

# NORMAL CURVE

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IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, MAKE A SKETCH OF THE NORMAL CURVE, AND SHADE THE AREA UNDER DISCUSSION.

1 (5 points). Consider  $Z$ , the standard normal distribution.

(a) Find the area under the standard normal curve that lies to the right of the  $z$ -score 1.105

(b) Find the area under the standard normal curve that lies between  $z$ -scores  $z_1 = -2.718$  and  $z_2 = -2.222$

(c) Find the 77-th percentile of  $Z$

(d) Find the  $z$ -scores that bound the middle 6% of the area under the standard normal curve.

$$z_1 =$$

$$z_2 =$$

**2** (6 points). The average monthly household income in Ukraine in 2016 is 5200 hryvnias (about \$200) with the standard deviation of 900 hryvnias. Assume that the population is normally distributed.

- (a) Describe the distribution of  $X$ , a random household income.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (b) Find the proportion of the household population with incomes below 4500 hryvnias.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (c) Find the proportion of the household population with incomes above 7000 hryvnias.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (d) Find the proportion of the household population with incomes between 5000 and 6000 hryvnias.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (e) Find the 13-th percentile of the household income.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (f) How much money does Olesya's household make if only 2% of all households make even more?

3 (6 points). Let  $X \sim N(\mu = -6, \sigma = 2)$ .

(a) Find  $P(X \leq -5)$

(b) Find  $P(X = -6)$

(c) Find  $P(X > 0)$

(d) Find numbers  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  that bound the middle 99.9% of the area under the graph of pdf of  $X$

$x_1 =$

$x_2 =$

(e) Find the number  $x$  such that 25% of values of  $X$  are greater than  $x$

4 (2 points). Let  $Y$  be the normal random variable with mean 21 and standard deviation 3. Create a relative frequency histogram with the following classes, and frequencies equal to the areas under the normal curve  $Y$

class	frequency
(10, 12)	
(12, 14)	
(14, 16)	
(16, 18)	
(18, 20)	
(20, 22)	
(22, 24)	
(24, 26)	
(26, 28)	
(28, 30)	
(30, 32)	

