Year 2 Semester 1 (2025)

IT2120 - Probability and Statistics

Lab Sheet 06

Lab Exercise 6 (Discrete Probability Distributions)

Exercise

Instructions: Create a folder in your desktop with your registration number (Eg: "IT......"). You need to save the R script file and take screenshots of the command prompt with answers and save it in a word document inside the folder. Save both R script file and word document with your registration number (Eg: "IT......."). After you finish the exercise, zip the folder and upload the zip file to the submission link.

- 1. An IT company claims that their newly developed learning platform improves student performance in online tests. According to previous data, 85% of students who used the platform passed their online tests. A batch of 50 students is selected at random who have completed the course using this platform. Let X denote the number of students who passed the test out of 50 students.
 - i. What is the distribution of X?

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setwd("C:\\Users\\it24103829\\Desktop\\Lab_06_IT24103829")

#Qu-01-i

#Binomial Distrubution

#Here,random variable X has binomial distribution with n=50 and p =0.85
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ii. What is the probability that at least 47 students passed the test?

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#Qu-01-ii
#To find the p(x >=47)
pbinom(47, 50 , 0.85 ,lower.tail = FALSE)

> pbinom(47, 50 , 0.85 ,lower.tail = FALSE)
[1] 0.01418852
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- 2. A call center receives an average of 12 customer calls per hour.
 - i. What is the random variable (X) for the problem?

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#Qu-02-i
#The number of customer calls received in one hour
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ii. What is the distribution of X?

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#Qu-02-ii ##Here,random variable X has Poisson distribution with a \lambda = 12 calls per hour
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iii. What is the probability that exactly 15 calls are received in an hour?

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#Qu-02-iii
#Probability of receiving exactly 15 calls in an hour
#To find p(x=15)
ppois(15,12)
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> pbinom(47, 50 , 0.85 ,lower.tail = FALSE)
[1] 0.01418852
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