

HW#7

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2. a) discrete distribution
 b) $x=2 \quad P(x=2)=(1/3)^{2-1} \cdot (2/3)=2/9$
 $x=0 \quad P(x=0)=0$
 c) $P(x \leq 2)=P(x=1)+P(x=2)+0=2/3+2/9=8/9$
 d) $P(x \geq 3)=1-P(x=1)-P(x=2)=1-8/9=1/9$
 e) False. $P(x > 3)=1-P(x=1)-P(x=2)-P(x=3)=1-8/9-2/27=1/27$
 f)

x	1	2	3	4.....
P(x)	2/3	2/9	2/27	2/81
		

3. a) $x=0,1,2$

b)

x	0	1	2
P(x)	1/4	1/2	1/4

d) Four balls. One ball is "0" , two balls "2" , one ball "2" .

Repeat drawing one ball, write down the numbers of "0","1","2", divided by the total times to get the experimental $P(x=0)$, $P(x=1)$, $P(x=2)$.

OR, you can put one "0" ball and one "1" ball. A single simulation consists of drawing two balls with replacement and adding the numbers. Record this total, and repeat many times.

4. a) actual & discrete

b) using Table B.3. 01-25 success (subscriber)
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2. a) $1/4$

b) fix number $n=5$; correct/wrong; $P=1/4$ for all trials; independent;
 c) $P(\text{first right AND second right AND...AND fifth right}) = (1/4) * (1/4) * (1/4) * (1/4) * (1/4) = 0.000976562$

3. a) RRWWWW (Probability = $(1/4) * (1/4) * (3/4) * (3/4) * (3/4) = .0264672$)
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b) Sum the above probabilities = $10 * 0.0264672 = .264672$

6.. $E(x)=np$

$SD \text{ of } x=(n*p*(1-p))^{0.5}$

a) $E(x)=10*0.9=9$
 $SD=\sqrt{(10*0.9*0.1)}=0.95$

b) $E=7.7 \quad SD=2.24$

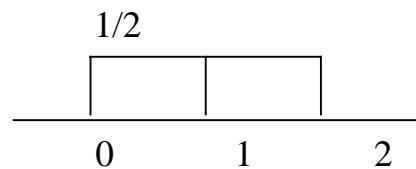
c) $E=1.68 \quad SD=1.22$

d) $E=3.29 \quad SD=1.32$

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2. a) $E(U)=(\text{low value} + \text{high value})/2=1$

$SD \text{ of } U=(\text{high-low})/\sqrt{12}=\sqrt{3}/3=0.577$



b) $P(x<1)=1*(1/2)=1/2$

$P(x<0.5)=1/4$

3. a) $E=0.5/2=0.25 \quad SD=0.149$

b) $E=-0.125 \quad SD=0.794$

c) $E=6.875 \quad SD=0.36$

d) $E=16.95 \quad SD=1.93$

4. a) values lie in an interval and equally likely

b) mean=4.5 $\quad SD=2.598$

7. a) Hard to say without more information. Certainly a continuous distribution is better than a discrete since water levels rise and fall continuously. But a uniform model seems pushing it, since probably certain flood levels occur more often than others.
- b) i. $P=(33-24)*(1/22)=9/22$
ii $P=(16-11)*(1/22)=5/22$
iii $P=1-(9/22)-(5/22)=4/11$ or $P=(24-16)*(1/22)=4/11$

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1. mean +/- 1SD or 2SD
- a) $[5-1.5, 5+1.5] \rightarrow 68\% \text{ in } [3.5, 6.5]$
b) $[5-3, 5+3] \rightarrow 95\% \text{ in } [2, 8]$
- 4.. a) $P(x < 10) = 0.5$
b) $P(x > 10) = 0.5$
c) $P(8 < x < 10) = 0.34$
d) $P(6 < x < 12) = 0.68 + 0.135 = 0.815$
7. a) $(3.234 - 3)/2 = 0.117$
b) $(5.193 - 3)/2 = 1.0965$

Section 9.8 P.468

1. a). $P(z < 1.96) = 0.975$
 $P(z < -1.96) = 0.025$
 $P(z < 1.0) = 0.8413$
6. a) $P(Z > z) = 0.95$
 $P(Z < z) = 0.05$
 $\Rightarrow z = -1.645$
b) $P(Z > z) = 0.90$
 $P(Z < z) = 0.10$
 $\Rightarrow z = -1.28$
c) $P(Z > z) = 0.99$
 $P(Z < z) = 0.01$
 $\Rightarrow z = -2.33$
11. a) $P(z < -a) = (1 - 0.95)/2 = 0.025$

- $a = -1.96 \Rightarrow a = 1.96$
- b) $P(z < -a) = (1 - 0.9)/2 = 0.05$
 $-a = -1.645 \Rightarrow a = 1.645$
- c) $P(z < -a) = (1 - 0.2)/2 = 0.4$
 $-a = -0.25 \Rightarrow a = 0.25$

Section 9.9 P473

1. $\mu = 70 \quad \sigma = 3.1$

a) $P(x < 68) = P(Z < (68 - 70)/3.1)$
 $= P(Z < -0.65)$
 $= 0.2578$

b) $P(x > 73.5) = 1 - P(x < 73.5)$
 $= 1 - P(Z < (73.5 - 70)/3.1)$
 $= 1 - P(Z < 1.13)$
 $= 1 - 0.8708$
 $= 0.1292$

c) $P(Z < z) = 0.31$
 $\Rightarrow z = -0.5$
 $\Rightarrow (x - 70)/3.1 = -0.5 \Rightarrow x = 68.45$

$P(Z > z) = 0.69 \Rightarrow 1 - P(Z < z) = 0.69 \Rightarrow P(Z < z) = 0.31$ so, same result as above.

2. $\mu = 41$ pounds $\sigma = 4$ ounces = 0.25 pound

$$P(x < 40) = P(Z < (40 - 41)/0.25) = P(Z < -4) = 0.000032$$

$$30,000,000 * 0.000032 = 96$$

3.. $P(Z > 2.5) = 1 - P(Z < 2.5) = 1 - 0.9938 = 0.0062 = 0.62\%$

$$p(Z < -2.5) = 0.0062$$

4.. $P(Z > (5.325 - 5.29)/0.01) = P(Z > 3.5) = 1 - P(Z < 3.5) = 0$
 $P(Z < (5.275 - 5.29)/0.01) = P(Z < -1.5) = 0.0668 = 6.68\%$

5.. $P(Z < (x - 52)/6) = 0.85$
 $\Rightarrow Z = 1.4 = (x - 52)/6 \Rightarrow x = 60.4$
 $P(Z < (x - 52)/6) = 0.15$
 $\Rightarrow Z = -1.4 = (x - 52)/6 \Rightarrow x = 43.6$

$$7. \mu=85 \quad \sigma=2.5$$

$$P(x>90)=1-P(x<90)$$

$$=1-P(Z<(90-85)/2.5)=1-P(Z<2)=1-0.9772=0.0228$$

$$P(X<78)=P(Z<(78-85)/2.5)=P(Z<-2.8)=0.0026$$

$$P(82 < X < 87) = P(X < 87) - P(X < 82)$$

$$=P(Z<(87-85)/2.5)-P(Z<(82-85)/2.5)$$

$$=P(Z<0.8)-P(Z<-1.2)$$

$$=0.7881-0.1151=0.673=67.3\%$$

$$10. . \mu=2.75 \quad \sigma=0.1$$

$$a). P(Z<(2.5-2.75)/0.1)=P(Z<-2.5)=0.0062$$

$$b) 0.0062 * 1000=6.2$$