

Präsenzaufgabe 6

Exercise 1: Deutsche Bahn delays Deutsche Bahn trains are known to often have delays. We consider the delay of Deutsche Bahn trains as a Zufallsvariabel X in \mathbb{R} (counted in minutes), with for example $X = 2.5$ when the train is delayed by 2 minutes and a half. We assume that the expected value of X is $\mathbb{E}(X) = 10$ minutes.

1. Assuming that X has an exponential distribution:

a) what is the Intensity parameter (Intensitätsparameter) λ ? (it may help to draw the "survival function" and the Lebesgue density for X).

b) What is the probability to have less than 20 minutes delay?

2. Assuming that X has a gaussian distribution:

a) what is the value of μ ?

b) Can you deduce the value of parameter σ without more information?

c) If the probability to have less than 20 minutes delay is 70%, what is the value of σ ?

d) What is then the probability for the train to arrive on time or earlier?