

Binomial distribution

$$P(X=k) = {}^M C_k p^k (1-p)^{M-k}$$

Poisson

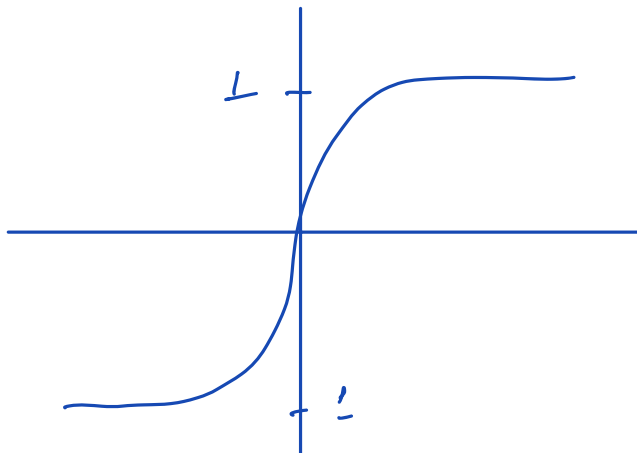
$$P(X=k) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^k}{k!} \quad \lambda = Mp$$

Bernoulli

$$P(X=k) = p$$

Geometric

$$P(X=k) = (1-p)^{k-1} p$$



① Uniform

$$f_x(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

RNG
Sampling
MC Methods

$$F_x(x; a, b) = \frac{x-a}{b-a} \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

$$f_x(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_x(x)$$

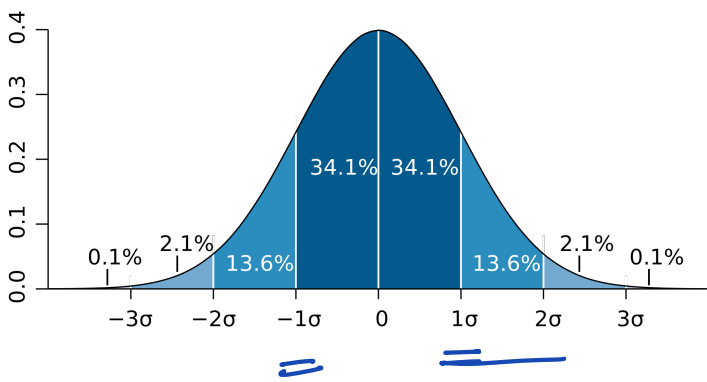
$$F_x(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_x(t) dt$$

$$= \int_a^x \frac{1}{b-a} dt = \frac{x-a}{b-a}$$

② Gaussian

$$f(x; \mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$$F(x, \mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{2} \left[1 + \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sqrt{2}\sigma} \right) \right]$$



$$\operatorname{erf}(n) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^n e^{-t^2} dt$$

$$\operatorname{erf}(-n) = -\operatorname{erf}(n)$$

③ Exponential

average no. of events per unit time

$$f(x; \lambda) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$$

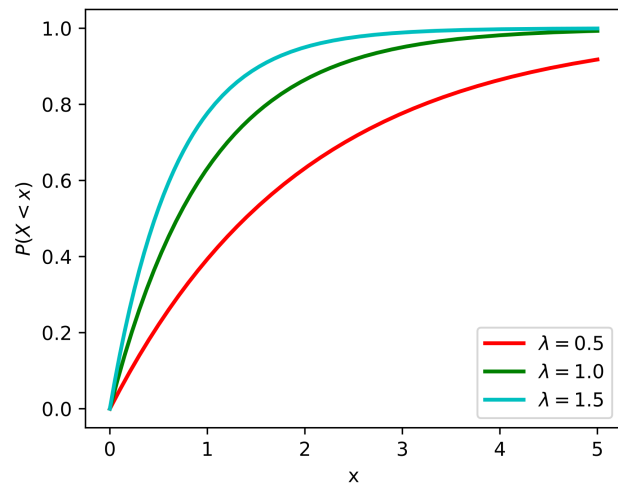
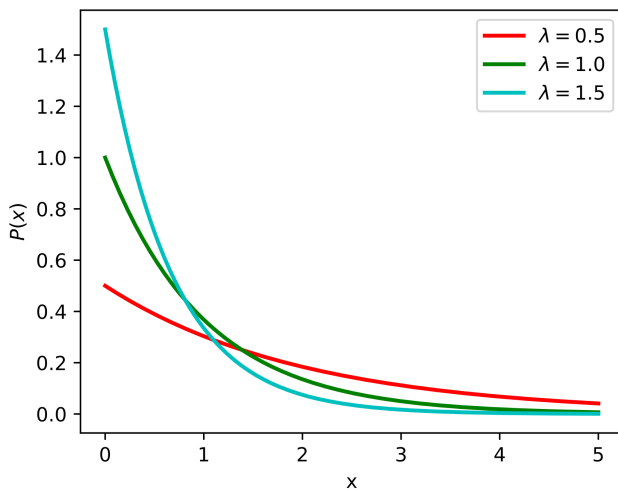
$$x \geq 0$$

$$E[x] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$F(x; \lambda) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$x \geq 0$$

$$V[x] = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$



- Queuing systems → inter-arrival times or service times
- Radioactive decay
- Modelling natural disasters

④ Cauchy

$$f(x; x_0, \gamma) = \frac{1}{\pi\gamma \left[1 + \left(\frac{x-x_0}{\gamma} \right)^2 \right]}$$

$$-\infty < x < \infty$$

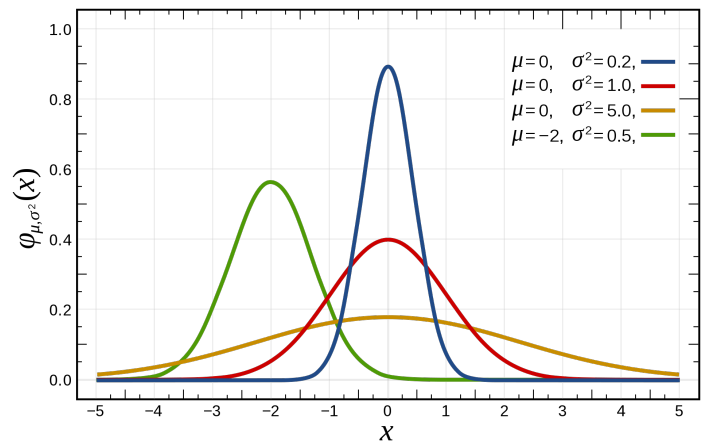
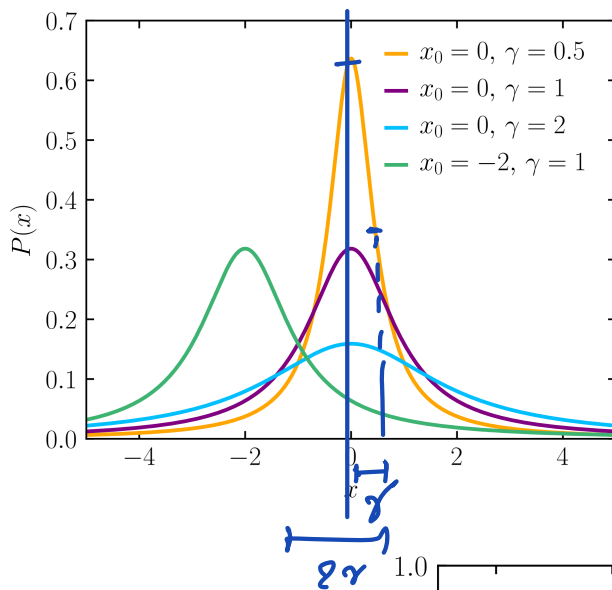
$$F(x; x_0, \gamma) = \frac{1}{\pi} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x-x_0}{\gamma} \right) + \frac{1}{2}$$

no mean

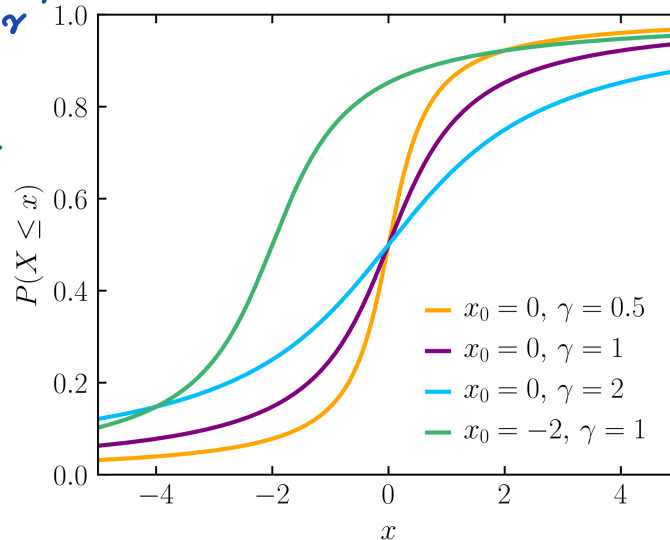
no variance

$x_0 \rightarrow$ median

$\gamma \rightarrow$ scale parameter HWHM



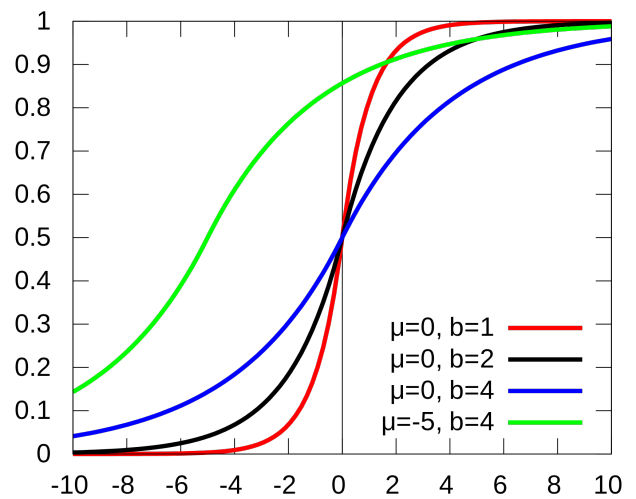
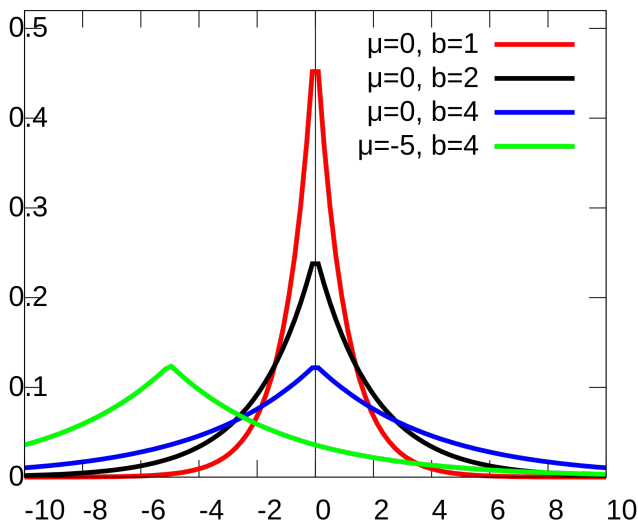
Stock market
Risk management
Extreme weather
conditions



⑤ Laplacian distribution

$$f(x; \mu, b) = \frac{1}{2b} \exp\left(-\frac{|x-\mu|}{b}\right) \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$F(x; \mu, b) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \exp\left(\frac{x-\mu}{b}\right) & x < \mu \\ 1 - \frac{1}{2} \exp\left(-\frac{x-\mu}{b}\right) & x \geq \mu \end{cases}$$

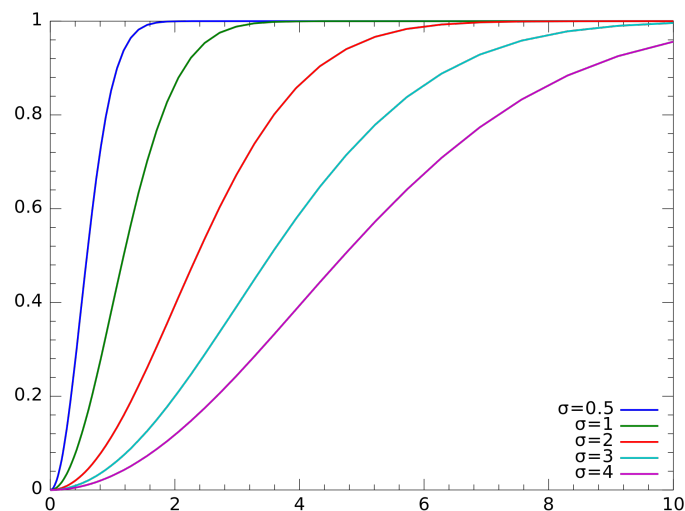
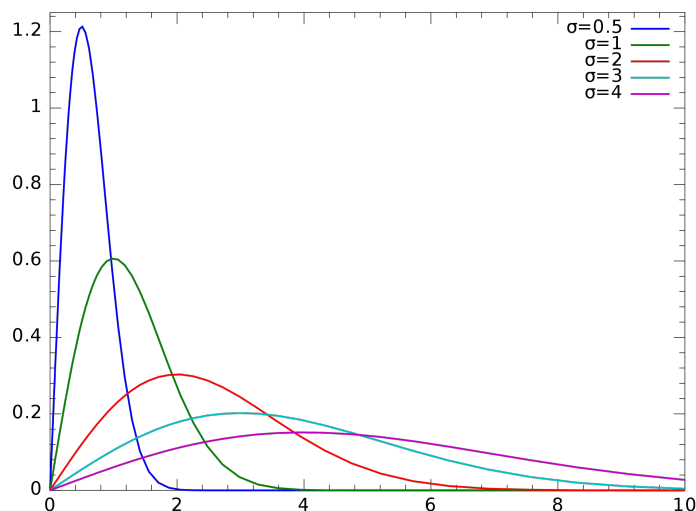


Data transmission \rightarrow fading radio signals
 \rightarrow random fluctuations due to interference & multipath propagation

⑥ Rayleigh

$$f(x, \sigma) = \frac{x}{\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad x \geq 0$$

$$F(x, \sigma) = 1 - e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad x \geq 0$$



Underwater acoustic
Radar system \rightarrow SNR
wind speed analysis

$$F_X(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^x P[X=k] = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(t) dt$$

$$f_X(x) \longrightarrow F_X(x)$$

DRV $F_X(x) = \sum f_X(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^i P[X=x_i]$

\searrow $P[X \leq x_i]$ np. cumsum

CRV $F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(t) dt$

$$f_X(x) \rightarrow$$

$$\downarrow$$

CDF