

### STATISTICS I - 2nd Year Management Science BSc - 1st semester - 14/01/2015

#### 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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If $P(A_1) + P(A_2) + P(A_3) = 1$ , then $A_1$ , $A_2$ and $A_3$ are a partition of the sample space S.	
Se $B \subset A_2$ , então $P(B) = P(B   A_2) \times P(A_2)$	
$P[(A \cap B) \cup (A \cap B')] = P(A)$	
If $P(B) \neq 0$ and $A_1, A_2, A_3$ are mutually exclusive events then	
$P(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3   B) = P(B A_1)P(A_1) + P(B A_2)P(A_2) + P(B A_3)P(A_3).$	

**2.** Let *X* be a random variable with cumulative distribution function  $F_X(x)$ .

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Let <i>X</i> be a discrete random variable, then $\forall x \in \mathbb{N}, F(x + 0) - F(x) = 0$ .	
Let <i>X</i> be a continuous random variable with p.d.f. $f(x) > 0$ ( $x > 0$ ) and the random variable $Y = \begin{cases} 0 & X \le 1 \\ 1 & X > 1 \end{cases}$ . <i>Y</i> is a discrete random variable.	
If X is a continuous random variable, its p.d.f. $f(x)$ has range $\Re$ and codomain [0;1]	
Let <i>X</i> be a mixed random variable and <b>b</b> a discontinuity point of $F(x)$ , then $P(X \le b) > P(X \le b)$	

**3.** Let (X, Y) be a two-dimensional random variable with cumulative distribution function  $F_{X,Y}(x, y)$ .

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If $Cov(X,Y) = 0$ , then $E[X Y] = E(X)$ .		
If $M'_X(0)$ and $M''_X(0)$ exist, $\mu_2$ may not exist.		
Let $(X, Y)$ be discrete with joint probability function $f_{(X,Y)}(x, y)$ , then		
$P(Y \le a) = \sum_{y \le a} \sum_{x \in D_X} f_{(X,Y)}(x,y)  a \in D_Y.$		
If $F_{X,Y}(1.5, 2.0) = 1$ , then $F_{X,Y}(2.0, 1.5) \le 1$		

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**4**. Let *X* be a random variable:

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Consider a Poisson process with intensity $\lambda$ in an interval $\Delta t$ . The time that elapses until the 3 <sup>rd</sup> occurrence has a Gamma distribution with parameters $(3, \lambda/\Delta t)$ .	
If $X \sim N(1, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow Y = \left(\frac{X-1}{\sigma}\right)^2 \sim \chi^2_{(1)}.$	
If the random variable X follows a uniform distribution in the interval $(0, 1)$ , and $0 < a < b < 1$ then $P(X > b X > a) = (1 - b)/(1 - a)$ .	
Let $Y_1 \sim Bi(n_1, \theta_1)$ and $Y_2 \sim Bi(n_2, \theta_2)$ $\theta_1 \neq \theta_2$ be independent random variables, then the random variable $V = Y_1 + Y_2 \sim Bi(n_1 + n_2, \theta_1 + \theta_2)$	

**5.** Let  $(X_1, X_2, ..., X_n)$  be a random sample of size n>2 selected from a population X with unknown parameters.

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Let $\bar{X}_1$ and $\bar{X}_2$ be sample means of samples from population $X$ with dimension $n_1$ , $n_2$ $(n_1 \neq n_2)$ respectively. Then $E(\bar{X}_1) = E(\bar{X}_2)$ .	
$Min\{X_i\}$ is a statistic.	
If $T \sim t_{(n)}$ , then $P(T < a) < 0.5$ $(a < 0)$ .	
$Max{X_i}$ and $Min{X_i}$ are independent random variables.	

# Each of the following questions is worth 15 points and should be answered in the space provided. Justify all your steps.

**6.** Let  $A, B, C \in \Omega$  with positive probabilities be mutually independent events. Prove that  $P[A \cap (B \cup C)] = P(A)P(B \cup C)$ .

[Cotação: 15].

**7.** Let  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  be a random sample from an exponential population with mean  $\lambda$ . Find the distribution of the sample. Justify every step. [Cotação: 15]



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Consider a Poisson process with intensity $\lambda$ in an interval $\Delta t$ . The time that elapses until the 3 <sup>rd</sup> occurrence has a Gamma distribution with parameters $(3, \Delta t / \lambda)$ .		
If $X \sim N(\mu, 16) \Rightarrow Y = \left(\frac{X-\mu}{\sigma 4}\right)^2 \sim \chi^2_{(1)}.$		
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#### STATISTICS I - 2nd Year Management Science BSc - 1st semester – 14/01/2015 E N – Practical Part (80 minutes)

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

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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- 1. The manager of a service station is planning to install new sections of car wash. To determine the number of sections to install, he decided that in the period of most intensive use, the likelihood of a car not being served immediately should not exceed 10 %. It is known that during the period in question, the number of car arrivals to be washed is a random variable with a Poisson distribution with mean 5. It is also known that each wash section can only serve one car in that period.
  - a) What is the minimum number of sections that should operate during this period? (Mark the correct answer box with a cross (X))

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**b)** If the period of most intensive use lasts 3 hours and at the beginning of this period there is a row of six cars, determine the probability that it will take more than one hour for the 6th vehicle to be attended.

**2**. The difference between the scheduled time of arrival of a bus at a certain stop and the effective time it arrives at that stop, in minutes, is a random variable whose probability density is given by:

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} k & 0 < x < 1\\ \frac{6}{5x^2} & 1 \le x < 5 \end{cases}$$

a) Find the value of k and determine the cumulative distribution function of the random variable X.

**b)** Consider a random sample of 9 users of this bus at this stop. Compute the probability that, in the sample, the lowest difference between the scheduled time of arrival and the effective time of arrival, has lasted less than 2 minutes.

**3.** Let (X, Y) be a two dimensional random variable, where X is the number of sports cars and Y is the number of vans sold at a certain car stand each month, with joint probability function given by:

$X \setminus Y$	0	1	2	3
0	0.05	0.10	0.10	0.05
1	0.10	0.10	0.05	0.03
2	0.10	0.08	0.05	0.03
3	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.02

a) Knowing that one sports car has been sold in December, find the expected value of van sales in the same month. (Mark the correct answer box with a cross (X))

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**b)** Compute the probability that, in a certain month, the total number of sports cars and vans sold at the stand is at least three.

- **4**. Based on information collected in previous years, it is known that the probability that an individual resident in a given region will join the annual vaccination campaign against flu is 0.25.
  - a) From a group of 12 residents determine the probability that more than 7 have joined the annual vaccination campaign against flu.

0.9885

0.0027

0.9599

0.0143

**b)** Knowing that this region has a population of 123,000 people, find the minimum number of vaccines that medical services should have to meet the vaccination requirements with a probability of at least 95%.