

CS544 Module 4 Assignment

General Rules for Homework Assignments

- You are strongly encouraged to add comments for the code portions. Doing so will help your instructor to understand your programming logic and grade you more accurately.
- You must work on your assignments individually. You are **not allowed** to copy the answers from the others.
- Each assignment has a strict deadline. If there is a delay, you must be in touch with the instructor and TA.
- When the term *lastName* is referenced in an assignment, please replace it with your last name.

Using R, do all of the following parts.

Part1) Binomial distribution (15 points)

Suppose a pitcher in Baseball has 40% chance of getting a strike-out when throwing to a batter. Using the binomial distribution,

- a) Compute and plot the probability distribution for striking out the next 4 batters.
- b) Plot the CDF for the above
- c) Repeat a) and b) if the pitcher has 80% chance of getting a strike-out.
- d) Infer from the shape of the distributions.

Part2) Binomial distribution (15 points)

Suppose that 70% of the buses arrive on time at Kenmore station. Using the binomial distribution, answer the following.

- a) What is the probability that five buses will arrive on time among the next 12 buses?
- b) What is the probability that five or fewer buses will arrive on time among the next 12?
- c) Compute the probability distribution for bus arriving on time for the next 12 buses.
- d) Show the PMF and the CDF for the next 12 buses.

Part3) Poisson distribution (15 points)

Suppose that on average 9 cars drive up to the teller window at your bank between 3 PM and 4 PM and the random variable has a Poisson distribution. During this time period,

- a) What is the probability of serving exactly 6 cars?
- b) What is the probability of serving at least 6 cars?
- c) What is the probability of serving between 3 to 6 cars (inclusive)?
- d) Calculate and plot the PMF for the first 20 cars.

Part4) Uniform distribution (20 points)

Suppose that your exams are graded using a discrete uniform distribution between 60 and 100 (both inclusive). All grades are integers.

- a) What is the probability of scoring i) 60? ii) 80? iii) 100?
- b) What is the mean and standard deviation of this distribution?
- c) What is the probability of getting a score of at most 70?
- d) What is the probability of getting a score greater than 80?
- e) What is the probability of getting a score between 90 and 100 (both inclusive)?

Part5) Normal distribution (20 points)

Suppose that customers at a store spend an average of \$60. Assume that the money spent is normally distributed with a standard deviation of \$6.

- a) Show the PDF plot of this distribution covering the three standard deviations on either side of the mean.
- b) What is the probability that a randomly selected visitor will spend less than \$20?
- c) What is the probability that a randomly selected visitor will spend between \$20 and \$50 (inclusive)?
- d) Between what two values will the middle 80% of the money spent fall?

Part6) Exponential distribution (15 points)

Suppose AT&T customer support receives calls at the rate of **20 per hour**.

- a) What is the probability that the next call will arrive within 3 minutes?
- b) What is the probability that the next call will arrive between 3 minutes and 6 minutes (both inclusive)?
- c) Show the CDF of this distribution.