

Plan

Logistics

Review

Distinct Elements

Games Wednesday 6pm

write up
by yourself

Problem set due Friday at 5pm

Solutions → self-grade

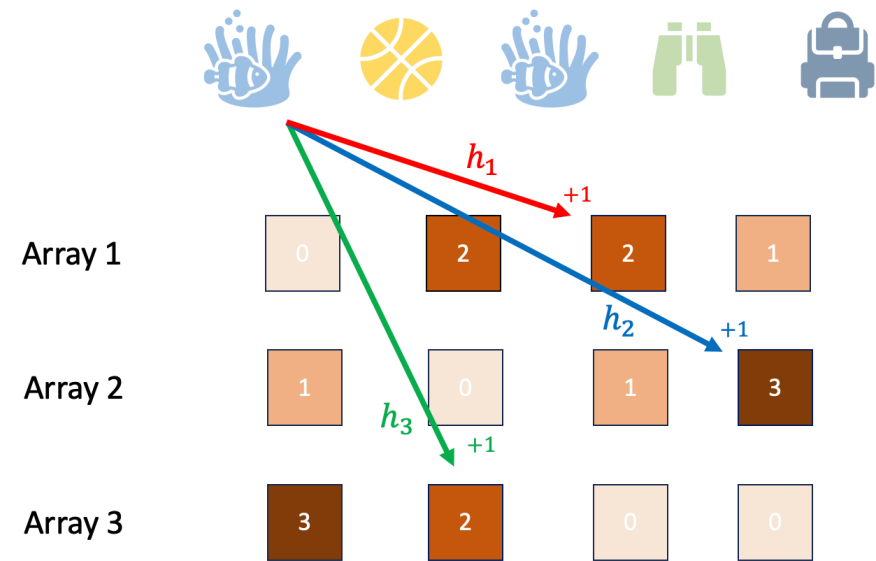
Forms (after class)

☐ Read written notes
before and after

☐ Come talk to me!
eg., Please explain X

☐ Work in groups,
talk to people

Frequent Items



$$\tilde{f}(v) = \min_j A_j[h_j(v)]$$

$$f(v) \leq \hat{f}(v) \leq f(v) + \frac{2n}{m} \frac{2c}{m}$$

wp $1 - \delta$ $9/10$

$$A_j[h_j(v)] = f(v) + \underbrace{\sum_{y \in U, y \neq v} f(y) \mathbb{1}[h_j(v) = h_j(y)]}_{\text{error}}$$

$$\Pr(\text{error}_1 + \text{error}_2 \leq \frac{2c}{m}) \geq \text{const}$$

$$= f(v) + \text{error}_1 + \text{error}_2$$

$$\Pr(\text{error}_1 + \text{error}_2 \geq \frac{2c}{m}) \leq 1 - \text{const}$$

$$\Pr(\text{error for } j \geq \frac{2c}{m}) \leq 1/2$$

(1) $E[\text{error}] \leq \frac{n}{m}$

(2) Apply Markov's with $= \frac{2n}{m}$

$$\Pr(\text{error}_1 + \text{error}_2 \geq \frac{2c}{m} \text{ for all})$$

$$= \Pr(\text{error} \geq \frac{2c}{m} \text{ for } j)$$

$$\leq (1 - \text{const})^t = 1/10$$

Proved

$$f(v) \leq \hat{f}(v) \leq f(v) + \frac{2n}{m} \Leftrightarrow \text{"error is small"}$$

wp $1-\delta$ for one item v

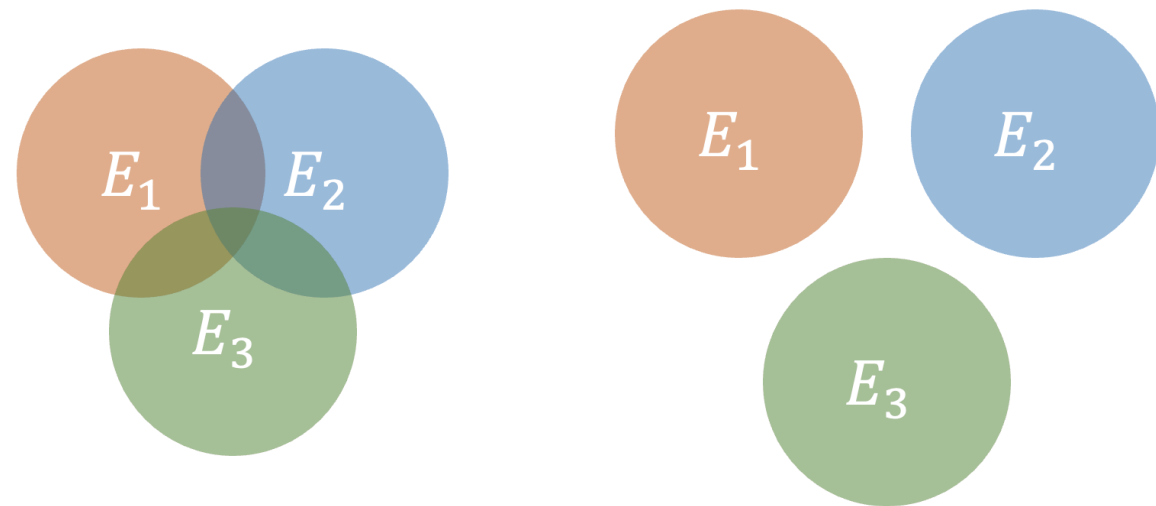
$\Pr(\text{error is small for all } v)$

$= 1 - \Pr(\text{error is not small for some } v)$

$= 1 - \Pr(\text{error} \geq \frac{2n}{m} \text{ for } v_1 \cup \dots \cup \text{error} \geq \frac{2n}{m} \text{ for } v_n)$

$\geq 1 - 1/10 = 9/10$

$$O(m \log) = O\left(\frac{2^k}{\epsilon} \cdot \log(1/\delta)\right)$$



$$\Pr(E_1 \cup \dots \cup E_n) \leq \Pr(E_1) + \dots + \Pr(E_n)$$

$\Pr(\text{error} \geq \dots \cup \text{error} \geq \dots)$

$\leq \Pr(\text{error} \geq) + \Pr(\text{error} \geq) + \dots$

$\leq \delta + \dots + \delta \leq \delta \cdot n = 1/10$

$$\delta = 1/10n$$

Tools

- Markov's Inequality
- Linearity of Expectation
- Union Bound
- + Chebyshev's Inequality
- + Linearity of Variance

Markov's Inequality

X non-negative

$$\Pr(X \geq t) \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[X]}{t}$$

Chebyshev's Inequality

all X , $\sigma^2 = \text{Var}(X)$

$$\Pr(|X - \mathbb{E}[X]| \geq k \cdot \sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$

- Markov's only for non-negative
- Chebyshev's requires variance
- two-sided bound from Chebyshev's

Chebyshev's : $\Pr(|X - \mathbb{E}[X]| \geq k \cdot \sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$

$$S = (X - \mathbb{E}[X])^2$$

$$\Pr(S \geq t) \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[S]}{t}$$

$$\Pr((X - \mathbb{E}[X])^2 \geq t) \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[(X - \mathbb{E}[X])^2]}{t} = \frac{\text{Var}(X)}{t} = \frac{\sigma^2}{t}$$

$$t = k^2 \cdot \sigma^2$$

$$\Pr((X - \mathbb{E}[X])^2 \geq k^2 \cdot \sigma^2) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{k^2 \cdot \sigma^2} = \frac{1}{k^2}$$

$$\Pr(|X - \mathbb{E}[X]| \geq k \cdot \sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$

Linearity of Variance

X_i indep X_j

For any pairwise independent r.v.s X_1, \dots, X_n

$$\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n) = \text{Var}(X_1) + \text{Var}(X_2) + \dots + \text{Var}(X_n)$$

$$\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2 + X_3) = \text{Var}(X_1) + \text{Var}(X_2 + X_3) + 2\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2 + X_3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2 + X_3) &= \mathbb{E}[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_2 - \mu_2 + X_3 - \mu_3)] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_2 - \mu_2) + (X_1 - \mu_1)(X_3 - \mu_3)] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_2 - \mu_2)] + \mathbb{E}[(X_1 - \mu_1)(X_3 - \mu_3)] \\ &= \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) + \text{Cov}(X_1, X_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$C_1, C_2, \dots, C_{100} \quad C_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{wp } 1/2 \\ 0 & \text{wp } 1/2 \end{cases}$$

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^{100} C_i$$

$$E[H] = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^{100} C_i\right] = \sum_{i=1}^{100} E[C_i] = 100 \cdot 1/2 = 50$$

$$\text{Var}(H) = \text{Var}\left[\sum_{i=1}^{100} C_i\right] = \sum_{i=1}^{100} \text{Var}(C_i) = 100 \cdot 1/4 = 25$$

$$= \sigma^2$$

$$\text{Var}(C_i) = E[C_i^2] - E[C_i]^2 \quad \sigma = 5$$

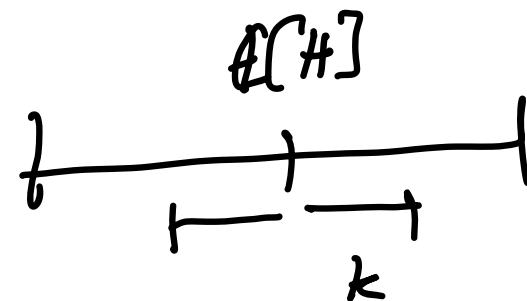
$$= (1^2 \cdot 1/2 + 0^2 \cdot 1/2) - (1/2)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Markov's

$$\Pr(H \geq 70) \leq \frac{E[H]}{70} = \frac{50}{70} = 5/7$$

Chebyskov's



$$\Pr(|H - E[H]| \geq k \cdot \sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$

$$k = 4$$

$$\Pr(|H - 50| \geq 4 \cdot 5) \leq \frac{1}{4^2} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\Pr(|H - 50| \geq 20) \leq 1/16$$

$$\Pr(H \geq 70 \vee H \leq 30) \leq 1/16$$

Distinct Elements

x_1, \dots, x_n

e.g., 1, 10, 2, 4, 9, 10, 2, 4

$D = \# \text{ distinct} = 5$

Distinct

↳ users

↳ values

↳ queries

↳ DNA motifs

Naive dictionary

uses $O(D)$

Our goal return

estimate $\hat{D} \approx D$

$1 > \epsilon > 0$

$(1-\epsilon)D \leq \hat{D} \leq (1+\epsilon)D$ w.p. $1-\delta$

using $O\left(\frac{1}{\epsilon^2 \cdot \delta} \cdot \log D\right)$

Min Hash

Choose $h: \mathcal{U} \rightarrow [0, 1]$

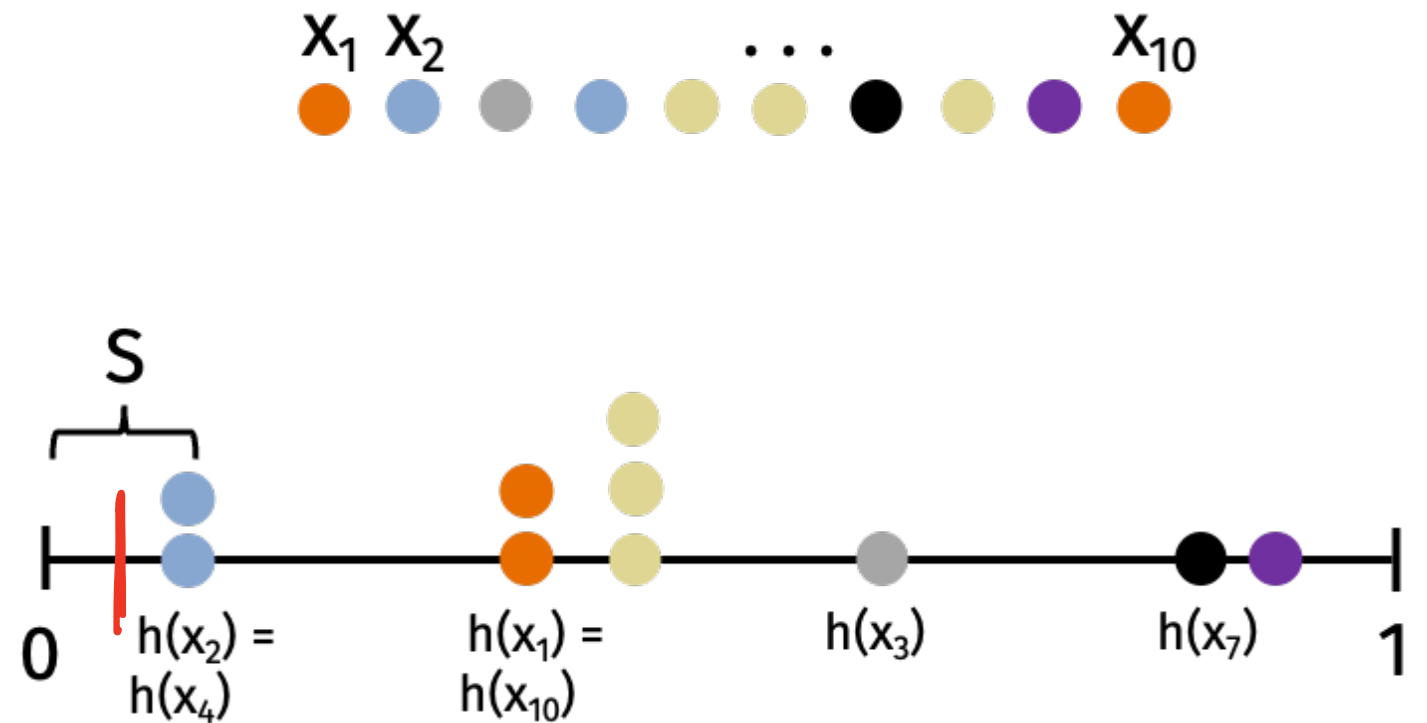
$S = 1$

For every $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$

$$S = \min(S, h(x_i))$$

Return $\tilde{D} = \frac{1}{S} - 1$

Intuition: More distinct items, S is smaller



$$\Pr(S \geq \Delta) = (1 - \Delta)^D$$

(1) Show $E[X] = \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \Pr(X \geq x)$

X is integer valued,
non-negative r.v.

$$E[X] = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \cdot \Pr(X=x)$$

(2) $E[X] = \int_0^{\infty} \Pr(X \geq x) dx$

$$E[X] = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \cdot \Pr(X=x)$$

$$= 0 \cdot \Pr(X=0) + 1 \cdot \Pr(X=1) + 2 \cdot \Pr(X=2) + 3 \cdot \Pr(X=3) + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \Pr(X=1) + \Pr(X=2) + \Pr(X=3) &= \Pr(X \geq 1) \\ &\quad + \Pr(X=2) + \Pr(X=3) &+ \Pr(X \geq 2) \\ &\quad \quad + \Pr(X=3) &+ \Pr(X \geq 3) \\ &\quad \quad \quad + \dots &+ \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \Pr(X \geq x)$$

x ← continuous

$$x = x - 0 = \int_{x=0}^x dx$$

$$= \int_0^x dx = \int_0^{\infty} \mathbb{1}[x \geq x] dx$$

$$\mathbb{E}[x] = \mathbb{E}\left[\int_0^{\infty} \mathbb{1}[x \geq x] dx\right]$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{1}[x \geq x]] dx$$

$$\stackrel{\pi}{=} \int_0^{\infty} \text{Pr}(x \geq x) dx$$

expectation
of indicator
is probability

$$\mathbb{E}[S] = \int_{\Delta=0}^1 \text{Pr}(S \geq \Delta) d\Delta$$

$$= \int_{\Delta=0}^1 (1-\Delta)^D d\Delta$$

$$= \frac{-(1-\Delta)^{D+1}}{D+1} \Big|_{\Delta=0}^1 = \frac{1}{D+1}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[S^2] = \int_{\Delta=0}^1 \text{Pr}(S^2 \geq \Delta) d\Delta$$

$$= \int_{\Delta=0}^1 \text{Pr}(S \geq \sqrt{\Delta}) d\Delta$$

$$= \int_{\Delta=0}^1 (1-\sqrt{\Delta})^D d\Delta$$

wolfram $\frac{2}{(D+1)(D+2)}$

$$\mathbb{E}[S] = \frac{1}{D+1} \stackrel{*}{=} \mu$$

$$\text{Var}(S) = \mathbb{E}[S^2] - \mathbb{E}[S]^2 = \sigma^2$$

$$= \frac{2}{(D+1)(D+2)} - \frac{1}{(D+1)^2}$$

$$\leq \frac{2}{(D+1)(D+1)} - \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} = \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} \stackrel{*}{=} \mu^2$$

$$\Pr(|S - \mu| \geq k \cdot \sigma \approx k \cdot \mu) \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$$

$$k = \epsilon$$

$$\Pr(|S - \mu| \geq \epsilon \mu) \leq \frac{1}{\epsilon^2}$$

$$0 < \epsilon < 1$$

$$\text{Var}(S) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \sigma^2$$

$$\mathbb{E}[S] \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \mu$$

$$\mu^2 = \left(\frac{1}{D+1}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \sigma^2$$

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon^2} \geq 1$$

$$1 \geq \epsilon^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 1 \geq \epsilon$$

Variance Reduction

Repeat core subroutine

Choose k hash functions

$$h_1, \dots, h_k: \mathcal{U} \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

For every i

For every j

$$S_j = \min(S_j, h_j(x_i))$$

$$S = \frac{S_1 + \dots + S_k}{k}$$

$$\hat{D} = \frac{1}{S} - 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[S] &= \mathbb{E}\left[\frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k S_j\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k \mathbb{E}[S_j] = \frac{1}{k} \cdot k \cdot \frac{1}{D+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{D+1} = \mu \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(S) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k S_j\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{k^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{j=1}^k S_j\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{k^2} \sum_{j=1}^k \text{Var}(S_j) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{k^2} \cdot k \cdot \mu^2 = \frac{\mu^2}{k} \end{aligned}$$