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Answer to the question no-1

The scores of the ten students in Victoria university of Bangladesh are, 85, 95, 63, 78, 70, 70, 56, 64, 72, 66. The students mean is

$$\mu = \frac{85+95+63+78+70+70+56+64+72+66}{10}$$

$$= \frac{719}{10}$$

$$= 71.90$$

Now a random sample of six scores from these students is taken and this sample includes the scores 70, 85, 95, 64, 66, 63. The mean for this sample is

$$\bar{x} = \frac{70+85+95+64+66+63}{6}$$

$$= \frac{443}{6}$$

$$= 73.83$$

Consequently, $\text{sampling error} = \bar{x} - \mu$

$$= 73.83 - 71.90$$

$$= 1.93$$

That is, the mean score estimated from the sample is 1.93 higher than the mean score of the students. Note that this difference occurred due to chance that is because we used a sample instead of the students.

Answer to the question no - 2

For the Population of Dhaka City

$$N = \text{Population Size} = 8,00,000$$

$$x = \text{families in the Population who own homes} \\ = 1,21,894$$

The Proportion of all families in this city who own homes is,

$$P = \frac{x}{N} = \frac{1,21,894}{8,00,000}$$

$$= 0.1523675$$

Now a sample of 720 families is taken from Dhaka city, and 120 of them are home-owners. Then,

$$n = \text{sample size} = 720$$

$$x = \text{families in the sample who own homes} \\ = 120$$

The sample Proportion is,

$$\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n} = \frac{120}{720}$$

$$= 0.1666666667$$

As in the case of the mean the difference between the sample Proportion and to corresponding population gives the sampling error that is the case of the Proportion,

$$\text{Sampling error} = \hat{p} - p$$

$$= (0.1666666667 - 0.1523675)$$

$$= -0.0142991667$$

$$= -0.01$$

Answer to the question no-3

Show all the calculations required for the computation of the standard deviation of X .

x	$P(x)$	$xP(x)$	x^2	$x^2P(x)$
0	.10	.00	0	.00
1	.20	.20	1	.20
2	.30	.60	4	1.20
3	.40	1.20	9	3.60
4	.50	2.00	16	8.00
5	.60	3.00	25	15.00
		$\sum xP(x) = 1.42$		$\sum x^2P(x) = 28$

We perform the following steps to compute the standard deviation of X .

Step 1: Compute the mean of the discrete random variable.

The sum of the products $xP(x)$ recorded in the third column of table gives the mean of X .

$$\mu = \sum xP(x) = 1.42 \text{ defective computer parts in } 400.$$

Step 2: Compute the value of $\sum x^2P(x)$

First we square each of x and record

it in the fourth column of table. Then we multiply these values of n^2 by the corresponding values of $P(n)$. The resulting values of $n^2 P(n)$ are recorded in the fifth column of table. The sum of this column is,

$$\sum n^2 P(n) = 28$$

Step 3 Substitute the values of μ and $\sum n^2 P(n)$ the formula for the standard deviation of x and simplify.

By performing this step we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma &= \sqrt{\sum n^2 P(n) - \mu^2} \\ &= \sqrt{28 - (1.42)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{28 - 2.0164} \\ &= \sqrt{25.9836} \\ &= 5.097\end{aligned}$$

Thus a given shipment of 400 computer parts is expected to contain an average of 1.42 defective parts with a standard deviation of 5.097.

Because the standard deviation of a discrete random variable is obtained by taking the positive square root, its value is never negative.

Answer to the question no - 4

Discuss about intersection of events there are given below:- The intersection of events A and B, denoted by $A \cap B$, consists of all outcome that are in both A and B.

Complement of an event: The complement of event A, denoted by A^c , consists of all outcome that are not in A.

mutually exclusive or disjoint: Events are mutually exclusive or disjoint if they cannot occur simultaneously.

Null event: - The event containing no outcomes, it is the complement of sample space S .

Venn diagram: A graphical representation of events.

Probability of an event: - The probability of event A, denoted by $P(A)$, is the probability that the outcome of the experiment is contained in A.

Addition rule of Probability: - The formula

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

conditional Probability: - The probability of one event given the information

that a second event has occurred, we denote the conditional probability of B given that A has occurred by $P(B|A)$.

Multiplication rule :- The formula

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B|A)$$

A generalized version of the multiplication rule is given by

$$P(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_n) = P(A_1)P(A_2)$$

Independent :- Two events are said to be independent if knowing whether a specific one has occurred does not change the probability that the other occurs.

On the other hand any set of the experiment is called an event. We denote events by the letter A, B, C, and so on we say that the event A occurs whenever the outcome is contained in A.

For any two events A and B, we define the new event $A \cup B$, called the union of events A and B, to consist of all outcomes that are in A or in B or in both A and B. That is the event $A \cup B$ will occur if either A or B occurs.

So intersection of events are very important.