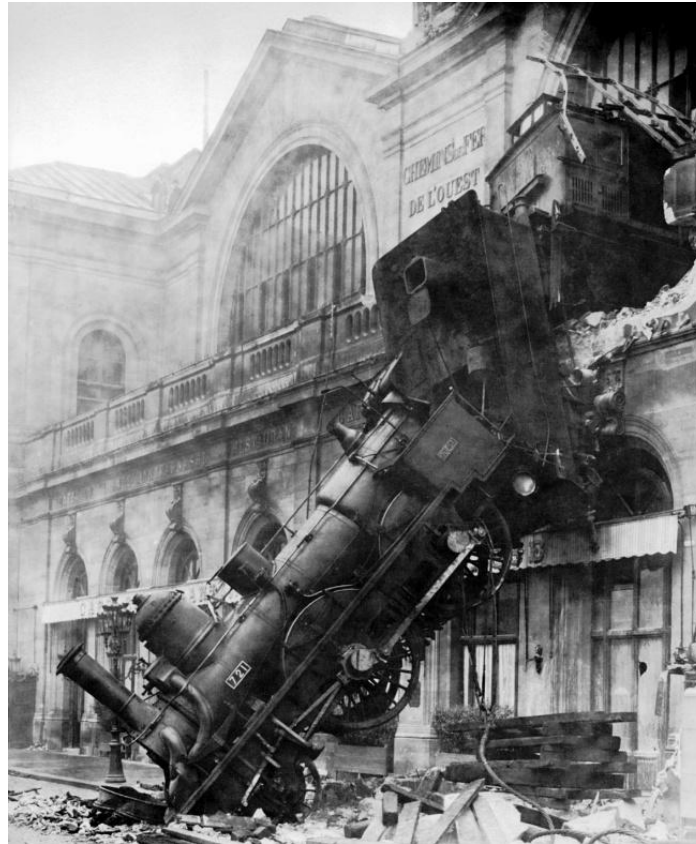


# Unit 3



**Confidence limits**

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# Summary

1.- Bayes theorem

2.- Maximum likelihood method

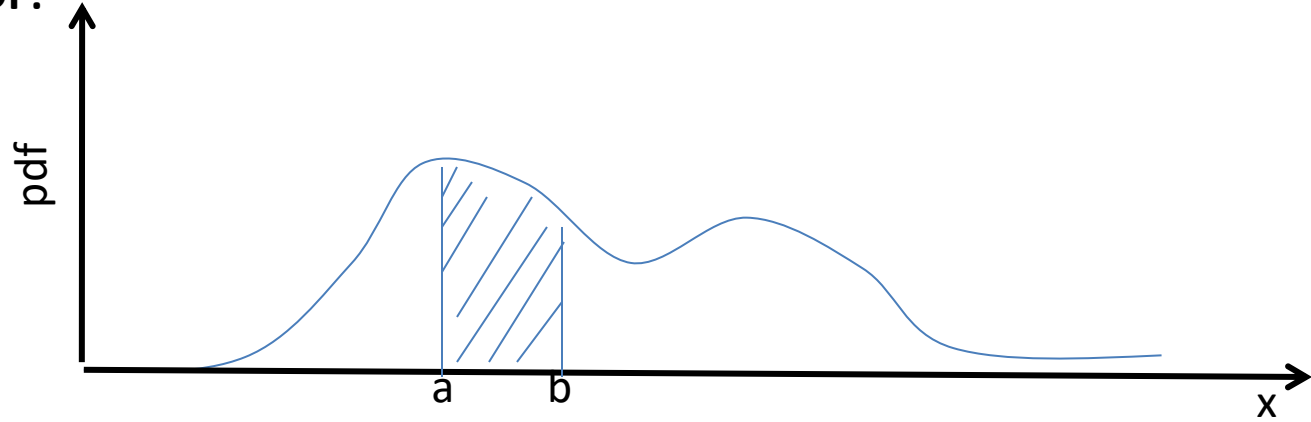
3.- Estimation of reliability parameters from tests

4.- Confidence limits of parameters:

normal distribution

# Confidence intervals: the general case

Let's consider a PDF:



Relation with probabilities

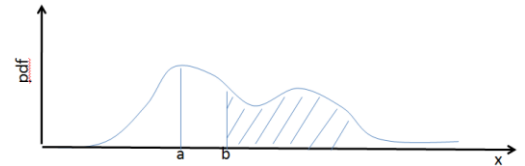
$$p(a < x < b) = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Therefore

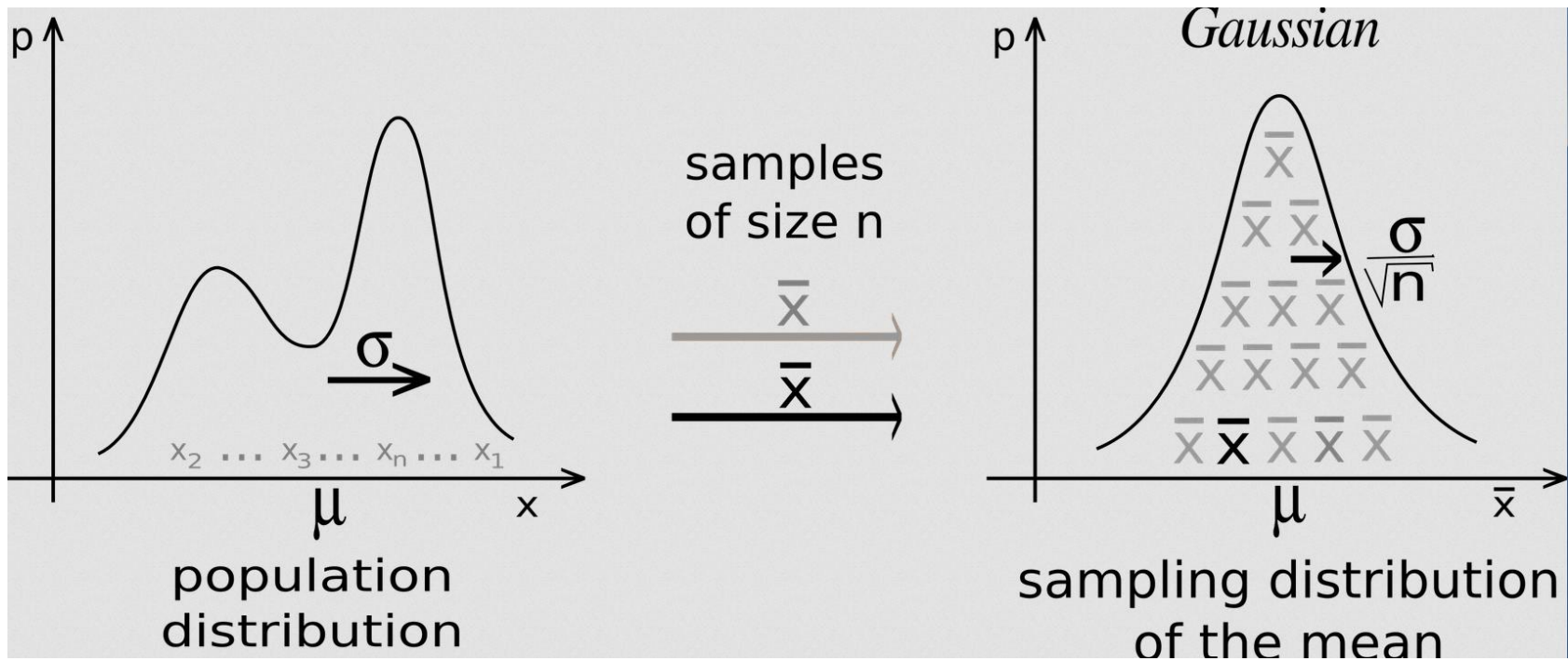
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) = 1$$

P-value for  $b$  (one side)

$$p(x > b) = \int_b^{\infty} f(x) dx$$



# Central limit theorem

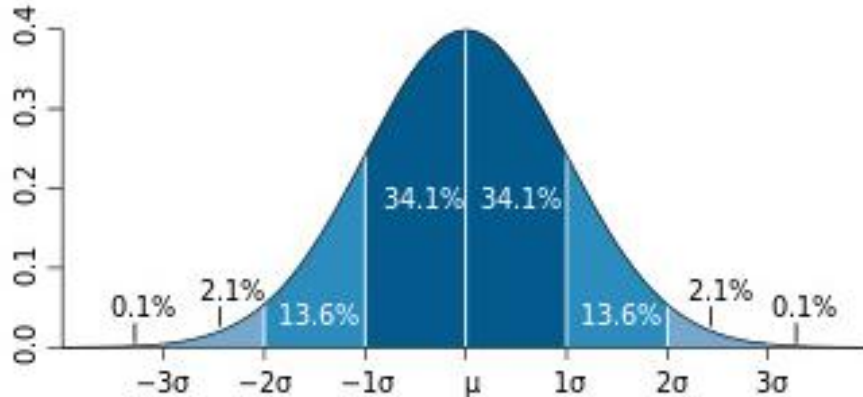


The distribution of the mean tends to be gaussian when increasing  $n$   
**no matters the pdf that originated the mean!!!!**

This is the good and the bad thing from statistics is based on the normal PDF!!!!

# Standard Normal distribution

Standard Normal distribution ( $\mu=0$ ,  $\sigma=1$ )



$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}x^2\right)$$

Therefore, defining a “z-value”  
for the whole population as  $z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma_x}$

Therefore, defining a  
“z-value” for n units

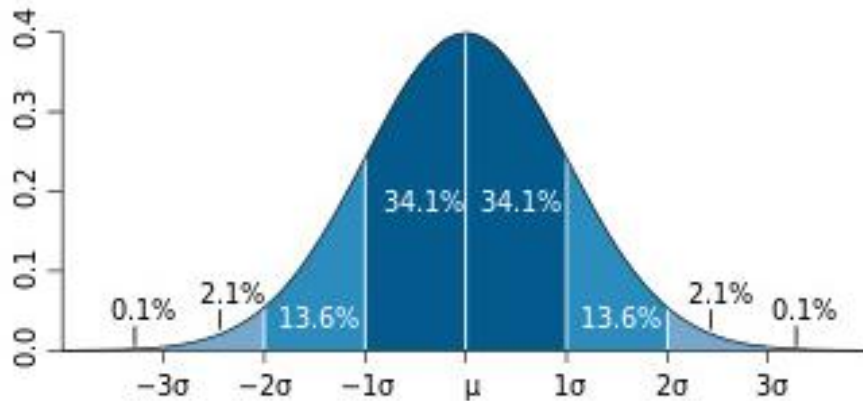
$$z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma_x / \sqrt{n}}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_x}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x - \mu}{\sigma_x}\right)^2\right) \Rightarrow f(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}z^2\right)$$

Z follows a **standard** normal distribution function...

# Confidence intervals: the normal case

## Normal distribution



$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_x}} \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma_x^2}\right)$$

$$f(x) \equiv N(\mu, \sigma)$$

## Relation with probabilities

$$p(-\sigma_x < x < \sigma_x) = \int_{-\sigma}^{\sigma} f(x) dx = 68.2\%$$

**P-value for normal distribution for a value a: is related with the variance**

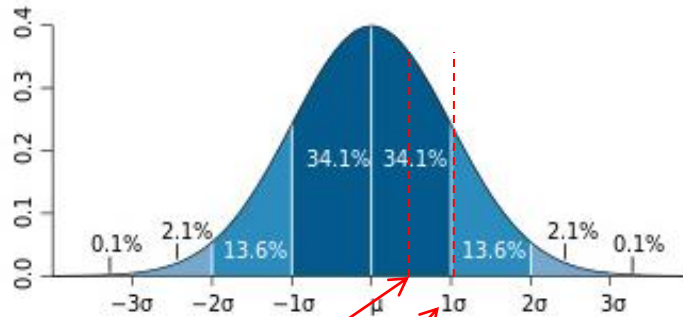
$$p(-\sigma_x < x < \sigma_x) = \int_{-\sigma}^{\sigma} f(x) dx = 68.2\%$$

So we have a relationship between confidence intervals and probability!

There is a 68,2% of chances that your real value is inside your “error “

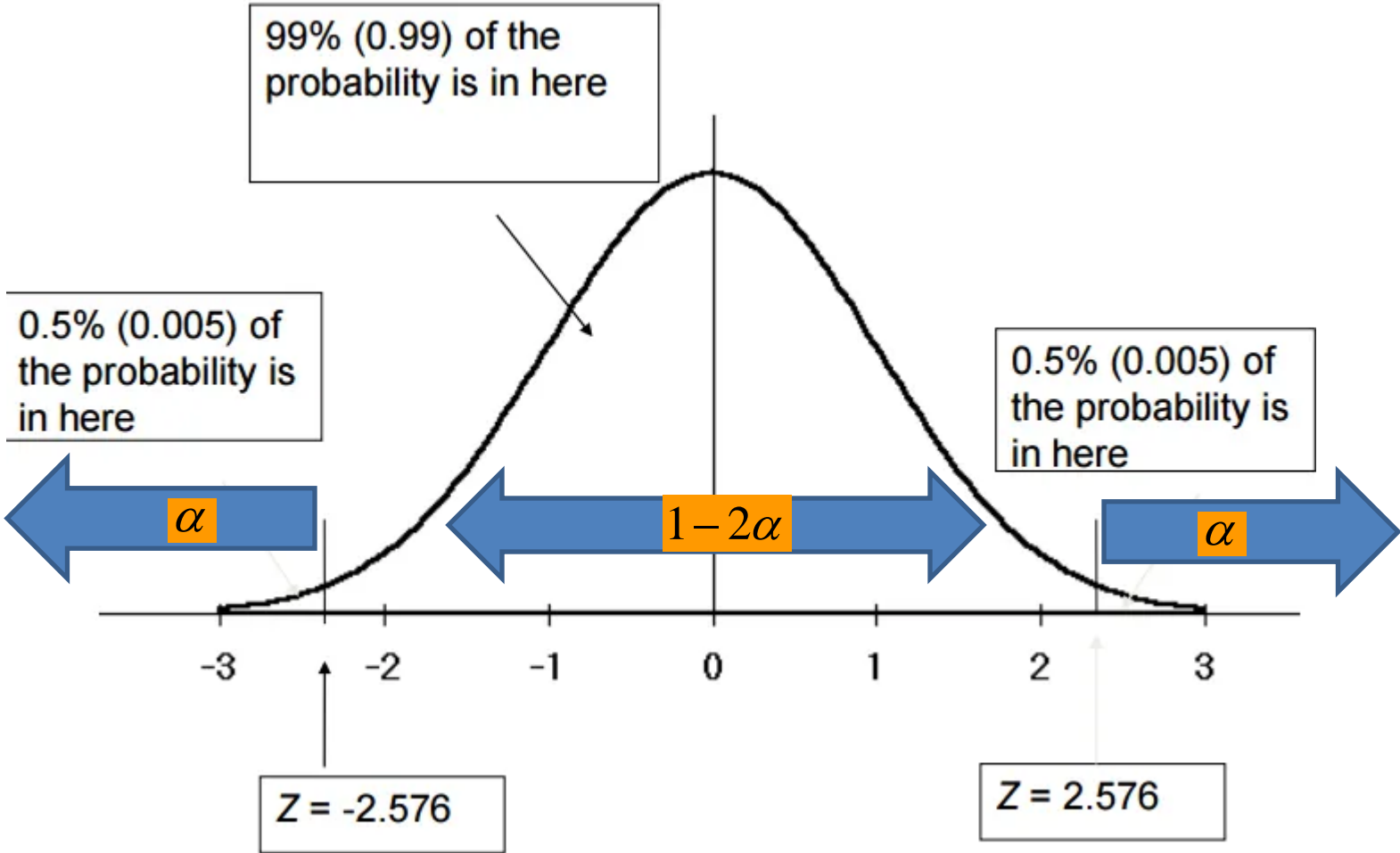
(assuming that x has a normal distribution;-)

# standard normal table



| z   | +0.00   | +0.01   | +0.02   | +0.03   | +0.04   | +0.05   | +0.06   | +0.07   | +0.08   | +0.09   |
|-----|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 0.0 | 0.00000 | 0.00399 | 0.00798 | 0.01197 | 0.01595 | 0.01994 | 0.02392 | 0.02790 | 0.03188 | 0.03586 |
| 0.1 | 0.03983 | 0.04380 | 0.04776 | 0.05172 | 0.05567 | 0.05962 | 0.06356 | 0.06749 | 0.07142 | 0.07535 |
| 0.2 | 0.07926 | 0.08317 | 0.08706 | 0.09095 | 0.09483 | 0.09871 | 0.10257 | 0.10642 | 0.11026 | 0.11409 |
| 0.3 | 0.11791 | 0.12172 | 0.12552 | 0.12930 | 0.13307 | 0.13683 | 0.14058 | 0.14431 | 0.14803 | 0.15173 |
| 0.4 | 0.15542 | 0.15910 | 0.16276 | 0.16640 | 0.17003 | 0.17364 | 0.17724 | 0.18082 | 0.18439 | 0.18793 |
| 0.5 | 0.19146 | 0.19497 | 0.19847 | 0.20194 | 0.20540 | 0.20884 | 0.21226 | 0.21566 | 0.21904 | 0.22240 |
| 0.6 | 0.22575 | 0.22907 | 0.23237 | 0.23565 | 0.23891 | 0.24215 | 0.24537 | 0.24857 | 0.25175 | 0.25490 |
| 0.7 | 0.25804 | 0.26115 | 0.26424 | 0.26730 | 0.27035 | 0.27337 | 0.27637 | 0.27935 | 0.28230 | 0.28524 |
| 0.8 | 0.28814 | 0.29103 | 0.29389 | 0.29673 | 0.29955 | 0.30234 | 0.30511 | 0.30785 | 0.31057 | 0.31327 |
| 0.9 | 0.31594 | 0.31859 | 0.32121 | 0.32381 | 0.32639 | 0.32894 | 0.33147 | 0.33398 | 0.33646 | 0.33891 |
| 1.0 | 0.34134 | 0.34375 | 0.34614 | 0.34849 | 0.35083 | 0.35314 | 0.35543 | 0.35769 | 0.35993 | 0.36214 |
| 1.1 | 0.36433 | 0.36650 | 0.36864 | 0.37076 | 0.37286 | 0.37493 | 0.37698 | 0.37900 | 0.38100 | 0.38298 |

# Confidence interval: $1-2\alpha$





# Summary

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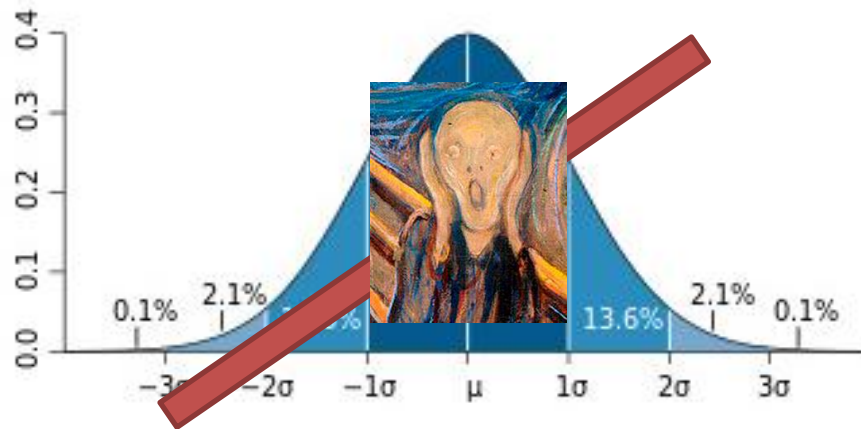
4.- Confidence limits of parameters:

Chi-square distribution

# Problem

failure ratio does not follows a normal distribution!!!

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{r}{T}$$



# Solution

... but  $2\lambda T$  does follow a given distribution. Let me proudly introduce you the chi-square distribution

# Chi-Squared distribution

Do you remember the normal distribution:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_x}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma_x}\right)^2\right) \Rightarrow f(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}z^2\right)$$

We minimize  $Z^2$  in order to find  $\mu$ ... the following question arises:

What is the PDF for  $Z^2$  itself?

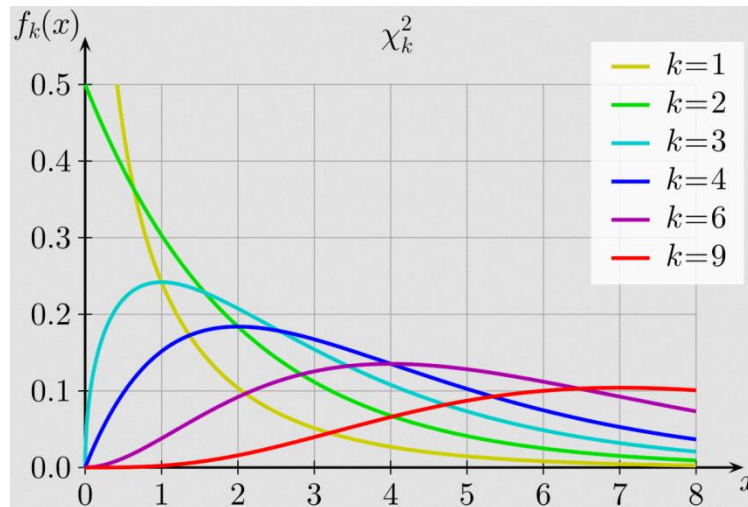
# Chi-Squared distribution

If  $X_i$  follow a standard normal distribution then  $\chi^2 = \underbrace{X_1^2 + X_2^2 + X_3^2 + \dots + X_k^2}$

follow a so called  $\chi^2$  distribution with **k degrees of freedom** defined as:

$$f(x) = A \cdot x^{k/2-1} e^{-x/2}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2^{k/2} \Gamma(k/2)}$$



$$\mu = k; \text{var} = 2k; \text{max} = k - 2$$

If  $k \rightarrow \infty$  then  $\frac{\chi^2 - k}{\sqrt{2k}}$  follows a standard normal distribution, i.e.  $\chi^2$  follows  $N(k, \sqrt{2k})$

$\lambda$  is the failure ratio, and  $\theta = 1/\lambda$  is the Mean Time To Failure

T is the TOTAL test time

$2\lambda T$  is  $\chi^2$  distributed with **k** degrees of freedom

Type I (fixed  $t_0$ )  
 $k=2r+2$

Type II (fixed r)  
 $k=2r$

$2\lambda T$  is  $\chi^2$  distributed with  $k$  degrees of freedom

Type I (fixed  $t_0$ )  
 $k=2r+2$

Type II (fixed  $r$ )  
 $k=2r$

Let's now calculate the confidence limits:

ONE SIDED (lower limit)

Type I (fixed  $t_0$ )  
 $k=2r+2$

$$P\left[2\lambda T \leq \chi_\alpha^2(2+2r)\right] = \alpha$$

$$P\left[\lambda \leq \frac{\chi_\alpha^2(2+2r)}{2T}\right] = \alpha$$

$$\theta = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$P\left[\theta \leq \frac{2T}{\chi_\alpha^2(2+2r)}\right] = \alpha$$

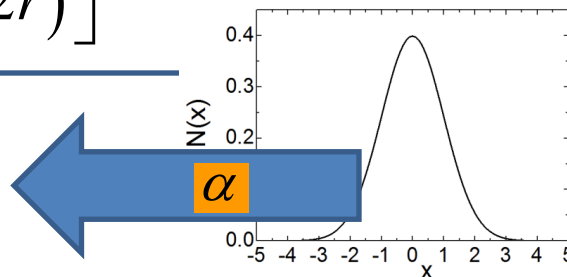
Type I (fixed  $r$ )  
 $k=2r$

$$P\left[2\lambda T \leq \chi_\alpha^2(2r)\right] = \alpha$$

$$P\left[\lambda \leq \frac{\chi_\alpha^2(2r)}{2T}\right] = \alpha$$

$$\theta = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$P\left[\theta \leq \frac{2T}{\chi_\alpha^2(2r)}\right] = \alpha$$



$2\lambda T$  is  $\chi^2$  distributed with  $k$  degrees of freedom

Type I (fixed  $t_0$ )  
 $k=2r+2$

Type II (fixed  $r$ )  
 $k=2r$

Let's now calculate the confidence limits:

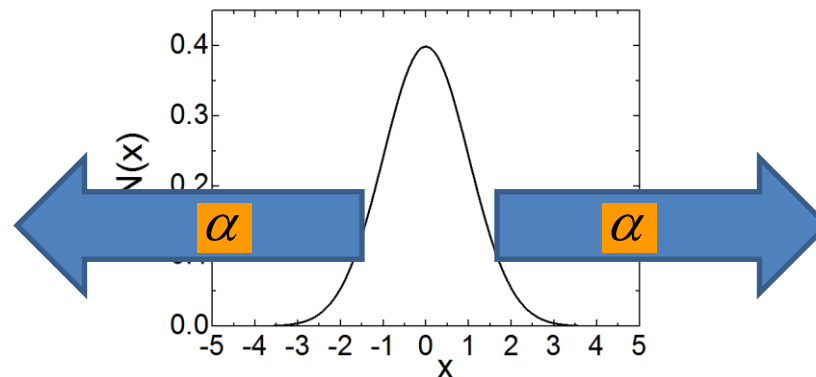
TWO SIDED (lower and upper limit)

Type I (fixed  $t_0$ )  
 $k=2r+2$

$$P\left[\frac{2T}{\chi_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2(2+2r)}\theta \leq \frac{2T}{\chi_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2(2+2r)}\right] = \alpha$$

Type I (fixed  $r$ )  
 $k=2r$

$$P\left[\frac{2T}{\chi_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2(2r)}\theta \leq \frac{2T}{\chi_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2(2r)}\right] = \alpha$$



## Appendix A: Table of Standard Normal Cumulative Distribution

$$F(\xi) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\xi} e^{-\frac{1}{2}x^2} dx$$

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 0.00  | 0.500000 |
| 0.01  | 0.503989 |
| 0.02  | 0.507978 |
| 0.03  | 0.511966 |
| 0.04  | 0.515954 |
| 0.05  | 0.519939 |
| 0.06  | 0.523922 |
| 0.07  | 0.527904 |
| 0.08  | 0.531882 |
| 0.09  | 0.535857 |
| 0.10  | 0.539828 |
| 0.11  | 0.543796 |
| 0.12  | 0.547759 |
| 0.13  | 0.551717 |
| 0.14  | 0.555671 |
| 0.15  | 0.559618 |
| 0.16  | 0.563550 |
| 0.17  | 0.567494 |
| 0.18  | 0.571423 |
| 0.19  | 0.575345 |
| 0.20  | 0.579260 |
| 0.21  | 0.583166 |
| 0.22  | 0.587064 |
| 0.23  | 0.590954 |
| 0.24  | 0.549835 |
| 0.25  | 0.598706 |
| 0.26  | 0.602568 |
| 0.27  | 0.606420 |
| 0.28  | 0.610262 |
| 0.29  | 0.614092 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 0.50  | 0.691463 |
| 0.51  | 0.694975 |
| 0.52  | 0.698468 |
| 0.53  | 0.701944 |
| 0.54  | 0.705401 |
| 0.55  | 0.708840 |
| 0.56  | 0.712260 |
| 0.57  | 0.715661 |
| 0.58  | 0.719043 |
| 0.59  | 0.722405 |
| 0.60  | 0.725747 |
| 0.61  | 0.729069 |
| 0.62  | 0.732371 |
| 0.63  | 0.735653 |
| 0.64  | 0.738914 |
| 0.65  | 0.742154 |
| 0.66  | 0.745374 |
| 0.67  | 0.748572 |
| 0.68  | 0.751748 |
| 0.69  | 0.754903 |
| 0.70  | 0.758036 |
| 0.71  | 0.761148 |
| 0.72  | 0.764238 |
| 0.73  | 0.767305 |
| 0.74  | 0.770350 |
| 0.75  | 0.773373 |
| 0.76  | 0.776373 |
| 0.77  | 0.779350 |
| 0.78  | 0.782305 |
| 0.79  | 0.785236 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 1.00  | 0.841345 |
| 1.01  | 0.843752 |
| 1.02  | 0.846136 |
| 1.03  | 0.848495 |
| 1.04  | 0.850830 |
| 1.05  | 0.853141 |
| 1.06  | 0.855428 |
| 1.07  | 0.857690 |
| 1.08  | 0.859929 |
| 1.09  | 0.862143 |
| 1.10  | 0.864334 |
| 1.11  | 0.866500 |
| 1.12  | 0.868643 |
| 1.13  | 0.870762 |
| 1.14  | 0.872857 |
| 1.15  | 0.874928 |
| 1.16  | 0.876976 |
| 1.17  | 0.878999 |
| 1.18  | 0.881000 |
| 1.19  | 0.882977 |
| 1.20  | 0.884930 |
| 1.21  | 0.886860 |
| 1.22  | 0.888767 |
| 1.23  | 0.890651 |
| 1.24  | 0.892512 |
| 1.25  | 0.894350 |
| 1.26  | 0.896165 |
| 1.27  | 0.897958 |
| 1.28  | 0.899727 |
| 1.29  | 0.901475 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 0.30  | 0.617912 |
| 0.31  | 0.621720 |
| 0.32  | 0.623517 |
| 0.33  | 0.629301 |
| 0.34  | 0.633072 |
| 0.35  | 0.636831 |
| 0.36  | 0.640576 |
| 0.37  | 0.644309 |
| 0.38  | 0.648027 |
| 0.39  | 0.651732 |
| 0.40  | 0.655422 |
| 0.41  | 0.659097 |
| 0.42  | 0.662757 |
| 0.43  | 0.666402 |
| 0.44  | 0.670032 |
| 0.45  | 0.673645 |
| 0.46  | 0.677242 |
| 0.47  | 0.680823 |
| 0.48  | 0.684387 |
| 0.49  | 0.687933 |
| 1.50  | 0.933193 |
| 1.51  | 0.934478 |
| 1.52  | 0.935744 |
| 1.53  | 0.936992 |
| 1.54  | 0.938220 |
| 1.55  | 0.939429 |
| 1.56  | 0.940620 |
| 1.57  | 0.941792 |
| 1.58  | 0.942947 |
| 1.59  | 0.944083 |
| 1.60  | 0.945201 |
| 1.61  | 0.946301 |
| 1.62  | 0.947384 |
| 1.63  | 0.948449 |
| 1.64  | 0.949497 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 0.80  | 0.788145 |
| 0.81  | 0.791030 |
| 0.82  | 0.793892 |
| 0.83  | 0.796731 |
| 0.84  | 0.799546 |
| 0.85  | 0.802337 |
| 0.86  | 0.805105 |
| 0.87  | 0.807850 |
| 0.88  | 0.810570 |
| 0.89  | 0.813267 |
| 0.90  | 0.815940 |
| 0.91  | 0.818589 |
| 0.92  | 0.821214 |
| 0.93  | 0.823815 |
| 0.94  | 0.826391 |
| 0.95  | 0.828944 |
| 0.96  | 0.831473 |
| 0.97  | 0.833977 |
| 0.98  | 0.836457 |
| 0.99  | 0.838913 |
| 2.00  | 0.977250 |
| 2.01  | 0.977784 |
| 2.02  | 0.978308 |
| 2.03  | 0.978822 |
| 2.04  | 0.979325 |
| 2.05  | 0.979818 |
| 2.06  | 0.980301 |
| 2.07  | 0.980774 |
| 2.08  | 0.981237 |
| 2.09  | 0.981691 |
| 2.10  | 0.982136 |
| 2.11  | 0.982571 |
| 2.12  | 0.982997 |
| 2.13  | 0.983414 |
| 2.14  | 0.983823 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 1.30  | 0.903199 |
| 1.31  | 0.904902 |
| 1.32  | 0.906583 |
| 1.33  | 0.908241 |
| 1.34  | 0.909877 |
| 1.35  | 0.911492 |
| 1.36  | 0.913085 |
| 1.37  | 0.914656 |
| 1.38  | 0.916207 |
| 1.39  | 0.917735 |
| 1.40  | 0.919243 |
| 1.41  | 0.920730 |
| 1.42  | 0.922196 |
| 1.43  | 0.923641 |
| 1.44  | 0.925066 |
| 1.45  | 0.926471 |
| 1.46  | 0.927855 |
| 1.47  | 0.929219 |
| 1.48  | 0.930563 |
| 1.49  | 0.931888 |
| 2.50  | 0.993790 |
| 2.51  | 0.993963 |
| 2.52  | 0.994132 |
| 2.53  | 0.994267 |
| 2.54  | 0.994457 |
| 2.55  | 0.994614 |
| 2.56  | 0.994766 |
| 2.57  | 0.994915 |
| 2.58  | 0.995060 |
| 2.59  | 0.995201 |
| 2.60  | 0.995339 |
| 2.61  | 0.995473 |
| 2.62  | 0.995604 |
| 2.63  | 0.995731 |
| 2.64  | 0.995855 |



| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 1.65  | 0.950529 |
| 1.66  | 0.951543 |
| 1.67  | 0.952540 |
| 1.68  | 0.953521 |
| 1.69  | 0.954486 |
|       |          |
| 1.70  | 0.955435 |
| 1.71  | 0.956367 |
| 1.72  | 0.957284 |
| 1.73  | 0.958185 |
| 1.74  | 0.959071 |
|       |          |
| 1.75  | 0.959941 |
| 1.76  | 0.960796 |
| 1.77  | 0.961636 |
| 1.78  | 0.962426 |
| 1.79  | 0.963273 |
|       |          |
| 1.80  | 0.964070 |
| 1.81  | 0.964852 |
| 1.82  | 0.965621 |
| 1.83  | 0.966375 |
| 1.84  | 0.967116 |
|       |          |
| 1.85  | 0.967843 |
| 1.86  | 0.968557 |
| 1.87  | 0.969258 |
| 1.88  | 0.969946 |
| 1.89  | 0.970621 |
|       |          |
| 1.90  | 0.971284 |
| 1.91  | 0.971933 |
| 1.92  | 0.972571 |
| 1.93  | 0.973197 |
| 1.94  | 0.973810 |
|       |          |
| 1.95  | 0.974412 |
| 1.96  | 0.975002 |
| 1.97  | 0.975581 |
| 1.98  | 0.976148 |
| 1.99  | 0.976705 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 2.15  | 0.984223 |
| 2.16  | 0.984614 |
| 2.17  | 0.984997 |
| 2.18  | 0.985371 |
| 2.19  | 0.985738 |
|       |          |
| 2.20  | 0.986097 |
| 2.21  | 0.986447 |
| 2.22  | 0.986791 |
| 2.23  | 0.987126 |
| 2.24  | 0.987455 |
|       |          |
| 2.25  | 0.987776 |
| 2.26  | 0.988089 |
| 2.27  | 0.988396 |
| 2.28  | 0.988696 |
| 2.29  | 0.988989 |
|       |          |
| 2.30  | 0.989276 |
| 2.31  | 0.989556 |
| 2.32  | 0.989830 |
| 2.33  | 0.990097 |
| 2.34  | 0.990358 |
|       |          |
| 2.35  | 0.990613 |
| 2.36  | 0.990863 |
| 2.37  | 0.991106 |
| 2.38  | 0.991344 |
| 2.39  | 0.991576 |
|       |          |
| 2.40  | 0.991802 |
| 2.41  | 0.992024 |
| 2.42  | 0.992240 |
| 2.43  | 0.992451 |
| 2.44  | 0.992656 |
|       |          |
| 2.45  | 0.992857 |
| 2.46  | 0.993053 |
| 2.47  | 0.993244 |
| 2.48  | 0.993431 |
| 2.49  | 0.993613 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 2.65  | 0.995975 |
| 2.66  | 0.996093 |
| 2.67  | 0.996207 |
| 2.68  | 0.996319 |
| 2.69  | 0.996427 |
|       |          |
| 2.70  | 0.996533 |
| 2.71  | 0.996636 |
| 2.72  | 0.996736 |
| 2.73  | 0.996833 |
| 2.74  | 0.996928 |
|       |          |
| 2.75  | 0.997020 |
| 2.76  | 0.997110 |
| 2.77  | 0.997197 |
| 2.78  | 0.997282 |
| 2.79  | 0.997365 |
|       |          |
| 2.80  | 0.997445 |
| 2.81  | 0.997523 |
| 2.82  | 0.997599 |
| 2.83  | 0.997673 |
| 2.84  | 0.997744 |
|       |          |
| 2.85  | 0.997814 |
| 2.86  | 0.997882 |
| 2.87  | 0.997948 |
| 2.88  | 0.998012 |
| 2.89  | 0.998074 |
|       |          |
| 2.90  | 0.998134 |
| 2.91  | 0.998193 |
| 2.92  | 0.998250 |
| 2.93  | 0.998305 |
| 2.94  | 0.998359 |
|       |          |
| 2.95  | 0.998411 |
| 2.96  | 0.998462 |
| 2.97  | 0.998511 |
| 2.98  | 0.998559 |
| 2.99  | 0.998605 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 3.00  | 0.998630 |
| 3.01  | 0.998694 |
| 3.02  | 0.998736 |
| 3.03  | 0.998777 |
| 3.04  | 0.998817 |
|       |          |
| 3.05  | 0.998856 |
| 3.06  | 0.998893 |
| 3.07  | 0.998930 |
| 3.08  | 0.998965 |
| 3.09  | 0.998999 |
|       |          |
| 3.10  | 0.999032 |
| 3.11  | 0.999065 |
| 3.12  | 0.999096 |
| 3.13  | 0.999126 |
| 3.14  | 0.999155 |
|       |          |
| 3.15  | 0.992184 |
| 3.16  | 0.999119 |
| 3.17  | 0.999238 |
| 3.18  | 0.999264 |
| 3.19  | 0.999289 |
|       |          |
| 3.20  | 0.999313 |
| 3.21  | 0.999336 |
| 3.22  | 0.999359 |
| 3.23  | 0.999381 |
| 3.24  | 0.999402 |
|       |          |
| 3.25  | 0.999423 |
| 3.26  | 0.999443 |
| 3.27  | 0.999462 |
| 3.28  | 0.999481 |
| 3.29  | 0.999499 |
|       |          |
| 3.30  | 0.999516 |
| 3.31  | 0.999533 |
| 3.32  | 0.999550 |
| 3.33  | 0.999566 |
| 3.34  | 0.999581 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 3.50  | 0.999767 |
| 3.51  | 0.999776 |
| 3.52  | 0.999784 |
| 3.53  | 0.999792 |
| 3.54  | 0.999800 |
|       |          |
| 3.55  | 0.999807 |
| 3.56  | 0.999815 |
| 3.57  | 0.999821 |
| 3.58  | 0.999828 |
| 3.59  | 0.999835 |
|       |          |
| 3.60  | 0.999841 |
| 3.61  | 0.999847 |
| 3.62  | 0.999853 |
| 3.63  | 0.999858 |
| 3.64  | 0.999864 |
|       |          |
| 3.65  | 0.999869 |
| 3.66  | 0.999874 |
| 3.67  | 0.999879 |
| 3.68  | 0.999883 |
| 3.69  | 0.999888 |
|       |          |
| 3.70  | 0.999892 |
| 3.71  | 0.999896 |
| 3.72  | 0.999900 |
| 3.73  | 0.999904 |
| 3.74  | 0.999908 |
|       |          |
| 3.75  | 0.999912 |
| 3.76  | 0.999915 |
| 3.77  | 0.999918 |
| 3.78  | 0.999922 |
| 3.79  | 0.999925 |
|       |          |
| 3.80  | 0.999928 |
| 3.81  | 0.999931 |
| 3.82  | 0.999933 |
| 3.83  | 0.999936 |
| 3.84  | 0.999938 |

| $\xi$ | $1-F(\xi)$   |
|-------|--------------|
| 4.00  | 0.316712E-04 |
| 4.05  | 0.256088E-04 |
| 4.10  | 0.206575E-04 |
| 4.15  | 0.166238E-04 |
| 4.20  | 0.133458E-04 |
|       |              |
| 4.25  | 0.106883E-04 |
| 4.30  | 0.853906E-05 |
| 4.35  | 0.680688E-05 |
| 4.40  | 0.541234E-05 |
| 4.45  | 0.429351E-05 |
|       |              |
| 4.50  | 0.339767E-05 |
| 4.55  | 0.268230E-05 |
| 4.60  | 0.211245E-05 |
| 4.65  | 0.165968E-05 |
| 4.70  | 0.130081E-05 |
|       |              |
| 4.75  | 0.101708E-05 |
| 4.80  | 0.793328E-06 |
| 4.85  | 0.617307E-06 |
| 4.90  | 0.479183E-06 |
| 4.95  | 0.371067E-06 |
|       |              |
| 5.00  | 0.286652E-06 |
| 5.10  | 0.169827E-06 |
| 5.20  | 0.996443E-07 |
| 5.30  | 0.579013E-07 |
| 5.40  | 0.333204E-07 |
|       |              |
| 5.50  | 0.189896E-07 |
| 5.60  | 0.107176E-07 |
| 5.70  | 0.599037E-08 |
| 5.80  | 0.331575E-08 |
| 5.90  | 0.181751E-08 |
|       |              |
| 6.00  | 0.986588E-09 |
| 6.10  | 0.530343E-09 |
| 6.20  | 0.282316E-09 |
| 6.30  | 0.148823E-09 |
| 6.40  | 0.77688 E-10 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 3.35  | 0.999596 |
| 3.36  | 0.999610 |
| 3.37  | 0.999624 |
| 3.38  | 0.999637 |
| 3.39  | 0.999650 |
|       |          |
| 3.40  | 0.999663 |
| 3.41  | 0.999675 |
| 3.42  | 0.999687 |
| 3.43  | 0.999698 |
| 3.44  | 0.999709 |
|       |          |
| 3.45  | 0.999720 |
| 3.46  | 0.999730 |
| 3.47  | 0.999740 |
| 3.48  | 0.999749 |
| 3.49  | 0.999758 |

| $\xi$ | $F(\xi)$ |
|-------|----------|
| 3.85  | 0.999941 |
| 3.86  | 0.999943 |
| 3.87  | 0.999946 |
| 3.88  | 0.999948 |
| 3.89  | 0.999950 |
|       |          |
| 3.90  | 0.999952 |
| 3.91  | 0.999954 |
| 3.92  | 0.999956 |
| 3.93  | 0.999958 |
| 3.94  | 0.999959 |
|       |          |
| 3.95  | 0.999961 |
| 3.96  | 0.999963 |
| 3.97  | 0.999964 |
| 3.98  | 0.999966 |
| 3.99  | 0.999967 |

| $\xi$ | $1-F(\xi)$   |
|-------|--------------|
| 6.50  | 0.40160 E-10 |
| 6.60  | 0.20558 E-10 |
| 6.70  | 0.10421 E-10 |
| 6.80  | 0.5231 E-11  |
| 6.90  | 0.260 E-11   |
|       |              |
| 7.00  | 0.128 E-11   |
| 7.10  | 0.624 E-12   |
| 7.20  | 0.301 E-12   |
| 7.30  | 0.144 E-12   |
| 7.40  | 0.68 E-13    |
|       |              |
| 7.50  | 0.32 E-13    |
| 7.60  | 0.15 E-13    |
| 7.70  | 0.70 E-14    |
| 7.80  | 0.30 E-14    |
| 7.90  | 0.15 E-14    |

## Appendix B: Table of Chi-Square Cumulative Distribution

$\chi^2_\alpha(f)$

| $f \setminus \alpha$ | 0.995  | 0.99   | 0.975  | 0.95   | 0.90   | 0.10    | 0.05    | 0.025   | 0.01    | 0.005   |
|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1                    | —      | —      | 0.001  | 0.004  | 0.016  | 2.706   | 3.841   | 5.024   | 6.635   | 7.879   |
| 2                    | 0.010  | 0.020  | 0.051  | 0.103  | 0.211  | 4.605   | 5.991   | 7.378   | 9.210   | 10.597  |
| 3                    | 0.072  | 0.115  | 0.216  | 0.352  | 0.584  | 6.251   | 7.815   | 9.348   | 11.345  | 12.838  |
| 4                    | 0.207  | 0.297  | 0.484  | 0.711  | 1.064  | 7.779   | 9.488   | 11.143  | 13.277  | 14.860  |
| 5                    | 0.412  | 0.554  | 0.831  | 1.145  | 1.610  | 9.236   | 11.070  | 12.833  | 15.086  | 16.750  |
| 6                    | 0.676  | 0.872  | 1.237  | 1.635  | 2.204  | 10.645  | 12.592  | 14.449  | 16.812  | 18.548  |
| 7                    | 0.989  | 1.239  | 1.690  | 2.167  | 2.833  | 12.017  | 14.067  | 16.013  | 18.475  | 20.278  |
| 8                    | 1.344  | 1.646  | 2.180  | 2.733  | 3.490  | 13.362  | 15.507  | 17.535  | 20.090  | 21.955  |
| 9                    | 1.735  | 2.088  | 2.700  | 3.325  | 4.168  | 14.684  | 16.919  | 19.023  | 21.666  | 23.589  |
| 10                   | 2.156  | 2.558  | 3.247  | 3.940  | 4.865  | 15.987  | 18.307  | 20.483  | 23.209  | 25.188  |
| 11                   | 2.603  | 3.053  | 3.816  | 4.575  | 5.578  | 17.275  | 19.675  | 21.920  | 24.725  | 26.757  |
| 12                   | 3.074  | 3.571  | 4.404  | 5.226  | 6.304  | 18.549  | 21.026  | 23.337  | 26.217  | 28.300  |
| 13                   | 3.565  | 4.107  | 5.009  | 5.892  | 7.042  | 19.812  | 22.362  | 24.736  | 27.688  | 29.819  |
| 14                   | 4.075  | 4.660  | 5.629  | 6.571  | 7.790  | 21.064  | 23.685  | 26.119  | 29.141  | 31.319  |
| 15                   | 4.601  | 5.229  | 6.262  | 7.261  | 8.547  | 22.307  | 24.996  | 27.488  | 30.578  | 32.801  |
| 16                   | 5.142  | 5.812  | 6.908  | 7.962  | 9.312  | 23.542  | 26.296  | 28.845  | 32.000  | 34.267  |
| 17                   | 5.697  | 6.408  | 7.564  | 8.672  | 10.085 | 24.769  | 27.587  | 30.191  | 33.409  | 35.718  |
| 18                   | 6.265  | 7.015  | 8.231  | 9.390  | 10.865 | 25.989  | 28.869  | 31.526  | 34.805  | 37.156  |
| 19                   | 6.844  | 7.633  | 8.907  | 10.117 | 11.651 | 27.204  | 30.144  | 32.852  | 36.191  | 38.582  |
| 20                   | 7.434  | 8.260  | 9.591  | 10.851 | 12.443 | 28.412  | 31.410  | 34.170  | 37.566  | 39.997  |
| 21                   | 8.034  | 8.897  | 10.283 | 11.591 | 13.240 | 29.615  | 32.671  | 35.479  | 38.932  | 41.401  |
| 22                   | 8.643  | 9.542  | 10.982 | 12.338 | 14.041 | 30.813  | 33.924  | 36.781  | 40.289  | 42.796  |
| 23                   | 9.260  | 10.196 | 11.689 | 13.091 | 14.848 | 32.007  | 35.172  | 38.076  | 41.638  | 44.181  |
| 24                   | 9.886  | 10.856 | 12.401 | 13.848 | 15.659 | 33.196  | 36.415  | 39.364  | 42.980  | 45.559  |
| 25                   | 10.520 | 11.524 | 13.120 | 14.611 | 16.473 | 34.382  | 37.652  | 40.646  | 44.314  | 46.928  |
| 26                   | 11.160 | 12.198 | 13.844 | 15.379 | 17.292 | 35.563  | 38.885  | 41.923  | 45.642  | 48.290  |
| 27                   | 11.808 | 12.879 | 14.573 | 16.151 | 18.114 | 36.741  | 40.113  | 43.195  | 46.963  | 49.645  |
| 28                   | 12.461 | 13.565 | 15.308 | 16.928 | 18.939 | 37.916  | 41.337  | 44.461  | 48.278  | 50.993  |
| 29                   | 13.121 | 14.256 | 16.047 | 17.708 | 19.768 | 39.087  | 42.557  | 45.722  | 49.588  | 52.336  |
| 30                   | 13.787 | 14.953 | 16.791 | 18.493 | 20.599 | 40.256  | 43.773  | 46.979  | 50.892  | 53.672  |
| 40                   | 20.707 | 22.164 | 24.433 | 26.509 | 29.051 | 51.805  | 55.758  | 59.342  | 63.691  | 66.766  |
| 50                   | 27.991 | 29.707 | 32.357 | 34.764 | 37.689 | 63.167  | 67.505  | 71.420  | 76.154  | 79.490  |
| 60                   | 35.534 | 37.485 | 40.482 | 43.188 | 46.459 | 74.397  | 79.082  | 83.298  | 88.379  | 91.952  |
| 70                   | 43.275 | 45.442 | 48.758 | 51.739 | 55.329 | 85.527  | 90.531  | 95.023  | 100.425 | 104.215 |
| 80                   | 51.172 | 53.540 | 57.153 | 60.391 | 64.278 | 96.578  | 101.879 | 106.629 | 112.329 | 116.321 |
| 90                   | 59.196 | 61.754 | 65.647 | 69.126 | 73.291 | 107.565 | 113.145 | 118.136 | 124.116 | 128.299 |
| 100                  | 67.328 | 70.065 | 74.222 | 77.929 | 82.358 | 118.498 | 124.342 | 129.561 | 135.807 | 140.169 |

$$f(x) = A \cdot x^{k/2-1} e^{-x/2}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2^{k/2} \Gamma(k/2)}$$