Stochastic processes and applications: Seminar #4

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Info: Do not be afraid to solve unfinished tasks at home!

Conditional expectations

Task 1

X is a random variable following Poisson distribution with parameter $\lambda=1$; random variable Y is a random variable uniformly distributed on [1,2]. Assuming that X and Y are independent, find $\mathrm{E}(XY|X)$, $\mathrm{Cov}(XY,X), \mathrm{Var}(XY|X), \mathrm{Var}(XY)$.

Task 2

Let X and Y be two jointly continuous random variables with joint probability density function

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} x+y & \text{if} \quad x,y \in [0,1] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Find f(x), f(y|x), E(Y|X).

Task 3

Random variables X and Y are independent and exponentially distributed with parameter n.

Question 1

- (a) Find P(X|X+Y), E(X|X+Y).
- (b) How the answer will change, if X and Y are following Poisson distribution with parameter λ ?
- (c) Find E(X|X+Y) if $X \sim Exp(n_1), Y \sim Exp(n_2)$.

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