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Problem Set 4 Solutions

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1.

Ans:

(a) $p^5 * (1 - p)^2 * C(7, 5) = 0.5^5 * (1 - 0.5)^2 * C(7, 5) = \mathbf{0.164}$

(b) $F(2) =$

$$\begin{cases} (0.5)^0 * (0.5)^7 & \text{for } x = 0 \\ (0.5)^1 * (0.5)^6 & \text{for } x = 1 \\ (0.5)^2 * (0.5)^5 & \text{for } x = 2 \\ (0.5)^3 * (0.5)^4 & \text{for } x = 3 \\ (0.5)^4 * (0.5)^3 & \text{for } x = 4 \\ (0.5)^5 * (0.5)^2 & \text{for } x = 5 \\ (0.5)^6 * (0.5)^1 & \text{for } x = 6 \\ (0.5)^7 * (0.5)^0 & \text{for } x = 7 \end{cases}$$

$P(X=2) = P(X \leq 2) - P(X < 2) = \mathbf{0.2265}$

(c) $E(X) = X.P(X) = n * p = 7 * 0.5 = \mathbf{3.5}$ $\text{var}(x) = n * p * (1 - p) = \mathbf{1.75}$, $\text{std} = \sqrt{n * p * (1 - p)} = \mathbf{1.322}$

(d) $P(\text{All 4 heads in 1st 4 trails}) = P(A)$, $P(\text{All 4 tails in the first 4 trails}) = P(B)$ As $P(A \cap B) = 0$, **NotIndependent events**

2.

Ans:

(a) $P(R) = 0.02$, $P(A/R) = 0.4$, $S = 50,000$. $E(X) = n * p = 50,000 * 0.2 = \mathbf{1000}$, $\text{var}(x) = \mathbf{980}$, $\text{std} = \mathbf{31.30}$

(b) $E(X)=50,000*0.4=\mathbf{400}$, $VAR(X)=50,000*0.008*(1-0.008)=396.8$, $std=\mathbf{19.91}$

(c) $1- pbinom(x=419,n=50,000,p=0.008)= \mathbf{0.1647013}$

3.

Ans:

(a) $P(\text{each})=1/5$, $n=25$. $E(X)=n*p=25*1/5= \mathbf{5}$

(b) $P(X>7)=1-P(X\leq 7)= 1- pbinom(7,25,1/5)=\mathbf{0.1091228}$

(c) $P(X\geq 0)=1-P(X=0)=1- pbinom(0,20,0.1091228) = \mathbf{0.9008353}$

4.

Ans:

(a)

$$\int_{20}^{40} 1/20 dx$$

$= 40/20-20/20= \mathbf{1}$. Therefore, F is a PDF (non-negative)

(b) CDF= $F(y)=$

$$\begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } y < 20 \\ \frac{y}{20} - 1 & \text{for } 20 \leq y \leq 40 \\ 1 & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(c) $P(30<X<50)= P(X\leq 50)-P(X\leq 30)= 1-1/2= \mathbf{0.5}$

(d)

$$\int x f(x) dx$$

$= (1600-400)/40= 1200/40= \mathbf{30}$

(e) $var(x)= (b-a)^2/12 = 400/12 = \mathbf{33.33}$ $std = \mathbf{5.7735}$

5.

Ans:

(a) None

(b)

$$\int_1^2 (2x - 2) dx$$

$= (4 - 4) - (1 - 2) = 1$ It's Non-negative and therefore is PDF.

(c) $P(1.50 < X < 1.75) = P(X \leq 1.75) - P(X \leq 1.5) = \mathbf{0.3125}$

6.

Ans:

(a) 0+

$$\int_0^{1.5} (cx) dx$$

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$$\int_{1.5}^3 c(3 - x) dx$$

$\Rightarrow c = 1/2.25 = \mathbf{0.444}$

(b) $E(X) =$ Since it is asymmetric graph, our expected value is mid-point which is $= \mathbf{1.5}$

(c) $P(X > 2) =$

$$\int_2^3 C(3 - X) dx$$

$= 3C - 5C/2 = C/2 = \mathbf{0.222}$

(d) **The variance of Y is greater than that of variance of X.**

(e) **Please see the below image in the next page for the graph.....**

