

4. The random variable  $X \sim B(27, 0.35)$

(a) Find (i)  $P(X = 10)$

(ii)  $P(12 \leq X < 15)$

(3)

Historical records show that the proportion of defective items produced by a machine is 0.12

Following a maintenance service of the machine, a random sample of 60 items is taken and 3 defective items are found.

(b) Carry out a suitable test to determine whether the proportion of defective items produced by the machine has decreased following the maintenance service.  
You should state your hypotheses clearly and use a 5% level of significance.

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(c) Write down the  $p$ -value for your test in part (b)

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