

Solution. Fourth tutorial session.

Q.1) win: W
Loss: L

Based on question: $\begin{cases} P(W) = \frac{18}{38} \\ P(L) = \frac{20}{38} \end{cases}$

- ① $W \rightarrow X = 1\$$
- ② $L, W, W \rightarrow X = 1\$$
- ③ L, W, L
- ④ L, L, W } $\rightarrow X = -1\$$
- ⑤ $L, L, L \rightarrow X = -3\$$

a) $P(X > 0) = P(X = 1) = \frac{18}{38} + \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{18}{38} = \frac{18}{38}$

b) $E(X) = \sum xP(x)$

$$P(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{18}{38} + \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{18}{38} \cdot \frac{18}{38} & ; x = 1 \\ \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{18}{38} \cdot \frac{20}{38} + \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{20}{38} & ; x = -1 \\ \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{20}{38} \cdot \frac{20}{38} & ; x = -3 \end{cases}$$

$$E(X) = (1) \cdot P(X=1) + (-1) P(X=-1) + (-3) P(X=-3) = \dots$$

Q2) a) we must have: $\sum_k P(X=k) = 1 \rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^4 a \cdot k \cdot 2^{-(k-1)} = a + a + \frac{3}{4}a + \frac{a}{2} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow P(X=k) = \frac{4}{13} \cdot k \cdot 2^{-(k-1)}, \quad k = 1, 2, 3, 4$$

b) $\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - (E(X))^2$

continued:

$$E(X) = \sum_{k=1}^4 x P(X=x) = (1)P(X=1) + (2)P(X=2) + (3)P(X=3) + (4)P(X=4) \\ = (1)\left(\frac{4}{13}\right) + (2)\left(\frac{4}{13}\right) + (3)\left(\frac{3}{13}\right) + (4)\left(\frac{2}{13}\right) = \textcircled{A}$$

$$E(X^2) = \sum_{k=1}^4 x^2 P(X=x) = (1)^2 P(X=1) + (2)^2 P(X=2) + (3)^2 P(X=3) + (4)^2 P(X=4) = \textcircled{B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(X) = B - A^2 = \dots$$

$$c) E(g(x)) = \sum g(x) P(g(x))$$

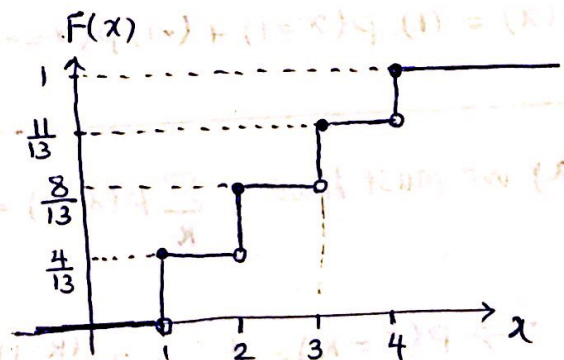
$$\Rightarrow E(x \log_2 x) = \sum_{k=1}^4 x \log_2 x P(X=x) =$$

$$(1 \log_2 1)\left(\frac{4}{13}\right) + (2 \log_2 2)\left(\frac{4}{13}\right) + (3 \log_2 3)\left(\frac{3}{13}\right) + (4 \log_2 4)\left(\frac{2}{13}\right)$$

$$d) F(1) = P(X \leq 1) = P(X=1), \quad F(2) = P(X \leq 2) = P(X=1) + P(X=2)$$

$$F(3) = P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3), \quad F(4) = P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3) + P(X=4)$$

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; x < 1 \\ \frac{4}{13} & ; 1 \leq x < 2 \\ \frac{8}{13} & ; 2 \leq x < 3 \\ \frac{11}{13} & ; 3 \leq x < 4 \\ 1 & ; x \geq 4 \end{cases}$$



f) By definition: $F(z) = P(Z \leq z) = P(2X+3 \leq z) = P(X \leq \frac{z-3}{2})$

from the previous part we know that the boundary should be defined as: $0 < 1, 1 \leq 0 < 2, 2 \leq 0 < 3, 3 \leq 0 < 4, 0 \geq 4$

therefore:

$$F(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \quad \frac{z-3}{2} < 1 \rightarrow z < 5 \\ \frac{4}{13} & ; \quad 1 \leq \frac{z-3}{2} < 2 \rightarrow 5 \leq z < 7 \\ \frac{8}{13} & ; \quad 2 \leq \frac{z-3}{2} < 3 \rightarrow 7 \leq z < 9 \\ \frac{11}{13} & ; \quad 3 \leq \frac{z-3}{2} < 4 \rightarrow 9 \leq z < 11 \\ 1 & ; \quad \frac{z-3}{2} \geq 4 \rightarrow z \geq 11 \end{cases}$$

Q3)

a) $X =$ The amount you win. Therefore: $\begin{cases} x = 1.10 \$ \\ x = -1 \$ \end{cases}$

$$P(X = 1.10) = \frac{\binom{5}{2} + \binom{7}{2}}{\binom{12}{2}} = \frac{31}{66}$$

$$P(X = -1) = \frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{7}{1}}{\binom{12}{2}} = \frac{35}{66}$$

$$E(x) = (1.10) \left(\frac{31}{66} \right) + (-1) \left(\frac{35}{66} \right)$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = E(x^2) - (E(x))^2 = \left[(1.10)^2 \left(\frac{31}{66} \right) + (-1)^2 \left(\frac{35}{66} \right) \right] - \left[(1.10) \left(\frac{31}{66} \right) + (-1) \left(\frac{35}{66} \right) \right]^2$$

Q④. This question was selected to testify the fact that:

when n is large enough.

p is small enough.

np is moderate number

binomial distribution $\approx$ poisson distribution

with parameter $\lambda = np$.

• using binomial distribution: $P = \binom{10}{0} (0.1)^0 (0.9)^{10} + \binom{10}{1} (0.1)^1 (0.9)^9 \approx 0.7361$

$$\lambda = np = (10)(0.1) = 1.$$

using poisson:
$$e^{-1} \frac{(1)^0}{0!} + e^{-1} \frac{(1)^1}{1!} = e^{-1} + e^{-1} \approx 0.7358$$

* so as you see $0.7361 \approx 0.7358$.

Q5). $N \rightarrow$ random variable determining the expected number of games before a win (by A or B)

$P(N=1) = 0$; because at least we need two wins.

$P(N=2) = p^2 + q^2$; where $q = 1 - p$. because either A or B successively should win the game. For A $\rightarrow p^2$
For B $\rightarrow q^2$

$P(N=3) = 2pqp + 2qpq$; since, if A wins, we may have:
 $= 2p^2q + 2q^2p$

(A, B, A) or (B, A, A)

$$p, q, p + q, p, p = 2pqp$$

and if B wins, we have:

(B, A, B) or (A, B, B)

$$q, p, q + p, q, q = 2qpq$$

$P(N=4)=0$; It is obvious that game finished before $N=4$.

$$\Rightarrow E(N) = (2)P(N=2) + (3)P(N=3) = 2(p^2+q^2) + 3(2p^2q + 2q^2p) = 2 + 2p - 2p^2$$

$$\frac{\partial E(N)}{\partial p} = 2 - 4p = 0 \Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{2}.$$

Q6) we have 16 effective items
4 defective items.

N : $\rightarrow$ number of defective items.

$$P(N=0) = \frac{\binom{16}{3} \binom{4}{0}}{\binom{20}{3}} = 0.491$$

$$P(N=1) = \frac{\binom{16}{2} \binom{4}{1}}{\binom{20}{3}} = 0.421$$

$$P(N=2) = \frac{\binom{16}{1} \binom{4}{2}}{\binom{20}{3}} = 0.084$$

$$P(N=3) = \frac{\binom{16}{0} \binom{4}{3}}{\binom{20}{3}} = 0.0035$$

$$\text{So: } E(N) = (0)P(N=0) + (1)P(N=1) + (2)P(N=2) + (3)P(N=3)$$

Q7) This question is important because the interval 12:00-12:05 is different from 2 minutes given in the question.

In the continuous case we have $e^{-(\lambda t)} \frac{(\lambda t)^k}{k!}$ for poisson distribution

where λ is rate of sth (like arrivals) per unit.

In this question, every 2^{min} we have 1 arrival $\Rightarrow$
we have $\frac{1}{2}$ arrival per minutes.

for 12:00-12:05 $\rightarrow$ the interval is 5 minutes.

$$\text{So } \lambda t = \frac{1}{2} \times 5 = \frac{5}{2} = 2.5$$

$$\Rightarrow P(N=0) = e^{-2.5} = 0.0821$$

$$b) P(N \geq 4) = 1 - P(N \leq 3) = 1 - \left[e^{-\lambda} + \lambda e^{-\lambda} + e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^2}{2!} + e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^3}{3!} \right]$$

$$\underline{\underline{\lambda = 2.5}} \quad 0.242.$$