

Ex

$X$  is C.R.V. and its PDF is

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} c \cdot (1-x^2) & -1 < x < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

a)  $c = ?$       b) CDF?

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_X(x) dx = 1$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 c \cdot (1-x^2) dx = 1$$

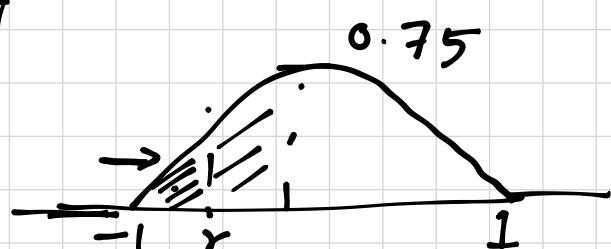
$$c \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right) \Big|_{-1}^1 = 1$$

$$c \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) - \left( -1 - \frac{(-1)^3}{3} \right) \right] = 1$$

$$c \left[ \frac{2}{3} - \left( -\frac{2}{3} \right) \right] = 1$$

$$c \cdot \frac{4}{3} = 1 \Rightarrow c = \frac{3}{4} \therefore c = 0.75$$

b)  $F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(u) du$



- $x < -1 \quad F_X(x) = 0$

- $-1 \leq x < 1 \quad F_X(x) = \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^0 0 dx}_{0} + \int_{-1}^x 0.75(1-u^2) du$

$$F_X(x) = 0.75 \left[ u - \frac{u^3}{3} \right]_{-1}^x$$

$$= 0.75 \left[ \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right) - \left( -1 + \frac{1}{3} \right) \right]$$

$$= 0.75 \left[ x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \right]$$

- $x \geq 1 \quad F_X(x) = 1$

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < -1 \\ 0.75x - 0.25x^3 + 0.5, & -1 \leq x < 1 \\ 1, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Ex A filling station is supplied with gasoline once a week. If its weekly volume of sales in thousands of liters is a R.V. with PDF

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} 5(1-x)^4 & , 0 < x < 1 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

what must be the capacity of the tank so that the probability of the supply being exhausted in a given week is 0.01.



$X$ : satılan benzin miktarı (1 ton  
cinsinden)

$$P(X \geq \alpha) = 0.01$$

$$= \int_{\alpha}^1 5(1-x)^4 dx = 0.01$$

$$5 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) \left[(1-x)^5\right] \Big|_{\alpha}^1 = 0.01$$

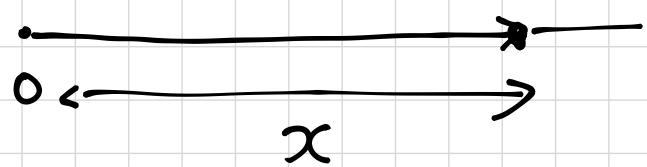
$$-\left[0 - (1-\alpha)^5\right] = 0.01$$

$$1-\alpha = \sqrt[5]{0.01}$$

$$\alpha = 1 - \sqrt[5]{0.01}$$

$$\alpha = 0.6819 \text{ ton} = \underline{\underline{601.9}} \text{ litre}$$

## Exponential Distribution



The duration from any starting point until a "success" occurs.

$N$ : a Poisson R.V., the number of successes along  $x$

If the number of success is  $\geq \lambda$  per unit time

$$E(N) = x \cdot \lambda \quad \text{per duration } x$$

The first "success" must happen beyond  $x$

$$P(X > x) = P(N=0) = \frac{e^{-\lambda x} (\lambda x)^0}{0!} = e^{-\lambda x}$$

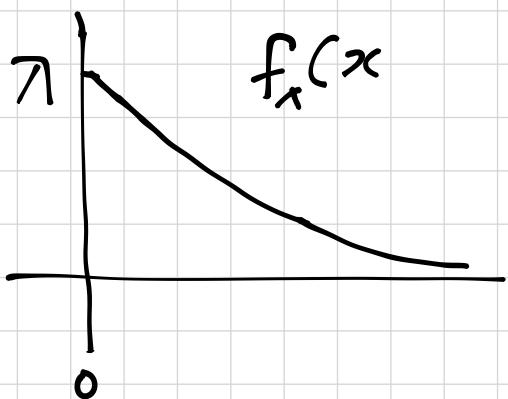
$$\text{CDF } F_x(x) = 1 - P(X > x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x} \quad x \geq 0$$

$$\text{PDF } f_x(x) = \frac{d F_x(x)}{dx} = \begin{cases} \lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

## Definition

$X$  is an exponential ( $\lambda$ ) R.V., if the PDF of  $X$  is  $[\lambda > 0]$

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



## Mean and Variance of Exponential R.V.

$$E[X^n] = \int_0^\infty \underbrace{x^n}_{u} \cdot \underbrace{\lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x}}_{dv} \cdot dx$$

$$dv = \lambda \cdot e^{-\lambda x} \cdot dx$$

$$v = -e^{-\lambda x}$$

$$u = x^n$$

$$du = n \cdot x^{n-1} \cdot dx$$

$$\int_0^\infty u \cdot dv = uv \Big|_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty v \cdot du$$

$$= -x^n \cdot e^{-\lambda x} \Big|_0^\infty + \int_0^\infty -e^{-\lambda x} \cdot n \cdot x^{n-1} dx$$

$$(* \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^n \cdot e^{-\lambda x} = 0 *)$$

$$E(X^n) = \frac{n}{\lambda} \int_0^\infty x^{n-1} \cdot \underbrace{e^{-\lambda x}}_{f_X(x)} \cdot dx$$

$$E(X^{n-1})$$

$$E(X^n) = \frac{n}{\lambda} E(X^{n-1})$$

$$\mu_x = E(X) = \frac{1}{\lambda} \quad E(X^2) = \frac{2}{\lambda} \quad E(X) = \frac{2}{\lambda^2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - \mu_x^2 = \frac{2}{\lambda^2} - \left(\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

Ex Suppose that the length of a phone call in minutes is an exponential R.V. with parameter  $\lambda = \frac{1}{10}$ . If someone arrives immediately

ahead of you at a public telephone booth, find the probability that

a) You have to wait more than 10 minutes

b) between 10 and 20 minutes.

$$F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ 1 - e^{-\lambda x}, & 0 \leq x \end{cases}$$

$$a) P(X > 10) = 1 - \underbrace{P(X \leq 10)}_{F_X(10)} = 1 - (1 - e^{-1}) \approx 0.368$$

$$b) P(10 < X < 20) = F_X(20) - F_X(10) \\ = e^{-1} - e^{-2} = 0.233$$

## Memoryless Property

We say that a non-negative R.V.,  $X$  is memoryless if

$$P(X > s+t | X > t) = P(X > s) \quad \forall s, t > 0$$

- we can start measuring the outcome at any given point.

- Exponential R.V is a "memoryless" R.V.

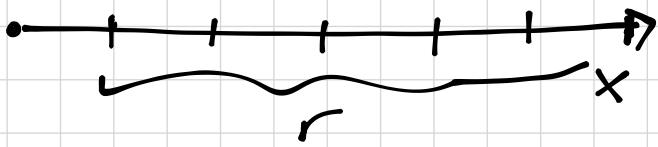
$$P(X > s+t | X > t) = \frac{P(X > s+t)}{P(X > s+t, X > t)}$$

$$P(X > s+t) = P(X > s) * P(X > t)$$

## Gamma and Erlang Random Variables

~ The time until  $\leq r$  "successes" occur in a Poisson Process

Ex :



$X$  : time until  $\leq r$  successes occur

$N$  : Poisson,  $\lambda$  successes per unit time

$E(N) = \lambda x$  successes per  $x$

$$P(X > x) = P(N \leq r) = \sum_{k=0}^r \frac{e^{-\lambda x} \cdot (\lambda x)^k}{k!}$$

$$\text{CDF } F_X(x) = P(X \leq x) = 1 - P(X > x) \\ = 1 - \sum_{k=0}^r \frac{e^{-\lambda x} \cdot (\lambda x)^k}{k!}$$

PDF

$$f_X(x) = \frac{d}{dx} F_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^r \cdot x^{r-1} \cdot e^{-\lambda x}}{(r-1)!}$$

### Definition

$X$  is an Erlang R.V.  $(\lambda, n)$  if the PDF of  $X$

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda^n \cdot x^{n-1} \cdot e^{-\lambda x}}{(n-1)!} & x > 0 \\ 0 & , x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

- If  $n$  is an integer we also call  $X$  a "Gamma R.V."
- $n=1 \Rightarrow X$  exponential R.V.

## Gamma Function

$$\Gamma(r) = \int_0^\infty x^{r-1} \cdot e^{-x} \cdot dx, \quad r > 0$$

Using integration by parts

$$u = x^{r-1}$$

$$dv = e^{-x} dx$$

$$du = (r-1) \cdot x^{r-2} dx$$

$$v = -e^{-x}$$

$$\int_0^\infty u \cdot dv = uv \Big|_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty v \cdot du$$

$$\Gamma(r) = \underbrace{-e^{-x} \cdot x^{r-1}}_{0-0} \Big|_0^\infty + \int_0^\infty e^{-x} (r-1) x^{r-2} dx$$

$$\Gamma(r) = (r-1) \Gamma(r-1)$$

If  $r$  is an integer  
 $\Gamma(r) = (r-1)!$

A

$$\Gamma(1) = 0! = 1$$

The A/PDF of the Gamma R.V. can be written as

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^n \cdot x^{n-1} \cdot e^{-\lambda x}}{\Gamma(n)} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}^+, \lambda, x > 0$$

mean (Expected Value)

$$\begin{aligned} E(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(n)} \cdot \int_0^\infty x \cdot \lambda^n \cdot x^{n-1} \cdot e^{-\lambda x} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(n)} \cdot \int_0^\infty \lambda^n \cdot x^n \cdot e^{-\lambda x} \cdot dx \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \lambda x \quad dy = \lambda dx \quad dx = dy/\lambda$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(n)} \int_0^\infty y^n \cdot e^{-y} \cdot \frac{dy}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n)} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\lambda} = \frac{n}{\lambda}$$

## Variance

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{n}{x^2}$$

Ex

The lifetime <sup>(in years)</sup> of an electronic component is random variable,  $X$ , with a PDF

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \cdot e^{-x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

What is the expected lifetime of this component?

$$E(X) = \int_0^\infty x \cdot x \cdot e^{-x} dx = \int_0^\infty x^2 \cdot e^{-x} dx$$

$$\text{we know that } \Gamma(r) = \int_0^\infty x^{r-1} \cdot e^{-x} dx$$

$$E(X) = \Gamma(3) = (3-1)! = 2 \text{ years.}$$

**4.5.3** ● Radars detect flying objects by measuring the power reflected from them. The reflected power of an aircraft can be modeled as a random variable  $Y$  with PDF

$$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{P_0} e^{-y/P_0} & y \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where  $P_0 > 0$  is some constant. The aircraft is correctly identified by the radar if the reflected power of the aircraft is larger than its average value. What is the probability  $P[C]$  that an aircraft is correctly identified?

C: aircraft correctly identified

$$P[Y > E(Y)] = ?$$

$\lambda = 1/P_0 \rightarrow Y \text{ is an Exponential R.V.}$

$$E(Y) = P_0$$

$$P(Y > P_0) = \int_{P_0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{P_0} \cdot e^{-y/P_0} dy$$

$$= -e^{-y/P_0} \Big|_{P_0}^{\infty} = 0 - \left( -e^{-P_0/P_0} \right) = e^{-1} \quad \square$$

Ex  $Y$  is an exponential R.V. with variance  $\text{Var}(Y) = 25$ . a) Find the PDF.

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda e^{-\lambda x}, & x > 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} = 25 \Rightarrow \lambda = 1/5$$

$$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 1/5 \cdot e^{-y/5}, & y > 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

b)  $E(Y^2) = ?$

$$E(Y^2) = \text{Var}(Y) + M_x^2$$

$$E(Y) = M_x = \frac{1}{\lambda} = 5 \quad E(Y^2) = 25 - 25 = 0$$

Ex The C.D.F. of C.R.V,  $V$  is

$$F_V(v) = \begin{cases} 0, & v < -5 \\ (v+5)^2/144, & -5 \leq v < 7 \\ 1, & v \geq 7 \end{cases}$$

a)  $E(V)$  and  $\text{Var}(V) = ?$

PDF of  $V$  is  $f_V(v) = \frac{d}{dv} F_V(v)$

$$f_V(v) = \begin{cases} \frac{v+5}{72}, & -5 \leq v < 7 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$E(V) = \int_{-5}^7 v \cdot \frac{v+5}{72} \cdot dv = \frac{1}{72} \left[ \frac{v^3}{3} + 5 \frac{v^2}{2} \right]_{-5}^7$$

$$= \frac{1}{72} \left( \frac{343}{3} + \frac{245}{2} + \frac{125}{3} - 5 \cdot \frac{25}{2} \right)$$

$$= 3$$

The second moment,  $E(V^2)$

$$E(V^2) = \frac{1}{72} \int_{-5}^7 v^2 \cdot (v+5) dv = \dots = 15.55$$

$$\text{Var}(V) = E(V^2) - M_V^2 = 15.55 - 9 = \underline{\underline{6.55}}$$

c) Find the third moment of  $V$

$$E(V^3) = \frac{1}{72} \int_{-5}^7 v^3 (v+5) dv = \dots = \underline{\underline{86.2}}$$

Ex

C.R.V,  $X$  has a PDF of

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{2} f_1(x) + \frac{1}{2} f_2(x) \text{ where}$$

$$f_1(x) = \begin{cases} c_1, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$f_2(x) = \begin{cases} c_2 \cdot e^{-x}, & x \geq 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$c_1, c_2 = ?$$

① For  $x > 2$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{2} f_2(x) = \frac{c_2}{2} e^{-x}, \quad \underline{c_2 \geq 0}$$

② For  $0 \leq x \leq 2$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{c_1}{2} + \frac{c_2}{2} e^{-x} > 0 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2$$

→ homework ←

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(x) dx = 1$$