

Table B Standard normal distribution; cdf $\Phi(x)$ and stop-loss premiums $\pi(x)$

	+0.00		+0.05		+0.10		+0.15		+0.20	
x	$\Phi(x)$	$\pi(x)$	$\Phi(x)$	$\pi(x)$	$\Phi(x)$	$\pi(x)$	$\Phi(x)$	$\pi(x)$	$\Phi(x)$	$\pi(x)$
0.00	0.500	0.3989	0.520	0.3744	0.540	0.3509	0.560	0.3284	0.579	0.3069
0.25	0.599	0.2863	0.618	0.2668	0.637	0.2481	0.655	0.2304	0.674	0.2137
0.50	0.691	0.1978	0.709	0.1828	0.726	0.1687	0.742	0.1554	0.758	0.1429
0.75	0.773	0.1312	0.788	0.1202	0.802	0.1100	0.816	0.1004	0.829	0.0916
1.00	0.841	0.0833	0.853	0.0757	0.864	0.0686	0.875	0.0621	0.885	0.0561
1.25	0.894	0.0506	0.903	0.0455	0.911	0.0409	0.919	0.0367	0.926	0.0328
1.50	0.933	0.0293	0.939	0.0261	0.945	0.0232	0.951	0.0206	0.955	0.0183
1.75	0.960	0.0162	0.964	0.0143	0.968	0.0126	0.971	0.0111	0.974	0.0097
2.00	0.977	0.0085	0.980	0.0074	0.982	0.0065	0.984	0.0056	0.986	0.0049
2.25	0.988	0.0042	0.989	0.0037	0.991	0.0032	0.992	0.0027	0.993	0.0023
2.50	0.994	0.0020	0.995	0.0017	0.995	0.0015	0.996	0.0012	0.997	0.0011
2.75	0.997	0.0009	0.997	0.0008	0.998	0.0006	0.998	0.0005	0.998	0.0005
3.00	0.999	0.0004	0.999	0.0003	0.999	0.0003	0.999	0.0002	0.999	0.0002
3.25	0.999	0.0002	1.000	0.0001	1.000	0.0001	1.000	0.0001	1.000	0.0001
3.50	1.000	0.0001	1.000	0.0000	1.000	0.0000	1.000	0.0000	1.000	0.0000

Table C Selected quantiles of the standard normal distribution

x	1.282	1.645	1.960	2.326	2.576	3.090	3.291	3.891	4.417
$\Phi(x)$	0.900	0.950	0.975	0.990	0.995	0.999	0.9995	0.99995	0.999995

Examples of use: $\Phi(1.17) \approx 0.6\Phi(1 + 0.15) + 0.4\Phi(1 + 0.20) \approx 0.879$;
 $\Phi^{-1}(0.1) = -1.282$; $\Phi(-x) = 1 - \Phi(x)$; $\pi(-x) = x + \pi(x)$.

NP approximation: If S has mean μ , variance σ^2 and skewness γ , then

$$\Pr\left[\frac{S-\mu}{\sigma} \leq x\right] \approx \Phi\left(\sqrt{\frac{9}{\gamma^2} + \frac{6x}{\gamma} + 1 - \frac{3}{\gamma}}\right)$$

$$\text{and } \Pr\left[\frac{S-\mu}{\sigma} \leq s + \frac{\gamma}{6}(s^2 - 1)\right] \approx \Phi(s)$$

Translated gamma approximation: If $G(\cdot; \alpha, \beta)$ is the gamma cdf, then

$$\Pr[S \leq x] \approx G(x - x_0; \alpha, \beta) \quad \text{with } \alpha = \frac{4}{\gamma^2}; \beta = \frac{2}{\gamma\sigma}; x_0 = \mu - \frac{2\sigma}{\gamma}.$$

Table D The main classes of distributions in the GLM *exponential dispersion family*, with the customary parameters as well as the (μ, ϕ) and (θ, ϕ) reparameterizations, and more properties

Distribution	Density Domain	(μ, ϕ) reparameterization Canonical link $\theta(\mu)$ Variance function $V(\mu)$	Cumulant function $b(\theta)$ $E[Y; \theta] = \mu(\theta) = b'(\theta)$
$N(\mu, \sigma^2)$	$\frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$	$\phi = \sigma^2$ $\theta(\mu) = \mu$ $V(\mu) = 1$	$\frac{\theta^2}{2}$ θ
Poisson(μ)	$e^{-\mu} \frac{\mu^y}{y!}$ $y = 0, 1, 2, \dots$	$\phi = 1$ $\theta(\mu) = \log \mu$ $V(\mu) = \mu$	e^θ e^θ
Poisson(μ, ϕ)	$e^{-\mu/\phi} \frac{(\mu/\phi)^{(y/\phi)}}{(y/\phi)!}$ $y = 0, \phi, 2\phi, \dots$	$\theta(\mu) = \log \mu$ $V(\mu) = \mu$	e^θ e^θ
Binomial(m, p) ($m \in \mathbb{N}$ fixed)	$\binom{m}{y} p^y (1-p)^{m-y}$ $y = 0, \dots, m$	$\mu = mp; \phi = 1$ $\theta(\mu) = \log \frac{\mu}{m-\mu}$ $V(\mu) = \mu(1 - \frac{\mu}{m})$	$m \log(1 + e^\theta)$ $\frac{me^\theta}{1+e^\theta}$
Negbin(r, p) ($r > 0$ fixed)	$\binom{r+y-1}{y} p^r (1-p)^y$ $y = 0, 1, \dots$	$\mu = \frac{r(1-p)}{p}; \phi = 1$ $\theta(\mu) = \log \frac{\mu}{r+\mu}$ $V(\mu) = \mu(1 + \frac{\mu}{r})$	$-r \log(1 - e^\theta)$ $\frac{re^\theta}{1-e^\theta}$
Gamma(α, β)	$\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \beta^\alpha y^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta y}$ $y > 0$	$\mu = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}; \phi = \frac{1}{\alpha}$ $\theta(\mu) = -\frac{1}{\mu}$ $V(\mu) = \mu^2$	$-\log(-\theta)$ $-\frac{1}{\theta}$
IG(α, β)	$\frac{\alpha y^{-3/2}}{\sqrt{2\pi\beta}} \exp \frac{-(\alpha-\beta y)^2}{2\beta y}$ $y > 0$	$\mu = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}; \phi = \frac{\beta}{\alpha^2}$ $\theta(\mu) = -\frac{1}{2\mu^2}$ $V(\mu) = \mu^3$	$-\sqrt{-2\theta}$ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{-2\theta}}$
Tweedie(λ, α, β) (α fixed; $p = \frac{\alpha+2}{\alpha+1}$)	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\beta^{\alpha n} y^{\alpha n - 1} e^{-\beta y}}{\Gamma(\alpha n)} \frac{\lambda^n e^{-\lambda}}{n!}$ for $y > 0$; $e^{-\lambda}$ for $y = 0$	$\mu = \frac{\lambda\alpha}{\beta}; \phi = \frac{\alpha+1}{\beta} \mu^{1-p}$ $\theta(\mu) = \frac{\mu^{1-p}}{p-1}$ $V(\mu) = \mu^p$	$\frac{\{(1-p)\theta\}^{(2-p)/(1-p)}}{2-p}$ $\{(1-p)\theta\}^{1/(1-p)}$