Lab Nr. 5, Probability and Statistics

Numerical Characteristics of Random Variables

Statistics Toolbox: stat

The means and variances of the following distributions:

Distribution	Notation	Mean $E(X)$	Variance $V(X)$
discrete uniform	U(m)	(m+1)/2	(m^2-1)/12
binomial	B(n,p)	n*p	n*p*q , q =1-p
hypergeometric	$H(N, n_1, n)$	n*n1/N	n*n1*(N-n1)*(N-n)/(N^2*(N-1))
Poisson	$P(\lambda)$	λ	λ
Pascal (Neg. Bin.)	NB(n,p)	n*q/p , q=1-p	n*q/p^2
geometric	G(p)	(1-p)/p	(1-p)/p^2
uniform	U(a,b)	(a+b)/2	(a-b)^2/12
normal	$N(\mu,\sigma)$	μ	σ^2
gamma	Ga(a,b)	a*b	a*b^2
exponential	$Exp(\lambda)$	1/λ	1/\lambda^2
beta	eta(a,b)	a/(a+b)	ab/((a+b+1)*(a+b)^2)
Student	T(n)	0	n/(n-2)
chi squared	$\chi^2(n)$	n	2*n
Fisher	F(m,n)	n/(n-2)	2*n^2*(m+n-2)/(m*(n-2)^2*(n-4))