

ex 1:

$$(a) \quad P(Y \leq 50) = 0.05 + 0.10 + 0.12 + 0.14 + 0.25 + 0.17 \\ = 0.83$$

$$(b) \quad P(Y > 50) = 1 - 0.83 = 0.17$$

$$(c) \quad P(Y \leq 49) = P(Y \leq 50) - P(Y = 50) = 0.66$$

$$P(Y \leq 47) = 0.05 + 0.1 + 0.12 = 0.27$$

ex 2 (a)  $P(Y) = ky$

$$\sum_{y=1}^5 P(Y) = 1 \Rightarrow k(1+2+3+4+5) = 1 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{15}$$

$$(b) \quad P(1) + P(2) + P(3) = \frac{1}{15}(1+2+3) = 0.4$$

$$(c) \quad P(2) + P(3) + P(4) = \frac{1}{15}(2+3+4) = 0.6$$

$$(d) \quad P(Y) = \frac{y^2}{50}$$

$$\sum_{y=1}^5 P(Y) = \frac{1}{50}(1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2) = \frac{55}{50} > 1$$

No

(10)

Ex 3:

(a)

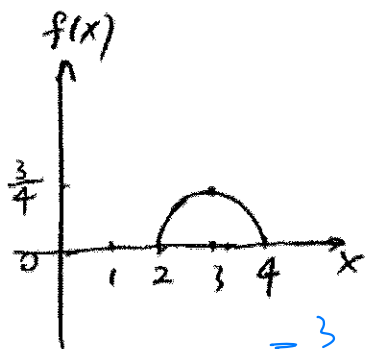
$$\int_2^4 f(x) dx = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{k} = \int_2^4 (-x^2 + 6x - 8) dx$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{k} = \frac{4}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$k = \frac{3}{4} \quad \checkmark$$

(b)



$$= \frac{3}{4} \int_2^4 (-x^2 + 6x - 8) dx = \frac{3}{4} \left( -\frac{x^3}{3} + 6\frac{x^2}{2} - 8x \right) \Big|_2^4$$

$$(c) \quad P(X > 3) = \int_3^4 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$(d) \quad P(2.75 \leq X \leq 3.25) = \int_{2.75}^{3.25} \frac{3}{4} (1 - (x-3)^2) dx = 0.3672 \quad \checkmark$$

$$(e) \quad P(X < 2.5 \text{ or } X > 3.5) = 1 - \int_{2.5}^{3.5} \frac{3}{4} (1 - (x-3)^2) dx = 0.3125 \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 1 - \frac{3}{4} \left( -\frac{x^3}{3} + 6\frac{x^2}{2} - 8x \right) \Big|_{2.5}^{3.5}$$

Subtract 1 point if  
intermediate steps are  
missing

8 Ex 4:

(a)  $P(X \leq 1) = F(1) = \frac{1}{4}$  ✓

(b)  $P(0.5 \leq X \leq 1) = F(1) - F(0.5) = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{3}{16}$  ✓

(c)  $P(X > 1.5) = 1 - F(1.5) = \frac{7}{16}$  ✓

(d)  $F(\hat{\mu}) = \frac{1}{2}$  ✓

$\frac{\hat{\mu}^2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$

$\hat{\mu} = \sqrt{2}$  ✓

(e)  $f(x) = 0$  if  $x < 0$  or  $x \geq 2$  ✓

$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x$  if  $0 \leq x < 2$  ✓

7 ex 5

$X \sim B(6, 0.1)$   $p = 0.1$

(a)  $P(X=1) = \binom{6}{1} p^1 (1-p)^{6-1} = 0.3543$  ✓

(b)  $P(X \geq 2) = 1 - (P(X=0) + P(X=1))$  ✓

$= 1 - \left( \binom{6}{0} 0.1^0 0.9^6 + \binom{6}{1} 0.1^1 0.9^5 \right)$

$= 0.1143$  ✓

[if someone sums up 2 to 6, it's finer too]

(c) 4 or 5 goblets must be selected

select 4 goblets with 0 defects:  $P(X=0) = \binom{4}{0} 0.1^0 0.9^4 = 0.6561$  ✓

select 4 goblets, one of which is defective, & th is good

$\binom{4}{1} 0.1^1 0.9^3 \times 0.9 = 0.26244$

$\therefore 0.6561 + 0.26244 = 0.91854$  ✓

ex 6:

$X$  = number of boxes that do not contain a prize until you find 2 prizes.  $X \sim NB(2, 0.2)$

$$(a) P(X=x) = \binom{x+2-1}{2-1} 0.2^2 (1-0.2)^x = (x+1) 0.2^2 0.8^x$$

$$(b) P(4 \text{ boxes purchased}) = P(2 \text{ boxes without prizes}) \\ = NB(2, 2, 0.2) \\ = (2+1) 0.2^2 0.8^2 = 0.0768$$

$$(c) P(X \leq 2) = \sum_{x=0}^2 nb(x; 2, 0.8) = 0.04 + 0.064 + 0.0768 = 0.1808$$

⑤ ex 7:

$$X \in \{3, 4, 5\}$$

pmf:

$$P(X=3) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \cdot 2 = \frac{1}{4} \checkmark$$

$$P(X=5) = \binom{4}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{3}{8} \checkmark$$

$$P(X=4) = 1 - P(X=3) - P(X=5) = \frac{3}{8} \checkmark$$

$x$	1	2	3	4	5
$P(X)$	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$

$$(a) P(X=0) = \frac{e^{-2} 2^0}{0!} = 0.135$$

(b)  $S$  = an operator who receives no requests

the number of operators that receive no requests follow a  $\text{Bin}(n=5, p=0.135)$  distribution

$$P(4S's \text{ in } 5 \text{ trials}) = \binom{5}{4} 0.135^4 0.865^1 = 0.00144$$

(c)  $P(\text{all operators receive exactly } x \text{ requests})$

$$= \left( \frac{e^{-2} 2^x}{x!} \right)^5 = \frac{e^{-10} 2^{5x}}{(x!)^5}$$

$$\therefore P(\text{all receive the same number}) = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-10} 2^{5x}}{(x!)^5}$$

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Figure 1: Solution for Exercise 8

**Exercise 8** See Figure 1.

**Exercise 9**

- (a)  $X > n$  means that there are at least  $n+1$  failures before the first success. The probability for this is  $(1-p)^{n+1}$ , hence the claim follows by taking complement.
- (b)  $P\left(\frac{X_n}{n} \leq x\right) = P(X_n \leq nx) = 1 - (1 - \frac{\lambda}{n})^{nx+1} \rightarrow 1 - e^{-\lambda x} = P(X \leq x)$ .
- (c) The geometric distribution models the number of failures before the first success in a binomial experiment. The binomial experiment with success parameter  $\lambda/n$  approximates the Poisson process. Hence, the exponential distribution is the distribution of the waiting time until the first event occurs in a Poisson process.