

Q1: Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from distn from Normal $\mathcal{N}(0, \theta)$, $\theta > 0$. Find the MSE for $\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2$.

$$\xrightarrow{\text{RV}} X_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \theta) \quad (\theta > 0)$$

→ we are given estimator $\hat{\theta} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$

$$\text{MSE} \doteq \text{Mean Squared Error} = E[(\underbrace{\hat{\theta}}_{\text{pred}} - \underbrace{\theta}_{\text{actual}})^2]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{we can interpret } \text{MSE} = E[(\hat{\theta} - \theta)^2] = \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) \\ \therefore \text{MSE of } w(x) = E_{\theta}[(\underbrace{w}_{\text{some estimator}} - \theta)^2] \\ \qquad \qquad \qquad = \text{Var}_{\theta}[w] + (E_{\theta}[w] - \theta)^2 \\ \therefore \text{Bias}_{\theta}(w) = E_{\theta}[w] - \theta = \text{Var}_{\theta}[w] + (\text{Bias}_{\theta}(w))^2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{now here } \text{Bias}_{\theta}(\hat{\theta}) = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2\right] - \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} E[\sum X_i^2] - \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \left(\sum \text{Var}(X_i) + \underbrace{(E(X_i))^2}_{-\theta} \right) = \frac{1}{n} (n\theta) = \theta - \theta = 0$$

now

$$\text{Var}_\theta(\hat{\theta}) = \text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2\right] = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum \underbrace{\text{Var}(X_i^2)}_{??}$$

Distribution of X_i^2 ?

$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{(n-1)}^2$$

where $S^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum (X_i - \mu)^2$

$$X_i \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

Using above since $X_i \sim N(0, \theta)$, i.e.,

$$\frac{n S^2}{\theta} \sim \chi_n^2$$

where $S^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2$

Using the fact that $E[\chi_n^2] = n$

$$E[S^2] = \frac{\theta}{n} E[\chi_n^2] = \theta \quad [\because \text{Var}[\chi_n^2] = 2n]$$

$$\text{Var}[S^2] = \text{Var}\left[\frac{\theta}{n} \chi_n^2\right] = \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} \times 2n = \frac{2\theta^2}{n}$$

$$\therefore \text{MSE} = \text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2\right] = \text{Var}(S^2) = \frac{2\theta^2}{n}$$

Q2. Let X_1, \dots, X_n form random sample from Uniform distribution on interval $(-\theta, \theta)$. What is unbiased esti for θ .

Unbiased Estimator $\Rightarrow \text{Bias} = 0$ i.e.

$$E_{\theta}(W) = \theta$$

Estimator

\rightarrow If we have a uniform distn $X \sim U(a, b)$

$$\text{so, } f_X(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \quad x \in [a, b]$$

$$E(X) = a + b/2 \quad \text{var}(X) = (b-a)^2/12$$

\rightarrow You can approach finding estimators by guessing some statistics that carries max info about your parameter you're estimating (Sufficient statistics !!)

Sufficient statistic $T(X)$ in this case

$$f_X(X_1, \dots, X_n | \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_{X_i}(x_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2\theta} I(-\theta < x_i < \theta)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2\theta}\right)^n \prod_{i=1}^n I(|x_i| < \theta) \times 1$$

suff stat = $\max_{i=1 \text{ to } n} |x_i|$

denote it by M .

#M = Max $|X_i|$ \rightarrow Suff Stat

$$E(M) = \sum x f_M(x)$$

$\Rightarrow (|X_1| < x; |X_2| < x \dots |X_n| < x)$ [CHANCES WERE!]

$$F_M(x) = P(\text{Max}_{i=1 \dots n} |X_i| < x) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{x - 0}{\theta - 0} \quad x \in [0, \theta)$$

$\because |X_i| \sim U(0, \theta)$

$$= \left(\frac{x}{\theta}\right)^n = \left(\frac{x}{\theta}\right)^n$$

$$f_M(x) = n \left(\frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{n-1} \times \frac{1}{\theta} = n x^{n-1} \theta^{-n}$$

$$\therefore E(M) = \int x f_M(x) = \frac{n}{n+1} \theta$$

So, if we have $w = \frac{n+1}{n} M$, we'd get

$$E(W) = \frac{n+1}{n} \times \frac{n}{n+1} \times \theta = \theta \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \text{Unbiased Estimator} = \frac{n+1}{n} \text{Max}_{i=1 \text{ to } n} |X_i|$$

Ques 38 $X_1, \dots, X_n \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda) ; \lambda > 0$.

i) Verify \bar{X} and $s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2$ unbiased/est. of λ

$$E[\bar{X}] = \frac{1}{n} \sum E[X_i] = \lambda \quad \checkmark \text{ (Yes)}$$

$$E[s^2] = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum E[(X_i - \bar{X})^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum E[X_i^2 + (\bar{X})^2 - 2\bar{X}X_i]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum E[X_i^2 + \cancel{(\bar{X})^2} - \cancel{n(\bar{X})^2}] = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum E[X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2]$$

$$[X_i \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda) \quad E[X_i] = \lambda \quad E[X_i^2] = \lambda + \lambda^2]$$

$$\sum X_i \sim \text{Poisson}(n\lambda) \quad E[\sum X_i] = n\lambda \quad E[(\sum X_i)^2] = n\lambda + n^2\lambda^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} \left[\sum E[X_i^2] - n E\left[\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right]^2 \right] \quad \text{(Yes!)}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} \left(n(\lambda + \lambda^2) - \frac{1}{n} (n\lambda + n^2\lambda^2) \right) = \lambda$$

b) Which one of \bar{X} & s^2 is better & why?

Logic: Lower MSE, better estimator

∴ MSE = Bias & variance & ∴ both here have bias zero so here variance should be lower for the better estimator!

$$V(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum \text{Var}(X_i) = \frac{n\sigma^2}{n^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$V(s^2) = \frac{1}{n} \left[\mu_4 - \frac{n-3}{n-1} \sigma^4 \right]$$

$$\text{Where } \sigma^2 = \sigma \quad \& \quad \mu_4 = E[(X-\mu)^4] \\ = \sigma^2(1+3\sigma^2)$$

Ques 48 Let X_1, \dots, X_n be random sample from Bernoulli distribution with parameter 'p'. Find UMVUE of p

Defn UMVUE is

→ Estimator W^* is UMVUE of $\tau(\theta)$ if

$$1) E_{\theta}[W^*] = \tau(\theta) \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta$$

$$2) \text{Var}_{\theta}[W^*] \leq \text{Var}_{\theta}(W) \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta$$

↳ any other estimator.

→ To find UMVUE, two approaches

① Rao Blackwell theorem

Let W be any unbiased estimator of $\tau(\theta)$ & Let T be sufficient stat of θ . Define $\phi(T) = E[W|T]$

Then, ① $E[\phi(T)] = \tau(\theta)$

$$② \text{Var}(\phi(T)) \leq \text{Var}(W)$$

$X_1, \dots, X_n \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p)$.

Suff stat is

$$f(X_1, \dots, X_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n p^{x_i} (1-p)^{1-x_i}$$
$$= \underbrace{p^{\sum x_i} (1-p)^{1-\sum x_i}}_{g(t(\theta))} \times 1$$

$\tau = \sum x_i$

step 2: Prove it to be complete.

step 3: Now here $\tau(\theta) = p!$ - You'll use the complete sufficient to find $\phi(\tau)$

$$\phi(\tau) = \bar{X} \quad E[\phi(\tau)] = p$$

∴ By Lehman-Scheffe Thm, it is UMVUE!

