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## Distribution Families Video

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- Hello and welcome back.  
So we have introduced random variables, and in this lecture I thought I'll just start and present what we're going to talk about next. So in relative, the random variables typically belong to certain families of distributions. And as you can see on this



### 8.0 Distributions Introduction

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For which value of the parameter  $\alpha$  is the function  $f(x) = \frac{2(10-x)+\alpha}{100}$  over  $\{1, 2, \dots, 10\}$  a p.m.f.?

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### Explanation

Following  $\sum_{x=1}^{10} f(x) = 1$ , we have  $\alpha = 1$ .

You have used 1 of 2 attempts

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