

1. (a)  $P(\text{ripe}) = p = 0.9$

$$\begin{aligned} P(18 \text{ ripe}) &= \binom{n}{r} p^r q^{n-r} = \binom{18}{18} (0.9)^{18} (1-0.9)^{18-18} \\ &= (1) (0.9)^{18} (1) \\ &= 0.1501 \end{aligned}$$

(b) (i) it is a binomial distribution

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mean} &= np \\ &= (20)(0.2) = 4 \end{aligned}$$

(b) (ii) variance,  $\sigma^2 = npq$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (20)(0.2)(1-0.2) \\ &= \frac{16}{5} \\ &= 3.2 \end{aligned}$$

1. (c) Geometric Distribution

$$P(\text{hit target}) = p = 0.95$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{miss target}) &= q = 1 - 0.95 \\ &= 0.05 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(x=15) &= (p)^{x-1} (q) \\ &= (0.95)^{14} (0.05) \\ &= 0.02438 \end{aligned}$$

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2.	Age group (years)	Number
	0-19	60
	20-39	150
	40-49	300
	50-59	580
	60-69	678
	70-79	1288
	80 and above	1378
	Total	4434

$$2. (a) P(\text{in the age of 50s}) = \frac{580}{4434}$$

$$= 0.1308$$

$$(b) P(\text{less than 50 years old}) = P(0-19) + P(20-39) + P(40-49)$$

$$= \frac{60}{4434} + \frac{150}{4434} + \frac{300}{4434}$$

$$= \frac{510}{4434}$$

$$= 0.1150$$

$$(c) P(\text{inclusive between 40 and 69 years old}) = P(40-49) + P(50-59) + P(60-69)$$

$$= \frac{300}{4434} + \frac{580}{4434} + \frac{678}{4434}$$

$$= \frac{1558}{4434} = 0.3514$$

$$(d) P(\text{at least 70 years}) = P(70-79) + P(80 \text{ and above})$$

$$= \frac{1288}{4434} + \frac{1378}{4434}$$

$$= \frac{2666}{4434} = 0.6013$$

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$$3. (a) p = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= 0.6$$

$$P(X=6) = {}^{10}C_6 (0.6)^6 (1-0.6)^{10-6}$$

$$= 0.2508$$

$$(b) P(X \leq 9) = 1 - P(X=9) - P(X=10)$$

$$= 1 - {}^{10}C_9 (0.6)^9 (0.4)^1 - {}^{10}C_{10} (0.6)^{10} (0.4)^0$$

$$= 1 - 0.0403 - 0.0006$$

$$= 0.9537$$

$$(c) P(X=4) = (1-0.6)^3 (0.6)^1$$

$$= 0.0384$$

$$4. (a) \mu = 25, \sigma = 6$$

$$(a) (i) P(X < 10) = P\left(Z < \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P\left(Z < \frac{10 - 25}{6}\right)$$

$$= P(Z < -2.5)$$

$$= P(Z > 2.5)$$

$$= 0.00621$$

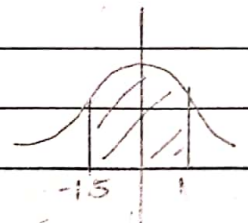
$$(a) (ii) P(16 \leq X \leq 31) = P\left(\frac{16 - 25}{6} \leq Z \leq \frac{31 - 25}{6}\right)$$

$$= P(-1.5 \leq Z \leq 1)$$

$$= 1 - P(Z > 1) - P(Z > 1.5)$$

$$= 1 - 0.1587 - 0.0668$$

$$= 0.7745$$



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$$4.(a)(iii) \quad P(Z \geq a) = 0.33$$

$$a = 0.44$$

$$\times \frac{-25}{6} = 0.44$$

$$x = 27.64$$

4.(b)(i) uniformly distributed

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \quad \text{for } a \leq x \leq b$$

$$= \frac{1}{20-14} \quad \text{for } 14 \leq x \leq 20$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \quad \text{for } 14 \leq x \leq 20$$

(b)(ii)  $P(x \geq 15)$

$$= (20-15)(f(x))$$

$$= (5)\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)$$

$$= \frac{5}{6}$$

5.(a) (a) binomial random variable.

$$(b) \quad P = {}^{12}C_4 (0.6)^4 (0.4)^{12-4} \quad p = 0.6 \text{ (laptop)}, q = 0.4 \text{ (desktop)}$$

$$= 0.04204$$

$$(c) \quad P(X=4) + P(X=5) + P(X=6) + P(X=7)$$

$$= ({}^{12}C_4 \times (0.6)^4 \times (0.4)^8) + ({}^{12}C_5 \times (0.6)^5 \times (0.4)^7)$$

$$+ ({}^{12}C_6 \times (0.6)^6 \times (0.4)^6) + ({}^{12}C_7 \times (0.6)^7 \times (0.4)^5)$$

$$= 0.5465$$

$$(d) \quad P(X=10 \text{ laptop}) = P(X=10) \quad p = 0.6 \text{ (laptop)}, q = 0.4 \text{ (desktop)}$$

$$= ({}^{12}C_{10}) \times (0.6)^{10} \times (0.4)^2$$

$$= 0.06385$$

(b) (a)  $x$  representing the amount of account that are audited before an account in error is faced

$$(b) \quad P(X=5) = (1-p)^{n-1} (p)$$

$$= (1-0.03)^{5-1} (0.03)$$

$$= (0.97)^4 (0.03)$$

$$= 0.0266$$

$$(c) \quad P(X \leq 5) = P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3) + P(X=4) + P(X=5)$$

$$= (1-0.03)^{1-1} (0.03) + (1-0.03)^{2-1} (0.03)$$

$$+ (1-0.03)^{3-1} (0.03) + (1-0.03)^{4-1} (0.03)$$

$$+ (1-0.03)^{5-1} (0.03)$$

$$= 0.03 + 0.0291 + 0.0282 + 0.0274 + 0.0266$$

$$= 0.1413.$$

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$$6. \text{Mean} = 20, \sigma = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad P(X > 24) &= P\left(Z > \frac{24 - 20}{2}\right) \\ &= P(Z > 2) \\ &= 0.0228 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \quad P(X > 27) &= P\left(Z > \frac{27 - 20}{2}\right) \\ &= P(Z > 3.5) \\ &= 0.00023 \end{aligned}$$