

- 1) The average gas mileage of a certain model car is 30.0 miles per gallon. If the gas mileages are normally distributed with a standard deviation of 0.75 miles per gallon, find the probability that a car has a gas mileage of between 29.8 and 30.2 miles per gallon. 1) _____
A) 0.287 B) 0.213 C) 0.273 D) 0.107
- 2) A certain car model has a mean gas mileage of 29 miles per gallon (mpg) with a standard deviation 3 mpg. A pizza delivery company buys 49 of these cars. What is the probability that the average mileage of the fleet is greater than 28.8 mpg? 2) _____
A) 0.6808 B) 0.6064 C) 0.2514 D) 0.7486
- 3) A ferry will safely accommodate 68 tons of passenger cars. Assume that the mean weight of a passenger car is 1.8 tons with standard deviation 0.5 tons. If a random sample of 35 cars are loaded onto the ferry, what is the probability that the maximum safe weight will be exceeded? 3) _____
A) 0.9545 B) 0.0455 C) 0.0505 D) 0.0594
- 4) A sample of size 80 will be drawn from a population with mean 23 and standard deviation 13. Find the probability that \bar{x} will be between 22 and 25. 4) _____
A) 0.0844 B) 0.6699 C) 0.6944 D) 0.2457
- 5) A sample of size 48 will be drawn from a population with mean 20 and standard deviation 5. Find the probability that \bar{x} will be greater than 21. 5) _____
A) 0.1093 B) 0.0823 C) 0.9177 D) 0.0571
- 6) A sample of size 47 will be drawn from a population with mean 25 and standard deviation 5. Find the probability that \bar{x} will be less than 26. 6) _____
A) 0.9147 B) 0.8869 C) 0.9292 D) 0.0853
- 7) The mean annual income for people in a certain city (in thousands of dollars) is 38, with a standard deviation of 33. A pollster draws a sample of 39 people to interview. What is the probability that the sample mean income is between 36 and 40 (thousands of dollars)? 7) _____
A) 0.7039 B) 0.2961 C) 0.6480 D) 0.3520
- 8) The average age of doctors in a certain hospital is 43.0 years old. Suppose the distribution of ages is normal and has a standard deviation of 8.0 years. If 25 doctors are chosen at random for a committee, find the probability that the average age of those doctors is less than 43.8 years. Assume that the variable is normally distributed. 8) _____
A) 30.9% B) 69.2% C) 53.2% D) 19.2%

Answer Key

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- 1) B
- 2) A
- 3) B
- 4) B
- 5) B
- 6) A
- 7) B
- 8) B