

Continous Distrubutions

Name	$f(x)$	E(X)	Var(X)	$M_X(t)$
$X \sim U(a, b)$	$\frac{1}{b-a}, a < x < b$	$\frac{a+b}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$	$\frac{e^{bt} - e^{at}}{t(b-a)}$
$X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta)$	$\frac{x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\frac{x}{\beta}}}{\beta^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha)}, 0 < x < \infty$	$\alpha\beta$	$\alpha\beta^2$	$(1 - \beta t)^{-\alpha}$
$X \sim \chi^2(r)$	$\frac{x^{\frac{r}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}}}{2^{\frac{r}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{r}{2})}, 0 < x < \infty$	r	$2r$	$(1 - 2t)^{-\frac{r}{2}}$
$X \sim \exp(\lambda)$	$\frac{1}{\lambda} e^{-\frac{x}{\lambda}}, 0 < x < \infty$	λ	λ^2	$(1 - \lambda t)^{-1}$
$X \sim \beta(a, b)$	$\frac{1}{\beta(a, b)} x^{a-1} (1-x)^{b-1}, 0 < x < 1$	$\frac{a}{a+b}$	$\frac{ab}{(a+b)^2(a+b+1)}$	∞
$X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(x-\mu)^2}, -\infty < x < \infty$	μ	σ^2	$e^{\mu t + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t^2}$

Discrete Distrubutions

Name	$f(x)$	E(X)	Var(X)	$M_X(t)$
$X \sim b(n, p)$	$\binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$	np	$np(1-p)$	$(1-p + pe^t)^n$
$X \sim \text{ber}(p)$	$p^x (1-p)^{1-x}, x = 0, 1$	p	$p(1-p)$	$1-p + pe^t$
$X \sim \text{po}(\lambda)$	$\frac{\lambda^x e^{-\lambda}}{x!}, x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \infty$	λ	λ	$e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}$
$X \sim G(p)$	$p(1-p)^{x-1}, x = 1, 2, \dots, \infty$	$\frac{q}{p}$	$\frac{q}{p^2}$	$\frac{p}{1-(1-p)e^t}$

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