

Problem set-6

Queuing Theory

Q1

Please use function “snglsv.m” from the problem set material in this problem. The function simulates a single server queuing system (M/U/1) where the queue length is unlimited.

Assume arrivals for a single server queue follow a homogeneous Poisson process with rate 3/hour, and the service time is uniformly distributed between 12 and 18 minutes. Estimate for a single run, average time a customer spends in the system and amount of overtime put in by the server if $T = 8$ hours.

Plot the arrival and departure events in the same figure. Plot the service time for each arrival person.

Q2

Please use and **modify** function “snglsv.m”. The function simulates a single server queuing system (M/U/1) where the queue length is unlimited.

Assume arrivals for a single server queue follow a homogeneous Poisson process with rate 3/hour, and the service time is uniformly distributed between 9 and 15 minutes. Estimate for 100 and 1000 batches if $T=8$ hours:

- average and variance of the time a customer spends in the system,
- average and variance of the amount of overtime put in by the server,
- average and variance of the number of departed persons.

Q3

Please use function “snglsv.m” which is (M/U/1) and **modify** it to (M/G/1) where the queue length is unlimited.

Assume arrivals for a single server queue follow a homogeneous Poisson process with rate 4/hour, and the service time is exponential distributed with rate 5/hour. Estimate average of the time a customer spends (ST) in the system for 100 and 1000 batches if $T=8$ hours and show/calculate:

- show ST, its histogram, and suggest a distribution for ST data from observing its histogram (Comment/argue your suggestion),
- calculate the mean and variance of ST with 95% confidence interval,
- calculate the autocorrelation (lag-1) for ST and based on it comment your result in b,
- calculate the mean and variance of ST with 99% confidence interval and compare/comment this result with result from b.