

FORMULA SHEET

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X	S_X	PMF	$E(X)$	$\text{Var}(X)$	MGF
Ber(p)	$\{0, 1\}$	$p^x(1-p)^{1-x}$	p	$p(1-p)$	$(1-p) + pe^t$
Bin(n, p)	$\{0, 1, \dots, n\}$	$\binom{n}{x} p^x(1-p)^{n-x}$	np	$np(1-p)$	$[(1-p) + pe^t]^n$
HG(N_1, N_2, n)	$x \leq n, x \leq N_1, n-x \leq N_2$	$\frac{\binom{N_1}{x} \binom{N_2}{n-x}}{\binom{N}{n}}$	$n \left(\frac{N_1}{N} \right)$	$n \left(\frac{N_1}{N} \right) \left(\frac{N_2}{N} \right) \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1} \right)$	
Geom(p)	$\{1, 2, \dots\}$	$p(1-p)^{x-1}$	$\frac{1}{p}$	$\frac{1-p}{p^2}$	$\frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t}$ for $t < -\ln(1-p)$
NB(r, p)	$\{r, r+1, \dots\}$	$\binom{x-1}{r-1} p^r(1-p)^{x-r}$	$\frac{r}{p}$	$\frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$	$\left[\frac{pe^t}{1-(1-p)e^t} \right]^r$ for $t < -\ln(1-p)$
Poisson(λ)	$\{0, 1, \dots\}$	$\frac{\lambda^x e^{-\lambda}}{x!}$	λ	λ	$e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}$