

Experimentation, measurements and brain-computer interface

Introduction to statistics for experimentation

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What are statistics?

Statistics or statistical data

Set of data observed on a specific phenomenon.

Statistical methods

A set of scientific methods for:

- **Planning** the collection of observations
Which data? How much data? Questions?
- **Analyze & interpret** a large volume of data to extract relevant information.

Useful material [Wik]

- **economy:** economic forecasts, market studies, *etc.*
- **imaging:** shape detection, image classification, denoising, image reconstruction, *etc.*
- **agriculture:** crop yields, experiments with new strains, *etc.*
- **biology:** concentration of given molecules in the human body, evolution of species, *etc.*
- **engineering:** quality control, robotics, security, logistics, *etc.*
- **medicine, pharmacology:** epidemiology, experimentation of new treatments, medical imaging, *etc.*
- **psycho-physiological studies:** behavioural studies, neuroimaging cognitive, mental state detection, brain-computer interfaces *etc.*

Population & Sample

- **Population:** set of all possible observations that can be made about a phenomenon.
- **Sample:** subset of the population.

Steps in a statistical analysis

- 1 Planning an experiment and collecting data
 - *representative sample, sample size,*
 - *relevance of the variables selected.*
- 2 descriptive statistics
 - *data formatting and description.*
- 3 Inferential statistics
 - *probable results on the phenomenes described by the data.*

Main stages

An essential first step in any statistical analysis:

Descriptive (or exploratory) statistics

- describes the observations made on a sample,
- methods for synthesizing data:
 - relevant numerical summaries
 - graphic representations.

Conclusions valid only for the sample: no generalization to the population!

Inferential statistics (or mathematical statistics)

- extrapolate the observed results to the general population
- inductive approach to generalize the results
- is based on the theory of probability.

Probability Theory

- provides a mathematical model of random phenomena
- allows you to quantify chance and predict the frequency of occurrence of events by calculating probabilities.

This is the **underlying model** of the realization of the experiment.

A deductive approach

- from model to experience,
- allows the properties of samples from a population to be studied using a probabilistic model.

Random Variables

- **quantitative** variable: real-valued variable
ex: age, height, salary, heart rate
- **qualitative** (categorical) variable: indicates which category the individual belongs to
ex: gender, opinion, task type

Quantitative variables

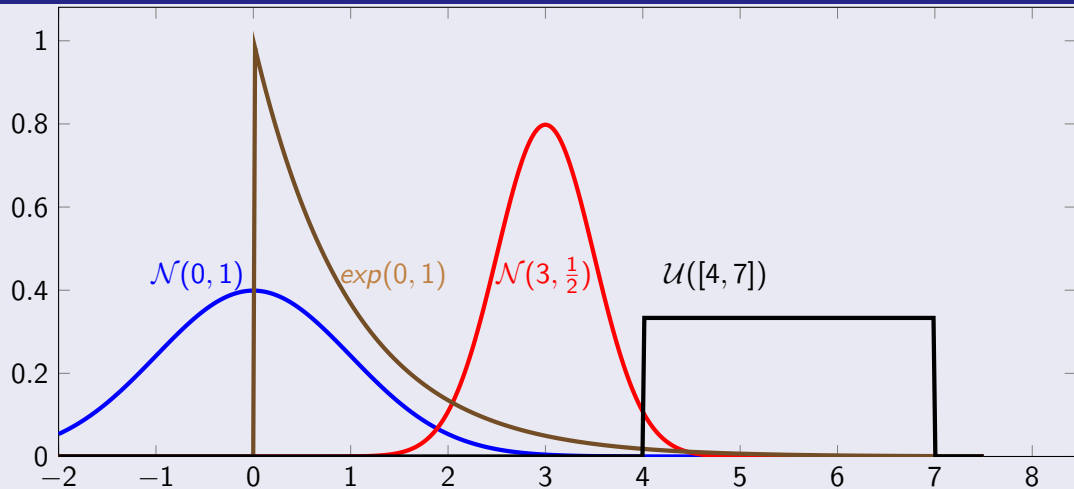
- **continuous** variable: any value that cannot be counted in a given interval
ex: height, weight, income, duration of a flight, etc.
- **discrete** variable: discrete values that can be counted (often integers), *ex: number of failures per month of a machine, number of aircraft accidents during the year, etc.*

Qualitative variables

- **ordinal** variable: distinct categories in order, without being able to quantify the distance between them
*ex: physical condition (poor, average, good),
task type (easy, normal, hard)*
- **nominal** variable: separate non-ordered categories to which a name can be assigned
ex: gender, color

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Density (continuous variable)

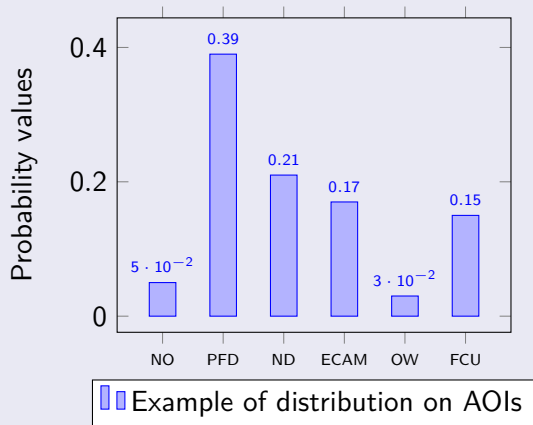


Density of famous distributions

- **Uniform** $\mathcal{U}(a, b)$ (with $a < b$): $\frac{1}{b-a} \mathbb{1}_{[a,b]}(x)$
ex: the quantity of a liquid in a tank, current position of an elevator, etc.
- **Normal, gaussian** $\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$: $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$
ex: sum of many independent processes (such as measurement errors).
Note that $\mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ is called the **standard normal distribution**.
- **Exponential** $\mathcal{E}(\lambda)$: $\lambda e^{-\lambda x}$
ex: memoryless durations whose mean is λ .

Other variables

For the other types of variables (discrete, ordinal, nominal) it is sufficient to define a probability for each event



AOI (Area Of Interest):
1 Primary Flight Display (PFD)
2 Navigation Display (ND)
3 Electronic Centralized
Aircraft Monitoring (ECAM)
4 Out of Window (OW)
5 Flight Control Unit (FCU)
Example from Lounis & all, 2018.

- **Bernoulli** $Ber(p)$: $0 \leq p \leq 1$, $\mathbb{P}(X = 1) = p$, $\mathbb{P}(X = 0) = 1 - p$
ex: flip a regular coin ($p = 0.5$).
- **Binomial** $Bin(n, p)$: $\forall k \in \{0, \dots, n\}$, $\mathbb{P}(X = k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k}$
ex: sum of the results of n flips of coin.
- **Poisson** $\mathcal{P}(\lambda)$: $\forall k \in \{0, \dots, n\}$ $\mathbb{P}(X = k) = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} e^{-\lambda}$
ex: number of events occurring in a fixed interval of time (durations between events have an exponential distribution).

- Random variable $X \sim P_X$ with values in \mathcal{X} .
- Random dataset $D_n = \{X_i\}_{i=1}^n$.
- Independent $X_i \Rightarrow D_n \sim P_X^n$.
- Consider a real random variable $\mathcal{X} = \mathbb{R}$.
- Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF): $F_X(t) = \mathbb{P}(X \leq t)$.
- Empirical CDF: $F_{X,n}(t) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}_{\{X_i \leq t\}}$.
- $\forall t \in \mathbb{R}, F_{X,n}(t) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow +\infty]{a.s.} F_X(t)$ (Strong Law of Large Numbers SLLN, see Theorem 3.1 [GS20]).
- Quantile function: $F_X^{-1}(s) = \inf \{t \in \mathbb{R} \mid F(t) \geq s\}$.

A preferred distribution

A measurement is often based on a sum of i.i.d. samples. The Central Limit Theorem (*cf.* Theorem 3.14 [GS20]) provides us with a distribution that should be a good candidate: the normal distribution $\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

Assume that

- *the data we manipulate are real numbers ($X \in \mathbb{R}$)*
- *they come from a normal distribution*
- *whose variance is known to be σ^2*

the random dataset: independent and identically distributed (i.i.d) random variables

$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

Goal: we would like to have more information on the population mean.

Is it greater/lower/equal to some $\mu_0 \in \mathbb{R}$?

Distribution of the empirical average

The distribution of the empirical mean, $\overline{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is also a normal distribution with mean μ and variance $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$.

- $\mathbb{E}[\overline{X}_n] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[X_i] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu = \mu$ [linear expectation]
- $\text{Var}[\overline{X}_n] = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}[X_i] = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$ [variance property for i.i.d. variables]

Transformation to a standard normal distribution

- If $\mathbb{E}[X] = \mu$, then $\mathbb{E}[X - \mu] = 0$.
- If $\text{Var}[X] = \sigma^2$, then $\text{Var}\left[\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}\right] = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \text{Var}[X] = 1$.

Using these results, we know that

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}(\overline{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

We want to be able to say that
“the mean (of the population of interest) μ is **lower** than μ_0 ”
only when the risk of being wrong is low.

A good idea is to look if \overline{X}_n is low enough to limit the risk of being wrong:

decision

- “ Not sure if μ is **lower** than μ_0 or not” (H_0 accepted) when $\overline{X}_n > t$,
- “ Almost certain that μ is **lower** than μ_0 ” (H_0 rejected) when $\overline{X}_n \leq t$.

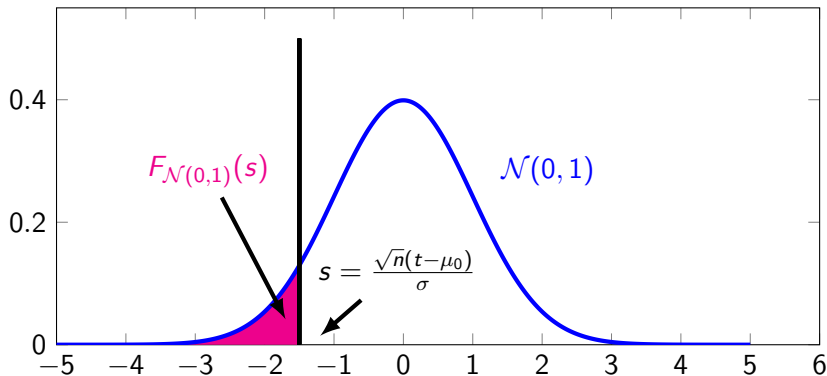
But... what is the value of $t \in \mathbb{R}$?

Suppose that $\mu > \mu_0$: the risk of being wrong is the probability that $\overline{X}_n \leq t$, denoted by α (and usually equal to 0.1, 0.05 or 0.01).

Introduction to statistical tests

Risk, or probability to be wrong

$\alpha(\mu) = \mathbb{P} \left(\overline{X}_n \leq t \right) = \mathbb{P} \left(\frac{\sqrt{n}(\overline{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n}(t - \mu)}{\sigma} \right) = F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)} \left(\frac{\sqrt{n}(t - \mu)}{\sigma} \right)$ where $F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}$ is the cumulative density function of $\mathcal{N}(0,1)$: $F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} dx$.



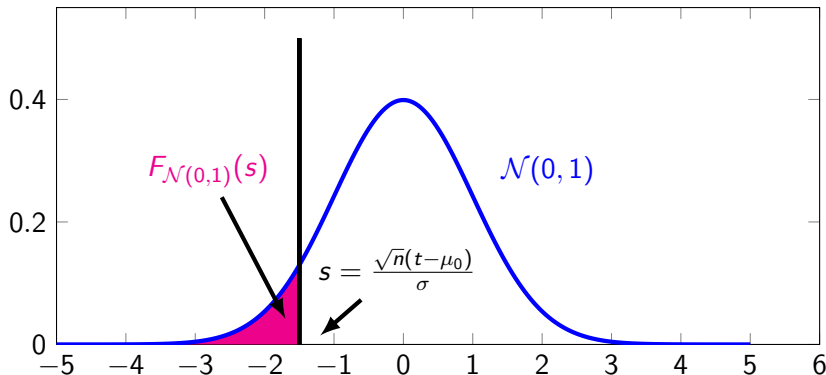
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Risk, or probability to be wrong

$\alpha = \sup_{\mu > \mu_0} \alpha(\mu) = \sup_{\mu > \mu_0} F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}(t-\mu)}{\sigma}\right) = F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}(t-\mu_0)}{\sigma}\right)$ since $F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}$ is an increasing function.

$$\rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{n}(t-\mu_0)}{\sigma} = F_{\mathcal{N}(0,1)}^{-1}(\alpha) = s$$

$\rightarrow t = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}s + \mu_0$: using t to decide, if $\mu > \mu_0$ (H_0), the probability to be wrong is α .



Definitions

- **Statistical hypothesis:** a statement about the parameters describing a population (not a sample).
- **Null hypothesis H_0 :** a hypothesis associated with a contradiction to a theory one would like to prove.
- **Alternative hypothesis H_1 :** a hypothesis associated with a theory one would like to prove.

In the previous example, “ $H_0 : \mu > \mu_0$ ” is the null hypothesis and “ $H_1 : \mu \leq \mu_0$ ” is the alternative hypothesis.

Definitions

- **Statistical test:** a procedure whose inputs are samples and whose result is a hypothesis.
- **Test statistic:** a function of the variables in the dataset, denoted by S .
- **Region of acceptance:** the set of values of the test statistic for which we fail to reject the null hypothesis.
- **Region of rejection / Critical region:** the set of values of the test statistic for which the null hypothesis is rejected. This region, depending on the threshold t , is denoted by $\mathcal{R}(t)$.
- **Critical value:** the threshold value delimiting the regions of acceptance and rejection for the test statistic.

In the previous example, the test was to calculate the statistic $S = \overline{X_n}$ and see if it was lower or greater than t . The region of acceptance was $]t, +\infty[$, the region of rejection $] - \infty, t]$, and the critical value was t .

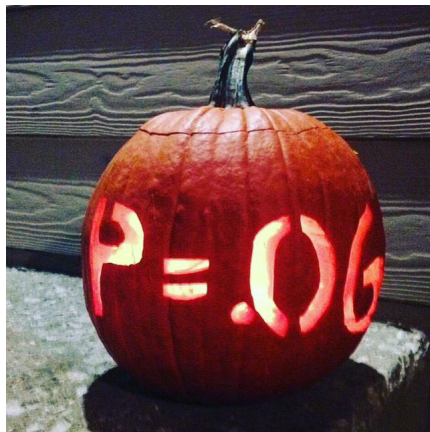
Definitions

- **p-value:** the probability, assuming the null hypothesis is true, of observing a result at least as extreme as the test statistic.

Recall that $\alpha = \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S \in \mathcal{R}(t))$. Given the realized/observed statistics s , it is the smallest risk for which the null hypothesis is rejected:

$$p = \inf_{\substack{t \in \mathbb{R} \\ \text{such that} \\ s \in \mathcal{R}(t)}} \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S \in \mathcal{R}(t)).$$

In the previous example, $p = \mathbb{P}_{\mu > \mu_0}(\overline{X}_n < \overline{x}_n)$. If $p > \alpha$, the test does not reject H_0 . Usually $\alpha = 0.05$.



create the stat. test with

- “ $H_0 : \mu < \mu_0$ ” “ $H_1 : \mu \geq \mu_0$ ”?
- “ $H_0 : \mu = \mu_0$ ” “ $H_1 : \mu \neq \mu_0$ ”?
- unknown variance?
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: ttest_1samp`

Introduction to statistical Tests and Errors

Two sets (X_1, \dots, X_{n_1}) & (Y_1, \dots, Y_{n_2}) . We don't know the variance σ^2 .
Is mean difference statistically significant ?

Suppose that means of the populations are equal (H_0).

Then, $S = \frac{(\overline{X}_n - \overline{Y}_n)}{\widehat{\sigma}_M \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}} \sim \text{Student}(n_1 + n_2 - 2) = t(n_1 + n_2 - 2)$.

That is, with

$$\blacksquare \overline{X}_n = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \quad \overline{Y}_n = \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i,$$

$$\blacksquare \widehat{\sigma}_M = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1-1)v_1 + (n_2-1)v_2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}, \quad \text{with } v_1 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \overline{X}_n)^2 \text{ and } v_2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \overline{Y}_n)^2.$$

S is distributed according to a Student law with parameter (degree of freedom) $n_1 + n_2 - 2$.

If the realisation of S , denoted by s , is too far from 0, we can conclude that theoretical means (means of the population) are not equals.

► `scipy.stats: ttest_ind`

Null hypothesis is H_0 : “means of both datasets are equal”. If the realisation of S is too far from 0, we can conclude that theoretical means (means of the population) are not equals.
Rejection region: $\mathcal{R}(t) = \{s \in \mathbb{R} \mid |s| > t\}$.

p value

$$\begin{aligned}
 p &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \inf_{\substack{t \in \mathbb{R} \\ \text{such that} \\ s \in \mathcal{R}(t)}} \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S \in \mathcal{R}(t)) && \stackrel{\text{null hypoth.}}{=} \inf_{\substack{t \in \mathbb{R} \\ \text{such that} \\ s \in \mathcal{R}(t)}} \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(|S| > t) \\
 && \stackrel{\substack{t \mapsto \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(|S| > t) \\ \text{decreasing} \\ \text{function}}}{=} \lim_{t \rightarrow |s|} \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(|S| > t) && \stackrel{\substack{\text{continuous} \\ \text{cum.dens.func.}}}{=} \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(|S| > |s|) \\
 &= \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S > |s|) + \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S < -|s|) && = 2\mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S > |s|) \\
 &&& = 2\left(1 - F_{t(n_1+n_2-2)}(|s|)\right).
 \end{aligned}$$

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General Linear Model

Let $d_n = \{y_1, \dots, y_n\}$ be a dataset, realization/observation of the random vector Y :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Y} &= \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \mathbb{X} \boldsymbol{\theta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1,1} & \dots & x_{1,d} \\ x_{2,1} & \dots & x_{2,d} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_{n,1} & \dots & x_{n,d} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Definition of the terms of this model

- the random vector $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$, **gaussian random noise** with variance $\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$, and **independent and identically distributed** (i.i.d) components $\varepsilon_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$,
- the constant **parameter vector** $\boldsymbol{\theta} \in \mathbb{R}^d$, with $d < n$,
- the constant **injective linear function** $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$,
- the constant **mean vector** $\boldsymbol{\mu} = \mathbb{X}\boldsymbol{\theta} \in V$,
- the d -**dimensional vector subspace** $V = \text{Im}(\mathbb{X}) \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ (possible mean vectors).

Some explanations:

- $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ defines $V = \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$,
i.e. expert **hypotheses on the possible mean vectors** μ .
- $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$ **parameterizes** the possible mean vectors μ ,
these parameters are identifiable since \mathbb{X} is injective.
- As we'll see, many classical statistical studies are based on this model.

Maximum Likelihood Estimator of (μ, σ^2)

The Maximum Likelihood Estimator (MLE) of $(\mu, \sigma^2) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}_+^*$ is $(\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y, \widehat{\sigma}_n^2)$ where

- Π_V is the **orthogonal projection matrix** on the d -dimensional vector subspace $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ containing the possible mean vectors,
- the **variance estimator** $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [Y_i - (\Pi_V Y)_i]^2$, is the squared euclidean distance between Y and the projection $\Pi_V Y$ divided by n .

Proof – 1

Since $Y_i \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_i, \sigma^2) \forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ and $\{Y_i\}_{i=1}^n$ i.i.d, the density of $Y_i \in \mathbb{R}$ is

$f_{Y_i}(y_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(y_i - \mu_i)^2\right)$ and the likelihood \mathcal{L} , that depends on the parameters $(\mu, \sigma^2) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}_+^*$ and the random vector Y , is then $\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n f_{Y_i}(Y_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(Y_i - \mu_i)^2\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \mu_i)^2\right).$$

Proof – 2

The likelihood is $\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|Y - \mu\|^2\right)$.

- Let's fix $\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$: maximum reached for $\mu \in V$ that minimizes $\|Y - \mu\|$, i.e. $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y$ (cf. minimal distance to a vector subspace, Corollaries 7.6. & 7.7. in [HMS20]).
- Now, the maximum is reached for σ^2 that maximizes $\log(\mathcal{L}(\Pi_V Y, \sigma^2, Y)) = -\frac{n}{2} \log(2\pi\sigma^2) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma^2} \log(\mathcal{L}(\Pi_V Y, \sigma^2, Y)) &= -\frac{n}{2\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{2\sigma^4} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma^2} \log(\mathcal{L}(\Pi_V Y, \sigma^2, Y)) \geq 0 &\Leftrightarrow \sigma^2 \leq \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma^2} \log(\mathcal{L}(\Pi_V Y, \sigma^2, Y)) = 0 &\Leftrightarrow \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Finally, $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \widehat{\mu}_n\|^2$. □

Remark: $\mathbb{E}_{\mu, \sigma^2}[\Pi_V Y] = \Pi_V \mathbb{E}_{\mu, \sigma^2}[Y] = \Pi_V \mu = \mu$ since $\mu \in V$: $\Pi_V Y$ is unbiased.

Result: orthogonal projection matrix Π_V expressed with \mathbb{X}

If $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ is injective, then

- $\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X}$ is invertible,
- $\Pi_V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T$.

Proof

- $\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \theta = 0 \implies \theta^T \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \theta = 0 \implies (\mathbb{X} \theta)^T \mathbb{X} \theta = 0 \implies \|\mathbb{X} \theta\|^2 = 0 \implies \mathbb{X} \theta = 0$
 $\xrightarrow{\mathbb{X} \text{ injective}} \theta = 0 \implies \ker(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X}) = \{0\} \implies \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d} \text{ is injective} \implies \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \text{ is invertible.}$
- Now, $\left(\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \right)^T = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \implies \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T$ is symmetric.
- $\left(\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \right) \left(\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \right) = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \implies \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T$ is idempotent.
- Symmetric + Idempotent $\implies \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T$ orthogonal projection matrix.
- \mathbb{X} on the left $\implies \text{Im} \left(\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \right) \subseteq V \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$. • $\forall y \in V, \exists ! \theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$ such that $\mathbb{X} \theta = y$: $\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T y = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \theta = \mathbb{X} \theta = y \implies V \subseteq \text{Im} \left(\mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \right)$. \square

Maximum Likelihood Estimator of (θ, σ^2)

If $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ is injective, the Maximum Likelihood Estimator (MLE) of $(\theta, \sigma^2) \in \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}_+^*$ is $(\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y, \widehat{\sigma}_n^2)$ where the variance estimator is still

$$\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \left\| Y - \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y \right\|^2.$$

Proof

The likelihood is $\mathcal{L}(\theta, \sigma^2, Y) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|Y - \mathbb{X}\theta\|^2 \right)$.

- Let's fix $\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$: maximum reached for $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$ that minimizes $\|Y - \mathbb{X}\theta\|$,
i.e. when $\mathbb{X}\theta = \Pi_V Y$ i.e. when $\mathbb{X}\theta = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y \xrightarrow{\mathbb{X} \text{ injective}} \widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$.

- Now, the maximum is reached for σ^2 that maximizes $\log \left(\mathcal{L} \left(\widehat{\theta}_n, \sigma^2, Y \right) \right)$

$$= -\frac{n}{2} \log(2\pi\sigma^2) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left\| Y - \mathbb{X}\widehat{\theta}_n \right\|^2 = -\frac{n}{2} \log(2\pi\sigma^2) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2.$$

$$\text{So } \widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \left\| Y - \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y \right\|^2 \text{ (cf. proof slide 32 \& } \Pi_V \text{ expr.)}.$$

Summary: MLEs of the GLM

General Linear Model (GLM)

Random variables $Y_i \in \mathbb{R}$ with **means** μ_i and **noise vector** $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$.

Injective matrix $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ with **image** $V \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$, and **parameters** $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

$$\begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1,1} & \dots & x_{1,d} \\ x_{2,1} & \dots & x_{2,d} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_{n,1} & \dots & x_{n,d} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\mathbf{Y} = \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \mathbb{X} \boldsymbol{\theta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Maximum Likelihood Estimators (MLEs)

- MLE of the **mean** $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y = \mathbb{X} \widehat{\theta}_n$.
- MLE of the **parameters** $\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$.
- MLE of the **variance** $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - (\Pi_V Y)_i)^2$.

Under the GLM hypotheses, we know from now the expressions of

- the MLE of the mean vector $\widehat{\mu}_n \in \mathbb{R}^n$,
- the MLE of the parameter vector $\widehat{\theta}_n \in \mathbb{R}^d$,
- and the MLE of the variance $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$,

as functions of \mathbb{X} & Y .

Next question

What are the distributions of these random quantities ?

Some famous probability distributions

- A **chi-squared** distribution with k degrees of freedom, denoted by $\mathcal{X}^2(k)$, is the distribution of $\|X\|^2$ with $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, I_k)$, i.e. $\sum_{i=1}^k X_i^2 \sim \mathcal{X}^2(k)$, if $X_i \in \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$ i.i.d. (cf. Def. 4.3 of [GS20]).
- A **Student** distribution with k degrees of freedom, denoted by $t(k)$, is the distribution of $\frac{X}{\sqrt{Y/k}}$ with $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$, $Y \sim \mathcal{X}^2(k)$ and $X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y$.
- A **Fisher** distribution with k_1 and k_2 degrees of freedom, denoted by $\mathcal{F}(k_1, k_2)$, is the distribution of $\frac{X/k_1}{Y/k_2}$ with $X \sim \mathcal{X}^2(k_1)$, $Y \sim \mathcal{X}^2(k_2)$ and $X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y$.

These distributions have known continuous densities, hence their cumulative density functions and their quantile functions can be computed.

Cochran Theorem

Let us consider

- a centered random vector $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$, with variance $\sigma^2 > 0$,
- $\{E_i\}_{i=1}^p$ orthogonal vector subspaces such that $\bigoplus_{i=1}^p E_i = \mathbb{R}^n$ and $E_i \perp E_j \forall i \neq j$,
- $\Pi_{E_i} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ the orthogonal projection on E_i .

Then,

- 1 distribution of projections:** $\Pi_{E_i} X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i}) \forall i \in \{1, \dots, p\}$.
independance: $\forall 1 \leq i, j \leq p, \Pi_{E_i} X \perp \Pi_{E_j} X$, i.e. $\forall 1 \leq k, l \leq n, (\Pi_{E_i} X)_k \perp (\Pi_{E_j} X)_l$.
- 2 distribution of sum of squares:** $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\dim(E_i)), \forall i \in \{1, \dots, p\}$.
independance: $\forall 1 \leq i, j \leq p, \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \perp \|\Pi_{E_j} X\|^2$.

Cochran Theorem

Random vector $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$, $\{E_i\}_{i=1}^p$ orthogonal vector subspaces with $\bigoplus_{i=1}^p E_i = \mathbb{R}^n$, $\Pi_{E_i} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ orthogonal projection on E_i .

1 $\Pi_{E_i} X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i})$ and $\Pi_{E_i} X \perp \Pi_{E_j} X \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.

2 $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\dim(E_i))$ and $\|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \perp \|\Pi_{E_j} X\|^2, \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.

Proof -1

Orthonormal basis of \mathbb{R}^n : $\{\overbrace{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{n_1}}^{\text{basis of } E_1}, \overbrace{e_{n_1+1}, \dots, e_{n_1+n_2}}^{\text{basis of } E_2}, \dots, \overbrace{\dots, e_{n-1}, e_n}^{\text{basis of } E_p}\}$.

$\Rightarrow \langle e_i, e_j \rangle = \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}} \quad \forall 1 \leq i, j \leq n$. Let's define $M = \begin{pmatrix} e_1^T \\ \vdots \\ e_n^T \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} (e_1)_1 & \dots & (e_1)_n \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ (e_n)_1 & \dots & (e_n)_n \end{pmatrix}$.

- MX is a gaussian vector as a linear transformation of the gaussian vector X (cf. Def. 4.2 of [GS20]).
- $\mathbb{E}[MX] = M\mathbb{E}[X] = 0$.
- $\text{Var}(MX) = M\text{Var}(X)M^T = \sigma^2 MM^T = \sigma^2 I_n$.

Cochran Theorem

Random vector $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$, $\{E_i\}_{i=1}^p$ orthogonal vector subspaces with $\bigoplus_{i=1}^p E_i = \mathbb{R}^n$, $\Pi_{E_i} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ orthogonal projection on E_i .

1 $\Pi_{E_i} X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i})$ and $\Pi_{E_i} X \perp \Pi_{E_j} X \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.

2 $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\dim(E_i))$ and $\|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \perp \|\Pi_{E_j} X\|^2, \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.

Proof -2

- MX gaussian, $\bullet \mathbb{E}[MX] = 0$, $\bullet \text{Var}(MX) = \sigma^2 I_n \xrightarrow{\text{Def.}} MX = \begin{pmatrix} \langle e_1, X \rangle \\ \vdots \\ \langle e_n, X \rangle \end{pmatrix} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$.

- MX gaussian, $\bullet \text{Var}(MX)$ diagonal $\xrightarrow{\text{Prop.4.2 [GS20]}} (MX)_i = \langle e_i, X \rangle \perp (MX)_j, \forall i \neq j$.

- $\Pi_{E_i} X = \sum_{k|e_k \in E_i} \langle e_k, X \rangle e_k$, $\bullet \{k | e_k \in E_i\} \cap \{k | e_k \in E_j\} = \emptyset \implies$

$\Pi_{E_i} X \perp \Pi_{E_j} X$

Cochran Theorem

Random vector $X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$, $\{E_i\}_{i=1}^p$ orthogonal vector subspaces with $\bigoplus_{i=1}^p E_i = \mathbb{R}^n$, $\Pi_{E_i} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ orthogonal projection on E_i .

- 1 $\Pi_{E_i} X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i})$ and $\Pi_{E_i} X \perp \Pi_{E_j} X \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.
- 2 $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\dim(E_i))$ and $\|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \perp \|\Pi_{E_j} X\|^2, \quad \forall (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, p\}^2$.

Proof –3

Independence results are shown. Now,

- $\Pi_{E_i} X$ is also a **gaussian vector**, with **mean** $\mathbb{E}[\Pi_{E_i} X] = \Pi_{E_i} \mathbb{E}[X] = 0$, and **variance** $\text{Var}(\Pi_{E_i} X) = \Pi_{E_i} \text{Var}(X) \Pi_{E_i}^T = \sigma^2 I_n \Pi_{E_i} \Pi_{E_i}^T = \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i}$ (indeed Π_{E_i} is symmetric & idempotent) $\implies \Pi_{E_i} X \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_{E_i})$.
- $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left\langle \sum_{k|e_k \in E_i} \langle e_k, X \rangle e_k, \sum_{k|e_k \in E_i} \langle e_k, X \rangle e_k \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum_{k|e_k \in E_i} (\langle e_k, X \rangle)^2$
 $= \sum_{k|e_k \in E_i} \left(\frac{\langle e_k, X \rangle}{\sigma} \right)^2$. Since $\frac{\langle e_k, X \rangle}{\sigma} \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$, $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{E_i} X\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\#\{k|e_k \in E_i\})$. \square

General Linear Model

Back to the estimation problem: $Y = \mu + \varepsilon$,
with mean $\mu \in V$, vector subspace $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$, $\dim(V) = d$, noise $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$ and $\sigma^2 > 0$.

Distribution of the MLE of (μ, σ^2)

Let $(\widehat{\mu}_n, \widehat{\sigma}_n^2)$ be the MLE of (μ, σ^2) , i.e. $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y$ and $\sigma_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2$.

- $\widehat{\mu}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$,
- $\widehat{\mu}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2 \Pi_V)$,
- $\frac{n\widehat{\sigma}_n^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n - d)$.

Proof – 1

Consider V^\perp the orthogonal complement of V : $V \perp V^\perp$ and $V \oplus V^\perp = \mathbb{R}^n$.

- $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y = \Pi_V(Y - \mu) + \Pi_V \mu = \Pi_V(Y - \mu) + \mu$ (because $\mu \in V$),
- $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|\Pi_{V^\perp} Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|\Pi_{V^\perp}(Y - \mu) + \Pi_{V^\perp} \mu\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|\Pi_{V^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2$.

We now apply the Cochran Theorem on $Y - \mu = \varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$ with $V = E_1$ & $V^\perp = E_2$.

General Linear Model

Back to the estimation problem: $Y = \mu + \varepsilon$,
with mean $\mu \in V$, vector subspace $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$, $\dim(V) = d$, noise $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$ and $\sigma^2 > 0$.

Distribution of the MLE of (μ, σ^2)

Let $(\widehat{\mu}_n, \widehat{\sigma}_n^2)$ be the MLE of (μ, σ^2) , i.e. $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y$ and $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2$.

$$\blacksquare \widehat{\mu}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2, \quad \blacksquare \widehat{\mu}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2 \Pi_V), \quad \blacksquare \frac{n\widehat{\sigma}_n^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-d).$$

Proof – 2

Results of the Cochran theorem:

- $\Pi_V(Y - \mu) \perp\!\!\!\perp \Pi_{V^\perp}(Y - \mu)$. Since $\begin{cases} \widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V(Y - \mu) + \mu \\ \widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|\Pi_{V^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2 \end{cases}$, we get $\widehat{\mu}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$.
- $\Pi_V(Y - \mu) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \Pi_V) \implies \widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V(Y - \mu) + \mu \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2 \Pi_V)$.
- $\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \|\Pi_{V^\perp} Y\|^2 \sim \chi^2(\dim(V^\perp)) \implies \frac{n\widehat{\sigma}_n^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-d)$.



General Linear Model

Now, consider the estimation problem: $Y = \mathbb{X}\theta + \varepsilon$,
with injective matrix $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$, $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$, $V = \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$, noise $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$ and $\sigma^2 > 0$.

Distribution of the MLE of (θ, σ^2)

Let $(\widehat{\theta}_n, \widehat{\sigma}_n^2)$ be the MLE of (θ, σ^2) , i.e. $\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$ and $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2$.

- $\widehat{\theta}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$,
- $\widehat{\theta}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\theta, \sigma^2 (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1})$, and still ■ $\frac{n\widehat{\sigma}_n^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-d)$.

Proof

- $\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X}) \widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \widehat{\mu}_n$. As a measurable function of $\widehat{\mu}_n$, $\widehat{\theta}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$.
- $\widehat{\theta}_n \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$, gaussian vector, as a linear transformation of the gauss. vector Y .
 $\mathbb{E}[\widehat{\theta}_n] = \mathbb{E}[(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y] = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{E}[Y] = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} \theta = \theta$.
 $\text{Var}(\widehat{\theta}_n) = \text{Var}((\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y) = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \text{Var}(Y) [(\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T]^T$
 $= (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \sigma^2 I_n \mathbb{X} (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} = \sigma^2 (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X} (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} = \sigma^2 (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1}$. □

Summary: MLE distributions

General Linear Model (GLM)

Random variables $Y_i \in \mathbb{R}$ with **means** μ_i and **noise vector** $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$.

Injective matrix $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ with **image** $V \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$, and **parameters** $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

$$\mathbf{Y} = \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \mathbb{X} \boldsymbol{\theta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

MLEs and distributions

- MLE of the **mean** $\widehat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y = \mathbb{X} \widehat{\theta}_n$, with distribution $\widehat{\mu}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2 \Pi_V)$.
- MLE of the **parameters** $\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$, with distr. $\widehat{\theta}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\theta, \sigma^2 (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1})$.
- MLE of the **variance** $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - (\Pi_V Y)_i)^2$,
with distribution $\frac{n \widehat{\sigma}_n^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n - d)$.
- **independences** $\widehat{\mu}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$ and $\widehat{\theta}_n \perp\!\!\!\perp \widehat{\sigma}_n^2$.

Under the GLM hypotheses, we know from now the distributions of the maximum likelihood estimators $\widehat{\mu}_n \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $\widehat{\theta}_n \in \mathbb{R}^d$, and $\widehat{\sigma}_n^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$.

Next question

Could these distributions help us to test hypotheses on the model's parameters/means ?

Likelihood Ratio Test

Matrix $\mathbb{X}^{n \times d}$ is injective, so $V = \text{Im}(\mathbb{X}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is d -dimensional.

Let $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ be a p -dimensional vector subspace of the parameter space \mathbb{R}^d . Let us define the p -dimensional vector subspace $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, image of Θ using the linear transf. \mathbb{X} . The likelihood-ratio test of

$$H_0 : \mu \in W \quad \text{against} \quad H_1 : \mu \notin W$$

$$\Updownarrow$$

$$H_0 : \theta \in \Theta_0 \quad \text{against} \quad H_1 : \theta \notin \Theta_0$$

with significance level (or risk) $\alpha \in]0, 1[$, rejects H_0 when

$$\frac{(n-d) \|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p) \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1-\alpha),$$

where $F_{\mathcal{F}(k_1, k_2)}^{-1}(1-\alpha)$ is the quantile of order $1-\alpha$ of the Fisher distribution $\mathcal{F}(k_1, k_2)$.

Likelihood Ratio Test: F-test

Vector subspaces ■ $V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\dim(V) = d$, ■ $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, $\dim(\Theta_0) = p$,
and ■ $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, $\dim(W) = p$.

The likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ ($\theta \in \Theta_0$) against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$ ($\theta \notin \Theta_0$)
with significance level $\alpha > 0$, rejects H_0 when $\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$.

Proof – 1

The Likelihood-ratio test rejects H_0 when the likelihood ratio $\rho = \frac{\sup_{H_1} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}{\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}$ is too high.

$$\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \sup_{(\mu, \sigma^2) \in W \times \mathbb{R}_+^*} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \mathcal{L}\left(\Pi_W Y, \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2, Y\right) \text{ using MLEs in}$$

slide 31 with W . So, since the likelihood is $\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \left(\frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|Y - \mu\|^2\right)$,

$$\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \left(\frac{1}{\frac{2\pi}{n} \|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\frac{2}{n} \|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}\right) = \frac{\left(\frac{n}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^n} e^{-\frac{n}{2}}.$$

Likelihood Ratio Test: F-test

Vector subspaces ■ $V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\dim(V) = d$, ■ $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, $\dim(\Theta_0) = p$,
and ■ $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, $\dim(W) = p$.

The likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ ($\theta \in \Theta_0$) against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$ ($\theta \notin \Theta_0$)
with significance level $\alpha > 0$, rejects H_0 when $\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$.

Proof – 2

■ Likelihood ratio $\rho = \frac{\sup_{H_1} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}{\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}$ with $\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \frac{\left(\frac{n}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} e^{-\frac{n}{2}}}{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^n}$.

■ Now consider the numerator $\sup_{H_1} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \sup_{(\mu, \sigma^2) \in (V \setminus W) \times \mathbb{R}_+^*} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)$.

Let $\{\overbrace{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_p}^{\text{basis of } W}, e_{p+1}, \dots, e_d\}$ be an orthonormal basis of V . As Π_V is an orthogonal projection and as $\langle Y, e_d \rangle = \langle Y - \mu, e_d \rangle + \langle \mu, e_d \rangle \sim \mathcal{N}(\langle \mu, e_d \rangle, \sigma^2)$ (see slide 40),
 $\mathbb{P}(\Pi_V Y \in W) = \mathbb{P}(\forall i > p, \langle \Pi_V Y, e_i \rangle = 0) = \mathbb{P}(\forall i > p, \langle Y, \Pi_V e_i \rangle = 0)$
 $= \mathbb{P}(\forall i > p, \langle Y, e_i \rangle = 0) \leq \mathbb{P}(\langle Y, e_d \rangle = 0) = 0 \implies \Pi_V Y \notin W$ almost surely (a.s.).

Likelihood Ratio Test: F-test

Vector subspaces ■ $V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\dim(V) = d$, ■ $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, $\dim(\Theta_0) = p$,
and ■ $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, $\dim(W) = p$.

The likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ ($\theta \in \Theta_0$) against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$ ($\theta \notin \Theta_0$)
with significance level $\alpha > 0$, rejects H_0 when $\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$.

Proof – 3

- Likelihood ratio $\rho = \frac{\sup_{H_1} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}{\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)}$ with $\sup_{H_0} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \frac{\left(\frac{n}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^n} e^{-\frac{n}{2}}$.
- Since $\Pi_V Y \notin W$ a.s., and since $\Pi_V Y$ maximizes $\mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y)$ for $\mu \in V$ (see slide 32),
we have $\sup_{H_1} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \sup_{(\mu, \sigma^2) \in (V \setminus W) \times \mathbb{R}_+^*} \mathcal{L}(\mu, \sigma^2, Y) = \mathcal{L}\left(\Pi_V Y, \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2, Y\right)$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{n}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}}}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^n} e^{-\frac{n}{2}} \implies \rho = \frac{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^n}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^n} = \left(\frac{\|Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} = \left(\frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y + \Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}}.$$

Likelihood Ratio Test: F-test

Vector subspaces ■ $V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\dim(V) = d$, ■ $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, $\dim(\Theta_0) = p$,
and ■ $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, $\dim(W) = p$.

The likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ ($\theta \in \Theta_0$) against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$ ($\theta \notin \Theta_0$)
with significance level $\alpha > 0$, rejects H_0 when $\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$.

Proof – 4

Likelihood ratio $\rho = \left(\frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y + \Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}}$ with $Y - \Pi_V Y \in V^\perp$ & $\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y \in V$.

Using Pythagore theorem, $\rho = \left(\frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 + \|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}} = \left(1 + \frac{\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}}$.

Now, under $H_0 : \mu \in W$, $\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2 = \|\Pi_V(Y - \mu) - \Pi_W(Y - \mu) + \Pi_V \mu - \Pi_W \mu\|^2$
 $= \|\Pi_V(Y - \mu) - \Pi_W(Y - \mu) + \mu - \mu\|^2 = \|\Pi_{V \cap W^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2$.

Note that $(V \cap W^\perp) \perp V^\perp$. Cochran theorem $\Rightarrow \bullet \frac{\|\Pi_{V \cap W^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(d - p)$.

$\bullet \frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}{\sigma^2} = \frac{\|\Pi_{V^\perp} Y\|^2}{\sigma^2} = \frac{\|\Pi_{V^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2}{\sigma^2} \perp\!\!\!\perp \frac{\|\Pi_{V \cap W^\perp}(Y - \mu)\|^2}{\sigma^2} \bullet \frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n - d)$.

Likelihood Ratio Test: F-test

Vector subspaces ■ $V = \mathbb{X}(\mathbb{R}^d)$, $\dim(V) = d$, ■ $\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$, $\dim(\Theta_0) = p$,
and ■ $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$, $\dim(W) = p$.

The likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ ($\theta \in \Theta_0$) against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$ ($\theta \notin \Theta_0$)
with significance level $\alpha > 0$, rejects H_0 when $\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$.

Proof – 5

LR $\rho = \left(1 + \frac{\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} = g\left(\frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}\right)$ with g increasing fct. Under H_0 ,
 $\frac{\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(d-p)$, $\frac{\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-d)$ and $\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 \perp \|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2$.

Definition of Fisher distribution (slide 37) $\Rightarrow S \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \frac{(n-d)\|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p)\|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} \sim \mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)$.

For a test with significance α , we want t (or rather $g^{-1}(t)$) such that $\alpha = \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(\text{reject } H_0) = \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(\rho > t) = \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S > g^{-1}(t)) = 1 - \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S < g^{-1}(t)) = 1 - F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}(g^{-1}(t))$.

We can conclude $g^{-1}(t) = F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$. □

Summary: Linear Hypotheses Testing

General Linear Model (GLM)

Random variables $Y_i \in \mathbb{R}$ with **means** μ_i and **noise vector** $\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$.

Injective matrix $\mathbb{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ with **image** $V \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{Im}(\mathbb{X})$, and **parameters** $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

$$\mathbf{Y} = \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \mathbb{X} \boldsymbol{\theta} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Likelihood-ratio test or F-test

$\Theta_0 \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ p -dimensional vector subspace of \mathbb{R}^d , and $W = \mathbb{X}(\Theta_0) \subset V$.

The Likelihood-ratio test of $H_0 : \mu \in W$ against $H_1 : \mu \notin W$, $\Leftrightarrow H_0 : \theta \in \Theta_0$ vs $H_1 : \theta \notin \Theta_0$, with significance level $\alpha \in]0, 1[$, rejects H_0 when

$$S = \frac{(n-d) \|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p) \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} = \frac{(n-d) \|\Pi_V Y - \Pi_W Y\|^2}{(d-p) \widehat{\sigma_n^2}} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1}(1-\alpha),$$

where $F_{\mathcal{F}(k_1, k_2)}^{-1}(1-\alpha)$ is the quantile of order $1-\alpha$ of the Fisher distribution $\mathcal{F}(k_1, k_2)$.

- Y function of quantitative variables: Linear regression
- Y function of categorical variables: ANalysis Of VAriance (ANOVA)

Suppose that, $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, the i^{th} row of \mathbb{X} contains d values, $\{x_i^{(1)}, \dots, x_i^{(d)}\}$, that could explain linearly Y_i :

$$Y = \mathbb{X}\theta = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1^{(1)} & \dots & x_1^{(d)} \\ x_2^{(1)} & \dots & x_2^{(d)} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_n^{(1)} & \dots & x_n^{(d)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

- the MLE is the linear least square parameters $\widehat{\theta}_n = (\mathbb{X}^T \mathbb{X})^{-1} \mathbb{X}^T Y$.
- confidence interval: $\left\{ \theta_0 \in \mathbb{R}^d \mid H_0 : \theta = \theta_0 \text{ accepted} \right\}$

$$= \left\{ \theta_0 \in \mathbb{R}^d \mid \frac{(n-d) \|\Pi_V Y - \mathbb{X} \theta_0\|^2}{(d-p) \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} \leq F_{\mathcal{F}(d-p, n-d)}^{-1} (1 - \alpha) \right\}$$
- Test if values whose indices are in I are necessary for the regression: $H_0 : \theta \in \Theta_0$ with $\Theta_0 = \{\theta \mid \theta_i = 0 \forall i \in I\}$, i.e. the linear span of vectors $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \forall i \notin I$.

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ANalysis Of VAriance (ANOVA)

Model

$$Y_{ij} = m_i + \varepsilon_{ij}, \quad \forall i \leq d, \forall j \leq n_i \text{ with } \varepsilon_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2) \text{ i.i.d, } m_i \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^d n_i = n.$$

e.g. d conditions/treatments, for each condition i , n_i living beings under condition i (only!),
 Y_{ij} = measurement on the j^{th} living beings of the i^{th} condition group.

In the framework of GLM

$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} Y_{1,1} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{1,n_1} \\ Y_{2,1} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{2,n_2} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{d,n_d} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ \vdots \\ m_1 \\ m_2 \\ \vdots \\ m_2 \\ \vdots \\ m_d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_{1,1} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{1,n_1} \\ \varepsilon_{2,1} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{2,n_2} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{d,n_d} \end{pmatrix} = m_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + m_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \dots + m_d \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_{1,1} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{1,n_1} \\ \varepsilon_{2,1} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{2,n_2} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{d,n_d} \end{pmatrix}$$

In the framework of GLM

$$Y = \mu + \varepsilon = \mathbb{X}\theta = m_1 e_1 + m_2 e_2 + \dots + m_d e_d + \varepsilon$$

with $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, d\}$, $e_i \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $\forall j \in \{1, \dots, n_i\}$, $(e_i)_j = \mathbb{1}_{\{\mu_j = m_i\}}$.

$$\blacksquare \mathbb{X} = \begin{pmatrix} e_1 & e_2 & \dots & e_d \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \theta = \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ m_2 \\ \vdots \\ m_d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\blacksquare \mu \in V = \text{span}(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_d) \subset \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\blacksquare \varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

ANalysis Of VAriance (ANOVA)

In the framework of GLM

$$Y = \mu + \varepsilon = \mathbb{X}\theta + \varepsilon = \begin{pmatrix} e_1 & e_2 & \dots & e_d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ m_2 \\ \vdots \\ m_d \end{pmatrix} + \varepsilon$$

$$V = \text{span}(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_d) = \text{span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \dots, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

Note that vectors
 $\{e_i\}_{i=1}^d$
are orthogonal.

$V = \text{span}(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_d)$. We compute the MLEs using that vectors $\{e_i\}_{i=1}^d$ are orthogonal:

$$\blacksquare \hat{\mu}_n = \Pi_V Y = \sum_{i=1}^d \frac{\langle Y, e_i \rangle}{\|e_i\|^2} e_i = \sum_{i=1}^d \left(\frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} Y_{ij} \right) e_i = \sum_{i=1}^d Y_{i\cdot} e_i \text{ with } Y_{i\cdot} = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} Y_{ij}$$

$$\blacksquare \hat{\theta}_n: \text{ we have } \mathbb{X} \hat{\theta}_n = \hat{\mu}_n \text{ i.e. } \sum_{i=1}^d (\hat{\theta}_n)_i e_i = \sum_{i=1}^d Y_{i\cdot} e_i \Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_n = \begin{pmatrix} Y_{1\cdot} \\ Y_{2\cdot} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{d\cdot} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\blacksquare \hat{\sigma}_n^2 = \frac{1}{n} \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (Y_{ij} - (\Pi_V Y)_i)^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (Y_{ij} - Y_{i\cdot})^2$$

ANalysis Of VAriance (ANOVA)

Model

$$Y_{ij} = m_i + \varepsilon_{ij}, \quad \forall i \leq d, \forall j \leq n_i \text{ with } \varepsilon_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2) \text{ i.i.d, } m_i \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^d n_i = n.$$

e.g. d conditions/treatments, for each condition i , n_i living beings under condition i (only!),
 Y_{ij} = measurement on the j^{th} living beings of the i^{th} condition group.

Could we test if conditions have effects?

ANOVA:

Linear Hypothesis test:

$$H_0 : m_1 = m_2 = \dots = m_d \quad \text{against} \quad H_1 : \exists i \neq j \text{ s.t. } m_i \neq m_j$$

Likelihood-ratio test

We have simply $H_0 : \mu \in W = \text{span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \text{span}(\mathbb{1}_n)$ where $\mathbb{1}_n = \sum_{i=1}^d \mathbf{e}_i = \mathbb{1}_n$.

ANalysis Of VAriance (ANOVA)

Model

$$Y_{ij} = m_i + \varepsilon_{ij}, \quad \forall i \leq d, \forall j \leq n_i \text{ with } \varepsilon_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2) \text{ i.i.d, } m_i \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^d n_i = n.$$

ANOVA: test condition effect

Linear Hypothesis test: $H_0 : m_1 = m_2 = \dots = m_d$ against $H_1 : \exists i \neq j \text{ s.t. } m_i \neq m_j$

Likelihood-ratio test

- $W = \text{span}(\mathbb{1}_n)$ where $\mathbb{1}_n = \sum_{i=1}^d e_i$, $\dim(W) = 1$,

- $V = \text{span}(e_1, \dots, e_d)$, $\dim(V) = d$,

- $\Pi_V Y = \sum_{i=1}^d Y_{i.} e_i$,

- $\Pi_W Y = \frac{\langle \mathbb{1}_n, Y \rangle}{\|\mathbb{1}_n\|^2} \mathbb{1}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} Y_{ij} \mathbb{1}_n = Y_{..} \mathbb{1}_n.$

\Rightarrow The test with significance level α rejects H_0 when

$$S = \frac{(n-d) \|\Pi_W Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2}{(d-1) \|Y - \Pi_V Y\|^2} = \frac{(n-d) \sum_{i=1}^d n_i (Y_{i.} - Y_{..})^2}{(d-1) \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (Y_{ij} - Y_{i.})^2} > F_{\mathcal{F}(d-1, n-d)}^{-1}(1-\alpha).$$

ANOVA with scipy:

▶ `scipy.stats: f_oneway`

Back to the Student test

Result: If $X \sim t(d)$ then $X^2 \sim \mathcal{F}(1, d)$.

⇒ When $d = 2$, an ANOVA is a Student t-test.

▶ `scipy.stats: ttest_ind`

Extensions for repeated measures

If variables are not independent, because of repeated measures, with different conditions, on the same living being,

- $d = 2$: paired t-test.
▶ `scipy.stats: ttest_rel`
- $d > 2$: repeated-measure ANOVA.

Other extensions

- two-ways ANOVA, when two kind of conditions are considered.
- MANOVA when $Y_i \in \mathbb{R}^m, \forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$.

Note on the issue of multiple comparison

- In the ANOVA framework, to discriminate which conditions is statistically different from the others, we would need multiple Student t-tests.
- However, when performing multiple tests on the same dataset, the chance of observing a rare event increases, just like erroneously rejecting.
- To compensate for that increase, Bonferroni method consist in dividing the risk (α) by the number of tests.
- Other methods exist: Dunnett, Scheffé, Tukey, ...

Bonferroni correction

Let us suppose we are doing m tests, with hypotheses $\{H_0^i\}_{i=1}^m$, statistics $\{S_i\}_{i=1}^m$, risks $\{\alpha_i\}_{i=1}^m$ and region of rejection $\{\mathcal{R}_i\}_{i=1}^m$.

Suppose also that $\cap_{i=1}^m H_0^i = H_0 \neq \emptyset$. Then,

$$\mathbb{P}_{H_0}(\cup_{i=1}^m \{S_i \in \mathcal{R}_i\}) \leq \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{P}_{H_0}(S_i \in \mathcal{R}_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_i.$$

So if we want a global risk α and equal local risks α_i , we should use $\alpha_i = \frac{\alpha}{m}$.

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Non-parametric tests

A test is said non-parametric when no assumption is made on the distribution of the variables.

- Kruskal-Wallis test, non-parametric version of ANOVA
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: kruskal`
- Friedman test, non-parametric version of repeated-measure ANOVA
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: friedmanchisquare`
- Wilcoxon-Mann-Whitney, non-parametric version of t-test
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: mannwhitneyu`
- Wilcoxon test, non-parametric version of the paired t-test
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: wilcoxon`

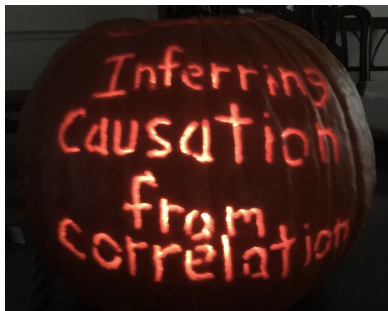
Permutation tests

H_0 : exchangeability of the conditions.

- compute the statistic s of the dataset from experimentation $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
 - compute the smallest rejection region that rejects H_0 with statistic s , denoted by \mathcal{R}_s .
 - generate $m \in \mathbb{N}$ datasets $\{y_k^0\}_{k=1}^m$ under H_0 .
 - compute the m statistics $\{s_k^0\}_{k=1}^m$.
 - the empirical p -value is $\frac{\#\{k \mid s_k^0 \in \mathcal{R}_s\}}{m}$.
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- if $\mathcal{R}(t) = \{s \in \mathbb{R} \mid s \leq t\}$, $\mathcal{R}_s = \mathcal{R}(s)$,
 - if $\mathcal{R}(t) = \{s \in \mathbb{R} \mid s \geq t\}$, $\mathcal{R}_s = \mathcal{R}(s)$,
 - if $\mathcal{R}(t) = \{s \in \mathbb{R} \mid |s| \geq t\}$, $\mathcal{R}_s = \mathcal{R}(|s|)$.

Correlation tests

- Pearson test: the null hypothesis is a null correlation.
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: pearsonr`
- Spearman test: non-parametric version of the Pearson test.
 - ▶ `scipy.stats: spearmanr`



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