



STAT 131  
30 Apr 20  
D office  
1.5 hour  
session

lots of new e-19

	lots of new e-19	not
closed	✓	
open		✓

what else decide

campus closed but didn't need to (not great)

big e-19 outbreak (much worse) on these campus

THT 1  
# 4(b)

show

$$P(A | B_i) =$$

$$\begin{cases} 0 & i \leq r \\ \frac{r-i}{r-1} & i > r \end{cases}$$

we hire best person

best person in slot i

$n = 8$   
 $r = 3$

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 $r = 3$        $i = 5$   
interview pool

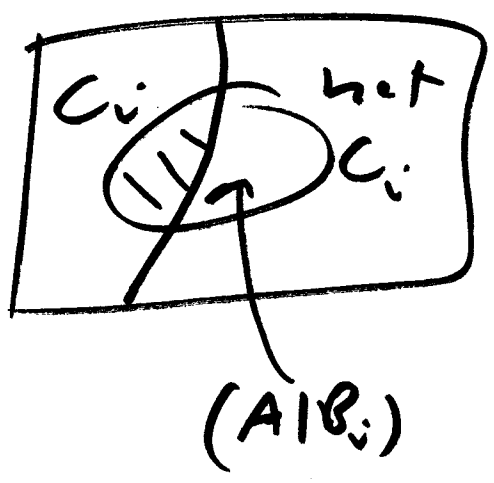
$i = 5$  / quality pool

quality score in  $[0, 100]$

$C_i = (\text{we are still interviewing as of candidate } i)$

$P(A | B_i) = ?$

partition over  $C_i$  vs. (not  $C_i$ )



$P(A | B_i) =$   
 $P(A \text{ and } C_i | B_i) +$   
 ~~$P(A \text{ and } \text{hot } C_i | B_i)$~~

$P(A \text{ and } B_i) = P(A) P(B_i | A) = P(B_i) P(A | B_i)$   
 $P(A \text{ and } B_i | C) = P(A | C) P(B_i | C) = P(B_i | C) P(A | B_i, C)$

$$P(A \text{ and } C_i | B_i) = P(C_i | B_i) \underbrace{P(A | C_i, B_i)}_{1} \quad (3)$$

$$P(A | B_i) = P(A \text{ and } C_i | B_i)$$

$$= P(C_i | B_i) = P(\text{we're still interviewing } i \text{th person} / \text{as of slot } i)$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{74} \quad \underline{52} \quad \underline{39} \quad | \quad \text{98} \quad | \quad \dots \\
 \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \\
 h=8 \quad \quad \quad r=3 \quad \quad \quad i=5
 \end{array}
 = P(\text{2nd best person is in } i \text{th slot} / \text{best person is in slot } v)$$

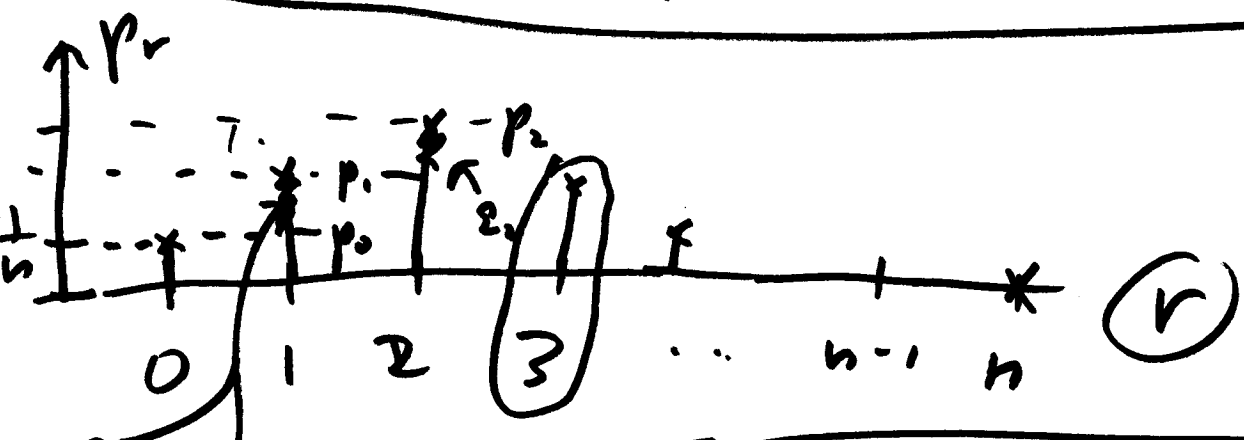
$$= \frac{r}{i-1} \quad \checkmark$$

(c)  ~~$P_r = P(A, \text{ having pre-specified } r \text{ before interviewing})$~~   
 $P_0 = \frac{1}{n}$

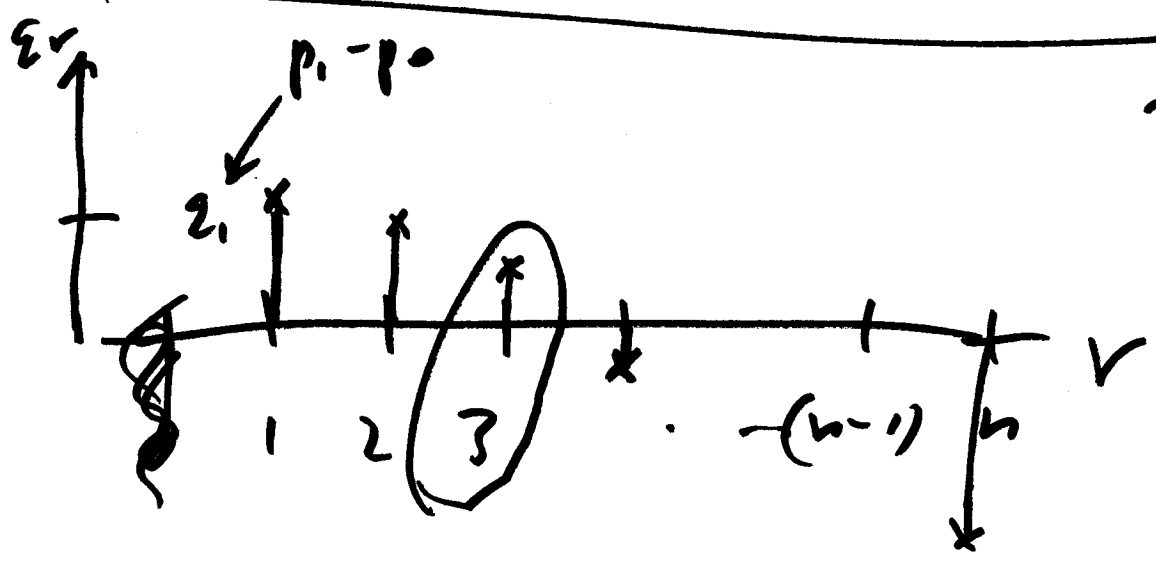
for  $r = 1, \dots, n-1$

$$P_r = \frac{r}{n} \sum_{i=r+1}^n \frac{1}{i-1}$$

(d)  $\Delta_r = p_r - p_{r-1}$  for  $r = 1, \dots, n$



$\Delta_r = \frac{p_r - p_{r-1}}{r - (r-1)}$  = approximate derivative of function  $p_r$



to show:  $\Delta_n < 0$

$p_0 = \frac{1}{n}$   
 $r = 1, \dots, n-1$

$p_r = \frac{r}{n} \sum_{i=r+1}^n \frac{1}{i} = \frac{r}{n} S_{r,n}$

$\Delta_1 = p_1 - p_0 = \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=2}^n \frac{1}{i} \right) - \frac{1}{n}$

$$\Sigma_2 = p_2 - p_1 = \left( \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=3}^n \frac{1}{i-1} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=2}^n \frac{1}{i-1} \right) \quad (5)$$

let's define  $\mathcal{S}_{r,n} = \sum_{i=r+1}^n \frac{1}{i-1}$

$$\Sigma_1 = p_1 - p_0 = \frac{1}{n} \mathcal{S}_{1,n} - \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\Sigma_2 = p_2 - p_1 = \frac{2}{n} \mathcal{S}_{2,n} - \frac{1}{n} \mathcal{S}_{1,n}$$

$$p_r = \frac{r}{n} \mathcal{S}_{r,n}$$

$$\mathcal{S}_{1,n} = \sum_{i=2}^n \frac{1}{i-1}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n-1}$$

$$\mathcal{S}_{2,n} = \sum_{i=3}^n \frac{1}{i-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n-1}$$

$$\mathcal{S}_{2,n} + 1 = \mathcal{S}_{1,n}$$

(6)

as  $r \uparrow$ ,  $\rho_{r,n} \downarrow$   $\rho_2 - \rho_1 =$

(for fixed  $n$ )

$$\left( \frac{2}{5} \rho_{2,n} - \frac{1}{5} \rho_{1,n} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{5} \rho_{1,n} - \frac{1}{5} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} \rho_{2,n} - \frac{2}{5} \rho_{1,n} + \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\rho_{2,n} + 1 = \rho_{1,n} = \frac{2}{5} (\rho_{1,n} - 1) - \frac{2}{5} \rho_{1,n} + \frac{1}{5}$$

$$(\rho_2 - \rho_1) = -\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{5} = -\frac{1}{5} < 0$$

$\rho_2 < \rho_1$  & similarly for  $r = 2, \dots, n-1$

$$h = 10$$

$$p_0 = \frac{1}{10}$$

⑦

$$p_r = \frac{r}{n} \sum_{i=r+1}^n \frac{1}{2^{i-1}}$$

$$h = 10$$

$r$	$p_r$
0	0.1
1	0.283
2	0.366
3	0.39869
4	0.398254
5	0.3728
6	0.327

