

# AI1103 ASSIGNMENT 3

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## 1 QUESTION-GATE CS 2004 25

If a fair coin is tossed four times, what is the probability that two tails and two heads will result?

## 2 SOLUTION-GATE CS 2004 25

Given question is a binomial distribution in which no of trials  $n = 4$ .

Let's assume a trail is succeeded if the coin turns out to be head. Since it is a fair coin probability of success is  $p = 0.5$

Let  $X$  be the binomial random variable of this distribution. So  $X \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$ , 0 represents 0 heads, 1 represents 1 head, 2 represents 2 heads, 3 represents 3 heads and 4 represents 4 heads in 4 trails.

From binomial distribution,

$$\Pr(\mathbf{X=r}) = {}^nC_r p^r q^{n-r} \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$= {}^nC_r p^r (1 - p)^{n-r} \quad (2.0.2)$$

Probability of getting two heads and two trails will be,

$$\Pr(\mathbf{X=2}) = {}^4C_2 \times (0.5)^2 \times (1 - 0.5)^2 \quad (2.0.3)$$

$$= 6 \times \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \times \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} \quad (2.0.5)$$

$$= 0.375 \quad (2.0.6)$$

Hence, the required probability is 0.375.