
Problem 11.4

The solution to this problem will closely follow the proof of Lemma 11.7. To this end let $g(x, y)$ denote the conditional density of X given $Y = y$ and define the function $\phi(y) := \int_{\mathbb{R}} h(x)g(x, y) \lambda(dx)$. We now need to show that for any $A \in \mathcal{B}_{\mathbb{R}}$ it holds that

$$\int_{Y^{-1}(A)} \phi(Y) d\mathbb{P} = \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{1}_A(Y)h(X)].$$

Using the change of variables formula and the definition of ϕ and g we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{Y^{-1}(A)} \phi(Y) d\mathbb{P} &= \int_{\Omega} \mathbb{1}_{Y^{-1}(A)} \phi(Y) d\mathbb{P} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_A (y) \phi(y) f_Y(y) \lambda(dy) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{1}_A(y) h(x) g(x, y) f_Y(y) \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} \mathbb{1}_A(y) h(x) f(x, y) \lambda(dx) \lambda(dy) \\ &= \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{1}_A(Y)h(X)]. \end{aligned}$$

Problem 11.5

(a) First note that for any $\ell \geq 0$

$$\mathbb{P}(X > \ell) = \int_{\ell}^{\infty} \nu e^{-\nu x} \lambda(dx) = e^{-\nu \ell}.$$

By Lemma 11.5 we have that

$$\mathbb{P}(X > t+s | X > t) = \frac{\mathbb{P}(X > t+s, X > t)}{\mathbb{P}(X > t)} = \frac{\mathbb{P}(X > t+s)}{\mathbb{P}(X > t)} = \frac{e^{-\nu(t+s)}}{e^{-\nu t}} = e^{-\nu s} = \mathbb{P}(X > s).$$

(b) Define the function $f(x, y) = \mathbb{1}_{x+y \leq t}$. By Lemma 11.8 we then have that

$$\mathbb{P}(X + Y \leq t | Y = y) = \mathbb{E}[f(X, Y) | Y = y] = \mathbb{E}[f(X, y)].$$

Using the probability density function we then get

$$\mathbb{E}[f(X, y)] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x, y) \rho(x) \lambda(dx) = \mathbb{1}_{y < t} \int_0^{t-y} \nu e^{-\nu x} \lambda(dx) = \mathbb{1}_{y < t} (1 - e^{-\nu(t-y)}).$$

(c) We have that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{P}(X + Y \leq t) &= \mathbb{E}[\mathbb{P}(X + Y \leq t|Y)] \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \rho(y) \mathbb{P}(X + Y \leq t|Y = y) \lambda(dy) \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{1}_{0 \leq y < t} (1 - e^{-\nu(t-y)}) \nu e^{-\nu y} \lambda(dy) \\ &= \int_0^t \nu e^{-\nu y} - e^{-\nu t} \lambda(dy) \\ &= 1 - e^{-\nu t} - t e^{-\nu t}.\end{aligned}$$