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## Assignment 3

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https://github.com/Dontha-Aarthi/AI1103/tree/main/Assignment3/Codes

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## 1 Problem

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Let X be the Poisson random variable with parameter  $\lambda = 1$ . Then, the probability  $\Pr(2 \le X \le 4)$  equals ..........

2 SOLUTION

Let

$$X \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5...\}$$
 (2.0.1)

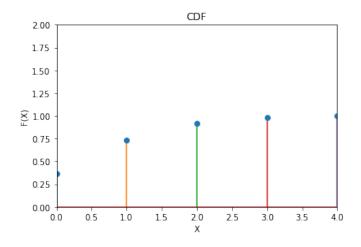
We know that, for a poisson random variable X with a given parameter  $\lambda$ , probability of X = k is:

$$\Pr(X = k) = \left(\frac{\lambda^k e^{-\lambda}}{k!}\right) \tag{2.0.2}$$

The graph of CDF is shown below

X	0	1	2	3	4
F(X)	1/e	2/e	5/2e	8/3e	65/24e

TABLE 0: CDF



And also,

$$\Pr(x < X \le y) = F(y) - F(x) \tag{2.0.3}$$

So, now we can find the value of  $Pr(2 \le X \le 4)$  and also its given that  $\lambda=1$ .

We can represent the value of  $Pr(2 \le X \le 4)$  as  $Pr(1 \le X \le 4)$ .

Now by using 2.0.3,

$$Pr (2 \le X \le 4) = Pr (1 < X \le 4)$$

$$= F(4) - F(1)$$

$$= \frac{65}{24e} - \frac{2}{e}$$

$$= \frac{17}{24e}$$
(2.0.4)

The graph for theoretical result vs simulation is given below

