

## Question 8.4

- The probability that a chipmunk eats an acorn is  $0.47 (= \frac{8}{17})$ .
- The probability that a chipmunk eats a kernel of corns is  $0.53 (= \frac{9}{17})$
- The probability that a chipmunk eats a kernel of corn assuming that it has already eaten six kernels of corn and no acorns is  $0.27 (= \frac{3}{11})$ .

## Question 8.5

- The probability that less than 60 gallons is used in this household on a random day is 0.07.
- The probability that between 75 and 150 gallons is used in this household on a random day is 0.77.
- The probability that less than 100 gallons is used in this household on a random day is 0.31.

## Appendix – R Commands

```
distrib(60,mean=90,sd=20)
ab <- distrib(150,mean=90,sd=20)
a <- distrib(75,mean=90,sd=20)
ab-a
distrib(100,mean=90,sd=20,lower.tail=FALSE)
```

## Notes From Professor

- Probabilities are never expressed as percentages; they are always expressed as proportions.
- I did not show graphics for the probability calculations just to save space.