

HW 5-2 (Due Oct. 04, 2016)

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Print then work on it directly. Staple HW 5-1 and 5-2 together.

Problem 1 Prove that:

- 3.92** Ten percent of the engines manufactured on an assembly line are defective. If engines are randomly selected one at a time and tested, what is the probability that the first nondefective engine will be found on the second trial?

Problem 2

- 3.93** Refer to Exercise 3.92. What is the probability that the third nondefective engine will be found
- a on the fifth trial?
 - b on or before the fifth trial?
- 3.94** Refer to Exercise 3.92. Find the mean and variance of the number of the trial on which
- a the first nondefective engine is found.
 - b the third nondefective engine is found.

Problem 3

- 3.97 A geological study indicates that an exploratory oil well should strike oil with probability .2.
- a What is the probability that the first strike comes on the third well drilled?
 - b What is the probability that the third strike comes on the seventh well drilled?
 - c What assumptions did you make to obtain the answers to parts (a) and (b)?
 - d Find the mean and variance of the number of wells that must be drilled if the company wants to set up three producing wells.

Problem 4

- 3.104** Twenty identical looking packets of white powder are such that 15 contain cocaine and 5 do not. Four packets were randomly selected, and the contents were tested and found to contain cocaine. Two additional packets were selected from the remainder and sold by undercover police officers to a single buyer. What is the probability that the 6 packets randomly selected are such that the first 4 all contain cocaine and the 2 sold to the buyer do not?

Problem 5

- 3.108** A shipment of 20 cameras includes 3 that are defective. What is the minimum number of cameras that must be selected if we require that $P(\text{at least 1 defective}) \geq .8$?