

STAT 346/446 Lecture 11

Most powerful tests and p -values

CB Sections 8.3.2 and 8.3.4, DS Sections 9.2 and 9.3

- 1 Most powerful tests
 - Neyman-Pearson Lemma (simple hypotheses)
 - Karlin-Rubin Theorem (composite hypotheses)
 - Most powerful unbiased tests
- 2 p -values

Note: We skip Section 8.3.3 for now

Power of a test

- We are looking for a good way to test for hypotheses $H_0 : \theta \in \Theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta \in \Theta_0^c$
→ Rejecting a true null hypothesis
- Want probability of Type I Error to be small
- For many methods (e.g. LRT) we can control the probability of Type I Error
 - A level α test has Type I Error probabilities at most α for all $\theta \in \Theta_0$
- Also want probability of Type II Error to be small (*high power*)
 - power of a test = 1 - prob. of Type II Error
i.e. the test
- In the class of *level α tests*, can we find the one with the smallest Type II Error probabilities?
 - I.e. the level α test with *maximum power* for all $\theta \in \Theta_0^c$?

Hypotheses: $H_0: \theta \in \Theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta \in \Theta_0^c$

Test procedure: Reject H_0 iff $\underline{x} \in R$
(decision rule)

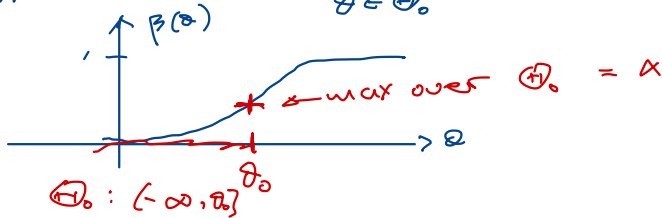
obs. sample \nearrow rejection region

Power function:

$$\beta(\theta) = P_{\theta}(\text{Reject } H_0) = P_{\theta}(\underline{X} \in R)$$

Want: $\beta(\theta)$ to be small for $\theta \in \Theta_0$
 $\beta(\theta)$ to be large for $\theta \in \Theta_0^c$

Size of a test: $\alpha = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} \beta(\theta)$



Most powerful test

Size α tests:



Two test procedures:

Test δ : Reject H_0 iff. $x \in R$

Test δ^* : Reject H_0 iff. $x \in R^*$

Power of a test - sample size calculations

- In applied stats courses we often talk about the power of a test at a particular θ value in Θ_0^c

Example

- Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$
- The level α z-test for $H_0 : \mu \leq \mu_0$ vs. $H_1 : \mu > \mu_0$ rejects H_0 if

$$Z_0 = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} > z_\alpha$$

- Can calculate the power for $\mu = \mu_0 + \delta$

$$\beta(\mu_0 + \delta) = P(Z_0 > z_\alpha | \mu = \mu_0 + \delta) = 1 - \Phi(z_\alpha - \delta\sqrt{n}/\sigma)$$

and can choose n to get desired power at a particular value of $\mu \in (\mu_0, \infty)$

Most powerful tests

Def: Uniformly most powerful

Let \mathcal{C} be a class of tests for testing $H_0 : \theta \in \Theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta \in \Theta_0^c$.

A test $\delta \in \mathcal{C}$ is a **uniformly most powerful (UMP) class \mathcal{C} test** if for any other $\delta^* \in \mathcal{C}$ we have

$$\beta_\delta(\theta) \geq \beta_{\delta^*}(\theta) \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta_0^c \text{ alternative}$$

- Focus on the class \mathcal{C} = all level α tests.
- UMP is a very strong requirement and does not exist in many realistic problems.

UMP overview

- **Neyman-Pearson Lemma** - strong result for a limited case

- Gives a level α UMP test for *simple hypotheses*

$$H_0 : \theta = \theta_0 \quad \text{versus} \quad H_1 : \theta = \theta_1$$

$\Theta_0 = \{\theta_0\}$
 $\Theta_0^c = \{\theta_1\}$
i.e.
 $\Theta = \{\theta_0, \theta_1\}$
- Gives both necessary and sufficient conditions
- Can be used to prove results for *composite hypotheses*

- **Karlin-Rubin Theorem** - strong result for another limited case

- Gives a level α UMP test for *one-sided hypotheses*

$$H_0 : \theta \leq \theta_0 \quad \text{versus} \quad H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$$

- Requires a *monotone likelihood ratio* family for the test statistic
- More practical than the Neyman-Pearson

Theorem: Neyman-Pearson Lemma

Consider hypotheses $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1$ and a test procedure with rejection region R where

1. for some $k \geq 0$ we have

$$R \cup R^c = \mathcal{X} = \text{sample space}$$

description
of R

$$\mathbf{x} \in R \text{ if } f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_1) > k \overbrace{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_0)}^{\text{likelihood}} \Rightarrow \text{Reject if}$$

$$\text{and } \mathbf{x} \in R^c \text{ if } f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_1) < k f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_0) \quad \frac{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_1)}{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_0)} > k$$

for some $k \geq 0$

2. and $\alpha = P_{\theta_0}(\mathbf{X} \in R) = \phi(\theta_0)$

Then

- (Sufficiency) Any test that satisfies 1 and 2 is a UMP level α test
- (Necessity) If there exists a test that satisfies 1 and 2 with $k > 0$ then
 - every UMP level α test is a size α test, and
 - every UMP level α satisfies 1 except perhaps on a set A where $P_{\theta_0}(\mathbf{X} \in A) = P_{\theta_1}(\mathbf{X} \in A) = 0$

Neyman-Pearson Lemma

- **Simple** hypothesis: Θ_0 (or Θ_0^c) contains exactly one point
- **Composite** hypothesis: Θ_0 (or Θ_0^c) contains more than one point
- To use the Neyman-Pearson Lemma we proceed as follows:
 - Find the joint distribution of X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n
 - Express the ratio $\frac{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_1)}{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_0)} > k$ in terms of a statistic
 - Choose k such that it is a level α test.

then by Neyman-Pearson we have a UMP level α test

- By factorization theorem $\frac{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_1)}{f(\mathbf{x}|\theta_0)}$ should be a function of a sufficient statistics.

Neyman-Pearson for sufficient statistic

Corollary

Consider hypotheses $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1$.

Suppose T is a sufficient statistic for θ with pdf or pmf $g(t|\theta_i)$ corresponding to θ_i , $i = 0, 1$.

Then any test based on T with rejection region S is a UMP level α test if it satisfies

1. for some $k \geq 0$ we have

$$t \in S \text{ if } g(t|\theta_1) > k g(t|\theta_0)$$

$$\text{and } t \in S^c \text{ if } g(t|\theta_1) < k g(t|\theta_0)$$

→ Reject if $\frac{g(t|\theta_1)}{g(t|\theta_0)} > k$

2. and $\alpha = P_{\theta_0}(T \in S)$

→ Can work with pdf of the test statistic instead of the joint pdf.

Notes on the NP lemma

Connection with the LRT

- Neyman-Pearson: Reject if

$$\frac{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_1)}{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_0)} > k \quad \text{for some } k \geq 0$$

↖ actually
a LRT, just
written differently

Note that θ_0 is in the denominator

- The LRT rejects if

$$\lambda(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\sup_{\theta \in \theta_0} L(\theta | \mathbf{x})}{\sup_{\theta \in \theta} L(\theta | \mathbf{x})} \leq c \text{ for some } c \in [0, 1]$$

if $\theta_0 = \{\theta_0\}$

$\theta_0^c = \{\theta_1\}$

$$= \frac{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_0)}{\max\{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_0), f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_1)\}} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_0) > f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_1) \\ \frac{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_0)}{f(\mathbf{x} | \theta_1)} & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

Here θ_0 is in the numerator

Notes on the NP lemma

Role of k

- Neyman-Pearson: Reject if

$$f(\mathbf{x} \mid \theta_1) > k f(\mathbf{x} \mid \theta_0) \quad \text{for some } k \geq 0$$

- Why not just pick the θ value that gives the larger likelihood?
 - That is, reject if $f(\mathbf{x} \mid \theta_1) > f(\mathbf{x} \mid \theta_0)$ ($k = 1$)
- Reason:
 - Want to control $\beta(\theta_0) = \text{probability of Type I error}$
 - α determines the k

Example

- Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\theta, 1)$
- Find the size α UMP for testing $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1$

Example

- Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $\text{Poisson}(\theta)$
- Find the size α UMP for testing $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1$

Monotone likelihood ratio families

- Plan: Use Neyman-Pearson Lemma to get results for composite hypotheses
- First: define monotone likelihood ratio

Def: MLR

A family of pdfs/pmfs $\{g(t|\theta) : \theta \in \Theta\}$ for a univariate random variable T and real-valued parameter θ has a **monotone likelihood ratio (MLR)** if for every $\theta_2 > \theta_1$ the ratio

as a function
of t

$$LR(t) = \frac{g(t|\theta_2)}{g(t|\theta_1)}$$

i.e. on the
support of
 g

is a monotone function of t on $\{t : g(t|\theta_1) > 0 \text{ or } g(t|\theta_2) > 0\}$

- Many common families of distributions have an MLR

Example

- Show that the normal family and the Poisson family have an MLR

Normal : Let $T \sim N(\theta, \sigma^2)$, σ^2 known, $\theta_2 > \theta_1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 LR(t) &= \frac{g(t|\theta_2)}{g(t|\theta_1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(t-\theta_2)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(t-\theta_1)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)} \\
 &= \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left(t^2 - 2t\theta_2 + \theta_2^2 - t^2 + 2t\theta_1 - \theta_1^2\right)\right) \\
 &= \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (\theta_2^2 - \theta_1^2)\right) \exp\left(\frac{t(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}{\sigma^2}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

no t in here

e^x is a monotone increasing function of x
 \Rightarrow as t increases, $\frac{t(\theta_2 - \theta_1)}{\sigma^2}$ increases and $LR(t)$ increases

Poisson : $T \sim \text{Poisson}(\theta)$, $\theta_2 > \theta_1$

$$LR(t) = \frac{g(t|\theta_2)}{g(t|\theta_1)} = \frac{e^{-\theta_2} \theta_2^t \frac{1}{t!}}{e^{-\theta_1} \theta_1^t \frac{1}{t!}}$$

$$= e^{\theta_1 - \theta_2} \left(\frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1} \right)^t$$

const. as
as a funct.
of t

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1} > 1$$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\theta_2}{\theta_1} \right)^t$ increases
as t increases.

$\Rightarrow LR(t)$ is a monotone increasing
function of t

\Rightarrow The Poisson family has a MLR.

Karlin-Rubin Theorem

Theorem: Karlin-Rubin

Consider testing $H_0 : \theta \leq \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$

Suppose T is a sufficient statistic for θ and the family of pdfs/pmfs of T has an MLR.

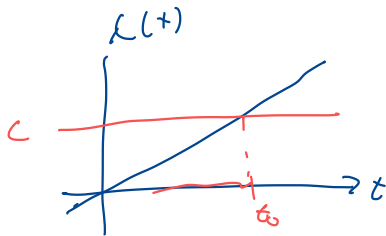
Then for any t_0 , the test that rejects H_0 if and only if $T > t_0$ is a UMP level α test, where $\alpha = P_{\theta_0}(T > t_0)$ *use this to find t_0*

Similarly:

- If testing $H_0 : \theta \geq \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta < \theta_0$
- then a test that rejects H_0 if and only if $T < t_0$ is a UMP level α test.

e.g. LRT: Recht

$$\lambda(t) = \frac{\lambda(\theta_0 | t)}{\lambda(\theta_1 | t)} \leq c$$



$$\lambda(t) \leq c$$

$$\Rightarrow t \leq t_0$$

Power function

Setup: $H_0: \theta \in \Theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta \in \Theta_0^c$

Reject H_0 if $T(X) \in R$

\hookrightarrow some test statistic
e.g. $\chi(t) \leq c$

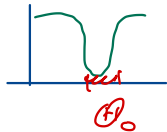
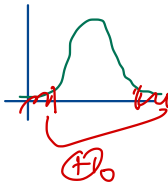
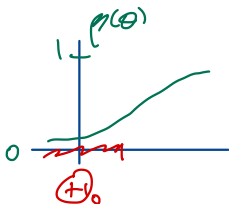
Power function:

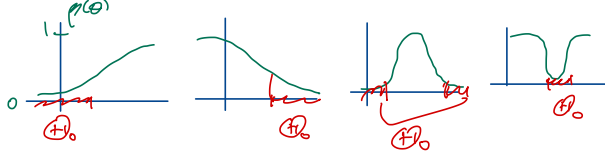
$$\beta(\theta) = P_\theta(\text{Reject } H_0) = P_\theta(T(X) \in R)$$

\rightarrow Need the distribution of T to evaluate $\beta(\theta)$

\rightarrow Function of θ e.g.

want $\beta(\theta)$ small
in Θ_0 and
large in Θ_0^c





size, level, most powerful, prob. of Type I & II errors are characteristics of $p(\theta)$ over either Θ_0 or Θ_0^c only

e.g. size: $\alpha = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} p(\theta)$

$p(\theta)$ = prob of type I error for $\theta \in \Theta_0$

$p(\theta) = 1 - \text{prob of type II error for } \theta \in \Theta_0^c$

Test is uniformly most powerful if

$$p(\theta) \geq p_*(\theta) \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta_0^c$$

for any other test *

Idea behind proof of Karlin-Rubin

- Take any $\theta' \in \Theta_0^c = (\theta_0, \infty)$
- Use Neyman-Pearson lemma to show that the test:

Reject H_0 iff $T > t_0$ for some t_0

is a UMP level α test for $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta = \theta'$

- Need the MLR property to show this
- Since this holds for any $\theta' \in \Theta_0^c$ (and because of MLR) it follows that this test is the UMP level α test for

$H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$

- Finally, it follows (MLR) that this test is the UMP level α test for

$H_0 : \theta \leq \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$

$$\frac{L(\theta, t)}{L(\theta_0, t)} + \text{MLR}$$

any $\theta' \in \Theta_0^c$

i.e. any θ in Θ_0^c

Example - Normal

MLR: property of the distribution of T

- Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\theta, \sigma^2)$, σ^2 known
- Find the size α UMP for testing $H_0 : \theta \leq \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$

Know: \bar{X} is a suff. statistic for μ .

$$\bar{X} \sim N(\theta, \sigma^2/n)$$

and the normal family has a MLR (showed last time)

\Rightarrow By Karlin-Rubin the UMP level α test rejects H_0 if $\bar{X} > t_0$ where

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= P_{\theta_0}(\bar{X} > t_0) = 1 - P\left(\frac{\bar{X} - \theta_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{t_0 - \theta_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) \\ &= 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{t_0 - \theta_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) \Rightarrow t_0 = \theta_0 + z_\alpha \sigma/\sqrt{n} \end{aligned}$$

$$t_0 = \theta_0 + z_\alpha \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

so the UMP level α test rejects H_0 if

$$\bar{X} > \theta_0 + z_\alpha \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

\Leftrightarrow

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \theta_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} > z_\alpha$$

i.e. the usual
Z-test.

Example - Poisson

- Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $\text{Poisson}(\theta)$
- Find the size α UMP for testing $H_0 : \theta \geq \theta_0$ vs. $H_1 : \theta < \theta_0$

① sufficient statistic: both \bar{X} and $T = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ are sufficient statistics for θ

② know: $T \sim \text{Poisson}(n\theta)$

③ and Poisson has a MLR \Rightarrow Conditions of Karlin-Rubin are met

\Rightarrow By Karlin-Rubin the UMP level α test rejects H_0 if $T < t_0$ where

$$\alpha = P_{\theta_0}(T < t_0) \\ = \sum_{k=0}^{t_0-1} \frac{e^{-n\theta_0} (n\theta_0)^k}{k!}$$

use trial and error for a given θ_0 and n to find t_0

T is always a whole number so only need to consider $t_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$

Example - Poisson, continued

For $\theta_0 = 2.3$ and $n=10$ Poisson cdf

`t0 <- 9:18`

`n <- 10; theta0 <- 2.3`

`kable(cbind(t0, alpha = ppois(t0, lambda = theta0*n)))`

$\alpha = 0.05$

$t_0^{-1} = 14 \quad \Leftarrow$

$\Rightarrow t_0 = 15$

t_0^{-1}	alpha
9	0.0008060
10	0.0019775
11	0.0044270
12	0.0091219
13	0.0174282
14	0.0310743
15	0.0519983
16	0.0820766
17	0.1227707
18	0.1747687

size: 0.031

size: 0.052

take t_0^{-1} that gives
the largest α value
less than 0.05

$$\alpha = P_{\theta_0}(T \leq t_0) \\ = \sum_{k=0}^{t_0^{-1}} \frac{e^{-n\theta_0} (n\theta_0)^k}{k!}$$

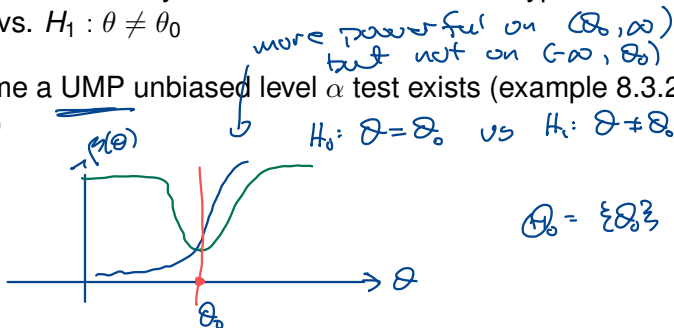
Shrinking the class of tests

Def: Unbiased tests

A test with power function $\beta(\theta)$ is **unbiased** if

$$\beta(\theta_0) \geq \beta(\theta_1) \quad \text{for all } \theta_0 \in \Theta_0, \theta_1 \in \Theta_0^c$$

- UMP level α tests usually don't exist for two-sided hypotheses $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ vs. $H_1: \theta \neq \theta_0$
- But sometime a UMP unbiased level α test exists (example 8.3.20 in the book)



p-value

have chosen
the level
of the test
↓

- Reporting conclusions from a hypothesis test:
 - One way: H_0 is rejected (or not rejected) with significance level α .
 - Another way: Report a p-value
- The "user" decides the level of the test.

Definition: p-value

- ① • A **p-value** $p(\mathbf{X})$ is a test statistic that satisfies i.e. a statistic

$$0 \leq p(\mathbf{x}) \leq 1 \quad \forall \mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{X}$$

- ② • A p-value is called a valid p-value if

$$P_{\theta}(p(\mathbf{X}) \leq \alpha) \leq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta_0, \forall \alpha \in [0, 1]$$

↑

$$P_{\theta}(p(\mathbf{X}) \leq \alpha) \leq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in \Theta_0, \forall \alpha \in [0, 1]$$

↑

Don't want to reject H_0 here i.e. H_0 is true
 \downarrow $\text{Prob}(\text{p-value} \leq \alpha) \leq \alpha$

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 $\theta_0$

$$\Theta_0 = (-\infty, \theta_0]$$

# Constructing a level $\alpha$ test

- If we have a valid  $p$ -value  $p(\mathbf{X})$ , we can use it to construct a level  $\alpha$  test:

Reject  $H_0$  iff  $p(\underline{X}) \leq \alpha$

This is a level  $\alpha$  test since

$$\sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} \beta(\theta) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P_{\theta}(\text{Reject } H_0)$$

$$= \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P_{\theta}(p(\underline{X}) \leq \alpha) \stackrel{*}{\leq} \alpha$$

$\Rightarrow$  Have a level  $\alpha$  test.

since  $p(\underline{X})$  is  
a valid  $p$ -value  
 $\leftarrow$  holds for  
all  $\theta \in \Theta_0$   
so also for  
the maximizer

# Finding a valid $p$ -value

## Theorem 8.3.27

Let  $W(\mathbf{X})$  be a test statistic such that large values of  $W$  give evidence that  $H_1$  is true. For each sample point  $\mathbf{x}$  set

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P_{\theta}(W(\mathbf{X}) \geq W(\mathbf{x}))$$

Then  $p(\mathbf{X})$  is a valid  $p$ -value

- "Large values of  $W$  give evidence that  $H_1$  is true"  $\Rightarrow$  Reject  $H_0$  for large values of  $W(\mathbf{X})$   
 $\Rightarrow$  Reject  $H_0$  if  $W(\mathbf{x}) > c$  for some  $c$   
 $(c \text{ depends on } \alpha \text{ level})$

Reject if  $W(\underline{x}) > c$

$$p(\underline{x}) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P_{\theta}(W(\mathbf{X}) \geq W(\underline{x}))$$

$W(\underline{x})$  = observed test  
statistic  
lower case  $\underline{x}$

$W(\underline{x})$  is a random variable

upper case  $\mathbf{X}$

maximum prob. that we observe something  
over all  $\theta \in \Theta_0$  more extreme (" $\geq$ ")  
( $H_0$  is true) than our sample  $\underline{x}$ .

i.e. P-value: Prob. that we can get something  
more extreme than we actually  
got, given that  $H_0$  is true.

Here, this means  $\sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0}$



$$P(\underline{x}) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P_{\theta} (W(\underline{x}) \geq w)$$

Let's define  $w = W(\underline{x})$

$$P(w) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P(W(\underline{x}) \geq w)$$

low case  
↓

← function  
of  $w = W(\underline{x})$   
i.e. function  
of data.

$$\Rightarrow P(W) = \sup_{\theta \in \Theta_0} P(W(\underline{x}) \geq w)$$

↑ upper case

is a random variable

# Example

$$H_0: (-\infty, \mu_0] \times (0, \infty) \quad \begin{matrix} \swarrow \mu \leq \mu_0 \\ \searrow \sigma^2 \text{ any thing} \end{matrix}$$

- $X_1, \dots, X_n$  iid  $N(\theta, \sigma^2)$ . Find valid  $p$ -values for the two-sided and one-sided  $t$ -test.

Two-sided:  $H_0: \mu \leq \mu_0$  vs  $\mu > \mu_0$   
 LRT: Reject for large values of  $T = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}} = W(X)$

Recall:  $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{S/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$  if  $\mu$  is the true mean

A valid  $p$ -value:

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) &= \sup_{(\mu, \sigma^2) \in \Theta_0} P(W(\underline{X}) \geq W(x)) \\ &= \sup_{\Theta_0} P\left(\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}} \geq W(x)\right) \end{aligned}$$

A valid p-value:

$$p(x) = \sup_{(\mu, \sigma^2) \in \Theta_0} P(W(X) \geq W(x))$$

$$= \sup_{\Theta_0} P\left(\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}} \geq W(x)\right)$$

$$= \sup_{\mu \in (-\infty, \mu_0]} P\left(\underbrace{\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{S/\sqrt{n}}}_{\sim t_{n-1}} \geq W(x) - \underbrace{\frac{\mu - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}}}_{\text{positive}}\right)$$

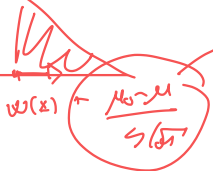
$\mu - \mu_0$   
negative

positive

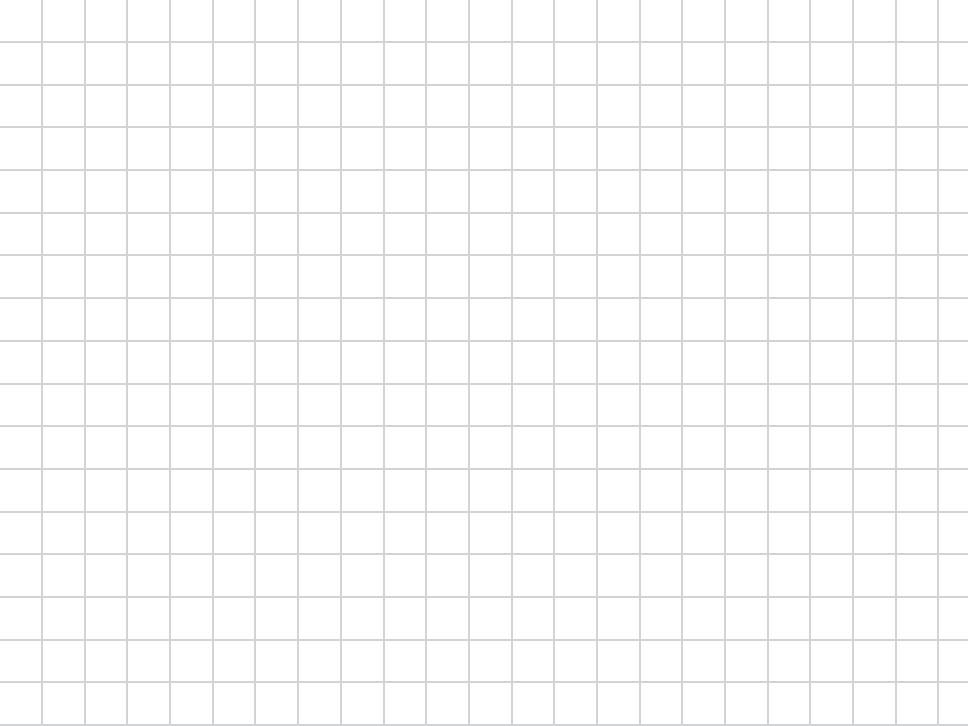
$$= P(T_{n-1} \geq W(x)) \quad (\mu = \mu_0) \quad \text{setting}$$

$$= P\left(T_{n-1} \geq \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$t_{n-1}$



largest  
at  $\mu = \mu_0$



Two-sided: Reject if

$$W(\underline{x}) = \left| \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}} \right| > c$$

A valid p-value:

$$p(x) = \sup_{\substack{(\mu, \sigma^2) \\ \in \Theta_0}} P(W(\underline{x}) \geq W(\underline{x}))$$

Test  
one  
point

$$\rightarrow \{\mu_0\} \times (0, \infty)$$

$$= P_{\mu_0} \left( W(\underline{x}) \geq \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}} \right)$$

$\downarrow$   
 $\sim t_{n-1}$