

$\frac{Y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$ $\left(\frac{Y_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2 \sim \chi^2_1$ You try it

Random variables Y_1, Y_2, Y_3, Y_4 are iid $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ random variables and $\bar{Y} = \frac{1}{4}(Y_1 + Y_2 + Y_3 + Y_4)$.

- What is the distribution of $U = \frac{1}{\sigma^2}((Y_1 - \mu)^2 + (Y_2 - \mu)^2 + (Y_3 - \mu)^2 + (Y_4 - \mu)^2)$?
- What is the distribution of $V = \frac{1}{\sigma^2}((Y_1 - \bar{Y})^2 + (Y_2 - \bar{Y})^2 + (Y_3 - \bar{Y})^2 + (Y_4 - \bar{Y})^2)$?
- If Y_5 is another random variable from the same distribution, independent of the others, what is the distribution of $V + (Y_5 - \mu)^2/\sigma^2$?

$$(a) U = \frac{1}{\sigma^2}((Y_1 - \mu)^2 + (Y_2 - \mu)^2 + (Y_3 - \mu)^2 + (Y_4 - \mu)^2) \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left(\frac{Y_1 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left(\frac{Y_2 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left(\frac{Y_3 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \left(\frac{Y_4 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

$$= \left(\frac{Y_1 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{Y_2 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{Y_3 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{Y_4 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

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$$\boxed{U \sim \chi^2_4}$$

$$(b) V = \frac{(Y_1 - \bar{Y})^2}{\sigma^2} + \dots + \frac{(Y_4 - \bar{Y})^2}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\boxed{V \sim \chi^2_3}$$

$$(c) V + \left[\frac{(Y_5 - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} \right] \sim \boxed{\chi^2_4}$$