

3. [12 points] Let  $p(x)$  be a **probability density function** (pdf) such that

$$p(x) = \begin{cases} 1/10, & -3 \leq x < 1, \\ 3/5, & 1 \leq x < 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

a. [7 points] Find the cumulative distribution function  $P(x)$  corresponding to  $p(x)$ .

$$\text{Answer: } P(x) = \begin{cases} \underline{\hspace{4cm}}, & x < -3 \\ \underline{\hspace{4cm}}, & -3 \leq x < 1, \\ \underline{\hspace{4cm}}, & 1 \leq x < 2, \\ \underline{\hspace{4cm}}, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

b. [5 points] Find the mean value of  $x$ . Show all your work.

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