

UNIT III : Probability Distributions

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| Bernoulli's Distribution | Normal distribution |
| Binomial " " | Exponential " |
| Poisson " " | |

Distributions can be classified into 2 types:

1. Discrete distribution
2. Continuous distribution.

Discrete distribution:

In which distribution, discrete random variable involving , such distribution is called Discrete distribution .

They are mainly.

1. Bernoulli's Distribution.
2. Binomial Distribution.
3. Poisson Distribution.

1. Bernoulli's Distribution:

A random experiment is one that may result either of two possible outcomes is known as Bernoulli experiment.

Ex: Tossing of a coin, performance of a student in an exam.

Let 'X' be the discrete random variable which takes only 2 values '0' and '1' probabilities 'q' and 'p' respectively.

$$\text{i.e., } P(X=0) = P(\text{failure}) = q$$

$$P(X=1) = P(\text{success}) = p$$

Here,

p = probability of success and $q = 1 - p$ = probability of failure

∴ The probability mass function of Bernoulli distribution

$$P(x) = p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

Mean of Bernoulli Distribution:
Expectation of X [E(x)]

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mean} = E(x) &= \sum x \cdot p(x) \\ &= \sum_{x=0}^1 x \cdot p^x q^{1-x} \\ &= 0 + P\end{aligned}$$

$$E(x) = P$$

Variance of Bernoulli Distribution:

$$V(x) = \sigma^2 = E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2$$

$$\left[\because E(x^2) = \sum x^2 \cdot p(x) = \sum_{x=0}^1 x^2 \cdot p^x q^{1-x} = 0 \cdot P = P \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}V(x) &= P - (P)^2 \\ &= P - P^2 \\ &= P(1-P) \quad (\because P+q=1 \\ &\quad \quad \quad q=1-P)\end{aligned}$$

$$V(x) = pq$$

Moment generating function: $M_x(t)$

It is a tool to calculate higher order moment. The moment generating function of random variable 'x' about origin is probability mass function $p(x)$ and probability density function $f(x)$ is given by :

$$M_x(t) = E(e^{tx})$$

$$M_x(t) = \sum e^{tx} \cdot p(x) \quad (\text{Discrete})$$

$$M_x(t) = \int e^{tx} \cdot f(x) \cdot dx \quad (\text{continuous})$$

Moment generating function of Bernoulli Distribution:

The p.m.f of Bernoulli Distribution:

$$p(x) = p^x \cdot q^{1-x}; x=0,1$$

Moment generating function (M.g.f) :

$$\text{Net } x=0: = \sum_{x=0}^1 (p.e^t)^x \cdot q^{1-x}$$

$$= q + p e^t$$

$$\therefore M_x(t) = (q + p e^t)$$

* By using M.g.f. Find mean and variance.

Raw moments (or Non-central moments)

$$\mu_r' = \left[\frac{d^r}{dt^r} M_x(t) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$\text{if } r=1, \mu_1' = E(x) = \left[\frac{d}{dt} (q + p e^t) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= [0 + p \cdot e^t]_{t=0}$$

$$E(x) = p$$

$$\text{if } r=2, \mu_2' = E(x^2) = \left[\frac{d^2}{dt^2} M_x(t) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{d}{dt} M_x(t) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} [p \cdot e^t]_{t=0}$$

$$= [p \cdot e^t]_{t=0}$$

$$\mu_2' = p$$

$$\mu_2 = \mu_2' - (\mu_1')^2$$

$$= p - (p)^2$$

$$= p - p^2$$

$$= p(1-p)$$

$$\mu_2 = pq$$

$$\text{Variance} = V(x) = \sigma^2 = \mu_2 = pq$$

2. Binomial Distribution:

Binomial Distribution was introduced by James Bernoulli in 1700. Binomial experiment is such that:

1. There should be n trials
2. The result of each trial can be classified into two mutually exclusive outcomes say success or failure
Let P be the probability of success and q be the probability of failure
 $\therefore P+q=1$
3. The outcome of all trials are independent to each other.

Let x denotes the no. of success in n trials. x can take values $0, 1, 2, \dots, n$ if there are exactly x success, then the remaining $n-x$ are failures in a specific order of n trials by the compound probability, the expression is $P^x q^{n-x}$ for x success out of n trials is arranged in nCx ways

\therefore The required probability of x no. of success is given by:

$$P(x) = P(X=x) = B(n, p) = nCx p^x q^{n-x};$$

$$x = 0, 1, \dots, n,$$

$$0 \leq p \leq 1,$$

$$0 \leq q \leq 1$$

which is the pmf of Binomial distribution,
 n and p are constants.

Mean and variance of Binomial Distribution:

The p.m.f of BD is $P(x) = P(X=x) = B(n, p)$.

$$= nCx p^x q^{n-x}; x = 0, 1, \dots, n$$

$$\text{Mean} = E(x) = \Sigma xp(x)$$

$$= 0 + nC_1 \cdot p \cdot q^{n-1} + 2 \cdot nC_2 \cdot p^2 q^{n-2} + 3 \cdot nC_3 \cdot p^3 q^{n-3} + \dots + n \cdot nC_n \cdot p^n \cdot q^{n-n}$$

$$= \frac{n!}{(n-1)! 1!} p \cdot q^{n-1} + 2 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-2)! 2!} p^2 q^{n-2} + 3 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-3)! 3!} p^3 q^{n-3} + \dots + np^n$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)!}{(n-1)!} p \cdot q^{n-1} + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)!}{(n-2)!} p^2 q^{n-2} +$$

$$\frac{n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)!}{(n-3)! 2!} p^3 q^{n-3} + \dots + np^n$$

$$= np [q^{n-1} + (n-1)C_1 p \cdot q^{n-2} + (n-1)C_2 p^2 q^{n-3} + \dots + p^{n-1}]$$

$$= np (q+p)^{n-1}$$

$$[\because (q+p)^n = q^n + nC_1 \cdot p \cdot q^{n-1} + nC_2 \cdot p^2 q^{n-2} + \dots + p^n]$$

$$= np (1)^{n-1}$$

$$E(x) = np$$

The P.M.F of BD is $p(x) = P(X=x) = B(n, p) = nC_x \cdot p^x \cdot q^{n-x};$

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

$$E(x^2) = \sum x^2 p(x)$$

$$= \sum [x(x-1)+x] \cdot p(x)$$

$$= \sum x(x-1) \cdot p(x) + \sum x p(x)$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^n x(x-1) nC_x \cdot p^x \cdot q^{n-x} + np.$$

$$= 0 + 0 + 2 \cdot nC_2 p^2 q^{n-2} + 3(2) \cdot nC_3 p^3 q^{n-3} +$$

$$4(3) \cdot nC_4 p^4 q^{n-4} + \dots + n(n-1) nC_n p^n q^{n-n} + np$$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-2)! 2!} p^2 q^{n-2} + 6 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-3)! 3!} p^3 q^{n-3} + 12 \cdot \frac{n!}{(n-4)! 4!} p^4 q^{n-4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)!}{(n-2)!} p^2 q^{n-2} + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)!}{(n-3)!} p^3 q^{n-3} + \\
&\quad \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)(n-4)!}{(n-4)! \cdot 2!} p^4 q^{n-4} + \dots + n(n-1)p^n + np. \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 [q^{n-2} + (n-2)C_1 p \cdot q^{n-3} + (n-2)C_2 p^2 q^{n-4} + \dots + p^{n-2}] \\
&\quad + np \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 (q+p)^{n-2} + np \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 (1) + np \\
&= n^2 p^2 - np^2 + np
\end{aligned}$$

$$E(x^2) = n^2 p^2 - np^2 + np$$

$$\begin{aligned}
V(x) &= E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2 \\
&= n^2 p^2 - np^2 + np - n^2 p^2 \\
&= np(1-p)
\end{aligned}$$

$$V(x) = npq$$

Moment generating function of Binomial Distribution:

The pmf of B.D is $p(x) = P(X=x) = B(n,p)$.

$$= nC_x \cdot p^n \cdot q^{n-x}; x=0,1,\dots,n$$

The M.g.f $M_X(t) = E(e^{tx})$

$$\begin{aligned}
M_X(t) &= \sum e^{tx} p(x) \\
&= \sum_{x=0}^n e^{tx} nC_x \cdot p^x \cdot q^{n-x} \\
&= \sum_{x=0}^n nC_x \cdot (p \cdot e^t)^x q^{n-x}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= nC_0 (p \cdot e^t)^0 \cdot q^{n-0} + nC_1 (p \cdot e^t)^1 \cdot q^{n-1} + nC_2 (p \cdot e^t)^2 \cdot q^{n-2} + \\
&\quad \dots + nC_n (p \cdot e^t)^n q^{n-n} \\
&= q^n + nC_1 (p \cdot e^t) q^{n-1} + nC_2 (p \cdot e^t) \cdot q^{n-2} + \dots + (p \cdot e^t)^n
\end{aligned}$$

$$M_X(t) = (q + pe^t)^n$$

Mean and Variance of B.D using M.G.F:

$$\text{Raw moments } \mu_r = E(X^r) = \frac{d^r}{dt^r} [M_X(t)]_{t=0}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{If } r=1, \mu_1 &= E(X) = \frac{d}{dt} [(q+pe^t)^n]_{t=0} \\ &= [n(q+pe^t)^{n-1} \frac{d}{dt}(q+pe^t)]_{t=0} \\ &= [n(q+pe^t)^{n-1} (0+p \cdot e^t)]_{t=0}\end{aligned}$$

$$E(X) = np$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{If } r=2, \mu_2 &= E(X^2) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} [M_X(t)]_{t=0} \\ &= \frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{d}{dt} M_X(t) \right]_{t=0} \\ &= np \left[\frac{d}{dt} (q+pe^t)^{n-1} \cdot e^t \right]_{t=0} \\ &= np \left[(q+pe^t)^{n-1} e^t + e^t (n-1)(q+pe^t)^{n-2} (0+pe^t) \right]_{t=0} \\ &= np [1 + (n-1)p]\end{aligned}$$

$$E(X^2) = np + n^2 p^2 - np^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}V(X) = \sigma^2 &= \mu_2 = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2 \quad (\text{or } \sigma^2 = \mu_2 - (\mu_1)^2) \\ &= np + \cancel{n^2 p^2} - np^2 - \cancel{n^2 p^2} \\ &= np - np^2 \\ &= np(1-p)\end{aligned}$$

$$V(X) = npq$$

Mode of Binomial Distribution:

Mode of B.D is the value of x at which $P(x)$ has maximum value. Then,

Case 1:

If $(n+1)p$ is not an integer, we have to take integral part of $(n+1)p$ is the mode value.

Ex: If $n=6, p=\frac{1}{2}$; Mode $= (6+1)\frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{2} = 3.5$
 \therefore Mode = 3

Case 2:

If $(n+1)p$ is an integer, we have to take $(n+1)p$ & $[(n+1)p-1]$ are the modal values, which is called Bimodal class.

Ex: If $n=7, p=\frac{1}{2}$; $(n+1)p = (7+1)\frac{1}{2} = 4$
 $(n+1)p - 1 = 4 - 3 = 3$
 \therefore Mode = 4, 3

Recurrence Relation of Binomial Distribution:

$$P(x+1) = \frac{n-x}{x+1} \cdot \frac{p}{q} \cdot P(x)$$

Expected frequency:

$$E(x) = N \cdot P(x); \text{ where, } N = \text{total of frequency}$$

Problems:

1. The mean and variance of Binomial distribution are 4 and $4/3$ respectively. Find i) mode
 ii) $P(x \geq 1)$

Sol: $np = 4 \rightarrow ①$

$$npq = \frac{4}{3} \rightarrow ②$$

$$\frac{②}{①} = \frac{npq}{np} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}}{4}$$

$$\therefore q = \frac{1}{3}$$

We know that,

$$np = 4$$

 $n\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = 4^2$

$$\therefore n = 6$$

$$\therefore p+q=1$$

$$i) \text{Mode} = (n+1)p = (6+1)\frac{2}{3} = (7)\frac{2}{3} = 4.67$$

$$\therefore \text{Mode} = 4$$

$$ii) P(X \geq 1) = 1 - P(X < 1)$$

$$= 1 - P(X=0)$$

$$\text{The pmf } P(X=x) = {}^n C_x \cdot p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$= 1 - {}^6 C_0 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^0 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{6-0}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3^6}$$

$$P(X \geq 1) = 0.9899$$

2. 10 coins are thrown simultaneously. Find the probability of getting atleast 7 heads.

$$\text{Sol: } n=10$$

$$\text{The prob. of getting Head } P = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(X \geq 7) = P(X=7) + P(X=8) + P(X=9) + P(X=10)$$

$$= {}^{10} C_7 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10-7} + {}^{10} C_8 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^8 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10-8} + {}^{10} C_9 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^9 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10-9} + \\ {}^{10} C_{10} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10-10}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} \left[{}^{10} C_7 + {}^{10} C_8 + {}^{10} C_9 + {}^{10} C_{10} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^{10}} [120 + 45 + 10 + 1]$$

$$= \frac{176}{1024}$$

$$\approx 0.1718$$

* 3. 4 coins are tossed 160 times, the no. of times x heads occur is given below

| x | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--------------|---|----|----|----|---|
| No. of times | 8 | 34 | 69 | 43 | 6 |

- i) coins are unbiased
 ii) the nature of the coin is unknown (means biased)

$$N=160, n=4.$$

Sol:

- i) The coin is unbiased

$$p=\frac{1}{2}, q=\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{The pmf of B.D } P(x) = {}^n C_x \cdot p^x q^{n-x};$$

$$x=0, 1, \dots, n$$

$$\text{if } x=0, P(0) = {}^4 C_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{4-0}$$

$$P(0) = \frac{1}{16}$$

By using recurrence relation,

$$P(x+1) = \frac{n-x}{x+1} \cdot \frac{p}{q} \cdot P(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x=0, P(0+1) &= \frac{4-0}{0+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot P(0) \\ &= 4 \times \frac{1}{16} = \frac{1}{4} = P(1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x=1, P(1+1) &= \frac{4-1}{1+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot P(1) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{8} = P(2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x=2, P(2+1) &= \frac{4-2}{2+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot P(2) \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{8} = \frac{1}{4} = P(3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{if } x=3, P(3+1) = \frac{4-3}{3+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \times P(3)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{16} = P(4)$$

Expected frequency $E(x) = N \cdot P(x)$

$$\text{if } x=0, E(0) = 160 \times P(0) = 160 \times \frac{1}{16} = 10$$

$$\text{if } x=1, E(1) = 160 \times \frac{1}{4} = 40$$

$$\text{if } x=2, E(2) = 160 \times \frac{3}{8} = 60$$

$$\text{if } x=3, E(3) = 160 \times \frac{1}{4} = 40$$

$$\text{if } x=4, E(4) = 160 \times \frac{1}{16} = 10$$

$$\text{ii) } \bar{x} = np = \frac{\sum fx}{n}$$

$$= \frac{8 \times 0 + 34 \times 1 + 69 \times 2 + 43 \times 3 + 6 \times 4}{160}$$

$$= \frac{325}{160} = 2.03$$

$$np = 2.03$$

$$4P = 2.03$$

$$P = \frac{2.03}{4} = 0.507$$

$$q = 1 - 0.507 = 0.493$$

Expected frequency $E(x) = 160 \times {}^n C_x \cdot P^x \cdot q^{n-x}$

$$\text{if } x=0, E(0) = 160 \times {}^4 C_0 (0.507)^0 (0.493)^{4-0} = 9.4516 \approx 9$$

$$\text{if } x=1, E(1) = 160 \times {}^4 C_1 (0.507)^1 (0.493)^{4-1} = 38.88 \approx 39$$

$$\text{if } x=2, E(2) = 160 \times {}^4 C_2 (0.507)^2 (0.493)^{4-2} = 59.97 \approx 60$$

$$\text{if } x=3, E(3) = 160 \times {}^4 C_3 (0.507)^3 (0.493)^{4-3} = 41.11 \approx 41$$

$$\text{if } x=4, E(4) = 160 \times {}^4 C_4 (0.507)^4 (0.493)^{4-4} = 10.57 \approx 11$$

4. 7 coins are tossed and the number of heads are noted. The experiment is repeated 128 times and the following distribution is obtained

| | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|---|---|----|----|----|----|---|---|
| No. of heads : | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| frequency : | 7 | 6 | 19 | 35 | 30 | 23 | 7 | 1 |

Fit a Binomial distribution assuming:

i) the coin is unbiased

ii) the nature of the coin is unknown/biased

Sol: i) the coin is unbiased.

$$P = \frac{1}{2}, q = \frac{1}{2}, n = 7, N = 128$$

The p.m.f of BD is $P(x) = {}^n C_x P^x q^{n-x}; x=0,1,\dots,7$

$$\text{if } x=0, P(0) = {}^7 C_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{7-0}$$

Using recurrence relation:

$$P(x+1) = \frac{n-x}{x+1} \cdot \frac{P}{q} \cdot P(x)$$

$$x=0, P(0+1) = \frac{n-0}{0+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} P(0) = \frac{7}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{128} = \frac{7}{128} = P(1)$$

$$x=1, P(1+1) = \frac{n-1}{1+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} P(1) = \frac{7-1}{1+1} \cdot \frac{7}{128} = \frac{6}{2} \cdot \frac{7}{128} = \frac{21}{128}$$

$$P(2) = \frac{21}{128}$$

$$x=2, P(2+1) = \frac{n-2}{2+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} P(2) = \frac{7-2}{2+1} \cdot \frac{21}{128} = \frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{21}{128} = \frac{35}{128}$$

$$P(3) = \frac{35}{128}$$

$$x=3, P(3+1) = \frac{7-3}{3+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} P(3) = \frac{4}{4} \cdot \frac{35}{128} = \frac{35}{128} = P(4)$$

$$x=4, P(4+1) = \frac{7-4}{4+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{35}{128} = \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{35}{128} = \frac{21}{128} = P(5)$$

x=5,

$$P(5+1) = \frac{7-5}{5+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{21}{128} = \frac{2}{6} \cdot \frac{21}{128} = \frac{7}{128} = P(6)$$

x=6,

$$P(6+1) = \frac{7-6}{6+1} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{7}{128} = \frac{1}{7} \cdot \frac{7}{128} = \frac{1}{128} = P(7)$$

Expected frequency $E(x) = N \cdot P(x)$.

$$x=0, E(0) = 128 \times P(0) = 128 \times \frac{1}{128} = 1$$

$$x=1, E(1) = 128 \times P(1) = 128 \times \frac{7}{128} = 7$$

$$x=2, E(2) = 128 \times P(2) = 128 \times \frac{35}{128} = 35$$

$$\text{Hence, } E(3) = 35, E(4) = 35, E(5) = 21, E(6) = 7, E(7) = 1$$

$$\text{i)} \bar{x} = np = \frac{\sum fx}{N}$$

$$= \frac{7 \times 0 + 6 \times 1 + 19 \times 2 + 35 \times 3 + 30 \times 4 + 23 \times 5 + 7 \times 6}{128}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{433}{128}$$

$$q = 1 - p$$

$$= 1 - 0.48$$

$$= 0.52$$

$$q = 0.52$$

$$N = 128, n = 7, p = 0.48, q = 0.52$$

$$\text{Expected frequency } E(x) = N \cdot P(x)$$

$$\text{if } x=0, E(0) = 128 \times P(0)$$

$$= 128 \times {}^7C_0 (0.48)^0 (0.52)^{7-0}$$

$$= 128 \times (0.52)^7$$

$$= 1.31 \approx 1$$

$$\text{if } x=1, E(1) = 128 \times {}^7C_1 (0.48)^1 (0.52)^{7-1} = 8.5 \approx 8$$

$$\text{if } x=2, E(2) = 128 \times {}^7C_2 (0.48)^2 (0.52)^{7-2} = 23.54 \approx 24$$

$$\text{if } x=3, E(3) = 128 \times {}^7C_3 (0.48)^3 (0.52)^{7-3} = 36.2255 \approx 36$$

$$\text{if } x=4, E(4) = 128 \times {}^7C_4 (0.48)^4 (0.52)^{7-4} = 33.4389 \approx 33$$

$$\text{if } x=5, E(5) = 128 \times {}^7C_5 (0.48)^5 (0.52)^{7-5} = 18.5200 \approx 19$$

$$\text{if } x=6, E(6) = 128 \times {}^7C_6 (0.48)^6 (0.52)^{7-6} = 5.6984 \approx 6$$

$$\text{if } x=7, E(7) = 128 \times {}^7C_7 (0.48)^7 (0.52)^{7-7} = 0.7614 \approx 1$$

(or)

$$E(x) = N(q+p)^n$$

$$[\because (q+p)^n = q^n + {}^nC_1 p \cdot q^{n-1} + {}^nC_2 p^2 q^{n-2} + {}^nC_3 p^3 q^{n-3} + \dots + p^n]$$

3. Poisson Distribution:

A random variable 'x' is said to follow a poisson distribution if it assumes only non negative values and its probability mass function $p(x)$ is given by :

$$p(x) = P(x, \lambda) = P(X=x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} ; x=0, 1, \dots, \infty$$

Here $\lambda > 0$ and

Ex: 1) The no. of defective electric bulbs manufactured by a company.

- 2) The no. of printing mistakes per page in a large text
- 3) The no. of persons born blind per year in a large city

Physical conditions of poisson distribution:

* The poisson distribution is used under the following conditions.

1. The variable (no. of occurrences) is a discrete variable
2. The occurrences are rare
3. The no. of trials 'n' is large
4. The probability of success 'P' is very small
5. $np = \lambda$ is finite

Mean and variance of poisson distribution:

The p.m.f of pd is $P(x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}$, $x=0, 1, \dots, \infty$

$$\text{Mean} = E(x) = \sum x \cdot P(x)$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \cdot e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} x \cdot \frac{\lambda^x}{x(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \left[\lambda + \frac{\lambda^2}{1!} + \frac{\lambda^3}{2!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \lambda \left[1 + \frac{\lambda}{1!} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{\lambda}$$

$$E(x) = \lambda$$

$$\text{Variance} = \sigma^2 = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$E(X^2) = \sum x^2 P(x)$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x^2 e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} x^2 \frac{\lambda^x}{x(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} x \frac{\lambda^x}{(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} [(x-1)+1] \frac{\lambda^x}{(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} (x-1) \frac{\lambda^x}{(x-1)!} + e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} \frac{\lambda^x}{(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{x=2}^{\infty} (x-1) \frac{\lambda^x}{(x-1)(x-2)!} + e^{-\lambda} \left[\frac{\lambda}{1} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2!} + \frac{\lambda^3}{3!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \left[\frac{\lambda^2}{1!} + \frac{\lambda^3}{2!} + \frac{\lambda^4}{3!} + \dots \right] + e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda \left[1 + \frac{\lambda}{1!} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \lambda^2 \left[1 + \frac{\lambda}{1!} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2!} + \dots \right] + e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^{\lambda}$$

$$= e^{\lambda} \cdot \lambda^2 \cdot e^{\lambda} + \lambda$$

$$= \lambda^2 + \lambda$$

$$E(X^2) = \lambda^2 + \lambda$$

$$\text{V}(X) = \sigma^2 = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$= \lambda^2 + \lambda - [\lambda]^2$$

$$= \lambda$$

$$\therefore V(X) = \sigma^2 = \lambda$$

Moment Generating Function of P.d:

The p.mf of P.d is $p(x) = e^{-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}, x=0,1,\dots \infty$

The m.g.f. $M_x(t) = E(e^{tx})$

$$M_x(t) = \sum e^{tx} \cdot p(x)$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\lambda e^t)^n}{n!}$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \left[1 + \frac{(\lambda e^t)}{1!} + \frac{(\lambda e^t)^2}{2!} + \frac{(\lambda e^t)^3}{3!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e^{-\lambda} \cdot e^{\lambda e^t}$$

$$M_x(t) = e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \cdot (on \ e^{-\lambda(1-e^t)})$$

Mean and Variance of p.d using M.G.F

The m.g.f of poisson distribution $M_x(t) = e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}$

$$\text{Raw moments } \mu_r' = E(X^r) = \frac{d^r}{dt^r} [M_x(t)]$$

$$\text{if } r=1, \mu_1' = E(X) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \left[e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \frac{d}{dt} \cdot \lambda(e^t-1) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \left[e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^t \right]_{t=0}$$

$$\therefore E(X) = \lambda$$

$$\text{if } r=2, \mu_2' = E(X^2) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} [M_x(t)]_{t=0}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{d}{dt} M_x(t) \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \lambda \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \left[\underbrace{e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}}_u \cdot \underbrace{e^t}_v \right]_{t=0}$$

$$\left(\because \frac{d}{dt}(uv) = u \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(v) + v \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(u) \right)$$

$$= \lambda \cdot \left[e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \cdot e^t + e^t \cdot e^{\lambda(e^t-1)} \cdot \lambda \cdot e^t \right]_{t=0}$$

$$= \lambda [1 + \lambda]$$

$$E(X^2) = \lambda + \lambda^2$$

$$V(X) = \sigma^2 = \text{var}(X) = \mu_2 - (\mu_1)^2$$

Recurrence Relation of Poisson distribution:

$$P(x+1) = \frac{\lambda}{x+1} \cdot P(x)$$

Problems:

1) If the mean of a poisson variate is 1.8. Then find

- i) $P(x > 1)$
- ii) $P(0 < x < 5)$

Sol: $\lambda = 1.8$

$$\begin{aligned} i) P(x > 1) &= 1 - P(x \leq 1) \\ &= 1 - [P(x=0) + P(x=1)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(x) &= P(x=x) = e^{-\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}; x=0 \\ &= 1 - \left[e^{-1.8} \frac{(1.8)^0}{0!} + e^{-1.8} \frac{(1.8)^1}{1!} \right] \\ &= 1 - \left[e^{-1.8} + 1.8 \cdot e^{-1.8} \right] \\ &= 1 - [0.165 + 0.291] \end{aligned}$$

$$P(x > 1) = 0.531$$

$$ii) P(0 < x < 5) = P(x=1) + P(x=2) + P(x=3) + P(x=4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= e^{-1.8} (1.8) + e^{-1.8} \frac{(1.8)^2}{2!} + e^{-1.8} \frac{(1.8)^3}{3!} + e^{-1.8} \frac{(1.8)^4}{4!} \\ &= e^{-1.8} [1.8 + 1.62 + 0.972 + 0.431] \\ &= e^{-1.8} [4.829] \\ &= 0.165 [4.829] \\ &= 0.796 \end{aligned}$$

2) If the variance of a poisson variate is 3. Then find probability that:

i) $x=7$ ii) $0 \leq x \leq 2$

Sol: We know that
variance = $\lambda = 3$

i) The p.m.f of P.D is $P(X=x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}$

$$P(X=0) = e^{-3} \frac{(3)^0}{0!}$$

$$= e^{-3}$$

$$= 0.0497$$

ii) $P(0 < X \leq 3) = P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3)$

$$= e^{-3} \frac{(3)^1}{1!} + e^{-3} \frac{(3)^2}{2!} + e^{-3} \frac{(3)^3}{3!}$$

$$= e^{-3} [3 + 4.5 + 4.5]$$

$$= 12 \cdot e^{-3}$$

$$= 12 (0.0497)$$

$$= 0.597$$

3. If a poisson distribution is such that $P(X=1) \frac{3}{2} = P(X=3)$
Find

i) $P(X \geq 1)$ ii) $P(X \leq 3)$

Sol: Given $P(X=1) \frac{3}{2} = P(X=3)$

$$e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^1}{1!} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^3}{3!}$$

$$\lambda^2 = 9$$

$$\lambda = \pm 3$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 3$$

i) $P(X \geq 1) = 1 - P(X < 1)$

$$= 1 - P(X=0)$$

$$= 1 - e^{-3} \frac{3^0}{0!}$$

$$= 1 - e^{-3}$$

$$= 0.9502$$

ii) $P(X \leq 3) = P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3)$

$$= e^{-3} \frac{(3)^0}{0!} + e^{-3} \frac{(3)^1}{1!} + e^{-3} \frac{(3)^2}{2!} + e^{-3} \frac{(3)^3}{3!}$$

4. It has been found that 2% of the tools produced by a certain machine are defective. What is the probability that in a shipment of 400 such tools
- 3% or more
 - 2% or less will prove defective

Sol: We know that,

$$\text{Sample size } n = 400$$

$$\text{Probability of defective tools } p = 2\% \text{ or } p = 0.02$$

$$np = \lambda$$

$$400 \times 0.02 = \lambda$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 8$$

$$\text{i) } P(X \geq 3) = 1 - [P(X < 3)]$$

$$= 1 - \left[P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2) \right]$$

$$= 1 - \left[e^{-8} \frac{(8)^0}{0!} + e^{-8} \frac{(8)^1}{1!} + e^{-8} \frac{(8)^2}{2!} \right]$$

$$= 1 - \left[e^{-8} (1 + 8 + \cancel{32}) \right]$$

$$= 1 - e^{-8} (41)$$

$$= 0.9863$$

$$\text{ii) } P(X \leq 2) = P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2)$$

$$= e^{-8} (41)$$

$$= 0.01375$$

5. Fit a poisson distribution for the following data and calculate the expected frequency/ies.

$$x: 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$$f: 109 \quad 65 \quad 22 \quad 3 \quad 1$$

$$\text{Sol: } \bar{x} = \lambda = \frac{\sum fx}{N} = \frac{109 \times 0 + 65 \times 1 + 22 \times 2 + 3 \times 3 + 1 \times 4}{200}$$

$$P(x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} ; x=0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$\text{If } x=0, P(0) = e^{-0.61} \cdot \frac{(0.61)^0}{0!}$$

$$P(0) = e^{-0.61}$$

$$P(0) = 0.5433$$

$$\text{Recurrence Relation: } P(x+1) = \frac{\lambda}{x+1} P(x)$$

$$\text{if } x=0, P(0+1) = \frac{0.61}{0+1} P(0) = 0.61 \times 0.5433 = 0.3314$$

$$\text{if } x=1, P(1+1) = \frac{0.61}{1+1} P(1) = \frac{0.61}{2} \times 0.3314$$

$$P(2) = 0.1010$$

$$\text{if } x=2, P(2+1) = \frac{0.61}{2+1} P(2) = \frac{0.61}{3} \times 0.1010$$

$$P(3) = 0.0205$$

$$\text{if } x=3, P(3+1) = \frac{0.61}{3+1} P(3) = \frac{0.61}{4} \times 0.0205$$

$$P(4) = 0.0031$$

$$\text{Expected frequency} = N \cdot P(x)$$

$$\text{if } x=0, E(0) = 200 \times P(0) = 200 \times 0.5433 = 108.66 \approx 109$$

$$\text{if } x=1, E(1) = 200 \times P(1) = 200 \times 0.3314 = 66.28 \approx 66$$

$$x=2, E(2) = 200 \times P(2) = 200 \times 0.1010 = 20.2 \approx 20$$

$$x=3, E(3) = 200 \times P(3) = 200 \times 0.0205 = 4.1 \approx 4$$

$$x=4, E(4) = 200 \times P(4) = 200 \times 0.0031 = 0.62 \approx 1$$

| | | | | | |
|--------|-----|----|----|---|---|
| x | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| f | 109 | 66 | 20 | 4 | 1 |
| $E(x)$ | 109 | 66 | 20 | 4 | 1 |

6. Fit a poisson distribution to the following data

| | | | | | | |
|-----|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| x | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| f | 42 | 33 | 14 | 6 | 4 | 1 |

$$\bar{x} = 2 \quad 100$$

$$P(x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} ; \lambda = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$$

$$\text{If } x=0, P(0) = e^{-1} \cdot \frac{(-1)^0}{0!} = e^{-1} = 0.3678$$

$$\text{Recurrence Relation: } P(x+1) = \frac{\lambda}{x+1} P(x)$$

$$\text{If } x=0, P(0+1) = \frac{1}{0+1} P(0) = 1 (0.3678)$$

$$P(1) = 0.3678$$

$$x=1, P(1+1) = \frac{1}{1+1} P(1) = \frac{1}{2} (0.3678)$$

$$P(2) = 0.1839$$

$$x=2, P(2+1) = \frac{1}{2+1} P(2) = \frac{1}{3} (0.1839)$$

$$P(3) = 0.0613$$

$$x=3, P(3+1) = \frac{1}{3+1} P(3) = \frac{1}{4} (0.0613)$$

$$P(4) = 0.0153$$

$$x=4, P(4+1) = \frac{1}{4+1} \cdot P(4) = \frac{1}{5} (0.0153)$$

$$P(5) = 0.00306$$

Expected frequency = $N \cdot P(x)$

$$E(0) = 100 \times P(0) = 36.78 \approx 37$$

$$E(1) = 36.78 \approx 37$$

$$E(2) = 18.39 \approx 18$$

$$E(3) = 6.13 \approx 6$$

$$E(4) = 1.53 \approx 2$$

$$E(5) = 0.306 \approx 0$$

$$x : 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5$$

$$f : 42 \quad 33 \quad 14 \quad 6 \quad 4 \quad 1$$

$$E(x) : 37 \quad 37 \quad 18 \quad 6 \quad 2 \quad 0$$

Normal distribution:

A continuous random variable x is said to have follow a normal distribution, if its probability density function $f(x)$ is given by-

$$f(x; \mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (-\infty < \mu < \infty)$$

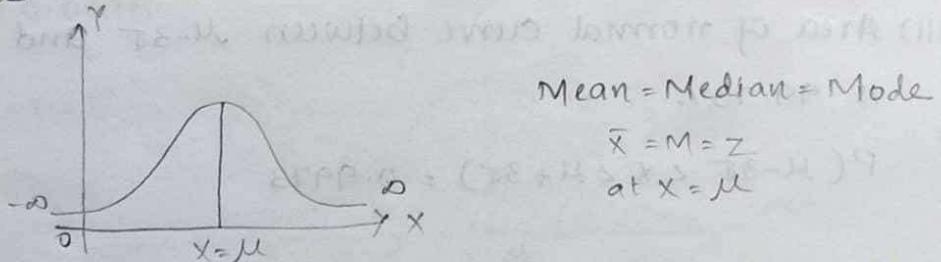
$$\Rightarrow -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma > 0$$

here, μ and σ are parameters of the normal distribution.

chief characteristics of Normal distribution:

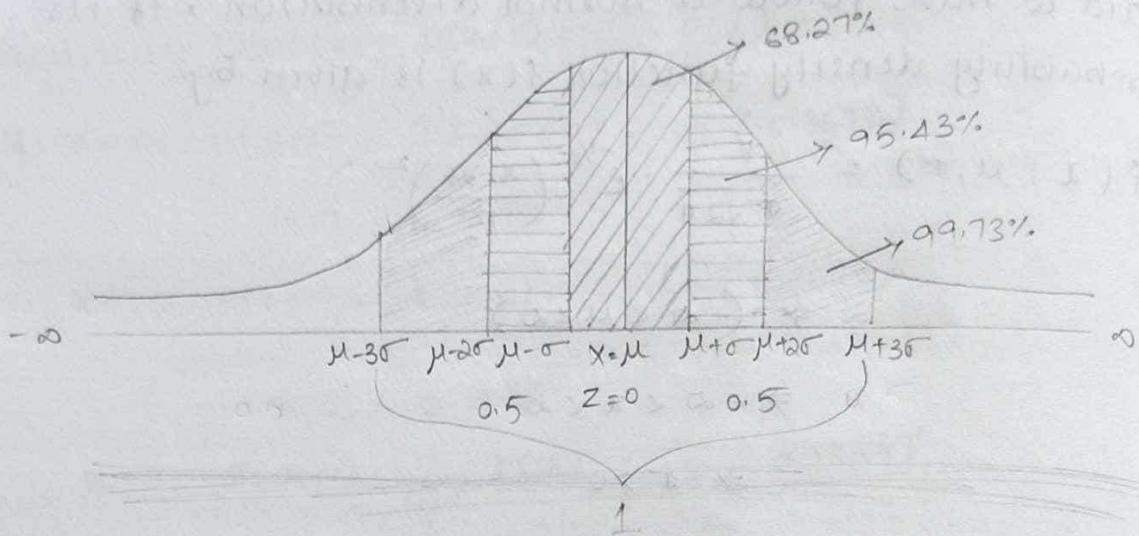
1. The graph of the normal distribution $y=f(x)$ in the xy plane is known as the Normal curve



2. The curve is a bell shaped curve and symmetrical with respect to mean i.e., about the line $x=\mu$ and the two tails on the right and left sides of the mean μ extends to infinity. The top of the bell is directly above the mean μ .
3. Area under the normal curve represent the total population.
4. Mean, median and mode of the distribution coincide at $x=\mu$ as the distribution is symmetrical. So, normal curve is unimodal.

6. Linear combination of independent normal variates
is also a normal variate

7. Area under the normal curve is distributed



i) Area of normal curve between $\mu-\sigma$ and $\mu+\sigma$ is 68.27%

$$P(\mu-\sigma < x < \mu+\sigma) = 0.6827$$

ii) Area of normal curve between $\mu-2\sigma$ and $\mu+2\sigma$
is 95.43%

$$P(\mu-2\sigma < x < \mu+2\sigma) = 0.9543$$

iii) Area of normal curve between $\mu-3\sigma$ and $\mu+3\sigma$
is 99.73%.

$$P(\mu-3\sigma < x < \mu+3\sigma) = 0.9973$$

standard normal distribution:

The normal distribution
with mean $\mu=0$ and standard deviation $\sigma=1$ is known as
standard normal distribution.

The standard normal
distribution is denoted by Z

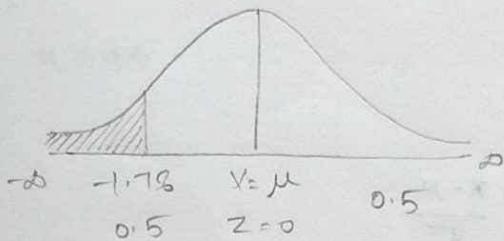
$$\therefore Z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

(also known as standard normal variate)

Problems:

1. If x is a normal variate, find the area 'A'
- to the left of $Z = -1.78$
 - to the right of $Z = -1.45$
 - corresponding to $-0.8 \leq Z \leq 1.53$
 - to the left of $Z = -2.52$ and to the right of $Z = 1.88$

Soln i) $Z = -1.78$



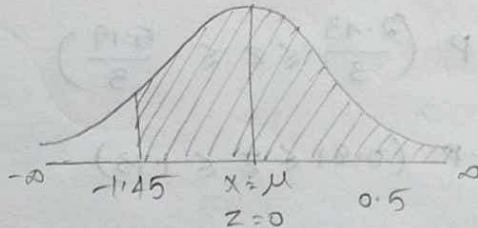
$$P(-\infty \leq Z \leq 0) - P(-1.78 \leq Z \leq 0)$$

$$= 0.5 - A(1.78)$$

$$= 0.5 - 0.4625$$

$$= 0.0375$$

ii) $Z = -1.45$



$$P(-1.45 \leq Z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq Z \leq \infty)$$

$$= A(1.45) + 0.5$$

$$= 0.4265 + 0.5$$

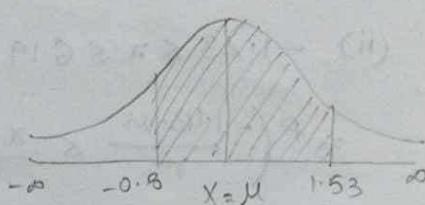
$$= 0.9265$$

iii) $P(-0.8 \leq Z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq Z \leq 1.53)$

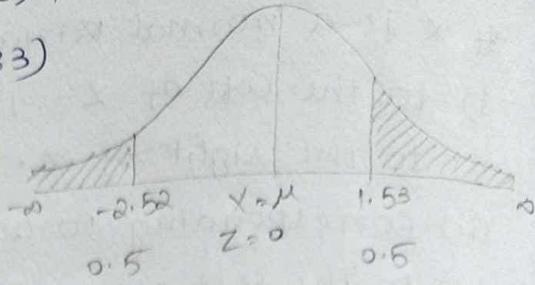
$$= A(0.8) + A(1.53)$$

$$= 0.2881 + 0.4370$$

$$= 0.7251$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv)} &= P(-\infty \leq Z \leq 0) - P(-2.52 \leq Z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq Z \leq \infty) - P(0 \leq Z \leq 1.83) \\
 &= 0.5 - A(2.52) + 0.5 - A(1.83) \\
 &= 0.5 - 0.1941 + 0.5 - 0.1664 \\
 &= 0.0395
 \end{aligned}$$



2. For a normally distributed variate with mean 1 and standard deviation 3, find the probabilities that

- i) $3.43 \leq X \leq 6.19$
- ii) $-1.43 \leq X \leq 6.19$

Sol: We know that, $Z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$

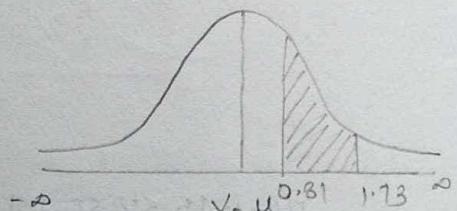
$$(i) 3.43 \leq x \leq 6.19$$

$$P\left(\frac{3.43-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{6.19-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{3.43-1}{3} \leq Z \leq \frac{6.19-1}{3}\right)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{2.43}{3} \leq Z \leq \frac{5.19}{3}\right)$$

$$= P(0.81 \leq Z \leq 1.73)$$



$$= P(0 \leq Z \leq 1.73) - P(0 \leq Z \leq 0.81)$$

$$= A(1.73) - A(0.81)$$

$$= 0.4582 - 0.2910$$

$$= 0.1672$$

$$(ii) -1.43 \leq x \leq 6.19$$

$$= P\left(\frac{-1.43-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{6.19-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

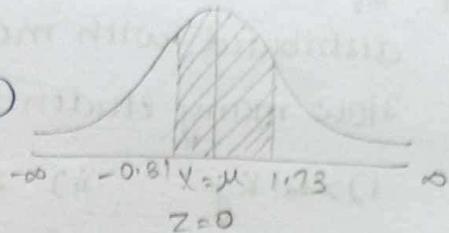
$$= P(-0.81 \leq z \leq 1.73)$$

$$= P(-0.81 \leq z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq z \leq 1.73)$$

$$= A(0.81) + A(1.73)$$

$$= 0.2910 + 0.4582$$

$$= 0.7492$$



3. If x is a normal variate with mean 30 and standard deviation 5, find the probabilities that

i) $26 \leq x \leq 40$

ii) $x \geq 45$

4. If the masses of 300 students are normally distributed with mean (μ) 68 kg and s.d (σ) 3 kg.
 How many students have masses
 i) > 72 kg ii) ≤ 64 kg iii) $65 < x < 71$ kg.

Sol: $\mu = 68$, $\sigma = 3$

i) $x > 72$

$$\text{WKT } z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

$$P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} > \frac{72-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$P\left(z > \frac{72-68}{3}\right)$$

$$P\left(z > \frac{4}{3}\right)$$

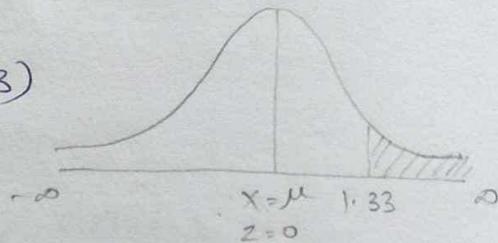
$$P(z > 1.33)$$

$$P(0 < z < \infty) - P(0 < z < 1.33)$$

$A(1.33)$

$$= 0.5 - 0.4082$$

$$= 0.0918$$



\therefore Number of students greater than 72 kg

$$\text{i.e., } 300 \times 0.0918$$

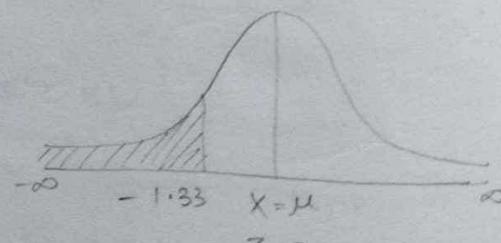
$$= 27.54 \approx 28$$

ii) $x \leq 64$

$$P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{64-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$P\left(z \leq \frac{64-68}{3}\right)$$

$$P(z \leq -1.33)$$



$$P(-\infty \leq z \leq 0) - P(-1.33 \leq z \leq 0)$$

$$= 0.5 - A(1.33)$$

$$= 0.5 - 0.4082$$

$$= 0.0918$$

\therefore Number of students less than or equal to 64 kgs

$$iii) 65 < x < 71$$

$$= P\left(\frac{65-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{71-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{65-68}{3} < z \leq \frac{71-68}{3}\right)$$

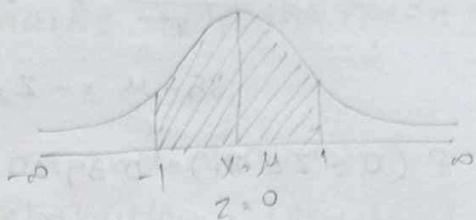
$$= P(-1 < z < 1)$$

$$= P(-1 \leq z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq z \leq 1)$$

$$= A(1) + A(1)$$

$$= 0.3413 + 0.3413$$

$$= 0.6826$$



\therefore Number of students lies b/w 65 & 71 Kgs

$$\text{i.e., } 300 \times 0.6826$$

$$= 204.78 \approx 205$$

5. In a normal distribution 7% of the items are under 35 and 89% are under 63. Determine the mean and variance of the distribution.

Sol: Let μ and σ be the mean and standard deviation of the normal distribution respectively.

Given,

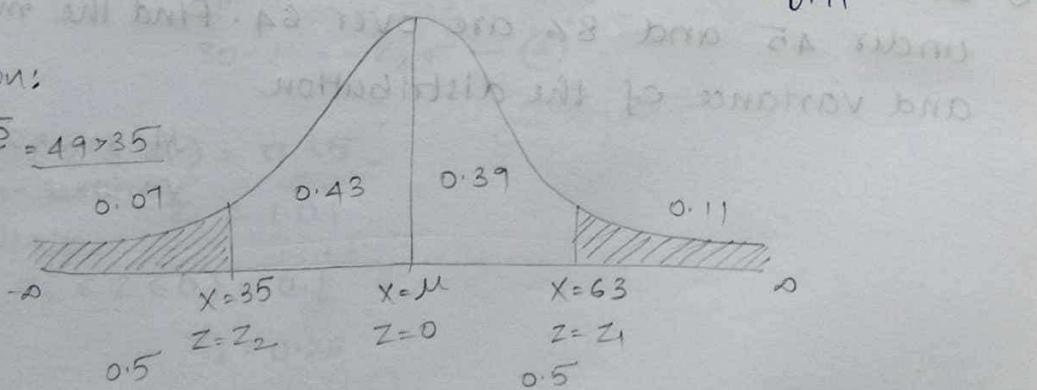
$$x < 35 = 7\%, \quad x < 63 = 89\%$$

$$P(x < 35) = 0.07, \quad P(x < 63) = 0.89$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(x \geq 63) &= 1 - P(x < 63) \\ &= 1 - 0.89 \\ &= 0.11 \end{aligned}$$

Assumptions:

$$\frac{63+35}{2} = 49 > 35$$



from the diagram,

$$\text{Standard Normal variate : } z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

$$63 - \mu = z_1 \sigma - \textcircled{1}$$

if $X = 35$, $\frac{35 - \mu}{\sigma} = -z_2$

$$35 - \mu = -z_2 \sigma - \textcircled{2}$$

$$P(0 \leq Z \leq z_1) = 0.39$$

$$z_1 = 1.23$$

$$P(z_2 \leq Z \leq 0) = 0.43$$

$$z_2 = 1.48$$

Sub. z_1 & z_2 values in eq'n $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$

$$63 - \mu = 1.23 \sigma - \textcircled{3}$$

$$\underline{\begin{array}{r} 35 - \mu \\ + \end{array}} = \underline{\begin{array}{r} -1.48 \sigma \\ + \end{array}} - \textcircled{4}$$

$$28 = 2.71 \sigma$$

$$\sigma = \frac{28}{2.71} = 10.33, \sigma^2 = 106.7$$

Sub. ' σ ' value in eq'n $\textcircled{3}$

$$63 - \mu = 1.23(10.33)$$

$$63 - \mu = 12.7$$

$$-\mu = 12.7 - 63$$

$$\therefore \mu = 50.3$$

$$\therefore \text{Mean} = 50.3 \text{ & Variance} = 106.7$$

6. In a normal distribution 31% of items are under 45 and 8% are over 64. Find the mean and variance of the distribution

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean} &= 50 \\ \text{Variance} &= 100 \\ \sigma &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

If the marks obtained in statistics in a certain examination found to be normally distributed. If 15% of the students greater than or equal to 60 marks, 40% less than 30 marks. Find the mean and standard deviation.

Sol: Let μ and σ be the mean and standard deviation of the normal distribution respectively.

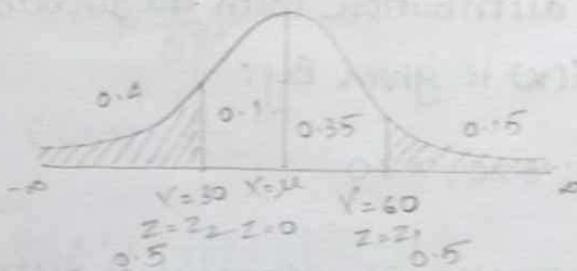
Given,

$$x \geq 60 = 15\%$$

$$x < 30 = 40\%$$

$$P(x \geq 60) = 0.15$$

$$P(x < 30) = 0.4$$



from this diagram,

$$\text{WKT } Z = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

$$\text{if } x=60,$$

$$\frac{60-\mu}{\sigma} = z_1$$

$$60-\mu = z_1 \sigma \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{If } x=30,$$

$$\frac{30-\mu}{\sigma} = -z_2$$

$$30-\mu = -z_2 \sigma \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$P(0 \leq Z \leq z_1) = 0.35$$

$$z_1 = 1.04$$

$$P(z_2 \leq Z \leq 0) = 0.1$$

$$z_2 = 0.26$$

Sub. z_1 & z_2 values in eq'n ① & ②

$$60-\mu = 1.04\sigma$$

$$30-\mu = -0.26\sigma$$

q. The marks obtained in statistics in a certain examination found to be normally distributed. If 15% of the students greater than or equal to 60 marks, 40% less than 30 marks. Find the mean and standard deviation.

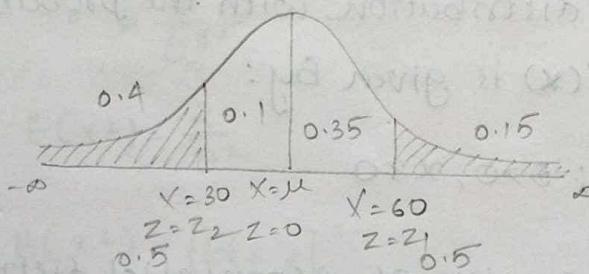
Sol: Let μ and σ be the mean and standard deviation of the normal distribution respectively.

Given,

$$X \geq 60 = 15\%$$

$$X < 30 = 40\%$$

$$P(X \geq 60) = 0.15 \quad P(X < 30) = 0.4$$



from this diagram,

$$\text{WKT } Z = \frac{X-\mu}{\sigma}$$

if $X=60$,

$$\frac{60-\mu}{\sigma} = Z_1$$

$$60-\mu = Z_1 \sigma \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

If $X=30$,

$$\frac{30-\mu}{\sigma} = -Z_2$$

$$30-\mu = -Z_2 \sigma \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$P(0 \leq Z \leq Z_1) = 0.35$$

$$Z_1 = 1.04$$

$$P(-Z_2 \leq Z \leq 0) = 0.1$$

$$Z_2 = 0.26$$

Sub. Z_1 & Z_2 values in eq'n (1) & (2)

$$60-\mu = 1.04 \sigma$$

$$30-\mu = -0.26 \sigma$$

$$\sigma = \frac{30}{1.3} = 23.07$$

Sub 'σ' value in eq'n ①

$$60 - \mu = 1.04 (23.07)$$

$$\therefore \mu = 36.01$$

\therefore Mean = 36.01 and S.d = 23.07.

Exponential Distribution:

A continuous random variable 'x' assumes non-negative values is said to have follow exponential distribution with the probability density function $f(x)$ is given by:

$$f(x, \theta) = \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x}; \theta > 0, x \geq 0$$

Here 'θ' is the parameter of exponential distribution.

Mean and Variance of Exponential Distribution:

The p.d.f of exp. distribution $f(x) = \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x}; x \geq 0$
 $\theta > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean} = E(x) &= \int x \cdot f(x) \cdot dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty x \cdot \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x} \cdot dx \\ &= \theta \int_0^\infty \frac{x}{u} \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{v} \cdot dx \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow \text{inter} \\ \downarrow \text{diff} \end{matrix} \\ &= \theta \left[x \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta} - 1 \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{\theta^2} \right]_0^\infty \\ &= \theta \left[0 - \left(0 - \frac{1}{\theta^2} \right) \right] \\ &= \theta \frac{1}{\theta^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore E(x) = \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$$\text{Variance} = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(X^2) &= \int x^2 \cdot f(x) dx \\
 &= \int_0^\infty x^2 \cdot \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x} dx \\
 &= \theta \int_0^\infty \frac{x^2}{u} \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{v} dx \\
 &= \theta \left[x^2 \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta} - 2x \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{\theta^2} + 2 \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta^3} \right]_0^\infty \\
 &= \theta \left[0 - \left(0 - 0 - \frac{2}{\theta^3} \right) \right] \\
 &= \theta \frac{2}{\theta^3} \\
 E(X^2) &= \frac{2}{\theta^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$V(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$= \frac{2}{\theta^2} - \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{2}{\theta^2} - \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$\therefore V(X) = \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

Moment generating function of exponential dist'n:

The p.d.f. of exp dist'n $f(x) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$; $x \geq 0$, $\theta > 0$

The M.g.f. $M_X(t) = E(e^{tx})$

$$= \int e^{tx} \cdot f(x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^\infty e^{tx} \cdot \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x} dx$$

$$= \theta \int_0^\infty e^{-(\theta-t)x} dx$$

$$= \theta \left[\frac{e^{-(\theta-t)x}}{-(\theta-t)} \right]_0^\infty$$

$$= \frac{\theta}{\theta-t} \left[e^{-(\theta-t)x} \right]_0^\infty$$

$$= \frac{\theta}{\theta-t} [0+1]$$

$$= \frac{\theta}{\theta-t}$$

$$= \frac{\theta}{\theta(1-\frac{t}{\theta})}$$

$$M_x(t) = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\theta}\right)^{-1}$$

Memoryless property of exponential distribution:

Statement:

If x follows exponential dis'n with parameter ' θ ', then probability:

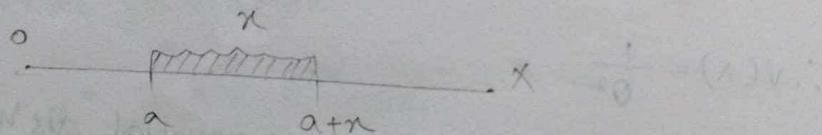
$$P[x \geq a+x / x \geq a] = P[x \geq x]$$

where a and x are the real numbers greater than '0'

Proof:

The p.d.f of exp. dis'n is

$$f(x) = \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x}; x \geq 0, \theta > 0$$



$$\text{LHS} = P[x \geq a+x / x \geq a]$$

$$= \frac{P[x \geq a+x \cap x \geq a]}{P(x \geq a)}$$

$$= \frac{P[x \geq a+x]}{P(x \geq a)}$$

$$P[x \geq a+x] = \int_{a+x}^{\infty} f(x) \cdot dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \theta \left[\frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta} \right]_{a+n}^{\infty} \\
 &= - \left[e^{-\theta x} \right]_{a+n}^{\infty} \\
 &= - \left[0 - e^{-\theta(a+n)} \right] \\
 &= e^{-\theta(a+n)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(X \geq a+n) = e^{-\theta a} e^{-\theta n}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{By, } P(X \geq a) &= \int_a^{\infty} f(x) \cdot dx \\
 &= \int_a^{\infty} \theta e^{-\theta x} \cdot dx \\
 &= \theta \left[\frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta} \right]_a^{\infty} \\
 &= - \left[0 - e^{-\theta a} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(X \geq a) = e^{-\theta a}$$

$$\frac{P(X \geq a+n)}{P(X \geq a)} = \frac{e^{-\theta a} e^{-\theta n}}{e^{-\theta a}} = e^{-\theta n}$$

$$\text{LHS} = e^{-\theta n}$$

$$\text{RHS} = P[X \geq n]$$

$$= \int_n^{\infty} f(x) \cdot dx$$

$$= \int_n^{\infty} \theta e^{-\theta x} \cdot dx$$

$$= \theta \left[\frac{e^{-\theta x}}{-\theta} \right]_n^{\infty}$$

$$= - \left[0 - e^{-\theta n} \right]$$

$$P[X \geq n] = e^{-\theta n}$$