

this high given a normal genotype? What is the probability of a level no higher than this given the patient has FH? Do you think the patient has FH? Discuss (Consider FH is a rare disease.)

27. The 17-year cicada, *Magicicada septendecim*, is a very unusual Homopteran insect that spends around 17 years as a subterranean nymph. It then emerges (most recently in 2004) as a winged, breeding adult and mates. The females then lay their eggs on twigs of deciduous trees. The development time is not uniform for the members of any brood, but, in fact, has the following probability density function:

$x$ (years)	14	15	16	17	18
$f(x)$	.05	.05	.20	.50	.20

- Construct the cumulative distribution function,  $F(x)$ , for  $f(x)$ .
  - Find  $F(17)$ .
  - Find  $P(X < 17)$ .
  - Find the expected value for  $X$ ,  $E(X)$ .
  - Find the mean development time.
  - Find the variance of development time. Hint:  $E(X^2) = 281.55$ .
28. In New York State turbidity levels (a measure of the cloudiness of water) are measured in nephelometric turbidity units (NTU) using a nephelometer to estimate the light scattering from suspended particulate material. For high quality water, regulations require that 95% of the turbidity samples collected have measurements below 0.5 NTU. If for a particular water source the measurements are normally distributed with a mean of 0.4 NTU and a standard deviation of 0.15 NTU, does this water source meet the turbidity criterion for high quality water?