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Binomial Distribution

Introduction & Definition

- > Binomial distribution was discovered by Swiss Mathematician Bernoulli in 1700.
- Let X is a random variable, n is a total number of trials, p is a probability of success and q is the probability of failure then,

$$p + q = 1$$
 and ${}^{n}C_{r} p^{r} q^{n-r}$

$$P(X=r) = P(r) =$$

where,

$$r = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \ldots, n$$

P(r) = probability of event will happen exactly r times.

This is called Binomial distribution.

Binomial Distribution

Properties of Binomial distribution

- In binomial distribution there are two parameters p, n or q, n.
- ➤ In binomial distribution, mean = np
- ➤ In binomial distribution, variance = npq.
- In binomial distribution standard deviation (S.D.) = \sqrt{npq}
- \rightarrow In binomial distribution first moment about mean = 0.
- For symmetrical binomial distribution, $p = q = \frac{1}{2}$
- > In binomial distribution, always mean > variance.

Binomial Distribution

Application or uses of Binomial distribution

- It is used in tossing of a coin, throwing of die questions.
- It is used in RADAR detection.
- It is used in reliability of system.
- It is used in number of round fired from a gun hitting a target.
- It is used in problems concerning number of defectives in a sample production in bulb, tube light, etc industries.

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