Cafe Louis - Group 2 Project

Analysing the data

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Analysing the data

For analysing the data we decided to use package "distfit" for finding and plotting the "best-fit" distribution for our data. Additionally we used a python function provided by Dr Binh to perform chi-square goodness of fit tests. Other python packages we used were pandas, numpy, matplotlib and scipy.

Chi-Square Goodness of fit function

```
""" data analysis with chi-square goodness of fit"""

def obs_cts(n, data):

""" given: the data and number of bins
    returns: the observed values and the bin edges as lists"""

events, edges = np.histogram(data, n)
return events.tolist() , edges.tolist()

def exp_cts(n, data):

""" given: the data and number of bins
    returns: the expected values and prob over each of the bins with
    the necessary modification of the first and last bins"""

L=[]
P_bins =[]
for x in obs_cts(n,data)[1]:
    L.append(rv.cdf(x))
P_bins.append(L[1])
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for i in range(1,len(L)-2):
    P_bins.append(L[i+1]-L[i])
P_bins.append(1-L[-2])
exp_cnt = [x * len(data) for x in P_bins]
return exp_cnt, P_bins
def ind_bins_to_reduce(f_exp):
""" given: a list
    returns: the indexes of the elements < 5"""
NC to red =[index for index, value in enumerate(f exp) if value < 5]
return NC_to_red
def one reduce(f exp, f obs, f edge): "" given: lists of exp, obs, edges returns: new lists with one reduced
bin with value < 5 "" BTR = ind bins to reduce(f exp)
if (len(BTR)>1 \text{ or } (len(BTR)==1 \text{ and } BTR[0]!=0)):
    f_{exp}[BTR[-1]-1] = f_{exp}[BTR[-1]-1]+f_{exp}[BTR[-1]]
    f_{obs}[BTR[-1]-1] = f_{obs}[BTR[-1]-1]+f_{obs}[BTR[-1]]
    del(f_edge[BTR[-1]])
    del(f obs[BTR[-1]])
    del(f_exp[BTR[-1]])
else:
    if BTR[0]==0:
        f_{exp}[1] = f_{exp}[1] + f_{exp}[0]
        f_{obs}[1] = f_{obs}[1] + f_{obs}[0]
        del(f_edge[1])
        del(f_obs[0])
        del(f_exp[0])
f_{expN} = f_{exp}
f_{obsN} = f_{obs}
f_edgeN = f_edge
BTRN = ind_bins_to_reduce(f_expN)
return f_expN, f_obsN, f_edgeN, BTRN
def all_reduce(f_expF, f_obsF, f_edgeF, BTRF):
""" finalizes the bin reduction """
while BTRF !=[]:
    u = one_reduce(f_expF, f_obsF, f_edgeF)
    f_{exp}F = u[0]
    f_{obsF} = u[1]
    f_{edgeF} = u[2]
    BTRF = u[3]
return f_expF, f_obsF, f_edgeF, BTRF
def model(data, n, dof):
    """ given data, the number of bins (n) and the number of estimated parameters (dof)
    produces the value of the chi-squate test statistics and the p-value"""
```

Execution

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fit_k,fit_loc,fit_beta = ss.erlang.fit(service)
rv = ss.erlang(fit_k,fit_loc,fit_beta)
model(service,100,0)
```

Result

Power_divergenceResult(statistic=26.49218594835637, pvalue=0.5460099412205021)

Distfit

We used the following process in package disfit to find and plot the best fit distribution for our data:

```
data = pd.read_csv("Cafe_Louis_Data.csv")

arrivals = data["Inter-Arrival Time"]

dfit = distfit(distr = ['expon', 'erlang', 'gamma'])

dfit.fit_transform(arrivals)

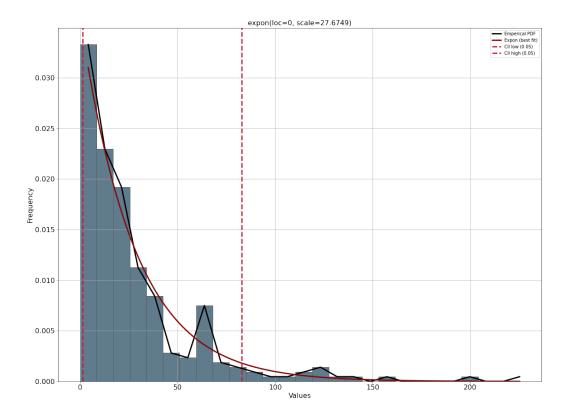
dfit.plot()

plt.savefig('distfit.png')
```

Inter-Arrival Times

Using the distfit package, we determined that the most suitable probability distribution for modeling interarrival times is the Exponential distribution, compared to the Erlang and Gamma distributions. However, we conducted a chi-squared goodness-of-fit test with the null hypothesis that the sample data follows an Exponential distribution and the alternative hypothesis that it does not. The test resulted in a chi-square statistic of 64.836 with a corresponding p-value of 2.184e-05. These results suggest that there is not enough evidence to support the null hypothesis that the sample is exponentially distributed. Therefore, we cannot conclude that the interarrival times are Exponential distributed. Further investigation may be necessary to identify a more appropriate distribution for modeling the interarrival times.

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knitr::include_graphics("arrivals.png")
```



Service Times

Using the distfit package, we identified the most suitable probability distribution for modeling service time as the Erlang distribution, after comparing it to the Exponential and Gamma distributions. We then conducted a chi-squared goodness-of-fit test with the null hypothesis that the sample data follows an Erlang distribution, and the alternative hypothesis that it does not. The resulting chi-square statistic was 26.492 with a corresponding p-value of 0.546. Therefore we conclude that there is sufficient evidence to accept the null hypothesis and conclude that the service times are Erlang distributed. This implies that the Erlang distribution provides a good fit for modeling the service times in our study.

knitr::include_graphics("service.png")

