

- 2.(a) i) A Venn diagram would be useful, can find that $P(A \cap B') = 0.25$ and $P(A' \cap B) = 0.15$; so $P(\text{exactly 1 type of defect}) = P(A \cap B') + P(A' \cap B) = 0.25 + 0.15 = 0.40$.
 ii) Since $P(B) = 0.15 + 0.05 = 0.20$, $P(A|B) = P(A \cap B)/P(B) = 0.05/0.20 = 0.25$; since $P(A|B) \neq P(A) = 0.30$, A and B are not independent events.

- (b) i) $X =$ number that have positive reaction in 5 patients has a binomial distribution, with $n = 5$, $p = 2/5$, so

$$P(X = 3) = \frac{5!}{3!2!} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 = 10 \cdot 2^3 \cdot 3^2 / 5^5 = 0.2304$$

- ii) $E(X) = np = 150(2/5) = 60$, $\text{St.Dev.}(X) = \sqrt{150(2/5)(3/5)} = 6$. Use normal approximation, so

$$P(X > 65) = P(X > 65.5) = P\left(\frac{X - 60}{6} > \frac{65.5 - 60}{6}\right) = P(Z > 0.916) = 1 - \Phi(0.916) = 1 - 0.8204 = 0.1796$$

- (c) i) $E(X) = np = 500(0.008) = 4$

- ii) Use Poisson approximation, with $\lambda = E(X) = 4$, so

$$P(X = 6) \approx e^{-4} 4^6 / 6! = 0.1042 \equiv F(6; 4) - F(5; 4) = 0.889 - 0.785, \text{ from Table 2.}$$

3. Use that $Z = (X - 29)/2.5$ is standard normal $N(0, 1)$. Then, for instance, in (a),

$$P(X > 32) = P\left(\frac{X - 29}{2.5} > \frac{32 - 29}{2.5}\right) = P(Z > 1.2) = 1 - P(Z < 1.2) = 1 - 0.8849 = 0.1151$$

- (c) Want c so that $0.75 = P(X > c) = P(Z > (c - 29)/2.5) \equiv P(Z > -z_{.25})$, where $z_{.25} = 0.675$ from Table 3. This implies that $(c - 29)/2.5 = -0.675$, or $c = 29 - 2.5(0.675) = 27.3125$.

4. (a) $X =$ number of defects in 6 sheets has Poisson distribution, with parameter $\lambda = (1/2)6 = 3$, so obtain $P(X > 5) = 1 - P(X \leq 5) = 1 - \sum_{x=0}^5 e^{-3} 3^x / x! = 1 - 0.916 = 0.084$, using Table 2.

(b) i) $P(X > 2) = \int_2^\infty \frac{1}{\beta} e^{-x/\beta} dx = -e^{-x/\beta} \Big|_2^\infty = -e^{-\infty} + e^{-2/5} = e^{-.4} = 0.6703$

- ii) Suppose we denote the independent events $A = (X_1 > 2)$ and $B = (X_2 > 2)$, then we want

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = 0.6703 + 0.6703 - P(A)P(B) = 2(0.6703) - (0.6703)^2 = 0.8913$$

This also equals $1 - P(A' \cap B') = 1 - (0.3297)^2 = 0.8913$. Can also relate in terms of binomial distribution, letting $Y =$ number of bulbs out of 2 that last for at least two years.

5. (a) $\mu = \sum_{x=2}^5 x f(x) = 2(1/8) + 3(1/4) + 4(1/4) + 5(3/8) = 31/8 = 3.875$. Similarly, can find $E(X^2) = \sum_{x=2}^5 x^2 f(x) = 4(1/8) + 9(1/4) + 16(1/4) + 25(3/8) = 129/8 = 16.125$. Thus, $\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2 = E(X^2) - \mu^2 = (129/8) - (31/8)^2 = 71/64 = 1.109$.

- (b) Since $X \equiv -\beta \ln(U) \leq x$ is equivalent to $U \geq e^{-x/\beta}$, as noted, and U has pdf $f_U(u) = 1$, $0 < u < 1$, the cdf of r.v. X is, by definition,

$$G(x) = P(X \leq x) = P(U \geq e^{-x/\beta}) = \int_{e^{-x/\beta}}^1 f_U(u) du = u \Big|_{e^{-x/\beta}}^1 = 1 - e^{-x/\beta}, \text{ for } x > 0$$

Thus the pdf of X is $g(x) = G'(x) = (1/\beta) e^{-x/\beta}$, for $x > 0$, which is the pdf of the exponential distribution.