

## HW5 STAT 312

### 1

The fill volume of an automated filling machine used for filling cans of carbonated beverage is normally distributed with a mean of 12.4 fluid ounces and a standard deviation of 0.1 fluid ounce. ( $N(12.4, 0.1^2)$ )

### A

What is the probability that a fill volume is less than 12 fluid ounces?

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{12 - 12.4}{0.1} = -4$$
$$P(Z \leq -4) = 0.000033$$

### B

If all cans less than 12.1 or more than 12.6 ounces are scrapped, what proportion of cans is scrapped?

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{12.1 - 12.4}{0.1} = -3$$
$$P(Z \leq -3) = 0.00135$$
$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{12.6 - 12.4}{0.1} = 2$$
$$P(Z \geq 2) = 0.02275$$

The percent of cans that are scrapped is  $0.00135 + 0.02275 = 0.0241 = 2.41\%$

### C

Determine specifications that are symmetric about the mean that include 99% of all cans.

$$0.99 = P(-z \leq Z \leq z) = P(Z \leq z) - P(Z \leq -z)$$

$$\text{Alternatively, } 0.99 = \int_{-z}^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx$$

This means to find  $z$  such that the first statement is true we need to find  $z$  such that  $P(Z \leq z) = 0.995$  and  $P(Z \leq -z) = 0.005$ .

Using the  $z$  table we find that  $z = \pm 2.58$ .

We can then use this to find the range by solving  $z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$  for  $x$ .

$$\pm 2.58 = \frac{x-12.4}{0.1} \rightarrow x = 12.4 \pm 2.58 \times 0.1 = 12.658 \text{ or } 12.142$$

The specifications are  $12.142 \leq x \leq 12.658$

## D

Use R to find solutions for parts (a) and (c). Attach the R codes and output.

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print(paste("1A: ", pnorm(12,12.4,0.1)))
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[1] "1A: 3.16712418331194e-05"
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print(paste("1C: ", "(", qnorm(0.005,12.4,0.1), ",", qnorm(0.995,12.4,0.1), ")"))
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[1] "1C: ( 12.1424170696451 , 12.6575829303549 )"
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## 2

The diameter of the dot produced by a printer is normally distributed with a mean diameter of 0.002 inch and a standard deviation of 0.0004 inch. ### (a) What is the probability that the diameter of a dot exceeds 0.0026?

$$z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} = \frac{0.0026-0.002}{0.0004} = 1.5$$

$$P(Z > 1.5) = 1 - P(Z \leq 1.5) = 1 - 0.93319 = 0.06681$$

### (b)

What is the probability that a diameter is between 0.0014 and 0.0026?

$$z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} = \frac{0.0026-0.002}{0.0004} = 1.5$$

$$z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} = \frac{0.0014-0.002}{0.0004} = -1.5$$

$$P(-1.5 \leq Z \leq 1.5) = P(Z \leq 1.5) - P(Z \leq -1.5) = 0.93319 - 0.06681 = 0.86638$$

**(c)**

What standard deviation of diameters is needed so that the probability in part (b) is 0.995?

$$0.995 = P(-z \leq Z \leq z) = P(Z \leq z) - P(Z \leq -z) \text{ so } 0.9975 = P(Z \leq z) \text{ and } 0.0025 = P(Z \leq -z)$$

Using the Ztable, we find that  $z = \pm 2.81$

We can then use this to find the range by solving  $z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$  for  $\sigma$ .

$$\pm 2.81 = \frac{\pm 0.0006}{\sigma} \rightarrow \sigma = \frac{0.0006}{2.81} = 0.0002135231$$

**3**

Suppose that X has a lognormal distribution with parameters  $\theta = 5$  and  $\omega^2 = 9$ .

**(a)**

Use Table III to find  $P(X < 13,300)$ .

$$P(X < 13,300) = P(\ln(X) < \ln(13,300)) = P(\ln(X) < 9.4955)$$

$$z = \frac{\ln(13,300) - 5}{3} = 1.4985$$

Using the z-table with  $z = 1.4985$  we find that  $P(\ln(X) < 1.4985) = 0.933193$ .

**(b)**

Use Table III to find the value of  $x$  such that  $P(X < x) = 0.95$ .

The corresponding z-score for a probability of 0.95 is  $z = 1.65$ .

Thus we need to solve  $z = \frac{\ln(x) - 5}{3}$  for  $x$ .

$$z = \frac{\ln(x) - 5}{3} = 1.65 \rightarrow \ln(x) = 5 + 3 \times 1.65 = 20952.22$$

**(c)**

Find the mean and variance of X.

$$\mu = E(X) = e^{\theta + \omega^2/2} = 13359.7268$$

$$\sigma^2 = V(X) = e^{2\theta + \omega^2}(e^{\omega^2} - 1) = 1.446 \times 10^{12}$$

**(d)**

Use R to find solutions for parts (a) and (b). Attach the R codes and output. Please note that your answers in this part may not be exactly the same as your answers in parts a and b when using table III.

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print(paste("3A: ", plnorm(13300,5,3)))
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[1] "3A: 0.932999139402293"
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print(paste("3B: ", qlnorm(0.95,5,3)))
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[1] "3B: 20631.222875142"
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**4**

Suppose that  $X$  has a lognormal distribution and that the mean and variance of  $X$  are 100 and 85,000, respectively.

**(a)**

Determine the parameters  $\theta$  and  $\omega^2$  of the lognormal distribution. You can use the method that we discussed in class or the hint below to solve the problem.

Hint: define  $x = \exp(\theta)$  and  $y = \exp(\omega^2)$  and write two equations in terms of  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$\theta = x\sqrt{y} = 100, \omega^2 = x^2y(y-1) = 85000$$

$$x\sqrt{y} = 100 \rightarrow x^2y = 10000 \rightarrow x^2y(y-1) = 10000(y-1) = 85000 \rightarrow 10000y = 95000 \rightarrow y = 9.5$$

$$x\sqrt{9.5} = 100 \rightarrow x = 32.444$$

$$\text{Thus } \theta = 3.47952 \text{ and } \omega^2 = 2.25129.$$

**(b)**

Use R to find  $P(X \leq 5)$ . Attach the R code and output.

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print(paste("4B: ", plnorm(5,3.47952,2.25129)))
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[1] "4B: 0.203079659773497"
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