

STAT 437

FORMULA SHEET

1. If X is $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ then $M_X(r) = E(e^{Xr}) = e^{\mu r + \sigma^2 r^2 / 2}$.

2. If $S = X_1 + X_2 + \cdots + X_N$, X_i are i.i.d. and independent of N

$$\text{then } M_s(t) = M_N(\ln M_X(t))$$

$$E(S) = E(N)E(X)$$

$$\text{var}S = (E(X))^2 \text{var}N + E(N) \text{var}X$$

3. $M_{L_1}(r) = (M_X(r) - 1) / p_1 r$

4. $M_L(r) = \frac{\theta p_1 r}{1 - M_X(r) + (1 + \theta)p_1 r}$

5. $c = \lambda p_1 (1 + \theta)$

6. $\int_0^\infty e^{ur} [-\psi'(u)] du = \frac{\theta}{1 + \theta} \frac{M_X(r) - 1}{(1 - M_X(r) + (1 + \theta)p_1 r)}$

7. If X is Gamma, where $f(x) = \beta^\alpha x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x} / \Gamma(\alpha)$ then $M_x(r) = \left(\frac{\beta}{\beta-r}\right)^\alpha$, where $r < \beta$.

8. For the Compound Poisson model, the adjustment coefficient R is given by

$$1 + (1 + \theta) p_1 R = M_x(R), \quad R > 0.$$

9. $f_S(x) = \frac{\lambda}{x} \sum j p(j) f_S(x - j)$