

1. The medical records of infants at a hospital show that the infants birth weight are normally distributed with a mean of 8.3 pounds and a standard deviation of 1.4 pounds. Find the probability that an infant selected at random from among those delivered at the hospital

- (a) weighed less than 9 pounds at birth.

$$\text{normalcdf}(-1e99, 9, 8.3, 1.4) = 0.6915$$

- (b) weighed exactly 8.5 pounds at birth.

zero, since the random variable is continuous.

- (c) weighed between 5 and 8.5 pounds at birth.

$$\text{normalcdf}(5, 8.5, 8.3, 1.4) = 0.5476$$

2. Let X be a normally distributed random variable with mean of 50 and standard deviation of 8.

- (a) Find the value of A such that $P(X < A) = .3$

$$A = \text{invnorm}(.3, 50, 8) = 45.8048$$

- (b) Find the value of B such that $P(X > B) = .4$

$$B = \text{invnorm}(1 - .4, 50, 8) = 52.0268$$