

Lec18_2

Exercise 3 (a)

```
storm <- read.csv("Stormchaser.csv")
head(storm)
```

```
## Observation tornadoes
## 1          1          0
## 2          2          0
## 3          3          0
## 4          4          0
## 5          5          0
## 6          6          0
```

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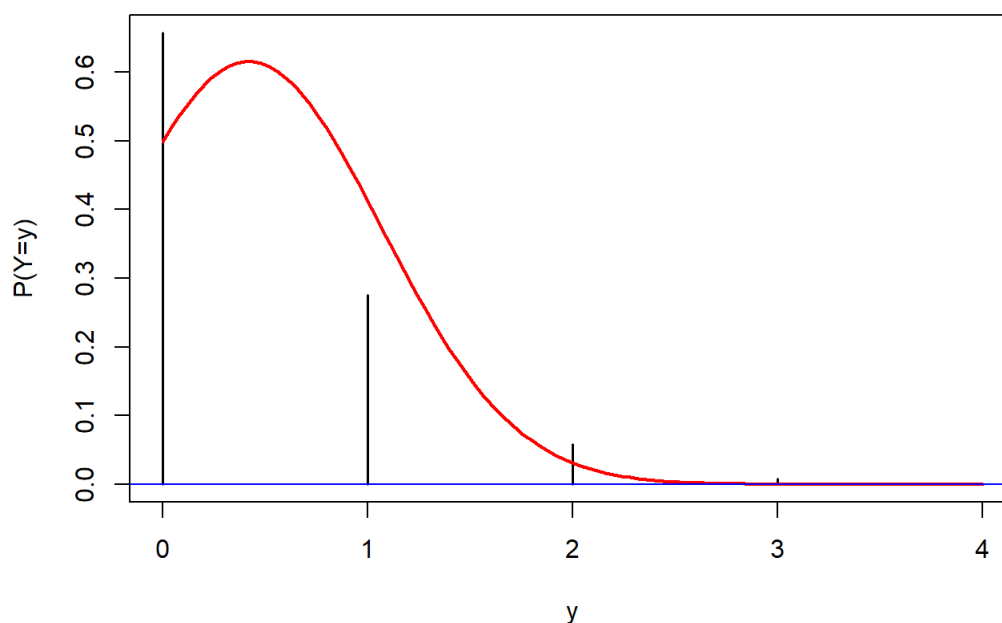
```
(mu <- mean(storm$tornadoes))
```

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## [1] 0.4202899
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lower <- max(0, round(x = mu - 4*sqrt(mu) + 0.5, digits = 0))
upper <- round(x = mu + 4*sqrt(mu) + 0.5, digits = 0)

save.pol <- data.frame(y = c(lower:upper),
  prob = round(x = dpois(x = c(lower:upper), lambda = mu),
    digits = 4))
plot(x = save.pol$y, y = save.pol$prob, type = "h", lwd=1.5,
  xlab = "y", ylab = "P(Y=y)", main=paste("mu = ", round(mu, 3)))
curve(expr = ((2*pi*mu)^(-1/2)) * exp(-(x-mu)^2/(2*mu)),
  from = lower, to = upper, add = TRUE, col="red", lwd=2)
abline(h = 0, col = "blue")
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mu = 0.42



Poisson doesn't seem like a good fit. There is a downward trend from observations, but it is not close enough to the way poisson distribution goes.