

1. (a) **Answer:**

The after trial distribution is:

$$f(x) = \text{Beta}(2 + 7, 2 + 2) = \text{Beta}(9, 4)$$

(b) **Answer:**

$$F_{\text{Beta}}(0.5) = 0.073$$

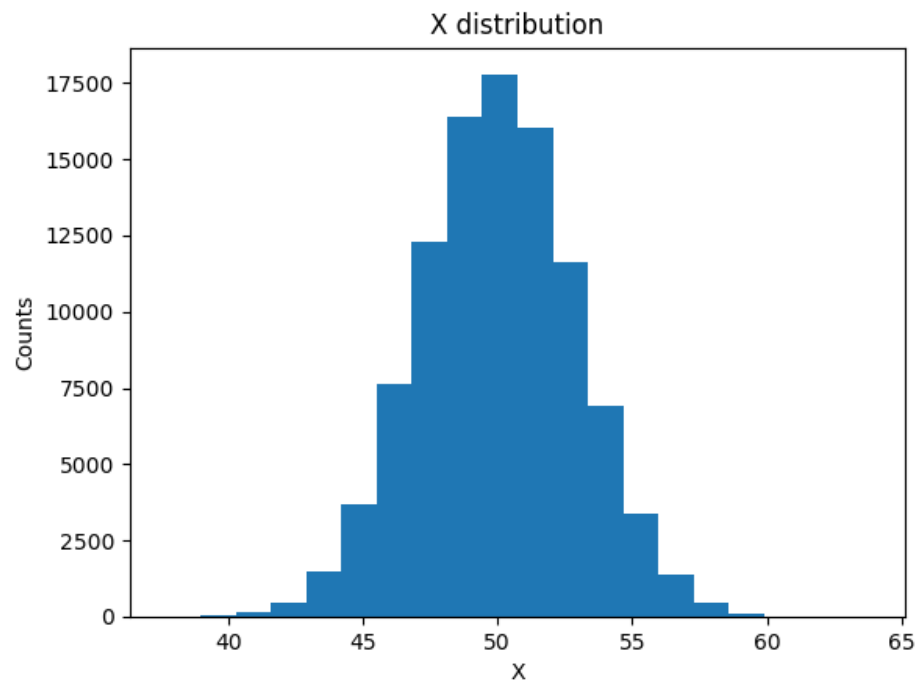
$$P(\text{drug having effect} \geq 0.5) = 1 - F_{\text{Beta}}(0.5) = 0.927$$

2. (a) **Answer:**

$$P(35 \leq X \leq 40) = 0.00022$$

$$P(40 \leq X \leq 45) = 0.04192$$

$$P(60 \leq X \leq 65) = 0.00022$$



(b) **Solution:**

From the simulation results, we can find

$$E[X] = 50.00$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = 8.336$$

Then we can use normal distribution to represent the distribution.

**Answer:**

$$X \sim N(50.00, 8.336)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi \cdot 8.336}} e^{-(x-50)^2 / (2 \times 8.336)}$$

(c) **Solution:**

$$P\{40 \leq X \leq 45\} = F(45) - F(40) = \Phi\left(\frac{45-50}{\sqrt{8.336}}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{40-50}{\sqrt{8.336}}\right)$$

$$\text{text}P\{40 \leq X \leq 45\} = \Phi\left(\frac{10}{2.89}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{5}{2.89}\right) = 0.9997 - 0.9582 = 0.0415$$

3. (a) **Answer:**

The expected amount of money that each person gives is

$$E[X] = 5.95$$

(b) **Answer:**

$$Var(X) = E[X^2] - (E[X])^2 = 23.19$$

(c) **Solution:**

$$E[n\bar{X}] = nE[X] = 5.95 \times 50 = 279.5$$

$$Var(n\bar{X}) = nVar(X) = 1159.5$$

**Answer:**

$$\sum_{i=1}^{50} X_i \sim N(279.5, 1159.5)$$

(d) **Answer:**

$$Y = \sum_{i=1}^{50} X_i$$

$$P\{Y \geq 350\} = 1 - P\{Y < 350\} = 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{350-279.5}{\sqrt{1159.5}}\right) = 1 - 0.9808 = 0.02$$

4. **Solution:**

$$Cov(X, Y) = Cov(X, X^2) = E[X^3] - E[X]E[X^2]$$

$$E[X^3] = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{i=1}^6 i^3 = 73.5$$

$$E[X^2] = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{i=1}^6 i^2 = 15.17$$

$$E[X] = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{i=1}^6 i = 3.5$$

**Answer:**

$$Cov(X, Y) = 20.65$$

5. **Answer:**

$$2X + Y \sim N(2 + 1, 2 \times 2 + 2)$$

$$2X + Y \sim N(3, 6)$$

6. (a) **Answer:**

Let X be the true distance of the satellite

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(x-98)^2/32}$$

(b) **Answer:**

Let Y be the measured distance

$$f_{Y|X}(y = 100|x = t) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(100-t)^2/8}$$

(c) **Solution:**

Let X' be the posterior belief of the true distance of satellite

$$f_{XY}(x, y = 100) = f_{Y|X}(y = 100|x)f_X(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(100-x)^2/8} \times \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-(x-98)^2/32}$$

$$f_{X'}(x') = f_{X|Y}(x = x'|y = 100) = \frac{f_{XY}(y = 100, x = x')}{f_Y(y = 100)} = \frac{f_{XY}(x = x', y = 100)}{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_{XY}(y = 100)dx}$$

Let

$$C = \frac{1}{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_{XY}(x, y=100) dx}$$

**Answer:**

$$f_{X'}(x') = C \frac{1}{16\pi^2} e^{-\frac{(4(100-x')^2 + (x'-98)^2)}{32}}$$

7. (a) **Solution:**

Let  $X_n$  be the total value of  $n$  rolling before any value  $\geq 3$  is rolled

$$E[X] = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} E[X_i] + 4.5$$

Let  $Y$  be the value when for each rolling when value  $< 3$

$$E[Z] = 1.5$$

$$E[X_i] = (\frac{1}{3})^i (iE[Z]) = 1.5i(\frac{1}{3})^i$$

**Answer:**

$$E[X] = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 1.5i(\frac{1}{3})^i + 4.5 = 1.5 \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{(1-\frac{1}{3})^2} + 4.5 = 5.625$$

(b) **Answer:**

$$E[Y] = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} i(\frac{1}{3})^i + 1 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{(1-\frac{1}{3})^2} + 1 = 1.75$$

8. **Solution:**

$$E[Y^2] = E[Y^2|X=1]P(X=1) + E[Y^2|X=2]P(X=2) + E[Y^2|X=3]P(X=3)$$

$$E[Y^2] = E[3^2]\frac{1}{3} + E[(Y+5)^2]\frac{1}{3} + E[(Y+7)^2]\frac{1}{3}$$

$$3E[Y^2] = 9 + E[Y^2] + 10E[Y] + 25 + E[Y^2] + 14E[Y] + 49$$

$$E[Y^2] = 443$$

**Answer:**

$$Var(Y) = E[Y^2] - E[Y]^2 = 443 - 225 = 218$$

9. (a) **Solution:**

$$E[n\bar{A}] = n\mu_A = 20 \times 50 = 1000$$

$$Var(n\bar{A}) = n^2 \frac{\sigma_A^2}{n} = n\sigma_A^2 = 2000$$

$$P(n\bar{A} < 950) = \Phi\left(\frac{950-1000}{\sqrt{2000}}\right) = 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{50}{44.72}\right) = 1 - 0.8686$$

$$P(n\bar{A} < 950) = 0.1314$$

(b)  $E[n\bar{B}] = n\mu_B = 20 \times 52 = 1040$

$$Var(n\bar{B}) = n^2 \frac{\sigma_B^2}{n} = n\sigma_B^2 = 4000$$

$$P(n\bar{B} < 950) = \Phi\left(\frac{950-1040}{\sqrt{4000}}\right) = 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{90}{63.25}\right) = 1 - 0.9207$$

$$P(n\bar{B} < 950) = 0.0793$$

(c) Let  $C = A - B$

$$E[n\bar{C}] = n\mu_C = \mu_A - \mu_B = -40$$

$$Var(n\bar{C}) = n\sigma_C^2 = n(\sigma_A^2 + \sigma_B^2) = 6000$$

**Answer:**

$$P(C < 0) = F_C(0) = \Phi\left(\frac{0-(-40)}{\sqrt{6000}}\right) = 0.6985$$

10. **Solution:**

$$\text{Let } Y = \sum_{i=1}^{79} X_i$$

$$E[Y] = 79E[X] = 79 \times 3.5 = 276.5$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = 79\text{Var}(X)$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[X^2] - E[X]^2 = 2.92$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = 230.68$$

$$Y \sim N(276.5, 230.68)$$

When the first 79 rolls have sum lower than 300, at least 80 rolls are necessary to reach a sum that exceeds 300.

$$P(Y \leq 299.5) = F_Y(299.5) = \Phi\left(\frac{299.5-276.5}{\sqrt{230.68}}\right)$$

**Answer:**

$$P(Y \leq 299.5) = 0.9332$$

11. (a) **Answer:**

$$P(X \geq 85) \leq \frac{E[X]}{85} = 0.882$$

(b) **Solution:**

$$P(65 \leq X \leq 85) > P(|X - 75| < 10) = 1 - P(|X - 75| \geq 10)$$

$$P(|X - 75| \geq 10) \leq \frac{\text{Var}(X)}{10^2} = 0.25$$

$$0.75 \leq 1 - P(|X - 75| \geq 10) < P(65 \leq X \leq 85)$$

**Answer:**

$$P(65 \leq X \leq 85) > 0.75$$

(c) **Solution:**

Let  $Y = \bar{X}$

$$E[Y] = E[X] = 75$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = \frac{\text{Var}(X)}{n} = \frac{25}{n} \quad P(|Y - 75| \geq 5) \leq \frac{\text{Var}(Y)}{5^2} = \frac{25}{n} \leq 0.1$$

**Answer:**

$$\frac{1}{n} \leq 0.1$$

The number of students would have to take the midterm in order to ensure 90% probability that the class average would be within 5 of 75 is

$$n \geq 10$$

(d) **Solution:**

$$P(-5 \leq \bar{X} - E[X] \leq 5) = \Phi\left(\frac{5}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-5}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}\right) = 2\Phi\left(\frac{5}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}\right) - 1 \geq 0.9$$

$$\Phi(\sqrt{n}) > 0.95 \quad \sqrt{n} > 1.65$$

**Answer:**

The number of students would have to take the midterm in order to ensure 90% probability that the class average would be within 5 of 75 is

$$n = 3 > 2.72$$