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1. (i) and (ii) are true; (iii) and (iv) are wrong.

P.f: (i)  $S_n \leq t$ , this mean that  $n^{\text{th}}$  arrival occurred at some time  $T \leq t$

$$\Rightarrow N(t) = n, N(t) \geq N(T) = n.$$

$$\Rightarrow \{S_n \leq t\} \subseteq \{N(t) \geq n\} \quad (1)$$

$N(t) \geq n$ , this mean there are  $m$  arrivals at time  $t$ ,  $N(t) = m$ .

$$m \geq n.$$

$$\Rightarrow S_m \leq t, \text{ because } m \geq n$$

$$\Rightarrow S_n \leq S_m \leq t.$$

$$\{N(t) \geq n\} \subseteq \{S_n \leq t\} \quad (2)$$

Combine (1) and (2), we cancel  $\{N(t) \geq n\} = \{S_n \leq t\}$ ;

(ii) Since (i) is true, (ii) is true by taking complement.

(iii) When,  $S_n < t < S_{n+1}$ ,  $N(t) = n \subseteq \{N(t) \geq n\}$ .

But  $S_n < t$ , so (iii) is false.

(iv) ~~Since (iii) is not true, it~~

When  $S_n < t < S_{n+1}$ ,  $N(t) = n$ , so (iv) is false

2. Because there are 5 courts, the time of #1 arrival is exponentially distributed with mean  $\mu$ :

$$E(X) = \frac{40 \text{ min}}{5} = 8 \text{ min}$$

If there are  $k$  other pairs waiting in queue, the new pairs can get a court at  $k+1$  times.

$$E(t) = E(X) \cdot (k+1) = 8(k+1) \text{ min}$$

3.

$$a: P_r\{N(t)=n | S_n=\tau\} = P_r\{X_{n+1} > t-\tau\} = 1 - \int_0^{t-\tau} \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx = e^{-\lambda(t-\tau)}$$

$$b: P_r\{N(t)=n\} = \int_0^t P_r\{N(t)=n | S_n=\tau\} \cdot f_{S_n}(\tau) d\tau$$

$$= \int_0^t e^{-\lambda(t-\tau)} \cdot \frac{\lambda^n \tau^{n-1} e^{-\lambda \tau}}{(n-1)!} d\tau$$

$$= \frac{\lambda^n e^{-\lambda t}}{(n-1)!} \cdot \int_0^t \tau^{n-1} d\tau$$

$$= \frac{\lambda^n e^{-\lambda t}}{(n-1)!} \cdot \left. \frac{1}{n} \tau^n \right|_0^t$$

$$= \frac{(\lambda t)^n e^{-\lambda t}}{n!}$$

4. Prove that Geometric distribution has the memoryless property:

Pf: The memoryless definition:

$$P_r(X > t+x) = P_r(X > t) \cdot P_r(X > x)$$

$$\text{LHS} = \sum_{i=t+x+1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{i-1} p$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} (1-p)^{i+t} p - \sum_{i=1}^{t+x} (1-p)^{i+t} p$$

$$= \frac{p}{1-(1-p)} - \frac{(1-p)^{t+x} \cdot p - p}{(1-p)-1}$$

$$= 1 + [(1-p)^{t+x} - 1]$$

$$= (1-p)^{t+x}$$

$$\text{RHS} = P_r(X > t) \cdot P_r(X > x)$$

$$= (1-p)^t \cdot (1-p)^x$$

$$= (1-p)^{x+t} = \text{LHS}$$

3. Because  $X_n$  is a Binomial random variable,

$$\cancel{Pr(X_n=i) = \binom{n}{k} p_n^i (1-p_n)^{n-i}}$$

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$$= \frac{n!}{i!(n-i)!} p_n^i (1-p_n)^{n-i}$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1)}{i!} \cdot \left(\frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^i \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^{n-i}$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1)}{n^i} \cdot \frac{\lambda^i}{i!} \cdot \frac{\left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^n}{\left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^i}$$

$$\text{When } n \rightarrow \infty, \quad n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1) = \underbrace{n \cdot n \cdot \dots \cdot n}_i = n^i$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^i \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\lambda}$$

$$RHS = \cancel{\frac{n^i}{n^i}} \cdot \frac{\lambda^i}{i!} \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda}}{1} = \frac{\lambda^i e^{-\lambda}}{i!}$$

6. ~~Let~~

P.f: Let  $a = |A|$ ,  $b = |B|$ ,  $c = |C| = |A \cap B|$

If  $A$  and  $B$  are independent, we can get:

$$\Pr(c) = \Pr(A) \cdot \Pr(B)$$

$$\frac{c}{p} = \frac{a}{p} \cdot \frac{b}{p}$$

$$pc = a \cdot b$$

since  $p$  is prime, at least one of  $a$  and  $b$  is divisible by  $p$

Because  $0 \leq a, b \leq p$ , ~~so~~ at least one of  $a$  and  $b$  is equal to 0 or  $p$

7. Let  $Y = X - \frac{a}{2}$ . Because  $\Pr(0 \leq X \leq a) = 1$ , so  $0 \leq X \leq a$

$$\frac{a}{2} = 0 - \frac{a}{2} \leq Y \leq a - \frac{a}{2} = \frac{a}{2}, \quad |Y| \leq \frac{a}{2}$$

Since  $X$  and  $Y$  only differ by a constant,  $\text{Var}(X) = \text{Var}(Y)$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \text{Var}(Y) = E(Y^2) - (E[Y])^2 \leq E[Y^2] \leq \frac{a^2}{4}$$

8. We want to find the distribution of  $M_n - \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n$ .

~~$P\{M_n - \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n \leq x\}$~~

$$F_X(x) = P_r \left\{ M_n - \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n \leq x \right\}$$
$$= P_r \left\{ M_n \leq x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n \right\}. \quad (1)$$

Because  $M_n = \max\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$ . If (1) is real, that means every  $X_i \leq x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n$ . Because  $\{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is i.i.d. then:

$$RHS = \prod_{i=1}^n P_r \{X_i \leq x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n\}.$$

~~$\prod_{i=1}^n$~~  Because  $\{X_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  is in exponential distribution,

We know  $P_r \{X_n \leq x\} = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$ ,

$$RHS = \prod_{i=1}^n [1 - e^{-\lambda(x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n)}] = [1 - e^{-\lambda(x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \log n)}]^n$$

$$= \left[1 - \frac{e^{-\lambda x}}{n}\right]^n$$

$$= e^{e^{-\lambda x}} \quad (n \rightarrow \infty).$$