

After exam 1 368 lec 7

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$$D = X_1 - X_2 \sim ?$$

$$X_1 + X_2 \sim \text{poisson}(2\lambda)$$

$$D = \underbrace{X_1}_x + \underbrace{(-X_2)}_y \sim ?$$

$$\text{Sup}[X] = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$$

$$\text{Sup}[Y] = \{\dots, -2, -1, 0\}$$

$$\text{Sup}[X+Y] = \text{Sup}[X] + \text{Sup}[Y] = \mathbb{Z}$$

convolution formula for independent discrete r.v's

$$P_T(t) = \sum_{x \in \text{Sup}[X]} P_x^{old(x)} P_y^{old} (d-x) \mathbb{1}_{\substack{d-x \in \text{Sup}[Y] \\ x \in \{d, d+1, d+2, \dots\} \\ x-d \in \{0, 1, \dots\}}} \\ = \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^x e^{-\lambda}}{x!} \frac{\lambda^{-(d-x)} e^{-\lambda}}{(-(d-x))!} \mathbb{1}_{d-x \in \{\dots, -1, 0\}}$$

$$= e^{-2\lambda} \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x! (x-d)!} \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{d, d+1, \dots\}}$$

two different cases

$$= e^{-2\lambda} \begin{cases} \text{let say } d = -17 & 2x-d = -17 \\ \text{if } d \leq 0 & \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x! (x-d)!} = \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x+d'}}{x! (x+d')!} \\ & \text{let } d' = -d = |d| \\ \text{if } d > 0 & \sum_{x \in \{d, d+1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x-d}}{x! (x-d)!} = \sum_{x' \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2(x'+d)-d}}{(x'+d)(x')!} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{let } x' = x-d \Leftrightarrow x = x'+d \quad d = |d|$$

$$d' = -d = |d|$$

both are summing over the same set

$$\sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\lambda^{2x+|d|}}{x! (x+|d|)!} \rightarrow \sum_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}} \frac{\left(\frac{2\lambda}{2}\right)^{2x+|d|}}{x! (x+|d|)!} = I_{|d|}(2\lambda)$$

modified bessel function of the first kind (it's a solution to a famous dif eq)

$$= e^{-\lambda^2} \mathbb{I}_{\text{Id}}(2\lambda) \mathbb{1}_{d \in \mathbb{Z}} = \text{Skellam}(1, 1)$$

this is used to model point spreads in sports games, photon noise, ...

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$x_1, x_2 \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{poisson}(\lambda), T = x_1 + x_2 \sim \text{poisson}(2\lambda)$

$$P(x_1 | T)$$

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you can break it up

→ not poisson anymore?

def: Joint / marginal

$$= P_{x_1, T}(x, t)$$

$$= P_{x_1, x_2}(x, t-x)$$

$$= P_{x_1}(x) P_{x_2}(t-x)$$

$$P_T(t)$$

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$$= \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!} \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{t-x}}{(t-x)!}$$

$$= \frac{t!}{x! (t-x)!} \frac{\lambda^t}{(2\lambda)^t} = \binom{t}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^t$$

how many successes come from x_1, x_2

$$\frac{e^{-2\lambda} (2\lambda)^t}{t!}$$

everything is the same...? so they have $\frac{1}{2}$ get the most likely scenario?

$$= \text{Bin}(t, \frac{1}{2}) \odot$$

$$P(x)$$

$$X_1 \sim \text{Geom}(p) := (1-p)^x p \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}}, \text{supp}[X] = \{0, 1, \dots\}$$

if they add up to

W,

$$F(x) := P(X_1 \leq x) = 1 - P(X_1 > x) = (1 - (1-p)^x) \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, 1, \dots\}}$$

10 total experiments x_1 in seconds, every second you do 1 experiment and stop

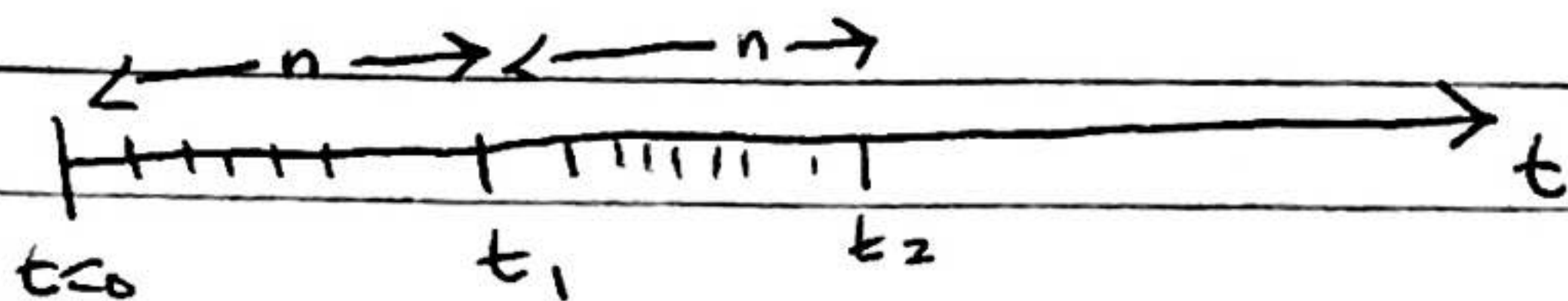
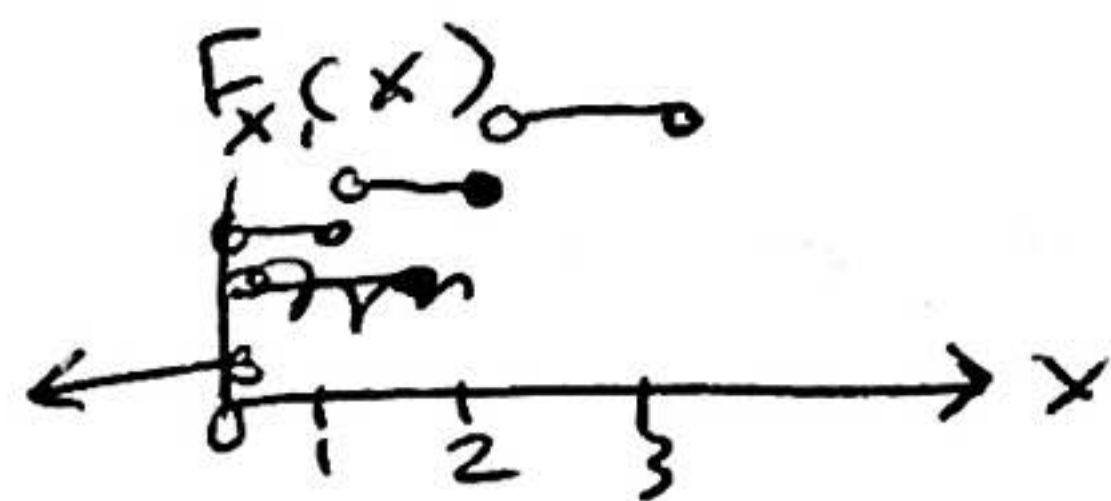
do them in order, 1 if it comes

$$t=1 \quad t=2 \quad t=3 \quad \dots \rightarrow x \text{ (time)}$$

comes from x_1 In every "second", let's do n iid Bernoulli(p)

0 if it comes from x_2 experiments.

$n \rightarrow \infty$ you get all \mathbb{R}



let's call the resulting geometric rv X_n and its unit of realization is t

$$P_{X_n}(x) = (1-p)^{nx} p \quad \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, \frac{1}{n}, \frac{2}{n}, \dots, 1, 1+\frac{1}{n}, 1+\frac{2}{n}, \dots, 2, \dots\}}$$

\hookrightarrow you can stop at any fraction

$$F_{X_n}(x) = 1 - (1-p)^{nx} \quad \text{of a second.}$$

let $n \rightarrow \infty$, $p \rightarrow 0$ but $\lambda = np$ where $\lambda \in (0, \infty)$

\hookrightarrow can't be zero has to be non degenerate

$$P_{X_\infty}(x) := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1-p)^{nx} p \quad \Rightarrow p = \frac{\lambda}{n} \quad \text{same as poisson}$$

$$\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^n \right)^x \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\lambda}{n} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{1}_{x \in \{0, \frac{1}{n}, \dots\}}$$

$$e^{-\lambda x} \cdot 0 \cdot \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)}$$

"that's bad"

$$= 0 \forall x!$$

$$\text{supp}[X_\infty] = [0, \infty]$$

$$\text{but } \sum_{x \in \text{supp}[X_\infty]} P_{X_\infty}(x) = 0$$

not a valid pmf!

(you don't get 1 you get 0)

$$F(x) := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 1 - \left(1 - \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)^{nx} = 1 - e^{-\lambda x} \quad \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)}$$

previously the pmf was not valid. Is the cdf valid?

for the cdf valid!

have to collect ~~nothing~~ or something

If so, I need to check three properties

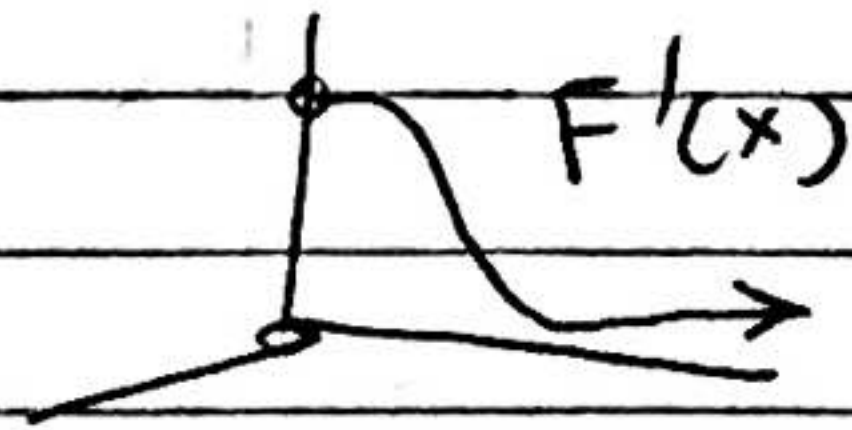
- 1) It's 0 as x goes to negative infinity
- 2) it's 1 as x goes to positive infinity
- 3) it's an increasing function.

$$(1) \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (1 - e^{-\lambda x}) \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)} = 0$$

$$(2) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (1 - e^{-\lambda x}) \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)} = 1 - \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{\lambda x}} = 1 \checkmark$$

$$(3) \frac{d}{dx} [(1 - e^{-\lambda x}) \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)}]$$

$$= \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)} \geq 0 \checkmark$$



always positive

\Rightarrow Yes this is a valid cdf!

What is it a cdf of?

we now have a continuous r.v.

Continuous r.v.'s have the following prop

$$|\text{supp}[X]| = |\mathbb{R}| \text{ uncountable } \infty \text{ (the size of the continuum)}$$

They do not have p.m.f's but they have cdf's

all the
prob. for
any specific
number is
zero

The derivative of the cdf is a very useful function
it is called the probability density function
(pdf) denoted $f(x)$

discrete r.v.s do not have PDF's $F(b)$ $F(a)$

$$f(x) := F'(x), P(X \in [a, b]) = P(X \leq b) - P(X \leq a)$$

by
fundamental
thm
of
calc

$$= \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

kinda like

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) dx = 1 = F(\infty) - F(-\infty)$$

$f(x) \geq 0$ since cdf's are increasing functions

$$\Rightarrow \text{supp}[X] = \{x : f(x) > 0\}$$

$$* X_1, \dots, X_n \text{ indep} \Rightarrow f_{X_1, \dots, X_n}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_{X_i}(x_i) \quad \leftarrow \text{joint density function}$$

$$X \sim \text{Exp}(\lambda) := \underbrace{\lambda e^{-\lambda x}}_{f^{\text{old}}(x)} \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{f(x)}$$

$$F(x) = (1 - e^{-\lambda x}) \mathbb{1}_{x \in [0, \infty)}$$

Exponential r.v

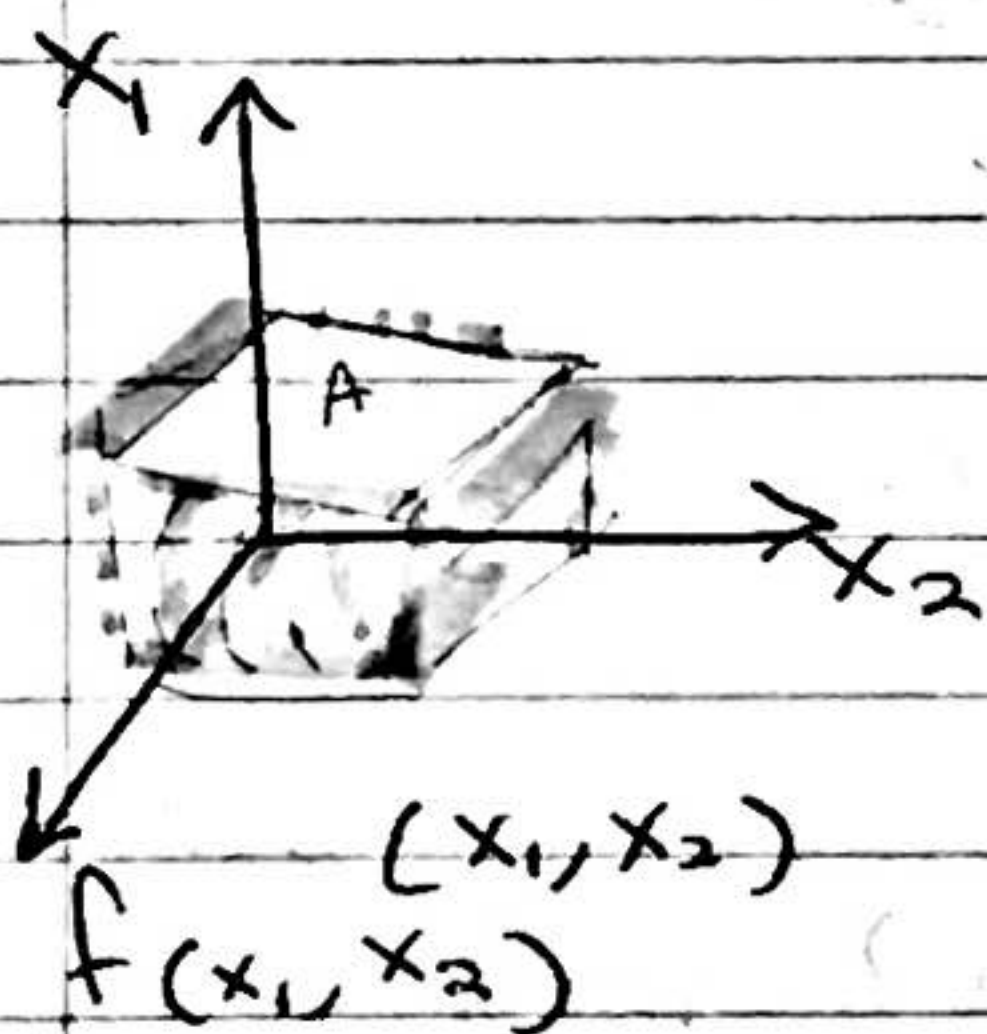
$$\lambda \in (0, \infty)$$

its parameter space

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_k \end{bmatrix} \sim f_{\vec{x}}(\vec{x})$$

$$\underbrace{\int_{\mathbb{R}} \dots \int_{\mathbb{R}}}_{k} f_{\vec{x}}(\vec{x}) dx_1 \dots dx_k = 1$$

$$k=2$$



$$P(A) = \int \int_A f_{x_1, x_2}(x_1, x_2) dx_1 dx_2$$

volume

if it's more than 2d it's a
hyper volume.