

Week 7

① $P(T = k) = P(T_1 + T_2 = k)$

T = total no. of customers in 2 systems

$$= \sum_{r=0}^k P(T_1 = r) P(T_2 = k-r)$$

T_1 = no. of customers in system 1

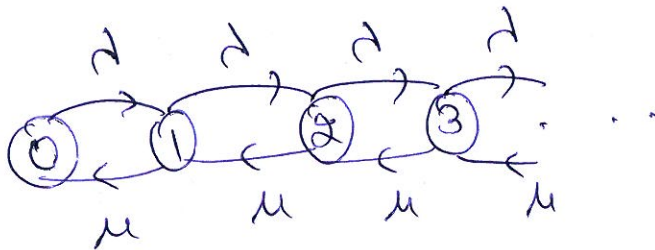
$$= \sum_{r=0}^k [(1-p)^r p^r] [(1-p)^{k-r} p^{k-r}]$$

T_2 = " 2.

$$= (1-p)^2 p^k \sum_{r=0}^k 1 = (k+1) p^k (1-p)^2$$

option (c)

②



$\lambda = 4$ per hour

$\mu = 10$ min per customer = 6 customers per hour

$\rho = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$

(a) average no. of customers in shop

$$= \frac{\rho}{1-\rho} = 2$$

(b) average no. of customers waiting

$$= \frac{\rho^2}{1-\rho} = \frac{4/9}{1/3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

(c) %age of time an arrival can walk right in without wait

$$= P(\text{no customer in system})$$

$$= \pi_0 = 1 - \rho = 1 - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

(d) Expected waiting time

$$= \frac{\text{Expected no. waiting}}{\lambda} \quad \left[\text{by Little's law} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\rho^2}{\lambda(1-\rho)} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

③ M/M/1 queue with $\lambda = 3$ per minute

Give $P(\text{no. of customers} \leq 5) = 0.9$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_0 + \pi_1 + \dots + \pi_5 = 0.9$$

$$(1-\rho) + (1-\rho)\rho + \dots + (1-\rho)\rho^5 = 0.9$$

$$(1-\rho)[1 + \rho + \dots + \rho^5] = 0.9$$

$$(1-\rho) \frac{(1-\rho^6)}{1-\rho} = 0.9$$

$$\rho^6 = 0.1$$

$$\rho = 0.6812$$

$$\mu = \frac{\lambda}{\rho} = \underline{\underline{4.4}}$$

option
(a)

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M/M/1 model with $\lambda = 5$ customers per hour
 $\mu = 6$ minutes per customer
 $= 10$ customers per hour.

(a) Expected waiting time

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} \cdot \frac{\rho^2}{1-\rho} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{5\left(1-\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{1}{10} \text{ hours}$$

(b) P(patient does not have to wait)

$$= \pi_0 = 1 - \rho = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} = \underline{\underline{0.5}}$$

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gt is an M/M/1 queue

λ unknown

$$\mu = \frac{1}{10} \text{ ms} = 0.1 \text{ ms}$$

$$P(\text{idle buffer}) = P(\text{queue empty})$$

$$= \pi_0 = 1 - \rho = 0.8$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho = 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda}{0.1} = 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \underline{\underline{0.02}}$$

$$\therefore \text{mean waiting time} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \frac{\rho^2}{1-\rho} = \frac{0.04}{(0.02)(0.8)} = \underline{\underline{2.5 \text{ ms}}}$$