

1. (a) Yes,  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n = 500, p = 0.14)$   
 (b) Yes,  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n = 8, p = 0.7)$   
 (c) No, not a fixed number of trials.  
 (d) Yes,  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n = 12, p = 0.02)$   
 (e) No, the number of coffee served is not fixed.
2. (a)  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n = 10, p = 0.2)$   
 (b)  $p_2 = \mathbb{P}(X = 2) = \binom{10}{2} \times 0.2^2 \times 0.8^8 = 0.30$   
 $p_3 = \mathbb{P}(X = 3) = \binom{10}{3} \times 0.2^3 \times 0.8^7 = 0.20$   
 (c)  $c_0 = \mathbb{P}(X \leq 0) = 0.11$   
 $c_4 = \mathbb{P}(X \leq 4) = F_X(3) + \mathbb{P}(X = 4) = 0.88 + 0.09 = 0.97$   
 $c_5 = \mathbb{P}(X \leq 5) = F_X(4) + \mathbb{P}(X = 5) = 0.97 + 0.02 = 0.99$   
 (d)

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0.11 & \text{when } x = 0 \\ 0.27 & \text{when } x = 1 \\ 0.30 & \text{when } x = 2 \\ 0.20 & \text{when } x = 3 \\ 0.09 & \text{when } x = 4 \\ 0.02 & \text{when } x = 5 \\ 0.01 & \text{when } x = 6 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0.11 & \text{when } x = 0 \\ 0.38 & \text{when } x = 1 \\ 0.68 & \text{when } x = 2 \\ 0.88 & \text{when } x = 3 \\ 0.97 & \text{when } x = 4 \\ 0.99 & \text{when } x = 5 \\ 1 & \text{when } x \geq 6 \end{cases}$$

The probability of Tom will get at least 6 out of 10 will be:

$$\mathbb{P}(x \geq 6) = 1 - F_X(5) = 1 - 0.99 = 0.01$$

- (e)  $T \sim \text{Binomial}(n = 40, p = 0.2)$   
 (f)  $\mathbb{P}(T = 10) = \binom{40}{10} \times 0.2^{10} \times 0.8^{30} = 0.107$   
 (g)  $\mathbb{P}(t \geq 20) = 1 - F_T(t \leq 19) = 1 - (F_T(18) + \mathbb{P}(X = 19)) = 1 - (0.9999148 + 6.348 \times 10^{-5}) = 1 - 0.9999783 = 2.171 \times 10^{-5}$  I would never recommend this strategy as it has close to 0 probability. Study the course before the test is recommended for sure!