

# IEOR 263A : Homework 7

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## Problem 51

Let  $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$ ,  $A(t) \in \mathbb{N}$  be the number of accident.

Let  $I(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if the person already had an accident by time } t \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Let  $P(t) \sim PP(\beta)$ . We can notice that  $A(t) = I(t)(1 + P(t))$ . Let  $E$  be the time before the first accident. As the number of accident is a poisson process with rate  $\alpha$  before the first accident we have that  $\mathbb{P}(I(t) = 1) = \mathbb{P}(E \leq t) = 1 - e^{-\alpha t}$

Thus :  $\mathbb{E}(A(t)) = \mathbb{E}(I(t)(1 + P(t))) = \mathbb{E}(I(t)) + \mathbb{E}(I(t)P(t)) = 1 - e^{-\alpha t} + \int_0^t \beta(t-u)\alpha e^{-\alpha u} du$

Hence :

$$\boxed{\mathbb{E}(A(t)) = 2(1 - e^{-\alpha t}) + \beta t(1 - e^{-\alpha t}) + t e^{-\alpha t}}$$

## Problem 52

Define  $\forall i \in \llbracket -k, k \rrbracket$ ,  $A_i$  = "Team 1 wins starting with  $i$  points advantage",  $p_i = \mathbb{P}(A_i)$  so that  $p_{-k} = 0$  and  $p_k = 1$ .

We notice that  $p_i = \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2} p_{i+1} + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2} p_{i-1}$ .

Two solution for this recursive equation are :  $u_i = 1$  or  $v_i = \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}\right)^i$

Thus  $p_i = C_1 + C_2 \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}\right)^i$ , with  $p_{-k} = 0$  and  $p_k = 1$  it yields

$$\boxed{p_i = \frac{\lambda_2^{k-i} \lambda_1^{k+i} - \lambda_2^{2k}}{\lambda_1^{2k} - \lambda_2^{2k}}}$$

## Problem 66

a. Define  $\forall t \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $N(t)$  = number of accidents. Among those accidents some are reported at time  $t$  some are not. This is a poisson process that is being splitted. Thus  $N(t) \sim PP(\lambda \int_0^t G(u) du)$  and

$$\boxed{\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{P}(N(t) = n) = \frac{(\lambda \int_0^t G(u) du)^n}{n!} e^{-\lambda \int_0^t G(u) du}}$$

b. Let  $t \in \mathbb{R}_+$ ,  $A(t)$  be the amount of the accidents that have not been reported yet at time  $t$  :

$$\boxed{\mathbb{E}(A(t)) = \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{E}(A(t)|N(t))) = \mathbb{E}(N(t)\mathbb{E}(F)) = \mathbb{E}(N(t))\mathbb{E}(F) = \mathbb{E}(F)\lambda \int_0^t G(u) du}$$

## Problem 70

a. Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}_+$  be the rate of the poisson process  $\{N(t)\}$ . Let  $H$  = "The first client to arrive is also the first leaving". Let  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $T_i$  is the service time for  $i$ -th server,  $t$  is the arrival time of the customer leaving second.

$$\mathbb{P}(H|t) = \mathbb{P}(T_1 \leq t + T_2) = \mathbb{P}(T_1 > t, T_1 - t \leq T_2) + \mathbb{P}(T_1 \leq t).$$

Thus

$$\mathbb{P}(H) = \int_0^\infty \lambda e^{-\lambda t} \left( G(t) + 1 - \int_t^\infty G(x - t) dG(x) \right) dt$$

b. We can write :  $S(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} T_i - \sum_{j=1}^{M(t)} T_j$  where  $\{M(t)\}$  is the poisson process counting the number of person that left the system.  $S(t)$  is a compound poisson process as it is a linear combination of two *CPP*.

c. Let  $N_1(t) = N(t) - M(t)$  be the number of customer in the system by time  $t$  :

$$\mathbb{E}(S(t)) = \mathbb{E}(N_1(t))\mathbb{E}(T)$$

where  $T \sim G$ .

d.

$$\mathbb{V}(S(t)) = \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{V}(S(t)|N_1(t))) + \mathbb{V}(\mathbb{E}(S(t)|N_1(t))) = \mathbb{E}(N_1^2(t))\mathbb{V}(T) + \mathbb{E}(T)^2\mathbb{V}(N_1(t))$$

## Problem 80

i.  $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $T_i$  are not independent between each other.

ii. They are not identically distributed because  $\lambda$  is a function of time.

iii.  $T_1 \sim \mathcal{E}(\lambda(t))$  ie.

$$\forall t \in \mathbb{R}_+, \mathbb{P}(T_1 \leq t) = \int_0^t \lambda(u) e^{-\lambda(u)u} du$$

## Problem 86

a. Let  $I = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if it is a bad year} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$\mathbb{P}(N(t) = n) = \mathbb{P}(N(t) = n|I = 1)\mathbb{P}(I = 1) + \mathbb{P}(N(t) = n|I = 0)\mathbb{P}(I = 0) = 0.3 \frac{(3t)^n}{n!} e^{-3t} + 0.7 \frac{(5t)^n}{n!} e^{-5t}$$

b.  $N(t)$  is not a poisson process because it does not verify the indepedent arrival times.

c.

$$\mathbb{E}(N(t)) = \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{E}(N(t)|I)) = \mathbb{E}(N(t)|I = 1)\mathbb{P}(I = 1) + \mathbb{E}(N(t)|I = 0)\mathbb{P}(I = 0) = 0.3(3t) + 0.7(5t) = 4.4t$$

d. We use the formula of the conditionnal variance :  $\mathbb{V}(X) = \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{V}(X|Y)) + \mathbb{V}(\mathbb{E}(X|Y))$  :

$$\mathbb{V}(N(t)) = \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{V}(N(t)|I)) + \mathbb{V}(\mathbb{E}(N(t)|I))$$

## Problem 1

Let  $\lambda(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } t \in [0; 1] \\ 2 & \text{if } t \in [1; +\infty[ \end{cases}$  then if  $T_1 > 1$ ,  $\mathbb{P}(T_2 \geq t|T_1) = e^{-2t}$  and  $\mathbb{P}(T_2 \geq t) \neq e^{-2t}$  so interarrival time can't be independent.

But increments are independent.

## Problem 2

Consider a Markov Chain with three states :  $P_{12} = P_{23} = P_{31} = 1$ . Let  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $N_n$  count the number of time going by 1 starting at 1. You know the interarrival times will be 3 so all are independent as it is constant. Now suppose  $N_{n+1} - N_n = 1$  then you know  $N_{n+2} - N_{n+1} = 0$  and  $N_{n+3} - N_{n+2} = 0$  so increments can't be independent.

## Problem 3

Consider a Markov Chain with two states :  $P_{11} = P_{12} = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $P_{22} = 1$ . Let  $N_n$  count the number of time going by one starting at 1 after  $n$  steps. Then the interarrival time are identically distributed :  $T_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if we were in 1 and stepped at one with } p = \frac{1}{2} \\ \infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Thus all interarrival time are identically distributed.

But suppose  $N_n$  stationnary :  $\forall n, s \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $N_{n+s} - N_n \sim_{st.} N_s$ . As  $n \rightarrow \infty$   $N_{n+s} - N_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $N_s \sim 0$  which is not true.

## Problem 4

$X_i(t) \sim CPP(2i, \mathcal{U}(i, 3i))$  which means  $\exists \{N_i(t)\} \sim PP(2i)$  and  $\{T_{ij}\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \sim \mathcal{U}(i, 3i)$  such that  $X_i(t) = \sum_{j=0}^{N_i(t)} T_{ij}$

$X(t) = X_1(t) + X_2(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{N_1(t)} T_{1j} + \sum_{j=1}^{N_2(t)} T_{2j}$  an event arrives each  $\min(X, Y)$  where  $X \sim \mathcal{E}(2), Y \sim \mathcal{E}(4)$  which implies  $\min(X, Y) \sim \mathcal{E}(6)$  so the rate of the *CPP* has to be 6. The probability for  $N_1(t)$  to increase before  $N_2(t)$  is  $\frac{2}{2+4} = \frac{1}{3}$  thus  $N_2(t)$  to increases before  $N_1(t)$  with probability  $\frac{2}{3}$ . Thus 1/3 of the time  $X(t)$  gains  $\mathcal{U}([1, 3])$  and 2/3 of the times gains  $\mathcal{U}([3, 6])$  which is equivalent to always gaining  $\mathcal{U}([1/3; 1]) + \mathcal{U}([4/3, 4])$

That's why :

$$X(t) \sim CPP(6, \mathcal{U}([1/3; 1]) + \mathcal{U}([4/3; 4]))$$

## Problem 7

After the course notation :  $L_{n+1} = L_n + I_n(L'_{n+1} - 1)$  so  $\mathbb{V}(L_{n+1}) = \mathbb{V}(L_n) + \mathbb{V}(I_n L'_{n+1}) - \mathbb{V}(I_n)$ .

Using the conditionnal variance formula :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{V}(I_n L'_{n+1}) &= \mathbb{V}(\mathbb{E}(I_n L'_{n+1} | I_n)) + \mathbb{E}(\mathbb{V}(I_n L'_{n+1} | I_n)) \\ &= \mathbb{V}(I_n) \mathbb{E}(L_{n+1})^2 + \mathbb{V}(L_{n+1}) \mathbb{E}(I_n) \\ &= p_n(1 - p_n) + \mathbb{V}(L_{n+1}) p_n \end{aligned}$$

Thus :

$$\mathbb{V}(L_{n+1}) = \frac{\mathbb{V}(L_n)}{1 - p_n}$$