory at the beginning level. The book contains a lot of examples and an easy development of theory without any sacrifice of rigor, keeping the abstraction to a minimal level. It is indeed a valuable addition to the study of probability theory. --Zentralblatt MATH

Understanding Probability John Wiley & Sons

Have you ever wondered how to calculate your odds and expected return on various gambles, or how to manage your bankroll and avoid gambler's ruin? This book will use simple mathematics and evidence-based research to answer these questions and many others you have not yet considered. So if you want to

understand wagers and how to profit from them, or reduce your gambling losses, or learn about bankroll management, then this book is essential reading. "Understanding a Wager sets out the basic mathematical guidelines that will enable players to determine their long-term chances of winning, and to reduce, as much as possible, their losses ... In doing so, it examines issues such as probability theory, randomness and bankroll management, as well as differentiating 'good' bets from 'bad' bets on the basis of fairly simple mathematical formulae ... Tadros has done an excellent job of making mathematical and statistical information very accessible to the ordinary reader." -Lynk Manuscript Assessment Service

Limit, No-limit, And Tournament Strategies Victory Books

`There are few people who can write about research methods in a lively and engaging way, but Miles and Banyard are amongst them. As well as being an exceptionally clear introduction to research methods, it is full of amusing asides and anecdotes that make you want to read more. A hugely enjoyable book' - Dr Andy Field, University of Sussex Understanding and Using Statistics in Psychology takes the fear out of psychological statistics to help students understand why statistics are carried out, how to choose the best test and how to carry out the tests and understand them. Taking a non-technical approach, it encourages the reader to understand why a particular test is being used and what the results mean in the context of a psychological study, focusing on meaning and understanding rather than mindless numerical calculation. Key features include: - A light and accessible style - Descriptions of the most commonly used statistical tests and the principles that underlie them - Real world examples to aid the understanding of why statistics are valuable - Boxes on common errors, tips and quotes - Test yourself questions The perfect introductory resource, Understanding and Using Statistics in Psychology will guide any student new to statistics effortlessly through the process of test selection and analysis. (Read Jeremy Miles's blog and access other useful information on statistics now at www.jeremymiles.co.uk) The Mathematics of Complex Bets Elsevier

Statistics and Probability for Engineering Applications provides a complete discussion of all the major topics typically covered in a college engineering statistics course. This textbook minimizes the derivations and mathematical theory, focusing instead on the information and techniques most needed and used in engineering applications. It is filled with practical techniques directly applicable on the job. Written by an experienced industry engineer and statistics professor, this book makes learning statistical methods easier for today's student. This book can be read sequentially like a normal textbook, but it is designed to be used as a handbook, pointing the reader to the topics and sections pertinent to a particular type of statistical problem. Each new concept is clearly and briefly described, whenever possible by relating it to previous topics. Then the student is given carefully chosen examples to deepen understanding of the basic ideas and how they

are applied in engineering. The examples and case studies are taken from real-world engineering problems and use real data. A number of practice problems are provided for each section, with answers in the back for selected problems. This book will appeal to engineers in the entire engineering spectrum (electronics/electrical, mechanical, chemical, and civil engineering); engineering students and students taking computer science/computer engineering graduate courses; scientists needing to use applied statistical methods; and engineering technicians and technologists. * Filled with practical techniques directly applicable on the job * Contains hundreds of solved problems and case studies, using real data sets * Avoids unnecessary theory

Fading Foundations ECW Press

Play like Pro with Proven Strategies for Beating Your Opponents. Learn the In's and Out's of Poker from the Expert - Craig Santoro The Ultimate Guide to Making Money, Managing Your Bankroll, Calculating the Odds and Much More! The essential rules of Poker are simple enough that it can be explained in a few sentences. The actual game, however, is a very deep strategy card game that has bestowed millions on great players that understand its roots. Are you already proficient in playing the game of Poker? This book also touches on some of the habits that lead to losing, and explains some important information that will benefit not just beginners, but live event and online dwellers as well. People often believe that they need to be mathematical geniuses in order to excel in a game of poker. While there is no denying that an ability to quickly process numbers can come in handy, experts always say that calculation in poker is not as important as reading people's minds. This game deals with understanding your opponents and trying to read and understand their game. There is a certain level of luck that is involved. However, the game solely depends on how well you understand your opponent. Your analysis is what helps you win the game and the money in the pot. Here is a preview of what you will learn... . The appropriate mindset and approach when playing a cash game or tournament . Poker Basics, things that you need to know before you start the game of poker . How you should approach betting to minimize your lose and maximize your gains . How to calculate the odds the easy way. You do not have to be a math genius to do this . Tips on managing your money when you play poker . The different types of poker personalities and psychology Purchase your copy today!

A Hands-On Guide SAGE

Packed with practical tips and techniques for solving probability problems Increase your chances of acing that probability exam -- or winning at the casino! Whether you're hitting the books for a probability or statistics course or hitting the tables at a casino, working out probabilities can be problematic. This book helps you even the odds. Using easy-to-understand explanations and examples, it demystifies probability -- and even offers savvy tips to boost your chances of gambling success! Discover how to * Conquer combinations and permutations * Understand probability models from binomial to

exponential * Make good decisions using probability * Play the odds in poker, roulette, and other games

The Book of Proposition Bets INFAROM Publishing

In the modern world the theory of probability is used extensively in mathematics, science, engineering, medicine and, of course, gambling. A proposition bet is one that involves the use of probability –both estimated and actual –where an individual makes an apparently attractive bet to someone who is easily deceived by the odds, which are at first glance in his favor. The Book of Proposition Bets gathers together, and reveals the true mathematics behind, over 50 classic and original proposition bets. From the famous Three Card Monty (really an exercise in the Monty Hall Paradox), to probabilities based on rolling dice and pulling playing cards, or whether or not a mark can guess 3 correct digits of a one dollar bill’s serial number (spoiler: the odds are against it), author Owen O’Shea here compiles a fascinating and engaging survey of prop bets. In addition, Part 2 of the book contains a brief history of the theory of probability and some examples of cons and scams perpetrated on the general public to this day around the world, (plus a few more mathematical proposition bets!). Whether to learn the intricacies used by hustlers, or borrow a couple of tricks for yourself, we wager that there is a high probability that readers will enjoy this entertaining and illuminating book!

The Mathematics of Dice, Slots, Roulette, Baccarat, Blackjack, Poker, Lottery and Sport Bets Steven Roe

Odds are part of any gambling strategy and Texas Hold'em Poker is highly predisposed to probability-based decisions. This book presents the mathematics involved in card distributions in Texas Hold'em and provides a precise account of the odds associated with all gaming events. The author is a recognized authority on casino mathematics. He is member of applied mathematics societies and has published numerous articles in leading academic, gaming industry and applied mathematics journals. He is also the author of "Probability Guide of Gambling." No formal background in mathematics is necessary for reading this book, although comfort with some probability and set theory notions is helpful. In most cases, you'll need some college math to follow the formulas here, but this is not a requirement, because the numerical results are collected in tables at the end of each section. The work is packed with formulas, algorithms and tables. Its' primary goal is to allow the reader to quickly find the odds for their hand and for their opponent's hand, in order to improve his/her betting decisions. Every type of card distribution is tabulated in a logical, consistent and comprehensive manner. The complete methodology and all the calculations are shown, so it teaches the player how to calculate probability for any situation for every stage of the game, even for other card games. You will find here the real odds, returned by precise mathematical formulas and not by partial simulations that most software uses. The book contains new and original material that has not been done previously and provides a full coverage of

Hold'em odds: - Immediate odds (pre-flop odds, flop odds, turn odds, river odds, odds ofimproving specific hands). - Long-shot odds (odds of achieving specific card formations by river) for own hand, in after-flop and after-turn stages. - Long-shot odds for opponent's hand (odds for one and at least one of your opponents to achieve specific card formations by river), in after-flop, after-turn and after-river stages. - Other odds. Concrete examples of calculations and usage of tables are attached to each section. Also, a special chapter of examples is included for a good understanding of how to count and compare the odds for expected card formations and the odds of possible higher formations of opponents. Such information is a must for any Hold'em player - either beginner or advanced - and this book is a trusted and professional source.

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