

Quiz 3

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Quiz 3 – problem 1

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{10}, & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ \frac{3}{10}, & \text{if } 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ \frac{2}{10}, & \text{if } 2 \leq x \leq 3 \\ \frac{2}{10}, & \text{if } 3 \leq x \leq 4 \end{cases} \quad f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{10}, & \text{if } 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ \frac{4}{10}, & \text{if } 1 \leq y \leq 2 \\ \frac{2}{10}, & \text{if } 2 \leq y \leq 3 \\ \frac{2}{10}, & \text{if } 3 \leq y \leq 4 \end{cases}$$

$$E[X] = \int_0^1 \frac{3}{10} x \, dx + \int_1^2 \frac{3}{10} x \, dx + \int_2^3 \frac{2}{10} x \, dx + \int_3^4 \frac{2}{10} x \, dx = \frac{9}{5}$$

$$E[X^2] = \int_0^1 \frac{3}{10} x^2 \, dx + \int_1^2 \frac{3}{10} x^2 \, dx + \int_2^3 \frac{2}{10} x^2 \, dx + \int_3^4 \frac{2}{10} x^2 \, dx = \frac{68}{15}$$

$$\text{var}(X) = E[X^2] - (E[X])^2 = \frac{97}{75}$$

Quiz 3 – problem2

$$X = \max\{x_1, x_2\}$$

$$P_X(k) = F_X(k) - F_X(k-1)$$

$$\text{where } F_X(k) = P(x_1 \leq k)P(x_2 \leq k) = \frac{k}{5} \cdot \frac{k-1}{4} = \frac{k^2 - k}{20}$$

$$\therefore P_X(k) = \frac{k^2 - k}{20} - \frac{(k-1)^2 - (k-1)}{20} = \frac{x-1}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_X(k) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{10} & , x = 2, 3, 4, 5 \\ 0 & , \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Quiz 3 – problem 3

$$\int_0^k \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int_0^k \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx = -e^{-\lambda x} \Big|_0^k = -e^{-\lambda k} + 1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore e^{-\lambda k} = \frac{1}{2} \quad , \quad -\lambda k = \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\ln 2 \quad , \quad \lambda k = \ln 2$$

$$k = \frac{\ln 2}{\lambda} \quad , \quad \lambda = \frac{\ln 2}{k}$$

Quiz 3 – problem4&5

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$$\text{mean} = 15, \sigma^2 = 100, \sigma = 10$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(-5 \leq X \leq 35) &= \Phi\left(\frac{35-15}{10}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-5-15}{10}\right) \\ &= \Phi(2) - \Phi(-2) = 0.9772 - (1 - 0.9772) = 0.9544 \end{aligned}$$

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$$(i) \frac{7}{10}$$

$$(ii) \frac{3}{8}$$