

SESSION 8: Exploratory Data Analytics

Assignment 3

1. A recent national study showed that approximately 44.7% of college students have used Wikipedia as a source in at least one of their term papers. Let X equal the number of students in a random sample of size $n = 31$ who have used Wikipedia as a source.

Perform the below operations:

siz = 31 # size n = 31

pb = 44.7/100 # 44.7% of college students

#the above 2 variables are constant for the below operations

- A. Find the probability that X is equal to 17

Answer:

x = 17

dbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb)

Output:

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> x = 17
> dbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb)
[1] 0.07532248
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- B. Find the probability that X is at most 13

Answer:

x = 13

pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb)

Output:

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> x = 13
> pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb)
[1] 0.451357
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- C. Find the probability that X is bigger than 11.

Answer:

x = 11

pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F)

Output:

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> x = 11
> pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F)
[1] 0.8020339
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- D. Find the probability that X is at least 15.

Answer:

x = 15

pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F)

Output:

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> x = 15
> pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F)
[1] 0.2753716
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- E. Find the probability that X is between 16 and 19, inclusive

Answer:

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x = c(16:19) #X is between 16 and 19
sum(dbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb))
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#we can achieve the above same result by doing this below

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x = c(19,15)
diff(pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F))
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Output:

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> x = c(16:19) #X is between 16 and 19
> sum(dbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb))
[1] 0.2544758
>
> #we can achieve the above #E's same result by doing this below
> x = c(19,15)
> diff(pbinom(x,size = siz,prob = pb,lower.tail = F))
[1] 0.2544758
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