

ECE 341 - Homework #4

Binomial and Uniform Distributions. Due Monday, May 24th

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Binomial Distribution

Assume you toss a coin with a probability of a heads being 0.7

$$X(z) = \left(\frac{0.3z+0.7}{z} \right)$$

- 1) Determine the probability of tossing 6 heads in 8 tosses

- 2) Determine the probability distribution when tossing this same coin 8 times

NOAA has been keeping track of world weather for the past 141 years. 8 of the last 10 years have been the hottest on record. (the two that were not came in at #11 and #16).

- 3a) What is the probability of any given year being one of the 10 hottest on record (i.e. what is p?)
- 3b) What is the probability of 8 of the last 10 years being the hottest on record? (i.e. toss a coin and get 9 heads out of 10 tosses)

Uniform Distribution

Assume a fair six-sided die:

$$Y(z) = \left(\frac{1}{6} \right) \left(\frac{z^5+z^4+z^3+z^2+z+1}{z^6} \right)$$

- 4) Assume you sum five dice (5d6). Determine the
 - pdf
 - mean, and
 - standard deviation

- 5) Assume you sum ten dice (10d6). Determine the
 - pdf
 - mean, and
 - standard deviation