

## Bernoulli Distribution

A random Variable  $X$  is said to have a Bernoulli Distribution if its Probability mass function (P.M.F.) is given by

$$P(X=x) = p(x) = \begin{cases} p^x (1-p)^{1-x} ; x=0,1 \\ 0 ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$p$  = probability of success

$1-p = q$  = probability of failure

no. of trial = one

Success ( $p$ )

failure  $(1-p)$

$$P(X=1) = p (1-p)^{1-1}$$

$$P(X=1) = p$$

$$P(X=0) = p^0 (1-p)^{1-0}$$

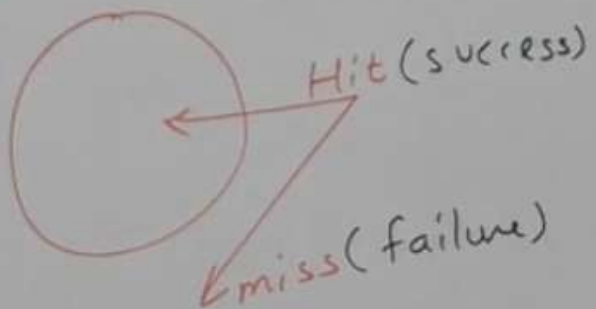
$$p^x \mid P(X=0) = (1-p)$$

$$(1-p)^{1-x}$$

## BINOMIAL DISTRIBUTION

$X = 0, 1, 2, \dots$   
Discrete Prob. dist.

10 trials



Prob. of success,  $P(S)$ ,  $P = \frac{1}{2}$  (constant)

Prob. of failure,  $q(s)$ ,  $q = \frac{1}{2}$

$$p+q=1$$

PP PP PP PP  
← 10 trials →

6 times success      10-6 times failure

$$10C_6 P^6 q^{10-4}$$

$$P(X=x) = {}^{10}C_6 P^6 q^{10-4}; \quad x=0,1,2,3,4$$

PPqqPPP-----PqP  
←-----→  
n trials

$n$  trials  
 $x$  times success  $(n-x)$  times failure  
 $n C_x P^x Q^{n-x}$

$$P(X=x) = {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}, x=0,1,\dots,n$$

Binomial  
prob dist.  $P+q=1$

# Poisson Distribution

$X = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  rare event  
discrete

no. of trials,  $n \rightarrow \infty$  (very large)  
probability of success,  $P \rightarrow 0$  (very small)

$$P(X=x) = \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!}; x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{x=0}^{\infty} P(X=x) &= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} = \frac{e^{-m} m^0}{0!} + \frac{e^{-m} m}{1!} + \frac{e^{-m} m^2}{2!} + \dots \\ &= e^{-m} \left[ 1 + m + \frac{m^2}{2!} + \dots \right] \\ &= e^{-m} e^m = e^0 = 1\end{aligned}$$

Constant of Poisson distribution

mean =  $m$

Variance =  $m$

S.D. =  $\sqrt{m}$

$$X \sim P(m)$$