Accel Precalc Notes: Probability I Unit #1: Data Analysis Lesson #5	Distributions	Name
EQ:		
• Terms to Recall:		
New Terms:		
Generally, statisticians use a	to repres	ent a and a
letter, to represent or	ne of its	
For example,		
pro	obability that the _	is
equal to a particular value, den	noted by	
As an example, refers	s to the	that the
is equal to		
Consider flipping 2 coins.	ssible outcomes	
• Complete the table below, which	associates each ou	tcome with its probability.
Number of Heads Probabil	ity	
Probability Distribution a	or an	that links each
of a statistical experime	ent with the	of its

will _____.

Requirements for a Probability Distribution:

1.

2.

Ex. Is the following a probability distribution? State a reason for your answer.

x	P(X=x)
O	0.16
1	0.18
2	0.22
3	0.10
4	0.3
5	0.01

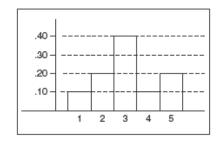
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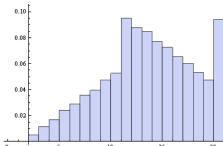
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0	0.16
1	0.18
2	0.22
3	0.10
4	0.3
5	0.04

<u>Probability Histogram</u> --- a histogram in which the _____ corresponds

to the value of the _____ and the ____ represents the

_____ of that _____of the random variable.





- Complete In Class Practice Problems
- * Assignment: Practice Worksheet Probability Distributions