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# CENG 222

## Statistical Methods for Computer Engineering

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### Assignment 2

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## Answer 3.15

a)

Since we want to find the probability of at least one hardware failure, we need to subtract the probability that 0 hardware failure from 1. Then the answer is  $1 - 0.52 = 0.48$ .

b)

We need to find one contradiction to show that they are independent.

We can find  $P(y = 0) = \sum_{x=0}^2 P(x, y = 0) = 0.76$ ,  $P(x = 0) = \sum_{y=0}^2 P(x = 0, y) = 0.72$ .

If these  $P(x = 0)$  and  $P(y = 0)$  are independent then  $P(x = 0)P(y = 0) = P(x = 0, y = 0)$ . But  $0.5472 \neq 0.52$ . Hence they are dependent.

## Answer 3.32

X is to be the number of crashed computers. We want to compute the number of *successes* (a computer crashed) within 4000 computers, which are our trials ( $n = 4000$ ). Here the probability of success is  $p = 1/800$ . Hence  $\lambda = np = 5$ . Since  $n$  is large and  $p$  is small then we have a binomial distribution.

a)

$P(x < 10) = F(9) = 0.968$  from the table A3 in book.

b)

$P(x = 10) = F(10) - F(9) = 0.986 - 0.968 = 0.018$  from the table A3 in book.

### Answer 3.35

Let  $X$  is to be the number of traffic accidents occurred yesterday and  $T$  be the event(thunderstorm).  
By Bayes Rule:

$$\begin{aligned} P(T|X=7) &= \frac{P(X=7|T)P(T)}{P(X=7)} \\ &= \frac{P(X=7|T)P(T)}{P(X=7|T)P(T) + P(X=7|\bar{T})P(\bar{T})} \\ &= \frac{(F_{\lambda=10}(7) - F_{\lambda=10}(6))0.6}{(F_{\lambda=10}(7) - F_{\lambda=10}(6))0.6 + (F_{\lambda=4}(7) - F_{\lambda=4}(6))0.4} \\ &= \frac{(0.220 - 0.130)0.6}{(0.220 - 0.130)0.6 + (0.949 - 0.889)0.4} \\ &= 0.6923076 \end{aligned}$$

### Answer 4.4

a)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} K - \frac{x}{50} &= \int_0^{10} K - \frac{x}{50} + 0 && \text{Since in other areas } f(x)=0 \\ &= \left(Kx - \frac{x^2}{100}\right)\Big|_0^{10} \\ &= \left(10K - \frac{100}{100}\right) - 0 \\ &= 10K - 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $10K = 2$  then  $K = 0.2$ .

b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^5 0.2 - \frac{x}{50} &= (0.2x - \frac{x^2}{100})|_0^5 \\
 &= (1 - \frac{5^2}{100}) - 0 \\
 &= (1 - \frac{1}{4}) \\
 &= \frac{3}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

c)

$$E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} xf(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(0.2 - \frac{x}{50}) &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (0.2x - x\frac{x}{50}) \\
 &= \int_0^{10} (0.2x - x\frac{x}{50}) && \text{Since in other areas } f(x)=0 \\
 &= (0.1x^2 - \frac{x^3}{150})|_0^{10} \\
 &= (0.1 * 100 - \frac{1000}{15}) - 0 \\
 &= (10 - \frac{20}{3}) \\
 &= \frac{10}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Answer 4.10

$W$  is to be the event that the orders is still not ready, in 30th minute. That means  $W$  is the event that the order given takes more than 30 minutes. Let  $S_1$  be the event that the order is taken by the first specialist. Let  $S_2$  be the event that the order is taken by the second specialist. Note that  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  are disjoint events. By Bayes Rule and Total Probability:

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(S_1|W) &= \frac{P(W|S_1)P(S_1)}{P(W|S_1)P(S_1) + P(W|S_2)P(S_2)} \\
 &= \frac{e^{-\frac{3}{2}}0.6}{e^{-\frac{3}{2}}0.6 + e^{-1}0.4} \\
 &= 0.47638386222
 \end{aligned}$$

By the formula for  $P(X)$  in an exponential distribution