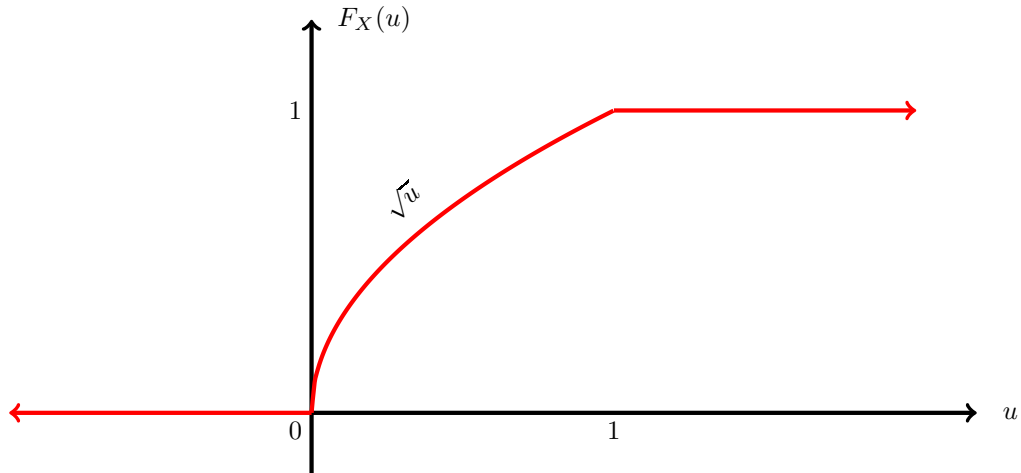


Let X be a random variable, whose cumulative distribution function equals \sqrt{u} in the interval $[0, 1]$, as shown below. What is the probability that $X + 2$ lies in the interval $[0, 2.25]$, and $81X^2$ is greater than 1 ?



- (a) $1/6$
- (b) $1/3$
- (c) $2/3$
- (d) $1/2$
- (e) $1/4$
- (f) $1/9$
- (g) $5/9$
- (h) $5/36$
- (i) $3/4$
- (j) 0
- (k) 1
- (l) None of these

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}P(X + 2 \in [0, 2.25], \ 81X^2 > 1) &= P(1/9 < X < 1/4) \\&= F_X(1/4) - F_X(1/9) \\&= \sqrt{1/4} - \sqrt{1/9} \\&= 1/2 - 1/3 \\&= 1/6.\end{aligned}$$