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1.)

exp = gamma  $\lambda=1$

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

$P(Y \leq y)$

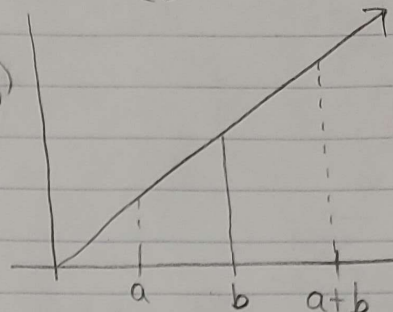
CDF

$F(y)$

$$\text{exp} = \frac{e^{-y/\beta}}{\beta}$$

$$\text{CDF} = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$$

denote  $a = y_1$ ,  $b = y_2$



$$P(Y > a+b | Y > a) = P(Y > b)$$

of.

$F(y)$  is a monotone increasing function

$$P(Y > a+b | Y > a) = \frac{P(Y > a+b) \cap P(Y > a)}{P(Y > a)} = \frac{P(Y > a+b)}{P(Y > a)}$$

$$= \frac{\int_{a+b}^{\infty} f(y) dy}{\int_a^{\infty} f(y) dy} = \frac{P(Y > a+b)}{P(Y > a)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - P(Y \leq a+b)}{1 - P(Y \leq a)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - [1 - e^{-\lambda(a+b)}]}{1 - [1 - e^{-\lambda a}]}$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\lambda(a+b)}}{e^{-\lambda a}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\lambda a} e^{-\lambda b}}{e^{-\lambda a}} = e^{-\lambda b} = 1 - F(b)$$

$$= 1 - P(Y \leq b)$$

$$= P(Y > b)$$

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b.)

To be memoryless it means that the probability of an event occurring is the same regardless of the previous results/events.

Further, as an example, the probability of flipping tails is still 50%, even if you flipped 5 heads in a row prior

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2.) Labeled at 20.4g

$$N(21.37, 0.16)$$

$$N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$a.) P(Y > 20.4) = 1 - P(Y < 20.4) = 1 - \int_0^{20.4} \frac{1}{\sqrt{0.16} \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{\left[ \frac{-(y-21.37)^2}{2(0.16)^2} \right]} dy$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{0.32\pi}} \int_0^{20.4} \exp \left[ \frac{-y^2 + 42.74y - 456.68}{0.0512} \right]$$

On second thought, Table 4...

$$Z = \frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{20.4 - 21.37}{\sqrt{0.16}} = -2.425$$

$$P(Z > -2.425) = P(Z < +2.425) = 1 - P(Z > 2.425)$$

at  $Z = 2.43$ , 0.0075

$$1 - 0.0075 = 0.9925$$

$$\approx 99.25\%$$

b.) Find  $I \ni P(I) = 0.90$

$$I \in (\mu - \epsilon, \mu + \epsilon)$$

$$P(Y > \mu) = 0.50$$

$$P(Y < \mu) = 0.50$$

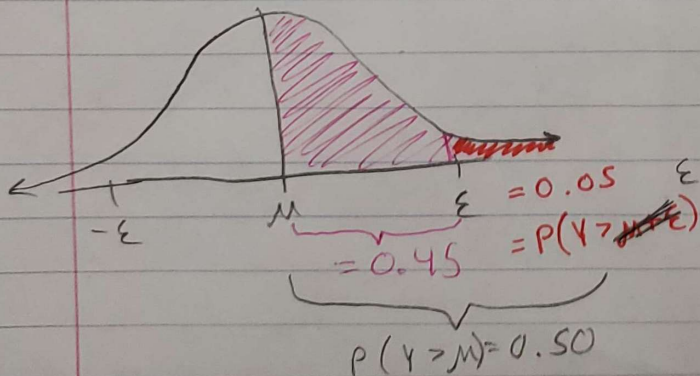
$$P(Y > \epsilon) = \frac{1 - 0.9}{2} = 0.05$$

$$Z^{-1}(0.05) \approx \pm 1.645$$

$$\pm 1.645 = \frac{Y - 21.37}{\sqrt{0.16}}$$

$$Y = \pm 1.645 \sqrt{0.16} + 21.37$$

$$Y = 22.028, \text{ or } 20.712$$



$$I = (20.712, 22.028)$$



C.) 15 mints selected and weighed

$X = \text{mint} \Rightarrow \text{weight} < 20.91 \text{ g}$

$P(X \leq 2)$

For single mint:  $P(W < 20.91)$

$$Z = \frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{20.91 - 21.37}{\sqrt{0.16}} = -1.15 \quad P(Z > -1.15) = 1 - P(Z > 1.15)$$

$Z(1.15) = 0.1251 = \text{Probability of weighing less than } 20.91 \text{ g}$

$1 - 0.1251 = 0.8749 = \text{Prop of } > 20.91 \text{ g}$

$$P(X \leq 2) = P(X=0) + P(X=1) + P(X=2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \binom{15}{0} 0.1251^0 0.8749^{15} \leftarrow \text{Success} = \text{picking a low weight} \\ &+ \binom{15}{1} 0.1251^1 0.8749^{14} \\ &+ \binom{15}{2} 0.1251^2 0.8749^{13} \\ &= 0.71279 \quad \text{or} \end{aligned}$$

71.28% chance that 0, 1, or 2 mints weigh below 20.91 g

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3.)  $\frac{2}{3}$  calls per minute denote wait time until 10<sup>th</sup> call by  $Y$

a.) PDF of  $Y$ , aka  $f(y)$  Gamma Distribution  $\alpha = 10$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{2/3} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$f(y) = \left[ \frac{1}{\Gamma(10) \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{10}} \right] y^9 e^{-2y/3} = \left[ \frac{y^9 e^{-2y/3}}{\frac{167403915}{8}} \right] =$$

$$f(y) = \frac{8}{167403915} y^9 e^{-2y/3}$$

b.)  $\alpha = 10$   $\beta = \frac{3}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mean: } \mu &= \alpha\beta = 15 \\ \text{variance} &= \alpha\beta^2 = 22.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$c.) P(Y < 5) = \int_0^5 f(y) dy = \frac{8}{167403915} \int_0^5 y^9 e^{-2y/3} dy$$

$$\text{pgamma}\left(5, 10, \frac{1}{2/3}\right) = 0.002356375$$

$\uparrow$   
 $3/2$



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4.)  $f(x) = c x^3 (1-x)^6 \quad x \in (0, 1)$

a.)  $\int_0^1 c x^3 (1-x)^6 dx = 1$   
 $= c \int_0^1 x^3 (1-x)^6 dx = c \int_0^1 x^3 [1x^0 - 6x^1 + 15x^2 - 20x^3 + 15x^4 - 6x^5 + 1x^6] dx$   
 $= c \int_0^1 x^3 - 6x^4 + 15x^5 - 20x^6 + 15x^7 - 6x^8 + x^9 dx$   
 $= c \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{6x^5}{5} + \frac{15x^6}{6} - \frac{20x^7}{7} + \frac{15x^8}{8} - \frac{6x^9}{9} + \frac{x^{10}}{10} \right]_0^1$   
 $c \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \frac{6}{5} + \frac{15}{6} - \frac{20}{7} + \frac{15}{8} - \frac{6}{9} + \frac{1}{10} \right]$   
 $c \left[ \frac{1}{840} \right] = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{c = 840}$

b.)  $\alpha = 4 \quad \beta = 7$  oh... that would make 4a easier :-

$\mu = \frac{4}{11}$   $\sigma^2 = \frac{4 \cdot 7}{(4+7)^2 (4+7+1)} = \frac{28}{121(12)} = \boxed{\frac{7}{363}}$  Variance

c.)  $F(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ 840 \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{6x^5}{5} + \frac{15x^6}{6} - \frac{20x^7}{7} + \frac{15x^8}{8} - \frac{6x^9}{9} + \frac{x^{10}}{10} \right] & x \in (0, 1) \\ 1 & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$

So #1 long way either way :-

d.)  $P(x > 0.4) = 1 - P(x < 0.4)$

$= 1 - F(0.4) = 1 - 0.6177 = 0.3822806$

$\boxed{38.23\%}$

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5.)  $Z$ : normal r.v (standard)

$Z^2$ : gamma dist

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[\frac{-(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \quad z \in \mathbb{R}$$

but  $\mu=0, \sigma=1$  (standard)

a.)  $f(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{z^2}{2}\right]$

b.) Let  $Y=Z^2$

$$f(z)^2 = \left( \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[\frac{-(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \right)^2 =$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sigma^2 2\pi} \exp\left[\frac{-2(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] = \frac{1}{\sigma^2 2\pi} e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma^2 \pi} e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}}$$

$$\text{CDF} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}}}{\sigma^2} dz$$

c.)  $\text{PDF} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (\text{CDF}) \stackrel{\text{FTC}}{=} \frac{1}{2\pi} e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi} &= \Gamma(a) B^a \\ 2\pi &= \Gamma(a) B^a \\ &= \Gamma(1) B^1 \\ &= B^1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= 1 \\ \beta &= 2\pi \end{aligned}$$