

Question One

a) i) Continuous Random Variable - Are Variables that can take any value within a given range including decimal values.

ii) Expectation - Is the average outcome we would expect from a random experiment if it were repeated several times.

b) - Random experiment - is an experiment whose outcome can not be predicted with certainty.

hence tossing a coin can't be predicted by whether it will be heads or tails

Sample space = $\{H, T\}$ = set of outcomes

Probability of head = $P_H = \frac{\text{favourable outcomes}}{\text{Total outcomes}} = \frac{1}{2}$

Probability of Tails = $P_T = \frac{\text{favourable outcomes}}{\text{Total outcomes}} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$= P(H) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= P(T) = \frac{1}{2}$$

c) Sample space = $\{-1, 1, 2\}$

Probability of losing 1\$ = $\frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$

Probability of winning 1\$ = $\frac{1}{6}$

Probability of winning 2\$ = $\frac{1}{6}$

x	$P(x)$	$xP(x)$	$x^2P(x)$	$(x-\mu)^2$
-1	$\frac{2}{3}$	-0.667	0.667	
1	$\frac{1}{6}$	0.167	0.167	
2	$\frac{1}{6}$	0.333	0.667	
	= 1	= 0.167	= 1.560	

hence, expected value = $-\frac{1}{6}$

So answer is $-\frac{1}{6}$ or 0.1667

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \times \frac{1}{6} &= \frac{2}{6} \\ 1 \times \frac{1}{6} &= \frac{1}{6} \\ -1 \times \frac{4}{6} &= -\frac{4}{6} \\ &= \frac{2}{6} + \frac{1}{6} + \left(-\frac{4}{6}\right) \\ &= \frac{2+1-4}{6} = -\frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

c) ii) Mean

$$\begin{aligned} E(x) &= \int_0^1 x(f(x)) dx \\ &= \int_0^1 x(3.6x - 2.4x^2) dx = 0.5 \\ &= \int_0^1 (3.6x^2 - 2.4x^3) dx \\ &= 1.2x^3 - 0.6x^4 \\ &= \underline{0.6} \end{aligned}$$

Median

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^1 (3.6x - 2.4x^2) dx = 0.5 \\ &= [1.8x^2 - 0.8x^3]_0^1 \\ &= 0.8x^3 - 1.8x^2 + 0.5 = 0 \\ &= 0.9x - 0.875^3 = 0.5 \\ &= \underline{0.386} \end{aligned}$$

$P(x) > 0.5$

$$\begin{aligned} &= E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2 \\ &= E(x^2) = \int_0^1 (x) \cdot x^2 \\ &= \int_0^1 (3.6x^3 - 2.4x^4) \cdot dx^2 \\ &= 0.9 - 0.75 - 0.8 \times 0.75 = 0.66 \\ &= 0.42 \end{aligned}$$

Variance

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sqrt{\text{var}(x) = E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2} \\ &E(x^2) = 0.92^3 - 0.42 - 0.36 \\ &= 0.06 \end{aligned}$$

Question TWO

a) Let x be number of passengers who show up

$$x(n=110, p=0.95)$$

$$P(x > 106)$$

$$\text{mean} \cdot \mu = np = 110 \times 0.95 = 104.5$$

$$\text{Variance} = np(1-p) = 110 \times 0.95 \times 0.05 = 5.225$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = \sqrt{5.225} = 2.285$$

$$P(x > 100) = P(Y > 100.5)$$

$$Z = (100.5 - 104.5) / 2.28 = -1.75$$

$$P(Z > -1.75) = 1 - P(Z \leq -1.75) = 1 - 0.0461 = 0.9539$$

$$= 0.9539 \times 100$$

$$= 95.39 = 96\%$$

Answer = 96% chance of more passengers appearing.

$$\begin{aligned} P(x > 100) &= \frac{\binom{110}{101}}{\binom{110}{101}} (0.95)^{101} (0.05)^9 + \frac{\binom{110}{102}}{\binom{110}{102}} (0.95)^{102} (0.05)^8 + \dots + \frac{\binom{110}{110}}{\binom{110}{110}} (0.95)^{110} (0.05)^0 \\ 1 - 0.3076 &= 0.6924 \end{aligned}$$

$$0.6924 \times 100 = 69\%$$

b) let n be number of claims filled
 n follows a poisson distribution with parameter λ
 pmf of poisson distribution

$$P(N=2) = 3 \times P(N=4)$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2}{2!} = 3 \times \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^4}{4!}$$

$$\lambda^2 = 4$$

$$\lambda = 2$$

Since $\lambda = 2$ then standard deviation = $\sqrt{2} = 1.414$

$$= \underline{1.414}$$

c)

$$\lambda = 800 \times 0.04 = 32$$

$$P(X=75) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^{75}}{75!}$$

$$P(X=75) = \left(\frac{400}{1}\right) (0.005)^1 (0.995)^{399} = \text{accident}$$

$$\lambda = 800 \times 0.04 = 32$$

$$P(X=75) \approx 1.61 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$P(X=75) = 1.61 \times 10^{-12}$$

d) i)

$$n = 400$$

$$p = 0.005$$

$$n \times p$$

$$= 400 \times 0.005 = 2 \Rightarrow Y \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda = 2)$$

$$P(Y=1) = \frac{e^{-2} \cdot 2^1}{1!} = e^{-2} \cdot 2 = 0.2707$$

$$= 0.2707$$

ii)

$$P(Y \leq 2) = P(Y=0) + P(Y=1) + P(Y=2)$$

$$P(0) = \frac{e^{-2} \cdot 2^0}{0!} = e^{-2} = 0.1353$$

$$P(1) = 0.2707$$

$$P(2) = \frac{e^{-2} \cdot 2^2}{2!} = e^{-2} \cdot 2 = 0.2707$$

2707

$$P(Y \leq 2) = 0.1353 + 0.2707 + 0.2707 = 0.6767$$

2. e)

$$E(x) = 20(0.15) + 30(0.10) + 40(0.05) + 50(0.20) + 60(0.10) + 70(0.10) + 80(0.30)$$

$$E(x) = 55$$

$$\text{Variance} = E(x^2) - (E(x))^2$$

$$E(x^2) = 20^2(0.15) + 30^2(0.10) + 40^2(0.05) + 50^2(0.20) + 60^2(0.10) + 70^2(0.10) + 80^2(0.30)$$

$$= 400(0.15) + 900(0.10) + 1600(0.05) + 2500(0.20) + 3600(0.10) + 4900(0.10) + 6400(0.30)$$

$$E(x^2) = 3500$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = E(x^2) - (E(x))^2$$

$$= 3500 - (55)^2$$

$$= 3500 - 3025 = \text{Var}(x) = 475$$

The claim size within one standard deviation of the mean claim size of 55 are between $55 - 21 = 34$.

$$55 - 21.79 = 33.21 \quad \text{and} \quad 55 + 21.79 = 76.79$$

Those claim sizes are of 40, 50, 60, 70 and total claim size is

$$= 0.05 + 0.20 + 0.10 + 0.10 = 0.45$$

$$= 0.45$$

$$0.45 \times 100 = 45\%$$

$$= 45\%$$

2 f)

i) $E(x) = \frac{1}{p}$

$$E(x) = \frac{1}{0.05}$$

$$E(x) = 20$$

ii) $P(x=3) = (1 - 0.05)^{3-1} \cdot 0.05$

$$= (0.95)^2 \cdot 0.05$$

$$= 0.9025 \times 0.05$$

$$P(x=3) = 0.045125$$

$$P(x=3) = 0.0451 \quad = 0.0451$$

iii) $P(x \leq 5) = F(5) = 1 - (1 - p)^5$

$$= 1 - (1 - 0.05)^5$$

$$= 1 - (0.95)^5$$

$$= 1 - 0.7737809375$$

$$= 0.2262190625$$

$$P(x \leq 5) = F(5) = 0.2262$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 2) i) iv) \quad P(X > 10) &= 1 - P(X \leq 10) = 1 - (1 - (1-p)^{10}) \\
 &= (1-p)^{10} \\
 &= (1-0.05)^{10} \\
 &= (0.95)^{10} \\
 &= 0.598736 \\
 P(X > 10) &= \underline{0.5987}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$2) g) i) \quad P(X=k) = \binom{k-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^{k-r}$$

$$\binom{k-1}{r-1} = \binom{10-1}{3-1} = \binom{9}{2} = \frac{9 \times 8}{2 \times 1} = 36$$

$$p^r = (0.2)^3 = 0.008$$

$$(1-p)^{k-r} = (0.8)^{10-3} = (0.8)^7$$

$$(0.8)^7 = 0.2097152$$

$$P(X=10) = 36 \times 0.008 \times 0.2097152$$

$$36 \times 0.008 = 0.288$$

$$= 0.288 \times 0.2097152 = 0.060398$$

$$= \underline{0.060398}$$

$$ii) \quad P(X \leq 12) = \sum_{k=3}^{12} P(X=k) = \sum_{k=3}^{12} \binom{k-1}{3-1} (0.2)^3 (0.8)^{k-3}$$

$$P(X=k) = \binom{k-1}{2} (0.008) (0.8)^{k-3}$$

$$P(X=3) = 1 \times 0.008 \times 1 = 0.008 \quad \text{To } \underline{X=12}$$

$$P(X=12) = 55 \times 0.008 \times 0.134217728 = 0.0590$$

$$\text{Total} = \underline{0.4017}$$

$$= \underline{0.4017}$$

$$iii) \quad \text{Var } X = \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$$

$$\text{Here, } r=3, p=0.2, 1-p=0.8$$

$$\text{Var } X = \frac{3 \times 0.8}{(0.2)^2} = \frac{3 \times 0.8}{0.04} = \frac{2.4}{0.04} = \underline{60} = \underline{60}$$