

Lab 4 note:

Central limit theorem:

$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  have similar  $\mu$  &  $\sigma$

$$S_n = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n \quad \mu_{S_n} = n\mu$$
$$\sigma_{S_n} = \sqrt{n} \sigma$$

$$Z = \frac{S_n - \mu_{S_n}}{\sigma_{S_n}} = \frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sqrt{n} \sigma}$$

→ Can be approximated by normal distribution.

Imagine  $W$  (thickness of the book) is random variable  $X$

R.V  $W$  is uniformly distributed in  $[1, 3]$

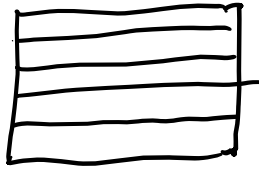
$$\mu_w = \frac{1+3}{2} = 2$$
$$= \frac{a+b}{2}$$

$$\sigma_w = \sqrt{\frac{1}{12} \cdot (3-1)^2} = 0.577$$

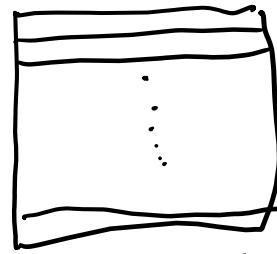
$S$ : the width of a stack of books



$n=1$



$n=5$



$n=15$

$$n=1 : S = W_1$$

$$n=5 : S = W_1 + W_2 + \dots + W_5$$

$$n=15 : S = W_1 + W_2 + \dots + W_{15}$$

Simulation:  $n=1 \Rightarrow S = W_1$  

- Generate  $N = 10,000$  different values for the width of the book, which is  $\text{btw}[1,3]$   
(use `random.uniform(1,3, n=1)`)

These values will be assigned to  $S$ .

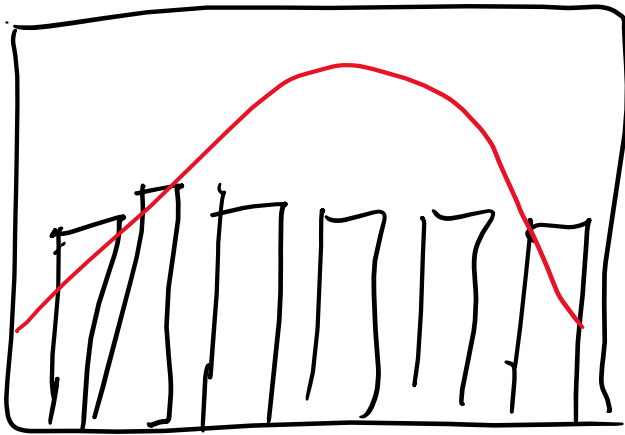
- Plot the histogram of  $S$

- Plot the normal prob. function of  $S$   
by using:

$$f(S_n) = \frac{1}{\hat{\sigma}_{S_n} \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(S - M_S)^2}{2\hat{\sigma}_S^2}}$$

- Plot them on the same figure to compare.

\* Repeat with  $n=5$ ,  $n=15$



Question 3)

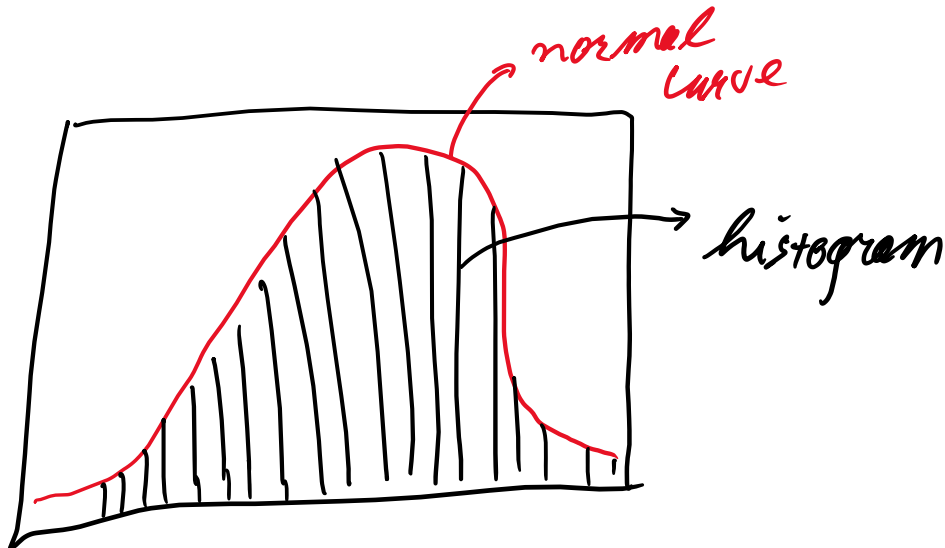
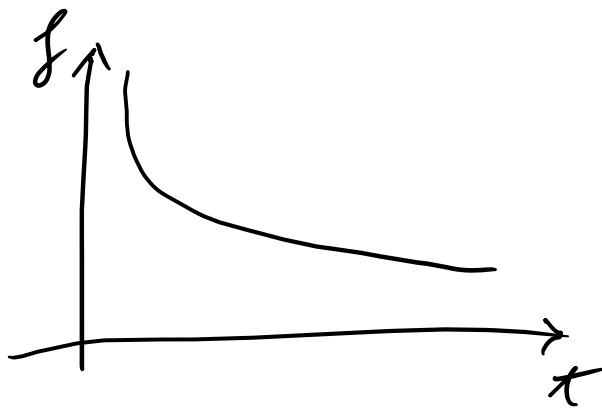
Exponential distribution:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \alpha e^{-\alpha x} & x > 0 \\ 0 & x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

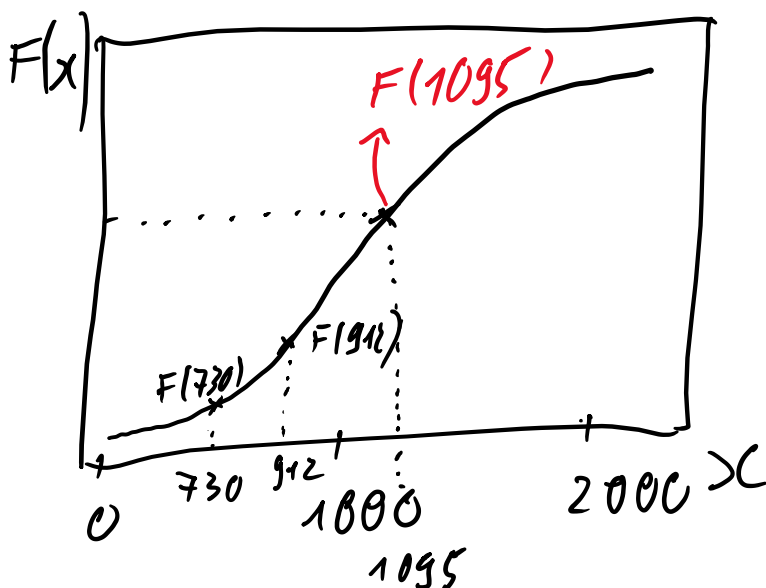
$$\text{Mean} = \mu = \frac{1}{\alpha} = \beta = 45$$

$$\text{Variance} : \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{\alpha^2} = \beta^2$$

$$\text{Standard deviation} : \sigma = \frac{1}{\alpha} = \beta$$



e) Use "np. cumsum" to calculate the CDF of the carton lifetime

$$cdf = np. cumsum(h_1 * \text{barwidth})$$


$$\begin{aligned}
 P(S > 1095) \\
 &= 1 - F(1095) \\
 &= !
 \end{aligned}$$

$$b) P(730 < S < 912) \\ = F(912) - F(730)$$

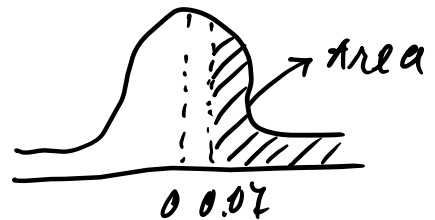
Using normal distribution to check the results

$$\mu = 24 \times 45 \\ = 1080$$

$$\sigma = 45 \times \sqrt{24} \\ = 220.454$$

a) More than 1095:

$$\frac{1095.5 - 1080}{220.454} = 0.07$$



$$P(X > 1095) = 0.5 - 0.0279 \\ = 0.4721$$