

Probability

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- * Probability distribution -
Outcomes -
Sample space -
event -

if $n(s) = p$,
possible events = 2^p

- Mutually exclusive events (disjoint)

$$A \cap B = \emptyset$$

- Independent events -

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A') = 1 - P(A)$$

$$P(A \cap B') = P(A) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(B \cap A') = P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C) - P(A \cap B) - P(A \cap C) - P(B \cap C) + P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

$$P(\emptyset) = 0$$

- * Random variables

1) Discrete

2) Continuous

- Discrete

$$S = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$$

x - no. of tails obtained

$$x(HH) = 0$$

$$x(HT) = 1$$

$$x(TH) = 1$$

$$x(TT) = 2$$

Probability mass function :- (PMF)

$$X \xrightarrow{\text{Discrete}} \text{r.v.} \rightarrow S$$

$$\{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n\}$$

$$p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n$$

$$i) p_i \geq 0 \quad i=0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$ii) \sum p_i = 1$$

Probability density function (PDF) -

$$X \rightarrow \text{continuous r.v.} \rightarrow S$$

$$f(x) \rightarrow i) f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in R$$

$$ii) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$$

Q.1 The pmf of r.v. X is 0 except at $x=0, 1, 2$.
At these points $P(0) = 3c^3$, $p(1) = 4c - 10c^2$,
 $p(2) = 5c - 1$

i) Find c ii) Find $P(0 < X \leq 2)$

$$\rightarrow \sum P = 1$$

$$\therefore 3c^3 + 4c - 10c^2 + 5c - 1 = 1$$

$$3c^3 - 10c^2 + 9c - 2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2 \\ \pm 1 \quad \pm 2 \end{array}$$

for $c=1$, LHS = RHS

By ~~eye~~ synthetic division,

1	3	-10	9	-2
		3	-7	2
	3	-7	2	0

$$\therefore (c-1)(3c^2 - 7c + 2) = 0$$

$$(c-1)(3c^2 - 6c - c + 2) = 0$$

$$(c-1)(c-2)(3c-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore c = 1, c = 2, c = \frac{1}{3}$$

if $c = 1$ $P(0) = 3$ not possible

if $c = 2$ $P(0) = 24$ not possible

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

x	0	1	2
$P(x)$	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{2}{9}$	$\frac{2}{3}$

$$P(0 < x \leq 2) = P(1) + P(2)$$

$$= \frac{8}{9}$$

Q.2 Verify whether the following func is pdf

1) $f(x) = \frac{2}{9} x (2 - \frac{x}{2}) \dots 0 < x \leq 3$

2) $f(x) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-|x|} \dots -\infty < x < \infty$

1) $f(x) = \frac{2}{9} x (2 - \frac{x}{2}) \dots 0 < x \leq 3$

$$f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall \quad 0 < x \leq 3$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 f(x) dx + \int_0^3 f(x) dx + \int_3^{\infty} f(x) dx$$

$$\int_0^3 \frac{2}{9} (2x - \frac{x^2}{2}) dx = \frac{2}{9} \left[x^2 - \frac{x^3}{6} \right]_0^3$$

$$= 1$$

$$\therefore \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$$

\therefore Given $f(x)$ is pdf

$$2) f(x) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-|x|} \quad \dots \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} e^{-|x|} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_{-\infty}^0 e^{-|x|} dx + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-|x|} dx \right\}$$

$$\therefore |x| = \begin{cases} x & x \geq 0 \\ -x & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_{-\infty}^0 e^x dx + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} dx \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ [e^x]_{-\infty}^0 - [e^{-x}]_0^{\infty} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{ (1-0) - (0-1) \}$$

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

$$= 1$$

\therefore Given $f(x)$ is pdf

Q.3 Find the value of k if each of the foll func is pdf

1) $f(x) = kx^4 e^{-x/2} \quad 0 \leq x < \infty$

$\therefore f(x)$ is pdf

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^0 kx^4 e^{-x/2} dx + \int_0^{\infty} kx^4 e^{-x/2} dx = 1$$

$$k \frac{15}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5} = 1$$

$$k = \frac{1}{768}$$

2) $f(x) = \frac{k}{1+x^2}, \quad -\infty < x < \infty$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = 1$$

$$k \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = 1$$

$$k \left[\tan^{-1}(x) \right]_{-\infty}^{\infty} = 1$$

$$k \left[\frac{\pi}{2} - \left(-\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \right] = 1$$

$$\pi k = 1$$

$$k = \frac{1}{\pi}$$

* Binomial Distribution & Poisson distribution -

1) Binomial -

result - either success or failure

$p \rightarrow$ prob. of success $q \rightarrow$ prob. of failure

if experiment is repeated n times, then
prob of success = ${}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}$

e.g. tossing of coin, result of exam, etc.

$$\text{mean} = \bar{x} = np$$

$$\text{variance} = \sigma^2 = npq$$

if experiment, each n trials is repeated
 N times then expected freqⁿ = $N F(x)$

2) Poisson -

Here the no. of success only observed not
number of failure.

$p \rightarrow$ prob. of success
* $n \rightarrow \infty$ & $p \rightarrow 0$

$$p(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \quad \lambda = np$$

$$\text{mean} = \bar{x} = np = \lambda$$

$$\text{variance} = \sigma^2 = np = \lambda$$

$$P(x > a) = 1 - P(x \leq a)$$

$$P(x \geq a) = 1 - P(x < a)$$

- 1 If 10% bolts are defective, calculate the probability that out of sample selected at random of 10 bolts, not more than 1 bolt are defective.

Success - defective bolt

$$p = 10\% = \frac{1}{10} \quad q = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \leq 1) &= P(X=0) + P(X=1) \\ &= {}^{10}C_0 p^0 q^{10-0} + {}^{10}C_1 p^1 q^{10-1} \\ &= {}^{10}C_0 p^0 q^{10-0} + {}^{10}C_1 p^1 q^{10-1} \\ &= \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{10} + \frac{10}{1} \frac{1}{10} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^9 \\ &= 0.7361 \end{aligned}$$

- 2 Each of the five questions of mcq has four choices. Only one of which is correct. A student is attempting to guess the answer. What is the probability that student will get
- 1) Exactly 3 ans correct.
 - 2) At most 3 ans correct.
 - 3) At least 1 correct ans.

Here we use binomial distribution.
Success - ans is correct

$$p = \frac{1}{4} \quad q = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i)} \quad P(X=3) &= {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x} \\
 &= {}^5 C_3 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^3 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 \\
 &= 10 \frac{3^2}{4^5} \\
 &= 0.9879
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ii)} \quad P(X \leq 3) = P(0) + P(1) + P(2) + P(3)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(X \leq 3) &= 1 - P(X > 3) \\
 &= 1 - P(X=4) - P(X=5) \\
 &= 1 - {}^5 C_4 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^4 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^1 - {}^5 C_5 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^5 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^0 \\
 &= 1 - \frac{5 \times 3}{4^5} - \frac{1}{4^5} \\
 &= 1 - \frac{16}{4^5} \\
 &= 0.9844
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii)} \quad P(X \geq 1) &= 1 - P(X < 1) \\
 &= 1 - P(0) \\
 &= 1 - {}^5 C_0 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^0 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5 \\
 &= 0.7627
 \end{aligned}$$

Q.3) The probability that the person who undergoes the kidney operation will recover is 0.7.

Find the probability that of 6 patients undergo similar operation

1) None will recover

2) all will recover

3) half will recover

4) atleast half will recover

Success \rightarrow recovery

$$p = 0.7$$

$$q = 0.3$$

$P(x) \rightarrow$ no. of patients recovered

$$P(x) = {}^nC_x p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i) } P(0) &= {}^6C_0 (0.7)^0 (0.3)^6 \\ &= 0.000729 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } P(6) &= {}^6C_6 (0.7)^6 (0.3)^0 \\ &= 0.1176 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii) } P(x=3) &= {}^6C_3 (0.7)^3 (0.3)^3 \\ &= 0.1852 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv) } P(x \geq 3) &= P(x=3) + P(x=4) + P(x=5) + P(x=6) \\ &= 0.9295 \end{aligned}$$

Q.4) Betⁿ 2 & 3 pm, the avg no. of phonecalls per min coming into a switchboard of company is 2.5. Find the probability during a minute there will be

- 1) no phone call 2) exactly 3 calls

Use poisson distribution.

$$np = \lambda = 2.5$$

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

i) no phone calls

$$P(X=0) = \frac{e^{-2.5} \lambda^0}{0!}$$

$$= 0.0821$$

$$ii) P(X=3) = \frac{e^{-2.5} (2.5)^3}{3!}$$

$$= 0.2138$$

Q.5) IF the probability that an individual suffers bad reaction from injection is 0. Determine prob. that out of 2000 individuals
 i) exactly 3 ii) more than 2
 suffer bad reaction.

→ Use poisson distribution $\because n \gg p$
 $n=2000$ $p=0.001$ $\lambda = np = 2$
 $P(X) = P(\text{no. of individuals suffered bad reaction})$
 $= \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$

$$i) P(X=3) = \frac{e^{-2} 2^3}{3!} = 0.1804$$

$$ii) P(X > 2) = 1 - P(X \leq 2)$$

$$= 1 - P(0) - P(1) - P(2)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{e^{-2} 2^0}{0!} - \frac{e^{-2} 2^1}{1!} - \frac{e^{-2} 2^2}{2!}$$

$$= 1 - 0.1353 - 0.2706 - 0.2706$$

$$= 0.3235$$

$$= 0.3233$$

$$= 0.18$$

Q.6 Six dice are thrown 729 times. How many times do you expect at least 3 dice to show 5 or 6.

Use binomial distribution.

$$n = 6 \quad N = 729$$

success \rightarrow getting a number 5 or 6.

$$p = \frac{1}{3} \quad q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(x) = {}^n C_x p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \# P(x \geq 3) &= 1 - P(x < 3) \\ &= 1 - P(x=0) - P(x=1) - P(x=2) \\ &= 1 - {}^6 C_0 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^0 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^6 - {}^6 C_1 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^1 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^5 - {}^6 C_2 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^4 \\ &= 0.3196 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{no. of times at least 3 dice show 5 or 6} &= N P(x) \\ &= 729 \times 0.3196 \\ &= 232.9884 \\ &\approx 233 \end{aligned}$$

Q.7 A fair coin is tossed 8 times. Find the probability that
 i) it shows head exactly 5 times.
 ii) larger number of times than tail
 iii) at least one.

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

$$i) P(X=5) = 0.2188$$

$$ii) P(X \geq 5)$$

Q.8 A machine has 14 identical components that function independently. It will stop working if 3 or more fails. If probability that component fails is 0.1. Find the probability that machine will be working.

→ We will solve this by binomial distribution.

$$P(X = \text{machine works}) = {}^n C_x (0.9)^x (0.1)^{n-x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \geq 11) &= P(X=12) + P(X=13) + P(X=14) \\ &= {}^{14}C_{12} (0.9)^{12} (0.1)^2 + {}^{14}C_{13} (0.9)^{13} (0.1)^1 \\ &\quad + {}^{14}C_{14} (0.9)^{14} (0.1)^0 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 91 (0.9)^{12} (0.1)^2 + 14 (0.9)^{13} (0.1)^1 + (0.9)^{14} (0.1)^0$$

$$= 0.2570 + 0.3559 + 0.2288$$

$$= 0.8417$$

Q.9 During a war, one ship out of 9 sunk on an average in making a certain journey. What is the probability that exactly 3 out of 6 ships will arrive safely.

$$\rightarrow q = \frac{1}{9} \quad p = \frac{8}{9} \quad n = 6$$

$$P(X=3) = {}^6C_3 \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^3 \left(\frac{1}{9}\right)^3$$

$$= 0.0193$$

Q. 10 In a sampling, the mean no. of defective bolts manufactured by machine in a sample of 20 is 2. Determine the expected no. of sample out of such 500 samples to contain at least 2 defective bolts.

→ $p = \frac{1}{10}, q = \frac{9}{10}, n = 20, N = 500$

At least 2 bolts defective.

$$\therefore P(X \geq 2) = 1 - P(X < 2)$$

$$P(X=0) = {}^{20}C_0 \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^0 \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{20}$$

$$= 0.1216$$

$$P(X=1) = {}^{20}C_1 \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^1 \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{19}$$

$$= \frac{20}{10} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^{19}$$

$$= 0.2702$$

$$P(X < 2) = 1 - (0.1216 + 0.2702)$$

$$= 1 - 0.3918$$

$$= 0.6082$$

$$500 \times 0.6082 = 304.100$$

$$\approx 300$$

ii) In a certain factory, producing cycle tyres, there is a small chance one in 500 for any tyre to be defective, the tyres are supplied in lots of 20. Calculate the approximate no. of lots containing no defective, one defective, 2 defective tyres, in a thousands of 20,000 tyres.

→ We will use poisson distribution.

$$p = \frac{1}{500} = 0.002, n = 20, N = 20,000$$

$$\lambda = np = 20 \times 0.002 = 0.04$$

$P(x)$ = probability of no. of defective tyres.

$$= \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

i) No defective:

$$P(x=0) = 0.9608$$

ii) One defective:

$$P(x=1) = 0.0384$$

iii) Two defective:

$$P(x=2) = 0.0008$$

$$\text{No. of lots} = \frac{20000}{20} = 1000$$

No. of lots containing no defective tyres

$$= 1000 \times 0.9608$$

$$= 960.8$$

$$= 961$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{No. of lots containing two defective tyres} \\
 &= 1000 \times 0.0008 \\
 &= 0.8 \\
 &\approx 1
 \end{aligned}$$

Q.12 A company has two cars which it hires out day by day. The number of demands for a car at each day is distributed as poisson variate with mean 1.5 calculate the number of days in year for which

- 1) neither car is in demand.
- 2) Demand is refused

→ $\lambda = np = 1.5$

$$P(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} = \frac{e^{-1.5} (1.5)^x}{x!}$$

i) $P(x=0) = \frac{e^{-1.5} (1.5)^0}{0!} = 0.2231$

ii) No. of days for year =

$$365 \times 0.2231 = 81 \quad \text{OR}$$

$$366 \times 0.2231 = 82$$

iii) $P(x \geq 2) = 1 - P(x \leq 1)$

$$= 1 - (P(x=0) + P(x=1) + P(x=2))$$

$$= 1 - (0.2231 + 0.3347 + 0.2510)$$

$$= 0.1912$$

$$\text{No. of days} = 365 \times 0.1912 \approx 70 \text{ days OR}$$

$$= 366 \times 0.1912 \approx 70 \text{ days}$$

Q.13 7 coins are tossed & the number of heads obtained are noted. The exp. is repeated 128 times. Following distribution is obtained.

x	No. of hands	Freq ⁿ	Expected = $N {}^n C_x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-x}$
0		7	1
1		6	7
2		19	21
3		35	35
4		30	35
5		23	21
6		7	7
7		1	1

Ans. (i)

i) if coin is unbiased

ii) Nature of coin is not known

→ i) $n=7$, $p=\frac{1}{2}$, $q=\frac{1}{2}$

$$P(x) = {}^n C_x (p)^x (q)^{n-x}$$

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

$$= 0.0078$$

$$0.0078 \times 128 = 1$$

$$P(x=1) = {}^7 C_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 = 0.0547$$

$$0.0547 \times 128 = 7$$

$$P(x=2) = 0.1641$$

$$128 \times 0.1641 = 21$$

$$P(x=3) = 0.2734$$

$$0.2734 \times 128 = 35$$

$$P(X=4) = 0.2734$$

$$0.2734 \times 128 = 35$$

$$P(X=5) = 0.1641$$

$$0.1641 \times 128 = 21$$

$$P(X=6) = 0.0547$$

$$128 \times 0.0547 = 7$$

$$P(X=7) = 0.0078$$

$$0.0078 \times 128 = 1$$

$$ii) \quad \bar{x} = \frac{\sum f_i x_i}{\sum f_i}$$

No. of heads	Freq	$x_i f_i$
0	7	0
1	6	6
2	19	38
3	35	105
4	30	120
5	23	115
6	7	42
7	1	7
$\sum f_i = 128$		$\sum f_i x_i = 433$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i f_i}{\sum f_i} = \frac{433}{128} = 3.3828$$

$$\text{mean} = np = 3.38 \quad 7p = 3.38$$

$$\therefore p = 0.48 = 12/25$$

Now the nature of coin is unknown
 we have $p=0.48$, $q=0.52$, $n=7$

$$P(X=0) = {}^7C_0 \left(\frac{12}{25}\right)^0 \left(\frac{13}{25}\right)^7$$

$$\approx 0.0103$$

$$N \times 0.0103 = 1.3159$$

$$N \times P(0) \approx 1$$

$$N \times P(X=1) = 128 \times 0.0664 \approx 9$$

$$N \times P(X=2) = 128 \times 0.1840 \approx 24$$

$$N \times P(X=3) = 128 \times 0.283 \approx 36$$

$$P(X=4) \times N = 0.283 \times 128 \approx 36$$

$$N \times P(X=5) = 128 \times 0.1447 = 18.52 \approx 19$$

$$N \times P(X=6) = 128 \times 0.0445 = 5.6985 \approx 6$$

$$N \times P(X=7) = 0.0059 \times 128 \approx 1$$

Heads	Expected
0	1
1	9
2	24
3	36
4	36
5	19
6	6
7	1

* Normal distribution

Probability curve -

Area under the curve betⁿ $x = \alpha$ & $x = \beta$ is $P(\alpha < x < \beta)$ & total area is 1.

$$P(\alpha < x < \beta) = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} f(x) dx = 1$$

$$y = f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-m}{\sigma} \right)^2}$$

$m \rightarrow$ mean $\sigma \rightarrow$ std deviation

Probability of continuous random variable lies betⁿ x_1 & x_2 is area under the curve betⁿ x_1 & x_2

$$P(x_1 \leq x \leq x_2) = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} y dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-m}{\sigma} \right)^2} dx$$

$$z = \frac{x-m}{\sigma}$$

$$dz = \frac{dx}{\sigma}$$

$$\therefore dx = \sigma dz$$

$$x = x_1 \quad z_1 = \frac{x_1 - m}{\sigma}$$

std normal curve :-

$$\mu = 0, \sigma = 1$$

$$x = z$$



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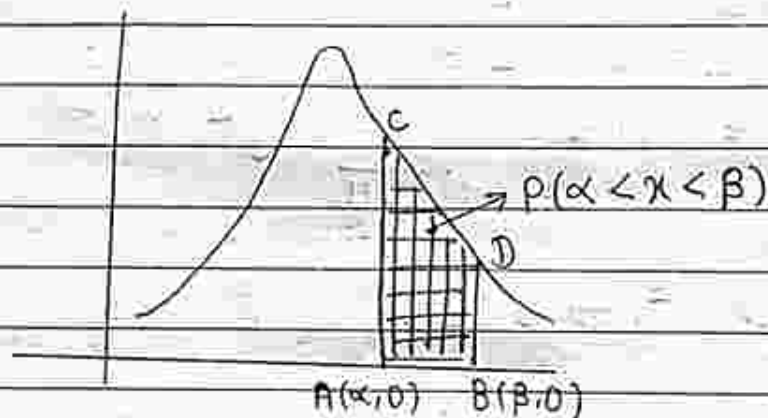
$$x = x_2 \quad z_2 = x_2 - \mu / \sigma$$

$$P(z_1 \leq z \leq z_2) = \int_{z_1}^{z_2} \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} z^2} \sigma dz$$

$$= \int_{z_1}^{z_2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} z^2} dz$$

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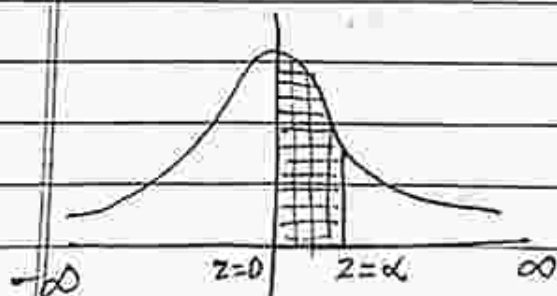
* Normal curve is bell shaped, symmetric about highest ordinate.



Total area under curve = 1

$$* P(x_1 \leq x \leq x_2) = P(z_1 \leq z \leq z_2)$$

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

$$P(-\infty < z < 0) = P(0 < x < \infty) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(0 < z < \alpha) = \text{shaded region}$$

* Standard normal curve -

Area from $z=0$ to $z=2$ is 0.4772

$z=0$ to $z=1$ is 0.3413

$z=0$ to $z=0.525$ is 0.2

$z=0$ to $z=1.28$ is 0.4

$z=0$ to $z=0.25$ is 0.1

$z=0$ to $z=0.52$ is 0.2

$z=0$ to $z=1.645$ is 0.45

$z=0$ to $z=0.5$ is 0.19

$z=0$ to $z=1.4$ is 0.42

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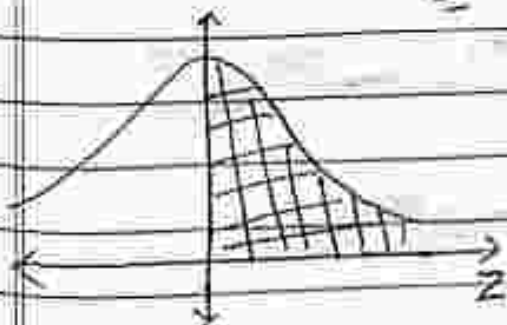
→ $m = 60$, $\sigma = 5$

$x \rightarrow$ marks

$$P(x > 60) = P\left(\frac{x-m}{\sigma} > \frac{60-m}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P(z > 0)$$

$$= 0.5$$



∴ 50% students got more than 60 marks.

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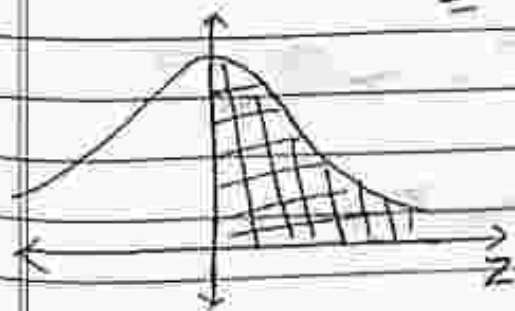
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$x \rightarrow$ marks

$$P(x > 60) = P\left(\frac{x-m}{\sigma} > \frac{60-m}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P(z > 0)$$

$$= 0.5$$



\therefore 50% students got more than 60 marks.

$$\text{ii) } P(45 \leq x \leq 60) = P\left(\frac{45-50}{5} \leq z \leq \frac{60-50}{5}\right)$$

$$= P(-1 \leq z \leq 2)$$

$$= P(-1 \leq z \leq 0) + P(0 \leq z \leq 2)$$

$$= 0.2413 + 0.4772$$

$$= 0.7185$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of students} = 4000 \times 0.7185$$

$$= 2874$$



Q.4 In an exam, given by 500 candidates if avg & SD of marks obtained are 40 & 10 respectively. Assuming the marks are distributed normally Find approximately

- 1) How many will pass if 50 is fixed as minimum
- 2) What should be min if 350 candidates are to pass

$\rightarrow x \rightarrow \text{marks}$

$$m = 40, \sigma = 10, N = 500$$

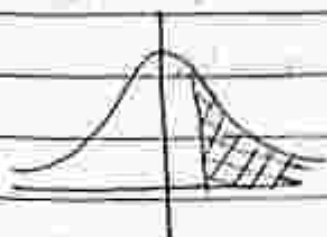
$$1) P(x \geq 50) = P(z \geq 1)$$

$$= 0.5 - (0 < z < 1)$$

$$= 0.5 - 0.2413$$

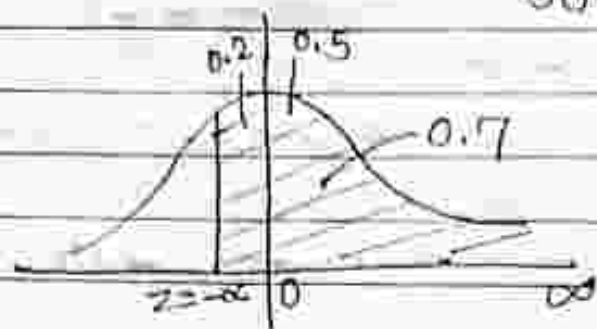
$$= 0.2587$$

$$\text{No. of students} = 500 \times 0.2587 = 129.35 \approx 129$$



ii) let x be minimum marks

$$P(\text{passing}) = \frac{350}{500} = 0.7$$



Area from $z = -\alpha$ to $z = \infty$ is 0.7

We know that,

Area from $z = 0$ to $z = \infty$ is 0.5

$z = -\alpha$ to $z = 0$ is 0.2

\therefore From given values,

$$\alpha = 0.525$$

$$z = -0.525 = \frac{x - 40}{10}$$

$$x = -5.25 + 40$$

$$x = 34.75$$

Q.5 Determine the min marks of students in order to get A grade if 10% students in order awarded A grade in an exam where mean & S.D. are 72 & 9 resp.

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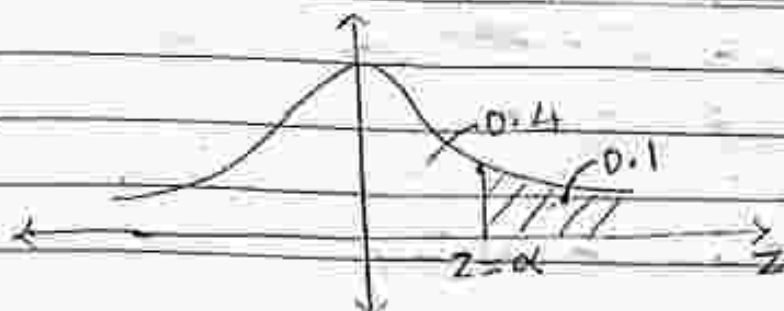
$x \rightarrow$ min marks

$$m = 72$$

$$\sigma = 9$$

10% students awarded A grade

$$P(\text{A grade}) = \frac{10}{100} = 0.1$$



$$P(\alpha < Z < \infty) = 0.1$$

$$P(0 < Z < \alpha) = 0.4$$

from given values $\alpha = 1.28$

$$Z = \frac{x - m}{\sigma}$$

$$\therefore x = 83.52$$

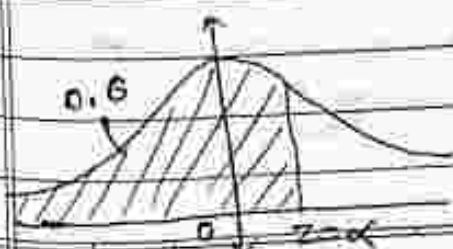
\therefore students need min 83.52 marks for A grade.

Q.6 When the mean of marks was 50% & s.d. 5%, the 60% students failed in an exam. Determine the grace marks to be avoided in order to show that 70% of the students passed, consider marks due are normally distributed.

$$\rightarrow m = 50/100 = 0.5, \quad \sigma = 5/100 = 0.05$$

let x be marks obtained by student.

Before grace marks were awarded, 60% students failed.



$$P(0 < Z < \alpha) = 0.1$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 0.25$$

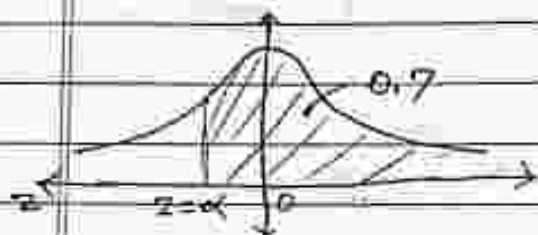
$$\alpha = \frac{x - m}{\sigma}$$

$$0.25 = x - 0.5 / 0.05$$

$$x = 0.5125$$

∴ minimum passing marks before grace is
 $0.5125 \times 100 = 51.25$

After grace, 70% students passed.



$$P(-\alpha < z < 0) = 0.2$$

$$\alpha = -0.525$$

$$\alpha = \frac{x - m}{\sigma}$$

$$-0.525 = x - 0.5 / 0.05$$

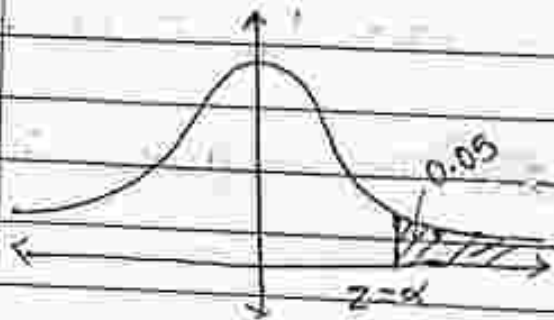
$$x = 0.4740$$

min marks after the grace = 47.40

$$\therefore \text{Grace marks} = 51.25 - 47.40 = 3.85$$

- Q.7 The income of 10,000 rupees persons is normally distributed with mean 520 Rs & σ 60 Rs. Find
- 1) lowest income of richest 500
 - 2) highest income of poorest 500

→ a) richest 500 means 5% of 10,000 = 0.05



area from

$z = 0$ to $z = \alpha$ is 0.45

$$\therefore \alpha = 1.645$$

$$\alpha = \frac{x - m}{\sigma}$$

$$1.645 = \frac{x - 520}{60}$$

$$x = 618.7$$

b) for poorest 500



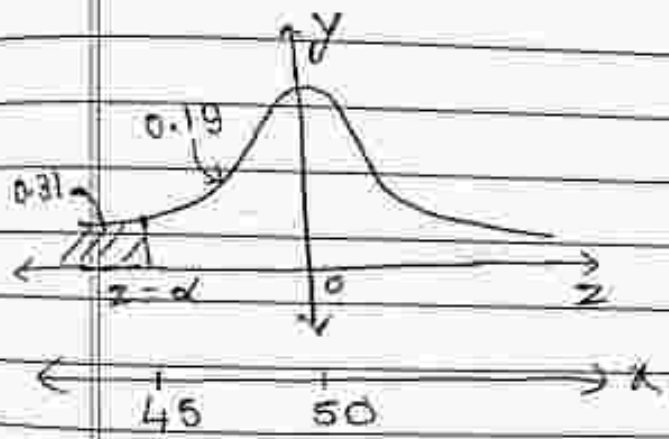
$$P(0 < z < \alpha) = 0.45$$

$$\alpha = -1.645$$

$$x = 421.3$$

Q.8 In a normal distribution, 31% items are under 45 & 8% are over 64 find mean & S.D.

→ 31% are under 45
0.31 are under 45



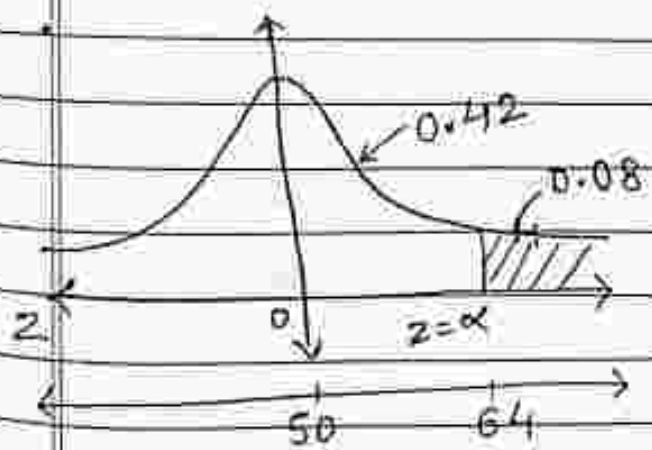
$$P(\alpha < z < 0) = 0.19$$

$$\therefore \alpha = -0.5$$

$$x = \alpha \sigma' + m$$

$$45 = -0.5 \times \sigma' + m$$

$$m = 45 + 0.5 \sigma'$$



$$P(0 < z < \alpha) = 0.42$$

$$\alpha = 1.4$$

$$\alpha = \frac{x - m}{\sigma'}$$

$$m = -1.4 \sigma' + 64$$

$$m = 45 + 0.5 \sigma'$$

$$m = 64 - 1.4 \sigma'$$

$$\sigma' = 10$$

$$m = 50$$

* Conditional Probability -

To obtain the probability of B when A has occurred already.

$$P(B/A)$$

$P(A) \rightarrow$ proportion of area of whole sample space taken up by A

$P(B/A) \rightarrow$ proportion of area of A taken up by B.

$$P(B/A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} \quad P(A) \neq 0$$

* Multiplication rule -

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

* Partition of the sample space -

A collection of mutually exclusive & exhaustive events is called partition of S.

$$(A \cup B = S)$$

ex. $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

$$A = \{1, 3, 5\}$$

$$B = \{2, 4, 6\}$$

i.e. $A = B^c$

$$A \cap B = \emptyset$$

$$A \cup B = S$$

* Bayes theorem -

Suppose events $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$ forms partition of a sample space of random experiment and B be any another event with $P(B) > 0$ defined on same sample space. Then probability of

$$P(A_i/B) = \frac{P(A_i) P(B/A_i)}{\sum_{j=1}^n P(A_j) P(B/A_j)}$$

..... (for $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$)

Q.1 Four cards are drawn at random from well shuffled pack of 52 cards. Find prob.

- i) Two cards are red & 2 are black
- ii) All cards of the different suit
- iii) all cards from same suit.
- iv) one is king

→ 1) $n(S) = {}^{54}C_4$
 $A \rightarrow$ two red two black
 $P(A) = \frac{{}^{26}C_2 \cdot {}^{26}C_2}{{}^{54}C_4}$
 $= 0.3902$

2) $B \rightarrow$ all cards diff. suit
 $n(B) = {}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1$

$$P(B) = \frac{{}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1 \cdot {}^{13}C_1}{{}^{54}C_4}$$

$$= 0.0106$$

$$= 0.1055$$

3) $c \rightarrow$ all cards from same suit

$$P(c) = \frac{n(c)}{n(s)} = \frac{{}^{13}C_4 + {}^{13}C_4 + {}^{13}C_4 + {}^{13}C_4}{{}^{52}C_4} = 0.0106$$

4) $D \rightarrow$ one is king

$$P(D) = \frac{n(D)}{n(s)} = \frac{{}^{48}C_3 \cdot {}^4C_1}{{}^{52}C_4} = 0.2556$$

Q2. If a pair of unbiased coins are used. Obtain the probability of occurrence of

- a) both heads b) single head
c) at least one head.

$$\rightarrow S = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\} \quad n(s) = 4$$

a) $A \rightarrow$ getting both heads

$$A = \{HH\} \quad n(A) = 1$$

$$P(A) = \frac{1}{4}$$

b) ~~B~~ getting single head

$$B = \{HT, TH\} \quad n(B) = 2$$

$$P(B) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

c) $C \rightarrow$ getting at least one head

$$C \rightarrow \{HH, TH, HT\}$$

$$n(C) = 3$$

$$P(C) = \frac{3}{4}$$

Q.3 A machine consists of two parts P_1 & P_2 . Probability of defect in P_1 is 0.08 & that in P_2 is 0.05. What is the probability that the assembled machine will not have any defect.

→ Event A → P_1 is free from defect
 Event B → P_2 is free from defect

$$P(A) = 1 - 0.08 = 0.92$$

$$P(B) = 1 - 0.05 = 0.95$$

Event C → machine not have any defect

$$P(C) = P(A \cap B)$$

$$= P(A) \cdot P(B)$$

$$= 0.92 \times 0.95$$

$$P(C) = 0.874$$

Q.4 The odds that A speaks truth are 5:3 & that of B are 8:3. In what % of cases are A & B likely to contradict each other on an identical point?

→ E_1 → A speaks truth
 E_2 → B speaks truth

$$P(E_1) = \frac{5}{5+3} = \frac{5}{8}, \quad P(E_1') = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$P(E_2) = \frac{8}{8+3} = \frac{8}{11}, \quad P(E_2') = \frac{3}{11}$$

They will contradict in the following cases

i) A speaks truth, B tells lie = $P(E_1 \cap E_2')$

$$P(E_1 \cap E_2') = P(E_1) - P(E_1 \cap E_2) + P(E_2)$$

$$= \frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{11}$$

ii) A speaks lie & B speaks truth = $P(E_1' \cap E_2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required probability} &= P(E_1 \cap E_2') + P(E_1' \cap E_2) \\ &= P(E_1)P(E_2') + P(E_1')P(E_2) \\ &= \frac{5}{8} \cdot \frac{3}{11} + \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{8}{11} \\ &= \frac{39}{88} \\ &= 0.4432 \end{aligned}$$

$$\% = 44.32$$

Q.5 A problem is given to 4 students A, B & C whose chances of solving the same are $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$ & $\frac{1}{4}$ resp. If all 3 students solve the problem independently. What is the prob. that the problem will be solved?

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \text{Req. prob.} &= 1 - (P(A') \cdot P(B') \cdot P(C')) \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \\ &= 0.75 \end{aligned}$$

OR

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) = \frac{3}{4}$$

Q.6 Pair of fair dice is rolled. If the sum of 8 has appeared. Find the probability that one of the dice shows 3.

$A \rightarrow$ 1 dice shows 3

$B \rightarrow$ sum of 8 has appeared

$$A = \{(1, 3), (2, 3), (3, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4), (3, 5), (3, 6), (4, 3), (5, 3), (6, 3)\}$$

$$B = \{(2, 6), (3, 5), (4, 4), (5, 3), (6, 2)\}$$

$$n(A \cap B) = 2$$

$$P(A/B) = \frac{n(A \cap B)}{n(B)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= 0.4$$

Q.7 A random experiment results in an integer outcome betⁿ 1 & 10 (both including). All numbers are equally likely. let A be event that odd no. occurs & B be event that no. is divisible by 3.

Obtain (1) $P(A/B)$ (2) $P(B/A)$ (3) $P(A'/B)$ (4) $P(A/B')$ (5) $P(A'/B')$

$$\rightarrow n(S) = 10$$

$A \rightarrow$ odd no. occurs

$$A = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$$

$$n(A) = 5$$

$B \rightarrow$ no. divisible by 3

$$B = \{3, 6, 9\}$$

$$n(B) = 3$$

$$n(A \cap B) = 2$$

$$n(A' \cap B) = 1$$

$$n(A \cap B') = 3$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$1) P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{2/10}{3/10} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$2) P(B/A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{2/10}{5/10} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$3) P(A'/B) = \frac{P(A' \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{1/10}{3/10} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$4) P(A/B') = \frac{P(A \cap B')}{P(B')} = \frac{3/10}{7/10} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$5) P(A'/B') = \frac{P(A' \cap B')}{P(B')} = \frac{4/10}{7/10} = \frac{4}{7}$$

Q.8 A card is drawn from an ordinary pack of 52 playing cards. What is prob. that it is a king given that it is face card.

→ A → card is king $n(A) = 4/52$

B → card is face $n(B) = 12/52$

$$P(A/B) = \frac{n(A \cap B)}{n(B)} = \frac{4}{12} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Q.9 The personnel development of company has 100 computers whose distribution is

Age (year)	B.E.	M.E.	Total
20 - 30	20	5	25
30 - 40	25	10	35
≥ 40	10	30	40
Total	55	45	100

- Q. 10 If an engineer is selected at random, find
- prob that he is only B.E.
 - prob that he has M.E. given that his age is beyond 40.
 - The prob that he is under 30 given that he has M.E. degree.

→ A - only B.E. B → only M.E.
 c → age beyond 40 D → age below 30

$$n(A) = 55$$

$$n(B) = 45$$

$$n(c) = 40$$

$$n(D) = 25$$

$$a) P(A) = 55/100 = 0.55$$

$$b) P(B/c) = \frac{P(B \cap c)}{P(c)} = \frac{30}{40} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$c) P(D/B) = \frac{P(B \cap D)}{P(B)} = \frac{5}{45} = \frac{1}{9}$$