Course Outline STA347H1

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Brenner, David:

FROM THE PRIVATE NOTE BOOK OF

Illustrated adventures in very (very) mathematical stochastic modelling & statistical inference, 2004-23

Ash, Robert B.:

BASIC PROB THEORY (1970/2008)

Ross, Sheldon M.:

INTRO TO PROB MODELS (1972/2000/3)

Grimmett, Geoffrey & Stirzaker, David:

PROBABILITY & RANDOM PROCESSES (1982/2004/5)

topics:

caution: all contents subject to shuffling, merging, expansion & (really serious) modification

- probability, expectation & the LLN; the CLT & slutsky
- the elementary distributions of statistical practice; binomial, poisson and gaussian processes
- the (extremely) general linear model: means, variances, correlation & regression; conditional expectation & the bayes theorem
- moment generating functions, characteristic functions & the multivariate normal
- probability generating functions, random walks, markov chains, markov processes and martingales

grading (G):

$$test(T) = 40$$
 - Fri. Feb. 17

final
$$(F) = 60 - \text{Apr. } 11 - 28$$

$$G = T + F$$

(NOTE: test T will be held during class time.)