

**Task.** In a standard normal distribution, what is the probability of randomly selecting a value between  $-2.555$  and  $-0.745$ ? Round to four decimal places.

**Solution.** Let  $X$  be the random variable having standard normal distribution. Then the values of its distribution function

$$F(t) = P(X < t)$$

can usually be found in any book in probability theory.

We should compute the probability

$$P(-2.555 \leq X \leq -0.745) = F(-0.745) - F(-2.555) \approx 0.228136 - 0.005309 \approx 0.2228.$$