

STAT 5700 formulas

$$\binom{n}{r} = {}_n C_r = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)}$$

$$P(B'|A) = 1 - P(B|A)$$

$$\text{Bayes Rule: } P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{P(B)}$$

$$\mu = E(Y) = \sum_{y \in \mathbb{S}} yp(y)$$

$$\sigma^2 = V(Y) = \sum_{y \in \mathbb{S}} (y - \mu)^2 p(y)$$

Distribution	Probability Function	Mean	Variance
Bernoulli	$p^y(1-p)^{1-y}$	p	$p(1-p)$
Binomial	$\binom{n}{y} p^y (1-p)^{n-y}$	np	$np(1-p)$
Geometric	$p(1-p)^{y-1}$	$\frac{1}{p}$	$\frac{1-p}{p^2}$
Hypergeometric	$\frac{\binom{r}{y} \binom{N-r}{n-y}}{\binom{N}{n}}$	$\frac{nr}{N}$	$n \left(\frac{r}{N} \right) \left(\frac{N-r}{N} \right) \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1} \right)$
Poisson	$\frac{\lambda^y e^{-\lambda}}{y!}$	λ	λ
Negative Binomial	$\binom{y-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^{y-r}$	$\frac{r}{p}$	$\frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$

$$\text{Geometric series: } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^n = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

$$\text{For geometric random variable, } P(Y > k) = (1-p)^k$$

$$\text{Maclaurin series expansion: } e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

$$\text{Binomial expansion: } (a+b)^n = \sum_{y=0}^n \binom{n}{y} a^y b^{n-y}$$

$$\text{Moment-generating function: } m(t) = E(e^{ty})$$