

Since  $Y_i \sim \text{Binomial}(40, \theta)$

We know  $E[Y_i] = n \cdot \theta$  and  $\text{var}[Y_i] = n\theta(1-\theta)$

Therefore,  $\check{\theta} = \frac{Y}{40}$  is an unbiased estimator for  $\theta$

say  $\hat{\theta} = E[\check{\theta} | T(Y)]$ , where  $T(Y) = \sum_{i=1}^7 Y_i$ ,  $Y_i$  represents observations of each row.

So let's prove  $T(Y)$  is complete statistics. If this holds, we can then say  $\hat{\theta} = E[\check{\theta} | T(Y)]$  is minimum variance

unbiased estimator since  $E[\hat{\theta}] = \theta = \frac{1}{8} \cdot 8 \cdot \theta$

And for  $T(Y)$ , since  $Y_i \sim \text{Binomial}(40, \theta)$ ,  $i \in [0, 7]$ .

$T(Y) = \sum_{i=1}^7 Y_i$  is also a binomial  $(320, \theta)$

From the textbook, we can know  $T(Y)$  should be a complete statistic.

Proof: Let  $g$  be a function such that  $E_{\theta} g(T) = 0$

$$\sum_{t=0}^{320} g(t) \binom{320}{t} \theta^t (1-\theta)^{320-t} = 0$$

since  $\binom{320}{t} > 0$ ,  $\theta^t > 0$ ,  $(1-\theta)^{320-t} > 0$ ,

then  $g(t) = 0$  must hold for  $\forall t \in [0, 320]$  and  $t \in \mathbb{Z}$

which implies  $P_{\theta}(g(T)=0) = 1$  for all  $\theta$ ,

so  $T$  is a complete statistic.

so  $\hat{\theta} = E[\check{\theta} | T(Y)] = \frac{1}{8} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^7 \frac{Y_i}{40} \right] = \frac{1}{320} \sum_{i=1}^7 Y_i$  is a minimum

variance unbiased estimator.

So at this time  $MSE$  is minimized.