

# Inequalities

Blah blah

January 15, 2015

Assume we have i.i.d samples  $X_i \in \{0, 1\}$  from a Bernoulli distribution with mean  $p$

Hoeffding's inequality

$$P\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - p \geq \epsilon\right) \leq e^{-2n\epsilon^2} \quad (1)$$

Chebyshev

$$P\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - p \geq \epsilon\right) \leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} \sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}} \quad (2)$$

Chernoff

$$P\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - p \geq \epsilon\right) \leq e^{-nD(p+\epsilon||p)} \quad (3)$$