



STATISTICS I - 2nd Year Management Science BSc - 1st semester – 15/01/2014

Época Normal – Theoretical Part (40 minutes)

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1. Let A_i ($i = 1,2,3$), B and C events of a sample space S with positive probability.

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| Let X be a continuous random variable, then $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, F(x + 0) - F(x) = 0$. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Let $Y = \varphi(X)$ be a function of X . If X is a continuous random variable, then Y can only be a continuous random variable. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| Let X be a mixed random variable and b a discontinuity point of $F(x)$, then $P(X \leq b) > P(X < b)$ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| If X and Y are independent random variables then $M_{X+Y}(t) = M_X(t) \times M_Y(t)$ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Let (X, Y) be a discrete random variable with joint probability function $f_{(X,Y)}(x, y)$, then $P(Y \leq a) = \sum_{y \leq a} \sum_{x \in D_X} f_{(X,Y)}(x, y)$ $a \in D_Y$. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Let X be a random variable with $E(X) = \mu$; $Var(X) = \sigma^2$ and $Y = (3X - 2)/\sigma$, then $Var(Y) = 9$. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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4. Let X be a random variable:

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| If the number of events that occur in a minute follows a Poisson distribution with mean λ , then the time, in minutes, between consecutive events follows a Gamma with mean $1/\lambda$. | | |
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| If $X \sim U(0, 1)$, then $P(X > 3) = 1$ | | |
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5. Let (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) be a random sample of size $n > 2$ selected from a population X with unknown parameters.

| | T | F |
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| $(X_{(n)} - X_{(1)})/\sigma$ is a statistic | | |
| The larger the sample size, n , the smaller the $Var[\bar{X}]$ | | |
| If $T \sim t_{(n)}$, then $P(T < a) < 0.5$ ($a < 0$) | | |
| $P(X_1 > x, X_2 > x) = [P(X > x)]^2$ for any value of x | | |

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6. Let $A, B, C \in \Omega$ with positive probabilities be mutually independent events.

Prove that $P(A - B|C) = P(A)P(\bar{B})$.

[Cotação: 15].

7. Let $X \sim Po(\lambda)$, prove that $E(X) = \frac{P(X=1)}{P(X=0)}$ and $Var(X) = 2 \cdot \frac{P(X=2)}{P(X=1)}$. [Cotação: 15]



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E N – Practical Part (80 minutes)

This is Part 2: 12 marks. The answers to the multiple-choice questions should be given by signalling with an **X** the corresponding square. The other questions should be answered in the provided space.

Attention: For each of the multiple-choice questions, each correct answer is worth 10 points, each wrong answer is worth -2.5 points.

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Espaço reservado para a classificação

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| <p>1 a) (10)</p> <p> b) (20)</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>2 a)(20)</p> <p> b)(20)</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>3 a)(10)</p> <p> b)(20)</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>4 a)(10)</p> <p> b)(10)</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>P-</p> <p>_____</p> |
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1. NANIOTEC is a firm that deals with technological development. It develops nanotecnologic and biotecnologic products. It is known that 30% of its employees are nanotecnology experts. It is also known that if an employee is a nanotecnology expert the probability that she\he is also a biotecnolgy expert is 40% and if she\he is not a nanotecnology expert the probability that she\he is a biotecnolgy expert is 80%.

a) In a random sample of 16 employees compute the probability that at least half of them being nanotecnology experts.

0,9513

0,0257

0,8990

0,0744

b) If we know that an employee is a biotecnology expert find the probability that she\he is a nanotecnology expert too?

2. Let (X, Y) be a two dimensional random variable with joint probability density function given by

$$f(x, y) = kx^2y \quad (0 < x < 1; \quad 0 < y < 1)$$

a) Prove that $k = 6$ and compute the probability that $P(X < 0.5)$

b) Find the expected value for Y when $X = 0.6$. What can you say about the independence between X and Y ?

3. The duration (in minutes) of advertisements in a television channel is a random variable following an uniform distribution in the interval (1,1.5). In a day 36 of these news services are randomly selected.

a) Compute the probability that one of the news services lasts more than 1.2 minutes?

0,4

0,6

0,2

0,8

b) Find the probability that the mean duration of the advertisements, in the sample, be less than 1.2 minutes?

4. The number of planes that land in a certain airport follows a Poisson process with a mean rate of 6 per hour.

a) Find the probability that in a 10 minutes interval less than 2 planes land at that airport.

0.9197

0.1839

0.3679

0.7358

b) Compute the probability that the time between two consecutive landings do not exceed 5 minutes?

0.3935

1.0000

0.6065

0.0000