

Cumulative Distribution Function <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $F_X(x) = P(X < x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(t)dt$ $F_X(x) = P(X_1 < x_1, X_2 < x_2, \dots, X_n < x_n)$ 	Probability Density Function <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $f_X(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_X(x) \geq 0, f_X(x) = \frac{\partial^n F_X(x)}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2 \dots \partial x_n}$ $P(a \leq x \leq b) = \int_a^b f_X(t)dt$ $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x)dx = 1$
Expected value <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $E X = \sum_i x_i p_i = \sum_{\omega \in \Omega} X(\omega)P(\omega)$ $E h(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(x)f_X(x)dx$ $E(E(X Y)) = EX$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $E(XY) = E(E(XY X)) = E(X E(Y X))$ $E(XY) = E(E(XY Y)) = E(Y E(X Y))$ $E(Y X) = \sum_j y_j P(y = y_j X)$ 	Variance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $Var X = E(X - EX)^2 = EX^2 - (EX)^2$ $Var c = 0$ $Var (cX) = c^2 Var X$ $Var (X \pm Y) = Var X + Var Y \pm 2 Cov(X, Y)$ $Var(a_1 X_1 + \dots + a_n X_n) =$ $= Cov(a_1 X_1 + \dots + a_n X_n, a_1 X_1 + \dots + a_n X_n)$ $= (a_1 \dots a_n) \begin{pmatrix} Cov(X_1, X_1) & \dots & Cov(X_1, X_n) \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \\ Cov(X_n, X_1) & \dots & Cov(X_n, X_n) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ \dots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix}$ $Var (Y X) = \sum_j (y_j - EY)^2 P(y = y_j X)$ $Var Y = E(Var(Y X)) + Var(E(Y X))$ $Var(XY) = Var(X)Var(Y) + Var(X)E(Y)^2 + Var(Y)E(X)^2$ For independent X, Y (proof)
Covariance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $Cov(X, Y) = \sigma_{XY} = E(X - EX)(Y - EY) = E(XY) - EX * EY$ $Cov(X, X) = Var X$ $Cov(X_1 + X_2, Y) = Cov(X_1, Y) + Cov(X_2, Y)$ $Cov(aX + b, cY + d) = acCov(X, Y)$ 	Correlation Coefficient <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $Corr(X, Y) = \rho_{XY} = \frac{Cov(X, Y)}{\sqrt{Var X * Var Y}}$ $-1 \leq Corr(X, Y) \leq 1$
Characteristic function <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $\phi_X(t) = E(e^{itX}), t \in R$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discrete: $\phi_X(t) = \sum_k e^{itx_k} P(X = x_k)$ Continuous: $\phi_X(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{itx} f_X(x)dx$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $\phi_X(0) = 1, \phi_X(t) \leq 1$ X_1, X_2 are independent \Rightarrow $\phi_{X_1+X_2}(t) = \phi_{X_1}(t)\phi_{X_2}(t)$ $\phi_{aX+b}(t) = e^{ibt}\phi_X(at)$ Inverse formula: $f_X(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-itx} \phi_X(t)dt$	Markov's inequality: $P(X \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{E X ^t}{\varepsilon^t}, \varepsilon > 0, t > 0$ Chebyshev's inequality: $P(X - EX \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{Var X}{\varepsilon^2}, \varepsilon > 0$ Marginal PDF: $f_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(x, y)dy$ Joint distribution: $f_{U,V}(u, v) =$ $f_{X,Y}(x(u, v), y(u, v)) \left \det \begin{pmatrix} x_u & x_v \\ y_u & y_v \end{pmatrix} \right $ The Convolution formula: $f_{U+V}(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{U,V}(t - y, y)dy$

Conditional Expectation for Joint probability distribution**Discrete case**

$$E(X | Y = y_0) = \frac{1}{P(Y = y_0)} \sum_{x_i} x_i P(X = x_i, Y = y_0)$$

$$E(X | Y) \sim \begin{pmatrix} \sum_{x_i} x_i P(X = x_i, Y = y_1) & \dots & \sum_{x_i} x_i P(X = x_i, Y = y_n) \\ P(Y = y_1) & \dots & P(Y = y_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

Continuous case

$$E(X | Y = y_0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_{X|Y=y_0}(x) dx, \quad f_{X|Y=y_0}(x) = \frac{f_{X,Y}(x, y_0)}{f_Y(y_0)}$$

$$E(X | Y) = E(X | Y = y) = H(y)$$

Binomial distribution $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$ “number of successes in n Bernoulli trials”

PMF	$P(X = k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = np, E X^2 = np(q - np), \text{Var } X = npq$
$c * \text{Bin}(n, p) \sim N(cnp, c^2)$	
$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k \sim \text{Bin}(n, p) \Rightarrow X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_k \sim \text{Bin}(nk, p)$	

Continuous Uniform distribution $X \sim U[a, b]$

CDF	$F_X(x) = P(X < x) = \frac{x - a}{b - a} I_{x \geq a}$
PDF	$f_X(x) = P(X = x) = \frac{1}{b - a} I_{a \leq x \leq b}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = \frac{a + b}{2}, E X^2 = \frac{a^2 + ab + b^2}{3}, \text{Var } X = \frac{(b - a)^2}{12}$

Geometric distribution $X \sim G(p)$ “number of Bernoulli trials till the first success”

CDF	$F_X(x) = P(X < x) = P(X \leq x - 1) = 1 - q^{x-1}$
PMF	$P(X = k) = G(k) = pq^{k-1}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = \frac{1}{p}, E X^2 = \frac{q + 1}{p^2}, \text{Var } X = \frac{q}{p^2}$
Lack of memory	$P(X > a + b X > a) = P(X > b) = q^b$

Poisson distribution $X \sim \text{Po}(\lambda), \lambda > 0$ “number of times an event occurs in some interval”

CDF	$X \sim \text{Po}(\lambda), \lambda > 0$
PMF	$P(X = k) = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} e^{-\lambda}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = \text{Var } X = \lambda$
$X \sim \text{Po}(\lambda), Y \sim \text{Po}(\theta) \Rightarrow X + Y \sim \text{Po}(\lambda + \theta)$	

Exponential distribution $X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda), \lambda > 0$

CDF	$F_X(x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x} I_{x>0}$
PDF	$f_X(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} I_{x>0}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = \frac{1}{\lambda}, E X^2 = \frac{2}{\lambda^2}, \text{Var } X = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$
Lack of memory	$E X = \frac{1}{\lambda}, E X^2 = \frac{2}{\lambda^2}, \text{Var } X = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$
$X \sim U[a, b] \Rightarrow -\ln X \sim \text{Exp}(1)$ $X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda) \Rightarrow E X^k = \frac{k!}{\lambda^k}$	

Normal distribution $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2), \sigma > 0$

$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$	PDF
$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-0.5t^2} dt = 1$	Area under the curve is always = 1
$\Phi(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-0.5t^2} dt = 0.5 + \Phi_0(x)$	Definition of Φ Relation between Φ and Φ_0
$\Phi_0(x) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-0.5t^2} dt = 0.5 \text{erf}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$	Definition of Φ_0 Relation between Φ_0 and erf
$\Phi(-x) = 1 - \Phi(x), \Phi_0(-x) = -\Phi_0(x)$	Negative arguments
$P(a < X < b) = P\left(\frac{a-\mu}{\sigma} < T < \frac{b-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$ $= \Phi\left(\frac{b-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{a-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$	Probability using Φ
$E X = \mu, E X^2 = \sigma^2 + \mu^2, \text{Var } X = \sigma^2$	Expected value and Variance
$\Phi(x) = c \Rightarrow x = \Phi^{-1}(c) = \sqrt{2} \text{erf}^{-1}(2c - 1)$	Inverse Φ function $\text{erf}^{-1}(x) = \text{inverf}(x)$ in Wolfram
$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{2\pi})^n \sqrt{\det \Sigma}} \exp(-0.5(x - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(x - \mu))$ $\mu = \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_n \end{pmatrix}, \mu_i = E X_i$ $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \dots & \sigma_{1n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \sigma_{n1} & \dots & \sigma_{nn} \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_{ij} = \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)$	Multivariate normal distribution

$X \sim Bin(n, p) \Rightarrow \frac{X - np}{\sqrt{npq}} = Y, Y \sim N(0, 1)$	Relation between Binomial and Normal distribution (for large n)
X, Y are independent $\Leftrightarrow X, Y$ are uncorrelated $\Leftrightarrow Cov(X, Y) = 0, \rho_{X, Y} = 0$ $Z = aX + bY + c \Rightarrow Z \sim N(E Z, Var Z)$ $X \sim N(0, 1) \Rightarrow E X^{2n-1} = 0, E X^{2n} = (2n - 1)!! = (1)(3)(5) \dots (2n - 1)$ $\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \xi \\ \eta \end{smallmatrix}\right) \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow (\xi \mid \eta = k) \sim N(\mu_\xi + \rho_{\xi, \eta} \left(\frac{\sigma_\xi}{\sigma_\eta}\right) (k - \mu_\eta), \sigma_\xi^2 (1 - \rho_{\xi, \eta}^2))$	
Gamma distribution $X \sim Gam(\alpha, \lambda)$	
PDF	$f_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\lambda x} I_{x \geq 0}, \alpha > 0, \lambda > 0$ $\Gamma(x) = \int_0^{+\infty} t^{x-1} e^{-t}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = \frac{\alpha}{\lambda}, E X^2 = \frac{\alpha(\alpha + 1)}{\lambda^2}, Var X = \frac{\alpha}{\lambda^2}$
Characteristic function	$\phi_X(t) = \frac{\lambda^\alpha}{(\lambda - it)^\alpha}$
$X_1 \sim Gam(\alpha_1, \lambda), X_2 \sim Gam(\alpha_2, \lambda), X_1, X_2$ are independent $\Rightarrow X_1 + X_2 \sim Gam(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2, \lambda)$	
Chi-squared distribution $X \sim \chi_n^2$	
$\chi_n^2 = X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_n^2, X_i \sim N(0, 1), X_i$ are independent	
PDF	$f_{\chi_n^2}(x) = \frac{1}{2^{0.5n} \Gamma(0.5n)} x^{0.5n-1} e^{-0.5x} \sim Gam(0.5n, 0.5) I_{x>0}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = n, Var X = 2n$
Students t-distribution $X \sim t_n$	
$t_n = \frac{X}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}} = \frac{X}{\sqrt{\frac{Y}{n}}}, X \sim N(0, 1), Y \sim \chi_n^2$	
PDF	$f_{t_n}(x) = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}{\sqrt{n\pi} \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)} \left(1 + \frac{t^2}{n}\right)^{-\frac{n+1}{2}}$
Expected value & Variance	$E X = 0$ for $n > 1$ $Var X = \frac{n}{n-2}$ for $n > 2$