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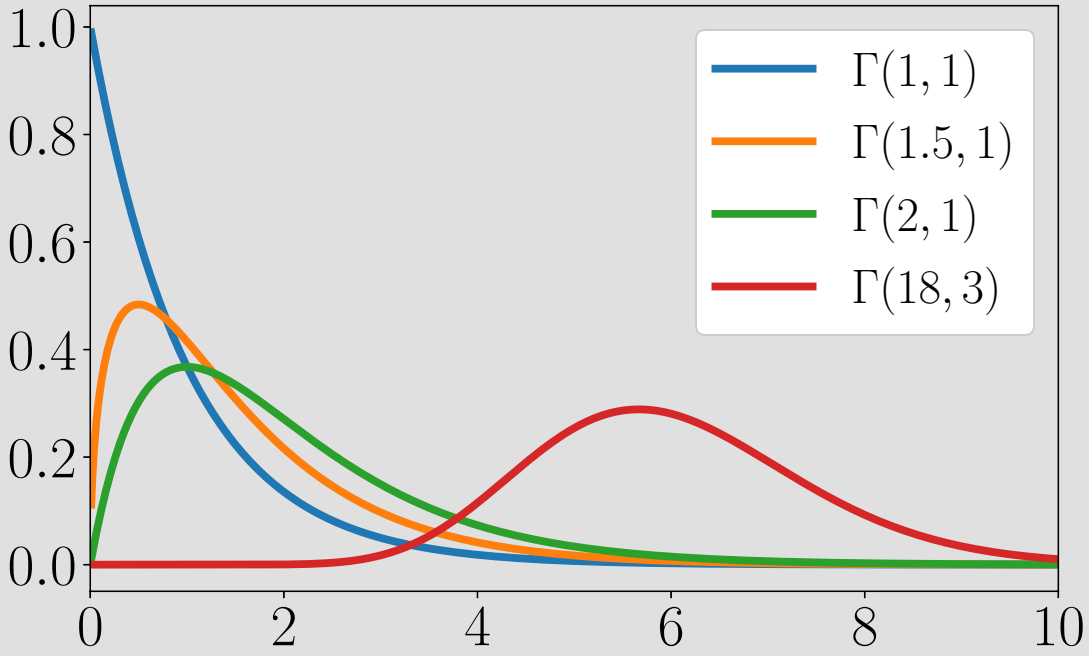

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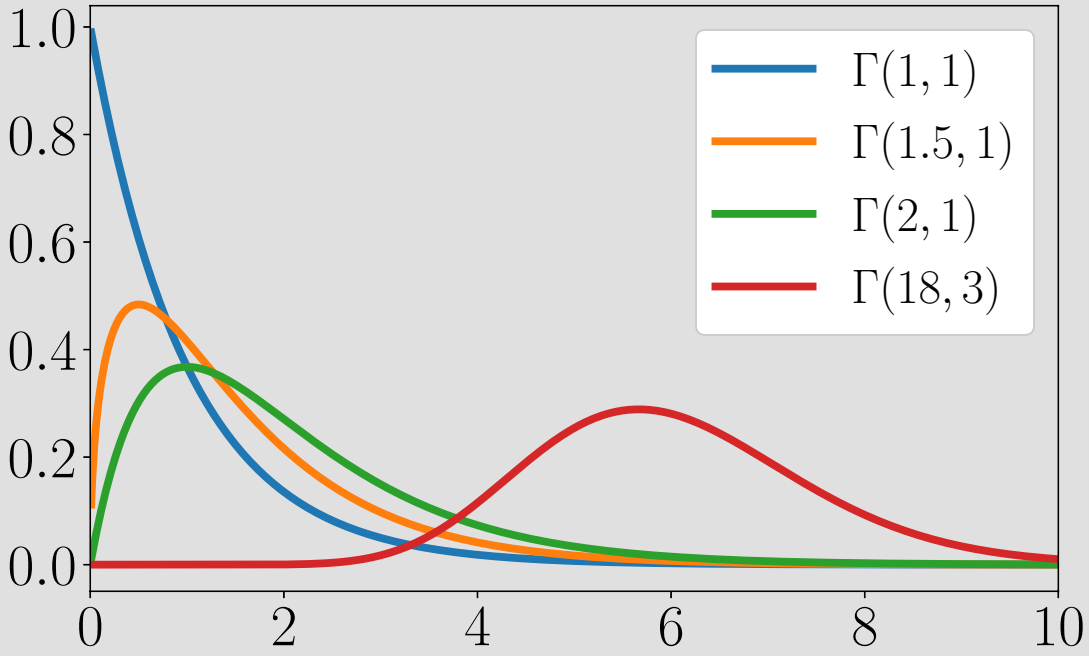

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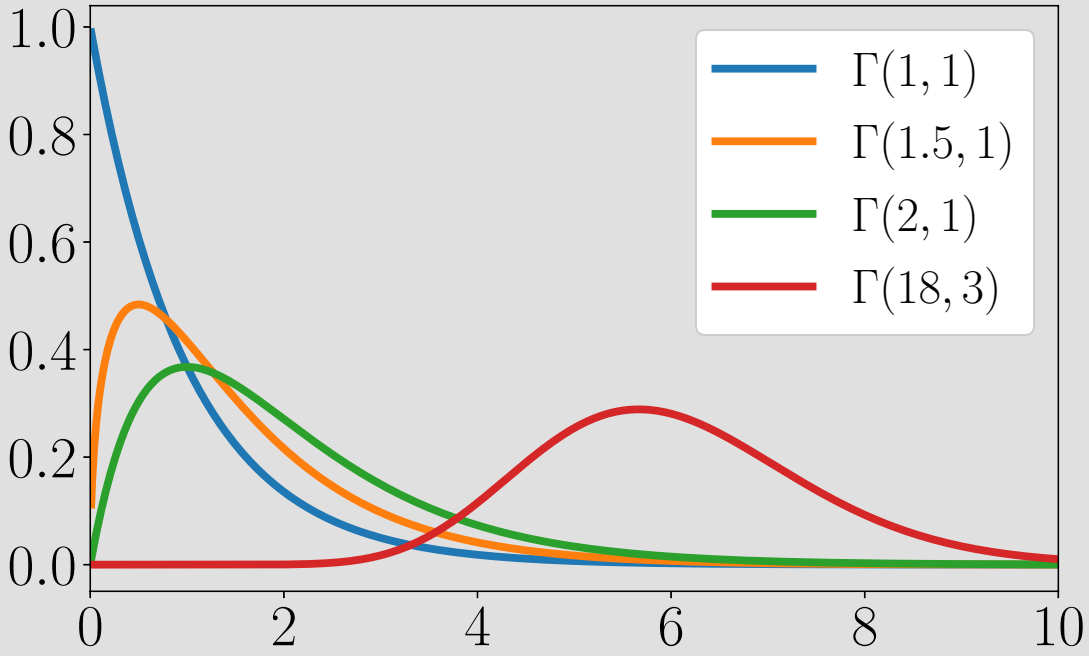

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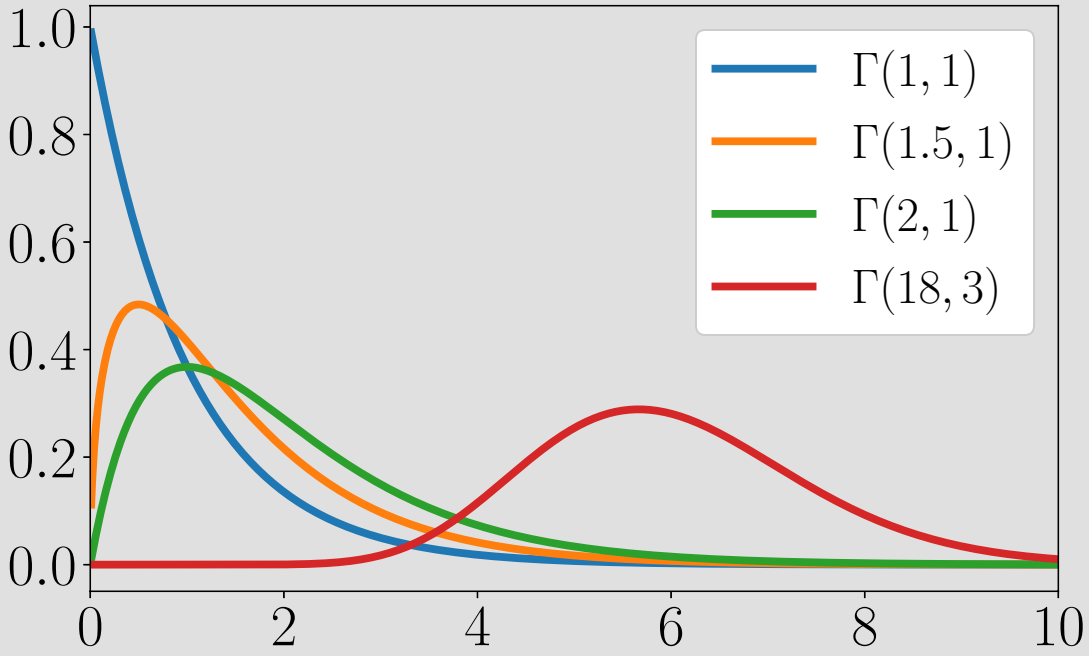

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So is a random variable

We could model it with a normal

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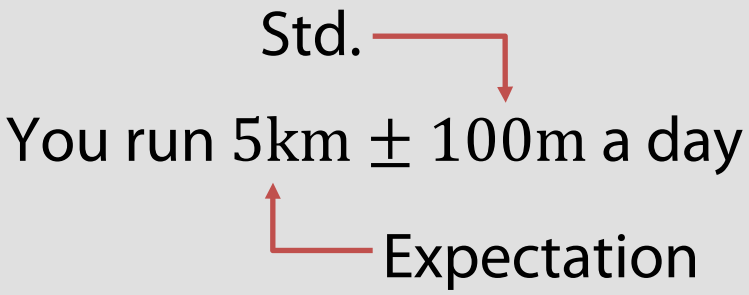

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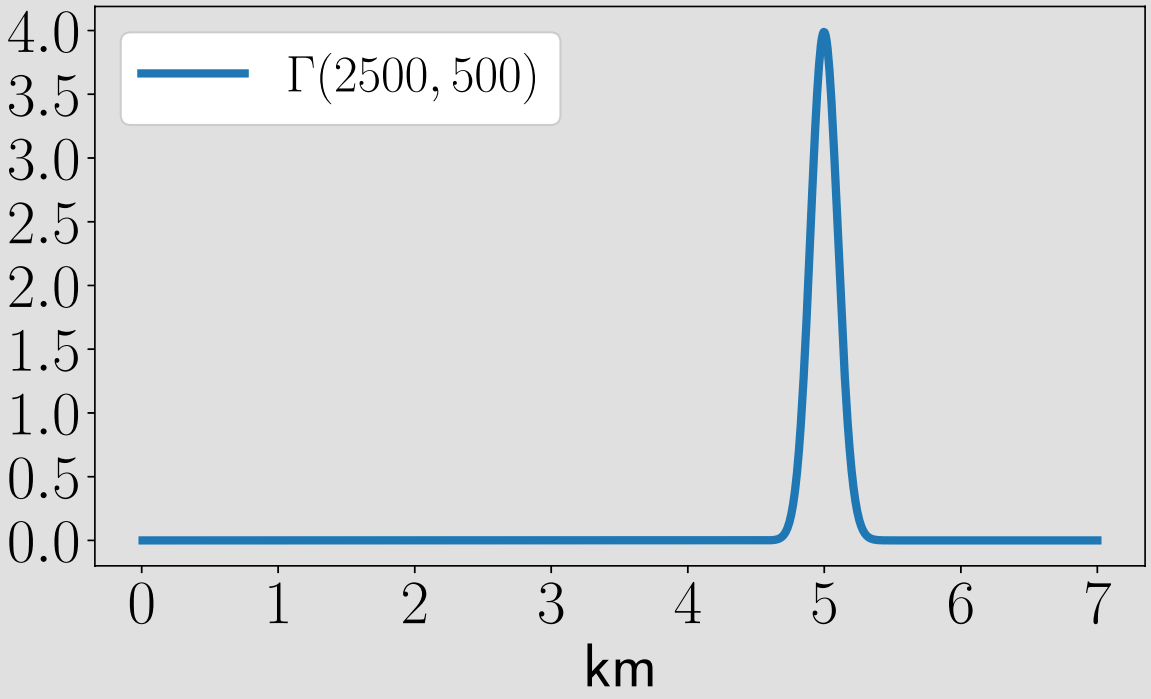

Example: Normal, precision

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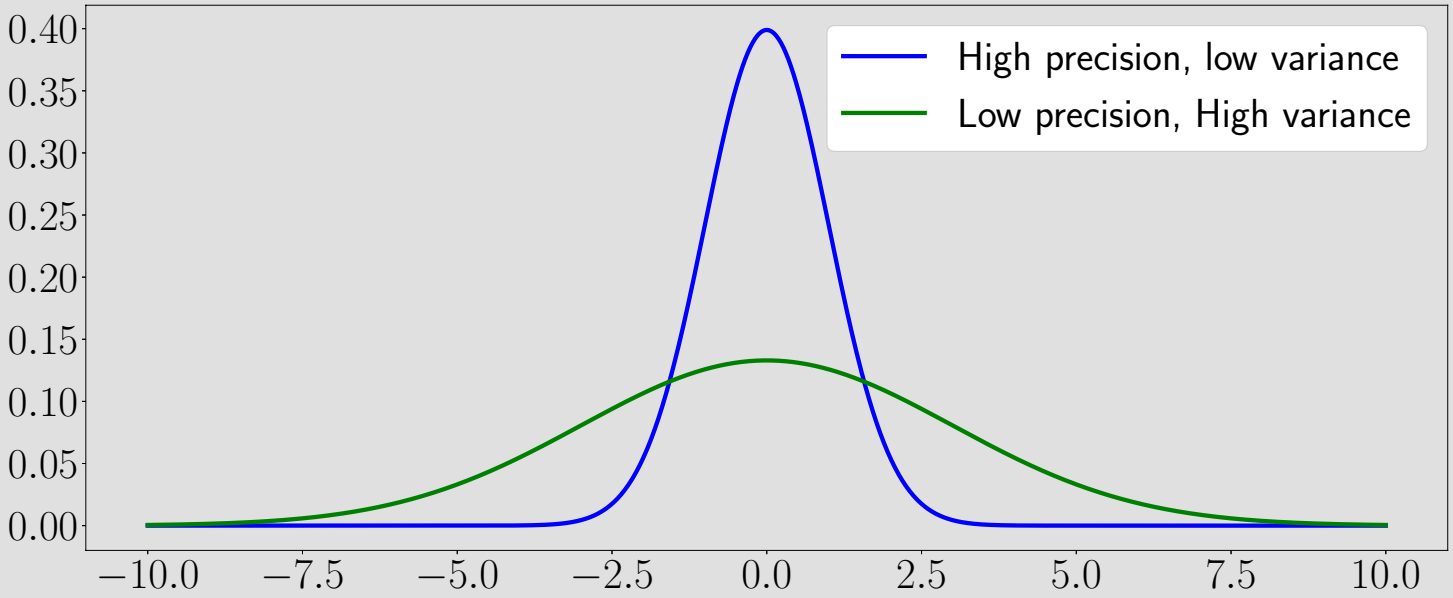
Precision $\gamma = \frac{1}{\sigma^2}$ Variance



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