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**Chapter 33**  
**Ex 33.2**



## Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q1

Let  $X$  be a binomial variate with parameters  $n$  and  $p$ .

$$\text{Mean} = np$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mean} - \text{Variance} &= np - npq \\ &= np(1 - q) \\ &= np, p \\ &= np^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Mean} - \text{Variance} > 0$$

$$\text{Mean} > \text{Variance}$$

So, mean can never be less than variance.

## Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q2

Let  $X$  denote the variance with parameters  $n$  and  $p$

$$p + q = 1$$

$$q = 1 - p$$

$$\text{Given, Mean} = np = 9 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = \frac{9}{4} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{\frac{9}{4}}{9}$$

[By dividing (i) by (ii)]

$$q = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{So, } p = 1 - q$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$p = \frac{3}{4}$$

Put  $p$  in equation (i),

$$n \left( \frac{3}{4} \right) = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{36}{3}$$

$$\text{So, } n = 12$$

The distribution is given by

$$= {}^n C_r p^r (q)^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^{12} C_r \left( \frac{3}{4} \right)^r \left( \frac{1}{4} \right)^{12-r}$$

$$\text{for } r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 12$$

**Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q3**

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be parameters of binomial distribution. Here

$$\text{Mean} = np = 9 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = 6 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{6}{9}$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{So, } p = 1 - \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{[Since } p + q = 1\text{]}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$

Using equation (i),  $np = 9$

$$n \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) = 9$$

$$n = 27$$

Hence, binomial distribution is given by

$$P(X = r) = {}^{27}C_r \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^r \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^{27-r}$$

$$r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 27$$

**Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q4**

Given that,

$$n = 5$$

Also, Mean + Variance = 4.8

$$np + npq = 4.8$$

$$np(1+q) = 4.8$$

$$5p(1+q) = 4.8$$

$$5(1-q)(1+q) = 4.8 \quad [\text{Since } p+q=1]$$

$$5(1-q^2) = 4.8$$

$$1-q^2 = \frac{4.8}{5}$$

$$q^2 = 1 - \frac{4.8}{5}$$

$$= \frac{0.2}{5}$$

$$q^2 = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 1 - q$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{5}$$

$$p = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{So, } n = 5, p = \frac{4}{5}, q = \frac{1}{5}$$

Here binomial distribution is

$$P(X=r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X=r) = 5C_r \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^r \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{5-r}$$

$$r = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 5$$

Given that,

$$\text{Mean} = np = 20 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = 16 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of distribution dividing equation (ii) by (i)

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{16}{20}$$

$$q = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\text{So, } p = 1 - q \quad \text{[Since } p + q = 1 \text{]}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{4}{5}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{5}$$

Put  $p$  in equation (i),

$$np = 20$$

$$n \left( \frac{1}{5} \right) = 20$$

$$n = 20 \times 5$$

$$n = 100$$

So, binomial distribution is given by

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^{100} C_r \left( \frac{1}{5} \right)^r \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^{100-r}$$

$$r = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 100$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q6

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of distribution binomial distribution. So

$$q = 1 - p \quad \text{as } p + q = 1$$

$$\text{Mean} + \text{Variance} = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$np + npq = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$np(1+q) = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$np = \frac{25}{3(1+q)} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Mean} \times \text{Variance} = \frac{50}{3}$$

$$np \times npq = \frac{50}{3}$$

$$n^2 p^2 q = \frac{50}{3}$$

$$\left[ \frac{25}{3(1+q)} \right]^2 q = \frac{50}{3} \quad \text{[Using (1)]}$$

$$625q = \frac{50}{3} [9(1+q)^2]$$

$$625q = 150(1+q)^2$$

$$25q = 6(1+q)^2$$

$$6 + 6q^2 + 12q - 25q = 0$$

$$6q^2 - 13q + 6 = 0$$

$$6q^2 - 9q - 4q + 6 = 0$$

$$3q(2q - 3) - 2(2q - 3) = 0$$

$$(2q - 3)(3q - 2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2q - 3 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3q - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad q = \frac{2}{3}$$

Since  $q \leq 1$ , so

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = 1 - q$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$



Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution.

Given that,

$$\text{Mean} = np = 20 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = \sqrt{npq} = 4$$

Squaring both the sides,

$$npq = 16 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Dividing equation (ii) by (i),

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{16}{20}$$

$$q = \frac{4}{5}$$

So,  $p = 1 - q$  [Since  $p + q = 1$ ]

$$= 1 - \frac{4}{5}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{5}$$

Put value of  $p$  in equation (i),

$$np = 20$$

$$\frac{n}{5} = 20$$

$$n = 100$$

$$p = \frac{1}{5}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q8

Let  $p$  denotes the probability of selecting a defective bolt, so

$$p = 0.1$$

$$p = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$q = 1 - \frac{1}{10} \quad \text{[Since } p + q = 1\text{]}$$

$$q = \frac{9}{10}$$

Given,  $n = 400$

(i)

$$\text{Mean} = np$$

$$= 400 \times \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 40$$

(ii)

$$\text{Standard deviation} = \sqrt{npq}$$

$$= \sqrt{400 \times \frac{1}{10} \times \frac{9}{10}}$$

$$= \sqrt{36}$$

Standard deviation = 6

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q9

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution.

$$\text{Given, Mean} = np = 5 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = \frac{10}{3} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Dividing (ii) by (i)

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{\frac{10}{3}}{5}$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{So, } p = 1 - q \quad [\text{Since } p + q = 1]$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$

Put the value of  $p$  in equation (i),

$$np = 5$$

$$n = 5 \times 3$$

$$n = 15$$

Hence, the binomial distribution is given by

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^{15} C_r \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^r \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{15-r}$$
$$r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 15$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q10

Let  $p$  be the probability of a ship returning safely to parts, so

$$p = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$q = 1 - \frac{9}{10} \quad [\text{Since } p + q = 1]$$

$$q = \frac{1}{10}$$

Given,  $n = 500$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mean} &= np \\ &= 500 \times \frac{9}{10}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 450$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Standard deviation} &= \sqrt{npq} \\ &= \sqrt{500 \times \frac{9}{10} \times \frac{1}{10}} \\ &= \sqrt{45} \\ &= 6.71\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 450$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} = 6.71$$

**Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q11**

Given that, parameters for binomial distribution are  $n$  and  $p$ .

$$\text{Also, Mean} = np = 16 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = 8 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Dividing (ii) by (i)

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{8}{16}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{So, } p = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \quad [\text{as } p + q = 1]$$

$$p = \frac{1}{2}$$

Put the value of  $p$  in equation (i),

$$np = 16$$

$$n \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = 16$$

$$n = 32$$

Hence, binomial distribution is given by,

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^{32} C_r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{32-r} \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$P(X = 0)$$

$$= {}^{32} C_0 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^0 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{32-0} \quad [\text{Using (iii)}]$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{32}$$

$$P(X = 1)$$

$$= {}^{32} C_1 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^1 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{32-1}$$

$$= 32 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{31}$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{27}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P(X \geq 2) &= 1 - [P(X = 0) + P(X = 1)] \\
&= 1 - \left[ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{32} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{27} \right] \\
&= 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{27} \left(\frac{1}{32} + 1\right) \\
&= 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{27} \left(\frac{33}{32}\right) \\
&= 1 - \frac{33}{2^{32}}
\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$P(X = 0) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{32}, P(X = 1) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{27}, P(X \geq 2) = 1 - \frac{33}{2^{32}}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q12

Let  $p$  be the probability of success in a single throw of die

$$p = \frac{2}{6} \quad \text{[Since success is occurrence of 5 or 6]}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$q = 1 - \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{[Since } p + q = 1\text{]}$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

Given,  $n = 8$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Mean} &= np \\
&= \frac{8}{3} \\
&= 2.66
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Standard deviation} &= \sqrt{npq} \\
&= \sqrt{8 \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}} \\
&= \frac{4}{3} \\
&= 1.33
\end{aligned}$$

Mean = 2.66, Standard deviation = 1.33

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q13

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution.

Let  $p$  = probability of having a boy in the family

Given,  $p = q$

Since,  $p + q = 1$

$$p + p = 1$$

$$2p = 1$$

$$p = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$n = 8$$

The expected number of boys =  $np$

$$= 8 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 4$$

The expected number of boys = 4

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q14

Let  $p$  denote the probability of a defective item produced in the factory, so

$$p = 0.02$$

$$= \frac{2}{100}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{50}$$

$$q = 1 - \frac{1}{50}$$

[Since  $p + q = 1$ ]

$$= \frac{49}{50}$$

Given  $n = 10,000$

Expected number of defective item =  $np$

$$= 10000 \times \frac{1}{50}$$

$$= 200$$

Standard deviation =  $\sqrt{npq}$

$$= \sqrt{10000 \times \frac{1}{50} \times \frac{49}{50}}$$

$$= 14$$

Expected No. of defective items = 200

Standard deviation = 14

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q15

Let  $p$  be the probability of success, so

$$p = \frac{2}{6}$$

[Since success in occurrence of 1 or 6 on the die]

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$

Given,  $n = 3$

$$q = 1 - p$$

[Since  $p + q = 1$ ]

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3}$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Mean} = np$$

$$= 3 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)$$

$$= 1$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq$$

$$= 3 \times \left( \frac{1}{3} \right) \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Mean} = 1$$

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{2}{3}$$

**Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q16**

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution

Given,

$$\text{Mean} = np = 3 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Dividing equation (ii) by (i),

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{3}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$p = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \quad [\text{as } p + q = 1]$$

$$p = \frac{1}{2}$$

Put the value of  $p$  in equation (i)

$$np = 3$$

$$n \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = 3$$

$$n = 6$$

Hence, binomial distribution is given by

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^6 C_r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{6-r} \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$P(X \leq 5)$$

$$= P(X = 0) + P(X = 1) + P(X = 2) + P(X = 3) + P(X = 4) + P(X = 5)$$

$$= 1 - P(X = 6)$$

$$= 1 - {}^6 C_6 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^6 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{6-6}, \quad [\text{Using (iii)}]$$

$$= 1 - \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^6$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{64}$$

$$= \frac{63}{64}$$

$$P(X \leq 5) = \frac{63}{64}$$



Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution.

Given,

$$\text{Mean} = np = 4 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Variance} = npq = 2 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Dividing equation (ii) by (i),

$$\frac{npq}{np} = \frac{2}{4}$$

$$q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$p = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{[Since } p + q = 1 \text{]}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{2}$$

Put the value of  $p$  in equation (i),

$$np = 4$$

$$n \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = 4$$

$$n = 8$$

Hence, binomial distribution is given by

$$P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^8 C_r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^r \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{8-r} \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$P(X \geq 5)$$

$$= P(X = 5) + P(X = 6) + P(X = 7) + P(X = 8)$$

$$= {}^8 C_5 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^5 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^3 + {}^8 C_6 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^6 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 + {}^8 C_7 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^7 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) + {}^8 C_8 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8$$

[Using equation (iii)]

$$= \frac{8 \times 7 \times 6}{3 \times 2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8 + \frac{8 \times 7}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8 + 8 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8 + \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^8 [56 + 28 + 8 + 1]$$

$$= \frac{93}{256}$$

$$P(X \geq 5) = \frac{93}{256}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q18

$$= 1 - \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^4$$

$$= 1 - \frac{16}{81}$$

$$= \frac{65}{81}$$

$$P(X \geq 1) = \frac{65}{81}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q19

Let  $n$  and  $p$  be the parameters of binomial distribution,

Given,  $n = 6$

$$\text{Mean} + \text{Variance} = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$np + npq = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$6p + 6pq = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$6p(1+q) = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$6(1-q)(1+q) = \frac{10}{3} \quad [\text{Since } p+q=1]$$

$$6(1-q^2) = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$1-q^2 = \frac{10}{18}$$

$$-q^2 = \frac{5}{9} - 1$$

$$-q^2 = -\frac{4}{9}$$

$$q^2 = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = 1 - q$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = \frac{1}{3}$$

Hence, the binomial distribution is given by,

$$P(X=r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$P(X=r) = {}^6 C_r \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^r \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{6-r}$$

as  $r = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 6$

**Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q20**

Throwing a doublet i.e.  $\{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4), (5,5), (6,6)\}$

Total number of outcomes = 36

Let  $p$  be the probability of success therefore

$$p = 6/36 = 1/6$$

Let  $q$  be the probability of failure therefore  $q = 1 - p = 1 - 1/6 = 5/6$

Since the dice is thrown 4 times,  $n = 4$

Let  $X$  be the random variable for getting doublet, therefore  $X$  can take at max 4 values.

$$P(X=0) = {}^4C_0 p^0 q^4 = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^4 = \frac{625}{1296}$$

$$P(X=1) = {}^4C_1 p^1 q^3 = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{500}{1296}$$

$$P(X=2) = {}^4C_2 p^2 q^2 = \frac{4 \cdot 3}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{150}{1296}$$

$$P(X=3) = {}^4C_3 p^3 q^1 = 4 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 \cdot \frac{5}{6} = \frac{20}{1296}$$

$$P(X=4) = {}^4C_4 p^4 q^0 = 1 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^4 \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^0 = \frac{1}{1296}$$

Mean

$$\begin{aligned} \mu &= \sum_{i=1}^4 X_i P(X_i) = 0 \cdot \frac{625}{1296} + 1 \cdot \frac{500}{1296} + 2 \cdot \frac{150}{1296} + 3 \cdot \frac{20}{1296} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{1296} \\ &= \frac{500 + 300 + 60 + 4}{1296} = \frac{864}{1296} = \frac{2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the mean is  $= \frac{2}{3}$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q21

Throwing a doublet i.e.  $\{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4), (5,5), (6,6)\}$

Total number of outcomes = 36

Let  $p$  be the probability of success therefore

$$p = 6/36 = 1/6$$

Let  $q$  be the probability of failure therefore  $q = 1 - p = 1 - 1/6 = 5/6$

Since there is three rows of dice so  $n = 3$

Let  $X$  be the random variable for getting doublet, therefore  $X$  can take at max 3 values.

$$P(X=0) = {}^3C_0 p^0 q^3 = \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{125}{216}$$

$$P(X=1) = {}^3C_1 p^1 q^2 = 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{75}{216}$$

$$P(X=2) = {}^3C_2 p^2 q^1 = 3 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right) = \frac{15}{216}$$

$$P(X=3) = {}^3C_3 p^3 q^0 = \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{216}$$

Mean

$$\begin{aligned} \mu &= \sum_{i=1}^3 X_i P(X_i) = 0 \cdot \frac{125}{216} + 1 \cdot \frac{75}{216} + 2 \cdot \frac{15}{216} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{216} \\ &= \frac{75 + 30 + 3}{216} = \frac{108}{216} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the mean is  $= \frac{1}{2}$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q22

Out of 15 bulbs 5 are defective.

Hence, the probability that the drawn bulb is defective is

$$P(\text{Defective}) = \frac{5}{15} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(\text{Not defective}) = \frac{10}{15} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Let  $X$  denote the number of defective bulbs out of 4.

Then,  $X$  follows binomial distribution with

$$n = 4, p = \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } q = \frac{2}{3} \text{ such that}$$

$$P(X = r) = {}^4C_r \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^r \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{4-r}; r = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$\text{Mean} = \sum_{r=0}^4 rP(r) = 1 \times {}^4C_1 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 + 2 \times {}^4C_2 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2$$

$$+ 3 \times {}^4C_3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) + 4 \times {}^4C_4 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^4 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^0$$

$$= \frac{32}{81} + \frac{48}{81} + \frac{24}{81} + \frac{4}{81} = \frac{108}{81} = \frac{4}{3}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q23

Let  $p$  be the probability of getting 2 when a dice is thrown.

$$\text{Then } p = \frac{1}{6}$$

Clearly,  $X$  follows binomial distribution with  $n = 3, p = \frac{1}{6}$ .

$$\therefore \text{Expectation} = E(X) = np = 3 \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q24

Let  $p$  be the probability of getting an even number on the toss when a dice is thrown.

Let  $q$  be the probability of not getting an even number on the toss when a dice is thrown.

$$\text{Then } p = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } q = \frac{1}{2}$$

Clearly,  $X$  follows binomial distribution with  $n = 2, p = \frac{1}{2}$ .

$$\therefore \text{Variance} = npq = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

### Binomial Distribution Ex 33.2 Q25

Let  $p$  be the probability of getting a spade card.

Let  $q$  be the probability of getting a spade card.

$$\text{Then } p = \frac{13}{52} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ and } q = \frac{3}{4}$$

Clearly,  $X$  follows binomial distribution with  $n = 3, p = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $q = \frac{3}{4}$ .

Probability distribution is given by,

$$P(X = r) = {}^3C_r \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^r \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{3-r}; r = 0, 1, 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Mean} = np = 3 \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$