

Question #4

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- Let X be a vector st. $|X| = m$
- Let Y be a vector st. $|Y| = n$
- Then let $Z = X \cup Y$
- Then $|Z| = m+n$

Now let $W_{test} = \sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \cdot I\{z_i \in X\}$

Thus, $E[W_{test}]$ gives...

$$\begin{aligned} E[W_x] &= E\left[\sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \cdot I\{z_i \in X\}\right] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \cdot E[I\{z_i \in X\}] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \cdot P(z_i \in X) \end{aligned}$$

• Then since $Z = X \cup Y$, $P(z_i \in X) = \frac{|X|}{|X|+|Y|} = \frac{m}{m+n}$

Continuing...

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \cdot \left(\frac{m}{m+n}\right) \\ &= \left(\frac{m}{m+n}\right) \sum_{i=1}^{|Z|} \text{rank}(z_i) \quad \text{let } N = m+n \text{ for ease of writing} \\ &= \frac{m}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \text{rank}(z_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left(\frac{m}{N}\right) (1+2+3+\dots+N-1+N) \\ &= \left(\frac{m}{N}\right) \frac{2(1+2+\dots+N)}{2} = \left(\frac{m}{N}\right) \frac{(1+2+\dots+N-1+N) + (N+N-1+\dots+2+1)}{2} \\ &= \frac{m}{N} \frac{(N+1) + (N+1) + \dots + (N+1)}{2} = \frac{m}{N} \frac{N(N+1)}{2} \end{aligned}$$

• summing component wise makes each component $N+1$
• there are N components total

$$= \frac{m}{N} \frac{N(N+1)}{2} \quad \therefore E[W_x] = \frac{m(N+1)}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

• Now to consider $\text{Var}[W_x]$, which is just a sum of the variances corresponding to the ranks of Z which are found in X , plus their co-variances.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ie, } \text{Var}(W_x) &= \sum_{i=1}^N \text{Var}(\text{rank}(z_i)) + \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \text{Cov}(\text{rank}(z_i), \text{rank}(z_j)) \\ &= m \left[\frac{N^2-1}{12} \right] + m(m-1) \left[\frac{1-N}{12} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{12} m [N^2-1 + (m-1)(1-N)] \\ &= \frac{1}{12} m [(N^2-1) - (m-1)(1+N)] \\ &= \frac{1}{12} m [(N+1)(N-1) - (m-1)(N+1)] \\ &= \frac{(N+1)m}{12} [N-1-m+1] \\ &= \frac{(N+1)m}{12} [N-m] \end{aligned}$$

• Then since $N = m+n$, $N-m = n$

$$\therefore \text{Var}[W_x] = \frac{mn(N+1)}{12} \quad \checkmark$$