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**Tutorial No-3**

**Title: Probability Distribution**

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**Example 1:** The probability density function of a random variable  $x$  zero except at  $x=0,1,2$ . At these points

$$p(0) = 3c^3, p(1) = 4c - 10c^2, p(2) = 5c - 1$$

Find i) the value of  $c$  ii)  $p(0 < x \leq 2)$

**Example 2:** A random variable  $x$  has the following probability distributions

X	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
P(x)	0.1	k	0.2	2k	0.3	k

Find (i) the value of  $k$       (ii) mean      (iii) variance

(iv)  $P(X \geq 1)$       (v)  $P(X < 1)$       (vi)  $P(-2 < X < 2)$ .

**Example 3:** Following is the probability density function of a random variable  $x$ .  $f(x) = k e^{-2x}$ ,  $x > 0$ . Find the value of  $k$ .

**Example 4:** Following is the probability density function of a random variable  $x$ .  $f(x) = kx^4 \cdot e^{-x/2}$   $0 \leq x < \infty$

i) Find the value of  $k$ .      ii) mean and variance.

**Example 5:** If the sum of mean and variance of a Binomial distribution for 5 trials is 4.8 find the distribution.

**Example 6:** Let  $X$  be a binomial random variable with parameter 5 and 0.7 compute 1)  $P(X = 2)$     2)  $P(X \leq 5)$     3)  $P(X > 2)$

**Example 7:** The probability that on joining Engineering College,

a student will successfully complete the course of studies is  $\frac{3}{5}$ .

Determine the probability that out of 5 students joining the college

(i) none, (ii) all 5 and (iii) at least two will complete the course successfully

**Example 8:** Out of 800 families with 5 children each how many would you expect to have i) 3 boys ii) 5 girls

**Example 9:** In a sampling the mean number of defective bolts manufactured by a machine in a sample of 20 is 2. Determine the expected number of samples out of such 500 samples to contain at least 2 defective bolts.

**Example 10:** A set of 4 coins were tossed 160 times to produce the following distribution,

Number of heads	0	1	2	3	4
Frequency observed	17	52	54	31	6

Fit a binomial distribution i) if the coin is unbiased. ii) If the coin is biased.

**Example 11:** Suppose that X has Poisson distribution.

If  $P(x=2) = P(x=3)$ , Find 1)  $m$  2)  $P(x=4)$ .

**Example 12:** Find the probability that at most 3 defective bulbs will be found in a box of 400 bulbs if it is known that 1 % of the bulbs are defective.

**Example 13:** A controlled manufacturing process is 0.2% defective. What is the probability of taking 2 or more defective from a lot of 100 pieces? i) Using binomial distribution

ii) Using Poisson approximation.

**Example 14:** If the number of accidents in a industry during a month has Poisson probability distribution with mean of 4, find probability that in coming month there will be at least 3 accidents