

# Mandatory Assignment STK3405

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We have from 3.1 that:

$$\phi(X) = X_i \phi(1_i, X) + (1 - X_i) \phi(0_i, X)$$

Using  $i = 3$ , we get:

$$\phi(X) = X_3 \phi(1_3, X) + (1 - X_3) \phi(0_3, X)$$

Decomposing further using  $i = 6$  when component 3 functions or not functions:

$$\phi(1_3, X) = X_6 \phi(1_6, X) + (1 - X_6) \phi(0_6, X)$$

$$\phi(0_3, X) = X_6 \phi(1_6, X) + (1 - X_6) \phi(0_6, X)$$

Then if both 3 and 6 functions:

$$\phi(1_6, X) = (X_1 X_2) \sqcup (X_4 X_5) \sqcup (X_7 X_8)$$

And if  $i = 3$  functions, but 6 doesn't:

$$\phi(0_6, X) = (X_1 \sqcup X_2)(X_4 X_7)(X_5 X_8)$$

This means now that:

$$\phi(1_3, X) = X_3(X_1 \sqcup X_2)(X_4 \sqcup X_5)(X_7 \sqcup X_8) - (1 - X_3)((X_1 \sqcup X_2)(X_4 X_7)(X_5 X_8))$$

If now 3 doesn't functions, but 6 does, we use  $\phi(0_3, X)$

$\Rightarrow$  3 doesn't functions, but 6 does:

$$\phi(1, X_6) = ((X_1 X_4) \sqcup (X_2 X_5))(X_7 \sqcup X_8)$$

Either 3 or 6 functions:

$$\phi(0_6, X) = (X_1 X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_2 X_5 X_8)$$

This means that:

$$\phi(0_3, X) = X_6(((X_1 X_4) \sqcup (X_2 X_5))(X_4 X_8)) - (1 - X_6)((X_1 X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_2 X_5 X_8))$$

Combining everything together we get::

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(X) = & X_3 X_6 \cdot (X_1 \sqcup X_2) \cdot (X_4 \sqcup X_5) \cdot (X_7 \sqcup X_8) \\ & + X_3(1 - X_6) \cdot (X_1 \sqcup X_2) \cdot ((X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_5 X_8)) \\ & + (1 - X_3) X_6 \cdot ((X_1 X_4) \sqcup (X_2 X_5)) \cdot (X_7 \sqcup X_8) \\ & + (1 - X_3)(1 - X_6) \cdot ((X_1 X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_2 X_5 X_8)) \end{aligned}$$

Which is what we wanted, and the statement is proved.

### c

We have that  $h(p) = E[\phi(x)]$ . And since the components in the system are independent we get:

$$\begin{aligned} E[\phi(X)] = & E[X_3 X_6 (X_1 \sqcup X_2) (X_4 \sqcup X_5) (X_7 \sqcup X_8)] \\ & + E[X_3(1 - X_6) (X_1 \sqcup X_2) ((X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_5 X_8))] \\ & + E[(1 - X_3) X_6 ((X_1 X_4) \sqcup (X_2 X_5)) (X_7 \sqcup X_8)] \\ & + E[(1 - X_3)(1 - X_6) ((X_1 X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_2 X_5 X_8))] \end{aligned}$$

Which translates to this expression:

$$\begin{aligned} = & p_3 p_6 (p_1 \sqcup p_2) (p_4 \sqcup p_5) (p_7 \sqcup p_8) \\ & + p_3(1 - p_6) (p_1 \sqcup p_2) ((p_4 p_7) \sqcup (p_5 p_8)) \\ & + (1 - p_3) p_6 ((p_1 p_4) \sqcup (p_2 p_5)) (p_7 \sqcup p_8) + (1 - p_3)(1 - p_6) ((p_1 p_4 p_7) \sqcup (p_2 p_5 p_8)) \end{aligned}$$

Since the states are independent we can split up the expression even more and take the expectev value at each variable, i.e. (this also counts for the component probabilities):

$$\begin{aligned} E[\phi(X)] = & E[X_3] E[X_6] E[(X_1 \sqcup X_2)] E[(X_4 \sqcup X_5) (X_7 \sqcup X_8)] \\ & + E[X_3] E[(1 - X_6)] E[(X_1 \sqcup X_2)] E[((X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_5 X_8))] \\ & + E[(1 - X_3)] E[X_6] E[((X_1 X_4) \sqcup (X_2 X_5))] E[(X_7 \sqcup X_8)] \\ & + E[(1 - X_3)] E[(1 - X_6)] E[((X_1 X_4 X_7) \sqcup (X_2 X_5 X_8))] \end{aligned}$$

### d

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
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# Number of simulations
num_sims = 1000
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# Interval between h_hat calculations
h_interv = 10

# Random number generator seed. Set to 'None' for a random sequence
seed_num = 1234
gen = np.random.default_rng(seed=seed_num)

# Save plot to file or not?
save_plot = True

# Name of system
sys_name = "bridge"

# Number of components:
n = 8

# Component reliabilities
px = [0.0, 0.6, 0.3, 0.5, 0.4, 0.7, 0.5, 0.3, 0.6] # p = (0.6, 0.3, 0.5, 0.4, 0.7, 0.5, 0.3, 0.6)

def coprod(x, y):
    """Coproduct for probabilities."""
    return x + y - x * y

def phi(x):
    """Calculate the reliability function phi(X) based on the system's structure."""
    return x[3] * x[6] * coprod(x[1], x[2]) * coprod(x[4], x[5]) * coprod(x[7], x[8]) + x[3]

def hh(p):
    """True reliability function based on the component reliabilities."""
    component_prob = (
        p[3] * p[6] * coprod(p[1], p[2]) * coprod(p[4], p[5]) * coprod(p[7], p[8])
        + p[3] * (1 - p[6]) * coprod(p[1], p[2]) * coprod(p[4], p[7]) * p[5] * p[8]
        + (1 - p[3]) * p[6] * coprod(p[1] * p[4], p[2] * p[5]) * coprod(p[7], p[8])
        + (1 - p[3]) * (1 - p[6]) * coprod(p[1] * p[4] * p[7], p[2] * p[5] * p[8])
    )
    return component_prob

X = np.zeros(n + 1, dtype=int) # Component state variables (X[0] is not used)

I = []
H = []
H_hat = []
T = 0

# Calculate the true system reliability
h = hh(px)

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for sim in range(num_sims):
    U = gen.uniform(0.0, 1.0, n + 1) # Uniform variables (U[0] is not used)
    for m in range(1, n + 1):
        X[m] = 1 if U[m] <= px[m] else 0
    T += phi(X)
    if sim > 0 and sim % h_interv == 0:
        h_hat = T / sim
        I.append(sim)
        H.append(h)
        H_hat.append(h_hat)

# Estimate final system reliability
h_hat = T / num_sims

print("True system reliability h = ", h)
print("Estimated system reliability h_hat = ", h_hat)

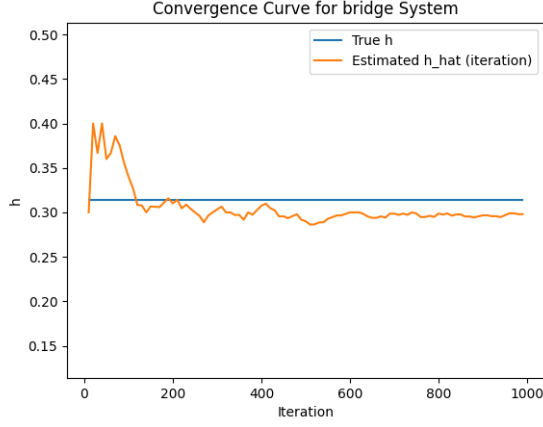
# Plotting the convergence curve
plt.plot(I, H, label='True h')
plt.plot(I, H_hat, label='Estimated h_hat (iteration)')
plt.ylim(h - 0.2, h + 0.2)
plt.xlabel('Iteration')
plt.ylabel('h')
plt.title('Convergence Curve for ' + sys_name + " System")
plt.legend()

if save_plot:
    plt.savefig(f"./crudegen/{sys_name}.pdf")
plt.show()

#Output:
True system reliability h = 0.31356
Estimated system reliability h_hat = 0.295

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Which gives this plot:



e

Since  $\hat{\theta}_0, \dots, \hat{\theta}_8$  are unbiased and therefore  $E[\hat{\theta}_s] = \theta_s$ , we get that:

$$\begin{aligned} E[h_C \hat{MC}] &= E[\sum_{s=0}^8 \hat{\theta}_s * P(S = s)] \\ &= \sum_{s=0}^8 E[\hat{\theta}_s] * P(S = s) = \sum_{s=0}^8 \theta_s * P(S = s) \end{aligned}$$

By (6.4) in the compendium we know that:

$$\sum_{s=0}^8 \theta_s * P(S = s) = h$$

Which concludes the proof.

f

We know that if the states  $\theta_i = 0 \forall i \leq d$ , the system dont work. And if  $\theta_i = 1 \forall i > n - c$ , then the system works. Since we have that  $d = 3$ ,  $c = 2$  and  $n = 8$ , we get that  $\theta_0, \theta_1, \theta_2 = 0$  and since  $8-2 = 6$ ,  $\theta_7, \theta_8 = 1$ .

This means that if less than 3 states are functioning, then the system will always fail. And if more than 6 states are functioning, then the system will always work. I.e., we dont need to run a MC for  $\theta_0, \theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_7$  and  $\theta_8$  and we can focus on the middle values and therefore make our simulations computationally more efficient.

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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seed_num = 1234
gen = np.random.default_rng(seed = seed_num)

# Save plot to file or not?
save_plot = True

# Name of system
sys_name = "bridge"

# Number of components:
n = 8

# Length of shortest path
d = 3

# Length of shortest cut
c = 2

# Component reliabilities
px = [0.0, 0.6, 0.3, 0.5, 0.4, 0.7, 0.5, 0.3, 0.6]      #  $P(X_i = px[i])$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .  $px[0]$ 

def coprod(x, y):
    return x + y - x*y

def phi(x):
    return x[3] * x[6] * coprod(x[1], x[2]) * coprod(x[4], x[5]) * coprod(x[7], x[8]) + x[3]

def hh(p):
    component_prob = (
        p[3] * p[6] * coprod(p[1], p[2]) * coprod(p[4], p[5]) * coprod(p[7], p[8])
        + p[3] * (1 - p[6]) * coprod(p[1], p[2]) * coprod(p[4], p[7]) * p[5] * p[8]
        + (1 - p[3]) * p[6] * coprod(p[1] * p[4], p[2] * p[5]) * coprod(p[7], p[8])
        + (1 - p[3]) * (1 - p[6]) * coprod(p[1] * p[4] * p[7], p[2] * p[5] * p[8])
    )
    return component_prob

# Compute the distributions of  $S_1, \dots, S_n$ , where  $S_m = X_m + \dots + X_n$ ,  $m = 1, \dots, n$ 
ps = np.zeros([n+1, n+1])      #  $P(S_m = s) = ps[m,s]$ ,  $s = 0, 1, \dots, (n-m+1)$ .

ps[n,0] = 1.0 - px[n]          #  $P(S_n = 0) = 1 - P(X_n = 1)$ 
ps[n,1] = px[n]                #  $P(S_n = 1) = P(X_n = 1)$ 

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for j in range(1, n):
    m = n-j
    ps[m,0] = ps[m+1,0] * (1.0 - px[m]) # P(S_m = 0) = P(S_{m+1} = 0)

    for s in range(1, n-m+1):
        ps[m,s] = ps[m+1,s-1] * px[m] + ps[m+1,s] * (1.0 - px[m]) # P(S_m = s) = P(S_{m+1} = s-1) * P(X_m = 1)
                                                                    # + P(S_{m+1} = s) * P(X_m = 0)

    ps[m,n-m+1] = ps[m+1,n-m] * px[m] # P(S_m = n-m+1) = P(S_{m+1} = n-m) * P(X_m = 1)

# Print the distribution of S = S_1
for s in range(n+1):
    print("P(S = " + str(s) + ") =", ps[1,s])

# Calculate pdc = P(d <= S_1 <= n-c)
pdc = 0
for s in range(d, n-c+1):
    pdc += ps[1,s]

# Calculate pcn = P(n-c < S_1 <= n)
pcn = 0
for s in range(n-c+1, n+1):
    pcn += ps[1,s]

# Sample S_1 from the set {d, ... , n-c}
def sampleS():
    u = gen.uniform(0.0, pdc)
    for s in range(d, n-c):
        if u < ps[1,s]:
            return s
    else:
        u -= ps[1,s]
    return n-c

X = np.zeros(n+1, dtype = int) # The component state variables (X[0] is not used)
T = np.zeros(n+1, dtype = int) # T[s] counts random path sets of size s = d, 1, ..., n-c
V = np.zeros(n+1, dtype = int) # V[s] counts random sets of size s = d, 1, ..., n-c

I = []
H = []
H_hat = []

# Calculate the true system reliability
h = hh(px)

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# Run the simulations
for sim in range(num_sims):
    s = sampleS()
    V[s] += 1
    U = gen.uniform(0.0, 1.0, n+1)    # Uniform variables (U[0] is not used)
    sumx = 0
    for m in range(1, n):
        if sumx < s:
            p = px[m] * ps[m+1, s-sumx-1] / ps[m, s-sumx]
            if U[m] <= p:
                X[m] = 1
            else:
                X[m] = 0
            sumx += X[m]
        else:
            X[m] = 0
    if sumx < s:
        X[n] = 1
    else:
        X[n] = 0
    T[s] += phi(X)
    if sim > 0 and sim % h_interv == 0:
        h_hat = pcn
        for s in range(d, n-c+1):
            if V[s] > 0:
                h_hat += ps[1,s] * T[s] / V[s]
        I.append(sim)
        H.append(h)
        H_hat.append(h_hat)

# Print the estimated conditional reliabilities, theta_s, s = d, ..., n-c
for s in range(d, n-c+1):
    print("theta_" + str(s) + " =", T[s] / V[s])

# Estimate final system reliability
h_hat = pcn

for s in range(d, n-c+1):
    h_hat += ps[1,s] * T[s] / V[s]

print("h = ", h, ", h_hat = ", h_hat)

plt.plot(I, H, label='True h')
plt.plot(I, H_hat, label='h_hat(iteration)')
plt.ylim(h - 0.2, h + 0.2)
plt.xlabel('iteration')

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plt.ylabel('h')
plt.title('Convergence curve for ' + sys_name + " system")
plt.legend()
if save_plot:
    plt.savefig("cmcgen/" + sys_name + ".pdf")
plt.show()

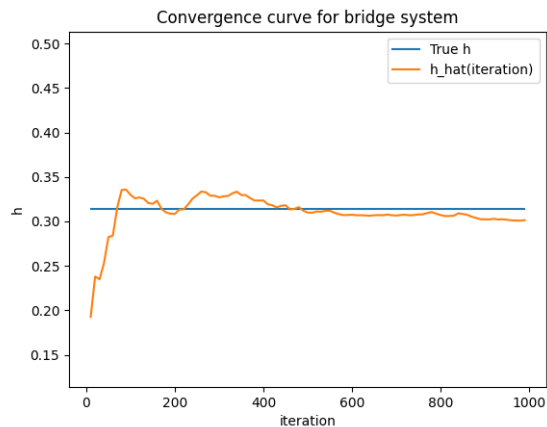
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#Output:

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P(S = 0) = 0.003528
P(S = 1) = 0.031248000000000005
P(S = 2) = 0.115882000000000001
P(S = 3) = 0.235022000000000006
P(S = 4) = 0.284920000000000006
P(S = 5) = 0.211212
P(S = 6) = 0.093402
P(S = 7) = 0.022518000000000003
P(S = 8) = 0.002268
theta_3 = 0.028112449799196786
theta_4 = 0.1752873563218391
theta_5 = 0.6462585034013606
theta_6 = 0.8899082568807339
h = 0.31356 , h_hat = 0.30095267976950774

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Comparing g) to d) we see that  $\hat{h}$  is closer to the blue line, i.e. it is a better approximation. We see that both the estimations stabilize at the approximately same number of iterations, but g) is stable at a closer level. Both use a bit under 200 iterations before they stabilize, but the difference before that is that the approximation in g) starts a bit below the true  $h$  before stabilizing and in d), it is the opposite.

**h**

We know that:

$$\begin{aligned} h(p) &= p_3 p_6 (p_1 \sqcup p_2) (p_4 \sqcup p_5) (p_7 \sqcup p_8) \\ &+ p_3 (1 - p_6) (p_1 \sqcup p_2) ((p_4 p_7) \sqcup (p_5 p_8)) \\ &+ (1 - p_3) p_6 ((p_1 p_4) \sqcup (p_2 p_5)) (p_7 \sqcup p_8) \\ &+ (1 - p_3) (1 - p_6) ((p_1 p_4 p_7) \sqcup (p_3 p_5 p_8)) \end{aligned}$$

Setting  $p_1, \dots, p_8 = p$  gives us:

$$\begin{aligned} h(p) &= p^* p ((p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p)) \\ &+ p (1 - p) (p \sqcup p) ((p * p) \sqcup (p * p)) \\ &+ (1 - p) p ((p * p) \sqcup (p * p)) (p \sqcup p) \\ &+ (1 - p) (1 - p) ((p * p * p) \sqcup (p * p * p)) \\ &= p^2 ((p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p)) \\ &+ (p - p^2) (p \sqcup p) ((p^2) \sqcup (p^2)) \\ &+ (p - p^2) ((p^2 \sqcup p^2)) (p \sqcup p) \\ &+ (1 - p)^2 ((p^3 \sqcup p^3)) \\ &= p^2 ((p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p) (p \sqcup p)) + 2p(1 - p) (p \sqcup p) (p^2 \sqcup p^2) + (1 - p)^2 ((p^3 \sqcup p^3)) \end{aligned}$$

Which is what we wanted, and the statement is proved.

**i**

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

# Number of simulations
num_sims = 1000

# Random number generator seed. Set to 'None' for a random sequence
seed_num = 1234
gen = np.random.default_rng(seed = seed_num)

# Number of points
num_points = 101

# Save plot to file or not?
save_plot = True

# Name of system
sys_name = "bridge"

# Number of components:
n = 8

def coprod(x, y):
    return x + y - x*y
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def phi(x):
    return x[3] * x[6] * coprod(x[1], x[2]) * coprod(x[4], x[5]) * coprod(x[7], x[8]) + x[3]

def hh(p):
    component_prob = p**2 * coprod(p, p) * coprod(p, p) * coprod(p, p) + 2 * p * (1 - p) * c
    return component_prob

X = np.zeros(n + 1, dtype = int)          # The component state variables (X[0] is not used)

p = np.linspace(0, 1, num_points)
T = np.zeros(num_points, dtype = int)

for _ in range(num_sims):
    U = gen.uniform(0.0, 1.0, n + 1)      # Uniform variables (U[0] is not used)
    for j in range(num_points):
        for i in range(1, n + 1):
            if U[i] <= p[j]:
                X[i] = 1
            else:
                X[i] = 0
        T[j] += phi(X)

h_hat = [T[i] / num_sims for i in range(num_points)]

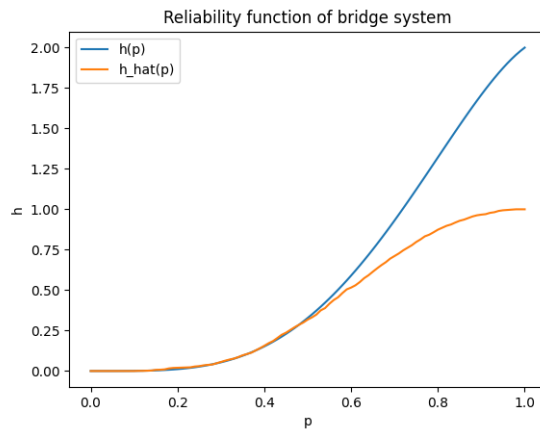
h = np.zeros(num_points)                  # True reliability function

for j in range(num_points):
    h[j] = hh(p[j])

plt.plot(p, h, label='h(p)')
plt.plot(p, h_hat, label='h_hat(p)')
plt.xlabel('p')
plt.ylabel('h')
plt.title('Reliability function of ' + sys_name + " system")
plt.legend()
if save_plot:
    plt.savefig("crude/" + sys_name + ".pdf")
plt.show()

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Which produced this plot:



j

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from scipy.stats import binom
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

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def hh(p):
    component_prob = p**2 * coprod(p, p) * coprod(p, p) * coprod(p, p) + 2 * p * (1 - p) * c
    return component_prob

C = list(range(1, n + 1))          # The component set [1, 2, ..., n]
X = np.zeros(n + 1, dtype = int)  # The component state variables (X[0] is not used)
T = np.zeros(n + 1, dtype = int)  # T[s] counts the number of random path sets of size s

for _ in range(num_sims):
    for i in range(1, n + 1):
        X[i] = 0
    sys_state = phi(X)              # phi(0,...,0) will always be zero unless we have a t
    T[0] += sys_state
    gen.shuffle(C)                  # Generate a random permutation of the component set
    for i in range(1, n + 1):
        X[C[i-1]] = 1
        if sys_state == 0:          # If sys_state = 1 already, we know phi(X) = 1 since
            sys_state = phi(X)
        T[i] += sys_state

s_values = list(range(n + 1))      # Set of possible values of S = X[1]

theta_hat = [T[s] / num_sims for s in s_values]  # theta_hat[s] = Estimated condition
print(theta_hat)

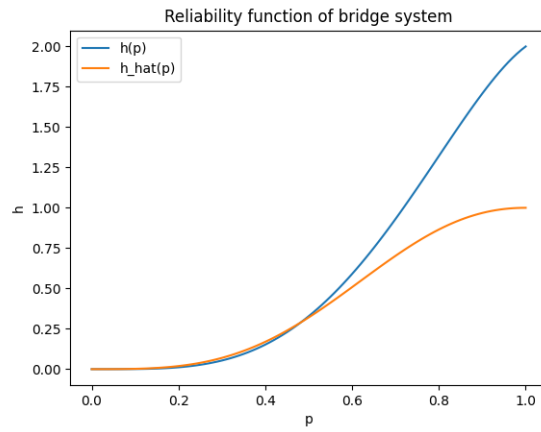
p = np.linspace(0, 1, num_points)
h = np.zeros(num_points)          # True reliability function
h_hat = np.zeros(num_points)      # Estimated reliability function

for j in range(num_points):
    h[j] = hh(p[j])
    dist = [binom.pmf(s, n, p[j]) for s in s_values]
    for s in range(n + 1):
        h_hat[j] += theta_hat[s] * dist[s]

plt.plot(p, h, label='h(p)')
plt.plot(p, h_hat, label='h_hat(p)')
plt.xlabel('p')
plt.ylabel('h')
plt.title('Reliability function of ' + sys_name + " system")
plt.legend()
if save_plot:
    plt.savefig("cmc/" + sys_name + ".pdf")
plt.show()

```

Which produces this output:



This is almost exactly the same as in i, but around  $p = 0.6$ ,  $j$  is a bit smoother.