

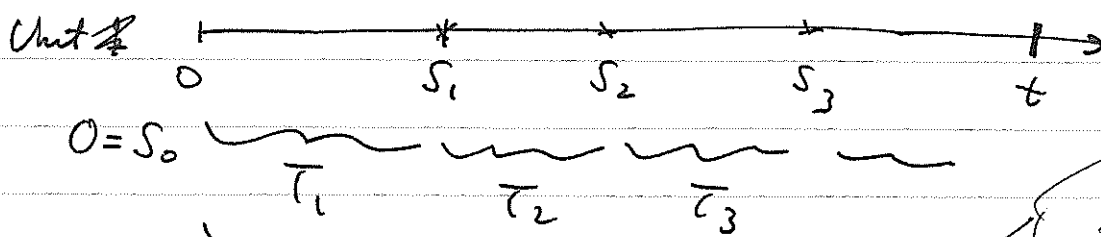
Chapter 7: Counting processes

Repairable systems  
Recurrent events

Typical: More than one event for each unit.

- For example:
1. System is repaired and put into use
  2. ~~Machine~~ Machine part is replaced
  3. Relapse from disease (epileptic seizures, recurrence of tumors)

Notation: Events on a time axis

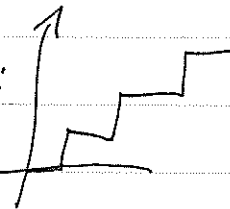


Also:  $N(s, t) = \# \text{ events in } (s, t) = N(t) - N(s)$

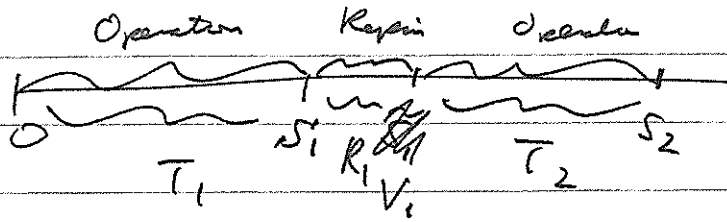
$s_1, s_2, \dots$  are times of events

$T_1, T_2, \dots$  are times between events

Draw  $N(t)$ :  
This is a  
counting  
process



Note: Common to disregard repair time,  
but could have situation like



An alternating process.

(see A.7.3.11)

Simplest type:  $T_1, T_2, \dots$  are independent with same distribution.

This is a Renewal Process

One such is Homogeneous Poisson

Process: when distrib of intervals has is exponential.

But - usually  $T_1, T_2, \dots$  are neither ~~indep.~~ independent nor identically dist.

Aschen & Feingold (book, 1984) distinguish between

- Happy systems
- Sad systems
- ± (None)

- Valve seat data - -
- Grampus data
- Prochan's data
- Aalen - Huseby's data

More definitions -3-  
and notation

Def.

$$W(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} E(N(t)) = \text{Cumulative Occurrences} = \text{foreventet antall hendelser } i(0, t]$$

$$w(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} W'(t) \quad \text{kalles Rate of Occurrence of Failures (ROCOF) for prosessen.}$$

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$$w(t) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{W(t+h) - W(t)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(N(t+h)) - E(N(t))}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(N(t+h) - N(t))}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{E[N(t, t+h)]}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\text{Fow. ant. fejl } i(t, t+h)}{h}$$

der  $w(t) =$  "Fow. ant. fejl per tidsenhet ved tid  $t$ "  
"Raten av fejl ved tid  $t$ "

$$\text{So } E[N(t, t+h)] \approx h w(t)$$

Definer en Regular process ved

$$\text{at } P(N(t+h) - N(t) \geq 2) = o(h)$$

↙  
dvs liten &  
svækket forhold til  $h$ .

(I praksis: Regular process betyder at  
vi ikke kan have to hændelser samtidigt).

For en regular process vil den end

$$\frac{\text{Fav. ant. fejl i } (t, t+h]}{h} = \frac{1 \cdot P(\text{ant. fejl i } (t, t+h] = 1)}{h}$$

↖  $t \cdot 2 \cdot P(\text{ant. fejl i } ((h, 2h]) + \dots$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{k}{h} P(k \text{ fejl i } (t, t+h]) = \frac{0 \dots + 1 \cdot P(1 \text{ fejl i } (t, t+h])}{h}$$

$$+ 2 \cdot \frac{P(2 \text{ fejl i } (t, t+h])}{h} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{P(1 \text{ fejl i } (t, t+h])}{h} + \frac{2o(h)}{h} + \dots$$

⇒  
dvs ROCOF  $w(t) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{P(\text{fejl i } (t, t+h])}{h}$

for en REGULAR PROSÆSS.

dis (ved reguler)

$$P(\text{hendelse} \in (t, t+h]) \approx \omega(t) h$$

Dette engangige udslag med  
karakteristiken for en levetid  $T$ :

$$P(t < T \leq t+h \mid T > t) = z(t) h$$

(~~den~~ som i bote opi kaldes  
FOM = force of mortality. Bakteria  
men i de færdiges, kom som  
pne er de uden.

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Modeller:

1. Renewal process  $T_1, T_2, \dots$  er u.i.f.
2. HPP (Homogen Poisson Process, specielt er denne renewal med et lev)
- ~~2. Renewal process~~
3. NHPP (Nonhomogeneous Poisson Process)

Def 1. HPP - kendet for gennemsnitligt brugtes til eksponentialfordeling. Kommer til mere senere

Def 2. Antag at  $T_1, T_2, \dots$  er uafh og identisk fordelte med fordeling  $f(t), \lambda(t), \Sigma(t), R(t)$  etc. Estimer da vægten af fordelingerne som før

Ch. 7.3 - Boks ~~underholder~~ nogle ~~ikke~~ sandsynlighedsteori, f.eks om hvordan  $N(t)$  og  $W(t)$  opfører sig.

2. HPP er kendet for gennemsnit + stok-pros.

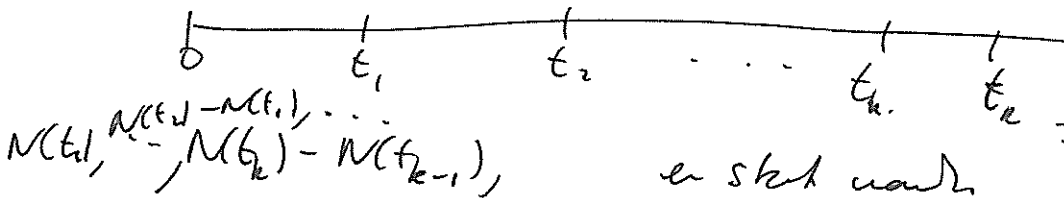
3. Viktig fordeling, som vi skal se på i detaljer forst.

**Kap 7.4 NHPP.**

Def

1.  $N(0) = 0$

2.  $\{N(t), t \geq 0\}$  kan uafh. inkrementer, dvs



In other words:  
For two disjoint intervals  $(s_1, t_1], (s_2, t_2]$  are  $N(s_1, t_1), N(s_2, t_2)$  etc. stoch. independent and Poisson distributed

3. Regular:  $P(N(t+h) - N(t) \geq 2) = o(h)$

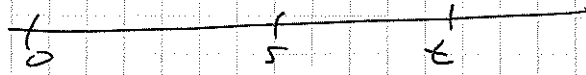
4.  $P(N(t+h) - N(t) = 1) = \omega(t)h + o(h)$

dvs ikke så meget svarer på intervalle

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$w(t)$  kaldes intensitetsfunktionen (Rate)

Hovedresultat:



$$N(s, t) = N(t) - N(s) \sim \text{Poisson} \left( \int_s^t w(u) du \right) \\ = \text{Poisson} (W(t) - W(s))$$

Specialtilfældet HPP:  $w(t) = \lambda = \text{konstant}$

$$\Rightarrow N(t) - N(s) \sim \text{Poisson} (\lambda(t-s))$$

Dens  ~~$N(t)$~~   $N(t) \sim \text{Poisson} \left( \int_0^t w(u) du \right) \\ \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} W(t)$

da  $E(N(t)) = W(t)$  dvs

Men det betyr at  $w(t) = W'(t)$   
er ROCOF.

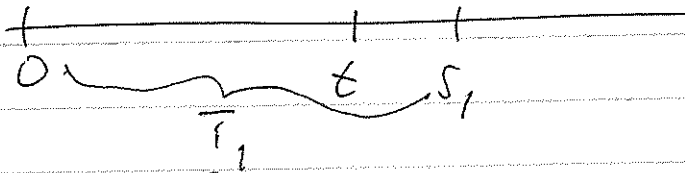
Fordel med NHPP framfor HPP og RP  
er at den kan brukes til 2 modeller  
en trend i feilintensiteten. Dette fordi  
vi husker,  $w(t) \cdot h = P(\text{feil i } (t, t+h))$

$W(t)$  voksende: Økende feilfrekvens ("degradering system")  
 $W(t) \downarrow$  : Avtagende " ("improving system")  
F.eks. software problem

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Noen egenskaper ved NHPP:

Tid til første feil: Vanlig HPP(A): Vet at dette er  $\exp(\lambda)$ .



La  $T_1$  = tid for første feil.

$$P(T_1 > t) = P(N(0, t) = 0)$$

ekvivalent! Poisson ( $\int_0^t w(t)$ )

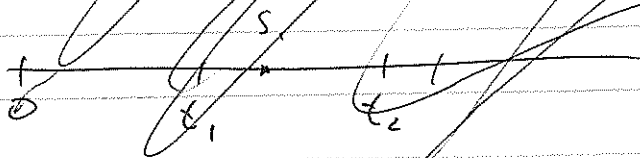
$$= \frac{w(t)^0}{0!} e^{-w(t)} = e^{-w(t)} \quad (7.109)$$

$$\text{da } f_{T_1}(t) = -R_{T_1}'(t) = \frac{w(t)e^{-w(t)}}{e^{-w(t)}} = w(t)$$

(som kan sees hvilken som helst fader)

Simultfordeling for  $S_1$  og  $S_2$ :

$$P(S_1 > t_1 \cap S_2 > t_2) = P(S_1 > t_2, S_2 > t_2) + P(t_1 < S_1 \leq t_2, S_2 > t_2)$$



$$= P(N(0, t_2) = 0)$$

$$+ P(N(0, t_1) = 0 \cap N(t_1, t_2) = 1)$$

$$= e^{-w(t_2)} + e^{-w(t_1)} (w(t_2) - w(t_1)) e^{-(w(t_2) - w(t_1))}$$

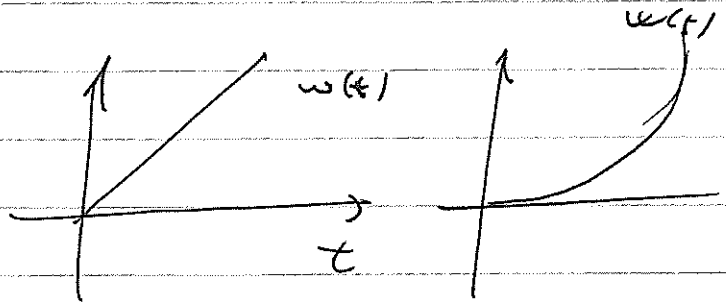


Example:

Suppose  $T_1, T_2, \dots$  is an NHPP with

$$w(t) = 2t$$

$$W(t) = t^2$$

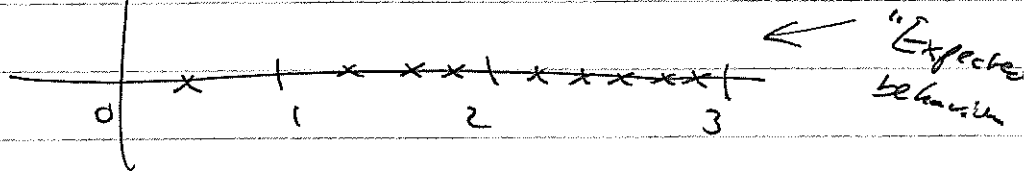


What is the expected # failures in  $[0, 1]$ ?

$$E[N(0, 1)] = W(1) - W(0) = \underline{\underline{1}}$$

$$E[N(1, 2)] = W(2) - W(1) = 2^2 - 1^2 = \underline{\underline{3}}$$

$$E[N(2, 3)] = W(3) - W(2) = 9 - 4 = \underline{\underline{5}}$$



Time to first failure:  $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{t \quad T_1}$

$$R_{T_1}(t) = P(T_1 > t) = P(N(0, t) = 0) = \frac{W(t)^0}{0!} e^{-W(t)}$$

$$= e^{-t^2}$$

$$h \Rightarrow f_{T_1}(t) = -R_{T_1}'(t) = 2te^{-t^2} (= w(t)e^{-W(t)})$$

which is a Weibull-distribution