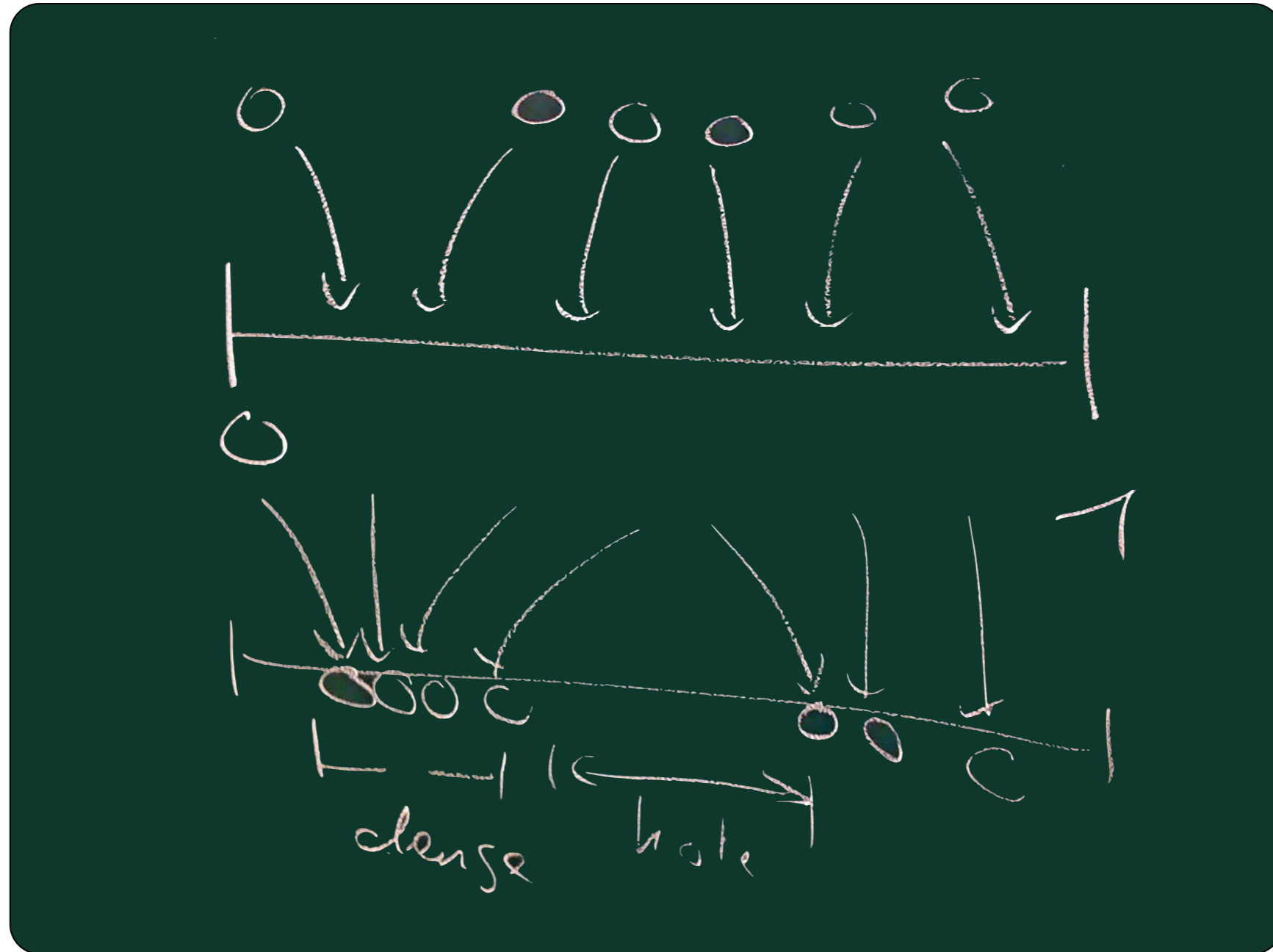


Peer-to-Peer Networks

6. Analysis of DHT

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Holes and Dense Areas



Size of Holes

- Theorem

- If n elements are randomly inserted into an array $[0,1[$ then with constant probability there is a „hole“ of size $\Omega(\log n/n)$, i.e. an interval without elements.

- Proof

- Consider an interval of size $\log n / (4n)$
- The chance not to hit such an interval is $(1 - \log n / (4n))$
- The chance that n elements do not hit this interval is

$$\left(1 - \frac{\log n}{4n}\right)^n = \left(1 - \frac{\log n}{4n}\right)^{\frac{4n}{\log n} \frac{\log n}{4}} \geq \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{4} \log n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

- The expected number of such intervals is more than 1.
- Hence the probability for such an interval is at least constant.

Proof of Dense Areas

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{4} \cdot \log_2 n} &= 2^{\left(\frac{1}{4} \log_2 n\right) \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{4}} \\
 &= 2^{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \log_2 n} \\
 &= n^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Expectation: $\frac{4n}{\log_2 n} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{4\sqrt{n}}{\log_2 n}$

- Theorem

- If n elements are randomly inserted into an array $[0,1[$ then with constant probability there is a dense interval of length $1/n$ with at least $\Omega(\log n / (\log \log n))$ elements.

- Proof

- The probability to place exactly i elements in to such an interval is $\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^i \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n-i} \binom{n}{i}$

- for $i = c \log n / (\log \log n)$ this probability is at least $1/n^k$ for an appropriately chosen c and $k < 1$
- Then the expected number of intervals is at least 1

Proof of Dense Areas



Pf. i Balls from n Balls fall into an interval of size $\frac{1}{n}$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^i \underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n-i}}_{O(n)^{-1/c}} \underbrace{\binom{n}{i}}_{\geq n^i \cdot \frac{1}{n^c}} \geq \frac{1}{n^k} \quad k \leq 1$$

Proof of Dense Areas

$$\frac{1}{4} \stackrel{m \geq 2}{\leq} \left(1 - \frac{1}{m}\right)^m \leq \frac{1}{e}$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right)^{n-1} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right)^n \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\geq \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{n-1} \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\geq \frac{1}{4}$$

Proof of Dense Areas

$$\begin{aligned}
 \binom{n}{i} &= \frac{n!}{i!(n-i)!} = \frac{n \cdot (n-1) \cdot (n-2) \cdots (n-i+1)}{i!} \\
 &\geq \frac{\frac{n}{3} \cdot \frac{n-1}{3} \cdot \frac{n-2}{3} \cdots \frac{n-i+1}{3}}{i!} \quad \frac{1}{3} \leq \frac{1}{2} \\
 &\geq \left(1 - \frac{i-1}{3}\right)^{n-i} \cdot \frac{n!}{i!} \\
 \left(1 - \frac{i-1}{3}\right)^{\frac{n}{3}} \cdot \frac{n!}{3^{n-i} (i-1)!} &\geq \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\frac{n}{3}} \left(1 - \frac{i-1}{3}\right)^{n-i} \geq \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n
 \end{aligned}$$

Proof of Dense Areas

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^i \cdot \frac{1}{i!} &= 2^{-i-i \cdot \ln i} \geq 2^{-k \cdot \log n} \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^k} \\
 \frac{i + i \cdot \ln i}{i(1 + \ln i)} &\leq \frac{c \cdot \log n}{\log \log n} \left(1 + \ln c + \ln \log n - \ln \log \log n \right) \\
 &\leq \frac{c \cdot \log n}{\log \log n} \left(1 + \ln c + (\ln 2) \right) \log \log n \\
 &= c(1 + \ln c + \ln 2) \cdot \log n
 \end{aligned}$$

- Theorem

- If $\Theta(n \log n)$ elements are randomly inserted into an array $[0,1[$ then with high probability in every interval of length $1/n$ there are $\Theta(\log n)$ elements.

- Markov-Inequality

- For random variable $X > 0$ with $\mathbf{E}[X] > 0$:

$$\mathbf{P}[X \geq k \cdot \mathbf{E}[X]] \leq \frac{1}{k}$$

- Chebyshev

$$\mathbf{P}[|X - \mathbf{E}[X]| \geq k] \leq \frac{\mathbf{V}[X]}{k^2}$$

- for Variance

$$\mathbf{V}[X] = \mathbf{E}[X^2] - \mathbf{E}[X]^2$$

- Stronger bound: Chernoff

■ Theorem Chernoff Bound

- Let x_1, \dots, x_n independent Bernoulli experiments with

- $P[x_i = 1] = p$

- $P[x_i = 0] = 1-p$

- Let

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

- Then for all $c > 0$

$$\mathbf{P}[S_n \geq (1 + c) \cdot \mathbf{E}[S_n]] \leq e^{-\frac{1}{3} \min\{c, c^2\} pn}$$

- For $0 \leq c \leq 1$

$$\mathbf{P}[S_n \leq (1 - c) \cdot \mathbf{E}[S_n]] \leq e^{-\frac{1}{2} c^2 pn}$$

Proof of 1st Chernoff Bound

- We show

$$\mathbf{P}[S_n \geq (1+c)\mathbf{E}[S_n]] \leq e^{-\frac{\min\{c,c^2\}}{3}pn}$$

- Für $t > 0$:

$$\mathbf{P}[S_n \geq (1+c)pn] = \mathbf{P}[e^{tS_n} \geq e^{t(1+c)pn}]$$

$$\frac{1}{k} \leq e^{-\frac{\min\{c,c^2\}}{3}pn}$$

$$k = e^{t(1+c)pn} / \mathbf{E}[e^{t \cdot S_n}]$$

- Markov yields:

$$\mathbf{P}[e^{tS_n} \geq k\mathbf{E}[e^{tS_n}]] \leq \frac{1}{k}$$

- To do: Choose t appropriately

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$$\frac{1}{k} \leq e^{-\frac{\min\{c, c^2\}}{3}pn}$$

- where

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Independence of random variables x_i



$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}[e^{tS_n}] &= \mathbf{E}\left[e^{t\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}\right] \\ &= \mathbf{E}\left[\prod_{i=1}^n e^{tx_i}\right] \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n \mathbf{E}\left[e^{tx_i}\right] \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n (e^0(1-p) + e^t p) \\ &= (1 - p + e^t p)^n \\ &= (1 + (e^t - 1)p)^n \end{aligned}$$

- Next we show:

$$e^{-t(1+c)pn} \cdot (1 + p(e^t - 1))^n \leq e^{-\frac{\min\{c, c^2\}}{3}pn}$$

Proof of 1st Chernoff Bound

Show:

$$e^{-t(1+c)pn} \cdot (1 + p(e^t - 1))^n \leq e^{-\frac{\min\{c, c^2\}}{3}pn}$$

where: $t = \ln(1 + c) > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} e^{-t(1+c)pn} \cdot (1 + p(e^t - 1))^n &\leq e^{-t(1+c)pn} \cdot e^{pn(e^t - 1)} \\ &= e^{-t(1+c)pn + pn(e^t - 1)} \\ &= e^{-(1+c) \ln(1+c)pn + cpn} \\ &= e^{(c - (1+c) \ln(1+c))pn} \end{aligned}$$

Next to show

$$(1 + c) \ln(1 + c) \geq c + \frac{1}{3} \min\{c, c^2\}$$

Proof of 1st Chernoff Bound

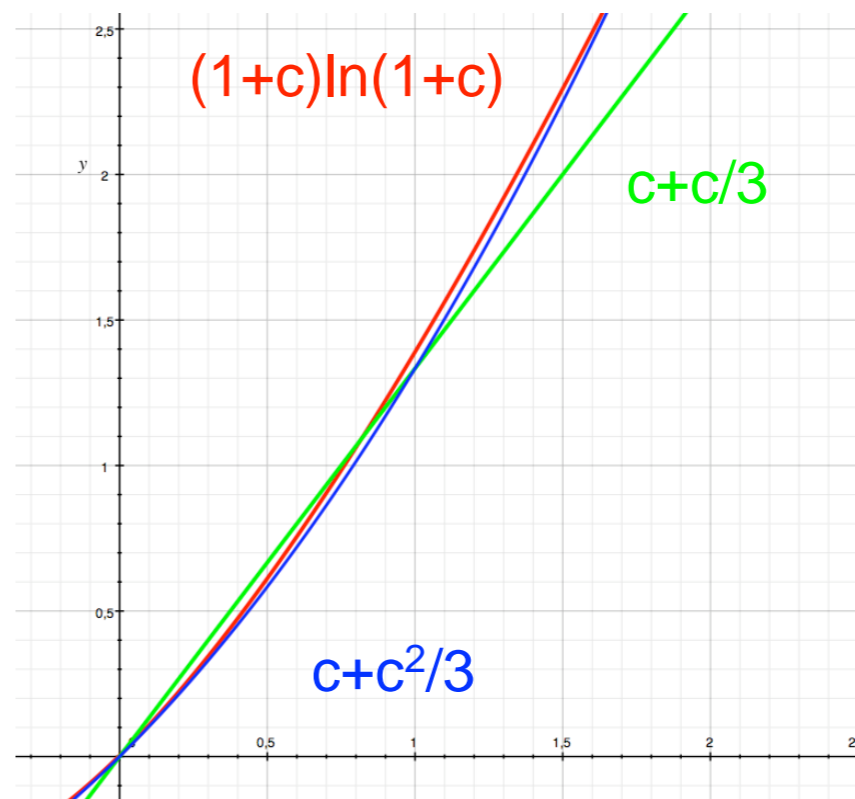
To show for $c > 1$:

$$(1 + c) \ln(1 + c) \geq c + \frac{1}{3}c$$

For $c=1$: $2 \ln(2) > 4/3$

Derivative:

- left side: $\ln(1+c)$
- right side: $4/3$
- For $c > 1$ the left side is larger than the right side since
 - $\ln(1+c) > \ln(2) > 4/3$
- Hence the inequality is true for $c > 0$.



Proof of 1st Chernoff Bound

To show for $c < 1$:

$$(1 + c) \ln(1 + c) \geq c + \frac{1}{3}c^2$$

For $x > 0$:

$$\frac{d \ln(1 + x)}{dx} = \frac{1}{1 + x} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x^4 - \dots$$

Hence

$$\ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \dots$$

By multiplication

$$(1 + x) \ln(1 + x) = x + \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)x^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right)x^3 + \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}\right)x^4 - \dots$$

Substitute $(1+c) \ln(1+c)$ which gives for $c \in (0,1)$:

$$(1 + c) \ln(1 + c) \geq c + \frac{1}{2}c^2 - \frac{1}{6}c^3 \geq c + \frac{1}{3}c^2$$

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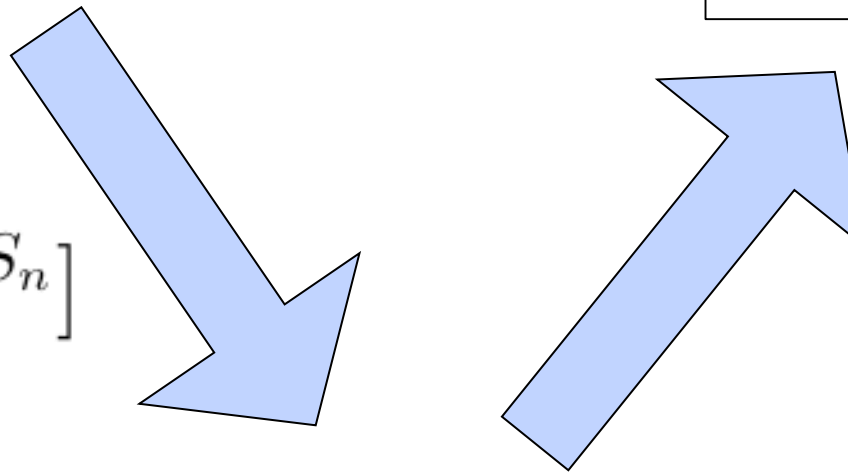
$$\mathbf{P}[S_n \leq (1 - c) \cdot \mathbf{E}[S_n]] \leq e^{-\frac{1}{2} c^2 pn}$$

Proof of 2nd Chernoff Bound

▶ **We show** $\mathbf{P}[S_n \leq (1 - c)\mathbf{E}[S_n]] \leq e^{-\frac{c^2}{2}pn}$.

▶ **For $t < 0$:** $\mathbf{P}[S_n \leq (1 - c)pn] = \mathbf{P}[e^{tS_n} \geq e^{t(1-c)pn}]$

$$\frac{1}{k} \leq e^{-\frac{c^2}{2}pn}$$

$$k = e^{t(1-c)pn} / \mathbf{E}[e^{t \cdot S_n}]$$


▶ **Markov yields:**

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▶ **To do: Choose t appropriately**

Proof of 2nd Chernoff Bound

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Proof of 2nd Chernoff Bound

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$$e^{-t(1-c)pn} \cdot (1 + p(e^t - 1))^n \leq e^{-\frac{c^2}{2}pn}$$

where:

$$t = \ln(1 - c)$$

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$$1+x \leq e^x$$

Next to show

$$-c - (1 - c) \ln(1 - c) \leq -\frac{1}{2}c^2$$

Proof of 2nd Chernoff Bound

To prove:

$$-c - (1 - c) \ln(1 - c) \leq -\frac{1}{2}c^2$$

For $c=0$ we have equality

Derivative of left side: $\ln(1-c)$

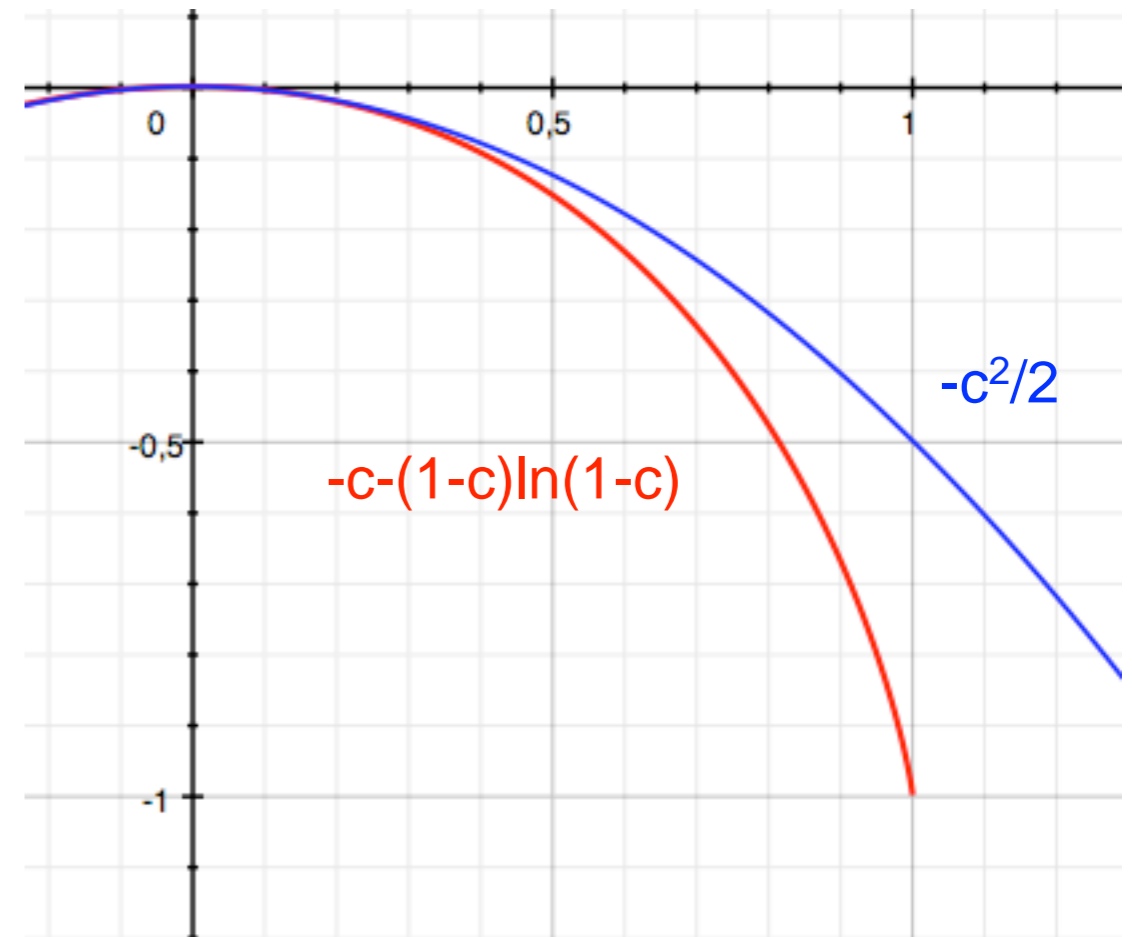
Derivative of right side: $-c$

Now

$$\ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \dots$$

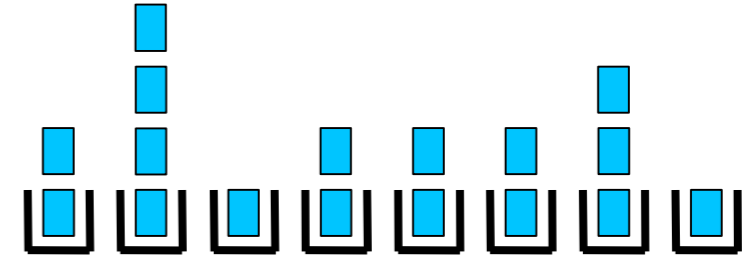
This implies

$$\ln(1 - c) = -c - \frac{1}{2}c^2 - \frac{1}{3}c^3 - \dots < -c$$



Proof ctd.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -c - (1-c) \left(-c - \frac{1}{2}c^2 - \frac{1}{3}c^3 - \dots \right) \\
 & \checkmark -c + \checkmark c + \frac{1}{2}c^2 + \frac{1}{3}c^3 + \frac{1}{4}c^4 + \frac{1}{5}c^5 \dots \\
 & \quad -c^2 - \frac{1}{2}c^3 - \frac{1}{3}c^4 - \frac{1}{4}c^5 \dots \\
 & = -\frac{1}{2}c^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right)c^3 - \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}\right)c^4 - \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5}\right)c^5 \dots \\
 & \quad \leftarrow -\frac{1}{2}c^2
 \end{aligned}$$



Lemma

If $m = k n \ln n$ Balls are randomly placed in n bins:

1. Then for all $c > k$ the probability that more than $c \ln n$ balls are in a bin is at most $O(n^{-c'})$ for a constant $c' > 0$.
2. Then for all $c < k$ the probability that less than $c \ln n$ balls are in a bin is at most $O(n^{-c'})$ for a constant $c' > 0$.

Proof:

Consider a bin and the Bernoulli experiment $B(k n \ln n, 1/n)$ and expectation: $\mu = m/n = k \ln n$

1. Case: $c > 2k$

$$\begin{aligned} P[X \geq c \ln n] &= P[X \geq (1 + (c/k - 1))k \ln n] \\ &\leq e^{-\frac{1}{3}(c/k - 1)k \ln n} \leq n^{-\frac{1}{3}(c - k)} \end{aligned}$$
2. Case: $k < c < 2k$

$$\begin{aligned} P[X \geq c \ln n] &= P[X \geq (1 + (c/k - 1))k \ln n] \\ &\leq e^{-\frac{1}{3}(c/k - 1)^2 k \ln n} \leq n^{-\frac{1}{3}(c - k)^2}, \end{aligned}$$
3. Case: $c < k$

$$\begin{aligned} P[X \leq c \ln n] &= P[X \leq (1 - (1 - c/k))k \ln n] \\ &\leq e^{-\frac{1}{2}(1 - c/k)^2 k \ln n} \leq n^{-\frac{1}{2}(k - c)^2 / k} \end{aligned}$$

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