

MA222 – HW3

Ex. 50 / Pg. 114

$$X \sim \text{Bin}(25, .25)$$

a. $P(X \leq 6) = B(6; 25, .25) = .561$

b. $P(X = 6) = b(6; 25, .25) = .183$

c. $P(X \leq 6) = 1 - P(X \leq 5) = 1 - B(5; 25, .25) = .622$

d. $P(X > 6) = 1 - P(X \leq 6) = 1 - .561 = .439$

Ex. 51 / Pg. 114

a. $E(X) = np = 25(.25) = 6.25$

b. $\text{Var}(X) = np(1-p) = 25(.25)(.75) = 4.6875$, so $\text{SD}(X) = 2.165$

c. $P(X > 6.25 + 2(2.165)) = P(X > 10.58) = 1 - P(X \leq 10.58) = 1 - P(X \leq 10) = 1 - B(10; 25, .25) = .030$

Ex. 54 / Pg. 114

$$X \sim \text{Bin}(10, .60)$$

a) $P(X \geq 6) = 1 - P(X \leq 5) = 1 - B(5; 10, .60) = 1 - .367 = .633$

b) $E(X) = np = (10)(.6) = 6$; $V(X) = np(1-p) = (10)(.6)(.4) = 2.4$;
 $\sigma_x = 1.55$

$$E(X) \pm \sigma_x = (4.45, 7.55).$$

$$\text{We desire } P(5 \leq X \leq 7) = P(X \leq 7) - P(X \leq 4) = .833 - .166 = .667$$

c) $P(3 \leq X \leq 7) = P(X \leq 7) - P(X \leq 2) = .833 - .012 = .821$

Ex. 69 / Pg. 120

2. $X \sim h(x; 6, 12, 7)$

a.
$$P(X=5) = \frac{\binom{7}{5} \binom{5}{1}}{\binom{12}{6}} = \frac{105}{924} = .114$$

b. $P(X \leq 4) = 1 - P(X \geq 5) = 1 - [P(X=5) + P(X=6)] =$

$$1 - \left[\frac{\binom{7}{5} \binom{5}{1}}{\binom{12}{6}} + \frac{\binom{7}{6} \binom{5}{0}}{\binom{12}{6}} \right] = 1 - \frac{105 + 7}{924} = 1 - .121 = .879$$

c. $E(X) = \left(\frac{6 \cdot 7}{12}\right) = 3.5$; $\sigma = \sqrt{\left(\frac{6}{11}\right)\left(6\right)\left(\frac{7}{12}\right)\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)} = \sqrt{.795} = .892$ $P(X > 3.5 +$
 $.892) = P(X > 4.392) = P(X \cdot 5) = .121$ (see part b)

- d. We can approximate the hypergeometric distribution with the binomial if the population size and the number of successes are large: $h(x; 15, 40, 400)$ approaches $b(x; 15, .10)$. So $P(X \cdot 5) \approx B(5; 15, .10)$ from the binomial tables = .998

Ex. 75 / Pg. 121

- a. With S = a female child and F = a male child, let X = the number of F's before the 2nd S. Then $P(X = x) = nb(x; 2, .5)$
- b. $P(\text{exactly 4 children}) = P(\text{exactly 2 males})$
 $= nb(2; 2, .5) = (3)(.0625) = .188$
- c. $P(\text{at most 4 children}) = P(X \leq 2)$
 $= \sum_{x=0}^2 nb(x; 2, .5) = .25 + 2(.25)(.5) + 3(.0625) = .688$
- d. $E(X) = \frac{(2)(.5)}{.5} = 2$, so the expected number of children = $E(X + 2)$
 $= E(X) + 2 = 4$

Ex. 82 / Pg. 125

- a. $P(X = 1) = F(1; .2) - F(0; .2) = .982 - .819 = .163$
- b. $P(X \geq 2) = 1 - P(X \leq 1) = 1 - F(1; .2) = 1 - .982 = .018$
- c. $P(1^{\text{st}} \text{ doesn't} \cap 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ doesn't}) = P(1^{\text{st}} \text{ doesn't}) \cdot P(2^{\text{nd}} \text{ doesn't})$
 $= (.819)(.819) = .671$

Ex. 100 / Pg. 127 (BONUS)

- a. $P(X \geq 5) = 1 - B(4; 25, .05) = .007$
- b. $P(X \geq 5) = 1 - B(4; 25, .10) = .098$
- c. $P(X \geq 5) = 1 - B(4; 25, .20) = .579$
- d. All would decrease, which is bad if the % defective is large and good if the % is small.