

BINOMIAL PROBABILITY EXERCISES

1. A student takes an eight question true-false exam and guesses on each question. Find the probability of passing if the lowest passing grade is six out of eight.
2. If the quiz in Exercise 1 was a multiple-choice quiz with five choices for each question, find the probability of guessing at least six out of eight correctly.
3. If 20% of all automobiles in a large city are foreign-made, find the probability that if there are eight automobiles in a parking lot, three are foreign-made.
4. If $1/4$ of the roses grown are white, find the probability that 2 out of 5 will be white.
5. If 20% of the people in a community use the emergency room at a hospital in one year, find these probabilities for a sample of 7 people.
 - (a) At most three used the emergency room.
 - (b) Exactly three used the emergency room.
 - (c) At least five used the emergency room.
6. If 60% of the children had German measles by the time they were 12 years old, find these probabilities for a sample of 8 children.
 - (a) At least 5 have had German measles.
 - (b) Exactly 7 have had German measles.
 - (c) More than 3 have had German measles.
7. A recent study found that 80% of all people over 60 years of age wear glasses. If a random sample of 6 people over 60 years of age is selected, find these probabilities.
 - (a) Exactly 4 people will wear glasses.
 - (b) At most 2 people will wear glasses.
 - (c) At least 2 people will wear glasses.
8. Find the mean, variance, and standard deviation for each of the values of n and p when the conditions for the binomial distribution are met.
 - (a) $n = 100, p = 0.75$
 - (b) $n = 20, p = 0.5$
 - (c) $n = 1000, p = 0.1$
 - (d) $n = 50, p = 2/5$
 - (e) $n = 36, p = 1/6$
9. Find the mean, variance, and standard deviation for the number of heads when ten coins are tossed.
10. Tasteful Tomato Seeds have an 80% germination rate. Find the mean, variance, and standard deviation of a package of 200 seeds.