Homework 3

Due April 16, 2014

Please make sure to explain your answers to each of the following questions. Remember: a correct numerical answer without explanation is worth no points! Write up your answers legibly and logically. The not-to-turnin problems provide additional practice and are important to preparing for exams.

- 1. Let X be a uniformly random number between 1 and 6 (a die roll) and Y a uniformly random number between 1 and X. Find the joint distribution for (X, Y) and the marginal distribution for Y.
- 2. We take turns rolling a 6-sided die until one of us obtains a 6. I roll first.
 - (a) Given the first roll isn't a 6, what is the probability we take at least 4 rolls?
 - (b) What is the probability that I win?
 - (c) What is the probability you win on your first roll (the second overall), given that you win?
- 3. Section 4.1 Exercise 18
- 4. Section 4.1 Exercise 19
- 5. Section 4.1 Exercise 22
- 6. Section 4.1 Exercise 34
- 7. Section 4.1 Exercise 63. Hint: It's important to keep distinguish between the doors that can be revealed.

Problems ${\bf not}$ to turn in (Items with * go beyond practice):

- 1. Section 4.1 Exercise 6
- 2. Section 4.1 Exercise 22
- 3. Section 4.1 Exercise 29
- 4. Section 4.1 Exercise 23
- 5. (*) Section 4.1 Exercise 28
- 6. (*) Section 4.1 Exercise 30