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Formula Sheet - Exam 1

Binomial Distribution:

$$P(Y = y) = \binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y} \quad E(Y) = np \quad V(Y) = np(1-p)$$

Multinomial Distribution:

$$P(Y_1 = y_1, Y_2 = y_2, \dots, Y_j = y_j) = \binom{n}{y_1 y_2 \dots y_j} p_1^{y_1} p_2^{y_2} \dots p_j^{y_j}$$

Sampling Distribution:

$$\hat{p} = \frac{Y}{n} \quad E(\hat{p}) = p \quad V(\hat{p}) = \frac{p(1-p)}{n}$$

Hypothesis Test for p :

$$z = \frac{\hat{p} - p_0}{\sqrt{\frac{p_0(1-p_0)}{n}}}$$

Confidence Intervals for p :

$$\hat{p} \pm z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$

$$\frac{\hat{p} + \frac{1}{2n} z_{1-\alpha/2}^2 \pm z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n} + \frac{z_{1-\alpha/2}^2}{4n}}}{1 + \frac{1}{n} z_{1-\alpha/2}^2}$$

$$\tilde{p} \pm z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{\tilde{p}(1-\tilde{p})}{\tilde{n}}} \quad \text{where } \tilde{n} = n + z_{1-\alpha/2}^2 \text{ and } \tilde{p} = \frac{Y + \frac{z_{1-\alpha/2}^2}{2}}{\tilde{n}}$$

Sample size calculations:

$$n \geq \left(\frac{0.5 z_{1-\alpha/2}}{M} \right)^2 \quad n \geq \left(\frac{z_{1-\alpha/2}}{M} \right)^2 \hat{p}(1-\hat{p})$$

Goodness of Fit Test:

$$E(Y_i) = np_{i_0} \quad X^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{(Y_i - E(Y_i))^2}{E(Y_i)}$$