

Homework 2

Due March 8, 2022

Problem 1

Recall that the Kolmogorov-Smirnov One-Sample Statistic $D_n = \sup_x |F_X(x) - \hat{F}_n(x)|$ is distribution free (\hat{F}_n is the empirical CDF). Suppose $n = 100$ and the observed D_n is 0.04. Would you reject the null hypothesis $H_0 : X_1, \dots, X_n \sim F_X$ at level $\alpha = 0.05$? Write a simulation to justify your answer.

Problem 2

Use the following R code to generate 50 random numbers from Cauchy distribution

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set.seed(2)
d <- rcauchy(50)
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Use a QQ plot to see how good (or bad) your data fits a normal distribution. Hint: Plot the graph $(F_0^{-1}(p), \hat{F}^{-1}(p))$ where F_0 is the CDF of $N(0, 1)$ and $\hat{F}(x)$ is the empirical CDF. You can use

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qnorm
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to compute F_0^{-1} .

Problem 3

Use a test discussed in class to test whether the following sequence is random at level $\alpha = 0.1$

$A, B, B, A, A, A, A, A, A, B, A$

Use simulation to justify your answer.