

1 Basic Properties

- 1.  $E(X) = \sum xp(x)$
- 2.  $Var(X) = \sum (x - \mu)^2 f(x)$
- 3. X is around  $E(X)$ , give or take  $SD(X)$
- 4.  $E(aX + bY) = aE(X) + bE(Y)$
- 5.  $Var(aX + bY) = a^2Var(X) + b^2Var(Y)$
- 6.  $Var(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$
- 7.  $Cov(X_1, X_2) = E(X_1X_2) - E(X_1)E(X_2)$
- 8. if  $X, Y$  are independent:
  - (a)  $M_{X+Y}(t) = M_X(t)M_Y(t)$
  - (b)  $E(XY) = E(X)E(Y)$ , converse is true if  $X$  and  $Y$  are bivariate normal, extends to multivariate normal

2 Approximations

2.1 Law of Large Numbers

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be IID, with expectation  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ .  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \mu$ . Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be realisations of the random variable  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ , then  $\bar{x}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_n \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \mu$

2.2 Central Limit Theorem

Let  $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  where  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  IID.  $\frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sqrt{n}\sigma} \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$

3 Distributions

3.1 Poisson( $\lambda$ )

$Pr(X = k) = \frac{\lambda^k e^{-\lambda}}{k!}, k = 0, 1, \dots$   
 $E(X) = Var(X) = \lambda$

3.2 Normal  $X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right), -\infty < x < \infty$   
1. When  $\mu = 0$ ,  $f(x)$  is an even function, and  $E(X^k) = 0$  where  $k$  is odd  
2.  $Y = \frac{X - E(X)}{SD(X)}$  is the standard normal

3.3 Gamma  $\Gamma$

$g(t) = \frac{\lambda^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} t^{\alpha-1} e^{-\lambda t}, t \geq 0$   
 $\mu_1 = \frac{\alpha}{\lambda}, \mu_2 = \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)}{\lambda^2}$

3.4  $\chi^2$  Distribution

Let  $\mathcal{Z} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1), \mathcal{U} = \mathcal{Z}^2$  has a  $\chi^2$  distribution with 1 d.f.  
 $f_{\mathcal{U}}(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} u^{-\frac{1}{2}} e^{-\frac{u}{2}}, u \geq 0$   
 $\chi^2_1 \sim \Gamma(\alpha = \frac{1}{2}, \lambda = \frac{1}{2})$

Let  $U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n$  be  $\chi^2_1$  IID, then  $V = \sum_{i=1}^n U_i$  is  $\chi^2_n$  with n degree freedom,  $V \sim \Gamma(\alpha = \frac{n}{2}, \lambda = \frac{1}{2})$   
 $E(\chi^2_n) = n, Var(\chi^2_n) = 2n$   
 $M(t) = (1 - 2t)^{-\frac{n}{2}}$

3.5 t-distribution

Let  $\mathcal{Z} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1), \mathcal{U}_n \sim \chi^2_n$  be independent,  $t_n = \frac{\mathcal{Z}}{\sqrt{\mathcal{U}_n/n}}$  has a t-distribution with n d.f.  
 $f(t) = \frac{\Gamma((n+1)/2)}{\sqrt{n\pi}\Gamma(n/2)} \left(1 + \frac{t^2}{n}\right)^{-\frac{n+1}{2}}$   
1. t is symmetric about 0  
2.  $t_n \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \mathcal{Z}$

3.6 F-distribution

Let  $U \sim \chi^2_m, V \sim \chi^2_n$  be independent,  $W = \frac{U/m}{V/n}$  has an F distribution with (m,n) d.f.  
If  $X \sim t_n, X^2 = \frac{\mathcal{Z}/1}{\mathcal{U}_n/n}$  is an F distribution with (1,n) d.f, with  $w \geq 0$ :  
 $f(w) = \frac{\Gamma((n+1)/2)}{\Gamma(m/2)\Gamma(n/2)} \frac{m}{n} \frac{m}{2} w^{\frac{m}{2}-1} \left(1 + \frac{m}{n} w\right)^{-\frac{m+n}{2}}$   
For  $n > 2, E(W) = \frac{n}{n-2}$

4 Sampling

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be IID  $\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$ .  
sample mean,  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$   
sample variance,  $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$

4.1 Properties of  $\bar{X}$  and  $S^2$

- 1.  $\bar{X}$  and  $S^2$  are independent
- 2.  $\bar{X} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$
- 3.  $\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{n-1}$
- 4.  $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{S/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$

4.2 Simple Random Sampling (SRS)

Assume  $n$  random draws are made without replacement. (Not SRS, will be corrected for later).

4.2.1 Summary of Lemmas

- $P(X_i = \xi_j) = \frac{n_j}{N}$ : Lemma A
- For  $i \neq j, Cov(X_i, X_j) = -\frac{\sigma^2}{N-1}$ : Lemma B

4.2.2 Estimation Problem

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be random draws with replacement. Then  $\bar{X}$  is an estimator of  $\mu$ . and the observed value of  $\bar{X}, \bar{x}$  is an estimate of  $\mu$ .

4.2.3 Standard Error (SE)

SE of an  $\bar{X}$  is defined to be  $SD(\bar{X})$ .

param	est	SE	Est. SE
$\mu$	$\bar{X}$	$\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$	$\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$
$p$	$\hat{p}$	$\sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n-1}}$

4.2.4 Without Replacement

SE is multiplied by  $\frac{N-n}{N-1}$ , because  $s^2$  is biased for  $\sigma^2$ :  $E(\frac{N-1}{N}s^2) = \sigma^2$ , but N is normally large.

4.2.5 Confidence Interval

An approximate  $1 - \alpha$  CI for  $\mu$  is  $(\bar{x} - z_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}, \bar{x} + z_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}})$

4.3 Biased Measurements

Let  $X = \mu + \epsilon$ , where  $E(\epsilon) = 0, Var(\epsilon) = \sigma^2$   
Suppose X is used to measure an unknown constant a,  $a \neq \mu$ .  $X = a + (\mu - a) + \epsilon$ , where  $\mu - a$  is the bias.

Mean square error (MSE) is  $E((X - a)^2) = \sigma^2 + (\mu - a)^2$   
with n IID measurements,  $\bar{x} = \mu + \bar{\epsilon}$   
 $E((x - a)^2) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} + (\mu - a)^2$   
MSE = SE<sup>2</sup> + bias<sup>2</sup>, hence  $\sqrt{\text{MSE}}$  is a good measure of the accuracy of the estimate  $\bar{x}$  of a.

4.4 Estimation of a Ratio

Consider a population of  $N$  members, and two characteristics are recorded:  $(X_1, Y_1), (X_2, Y_2), \dots, (X_n, Y_n), r = \frac{\mu_y}{\mu_x}$ .

An obvious estimator of r is  $R = \frac{\bar{Y}}{\bar{X}}$   
 $Cov(\bar{X}, \bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_{xy}}{n}$ , where  $\sigma_{xy} := \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \mu_x)(x_i - \mu_y)$  is the population covariance.

4.4.1 Properties

$Var(R) \approx \frac{1}{\mu_x^2} \left(r^2 \sigma_X^2 + \sigma_Y^2 - 2r\sigma_{XY}\right)$   
Population coefficient  $\rho = \frac{\sigma_{xy}}{\sigma_x \sigma_y}$   
 $E(R) \approx r + \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{N-n}{N-1}\right) \frac{1}{\mu_x^2} (r\sigma_x^2 - \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y)$   
 $s_{xy} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})$

4.4.2 Ratio Estimates

$\bar{Y}_R = \frac{\mu_y}{\bar{X}} \bar{Y} = \mu_{xR}$   
 $Var(\bar{Y}_R) \approx \frac{1}{n} \frac{N-n}{N-1} (r^2 \sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 - 2r\rho\sigma_x\sigma_y)$   
 $E(\bar{Y}_R) - \mu_y \approx \frac{1}{n} \frac{N-n}{N-1} \frac{1}{\mu_x} (r\sigma_x^2 - \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y)$   
The bias is of order  $\frac{1}{n}$ , small compared to its standard error.  
 $\bar{Y}_R$  is better than  $\bar{Y}$ , having smaller variance, when  $\rho > \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{C_y}{C_x}\right)$ , where  $C_i = \sigma_i/\mu_i$   
Variance of  $\bar{Y}_R$  can be estimated by  $s_{\bar{Y}_R}^2 = \frac{1}{n} \frac{N-n}{N-1} (R^2 s_x^2 + s_y^2 - 2R s_{xy})$   
An approximate  $1 - \alpha$  C.I. for  $\mu_y$  is  $\bar{Y}_R \pm z_{\alpha/2} s_{\bar{Y}_R}$

5 Method of Moments

To estimate  $\theta$ , express it as a function of moments  $g(\hat{\mu}_1, \hat{\mu}_2, \dots)$

5.1 Monte Carlo

Monte Carlo is used to generate many realisations of random variable.  
 $\bar{X} \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \alpha/\lambda, \sigma^2 \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \alpha/\lambda^2$ , MOM estimators are consistent (asymptotically unbiased).

Poisson( $\lambda$ ): bias = 0,  $SE \approx \sqrt{\frac{x}{n}}$   
 $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ :  $\mu = \mu_1, \sigma^2 = \mu_2 - \mu_1^2$   
 $\Gamma(\lambda, \alpha)$ :  $\hat{\lambda} = \frac{\hat{\mu}_1}{\hat{\mu}_2 - \hat{\mu}_1^2} = \frac{\bar{X}}{\bar{\sigma}^2}, \hat{\alpha} = \frac{\hat{\mu}_1^2}{\hat{\mu}_2 - \hat{\mu}_1^2} = \frac{\bar{X}^2}{\bar{\sigma}^2}$

6 Maximum Likelihood Estimator (MLE)

6.1 Poisson Case

$L(\lambda) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{\lambda^{x_i} e^{-\lambda}}{x_i!} = \frac{\lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i e^{-n\lambda}}{\prod_{i=1}^n x_i!}$   
 $l(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \log \lambda - n\lambda - \sum_{i=1}^n \log x_i!$   
ML estimate of  $\lambda_0$  is  $\bar{x}$ . ML estimator is  $\hat{\lambda}_0 = \bar{X}$

6.2 Normal case

$l(\mu, \sigma) = -n \log \sigma - \frac{n \log 2\pi}{2} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}$   
 $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \mu} = \frac{\sum (X_i - \mu)}{\sigma^2} \implies \hat{\mu} = \bar{x}$   
 $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \sigma} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^3} - \frac{n}{\sigma}$   
 $\implies \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$

6.3 Gamma case

$l(\theta) = n\alpha \log \lambda + (\alpha - 1) \sum_{i=1}^n \log X_i - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - n \log \Gamma(\alpha)$   
 $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \alpha} = n \log \alpha + \sum_{i=1}^n \log X_i - \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \frac{n}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \Gamma'(\alpha)$

$$\frac{\partial l}{\partial \lambda} = \frac{n\alpha}{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{\hat{\alpha}}{\bar{x}}$$

### 6.4 Multinomial Case

$f(x_1,...,x_r) = \binom{n}{x_1,x_2,...,x_r} \prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{X_i}$   
where  $X_i$  is the number of times the value occurs, and not the number of trials. and  $x_1,x_2,...x_r$  are non-negative integers summing to  $n$ .  $\forall i$ :

$$E(X_i) = np_i, Var(X_i) = np_i(1 - p_i)$$

$$Cov(X_i, X_j) = -np_i p_j, \forall i \neq j$$

$$l(p) = + \sum_{i=1}^{r-1} x_i \log p_i + x_r \log(1 - p_1 - \dots - p_{r-1})$$

$$\frac{\partial l}{\partial p_i} = \frac{x_i}{p_i} - \frac{x_r}{p_r} = 0 \text{ assuming MLE exists}$$

$$\frac{x_i}{\hat{p}_i} = \frac{x_r}{\hat{p}_r} \implies \hat{p}_i = \frac{x_i}{c}, c = \frac{x_r}{\hat{p}_r}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^r \hat{p}_i = \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{x_i}{c} = 1$$

$$\implies c = \sum_{i=1}^r x_i = n \implies \hat{p}_i = \frac{\bar{x}_i}{n}$$

same as MOM estimator.

### 6.5 CIs in MLE

$\frac{\hat{X}-\mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$   
Given the realisations  $\bar{x}$  and  $s$ ,  $\bar{x} \pm t_{n-1,\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$ ,  $\bar{x} + t_{n-1,\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$  is the exact  $1 - \alpha$  CI for  $\mu$ .  
 $\frac{n\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-1}$ ,  $\frac{n\hat{\sigma}^2}{\chi_{n-1,\alpha/2}^2}$ ,  $\frac{n\hat{\sigma}^2}{\chi_{n-1,1-\alpha/2}^2}$  is the exact  $1 - \alpha$  CI for  $\sigma$ .

## 7 Fisher Information

$$I(\theta) = -E\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta^2} \log f(x|\theta)\right)$$

Distribution	MLE	Variance
Po( $\lambda$ )	$X$	$\lambda$
Be( $p$ )	$X$	$p(1-p)$
Bin( $n,p$ )	$\frac{X}{n}$	$\frac{p(1-p)}{n}$
HWE tri	$\frac{X_2+2X_3}{n}$	$\frac{\theta(1-\theta)}{n}$

General trinomial:  $\left(\frac{X_1}{n}, \frac{X_2}{n}\right)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} p_1(1-p_1) & -p_1p_2 \\ -p_1p_2 & p_2(1-p_2) \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{n}$$

In all the above cases,  $\text{var}(\hat{\theta}) = I(\theta)^{-1}$ .

## 8 Asymptotic Normality of MLE

As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\sqrt{nI(\theta)}(\hat{\theta} - \theta) \rightarrow N(0, 1)$  in distribution, and hence  $\hat{\theta} \sim N\left(\theta, \frac{I(\theta)^{-1}}{n}\right)$

As  $\hat{\theta} \xrightarrow[n]{\infty} \theta$ , MLE is consistent.

SE of an estimate of  $\theta$  is the SD of the estimator  $\hat{\theta}$ , hence  $SE = SD(\hat{\theta}) = \sqrt{\frac{I(\theta)^{-1}}{n}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{I(\hat{\theta})^{-1}}{n}}$   
 $1 - \alpha$  CI  $\approx \hat{\theta} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{I(\theta)^{-1}}{n}}$

## 9 Efficiency

Cramer-Rao Inequality: if  $\theta$  is unbiased, then  $\forall \theta \in \Theta$ ,  $\text{var}(\hat{\theta}) \geq I(\hat{\theta})^{-1}/n$ , if = then  $\hat{\theta}$  is efficient.  
 $eff(\hat{\theta}) = \frac{I(\hat{\theta})^{-1}/n}{\text{var}(\hat{\theta})} < 1$

## 10 Sufficiency

### 10.1 Characterisation

Let  $S_t = x : T(x) = t$ . The sample space of  $X$ ,  $S$  is the disjoint union of  $S_t$  across all possible values of  $T$ .

$T$  is sufficient for  $\theta$  if  $\exists q()$  s.t.  $\forall x \in S_t, f_{\theta}(X|T=t) = q(x)$ .

### 10.2 Factorisation Theorem

$T$  is sufficient for  $\theta$  iff  $\exists g(t, \theta), h(x)$  s.t.  $\forall \theta \in \Theta, f_{\theta}(x) = g(T(x), \theta)h(x) \forall x$

### 10.3 Rao-Blackwell Theorem

Let  $\hat{\theta}$  be an estimator of  $\theta$  with finite variance,  $T$  be sufficient for  $\theta$ . Let  $\hat{\theta} = E[\hat{\theta}|T]$ . Then for every  $\theta \in \Theta$ ,  $E\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta\right)^2 \leq E\left(\hat{\theta} - \theta\right)^2$ . Equality holds iff  $\hat{\theta}$  is a function of  $T$ .

### 10.4 Random Conditional Expectation

- $E(X) = E(E(X|T))$
- $\text{var}(X) = \text{var}(E(X|T)) + E(\text{var}(X|T))$
- $\text{var}(Y|X) = E(Y^2|X) - E(Y|X)^2$
- $E(Y) = Y, \text{var}(Y) = 0$  iff  $Y$  is a constant

## 11 Hypothesis Testing

Let  $X_1...X_n$  be IID with density  $f(x|\theta)$ . null  $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0, H - 1 : \theta = \theta_1$ . Critical region is  $R_n$ . size =  $P_0(X \in R)$  and power =  $P_1(X \in R)$ .

$\Lambda(x) = \frac{f_0(x_1)...\textcolor{brown}{f}_0(x_n)}{f_1(x_1)...\textcolor{brown}{f}_1(x_n)}$ . Critical region  $x : \Lambda(x) < c_{\alpha}$ , and among all tests with this size, it has the maximum power (Neyman-Pearson Lemma).

A hypothesis is simple if it completely specifies the distribution of the data.

$H_1 : \mu > \mu_0$ : Critical region  $\{\bar{x} > \mu_0 + z_{\alpha} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\}$ , the power is a function of  $\mu$ , and this is uniformly the most powerful test for size  $\leq \alpha$ .

$H_1 : \mu \neq \mu_0$ : Critical region  $\{|\bar{x} - \mu_0| > c\}, c = z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$ , but not uniformly most powerful.

The  $(1 - \alpha)$  CI for  $\mu$  consists of precisely the values  $\mu_0$  for which  $H_0 : \mu = \mu_0$  is not rejected against  $H_1 : \mu \neq \mu_0$ . Exact for normal with known variance, approx. in others.

### 11.1 p-value

the probability under  $H_0$  that the test statistic is more extreme than the realisation. (A, B):  $p = p_0(\bar{X} > \bar{x}) = P(Z > \frac{\bar{x}-\mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}})$ . (C):  $p = P_0(|\bar{X} - \mu_0| > |\bar{x} - \mu_0|)$ . The smaller the p-value, the more suspicious one should be about  $H_0$ . If size is smaller than p-value, do not reject  $H_0$ .

## 12 Generalized Likelihood Ratio

$\Lambda^* = \frac{\max_{\theta \in \omega_0} L(\theta)}{\max_{\theta \in \Omega} L(\theta)}, \Omega = \omega_0 \cup \omega_1$ . The closer  $\Lambda$  is to 0, the stronger the evidence for  $H_1$ .

### 12.1 Large-sample null distribution of $\Lambda$

Under  $H_0$ , when n is large,  $-2 \log \Lambda = \chi_k^2$ , where  $k = \text{dim}(\Omega) - \text{dim}(\omega_0)$ .

Normal (C):  $p = P\left(\chi_1^2 > \frac{(\bar{x}-\mu_0)^2}{\sigma^2/n}\right)$

Multinomial:  $\Lambda = \prod_{i=1}^r \left(\frac{E_i}{\bar{X}_i}\right)^{X_i}$  where  $E_i = np_i(\hat{\theta})$  is the expected frequency of the ith event under  $H_0$ .  $-2 \log \Lambda \approx \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{(X_i - E_i)^2}{E_i}$ , which is the Pearson chi-square statistic, written as  $X^2$ .

### 12.2 Poisson Dispersion Test

For  $i = 1...n$  let  $X_i \sim \textcolor{brown}{Poisson}(\lambda_i)$  are independent.

$$w_0 = \{\tilde{\lambda} | \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = \dots = \lambda_n\}$$

$$w_1 = \{\tilde{\lambda} | \lambda_i \neq \lambda_j \text{ for some } i, j\}$$

$-2 \log \Lambda \approx \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{\bar{X}}$ . For large n, the null distribution of  $-2 \log \Lambda$  is approximately  $\chi_{n-1}^2$

## 13 Comparing 2 samples

### 13.1 Normal Theory: Same Variance

$X_1, ..., X_n$  be i.i.d  $N(\mu_X, \sigma^2)$  and  $Y_1, ..., Y_m$  be i.i.d  $N(\mu_Y, \sigma^2)$ , independent.  $H_0 : \mu_X - \mu_Y = d$

### 13.1.1 Known Variance

$Z := \frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}-(\mu_X-\mu_Y)}{\sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}}$  and reject  $H_0$  when  $|Z| > z_{\alpha/2}$

### 13.1.2 Unknown Variance

$s_p^2 = \frac{(n-1)s_X^2 + (m-1)s_Y^2}{m+n-2}$  where  $\$s_X^2 = 1 \frac{1}{n-1 \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{x})^2}$ .  $s_p^2$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\sigma^2$ .  $s_X$  within factor of 2 from  $s_Y$ .  
 $t := \frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}-(\mu_X-\mu_Y)}{s_p \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}}$  follows a t distribution with  $m + n - 2$  d.f.

If two-sided: reject  $H_0$  when  $|t| > t_{n+m-2,\alpha/2}$ . If one-sided, e.g  $H_1 : \mu_X > \mu_Y$ , reject  $H_0$  when  $t > t_{n+m-2,\alpha}$ .

### 13.1.3 CI

$\frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}}{\pm z_{\alpha/2}} \cdot \sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}$  if  $\sigma$  is known, or  $\frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}}{\pm t_{m+n-2,\alpha/2}} \cdot s_p \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}$  if  $\sigma$  is unknown.

### 13.1.4 Unequal Variance

$Z := \frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}-(\mu_X-\mu_Y)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_X^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_Y^2}{m}}}$   
 $t := \frac{\bar{X}-\bar{Y}-(\mu_X-\mu_Y)}{\sqrt{\frac{s_X^2}{n} + \frac{s_Y^2}{m}}}$ , with  $df = \frac{(a+b)^2}{\frac{a^2}{n-1} + \frac{b^2}{m-1}}$  where  $a = \frac{s_X^2}{n}$  and  $b = \frac{s_Y^2}{m}$

### 13.2 Mann-Whitney Test

We take the smaller sample of size  $n_1$ , and sum the ranks in that sample.  $R' = n_1(m + n + 1) - R$ , and  $R^* = \min(R', R)$ , we reject  $H_0 : F = G$  if  $R^*$  is too small.

Test works for all distributions, and is robust to outliers.

### 13.3 Paired Samples

$(X_i, Y_i)$  are paired and related to the same individual.  $(X_i, Y_i)$  is independent from  $(X_j, Y_j)$ . Compute  $D_i = Y_i - X_i$ , To test  $H_0 : \mu_D = d$ ,  $t = \frac{\bar{D}-\mu_D}{s_D/\sqrt{n}}$ .  
 $1 - \alpha$  CI:  $\bar{D} \pm t_{n-1,\alpha/2} s_D / \sqrt{n}$

### 13.4 Ranked Test

$W_+$  is the sum of ranks among all positive  $D_i$  and  $W_i$  is the sum of ranks among all negative  $D_i$ . We want to reject  $H_0$  if  $W = \min(W_+, W_-)$  is too large.