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Example:

- a. A coin toss 3-times, find the probability of 2-Heads.
- b. A coin toss 10-times, find the probability of 5-Heads.

Binomial Distribution

Q1. The probability that man aged 60 will live up to 70 is 0.65 out of 10 men. Now aged 60, find the probability:

1. At least 7 will live up to 70

2. Exactly 9 will live up to 70

3. At most 9 will live up to 70

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Binomial Distribution

Q2. Out of 800 families with 5 children each, how many families would be expected to have

- 3 boys
- 5 girls
- Either 2 or 3 boys
- At least 2 girls

Binomial Distribution

Q3. The Probability that a pen manufactured by a company will be defective is $1/10$. If 12 such pen are manufactured. Find the probability that:

1. Exactly 2 will be defective
2. None will be defective
3. At least 2 will be defective



Binomial Distribution

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- $P(X > 5 \text{ patients experience side effects}) = \mathbf{0.38400}$
- $P(X > 10 \text{ patients experience side effects}) = \mathbf{0.01147}$
- $P(X > 15 \text{ patients experience side effects}) = \mathbf{0.0004}$

$$p = 0.05$$

$$q = 0.95$$

$$n = 100$$

$$p(x) = {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$P(X > 5) = 1 - P(X \leq 5)$$

$$= 1 - [P(0) + P(1) + P(2) + P(3) + \dots]$$

Binomial Distribution

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- $P(X > 3 \text{ fraudulent transactions}) = ??$

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- $P(X > 1 \text{ fraudulent transaction}) = \mathbf{0.26423}$
- $P(X > 2 \text{ fraudulent transactions}) = \mathbf{0.07843}$
- $P(X > 3 \text{ fraudulent transactions}) = \mathbf{0.01776}$

$$p = 0.02$$

$$n = 50$$

$$q = 0.98$$

$$p(x) = {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$P(X > 1) = 1 - [P(0) + P(1)]$$

Negative Binomial Distribution

NBD is applicable when we need to performed an experiment untill a total of r success are obtained

Note: If $r = 1$, means we perform an experiment till we obtained first success.

Negative Binomial Distribution

$$P(x) = \left(C_{r-1}^{x-1} p^{r-1} q^{(x-1)-(r-1)} \right) p$$

$$P(x) = \binom{n}{x} \cdot p^x \cdot q^{n-x}$$



Negative Binomial Distribution

Q1. If the probability is 0.40 that a child exposed to the certain disease will contain it. What is the probability that the 10th child exposed to the disease will be the 3rd to catch?

$$\begin{aligned} P(X=10) &= \binom{9}{2} \cdot p^2 \cdot q^7 \cdot p \\ &= \frac{126}{12} (0.4)^2 (0.6)^7 \times 0.4 \\ &= 0.064 \end{aligned}$$



Negative Binomial Distribution

Q3. Let x be the number of births in a family until the 2nd daughter is born. If the probability of the having a male child is $\frac{1}{2}$. Find the probability that the 6th child in the family is the second daughter.

Bernoulli Distribution

A discrete random variable X is said to have a Bernoulli distribution with parameter p . If its probability mass function is given by:

$$P(x) = p^x(1 - p)^{1-x}, x = 0, 1$$





Bernoulli distribution

Bernoulli distribution arises when the following 3-conditions are satisfied.

1. Each trail of an experiment results in an outcome that may be classified as a success or failure
2. The probability of a success $P(S) = p$ is the same for each trail.
3. The trails are independent; that is the outcome of one trail have no effect on the outcome of any other trail.