# Modèles Linéaires Appliqués

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Rappels #1 (probabilités)



# Fonction de répartition et quantiles

Let X denote a random variable, its cumulative distribution function (c.d.f.) is

$$F(x) = \mathbb{P}(X \le x)$$
, for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

More formally,  $F(x) = \mathbb{P}(\{\omega \in \Omega | X(\omega) \le x\})$ . Observe that

- $\triangleright$  F is an increasing function on  $\mathbb{R}$  with values in [0,1],
- $\lim_{x \to -\infty} F(x) = 0 \text{ and } \lim_{x \to +\infty} F(x) = 1.$

Let X denote a random variable, its quantile function is

$$Q(p) = F^{-1}(p) = \inf\{x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ such that } F(x) > p\}, \text{ for all } p \in [0, 1].$$







#### Densité

Let X be a random variable. The density or probablity function of X is

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{dF(x)}{dx} = F'(x) \text{ in the (absolutely) continous case, } x \in \mathbb{R} \\ \mathbb{P}(X = x) \text{ in the discrete case, } x \in \mathbb{N} \\ dF(x), \text{ in a more general context} \end{cases}$$

**Example**: if  $X \sim \mathcal{U}_{[0,1]}$ ,  $f(x) = \mathbf{1}_{[0,1]}(x)$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Example**: if  $X \sim \mathcal{U}_{[a,b]}$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} \mathbf{1}_{[a,b]}(x)$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .



# Moments (Espérance & Variance)

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} yf(y) \, dy$$
, ou  $\sum_{y \in \mathbb{N}} yf(y)$  dans le cas discret

La version empirique, pour un échantillon  $\{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$  est

$$\overline{y} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i$$

$$Var[Y] = \mathbb{E}[(Y - \mathbb{E}[Y])^2] = \int_{\mathbb{R}} (y - \mathbb{E}[Y])^2 f(y) dy,$$

Note:  $Var[Y] = \mathbb{E}[Y^2] - \mathbb{E}[Y]^2$ .

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$$s^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \overline{y})^2 \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \overline{y})^2$$



## Vecteur aléatoire

Let  $\mathbf{Z} = (X, Y)$  be a random vector. The cumulative distribution function of  $\mathbf{Z}$  is

$$F(\mathbf{z}) = F(x, y) = \mathbb{P}(X \le x, Y \le y)$$
, for all  $\mathbf{z} = (x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ .

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$$f(\mathbf{z}) = f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{\partial^2 F(x,y)}{\partial x \partial y} & \text{in the continuous case, } \mathbf{z} = (x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \mathbb{P}(X = x, Y = y) & \text{in the discrete case, } \mathbf{z} = (x,y) \in \mathbb{N}^2 \end{cases}$$

Note:

$$\mathsf{Var}(\mathbf{Z}) = \mathbb{E}\big[ (\mathbf{Z} - \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Z}])(\mathbf{Z} - \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Z}])^{\mathsf{T}} \big] = \begin{pmatrix} \mathsf{Var}[X] & \mathsf{Cov}[X,Y] \\ \mathsf{Cov}[X,Y] & \mathsf{Var}[Y] \end{pmatrix}$$



## Lois Binomiales

$$Y \sim \mathcal{B}(p)$$
:

$$\mathbb{P}[Y = y] = p^{y} (1 - p)^{1 - y} \begin{cases} p \text{ si } y = 1 \\ 1 - p \text{ si } y = 0 \end{cases}, \text{ où } y \in \{0, 1\}$$

cf loi de Bernoulli, où  $p = \mathbb{P}[Y = 1] = \mathbb{E}[Y] \in [0, 1]$ .

$$Y \sim \mathcal{B}(n,p)$$
:

$$\mathbb{P}[Y = y] = \binom{n}{y} p^y (1 - p)^{n - y} \text{ où } y \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

cf loi binomiale, où  $\mathbb{E}[Y] = np$ .

$$Y_1, \dots, Y_n$$
 i.i.d.  $\mathcal{B}(p)$  alors  $Y = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \sim \mathcal{B}(n, p)$ 

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où  $y \in \{0, 1, 2, ..., n\}$  cf loi binomiale, où  $\mathbb{E}[Y] = np$  et Var[Y] = np(1 - p).

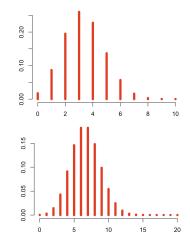
**Note**: when  $pn \sim \lambda$  and n large enough,

$$\mathcal{B}(n,p) \approx \mathcal{P}(\lambda)$$
, where  $\lambda = \frac{p}{n}$ 

and when  $n \to \infty$ ,

$$\mathcal{B}(n,p) \approx \mathcal{N}(np,np(1-p))$$

(see Galton's quincunx)



## Lois Binomiales & Multinomiales

$$\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, \dots, Y_d) \sim \mathcal{M}(\mathbf{p})$$
 où  $\mathbf{p} = (p_1, \dots, p_d)$  si 
$$Y_1 + \dots + Y_d = 1 \text{ et } Y_j \sim \mathcal{B}(p_j), \ \forall j \in \{1, \dots, d\}$$

i.e. 
$$\mathbf{Y}=\left(\mathbf{1}_{C_1},\mathbf{1}_{C_2},\cdots,\mathbf{1}_{C_d}
ight)$$

$$\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, \cdots, Y_d) \sim \mathcal{M}(n, \mathbf{p})$$
 où  $\mathbf{p} = (p_1, \cdots, p_d)$  si

$$Y_1 + \cdots + Y_d = n \text{ et } Y_j \sim \mathcal{B}(n, p_j), \ \forall j \in \{1, \cdots, d\}$$

cf loi multinomiale. Pour

$$(y_1, \dots, y_d) \in \mathcal{S}_{d,n} = \{(y_1, \dots, y_d) \in \mathbb{N}^d : (y_1 + \dots + y_d = n)\}$$

$$\mathbb{P}[(Y_1, \dots, Y_d) = (y_1, \dots, y_d)] = \frac{n!}{v_1! \dots v_d!} p_1^{y_1} \dots p_d^{y_d}$$

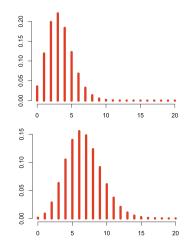
**Example**: 
$$\mathbf{Y} = (Y_0, Y_1) \sim \mathcal{M}(n, \mathbf{p})$$
 où  $\mathbf{p} = (p_0, p_1)$ .

## Lois de Poisson

$$Y \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda)$$
:

$$\mathbb{P}[Y=y]=e^{-\lambda}\frac{\lambda^y}{y!}$$

où  $y \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  cf loi de Poisson, où  $\mathbb{E}[Y] = \lambda$  et  $Var[Y] = \lambda$ . **Note**: si  $Y \sim \mathcal{P}(\lambda)$ ,  $\mathbb{P}[Y = 0] = e^{-\lambda}$ , aussi  $\lambda = -\log \mathbb{P}[Y = 0]$ .





# Distribution Géométrique

$$Y \sim \mathcal{G}(p)$$
:

$$\mathbb{P}[Y=y]=p(1-p)^y$$

où  $y \in \{0, 1, 2, ...\}$  cf loi géométrique,

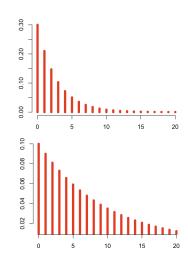
$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{1}{p} - 1 \text{ and } \mathsf{Var}[Y] = \frac{1-p}{p^2}$$

Note: possible alternative representation

$$\mathbb{P}[Y=y]=p(1-p)^{y-1}$$

où  $y \in \{1, 2, \dots\}$ , et dans ce cas

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{1}{p}$$
 and  $Var[Y] = \frac{1-p}{p^2}$ 



## Distribution Exponentielle

$$Y \sim \mathcal{E}(\lambda)$$
:

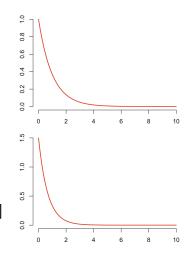
$$f(y) = \lambda e^{-\lambda y}$$
 ou  $\mathbb{P}[Y > y] = e^{-\lambda y}$ 

où  $y \in \mathbb{R}_+$ , cf loi exponentielle,

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$
 and  $Var[Y] = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$ 

Absence de mémoire: pour h > 0,

$$\mathbb{P}[Y > y + h|Y > y] = \frac{e^{-\lambda(y+h)}}{e^{-\lambda h}} \mathbb{P}[Y > h]$$



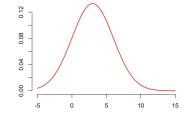
## Distribution Gaussienne

$$Y \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$
:

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{(y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

où  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ , cf loi normale,

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \mu$$
 and  $Var[Y] = \sigma^2$ 



Si 
$$Z \sim \mathcal{N}(0,1)$$
,  $Y = \mu + \sigma Z \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$ , et  $\frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma} \sim \mathcal{N}(0,1)$ .

**Note**: 
$$\mathbb{P}[Z \le z] = \Phi(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{z} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) dx$$

- 1 > pnorm(1.96)
- 2 [1] 0.9750021
- 3 > qnorm(.95)
- 4 [1] 1.644854

# Distribution Log-Normale

$$Y \sim LN(\mu, \sigma^2)$$
:

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{y\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{[\log(y) - \mu]^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

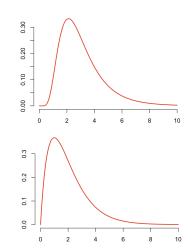
où  $y \in \mathbb{R}_+$ , cf loi log-normale,

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \exp\left(\mu + \frac{\sigma^2}{2}\right)$$

$$Var[Y] = (e^{\sigma^2} - 1) \exp(2\mu + \sigma^2)$$

Si 
$$Y \sim LN(\mu, \sigma^2)$$
,  $\log Y \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$ 

**Note**:  $\mathbb{E}(\log Y) \neq \log \mathbb{E}(Y)$ 



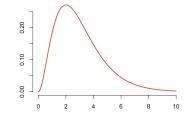
## Distribution Gamma

$$Y \sim \mathcal{G}(\alpha, \beta)$$
:

$$f(y) = \frac{\beta^{\alpha} y^{\alpha - 1} e^{-\beta y}}{\Gamma(\alpha)}$$

où  $y \in \mathbb{R}_+$ , cf loi gamma,

$$\mathbb{E}[Y] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \text{ et Var}[Y] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$$



 $\alpha$  est appelé shape et  $\beta$  rate

**Note**: si  $X \sim \mathcal{G}(\nu/2, 1/2)$  alors  $X \sim \chi^2(\nu)$ , cf loi du chi-deux.



## Convergence

The sequence  $(X_n)$  converges in probability towards X, denoted  $X_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} X$ , if

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0$$
,  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \mathbb{P}(|X_n - X| > \varepsilon) = 0$ .

Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function, if  $X_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} X$  then  $f(X_n) \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} f(X)$ . More generally, let  $f: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function, if  $X_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} X$  and  $Y_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} y \in \mathbb{R}$  then  $f(X_n, Y_n) \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} f(X, y)$  (Slutsky Theorem).

A sufficient condition to have  $X_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} a$  is that

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \mathbb{E}[X_n] = a \text{ and } \lim_{n\to\infty} \operatorname{Var}(X_n) = 0$$

Suppose  $X_i$ 's are i.i.d. with finite expected value  $\mu = \mathbb{E}(X_i)$ , then  $\overline{X}_n \stackrel{\mathbb{P}}{\to} \mu$  as  $n \to +\infty$ , see Law of Large Numbers



## Convergence

Sequence  $(X_n)$  converges in distribution towards X, denoted  $X_n \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} X$ . if for any continuous function h

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\mathbb{E}\left[h\left(X_{n}\right]\right)=\mathbb{E}\left(h\left(X\right)\right).$$

Convergence in distribution is the same as convergence of distribution function  $X_n \stackrel{\mathcal{L}}{\to} X$  if for any  $t \in \mathbb{R}$  where  $F_X$  is continuous

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}F_{X_{n}}\left( t\right) =F_{X}\left( t\right) .$$

Let  $X_1, X_2 \dots$  denote i.i.d. random variables with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , then :

$$\frac{\overline{X}_n - \mathbb{E}(\overline{X}_n)}{\sqrt{\mathsf{Var}(\overline{X}_n)}} = \sqrt{n} \left( \frac{\overline{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma} \right) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} X \text{ where } X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

#### see Central Limit Theorem

### Transformation

Let X be an absolutely continuous random variable with density f(x). If function  $\phi$  is a differentiable one-to-one mapping, then variable  $Y = \phi(X)$  has a density g satisfying

$$g(y) = \frac{f(\phi^{-1}(y))}{\phi'(\phi^{-1}(y))}.$$

Let X be an absolutely continuous random variable with cdf F, i.e.  $F(x) = \mathbb{P}(X \le x)$ . Then Y = F(X) has a uniform distribution on [0, 1].

Let Y be a uniform distribution on [0,1] and F denote a cdf. Then  $X = F^{-1}(Y)$  is a random variable with cdf F.



### Delta Method

In the univariate case, if there is a sequence of random variables  $X_n$ satisfying  $\sqrt{n}[X_n - \theta] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ , where  $\theta$  and  $\sigma^2$  are two constants, then

$$\sqrt{n}[g(X_n) - g(\theta)] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \cdot [g'(\theta)]^2)$$

for any function g satisfying the property that  $g'(\theta)$  exists and is non-zero valued.

In the multivariate case, if there is a sequence of random vectors  $\mathbf{X}_n$  satisfying  $\sqrt{n}[\mathbf{X}_n - \theta] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \Sigma)$ , where  $\theta$  is a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  and  $\Sigma$  is a symmetric positive  $d \times d$  matrix, then

$$\sqrt{n}[g(\mathbf{X}_n) - g(\theta)] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \nabla g(\theta)^\mathsf{T} \Sigma \nabla g(\theta))$$

for any function g satisfying the property that  $\nabla g(\theta)$  exists and is non-zero valued.

