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### Question One:

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(15 Points) Consider the experiment of flipping a coin three times and recording if the result is head or tail.

- A. Find the sample space.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- B. Find the probability of the event that at least 2 tails will occur.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- C. If  $X$  is the random variable of the number of heads that occur, find all possible values for  $X$ .
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- D. Find the probability distribution of  $X$ .
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- E. Find the probability of  $X$  greater than or equal to 1.

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## Question Two:

(15 Points) The probability distribution of a random variable  $X$  is given in the following table. Use the table to answer the following questions.

$X$	$P(X=x)$
-1	0.1
0	0.2
1	0.1
2	0.3
3	0.3

A. Find  $P(X \geq 1)$ .

B. Find  $E(X)$ .

C. Find the standard deviation of  $X$ .

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### Question Three:

(15 Points) A student takes a 10 questions multiple-choice quiz and guesses each answer. For each question, there are 4 possible answers, only one of which is correct. If we consider “success” to be getting a question right and consider the 10 questions as 10 independent trials, then the random variable  $X$  representing the number of correct answers will be binomially distributed with  $n=10$ ,  $p = \frac{1}{4}$ , and  $q = \frac{3}{4}$ . Answer the following questions.

A. Find the probability that the student will get exactly 4 problems correct.

B. Find the probability that the student will get at least 8 problems correct.

C. Find  $E(X)$ .

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#### Question Four:

(5 Points) The height  $h$  (in inches) of a randomly selected woman is approximately normally distributed with a mean of  $\mu = 63.5$  and a standard deviation of  $\sigma = 2.75$  inches. Find the probability that a woman selected at random is less than 63 inches tall. Given that

$z$	$P(Z \leq z)$
1.28	0.8997
-0.18	0.4280
-0.47	0.3192

End of Questions  
*Good Luck*