

Yet More Lightbulbs

$$F_x(3000) = e^{-3000/2000} \approx .223$$

$$P(\text{both lightbulbs work after 3000 hours}) = .223^2 = .0498$$

The Non-Persistence of Memory

Since the exponential distribution is memoryless, bulb 1 has the same probability of surviving 3000 hours as a new bulb would have surviving 2000 hours. Similarly, the odds that the second bulb will make it to 3000 is the same as a new bulb making it to 500.

$$P = e^{-\frac{500}{2000}} \cdot e^{-\frac{2000}{2000}} = .2865$$

Check My Math

$$\text{Throughput: } 120 = \lambda(100) \quad \lambda = \frac{12}{100} \text{ jobs/ms}$$

$$\text{By utilization law: } \frac{12}{100} \cdot 100 = U = 1.2$$

You made a mistake because utilization cannot be greater than 1.

Unbalanced server loads

$$.6 = \lambda 250$$

$$\lambda = \frac{3}{1250}$$

$$.8 = \frac{4.5}{1250} \bar{s}$$

$$\bar{s} = 222.22$$

arrival time	service time	enter-service time	departure time	residual time
1	3	1	4	3
3	2	4	6	3
5	4	6	10	5
7	1	10	11	4
8	1	11	12	4
13	2	13	15	2
14	1	15	16	2
17	3	17	20	3