

HYPERGEOMETRIC DISTRIBUTION

If a population of size N contains K items of "successes" and $N-K$ "failures", then the probability of the hypergeometric random variable X , the number of successes in a random sample of size n is:

$$p(X=K) = \frac{\binom{K}{k} \binom{N-K}{n-k}}{\binom{N}{n}}$$

Where,

K = number of successes in the population
 k = number of observed successes
 N = population size
 n = number of draws

Example 1

A deck of cards contains 20 cards; 6 red cards and 14 black cards. 5 cards are drawn random without replacement. What is the probability that exactly 4 red cards are drawn?

Solution
 The probability of ...
 need ...

Example 1

The average number of homes sold by the ACME Realty Company is 2 homes per day. What is the probability that exactly 3 homes will be sold tomorrow?

Solution

$\lambda = 2$, since 2 homes are sold per day, on average.

$$x = 3$$

$$e = 2.71828$$

$$P(3; 2) = \frac{(e^{-\lambda}) (\lambda^x)}{x!} = \frac{2.71828^{-2} \times 2^3}{3!}$$

$$P(3; 2) = \frac{(0.13534)(8)}{6} = \underline{\underline{0.180}}$$

Normal Distribution

Curve

The normal distribution curve (or normal curve) is symmetrical about the center line (mean). The area under the curve represents the probability of the

deviations

deviations

variance and standard deviation.

The variance of a set of data points is the mean squared deviation from the mean.

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n}$$

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n}$$

Standard deviation is the positive square root of the variance

$$s \text{ or } \sigma = \sqrt{\text{variance}}$$

Example 1: Obtain the standard deviation of the following scores 5, 3, 7, 6, 11, 10

$$\bar{x} = \frac{3 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 10 + 11}{6} = \frac{42}{6} = 7$$

x	$x - \bar{x}$	$(x - \bar{x})^2$	x^2
3	-4	16	9
5	-2	4	25
6	-1	1	36
7	0	0	49
10	3	9	100
11	4	16	121
		46	340

$$\text{Standard deviation} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n}} = \sqrt{\frac{46}{6}}$$

$$s =$$

$$= \sqrt{7.667} = 2.7689$$

Coefficient of variation (CV)

$$CV = \left(\frac{s}{\bar{x}} \times 100 \right) \%$$

Poisson Distribution

It is usually used, in situations where the probability of a rare event occurring at a large sample. Suppose we conduct a Poisson experiment in which the average number of successes within a given region is λ . Then, the Poisson distribution is

$$P(X=\lambda) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

where,

x = actual number of successes that result from the experiment

$$e = 2.71828$$

The Poisson distribution has the following properties

- (1) The mean of the distribution is equal to λ
- (2) The variance is also equal to λ

~~Poisson~~ Poisson distribution can therefore be used to approximate for the binomial distribution when p is very small and n is very large.

Solution
 The probability of choosing exactly 4
 red cards is
 $P(4 \text{ red cards}) = \frac{\# \text{ samples with 4 red cards}}{\# \text{ of possible 4 card samples}}$

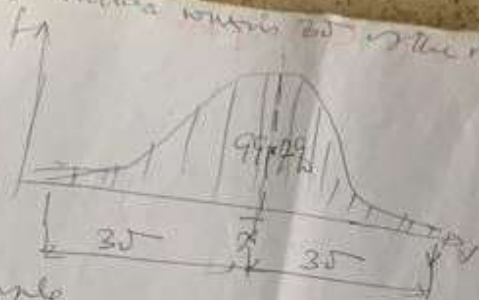
$$P(X=4) = \frac{\binom{6}{4} \binom{14}{1}}{\binom{20}{5}}$$

$$\frac{6C4 \times 14C1}{20C5} = \frac{15 \times 14}{15504} = \underline{\underline{0.0135}}$$

Bernoulli distributions

The Bernoulli distribution: which it ~~take~~ takes
 value "1" with probability p and
 value "0" with probability $q = 1 - p$

Q values within 2σ of the mean



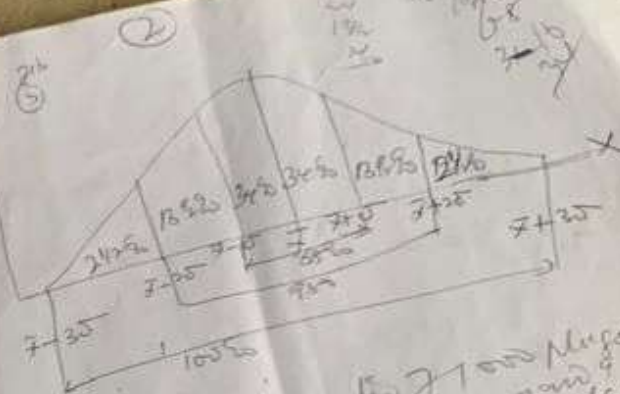
Example

A manufacturing run to produce 1000 bolts of normal length 32.5 mm. Standard deviation is 0.06 mm. Calculate the range of bolts likely to have lengths between 32.58 mm and 32.62 mm.

At 68% of the bolts are likely to have lengths between 32.58 - 0.06 and 32.58 + 0.06, i.e. between 32.52 and 32.64 mm.

At 95% of the bolts are likely to have lengths between 32.58 - 0.12 and 32.58 + 0.12, i.e. between 32.46 and 32.70 mm.

At 99.7% of the bolts are likely to have lengths between 32.58 - 0.18 and 32.58 + 0.18, i.e. between 32.40 and 32.76 mm.



Example

If the diameter of 71 and plugs is 74.82 mm and standard deviation is 0.14 mm. Calculate the number of plugs likely to have diameters less than 74.54 mm.

Solution

$$\bar{x} = 74.82 \text{ mm}$$

$$\sigma = 0.14 \text{ mm}$$

$$N = 1500 \text{ plugs}$$

$$Z = \frac{74.54 - 74.82}{0.14} = -2.0$$

$$Z(0.14) = \frac{74.82 - 74.54}{0.14} = 2$$

$$Z = \frac{0.28}{0.14} = 2$$

General steps

step 1: Identify the parts of the problem

1. the mean (μ or μ_0)
 2. the standard deviation (σ)
 3. population size
 4. Sample size (n)
 5. a number associated with μ or μ_0
- then (\bar{x}) . Note: that is the sample mean

step 2: Draw a graph. Label the center with the mean



step 3: Use the following formula to find the z-score. Plug in the numbers from step 1

$$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}}$$

\bar{x} = mean
(μ = mean of population)

standard error = $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

n = sample size
 σ = standard deviation

$$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\text{standard error}}$$

$$74.50 = \bar{x} - 2.5$$

\therefore number of pipes with diameters less than 74.50 mm = 24 pipes $\times 1000$
= 40

$$(b) 74.68 = 74.52 + 0.16 = \bar{x} - \sigma$$

$75.10 = 74.52 + 2(0.16) = \bar{x} + 2\sigma$
 \therefore Number of pipes between these values =
(24 + 24 + 13%) percent = 51% pipes
51% percent of 1000 = 510

The Central Limit Theorem and Mean

An essential component of the central limit theorem is that the average of your sample means will be the population mean. By other words, add up the means from all of your samples, find the average and that average will be your actual population mean. Similarly, if you find the average of all of the standard deviations in your sample, you will find the actual standard deviation of a population.

- Three central limit theorem cases:
- ① We want to find the probability that the mean is greater than a certain number
 - ② We want to find the probability that the mean is less than a certain number
 - ③ We want to find the probability that the mean is between certain set of numbers either side of the mean

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ProbabilityDefinition

Probability is a measure of the likelihood that a particular event will occur in any one trial or experiment, carried out in prescribed conditions.

Notation

The probability that a certain event A occurs is denoted by $P(A)$ and also equal to $(P \text{ success})$.
Success or failure

When an event occurs in any one trial, it is called success, but when it fails to occur it is called failure.

In N trials, there are x successes,
 There will also be $(N-x)$ failures

$$\text{Prob } \frac{x}{N} = P(\text{success}) \text{ and } \frac{N-x}{N} = P(\text{failure})$$

$$\frac{N-x}{N} = P(\text{failure}) = P(\text{NOT } A)$$

$$\therefore P(A) + P(\text{NOT } A) = 1$$

The event not A is called the complement of event A and is often written \bar{A}
 i.e. $P(A) + P(\bar{A}) = 1$

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TYPES OF PROBABILITY

The determination of probability may be undertaken from two approaches:

- (a) Empirical (or experimental) probability
- (b) Classical (or theoretical) probability

Empirical probability - It is based on

previous (known) results. For example:
A number of checks are made per day. number of times of maize harvested at experimental farm at 1 kilo. etc.

Expectations (E)

Expectations (E) is defined as the product of the number of trials N and the probability $P(A)$ that the event A will occur in any one trial, i.e.

$$E = N \times P(A)$$

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$$MAS = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

Addition Law of Probability

Two or more ^{events} ~~probabilities~~ A and B if A and B are mutually exclusive then ~~the~~

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B)$$

if either event A or event B occurs but not both. i.e.

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B)$$

If the events A and B are not mutually exclusive, so that events A and B can occur together

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

For example

The probability of scoring a multiple of 3 (i.e. 3 or 6) $= \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$
The probability of scoring a multiple of 2 (i.e. 2 or 4 or 6) $= \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2} = P(B)$

Probability of scoring a multiple of 3 or a multiple of 2 ~~is~~ $P(A) + P(B) = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{6}$

If event is non-exclusive

$$P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

$$\frac{5}{6} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Independent events and dependent events

Events are independent when the occurrence of one event does not affect the occurrence of the second event. The probability

Events are dependent when one event does affect the probability of the occurrence of the second.

if however, we have a list
then $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{2}{4} + \frac{1}{4}$

Measures of Central Tendency / Location

An average is a value which is ^{representative} ~~represent~~ of a set of data. Since such values tend to lie within a set of data arranged according to magnitude, averages are also called measures of central tendency or measures of location. Several averages can be defined, the most common being the arithmetic mean, the median, and the mode. Others are the geometric and harmonic means.

The Arithmetic Mean (A.M.)

The arithmetic mean of a set of n observations x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n , denoted by \bar{x} (can read as \bar{x}) is defined by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

If the observations x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k occur f_1, f_2, \dots, f_k times respectively (where f_1, f_2, \dots, f_k are corresponding), the A.M. is given by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{f_1 x_1 + f_2 x_2 + \dots + f_k x_k}{f_1 + f_2 + \dots + f_k} = \frac{\sum f x}{\sum f} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Example 1 The A.M. of the following numbers 10, 10, 10, 10 and 0 is given by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{10+10+10+10+0}{5} = 80/5 = 10$$

Example 4: If 5, 8, 6 and 2 occur with frequencies 3, 2, 4, 1 respectively, the A.M. is given by

$$\bar{x} = \frac{(5 \times 3) + (8 \times 2) + (6 \times 4) + (2 \times 1)}{3+2+4+1} = 57/10 = 5.7$$

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Dispersion

Dispersion or variability is a way of describing how spread out a set of data is, where a data set has a large value.

Measures of Dispersion

measures of dispersion are Range, standard deviation, variance, mean absolute deviation, coefficient of variation.

The Range. The simplest measure of dispersion, is the difference between the highest value and the lowest value.

$$\text{The range} = V_{\max} - V_{\min} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The mean Absolute Deviation

$$MAD = \frac{\sum |x - \bar{x}|}{n} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

If however, we have a frequency distribution then

$$MAD = \frac{\sum f |x - \bar{x}|}{\sum f} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

where $\sum f = n$ = number of observations
and $|x - \bar{x}|$ means modulus of deviation
 $|x - \bar{x}|$ indicating that we ignore the sign of the deviation and take them all to be positive

Conditional Probability

Conditional probability of an event B occurring, when given an event A has already taken place vice versa. Its case is an event B started above. It is denoted by the symbol $P(B/A)$. If A and B are independent events, the fact that event A has already occurred will not affect the probability of event B .

$$\therefore P(B/A) = P(B)$$

If A and B are dependent events, then event A having occurred will affect the probability of the occurrence of event B .

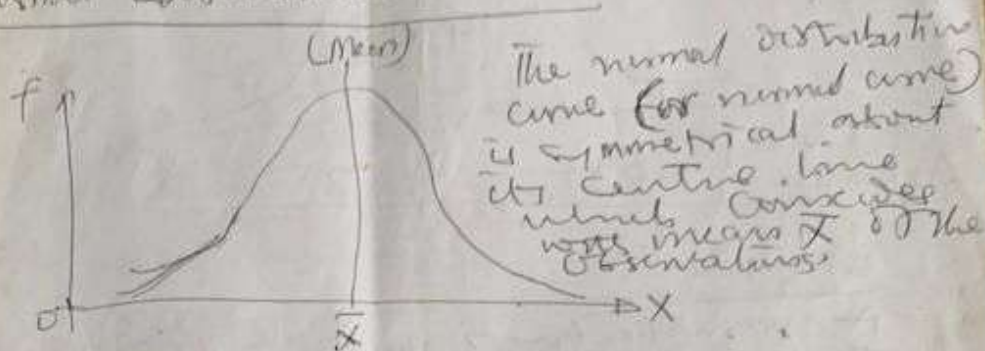
For example Six 15 Ohm resistors and a box contains 6 Ohm resistors and 40 Ohm resistors. The resistors are all unmarked and of the same physical size.

① If one resistor is picked out at random, determine the probability of its resistance being 15 Ohms.

② If the first resistor is found to be 15 Ohms and it is returned on one side, find the probability that a second selected resistor will be of

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Normal Distribution Curve



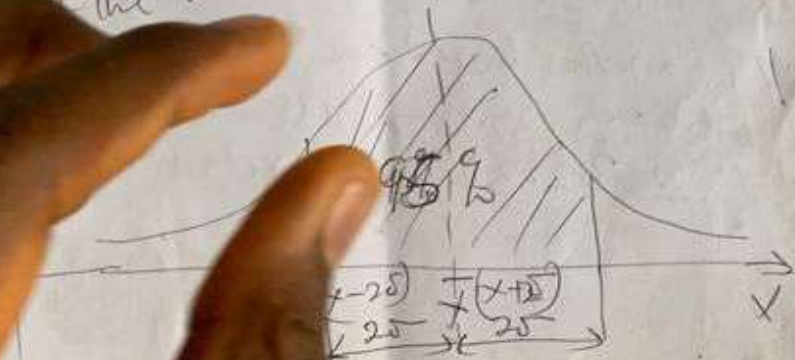
Values within standard deviations

(a) of the mean

(1) values within one (1) standard deviation of the mean.



(2) values within two (2) standard deviations of the mean



resistance 40 ohms
 solution

Let $A = \{15 \text{ ohm resistor}\}$ and $B = \{40 \text{ ohm resistor}\}$

(a) $N = 6 + 13 = 19$

thus $P(A) = \frac{6}{19}$ five

(b) The box now contains 5 15 ohm resistors and 13 40 ohm resistors

$P(B/A) = \frac{13}{18}$

The probability of getting a 15 ohm resistor at the first selection, retaining it, and getting a 40 ohm resistor at the second selection is

$P(A \text{ and } B/A) = P(A) + P(B/A)$
 $= \frac{6}{19} + \frac{13}{18} = \frac{78}{342}$

If A and B are independent events

$P(A \text{ and } B) = P(A) \times P(B)$

and if A and B are dependent events

$P(A \text{ and } B) = P(A) \times P(B/A)$

masses (kg/m ³) x	no of logs f	Cum. no of logs c.f
70-74	1	1
75-79	6	7
80-84	17	24
85-89	29	53
90-94	20	73
95-99	17	90
100-104	13	103
105-109	10	113
110-114	6	119
115-119	3	122
120-124	2	124
125-129	1	125
Total	125	

The above table shows that there are 53 logs out of 125 that require less than 90 kg/m³.

The above table shows the following:

- (i) The last column shows that there are 53 logs out of 125 that require less than 90 kg/m³.
- (ii) that 20 logs require between 89.5 and 94.5 kg/m³.
- (iii) that ~~more~~ fewer than half of the logs are less than 89.5 but more than half are less than 94.5 kg/m³ and hence the median class is 90-94.

The median is thus, located between 90 and 94 by the following expression

$$\bar{x} = L_x + \frac{\frac{n}{2} - f_c}{f_x} \times c$$

④ Classical probability

The classical approach to probability is based on a conservation of the theoretical number of ways in which it is possible for an event A to occur.

The classical probability $P(A)$ of an event A occurring is defined as:
$$P(A) = \frac{\text{number of ways in which event A can occur}}{\text{total number of all possible outcomes}}$$

Note: In any trial, each separate possible result is called an outcome.

For instance: If, out of n possible outcomes of a trial, it is possible for an event A to occur in x ways and for the event A not to occur in y ways, then $n = x + y$ and $P(A) = \frac{x}{n} = \frac{x}{x+y}$

Mutually exclusive and mutually non-exclusive events:

③ Mutually exclusive events: Two events which cannot occur together. For example, in rolling a die in the same sample trials, event of throwing a six and that of throwing five cannot occur at the same time.

⑤ Mutually non-exclusive events: These are events that occur simultaneously. In this case, there are pairs of events.

The Median

The median of a set of numbers arranged in order of magnitude is

- ④ The middle value of the numbers if number of observations, n is odd
eg the median of 3, 9, 6, 1, 4 is obtained by first ordering as obtained
1, 3, 4, 6, 9

$$\Rightarrow \bar{X} = 4$$

- ⑤ Taken to be the A.M. of the two middle values if n is even. In such a situation we say that the median is strictly undeterminate eg the medians of 8, 14,

3, 12, 1, 6 is

1, 3, 6, 8, 12, 14

$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{2}(6+8) = 7$ which, unfortunately is none of the observations.

Approximating the median from a grouped frequency distribution.

Solution

$$p = 0.5$$

$$q = 1 - p = 1 - 0.5 = 0.5$$

$$n = 10$$

$$x = 6 \quad nC_6 = {}^{10}C_6 = \frac{10!}{(10-6)! \times 6!} = \frac{10!}{4! \times 6!}$$

$$= \frac{10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1}{4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = 210$$

$$p(x=6) = 210 \times 0.5^6 \times 0.5^4$$

$$= 210 \times 0.015625 \times 0.0625$$

$$= 0.205078$$

Tip: You can use the Combinatorics calculator.

Binomial Distributions

~~If~~ n

$$\text{mean} = np$$

$$\text{variance} = npq$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = \sqrt{npq}$$

where,

$L_f =$ ^{Lower}
~~Lower~~ class boundary of the median class

F = cumulative frequency less than the lower class limit of the median class

f_x = frequency of the median class

C = size of class of the median class

$n = \sum f$ = number of observations.

$$\bar{X} = 89.5 + \frac{\left[\frac{125}{2} - 53 \right] 5}{20} = 91.91 \approx 92 \text{ km}$$

The Mode

The mode is defined as the observation with the highest frequency. At times we may have a bimodal (two modes) or a multimodal (a distribution with many modes) distribution.

of choosing exactly 1 of
the samples was fixed and
the # of possible faces
is = # samples / # of possible faces

BINOMIAL DISTRIBUTION ①

Binomial formula can be used when
the probability of success is very
high.

Binomial Formula

$$b(x; n, p) = {}^nC_x * p^x * (1-p)^{n-x}$$

where,

b = binomial probability.

x = total number of "successes" (pass or fail,
heads or tails etc)

p = probability of a success on an
individual trial.

n = number of trials

NOTE: The binomial distribution formula
can also be written in a
slightly different way,

$$P(x) = \frac{n!}{(n-x)! * x!} * (p)^x * (q)^{n-x}$$

Example 1

A coin is tossed 10 times. What is
the probability of getting exactly
6 heads?

Basic Statistics ①

Frequency Distribution

Consider the following data on house occupations.

4, 6, 2, 3, 6, 2, 3, 2, 4, 3, 6, 4, 3, 5, 9, 3, 2, 2, 8,
2, 9, 5, 4, 2, 8, 5, 4, 7, 5, 14, 3, 13, 5, 14, 4, 2, 1,
7, 6, 15, 1, 3, 2, 3, 8, 3, 9, 4, 4

The above data is called raw data, which can be represented by the following distribution.

House-occupations distribution

Number of occupants	Tally	No. of houses
1		2
2		9
3		10
4		8
5		5
6		4
7		2
8		3
9		3
13		1
14		2
15		1
Total		50