

$$E(X_i) = \mu, \quad V(X_i) = \sigma^2 = E(X_i^2) - \mu^2$$

$$\text{Pr } E(\bar{X}) = \mu, \quad V(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} = E(\bar{X}^2) - \mu^2$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_1) = E\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n}\right) = \frac{1}{n} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} (n\sigma^2 + n\mu^2 - \sigma^2 - n\mu^2) = \frac{n-1}{n} \sigma^2 \quad \#$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_2) = E\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}\right) = \frac{1}{n-1} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} (n\sigma^2 + n\mu^2 - \sigma^2 - n\mu^2) = \sigma^2 \quad \#$$

因此  $\hat{\theta}_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 / n$  為母體變異數  $\sigma^2$  之有偏估計量

$\hat{\theta}_2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 / (n-1)$  為母體變異數  $\sigma^2$  之無偏估計量