

Homework #1  
 Q1: Spz that  $X_1, X_2$  are iid r.v.s and their pdfs are  $f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{-x}, & x > 0 \\ 0, & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$

Q2: What distribution family do  $X_1, X_2$  follow?

Ans: Exponential since  $f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$  for  $x > 0$ , follows when  $\lambda = 1 \Rightarrow f(x) = e^{-x}, x > 0$   
 Know that by independence  $f(X_1, X_2) = f(X_1)f(X_2) = e^{-X_1}e^{-X_2} = e^{-(X_1+X_2)}$

b) Find expectation & variance of  $y = X_1 - X_2$   
 Ans: Want to find  $E(y) = E(X_1 - X_2)$ . Know that  $E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx \Rightarrow E(X_1) = \int_0^{\infty} x_1 e^{-x_1} dx_1$

By kernel method we know that  $\Gamma(a) = \int_0^{\infty} t^{a-1} e^{-t} dt$ , and  $\Gamma(a) = (a-1)!$

$\Rightarrow E(X_1) = \int_0^{\infty} x_1 e^{-x_1} dx_1 = \int_0^{\infty} x_1^{2-1} e^{-x_1} dx_1 = \frac{\Gamma(2)}{(1)^2} = \frac{(2-1)!}{1!} = 1$ , same for  $X_2$ .

$\therefore E(X_1 - X_2) = E(X_1) - E(X_2) = 1 - 1 = 0$ ,  $E(X_1^2) = \int_0^{\infty} x_1^2 e^{-x_1} dx_1 = \int_0^{\infty} x_1^{3-1} e^{-x_1} dx_1 = \frac{\Gamma(3)}{2!} = \frac{(3-1)!}{2!} = 2$

$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(X_1) = E(X_1^2) - E(X_1)^2 = 2 - 1 = 1$ , same for  $X_2$ .

$\Rightarrow \text{Var}(y) = \text{Var}(X_1 - X_2) = \text{Var}(X_1) + \text{Var}(X_2) - 2\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2)$

and  $\text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) = E(X_1 X_2) - E(X_1)E(X_2)$  but  $E(X_1 X_2) = E(X_1)E(X_2)$  by independence  
 $\Rightarrow \text{Cov}(X_1, X_2) = 0$  and  $\text{Var}(y) = \text{Var}(X_1) + \text{Var}(X_2) = 1 + 1 = 2$

$E(y) = E(X_1 - X_2) = E(X_1) - E(X_2) = 1 - 1 = 0$

Q2: Spz  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  are r.v.s and independently distributed from Bernoulli with parameter  $p=0.5$

a) Find  $E(2X_1 + X_3 - 4)$  Ans:  $2E(X_1) + E(X_3) - 4 = 2(\frac{1}{2}) + \frac{1}{2} - 4 = -\frac{5}{2}$

b)  $E[(X_1 - 2X_2 + X_3)^2] = E[X_1^2 + 4X_2^2 + X_3^2 - 4X_1X_2 + 2X_1X_3 - 4X_2X_3]$

Ans:  $(a+b+c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 2ab + 2ac + 2bc = E(X_1^2) + 4E(X_2^2) + E(X_3^2) - 4E(X_1X_2) - 4E(X_1X_3) - 4E(X_2X_3)$   
 $\Rightarrow 3 + 4(\frac{1}{2}) + 2(\frac{1}{2}) - 4(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{3}{2}$

Q3: Spz.  $X_i$  is distributed from a Norm.  $N(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$  with  $\mu_1=2, \sigma_1^2=1$ . Define  $y = 2X_1 - 1$

Ans: We know  $E(y) = 4E(X_1) + 6$ ,  $\text{Var}(y) = a^2 \text{Var}(X_1) \Rightarrow E(y) = 2E(X_1) - 1 = 2(2) - 1 = 3$

and  $\text{Var}(y) = 2^2 \text{Var}(X_1) = 4(1)$

b) Find prob:  $P(1 < y < 3) = P(1 < 2X_1 - 1 < 3) = P(1 < X_1 < 2) \Rightarrow \text{normcdf}(1, 2, \mu=2, \sigma^2=1)$

Q4: Show that if  $X_{11}, \dots, X_{1n_1}$  and  $X_{21}, \dots, X_{2n_2}$  are independent random variables with first  $n_1$  constituting a random sample from infinite population with mean  $\mu_1$  and variance  $\sigma_1^2$ , same for second random sample

a)  $E(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = \mu_1 - \mu_2$  Ans:  $E(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = E(\bar{X}_1) - E(\bar{X}_2)$ ,

and know  $\bar{X}_1 = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i}, \bar{X}_2 = \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} X_{2i}$ , for arbitrary r.v.  $y$  with pdf,  $f(y)$

We know  $E(y) = \bar{X}_1 f(\bar{X}_1) \Rightarrow E(\bar{X}_1) = E(\bar{X}_1 f(\bar{X}_1)) = \mu_1$

$\therefore E(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = E(\bar{X}_1) - E(\bar{X}_2) \quad E(\bar{X}_2) = E\left(\frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} X_{2i}\right) = \mu_2$

b)  $\text{Var}(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}$  Ans:  $\text{Var}(\bar{X}_1) = \sigma_1^2, \text{Var}(\bar{X}_2) = \sigma_2^2$  independent

Then  $\text{Cov}(\bar{X}_1, \bar{X}_2) = 0, \text{Var}(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = \text{Var}(\bar{X}_1) + \text{Var}(\bar{X}_2) - 2\text{Cov}(\bar{X}_1, \bar{X}_2) = 0$

The variance of the sample mean is  $= \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2$

$\text{Var}(\bar{X}_1) = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} \forall i \in \{1, 2\} \Rightarrow \text{Var}(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}$

Q5: If first  $n_1$  r.v.s from Q4 have Bernoulli dist with param  $\theta_1$ , and the other  $n_2$  have  $\theta_2$ , show that for the sample proportions  $\hat{\theta}_1 = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i}, \hat{\theta}_2 = \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} X_{2i}$

a)  $E(\hat{\theta}_1 - \hat{\theta}_2) = \theta_1 - \theta_2$  Ans: We know that  $X_{1i}, X_{2i} \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\theta_i)$  respectively

$\Rightarrow E(X_{1i}) = \theta_1, \text{Var}(X_{1i}) = \theta_1(1-\theta_1) \because \text{Bernoulli, same for } X_{2i}$

$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_1 = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i} \forall i \in \{1, 2\} \Rightarrow E(\hat{\theta}_1 - \hat{\theta}_2) = E\left(\frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i} - \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} X_{2i}\right) = \frac{1}{n_1} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i}\right) - \frac{1}{n_2} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_2} X_{2i}\right)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1} \theta_1 - \frac{1}{n_2} \theta_2 = \theta_1 - \theta_2$

b)  $\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}_1 - \hat{\theta}_2) = \frac{\theta_1(1-\theta_1)}{n_1} + \frac{\theta_2(1-\theta_2)}{n_2}$  Ans:  $\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}_1) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i}\right) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} Z_{1i}\right)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_1} X_{1i}\right) = \frac{1}{n_1^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_1} Z_{1i}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1^2} n_1 \text{Var}(X_{1i}) = \frac{1}{n_1^2} n_1 \text{Var}(Z_{1i})$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1} \text{Var}(X_{1i}) = \frac{1}{n_1} \text{Var}(Z_{1i}) \Rightarrow \frac{\theta_1(1-\theta_1)}{n_1}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1} \text{Var}(X_{1i}) = \frac{\theta_1(1-\theta_1)}{n_1} + \frac{\theta_2(1-\theta_2)}{n_2}$

Homework #2:  
 Q1: ... Spz we model the concentration of ketic acid in chunks as independent normal r.v.s w/ mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$  (high  $n, \sigma^2$  known). Interested in how much concentrations differ from  $\mu$ . Let  $X_1, \dots, X_K$  be concentrations of  $K$  chunks and  $Z = \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}$

Then  $y = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^K (X_i - \mu)^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{K} \sum_{i=1}^K Z_i^2$  is one measure of how much the conc. differ from  $\mu$ .

a) num. def of  $w = \frac{K \bar{Y}^2}{\sigma^2}$  Ans:  $w = \frac{K}{\sigma^2} \left( \frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^K (X_i - \mu)^2 \right) = \frac{K}{\sigma^2} \left( \frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^K Z_i^2 \right) = \frac{K}{\sigma^2} \bar{Z}^2$

W is the sum of  $K$  independent chunks. It follows that  $w \sim \chi^2_K$

b) Spz  $K=10, \sigma^2=0.09$  find  $C: P(Y \leq C) = 0.99$

Ans:  $P(Y \leq C) = 0.99 \Rightarrow P(w \leq \frac{C}{\sigma^2}) = 0.99 \Rightarrow \text{find 99th percentile of } \chi^2_{10}$

Ques:  $\chi^2_{10} \text{df} = 10 \Rightarrow \text{P}(Z \leq \frac{23.20925}{0.09}) = 23.20925 \Rightarrow C = 0.208881$

Q2: In Q1, now Spz  $K=20$  chunks,  $X_1, \dots, X_{20}$  Let  $\bar{X}_{20} = \frac{1}{20} \sum_{i=1}^{20} X_i$ . Find  $C: P(\bar{X}_{20} \leq \mu + \epsilon)$  = 0.95

Ans:  $P(Z \leq \mu + \epsilon) = 0.95 \Rightarrow P(Z \leq \frac{23.20925}{0.09}) = 0.95 \Rightarrow \text{find critical value } z = 1.96$

$1.64485 = \text{invNorm}(\text{area}=0.95, 0, 1, \text{LEFT}) = 1.64485 = \sqrt{20} \Rightarrow C \approx 0.3678$

$$\text{Q3: Verify: } \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + n(\bar{X} - \mu)^2$$

$$\text{LHS: } \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu + \bar{X} - \bar{X})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(\bar{X} - \mu)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (\bar{X} - \mu)^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(\bar{X} - \mu)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + n(\bar{X} - \mu)^2 + 2(\bar{X} - \mu) \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + n(\bar{X} - \mu)^2$$

Q4: A random sample of  $n=100$  is taken from infinite pop w/ mean  $\mu = 75$  and  $\sigma^2 = 256$

a) Based on LLN w/ what prob. can we assert the value we obtain for  $\bar{X}$  will fall between 67 and 83?  $\mu = 75$  lower bound =  $75 - 67 = 8$  upper bound =  $83 - 75 = 8$

we know that  $\text{P}(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{\sqrt{256}}{\sqrt{100}} = \frac{16}{10} = 1.6$

By LLN:  $P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \leq \epsilon) \geq 1 - \frac{\sigma^2}{n\epsilon^2} \text{ (LLN)} \Rightarrow P(|\bar{X} - 75| \leq 8) \geq 1 - \frac{256}{100(8)^2}$

$\Rightarrow P(67 \leq \bar{X} \leq 83) \geq 1 - \frac{256}{6400} = 0.975$

By Chebychev's  $R = \frac{83 - 75}{1.6} = \frac{83 - 75}{1.6} = 5 \quad P(67 \leq \bar{X} \leq 83) \geq 0.96$

By Chebychev's  $\Rightarrow P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \geq k\sigma) \leq \frac{1}{k^2} \Rightarrow P(|\bar{X} - 75| \geq 8) \leq 1 - 0.96$

b) By CLT what prob. can we assert that the value we obtain for  $\bar{X}$  will fall between 67 and 83?

Ans:  $P(67 \leq \bar{X} \leq 83) = P\left(\frac{67 - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{83 - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) = P\left(\frac{67 - 75}{1.6} \leq \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{1.6} \leq \frac{83 - 75}{1.6}\right)$

$\Rightarrow P(-5 \leq Z \leq 5) = 0.999994 \approx 1$

Q5: A random sample of  $n=225$  is taken from a uniform population with  $\alpha=24, \beta=48$

Based on CLT what the prob. that the mean of the sample will be less than 35?

$X \sim \text{Unif}[\alpha, \beta], E(X) = \frac{\alpha+\beta}{2}, \text{Var}(X) = \frac{(\beta-\alpha)^2}{12} \Rightarrow \text{apply CLT}$

Ans:  $P(\bar{X} < 35) : \mu = E(X) = \frac{24+48}{2} = 36, \sigma = \text{Var}(X) = \frac{(\beta-\alpha)^2}{12} = \frac{24^2}{12} = 48$

and  $\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma^2} = \sqrt{48} = 6.9282$  and  $\text{P}(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{6.9282}{\sqrt{225}} = 0.46168$

Apply CLT:  $P\left(Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{35 - 36}{0.46168}\right) = P(Z \leq -0.2162) = 0.40518384 \quad P(|\bar{X} - \mu| < 10) \leq$

Notes & Theorems: One by Chebychev's: r.v.  $X$  will take on a value  $R > 0$  std.dev. away from  $\mu$

c) Take on value between 0.95?  $P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \leq R\sigma) \geq 1 - \frac{1}{R^2} \geq 0.95$

Thm 1:  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  form  $n$  Bernoulli trials with  $p, X = X_1 + \dots + X_n$

$\Rightarrow X \sim \text{Binomial}(n, p)$

Thm 2:  $X_1, X_2$  independent  $\sim \text{Binomial}$  with  $n_1, n_2$  and  $p$

$\Rightarrow X_1 + X_2 \sim \text{Binom}(n=n_1+n_2, p)$

Thm 3:  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  constitute a random sample w/o pop.

$\Rightarrow E(\bar{X}) = \mu, \text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$

IID:  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  iid  $\sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

1)  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  mutually independent  $f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i)$

2)  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are identically distributed from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$f(x_1) = f(x_2) = \dots = f(x_n) = N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

Function of R.V.'s  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, T(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{x}$

$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = T(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  are r.v.'s.

Thm:  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be a sample of r.v.  $X_i$ , let  $T = T(X_1, \dots, X_n)$  be a function of the sample. Then  $T$  is said to be a statistic (dist =  $\frac{\text{sum}}{\text{size}}$ )

Thm (CLT): If  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are iid samples from some distribution with  $\mu, \sigma^2 \Rightarrow$  limiting dist of  $\bar{Z} = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$  (standardized)

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  we express  $\bar{Z} = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1)$

• If large sample taken from any dist. with  $\mu, \sigma^2$

• Std.ized mean      • Sample mean      • Sum

$\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X} - \mu)}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1) \quad \bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}) \quad \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \sim N(n\mu, n\sigma^2)$

approximately      approximately      approximately



Finite population: joint pdf of finite population (size  $N$ )  
 is  $f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{N(N-1)\dots(N-n+1)}$ .

marginal dist of  $x_r$ :  $f(x_r) = \frac{1}{N}$  :  $x_r = c_1, \dots, c_N$   
 for  $\{c_1, \dots, c_N\}$   $\mu = \sum_{i=1}^N c_i / N$ ,  $\sigma^2 = \sum_{i=1}^N (c_i - \mu)^2 / N$

Joint marginal dist of any two r.v.'s from  $(x_1, \dots, x_n)(x_r, x_s)$   
 $g(x_r, x_s) = \frac{1}{N(N-1)} : (x_r, x_s) \in \{c_1, \dots, c_N\} \times x_r \neq x_s$   
 Covariance  $(x_r, x_s) = \text{Cov}(x_r, x_s) = \frac{-\sigma^2}{N-1}$

Thm:  $\bar{x}$  mean of random sample taken without replacement  
 from finite population size  $N$ , with  $\mu, \sigma^2$

$$\Rightarrow E(\bar{x}) = \mu, \text{Var}(\bar{x}) = \underbrace{\frac{\sigma^2}{n} \left( \frac{N-n}{N-1} \right)}_{\text{Correction factor} \leq 1}$$