

## Question 10

### Question A

$P(A|B) < P(A)$  show that  $P(B|A) < P(B)$

$$P(A|B) = P(A \cap B) / P(B)$$

$$P(A \cap B) / P(B) < P(A) \quad \leq \text{substitution}$$

$$P(A \cap B) < P(A) * P(B) \quad \leq \text{multiply each side by } P(B)$$

$$P(A \cap B) / P(A) < P(B) \quad \leq \text{divide each side by } P(A)$$

$$P(A \cap B) / P(A) = P(B|A)$$

$$P(B|A) < P(B) \quad \leq \text{substitution}$$

### Question B

i)

$$\mu_x = E(x) = \sum_{\text{all } x_i} x_i p_i = x_1 p_1 + x_2 p_2 + \dots + x_n p_n$$

$$E(x) = (0 * 0.1) + (1 * 0.2) + (2 * 0.3) + (3 * 0.4)$$

$$E(x) = 2$$

ii)

$$E(x^2) = \sum_{\text{all } x_i} x_i^2 p_i = x_1^2 p_1 + x_2^2 p_2 + \dots + x_n p_n$$

$$E(x^2) = (0.1 * (0^2)) + (0.2 * (1^2)) + (0.3 * (2^2)) + (0.4 * (3^2))$$

$$E(x^2) = 5$$

$$\sigma^2 = \text{Var}(x) = E[(X - \mu_x)^2] = \sum_{\text{all } i} (x_i - \mu_x)^2 p_i = E(X^2) - (E(x))^2$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 5 - (2^2)$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 1$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\sigma^2} = \sqrt{\text{Var}(x)}$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{1}$$

$$\sigma_x = 1$$

iii)

- Let X be the number of computer sold

- The number of computers repurchased by the manufacturer is  $K = 3 - X$

- S = 5000 (contribution margin 1000-500)

- O = -500 (original cost)

- R = 200 (repurchase returns)

$$h(X=0) = (X * S) + K(O - R) = (0 * 500) + 3(-500 + 200) = -900$$

$$h(X=1) = (X * S) + K(O - R) = (1 * 500) + 2(-500 + 200) = -100$$

$$h(X=2) = (X * S) + K(O - R) = (2 * 500) + 1(-500 + 200) = 700$$

$$h(X=3) = (X * S) + K(O - R) = (3 * 500) + 0(-500 + 200) = 1500$$

$$\mu_x = E(x) = \sum_{\text{all } x_i} x_i p_i = x_1 p_1 + x_2 p_2 + \dots + x_n p_n$$

$$E(h(X)) = (-900 * 0.1) + (-100 * 0.2) + (700 * 0.3) + (1500 * 0.4)$$

$$E(h(X)) = 700$$

The expected profit is \$700

### Question C

i)

Poisson condition

- 1) occurrences/events are counted in a fixed interval of time or space: the experiment counts the number of error (event) on each page (interval)
- 2) events occur independently: the occurrence of an error on a page does not effect the probability of an occurrence of a future error
- 3) events occur one at a time: an error can only occur one at a time

The experiment meets all 3 conditions of a Poisson random variable

**ii)**

$$\bar{x} = (1/n) \sum_{i=1}^n X_i x_i = (1/n) (X_1 \cdot x_1 + X_2 \cdot x_2 + \dots + X_n \cdot x_n)$$

$$\bar{x} = ((0 \cdot 4) + (1 \cdot 11) + (2 \cdot 31) + (3 \cdot 21) + (4 \cdot 15) + (5 \cdot 9) + (6 \cdot 4) + (7 \cdot 5)) \cdot (1/100)$$

$$\bar{x} = 3$$

$$E(x^2) = \sum_{\text{all } x_i} x_i^2 p_i = x_1^2 \cdot p_1 + x_2^2 \cdot p_2 + \dots + x_n^2 \cdot p_n$$

$$E(x^2) = (((0^2) \cdot 4) + ((1^2) \cdot 11) + ((2^2) \cdot 31) + ((3^2) \cdot 21) + ((4^2) \cdot 15) + ((5^2) \cdot 9) + ((6^2) \cdot 4) + ((7^2) \cdot 5)) \cdot (1/100)$$

$$E(x^2) = 11.78$$

$$\sigma^2 = \text{Var}(x) = E[(X - \mu)^2] = \sum_{\text{all } i} (x_i - \mu)^2 p_i = E(X^2) - (\bar{x})^2$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 11.78 - (3^2)$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 2.78$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\sigma^2} = \sqrt{\text{Var}(x)}$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{2.78}$$

$$\sigma_x = 1.66733320005$$

$$\sigma_x = 1.6673$$

**iii)**

t=1 (interval 1 page)

$$\mu = \bar{x}/t$$

$$\mu = 3/1$$

$\mu = 3 \leq$  estimated parameter

$$X \sim \text{Poi}(\mu) = X \sim \text{Poi}(3)$$

**iv)**

$$X \sim \text{Poi}(3)$$

$$\mu = 3$$

$$P(x) = P(X=x) = (\mu^x \cdot e^{(-\mu)})/x!$$

$$P(x) = P(X=2) = (3^2 \cdot e^{(-3)})/2!$$

$$P(x) = P(X=2) = 0.2240 \text{ (4 d.p.)}$$

**v)**

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	≥6	Total
(pi*total number of pages) = ei	4.98	14.94	22.4	22.4	16.8	10.08	8.39	99.99

(note: pi when x=7 < 5, therefore combined with x=6)

$$X^2 = \sum (f_i^2 / e_i) - n$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{all } i \\ X^2 &= ((4^2)/4.98) + ((11^2)/14.94) + ((31^2)/22.4) + ((21^2)/22.4) + ((15^2)/16.8) + ((9^2)/10.08) + ((9^2)/8.39) - 100 \\ X^2 &= 104.984121884 - 100 \\ X^2 &= 4.9841 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= (k-1 - \text{number of estimated parameters}) \\ v &= (7-1-1) \\ v &= 5 \text{ df} \end{aligned}$$

$$X^2_{(0.05)} = 11.07 \quad \leq \text{chi squared table}$$

$$4.9841 < 11.07 \text{ therefore } X^2 < X^2_{(0.05)}$$

Because  $X^2$  is less than  $X^2_{(0.05)}$  this indicates that poisson is a good fit for the data. As a result it is plausible that the typist made random errors through the document as the errors have occur randomly due to fixed probability .