# Stochastic Processes

## Kevin Chang

### February 12, 2022

## 1 Moment Generating Function

- Moment Generating Function:  $\mathbb{E}[e^{tX}]$ 
  - Property:

\* 
$$\mathbb{E}[e^{tX}] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{tx} f_X(x) dx$$

\* 
$$\mathbb{E}[e^{tX}] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} E[X^k] \frac{t^k}{k!}$$

$$\cdot e^{tx} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(tx)^k}{k!}$$

$$E[e^{tX}] = E[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(tX)^k}{k!}] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} E[X^k] \frac{t^k}{k!}$$

$$* \ \frac{d\mathbb{E}[e^{tX}]}{dt} = \mathbb{E}[X]$$

- \*  $\mathbb{E}[e^{t(aX+b)}] = e^t b \mathbb{E}[e^{taX}]$
- \* Not all random variables have Moment generating function
- Characteristic Function:  $\mathbb{E}[e^{itX}]$ 
  - Property:
    - \* All random variables have Moment generating function
- Joint Moment Generating Function:  $G(x,y) = \mathbb{E}[e^{xX}e^{yY}]$
- Property:
  - (Joint) moment generating function uniquely determines the (joint) CDF
- Example
  - Trapped miner's random walk
    - \* Miner has probability of  $\frac{1}{3}$  to waste 3 hours in vain,  $\frac{1}{3}$  to waste 5 hours in vain, and  $\frac{1}{3}$  to spend 2 hours to go out of the mine.
    - \* X is the random variables of the hours to go out of the mine
    - \*  $Y_i$  is the random variables of the hours for the *i*-th action.

$$* \mathbb{E}[e^{tX}] = \mathbb{E}[e^{tX}|Y_1 = 2] + \mathbb{E}[e^{tX}|Y_1 = 3] + \mathbb{E}[e^{tX}|Y_1 = 5]$$

$$= \mathbb{E}[e^{2t}] + \mathbb{E}[e^{t(X+3)}] + \mathbb{E}[e^{t(X+5)}]$$

\* Find expectation and variance by joint moment generating function

# 2 Expectation

- $\bullet$  N i.i.d. events, when N is a random variable
  - Suppose N is a integer random variable
  - Suppose  $X_1, \ldots, X_i, \ldots, X_N$  are i.i.d random variables with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$

$$-Y = \sum_{i=1}^{N} X_i$$

$$- \mathbb{E}[Y] = \mathbb{E}[N]\mu$$

\* 
$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}[\sum_{i=1}^{N} X_i | N = n] P[N = n]$$
  
=  $\mu \times \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n P[N = n] = \mathbb{E}[N] \mu$ 

$$\begin{split} - & \mathbb{E}[Y^2] = \mathbb{E}[N]\mathbb{E}[X^2] + \mathbb{E}[N^2]\mu^2 - \mathbb{E}[N]\mu^2 \\ & * & \mathbb{E}[Y^2] = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{E}[(\sum_{i=1}^{N} X_i)^2 | N = n] P[N = n] = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n\mathbb{E}[X_i^2] + n(n-1)\mu^2) P[N = n] \\ & = \mathbb{E}[N]\mathbb{E}[X^2] + \mathbb{E}[N^2]\mu^2 - \mathbb{E}[N]\mu^2 \\ & - & Var(Y) = \mathbb{E}[N]\sigma^2 + Var(N)\mu^2 \end{split}$$

- Expectation by P[X > x]
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \sum_{x} P[X > x]$ , when X is a non-negative discrete random variable

\* 
$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x P[X = x] = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \sum_{y=0}^{x-1} P[X = x] = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \sum_{x=y+1}^{\infty} P[X = x] = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} P[X > y]$$

–  $\mathbb{E}[X] = \int_0^\infty P[X>x] dx$ , when X is a non-negative continuous random variable

\* 
$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \int_0^\infty x f_X(x) dx = \int_0^\infty \int_0^x f_X(x) dy dx = \int_0^\infty \int_y^\infty f_X(x) dx dy = \int_0^\infty P[X > y] dy$$

## 3 Inequality

• Markov Inequality

Definition:

– Suppose 
$$X \geq 0$$
, then  $P[X \geq \epsilon] \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[X]}{\epsilon}$ 

Proof:

1. 
$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \int_0^\infty x f_X(x) \ge \int_{\epsilon}^\infty x f_X(x) \ge \epsilon \int_{\epsilon}^\infty f_X(x) = \epsilon P[X \ge \epsilon]$$

2. 
$$X(\omega) \ge \epsilon \mathbb{1}_{X(\omega) > \epsilon}, \forall \omega \in S$$

- Calculate expectation on both side.

$$- \mathbb{E}[X] \ge \epsilon P[X \ge \epsilon]$$

Property:

- The equality happens when  $P[X = k] = 0, \forall k \notin \{0, \epsilon\}.$
- Chebyshev Inequality

Definition:

- Suppose 
$$m = \mathbb{E}[X], \sigma^2 = Var(X)$$
, then  $P[|X - m| \ge \epsilon] \le \frac{\sigma^2}{\epsilon^2}$ 

Proof:

$$-P[|X-m| > \epsilon] = P[(X-m)^2 > \epsilon^2]$$

– 
$$P[(X-m)^2 \geq \epsilon^2] \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[(X-m)^2]}{\epsilon^2}$$
 (by Markov Inequality)

Property:

- The equality happens when  $P[X = k] = 0, \forall k \notin \{m \epsilon, m, m + \epsilon\}.$
- Might be tighter than Markov Inequality since it requires  $m, \sigma$
- Chernoff Inequality

Definition:

– Suppose  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are independent identically distributed Bernoulli random variable with probability p and  $X = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ 

$$- P[X \ge \epsilon] \le \frac{(pe^t + 1 - p)^n}{e^{t\epsilon}} \le \frac{e^{np(e^t - 1)}}{e^{t\epsilon}}$$

$$* P[X \ge \epsilon] = P[e^{tX} \ge e^{t\epsilon}] \le \frac{E[e^{tX}]}{e^{t\epsilon}} = \frac{(E[e^{tX_i}])^n}{e^{t\epsilon}} = \frac{(pe^t + 1 - p)^n}{e^{t\epsilon}} \le \frac{e^{np(e^t - 1)}}{e^{t\epsilon}}$$

$$-P[X \ge np(1+\epsilon)] \le \left(\frac{e^{\epsilon}}{(1+\epsilon)^{1+\epsilon}}\right)^{np} \le \begin{cases} e^{\frac{-\epsilon^2 np}{3}} & \text{if } 0 \le \epsilon \le 1\\ e^{\frac{-\epsilon^2 np}{(2+\epsilon)}} & \text{if } \epsilon > 1 \end{cases}$$

\* Substitude  $\epsilon$  with  $np(1+\epsilon)$ 

- \* Substitude t with  $\log(1+\epsilon)$
- \* the last inequality is without proof

$$-P[X \le \epsilon] \le \frac{(pe^t + 1 - p)^n}{e^{t\epsilon}} \le \frac{e^{np(e^t - 1)}}{e^{t\epsilon}}$$

\* 
$$P[X \le \epsilon] = P[e^{-tX} \ge e^{-t\epsilon}] \le \frac{E[e^{-tX}]}{e^{-t\epsilon}} = \frac{(E[e^{-tX_i}])^n}{e^{-t\epsilon}} = \frac{(pe^{-t}+1-p)^n}{e^{-t\epsilon}} \le \frac{e^{np(e^{-t}-1)}}{e^{-t\epsilon}}$$

$$-P[X \le np(1-\epsilon)] \le (\frac{e^{-\epsilon}}{(1-\epsilon)^{1-\epsilon}})^{np} \le e^{\frac{-\epsilon^2 np}{2}}$$

- \* Substitude  $\epsilon$  with  $np(1-\epsilon)$
- \* Substitude t with  $-\log(1-\epsilon)$
- \* the last inequality is without proof
- Chernoff/ Hoeffding Lemma

Definition:

- Suppose  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are independent distributed random variable and  $a_i \leq X_i \leq b_i$
- Suppose  $X = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$  and  $\mu = \mathbb{E}[X]$
- $-P[|X-\mu| \ge \epsilon] \le 2e^{\frac{-2\epsilon^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (b_i a_i)^2}}$  without proof
- Application:
  - Balls in Bins

Definition: Throw n balls into n bins, find bounds for the maximum number of balls in all bins

- \* P[ maximum number of balls in all bins  $\geq \epsilon]$ 
  - $=P[\cup_{i=1}^n \text{ number of balls in } i\text{-th bin } \geq \epsilon]$
  - $\leq n \times P[$  number of balls in one bin  $\geq \epsilon]$
- \* By Markov inequality:
  - · P[ number of balls in one bin  $\geq \epsilon] \leq \frac{1}{\epsilon} \rightarrow$  useless
- \* By Chebyshev inequality:
  - · P[ number of balls in one bin  $\geq \epsilon] \leq \frac{(1-\frac{1}{n})}{\epsilon^2}$
  - ·  $P[\text{ maximum number of balls in all bins } \geq n^{\frac{1}{2}+\epsilon}] \leq \frac{(1-\frac{1}{n})}{n^{2\epsilon}}$
  - · when  $n \to \infty$ , the maximum number of balls should less than  $n^{\frac{1}{2}+\epsilon}$
- \* By Chernoff inequality:
  - · P[ number of balls in one bin  $\geq 2 \log n ] \leq \frac{e^{np(e^t-1)}}{n^{2t}}$
  - · P[ maximum number of balls in all bins  $\geq 2\log n] \leq \frac{e^{np(e^t-1)}}{n^{2t-1}}$
  - · when t is a constant  $\geq 0.5$  and  $n \to \infty$ , the maximum number of balls should less than  $2 \log n$

# 4 Law of Large Numbers

- $\{X_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence of pairwise uncorrelated random variable with  $\mathbb{E}[X_i] = m, Var(X_i) = \sigma_i^2$ .
- $\bullet \ M_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$
- $M_n \to m$  almost surely, in mean square and in probability.

# 5 Memoryless

- Definition:  $P[X > x_1 + x_2 | X > x_1] = P[X > x_2]$
- Property:
  - Exponential random variable is the only continuous memoryless random variable
  - Bernoulli random variable is the only discrete memoryless random variable

# 6 Famous Random Variable

• Poisson:

$$P[X = k] = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} \exp(-\lambda)$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} \exp(-\lambda) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \lambda \frac{\lambda^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} \exp(-\lambda) = \lambda$$

Interpretation:

- Cut total time into infinite period in Binomial random variable,  $n \to \infty, p \to \frac{\lambda}{n}$ 

$$- \to P[X = k] = \lim_{n \to \infty} \binom{n}{k} (\frac{\lambda}{n})^k (\frac{n-\lambda}{n})^{n-k} = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} (1 - \frac{\lambda}{n})^n = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} \exp(-\lambda)$$

• Erlang:

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\lambda^n x^{n-1} e^{-\lambda x}}{(n-1)!}, \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{n}{\lambda}$$

Interpretation:

- Suppose  $X_1, X_2, ..., X_n$  are i.i.d exponential random variable with  $\lambda$ .

$$-X = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$$

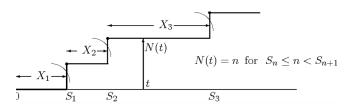
- Proof by induction:

Suppose 
$$n = 2$$
,  $f_X(x) = \int_0^x \lambda e^{-\lambda t} \lambda e^{-\lambda (x-t)} dt = \lambda^2 x e^{-\lambda x}$ 

## 7 Stochastic Processes

• Stochastic Process: a collection of random variable

Arrival Process: a sequence of arriving event in continuous time



- $-X_i$ : the time between the *i*-th event and the i-1-th event
- $-S_i$ : the time from start to *i*-th event
- -N(t): the number of the arrived event at time t
- -X and S Relation:

$$* X_1 = S_1, X_i = S_i - S_{i-1}$$

 $-\ N$  and S Relation:

- \*  $N(t) < n \leftrightarrow S_{n+1} > t$
- \*  $N(t) \ge n \leftrightarrow S_n \le t$
- \*  $N(t) = n \leftrightarrow S_n \le t < S_{n+1}$
- $* N(t) = \max\{n : S_n \le t\}$
- Renewal Process: an arrival process with i.i.d  $X_i$

Delayed Renewal Process: the process becomes a renewal process after several arrivals

 $X_i$  Property

\* if  $X_i$  is dependent on the interval states, then  $X_i$  might be dependent on  $X_{i-1} \to \text{not}$  renewal process

 $S_i$  Property

\*  $P[\lim_{n\to\infty} S_n = \infty] = 1$ 

Proof:  $\lim_{n\to\infty} P[S_n = \infty] = \lim_{n\to\infty} P[\sum_{i=1}^n X_n = n \times \mathbb{E}[X_i]] = 1$ 

Interpretation: infinite events do not take finite time

#### N(t) Property

- \* for any  $t, P[N(t) < \infty] = 1$ Proof:  $P[\lim_{n \to \infty} S_n = \infty] = 1 \to \text{ for any } t, P[\lim_{n \to \infty} S_{n+1} > t] = 1$ Interpretation: infinite events do not take finite time
- \*  $P[\lim_{t\to\infty} N(t)\to\infty]=1$ Proof: if  $P[\lim_{t\to\infty} N(t)=k]>0\to P[X_{k+1}=\infty]>0$ Interpretation: finite events do not take infinite time
- \*  $P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{t} = \frac{1}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1$   $\text{Proof: } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{S_{N(t)+1}} \leq \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{t}] = 1 \text{ and } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{S_{N(t)+1}} = \frac{1}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1$   $P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{t} \leq \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{S_{N(t)}}] = 1 \text{ and } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{S_{N(t)}} = \frac{1}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1$

### Inspection Paradox

- \*  $\mathbb{E}[X_{N(t)+1}] \ge \mathbb{E}[X_i]$ : inspection paradox Interpretation: when selecting t with equal probability, we tend to choose  $X_i$  with longer period
- $$\begin{split} * \ P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t (S_{N(t)+1} s) ds &= \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1 \\ \text{Proof:} \\ P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=i}^{N(t)} \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2} &\leq \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t (S_{N(t)+1} s) ds] = 1 \text{ and } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=i}^{N(t)} \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2} &= \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1 \\ P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t (S_{N(t)+1} s) ds &\leq \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=i}^{N(t)+1} \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2}] = 1 \text{ and } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=i}^{N(t)+1} \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2} &= \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2} = 1 \end{split}$$
- \*  $P[\lim_{t\to\infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t (s-S_{N(t)}) ds = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{2\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1$ Proof: similar to above
- \*  $P[\lim_{t\to\infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t X_{N(t)} ds = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_t^2]}{\mathbb{E}[X_t]}] = 1$ Proof:  $P[\lim_{t\to\infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t X_{N(t)} ds = \lim_{t\to\infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t (S_{N(t)+1} - S_{N(t)}) ds] = 1$
- \*  $\mathbb{E}[X_{N(t)+1}] = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}$ Proof:  $P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t X_{N(t)} ds = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = P[\mathbb{E}[X_{N(t)+1}] = \frac{\mathbb{E}[X_i^2]}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1$

#### Central Limit Theorem

- $* \ \mu = \mathbb{E}[X_i]$
- $* \sigma = \sqrt{Var(X_i)}$
- \*  $Z \sim \text{Normal}(0,1)$
- \*  $\lim_{t\to\infty} P[N(t) \le \frac{t}{\mu} + k \frac{\sigma\sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{\mu^3}}] = P[Z \le k]$ Proof:
  - 1. Suppose  $n(t) = \frac{t}{\mu} + k \frac{\sigma \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{\mu^3}}$
  - 2.  $P[N(t) \ge n(t)] = P[S_{n(t)} \le t] = P[\frac{S_{n(t)} n\mu}{\sigma \sqrt{n}} \le \frac{t n\mu}{\sigma \sqrt{n}}].$
  - 3. When  $t \to \infty$ ,  $\frac{t-n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \to k$
  - 4. By law of large number,  $\lim_{t\to\infty}P[\frac{S_{n(t)}-n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}\leq k]=P[Z\leq k]$

#### Interpretation:

- ·  $\frac{t}{\mu}$  is approximately the mean of N(t)
- $k \frac{\sigma \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{\mu^3}}$  is  $k \sigma \sqrt{n}$  after dividing by  $\mu$ , the ratio between t and N(t) and changing n with  $\frac{t}{\mu}$
- Renewal-Reward Process:

#### Definition

\* A renewal process N(t) and  $\{R_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$  such that  $(X_i, R_i)$  are i.i.d.  $(X_i, R_j, i \neq j \text{ are independent, but } X_i, R_i \text{ might be dependent)}$ 

#### Property

\* 
$$\begin{split} & * \ P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} R_i = \frac{\mathbb{E}[R_i]}{\mathbb{E}[X_i]}] = 1 \\ & \text{Proof: } P[\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} R_i = \lim_{t \to \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{N(t)} \frac{R_i}{N(t)} \times \lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{N(t)}{t}] = 1 \end{split}$$

- Poisson Process: a renewal process with  $X_i \sim \text{Exponential}(\lambda)$ 
  - $S_i$  Property
    - \*  $S_i$  is an Erlang random variable

Erlang is the sum of the Exponential random variables

\* Joint Distribution  $f_{S_1,...,S_n}(s_1,...,s_n) = \lambda^n e^{-\lambda s_n}$ Prove by induction.

Induce by  $f_{S_1,\ldots,S_n}(s_1,\ldots,s_n) = f_{S_1,\ldots,S_{n-1}}(s_1,\ldots,s_{n-1}) \times f_{S_n|S_1,\ldots,S_{n-1}}(s_n,s_1,\ldots,s_{n-1})$ 

#### N(t) Property

- \*  $N(t) \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda t), P[N(t) = n] = \frac{(\lambda t)^n}{n!} e^{-\lambda t}$ Prove by  $P[N(t) = n] = P[S_n \le t \text{ and } S_{n+1} > t]$
- \* Conditioned on N(t) = n, the set of arrival times  $\{s_1, \ldots, s_n\}$  have the same distribution with a set of n sorted i.i.d. Uniform(0,t) random variables

set of 
$$n$$
 sorted i.i.d. Uniform $(0,t)$  random variables Prove by  $f_{S_1,\ldots,S_n|N(t)}(s_1,\ldots,s_n,n)=\frac{f_{S_1,\ldots,S_n}(s_1,\ldots,s_n)P[X_{n+1}>t-s_n]}{P[N(t)=n]}=\frac{n!}{t^n}$ 

#### Property

\* Z is the interval from t to the first arrival  $\to Z$  is exponential random variable with same  $\lambda$  and independent of N(t) and the arrival time before t

$$P[Z > z] = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} P[Z > z | N(t) = n, S_{1} = s_{1}, \dots, S_{n} = s_{n}] ds_{1} \dots ds_{n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} P[X_{n+1} > z + t - s_{n} | N(t) = n, S_{1} = s_{1}, \dots, S_{n} = s_{n}] ds_{1} \dots ds_{n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{0}^{\infty} \cdots \int_{0}^{\infty} P[X_{n+1} > z + t - s_{n} | X_{n+1} > t - s_{n}] ds_{1} \dots ds_{n} = e^{-\lambda z}$$

- \* Stationary Increments:  $N(t_1 + t_2) N(t_1)$  and  $N(t_2)$  share the same distribution Without Proof
- \* Independent Increments:  $\forall 0 < t_1 < t_2 < \dots, t_k, N(t_1), N(t_2) N(t_1), \dots$  are independent Without Proof
- $\ast\,$  Any arrival process with stationary and independent increments must be a Poisson process Without Proof

#### Exercise

\*  $\mathbb{E}[S_i|N(t)=n]=\frac{t\times i}{n+1}$ 

$$\mathbb{E}[S_i|N(t)=n] = i \times \mathbb{E}[X_1|N(t)=n] = i \int_0^t \int_0^{s_n} \cdots \int_0^{s_2} s_1 \times \frac{n!}{t^n} ds_1 \dots ds_{n-1} ds_n = \frac{t \times i}{n+1}$$

\*  $\mathbb{E}\left[\sum_{i=0}^{N(t)} S_i\right] = \frac{\lambda t^2}{2}$ 

#### 2D Poisson Process

- \* Definition:
  - · For any region R: number of points in R is a Poisson random variable
  - · number of points in the non-overlapping region is independent

#### Combining Poisson Process

- \*  $N^1(t), N^2(t)$  are two independent Poisson process with  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$
- \*  $X_i$  is the first arrival of  $X_i^1, X_i^2$
- \* Property

$$\begin{array}{l} \cdot \ X_i \ \text{is independent of} \ \{X_i^1 < X_i^2\} \ \text{and} \ \{X_i^1 > X_i^2\} \\ \text{Proof:} \ P[X_1^1 < X_1^2] = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2} \\ P[X_1 > x] = P[X_1^1 > x, X_1^2 > x] = e^{-(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)x} \\ P[X_1 > x, X_1^1 < X_1^2] = P[X_1 > x] P[X_1^1 < X_1^2] \\ \cdot \ X_i \ \text{is a Poisson Process with} \ \lambda = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 \\ \end{array}$$

#### Splitting Poisson Process

- \*  $N^1(t), N^2(t)$  are two independent Poisson process with  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$
- \* N(t) is a random process with  $\lambda = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$ 
  - ·  $N^{1*}(t)$  is the process of the first event when N(t) arrives consider it as first event with probability  $\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$

- ·  $N^{2*}(t)$  is the process of the second event when N(t) arrives consider it as second event with probability  $\frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$
- \*  $N^i(t)$  and  $N^{i*}(t)$  share the same distribution
- \* Proof:
  - ·  $B_n(k)$  is a Binomial random variable with  $p = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$
  - $P[N^{1*}(t) = m, N^{2*}(t) = n] = P[N(t) = m + n, B_{m+n}(m)] = P[N^{1}(t) = m, N^{2}(t) = n]$

## Compound Poisson Process

- \* N(t) is a Poisson Process
- \*  $A_n$  is a sequence of cost
- \*  $A(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{N(t)} A_n$  is the summation of cost over Poisson Process

### Non-Homogeneous Poisson Process

\* 
$$N(t) - N(s) \sim \text{Poisson}(\int_{s}^{t} \lambda(x) dx)$$

#### Queuing Theory

- \* Definition:  $Arrival\_Process/Service\_Process/number\_of\_services$ 
  - $\cdot$   $M \colon$  memoryless (Poisson) process
  - $\cdot$  D: deterministic process
  - $\cdot$  G: general renewal process
- \* T: the random variable of the processing time for each customer
- \* Y(t): number of cutomers in the service
  - $\cdot Y(t) \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda \int_0^t P[T > x] dx)$
  - · Proof:

Consider Y(t) is a splitting Poisson Process. Since the distribution for the arrival given N(t) is universal, the probability the arrival is still in service:  $\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t P[T > t - x] dx = \frac{1}{t} \int_0^t P[T > x] dx$