Homework 2

Problem 1

One in box 2: (11111) (1121) (1211) (2111) (221) (311) (131)

$$P_1 = (\frac{1}{3})^5 + 3 \times (\frac{1}{3})^4 + 3 \times (\frac{1}{3})^3 = \frac{1+9+27}{243} = \frac{37}{243}$$

Two in box 2: (11112) (1122) (1212) (2112) (222) (312) (132) (1112) (122) (212) (32)

$$P_2 = (\frac{1}{3})^5 + 4 \times (\frac{1}{3})^4 + 5 \times (\frac{1}{3})^3 + (\frac{1}{3})^2 = \frac{1+12+45+27}{243} = \frac{85}{243}$$

Three in box 2: (11113) (1123) (1213) (2113) (223) (313) (133) (1113) (123) (213) (33) (113) (23)

$$P_3 = (\frac{1}{3})^5 + 4 \times (\frac{1}{3})^4 + 6 \times (\frac{1}{3})^3 + 2 \times (\frac{1}{3})^2 = \frac{1+12+54+54}{243} = \frac{121}{243}$$

Part a.

$$E(X) = \sum cP(X=c) = P_1 \times 1 + P_2 \times 2 + P_3 \times 3 = \frac{37}{243} + 2 \times \frac{85}{243} + 3 \times \frac{121}{243} = \frac{570}{243} \approx 2.34$$

Part b.

$$Var(X) = E(X^2) - E(X)^2 = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c^2 P(X = c) = 1^2 \times \frac{37}{243} + 2^2 \times \frac{85}{243} + 3^2 \times \frac{121}{243} - (\frac{570}{243})^2$$
$$= \frac{243(37 + 340 + 1,089 - 570^2)}{570^2} = \frac{31338}{59049} = \frac{3482}{6561} \approx 0.53$$

Problem 2

People who alight should be $E(0.2 \times L_1)$

$$EL_2 = E(L_1 + B_2 - E(0.2 * L1))$$

Some basic facts $EL_1 = EB_2 = 1 \times 0.4 + 2 \times 0.1 = 0.6$

$$E(L_1^2) = 1^2 \times 0.4 + 2^2 \times 0.1 = 0.8$$

Therefore:

$$EL_2 = E(L_1 + B_2 - E(0.2 \times L_1)) = E(L_1) + E(B_2) - 0.2 \times E(L_1)$$

$$= 0.6 + 0.6 - 0.2 * 0.6$$

= 1.08

$$E(L_1 \times L_2) = E((L_1 + B_2 - E(0.2 \times L_1)) \times L_1)$$

= $E(L_1^2 + B_2 \times L_1 - 0.2 \times L_1)$

Because L_1 and B_2 is independent and L_1 is independent with itself. Therefore:

$$= E(L_1^2) + EL_1 \times EB_2 - 0.2 \times E(L_1^2)$$

= 0.8 + 0.6 \times 0.6 - 0.2 \times 0.8
= 1

Therefore:

$$Cov(L_1, L_2) = E(L_1 \times L_2) - EL_1 \times EL_2$$

= 1 - 0.6 × 1.08
= 0.352

Problem 3

$$Var(X + Y) = Var(X) + Var(Y) + 2 \times cov(X, Y)$$

Since X and Y are indicator random variables, by mailing tube (3.73) and (3.79), we use cov(X,Y) = E(XY) - E(X)E(Y)

$$Var(X + Y) = p \times (1 - p) + q \times (1 - q) + 2[E(XY) - p \times q]$$
$$= (p - p^{2}) + (q - q^{2}) + 2r - 2pq$$

Problem 4

 $E(D_4) = P(attaches\ to\ v_1) \times Deg(v_1) + P(attaches\ to\ v_2) \times Deg(v_2) + P(attaches\ to\ v_3) \times Deg(v_3)$

 $= P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_1 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times Deg(v_1) + P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_1 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times Deg(v_1)$

 $+P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_2 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times Deg(v_1) + P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_2 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times Deg(v_1)$

 $P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_3 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_2) \times Deg(v_1) + P(v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times P(attaches \ to \ v_3 \mid v_3 \ attaches \ to \ v_1) \times Deg(v_1)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{4} \times 2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 1$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{4}{8} + \frac{4}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8}$$

$$= 1.5$$