

MASTER 1 in ECONOMICS  
MASTER 1 ECONOMIE ET STATISTIQUE

## Probability Theory / code : M1S17

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- durée conseillée pour traiter ce sujet : 1 heure  
→ ATTENTION : le nom de la matière et son code doivent être IMPERATIVEMENT recopiés sur la copie d'examen  
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- Let  $(X_i)_{i \geq 1}$  be a sequence of random variables identically independently distributed with mean  $\mathbb{E}[X_i] = \beta$ . Let  $N$  be a random variable taking values in  $\mathbb{N}$  with  $\mathbb{E}[N] = \lambda$ . Assume that  $N$  and  $X_i$  are independent for all  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let us consider the random variable  $S_N = \sum_{i=1}^N X_i$ 
  - Compute  $\mathbb{E}[S_N | N = n]$ .
  - Find  $\mathbb{E}[S_N]$ .
- Let  $X$  be a random variable with normal distribution  $N(m, \sigma^2)$  and  $K$  a strictly positive number. Compute  $\mathbb{E}[e^X \mathbb{1}_{X > K}]$  (express the result in terms of the cumulative distribution function of a standard normal law).
- Let  $(X, Y)$  be a couple of random variables with joint density  $f_{X,Y}(x, y) = \lambda^2 e^{-\lambda y}$  if  $0 \leq x \leq y$  and  $f_{X,Y}(x, y) = 0$  otherwise .
  - Compute the marginal densities  $f_X$  and  $f_Y$ . Are  $X$  and  $Y$  independent ?
  - Find  $\mathbb{E}[X|Y]$  and  $\mathbb{E}[Y|X]$ .
- Let  $X$  and  $Y$  two random variables in  $L^1(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, \mathbb{P})$ 
  - Give a characterization of  $\mathbb{E}[X|Y]$ .
  - Let us consider two  $\sigma$ -fields  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{G}$  with  $\mathcal{A} \subset \mathcal{G} \subset \mathcal{F}$ . Show that  $\mathbb{E}[\mathbb{E}[Y|\mathcal{G}]|\mathcal{A}] = \mathbb{E}[Y|\mathcal{A}]$ .