

Normal Distribution - Problems for Practice

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PROBLEMS:

1. X is normally distributed with mean 12 & S.D 4. Find
(i) $P(X \geq 20)$, (ii) $P(X \leq 20)$ and (iii) $P(0 \leq X \leq 12)$
Ans: (i) 0.0228 (ii) 0.9772 (iii) 0.4987
2. In a distribution exactly normal, 7% of the items are under 35 and 89% are under 63. Find the mean and S.D.
Ans: $\mu = 50.288, \sigma = 10.36$
3. An electrical firm manufactures light bulbs that have a life before burn-out that is normally distributed with mean equal to 800 hours and a standard deviation of 40 hours Find
i) the probability that a bulb burns more than 834 hours.
ii) the probability that bulb burns between 778 and 834 hours.
Ans: (i) 0.1977 (ii) 0.5111
4. The average test marks in a Particular class is 79. The S.D is 5. If the marks are distributed normally, how many students in a class of 200 did not receive marks between 75 and 82?
Ans: 97
5. At a certain examination 10% of the students who appeared for the paper in statistics got less than 30 marks and 97% of the students got less than 62 marks. Assuming the distribution is normal, find the mean and S.D of the distribution.
Ans: $\mu = 43.04, \sigma = 10.03$