Calculus 131, Chapter 13 Summary ~ things you should know

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Important concepts:

continuous random variables probability density function cumulative distribution function expected value, variance and standard deviation of a continuous random variable uniform probability density functions exponential probability density functions normal random variables sampling distribution

Be able to:

verify whether a function is a probability density function

use a probability density function to find probability over an interval

find E(X), Var(X) and standard deviation for a continuous random variable.

find E(X), Var(X), standard deviation, and probabilities for a uniform probability distribution function.

find E(X), Var(X), standard deviation, and probabilities for an exponential distribution function.

use the normal distribution table of values to find probabilities.

answer questions about probabilities involving sample means, given a population mean and standard deviation

answer questions about probabilities involving sample means, given a probability distribution or probability density function

Review exercises from the text:

Chapter 13 Review Exercises, 4 - 11, 13 - 18, 20 - 29, 33 - 38, 40 (Answers to odd-numbered problems are in the back of the text.)

Central Limit Theorem supplement, 1 - 7