

Given a sequence (x_1, \dots, x_n) of digits $x_k \in \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$, we consider sets

$$E_d = \{k : x_k = 0, x_{k+d} = 1, x_{k+2d} = 2, x_{k+3d} = 3, x_{k+4d} = 4\};$$

if $k + id > n$ it is treated modulo n (that is, $n + 1 = 1$ and so on).

Let $n = 10\,000$, and x_1, \dots, x_n be chosen at random (probability 10^{-n} for each sequence).

Clearly, $\mathbb{E}|E_d| = 0.1$ for each d ; here $|E_d|$ is the number of elements in E_d .

Question 1. Prove that

$$\mathbb{P}(50 < |E_1| + \dots + |E_{1000}| < 150) > 0.95.$$

Consider events

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \{x_1 = 0\}, \\ B &= \{|E_1| = 0, \dots, |E_{11}| = 0, |E_{12}| = 1\}, \\ C &= \{E_1 = \emptyset, \dots, E_{11} = \emptyset, E_{12} = \{1\}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Question 2. Prove that

$$\mathbb{P}(C|A \cap B) = \frac{10}{n} \frac{\mathbb{P}(B)}{\mathbb{P}(B|A)}.$$

Question 3. Prove that

$$|\mathbb{P}(B|A) - \mathbb{P}(B)| \leq 0.015.$$