

Distribution	Parameters	PMF/PDF	$E[X]$	$\text{Var}(X)$	Support
Binomial( $n, p$ )	$n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ $p \in [0, 1]$	$P(X = x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1 - p)^{n-x}$	$np$	$np(1 - p)$	$x \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ , # of successes
Poisson( $\lambda$ )	$\lambda > 0$ (rate)	$P(X = x) = \frac{\lambda^x e^{-x}}{x!}$	$\lambda$	$\lambda$	$x \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ , counts
Uniform( $a, b$ )	$a < b \in \mathbb{R}$	$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{b - a}$	$\frac{a + b}{2}$	$\frac{(b - a)^2}{12}$	$x \in (a, b)$
Normal( $\mu, \sigma^2$ )	$\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ $\sigma^2 > 0$	$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(x - \mu)^2\}$	$\mu$	$\sigma^2$	$x \in \mathbb{R}$
Beta( $\alpha, \beta$ )	$\alpha > 0$ $\beta > 0$	$f_X(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1 - x)^{\beta-1}$	$\frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \beta}$	$\frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha + \beta)^2(\alpha + \beta + 1)}$	$x \in [0, 1]$
Gamma( $\alpha, \beta$ )	$\alpha > 0$ (shape) $\beta > 0$ (rate)	$f_X(x) = \frac{\beta^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x}$	$\frac{\alpha}{\beta}$	$\frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$	$x \in \mathbb{R}^+$
Exponential( $\lambda$ )	$\lambda > 0$ (rate)	$f_X(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda^2}$	$x \in [0, \infty)$
Student's $t_\nu$	$\nu > 0$ (d.f.)	$f_X(x) = \frac{\Gamma((\nu + 1)/2)}{\sqrt{\nu\pi}\Gamma(\nu/2)} \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{\nu}\right)^{-(\nu+1)/2}$	0, if $\nu > 1$ DNE o.w.	$\frac{\nu}{\nu - 2}$ , if $\nu > 2$ $\infty$ , if $1 < \nu \leq 2$ DNE o.w.	$x \in \mathbb{R}$
Chi-Squared( $k$ )	$k \in \{1, 2, \dots\}$ (d.f.)	$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(k/2)} x^{k/2-1} e^{-x/2}$	$k$	$2k$	$x \in (0, \infty)$ , if $k = 1$ $x \in [0, \infty)$ o.w.