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Chapter 6 – Introduction to Statistical Inference

Introduction

parametric model //

- 분포가 알려져
- parameter 개수가 유한하게 2개

Estimation. $\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \text{Point} & (\text{타이더 학생들의 평균 } \mu) \\ \text{Interval} & (\quad \parallel \quad \mu \text{의 } 20\%) \\ & 95\% \text{ CI} \end{array} \right.$

$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{estimate : } \mu \\ \text{estimator : random variables. (ex. } \bar{Y} \end{array} \right.$

Introduction

In many cases, populations are characterized by numerical descriptive measure called parameters.

- Ω : parameter space = all possible values of θ
- θ : unknown parameter in a model
- Y_1, \dots, Y_n : data $\Rightarrow d(Y_1, \dots, Y_n)$: estimator of θ $\leadsto \theta \times$

Many different estimators may be obtained for the same parameter.

How can we establish criteria of goodness to compare statistical estimators? \leadsto MSE

Bias

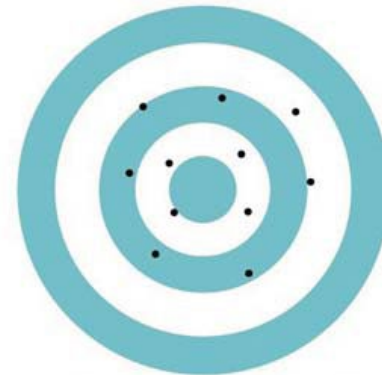
Bias

- Point estimation is like firing a gunshot at a target.
- Drawing a single sample and compute an estimate for a parameter, firing a single shot at the target.
- We cannot evaluate the “goodness” of shooter based on only one shot. We must observe the results many times under the same setting. \Rightarrow We look at the frequency distribution of the values of estimates in repeated sampling.

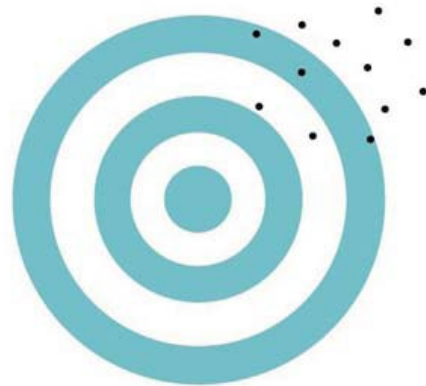
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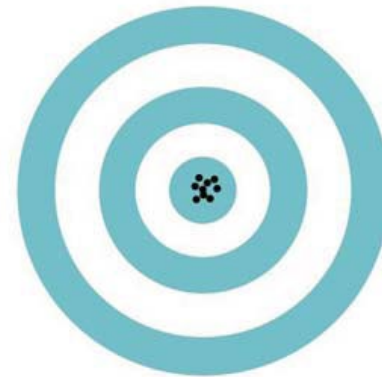
High bias, low variability
(a)



Low bias, high variability
(b)



High bias, high variability
(c)



The ideal: low bias, low variability
(d)

Figure 3-12
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Bias

θ : target parameter, $\hat{\theta}$: estimator

Definition

Bias of $\hat{\theta}$ as an estimator of θ is

$$B(\hat{\theta}) = E(\hat{\theta}) - \theta$$

$\hat{\theta}$ is an unbiased estimator of θ if $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$ for all $\theta \in \Omega$.
Otherwise, biased.

비편향 추정량

Example 6.1

Y_1, \dots, Y_n : iid with mean μ and variance σ^2 .
Evaluate the following two estimator.

$$\bar{Y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$$

$$S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

1) An estimator for μ : \bar{Y}

$$E(\bar{Y}) = E\left(\frac{1}{n} (Y_1 + \dots + Y_n)\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(Y_i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \cdot n \cdot \mu = \mu$$

$$B(\bar{Y}) = E(\bar{Y}) - \mu = 0$$

2) An estimator for σ^2 : S^2

$$E(S^2) = E\left(\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 - 2\bar{Y} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i + n\bar{Y}^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 - n\bar{Y}^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-1} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2\right) - \frac{n}{n-1} E(\bar{Y}^2)$$

$$= \frac{n}{n-1} E(Y^2) - \frac{n}{n-1} E(\bar{Y}^2)$$

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

$$\text{if } S^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

$$E(S^2) < \sigma^2$$

Under estimate

$$E(Y^2) = V(Y) + \{E(Y)\}^2$$

$$= \sigma^2 + \mu^2$$

$$E(\bar{Y}^2) = V(\bar{Y}) + \{E(\bar{Y})\}^2$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \mu^2$$

S^2 is an UE of σ^2 .

Example 6.2

$S = \sqrt{S^2}$ is not an UE of σ .

Prove it.

$$\text{Var}(Y) > 0$$

$$Y \text{ is not } X \rightarrow \text{Var}(Y) > 0$$

$$E(Y^2) - \{E(Y)\}^2 > 0$$

$$E(Y^2) > \{E(Y)\}^2$$

$$E(S^2) > \{E(S)\}^2 \quad (Y \text{ is not } X)$$

$$\sigma^2 > \{E(S)\}^2 \rightarrow \underline{\sigma > E(S)}$$

$$E(S) \neq \sigma$$

MSE

MSE

square distance : $\sqrt{(\hat{\theta} - \theta)^2}$

Is unbiasedness enough?

Definition

MSE = Mean Square Error

$$MSE(\hat{\theta}) = \underbrace{E_{\theta}}_{\text{Estimator for } \theta} \left\{ \underbrace{(\hat{\theta})}_{\text{target parameter}} - \theta \right\}^2 = V(\hat{\theta}) + \{B(\hat{\theta})\}^2$$

We want to use an estimator that has a small MSE.

$$\text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}) = E(\hat{\theta} - \theta)^2 = E(\hat{\theta}^2 - 2\theta\hat{\theta} + \theta^2)$$

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$$= E(\hat{\theta}^2) - \underbrace{\{E(\hat{\theta})\}^2 + \{E(\hat{\theta})\}^2}_{\text{red underline}} - 2\theta E(\hat{\theta}) + \theta^2$$

$$= \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) + \underbrace{\{E(\hat{\theta}) - \theta\}^2}_{B(\hat{\theta})} = \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) + \{B(\hat{\theta})\}^2.$$

Example 6.3

$$\begin{array}{l} E(Y) = \mu \\ V(Y) = \sigma^2 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} E(\bar{Y}) = \mu \\ V(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \end{array}$$

$$Y_1, \dots, Y_n: \text{iid } \text{Unif}(0, \theta), \Omega = \{\theta: 0 < \theta < \infty\}$$

$$\hat{\theta}_1 = 2\bar{Y}, \quad \hat{\theta}_2 = \frac{n+1}{n} \max(Y_i)$$

$$(i) \quad \hat{\theta}_1 = 2\bar{Y}$$

Which estimator is the better estimator?

$$Y_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Unif}(0, \theta) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{mean: } \frac{\theta}{2} \\ \text{Var: } \frac{\theta^2}{12} \end{array} \right. \quad \underline{E(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_1) = \theta \quad \therefore \hat{\theta}_1 \text{ is an unbiased estimator of } \theta$$

$$\text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_1) = \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}_1) + \underbrace{\{B(\hat{\theta}_1)\}^2}_0$$

$$= \text{Var}(2\bar{Y})$$

$$= 4 \cdot \frac{\theta^2}{12n} = \underline{\frac{\theta^2}{3n}}$$

$$(ii) \hat{\theta}_2 = \frac{n+1}{n} \max Y_i$$

$$\text{Let } w := \max Y_i \rightarrow f_w(w) = \frac{n w^{n-1}}{\theta^n} \quad (0 < w < \theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(\hat{\theta}_2) &= E\left(\frac{n+1}{n} \cdot w\right) = \frac{n+1}{n} E(w) & E(w) &= \int_0^\theta \frac{n w^n}{\theta^n} dw = \frac{n}{n+1} \cdot \frac{w^{n+1}}{\theta^n} \Big|_0^\theta \\ &= \frac{n+1}{n} \cdot \frac{n}{n+1} \cdot \theta = \theta. & & = \frac{n\theta}{n+1} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \hat{\theta}_2$ is an unbiased estimator of θ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_2) &= \text{Var}(\hat{\theta}_2) + \left\{ \cancel{B(\hat{\theta}_2)} \right\}^2 \\ &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{n+1}{n} w\right) = \frac{(n+1)^2}{n^2} \left\{ E(w^2) - \{E(w)\}^2 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{n\theta^2}{n+2}$ $\frac{n^2\theta^2}{(n+1)^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} E(w^2) &= \int_0^\theta \frac{n w^{n+1}}{\theta^n} dw \\ &= \frac{n}{n+2} \cdot \frac{w^{n+2}}{\theta^n} \Big|_0^\theta \\ &= \frac{n}{n+2} \cdot \theta^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(n+1)^2}{n^2} \left\{ \frac{n\theta^2}{(n+2)(n+1)^2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{\theta^2}{n(n+2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_1) = \frac{\theta^2}{3n}$$

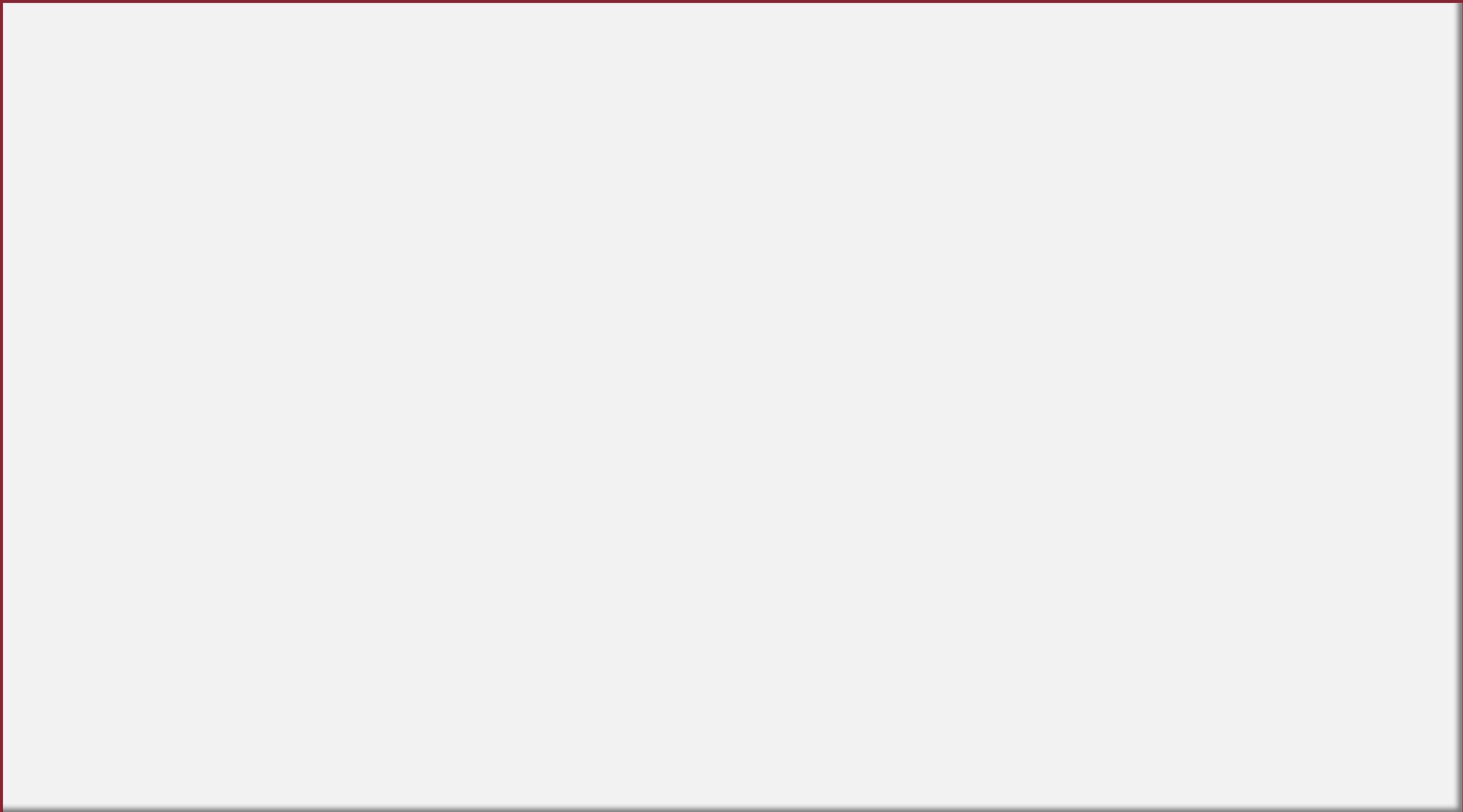
$$\text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_2) = \frac{\theta^2}{n(n+2)}$$

$$\frac{\text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_1)}{\text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_2)} = \frac{n+2}{3}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{if } n=1 \rightarrow \text{같음} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{else} \rightarrow \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_1) > \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}_2) \end{array} \right.$$

$\hat{\theta}_2$ 가 더 좋은 estimator



Confidence Intervals

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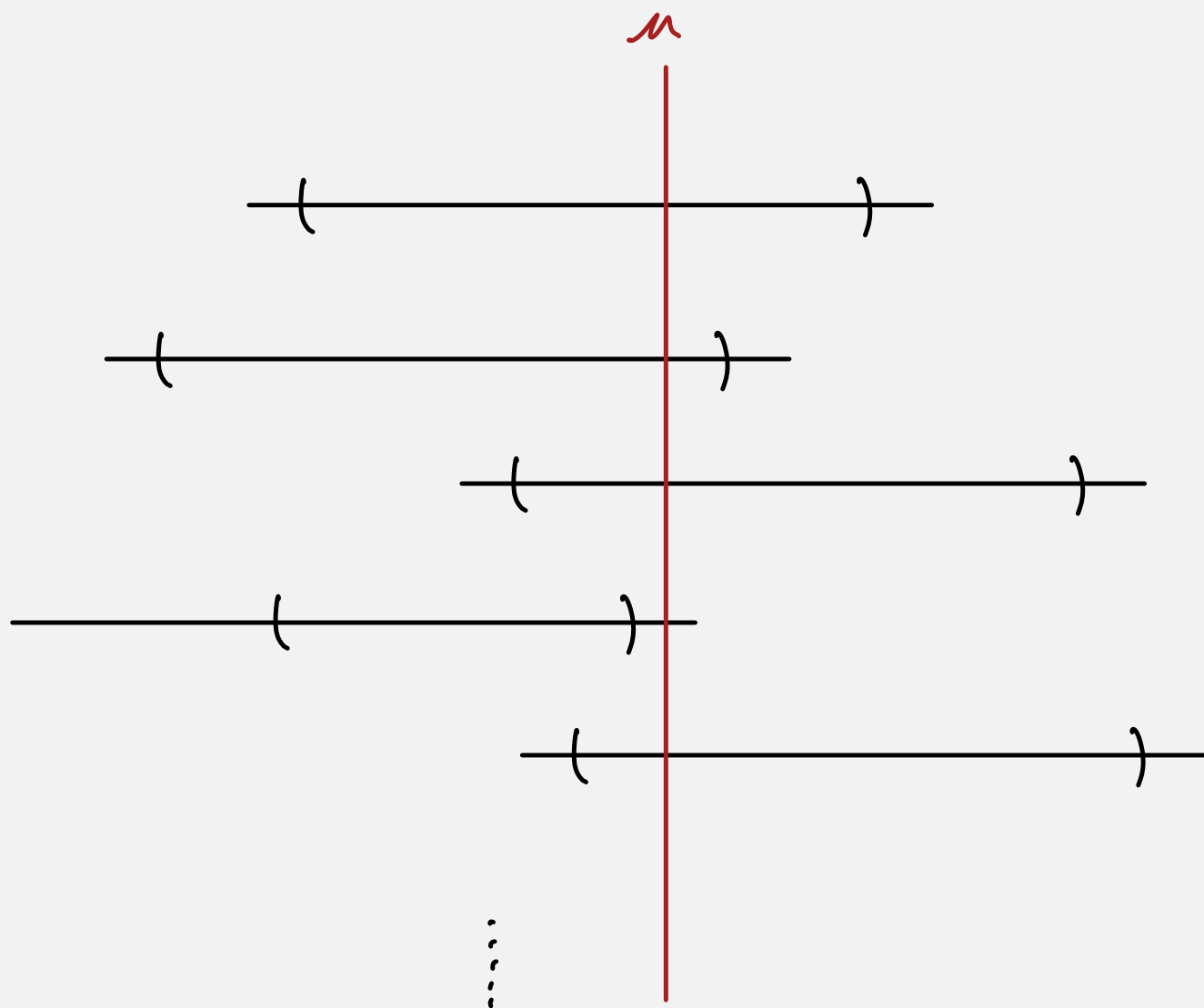
Definition

A level $1 - \alpha$ confidence interval (CI) for parameter θ is an interval $[\hat{\theta}_L, \hat{\theta}_U]$, where $\hat{\theta}_L, \hat{\theta}_U$ are found from data s.t.

$$P_{\theta}(\hat{\theta}_L \leq \theta \leq \hat{\theta}_U) = 1 - \alpha$$

$\mu = \bar{y} \pm z \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

$\alpha = 0.05$
Confidence level 0.01




CI for μ using \bar{y} 95%.

$$P(\mu \in \bar{y} \pm 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}) = 0.95$$

data mean var.

Confidence Intervals

Pivotal Method (pivot)

A **pivotal quantity** is a function of the sample measurements and unknown parameter θ , (θ is the only unknown parameter) and its probability distribution does not depend on θ . 

$$-z_{.95} \leq \frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{\sigma} \leq z_{.95}$$

Handwritten notes: The entire formula is enclosed in a red box. The term $\bar{Y} - \mu$ is circled in red. A red arrow points from the text 'pivot' to the \bar{Y} term.

After finding a pivotal quantity and its distribution, only some algebra is needed to get CI.

Confidence Intervals

Pivotal Method

$g(y_1, \dots, y_n; \theta)$: pivot \Rightarrow Find c_1 and c_2 s.t.

$$P_{\theta}(c_1 \leq \underbrace{g(y_1, \dots, y_n; \theta)}_{\substack{\text{pivot} \\ \frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}}} \leq c_2) = \underbrace{1 - \alpha}_{0.95}$$

\Rightarrow Restate in the form of

$$P_{\theta}(\underbrace{\hat{\theta}_L}_{\substack{\text{lower bound} \\ \bar{Y} - 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}} \leq \theta \leq \underbrace{\hat{\theta}_U}_{\substack{\text{upper bound} \\ \bar{Y} + 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}}) = 1 - \alpha$$

Example 6.3

$Y \sim \text{Exp}(\theta)$. Use Y to form a 90% CI for θ .

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-\frac{y}{\theta}} \quad (y > 0)$$

$$U = \frac{Y}{\theta}$$

sample measurement.
pivot. 몰라요

$$\begin{aligned} M_U(t) &= E(e^{tU}) \\ &= E(e^{\frac{t}{\theta} Y}) \\ &= (1-t)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

MGF of $\text{Exp}(1)$.

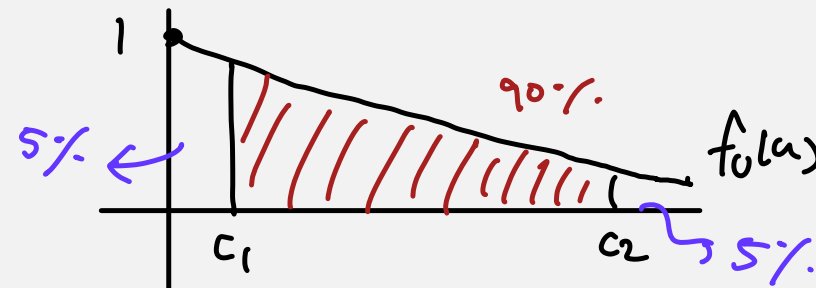
$$M_Y(t) = (1-\theta t)^{-1}$$

$E(e^{tY})$

$$\therefore U \sim \text{Exp}(1)$$

$$f_U(u) = e^{-u} \quad (u > 0)$$

$$P(C_1 \leq U \leq C_2) = 0.9$$



$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{C_1} e^{-u} du &= 1 - e^{-C_1} = 0.05 \\ e^{-C_1} &= 0.95 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{C_2}^{\infty} e^{-u} du = e^{-C_2} = 0.05$$

$$C_1 = 0.051, \quad C_2 = 2.996$$

$$P(0.051 \leq \frac{Y}{\theta} \leq 2.996) \quad \therefore 90\% \text{ CI of } \theta$$

$$= P\left(\frac{Y}{2.996} \leq \theta \leq \frac{Y}{0.051}\right)$$

$\left(\frac{Y}{2.996}, \frac{Y}{0.051}\right)$

Fundamental Sampling Theorem

Theorem

$Y_1, \dots, Y_n: iid N(\mu, \sigma^2)$. Then,

1. $\bar{Y} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

2. $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 \perp \bar{Y}$

3. $(n-1)S^2/\sigma^2 \sim \chi^2(n-1)$

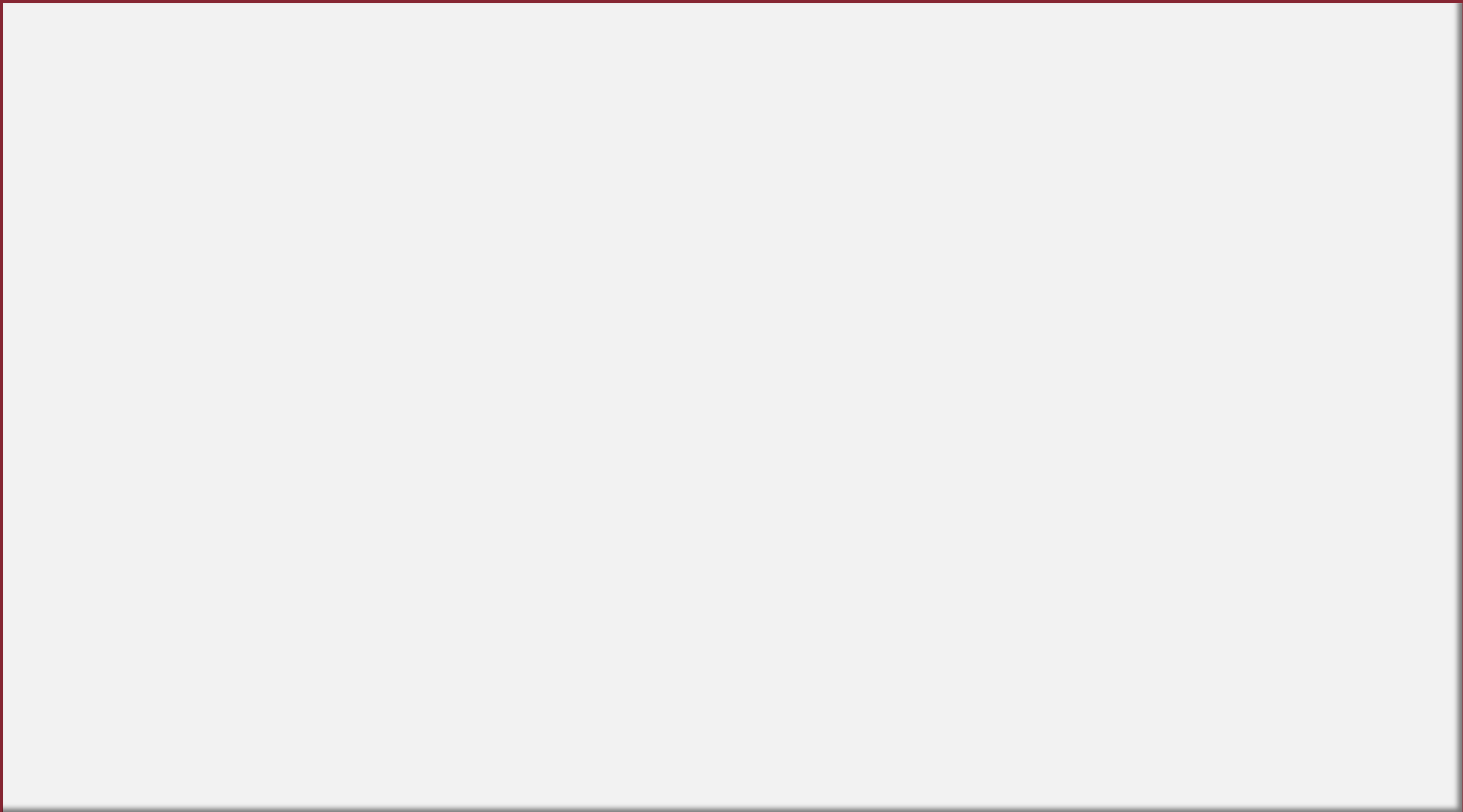
$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1)$$

$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} = \sum \left(\frac{Y_i - \bar{Y}}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

$$\sim \chi^2(n-1)$$

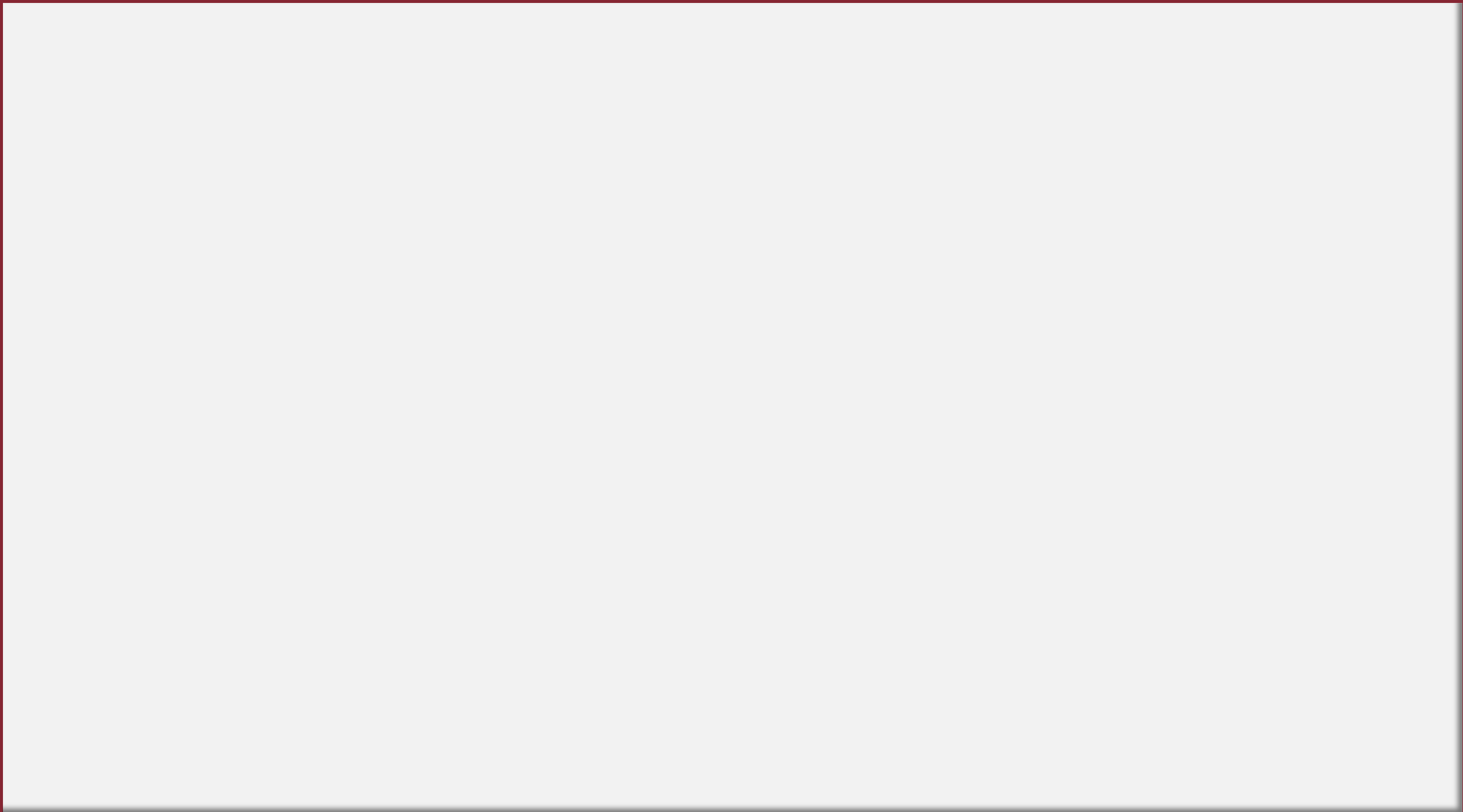
Example 6.4

Y_1, \dots, Y_n : iid $Unif(0, \theta)$, a level $1 - \alpha$ CI for θ ?



Example 6.5

$Y_1, \dots, Y_n: iid N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, a level $1 - \alpha$ CI for μ ?
(σ : unknown parameter)



Example 6.6

$Y_1, \dots, Y_n: iid N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, a level $1 - \alpha$ CI for σ^2 ?
(μ, σ : unknown parameter)

