

## M1 常用公式

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## 0.1 Binomial Expansion

### Formula 0.1.1.

1.  $n! = n \times (n-1) \times (n-2) \times \cdots \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$ , where  $n$  is a positive integer

2.  $C_r^n = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!r!}$ , where  $n$  and  $r$  are positive integers and  $r \leq n$

3.  $0! = 1$  and  $C_0^n = 1$

4.  $\sum_{r=1}^n T_r = T_1 + T_2 + T_3 + \cdots + T_n$

5.  $\sum_{r=m}^n k = (n-m+1)k$

6.  $\sum_{r=m}^n ka_r = k \sum_{r=m}^n a_r$

7.  $\sum_{r=m}^n a_r + \sum_{r=m}^n b_r = \sum_{r=m}^n (a_r + b_r)$

8.  $(a+b)^n = a^n + C_1^n a^{n-1}b + C_2^n a^{n-2}b^2 + \cdots + C_{n-1}^n ab^{n-1} + b^n = \sum_{r=0}^n C_r^n a^{n-r}b^r$

## 0.2 Exponential Functions and Logarithmic Functions

### Formula 0.2.1.

1.  $e = 1 + \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n!} + \cdots$

2.  $e^x = 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \cdots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \cdots$

## 0.3 Differentiation

### Formula 0.3.1.

1.  $\frac{d}{dx}(k) = 0$
2.  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$ , where  $n$  is any real number
3.  $\frac{d}{dx}(ku) = k\frac{du}{dx}$
4.  $\frac{d}{dx}(u \pm v) = \frac{du}{dx} \pm \frac{dv}{dx}$
5.  $\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u\frac{dv}{dx} + v\frac{du}{dx}$
6.  $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{u}{v}\right) = \frac{v\frac{du}{dx} - u\frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$
7.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$
8.  $\frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x$
9.  $\frac{d}{dx}(a^x) = a^x \ln a$ , where  $a > 0$  and  $a \neq 1$
10.  $\frac{d}{dx}(\ln x) = \frac{1}{x}$ , where  $x > 0$
11.  $\frac{d}{dx}(\log_a x) = \frac{1}{x \ln a}$ , where  $x > 0$ ,  $a > 0$  and  $a \neq 1$

## 0.4 Applications of Differentiation

### Formula 0.4.1.

1. The equation of the tangent to the curve  $y = f(x)$  at the point  $(x, y)$  is

$$y - y_1 = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=x_1} (x - x_1)$$

2. Increasing and decreasing functions

(a) If  $f'(x) > 0$  on  $a < x < b$  then  $f(x)$  is increasing on  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

(b) If  $f'(x) < 0$  on  $a < x < b$  then  $f(x)$  is decreasing on  $a \leq x \leq b$ .

### 3. Local extrema

- (a) A function  $y = f(x)$  attains a local maximum at  $x = x_0$ , if  $f(x_0) \geq f(x)$  for all  $x$  in an open interval containing  $x_0$ .  $(x_0, f(x_0))$  is called a maximum point.
- (b) A function  $y = f(x)$  attains a local minimum at  $x = x_0$ , if  $f(x_0) \leq f(x)$  for all  $x$  in an open interval containing  $x_0$ .  $(x_0, f(x_0))$  is called a minimum point.

### 4. First derivative test

- (a)  $f(x)$  attains a local maximum at  $x = x_0$ . if  $f'(x_0) = 0$  and  $f'(x)$  changes from positive to negative as  $x$  increases through  $x_0$ .
- (b)  $f(x)$  attains a local minimum at  $x = x_0$ . if  $f'(x_0) = 0$  and  $f'(x)$  changes from negative to positive as  $x$  increases through  $x_0$ .

### 5. Second derivative test

- (a)  $f(x)$  attains a local maximum at  $x = x_0$  if  $f'(x_0) = 0$  and  $f''(x_0) < 0$ .
- (b)  $f(x)$  attains a local minimum at  $x = x_0$  if  $f'(x_0) = 0$  and  $f''(x_0) > 0$ .

### 6. Concavity

- (a) If  $f''(x) < 0$  on an interval. then the curve  $y = f(x)$  is concave downwards on the interval.
- (b) If  $f''(x) > 0$  on an interval. then the curve  $y = f(x)$  is concave upwards on the interval.

### 7. Global extrema

- (a) A function  $y = f(x)$  attains its global maximum at  $x = x_0$  if  $f(x_0) \geq f(x)$  for all  $x$  in the domain of  $f(x)$ , i.e. the global maximum of  $f(x)$  is  $f(x_0)$ .
- (b) A function  $y = f(x)$  attains its global minimum at  $x = x_0$  if  $f(x_0) \leq f(x)$  for all  $x$  in the domain of  $f(x)$ , i.e. the global minimum of  $f(x)$  is  $f(x_0)$ .

### 8. Rate of change

For any function  $u = f(t)$ , the rate of change of  $u$  with respect to  $t$  is  $\frac{du}{dt}$  (or  $f'(t)$ ).

## 0.5 Indefinite Integration and its Applications

### Formula 0.5.1.

1. If  $\frac{d}{dx}[F(x)] = f(x)$ , then  $\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$ , where  $C$  is an arbitrary constant.
2.  $\int k dx = kx + C$
3.  $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, n \neq -1$
4.  $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| + C$
5.  $\int e^x dx = e^x + C$
6.  $\int e^{kx} dx = \frac{1}{k}e^{kx} + C$
7.  $\int ku dx = k \int u dx$
8.  $\int (u \pm v) dx = \int u dx \pm \int v dx$

## 0.6 Definite Integration and its Applications

### Formula 0.6.1.

1.  $\int_a^a f(x) dx = 0$
2.  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = -\int_b^a f(x) dx$
3.  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx$
4.  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(u) du$
5. Trapezoidal Rule  

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{\Delta x}{2}[f(x_0) + 2f(x_1) + 2f(x_2) + \cdots + 2f(x_{n-1}) + f(x_n)],$$
where  $x_0 = a$ ,  
 $x_n = b$ ,  $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$  and  $x_i = a + i\Delta x$  for  $i = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ .

## 0.7 Further Probability

### Formula 0.7.1.

$$1. P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$2. P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B|A)$$

$$3. P(A|B) + P(A'|B) = 1$$

$$4. P(A \cap B) + P(A' \cap B) = P(B)$$

$$5. P(A' \cap B') = 1 - P(A \cup B)$$

6. *Test for independence*

(a) *If  $A$  and  $B$  are independent events, then  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$ .*

(b) *If  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$ , then  $A$  and  $B$  are independent events.*

(c) *If  $A$  and  $B$  are not independent events, then they are dependent events*

7. *Law of total probability*

$$P(B) = P(A_1 \cap B) + P(A_2 \cap B) + \cdots + P(A_n \cap B) = P(A_1)P(B|A_1) + P(A_2)P(B|A_2) + \cdots + P(A_n)P(B|A_n)$$

8. *Bayes' theorem*

$$\begin{aligned} P(A_i|B) &= \frac{P(A_i \cap B)}{P(B)} \\ &= \frac{P(A_i \cap B)}{P(A_1 \cap B) + P(A_2 \cap B) + \cdots + P(A_n \cap B)} \\ &= \frac{P(A_i)P(B|A_i)}{P(A_1)P(B|A_1) + P(A_2)P(B|A_2) + \cdots + P(A_n)P(B|A_n)} \end{aligned}$$



## 0.8 Discrete Random Variables and Probability Distributions

### Formula 0.8.1.

#### 1. Expectation and Variance

Let  $X$  be a discrete random variable with probability function  $P(X = x)$ .

(a) i. The expectation or expected value of  $X$  is given by

$$E(X) = \mu = \sum_x xP(X = x)$$

ii. The expectation of a function  $g(X)$  of  $X$  is given by

$$E[g(X)] = \mu = \sum_x g(X)P(X = x)$$

(b) The variance of  $X$  is given by

$$\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2 = E[(X - \mu)^2] = \sum_x (x - \mu)^2 P(X = x)$$

$$\text{or } \text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2 = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

(c) For any constants  $a$  and  $b$ ,

$$i. E(aX + b) = aE(X) + b$$

$$ii. \text{Var}(aX + b) = a^2 \text{Var}(X)$$

## 0.9 Discrete Probability Distributions

### Formula 0.9.1.

1. If  $X$  follows a Bernoulli distribution with the probability of success being  $p$ , then

$$(a) P(X = x) = p^x(1 - p)^{1-x} \text{ for } x = 0, 1$$

$$(b) E(X) = p$$

$$(c) \text{Var}(X) = p(1 - p)$$

2. If  $X \sim B(n, p)$ , then

$$(a) P(X = x) = C_x^n p^x (1 - p)^{n-x} \text{ for } x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$(b) E(X) = np$$

$$(c) \text{Var}(X) = np(1 - p)$$

3. If  $X \sim Po(\lambda)$ , where  $\lambda > 0$ , then

$$(a) P(X = x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \text{ for } x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$(b) E(X) = \lambda$$

$$(c) \text{Var}(X) = \lambda$$

## 0.10 Continuous Random Variables and Normal Distribution

### Formula 0.10.1.

1. If  $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ , then

$$(a) \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} = Z \sim N(0, 1),$$

$$(b) P(x_1 \leq X \leq x_2) = P\left(\frac{x_1 - \mu}{\sigma} \leq Z \leq \frac{x_2 - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

## 0.11 Sampling Distribution and Parameter Estimation

### Formula 0.11.1.

1. Let  $\bar{X}$  be the sample mean of a random sample of size  $n$  drawn from a population with a mean of  $\mu$  and a variance of  $\sigma^2$ .

$$(a) \text{ For any population, } E(\bar{X}) = \mu \text{ and } \text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}.$$

$$(b) \text{ For a normal population, } \bar{X} \sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right).$$

$$(c) \text{ For a non-normal population, } \bar{X} \sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right) \text{ approximately for } n \geq 30.$$

2. Let  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  be a random sample of size  $n$  drawn from a population.

(a) The unbiased estimator of the population mean  $\mu$  is the sample mean

$$\bar{X} = \frac{X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n}{n}.$$

(b) The unbiased estimator of the population variance  $\sigma^2$  is the sample variance

$$S^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1} \text{ or } \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2}{n-1}$$