Advanced Distributed Algorithms and Data Structures WS 2016 Homework Assignment 2

Problem 1:

Let X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n be independent binary random variables with $\Pr[X_i = 1] = p$ for all $i \in \{1, \ldots, n\}$, where $p \in [0, 1]$ is some fixed probability value. Let $X = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$. Determine $\mathbb{E}[X]$ and $\mathbb{V}[X]$.

Problem 2: Prove Theorem 3.4.

Problem 3: Prove Theorem 3.3.