

## Quiz# 2

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**Q1.** The function of the random variable is given by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (1-x) & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

- a. Is  $f(x)$  is a probability density function? If not make it.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- b. Find the probability that the value of the random variable between 0.2 and 2.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- c. Find the mean of the random variable.

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**Q2.** The weekly amount spent for maintenance and repairs in a certain company follows a normal distribution with a mean of \$400 and a standard deviation of \$20. If \$450 is budgeted to cover repairs for next week,

- a. What is the probability that the actual costs will exceed the budgeted amount?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- b. What is the weekly maintenance and repair amount that is exceeded by 75% of all weekly amounts?

**Q3.** An engineer designed a modified welding robot. The robot will be considered *good enough* to manufacture if it misses only 1% of its welds, and it will be judged a *poor performer* if it misses 5% of its welds. (In-between possibilities are not considered.) A test is performed involving **10** welds. The new design will be accepted if the number of missed welds is 2 or fewer and rejected otherwise.

a. What is the probability that a *good design* will be rejected?

b. What is the probability that a *poor design* will be accepted?

c. If we test **90** welds, approximate the probability that a poor design will be rejected.

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**Q4.** The lifetime (in hours) of the central processing unit of a certain type of microcomputer is an exponential random variable with a mean of 1000 hours.

a. What is the probability that a central processing unit will have a lifetime of at least 2000 hours?

b. What is the lifetime of a central processing unit that exceeds 20% of all units?

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