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- 1.1.DF 3 Suppose, to the contrary, $\lim_{x\to-\infty} F(x) \neq 0$.
 - $\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0 : \lim_{x \to -\infty} F(x) = \epsilon$, since F is bounded below by 0 and nondecreasing.
 - \Rightarrow For any sequence $x_n : \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = -\infty$, $\lim_{n \to \infty} F(x_n) = \epsilon$.

Let x_n be such a sequence, with the additional restriction that it is strictly decreasing.

 $\Rightarrow \forall n, F(x_n) > \epsilon$, since F is nondecreasing.

Let $A_n = X \le x_n$ and $A = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$. Since x_n is strictly decreasing, $\forall n > m, A_n \subset A_m$.

- $\Rightarrow P[A_n] \downarrow P[A], \text{ since } A_n \downarrow A.$
- $\Rightarrow \exists a \in A$, since $P[A] \downarrow \epsilon$ and $P[\emptyset] = 0$.
- $\Rightarrow \forall n, a \leq x_n.$

This is a contradiction, since $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = -\infty$. Thus, we must conclude that $\lim_{x\to-\infty} F(x) = 0$

Suppose, to the contrary, $\lim_{x\to\infty} F(x) \neq 1$.

- $\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon < 1 : \lim_{x \to \infty} F(x) = \epsilon$, since F is bounded above by 1 and nondecreasing.
- \Rightarrow For any sequence $x_n : \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n = \infty$, $\lim_{n \to \infty} F(x_n) = \epsilon$.

Let x_n be such a sequence, with the additional restriction that it is strictly increasing.

 $\Rightarrow \forall n, F(x_n) < \epsilon$, since F is nondecreasing.

Let $A_n = X \leq x_n$ and $A = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$. Since x_n is strictly increasing, $\forall n > m, A_m \subset A_n$.

- $\Rightarrow P[A_n] \uparrow P[A]$, since $A_n \uparrow A$.
- $\Rightarrow P[A^c] > 0$, since $P[A] \uparrow \epsilon$ and $\epsilon < 1$.
- $\Rightarrow \exists a \in A^c$, since $P[\emptyset] = 0$.
- $\Rightarrow \forall n, a > x_n.$

This is a contradiction, since $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = \infty$. Thus, we must conclude that $\lim_{x\to\infty} F(x) = 1$

DF 4 F is bounded above and nondecreasing, so we know that F(x-) exists. Let x_n be a strictly increasing sequence such that $\lim_{n\to\infty} x_n = x$. Let $A_n = X \le x_n$ and $A = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$. It is clearly the case that A = X < x, and since $A_n \uparrow A$, $P[A_n] \uparrow P[A]$. Since $P[A_n] = F(x_n)$, we may conclude that $\lim_{n\to\infty} F(x_n) = P[X < x]$. Thus, we can conclude F(x-) = P[X < x] as well.

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$$F(x) - F(x-) = P[X \le x] - P[X < x]$$

= $P[X = x]$

1.2. Let

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < 0\\ \frac{1}{2}, & \text{if } 0 \le x < 2\\ 1, & \text{if } 2 \le x \end{cases}$$

Here, $F^*(\frac{1}{2}) = 0 < 1$, yet $\frac{1}{2} = F(1)$. As well, $\frac{1}{4} < \frac{1}{2} = F(0)$, yet $F^*(\frac{1}{4}) = 0$.

- 1.3. $\forall v \in (0,1): \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) \leq F^*(v)$, since F^* nondecreasing.
 - $\Rightarrow \forall v \in (0,1): \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R}: v \leq F(x)\}: \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) \leq x, \text{ by the definition of } F^*$
 - $\Rightarrow \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) > 0\} : \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) \le x$

Also, $\nexists w : \forall v \in (0,1) : \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) < w \le F^*(v)$.

- $\Rightarrow \nexists w : \forall v \in (0,1) : \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R} : v \leq F(x)\} : \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) < w \leq F(x)$
- $\Rightarrow \nexists w : \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) > 0\} : \lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) < w \leq F(x)$

Accordingly, since $\lim_{u\downarrow 0} F^*(u)$ is the greatest upper bound of $\{x\in\mathbb{R}: F(x)>0\}$,

$$\lim_{u \downarrow 0} F^*(u) = \inf\{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) > 0\}$$

Let $x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) \in (0,1)$. $\Rightarrow \exists v \in (0,1) : F(x) < v < 1$

- $\Rightarrow F^*(v) > x$ by the switching formula.
- $\Rightarrow \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u) \ge F^*(v) > x$, since F^* is nondecreasing.
- $\Rightarrow \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u)$ is an upper bound of $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) < 1\}$

Suppose, to the contrary, $\exists w : \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) < 1\} : x \leq w < \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u)$.

- $\Rightarrow \forall v \in (0,1) : F^*(v) \le w < \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u).$
- $\Rightarrow \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u) \le w < \lim_{u \uparrow 1} F^*(u)$

Since the above is a contradiction, we must conclude that $\lim_{u\uparrow 1} F^*(u)$ is the least upper bound of $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) < 1\}$, and therefor

$$\lim_{u \uparrow 0} F^*(u) = \sup\{x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x) > 0\}$$

1.4. $F(x) \le F(x)$

 $\Rightarrow F^*(F(x)) \leq x$ by the switching formula.

Let $\delta > 0$.

- $\Rightarrow F(x) < F(x) + \delta$
- $\Rightarrow x < F^*(F(x+\delta))$ by the switching formula.
- $\Rightarrow x \leq F^*(F(x)+)$

Accordingly,

$$F^*(F(x)) \le x \le F^*(F(x)+)$$

1.5. We can show that

$$F^*(u) \le F^*(u)$$

 $u \le F(F^*(u))$ by the switching formula
 $F^*(u) \le F^*(F(F^*(u)))$ since F^* is nondecreasing

Now suppose, to the contrary, that $F^*(u) < F^*(F(F^*(u)))$.

 $\Rightarrow F(F^*(u)) < F(F^*(u))$ by the switching formula.

Since this is an obvious contradiction, we may conclude that

$$F^*(u) = F^*(F(F^*(u)))$$

We can also show that

$$F(x) \le F(x)$$

 $x \le F^*(F(x))$ by the switching formula
 $F(x) \le F(F^*(F(x)))$ since F is nondecreasing

If $F(x) < F(F^*(F(x)))$, this would imply by the switching formula that $F^*(F(x)) > F^*(F(x))$, which an obvious contradiction. Thus, we can conclude that

$$F(x) = F(F^*(F(x)))$$

1.6. Let F not be continious at x.

- $\Rightarrow F(x-) \neq F(x)$, since F(x) = F(x) by DF2.
- $\Rightarrow F(x-) < F(x)$ since F is nondecreasing.
- $\Rightarrow \exists \epsilon > 0 : \forall \delta > 0 : \exists x_1 \in (x \delta, x) : F(x) F(x_1) > \epsilon$
- $\Rightarrow \forall w < x, F(x) \epsilon > F(w), \text{ since F is nondecreasing, and } \exists x_1 \in (w, x) : F(w) \leq F(x_1) < F(x) \epsilon$
- $\Rightarrow \forall u \in (F(x) \epsilon, F(x)) : F^*(u) \geq x$, since x is a lower bound of $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : u \leq F(x)\}$.
- $\Rightarrow F(F^*(u)) \ge F(x) > u$, since F is nondecreasing.
- \Rightarrow It is not the case that $\forall u \in (0,1) : F(F^*(u)) = u$

Now, going the other direction, let F be continious, and, to the contrary, let $F(F^*(u)) > u$ for some $u \in (0,1)$

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\Rightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{R} : F(x-) = F(x).
\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists \delta > 0 : \forall x_1 \in (x-\delta,x), F(x) - F(x_1) < \delta
\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0 : \forall w \in (F^*(u) - \delta, F^*(u)) : F(F^*(u)) - F(w) < F(F^*(u)) - u
\Rightarrow F(w) > u \text{ and } F^*(u) > w
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However, by definition, $F^*(u)$ is less than or equal to all x such that $F(x) \geq u$, so we have reached a contradiction. Thus, we may conclude that if F is continious, it must also be the case that $F(F^*(u)) \leq u$. We can reject that $F(F^*(u)) < u$, since that would mean $F^*(u) < F^*(u)$ by the switching formula, so we are left with $F(F^*(u)) = u$.

Taking both direction together, we get the result

$$\forall u \in (0,1) : F(F^*(u)) = u \Leftrightarrow F$$
is continious

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Let F be strictly increasing.

\Rightarrow if x_2 < x_1, then F(x_2) < F(x_1).

\Rightarrow x_2 < F^*(F(x_1)) by the switching formula.

\Rightarrow x_2 < F^*(F(x_1)) \le x_1 by IDF4.

\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 : x_1 - \epsilon < F^*(F(x_1)) \le x_1.

\Rightarrow x_1 = F^*(F(x_1)).

Now, let F not be strictly increasing.

\Rightarrow \exists x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R} : x_2 < x_1 and F(x_2) \ge F(x_1)

\Rightarrow F(x_2) = F(x_1), since F is nondecreasing.

\Rightarrow F^*(F(x_1)) \le x_2 < x_1

\Rightarrow It is not the case that \forall x \in \{x \in \mathbb{R} : 0 < F(x) < 1\} : F^*(F(x)) = x.

Taking both directions together, we get the result that
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$$\forall x \in A := \{x \in \mathbb{R} : 0 < F(x) < 1\} : F^*(F(x)) = x \Leftrightarrow F \text{ is strictly increasing over } A$$

- 1.7. To acheive a desired p-value, it is sufficient that, for a test statistic $x, F(x) \leq p$.
- 1.8. a) Let $u \ge F(x-)$ $\Leftrightarrow \forall \delta_1 > 0 : u \ge F(x-\delta_1)$, since F is nondecreasing. $\Leftrightarrow \forall \delta_1, \delta_2 > 0 : u + \delta_2 > F(x-\delta_1)$ $\Leftrightarrow \forall \delta_1, \delta_2 > 0 : F^*(u+\delta_2) > x - \delta_1$ by the switching formula. $\Leftrightarrow \forall \delta_2 > 0 : F^*(u+\delta_2) \ge x$ $\Leftrightarrow F^*(u+) > x$
 - b) Let $A = \{w : u \ge F(w-)\}$ $\Rightarrow A = \{w : F^*(u+) \ge w\}$ by part a) $\Rightarrow \forall x \in A : F^*(u+) \ge x$ $\Rightarrow F^*(u+) \ge \sup(A)$ Now suppose, to the contrary, that $F^*(u+) > \sup(A)$ $\Rightarrow \exists x \in \mathbb{R} : F^*(u+) > x > \sup(A)$ $\Rightarrow x \in A$ and $x > \sup A$

This is a contradiction, so we must conclude that it cannot be the case that $\sup A < F^*(u+)$, and rather it must be that $\sup A = F^*(u+)$.

1.9. a) Let A be a closed and bounded supbinterval of B. $\Rightarrow f(A) \subseteq [f(\min(A)), f(\max(A))], \text{ since } f \text{ nondecreasing.}$ $\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 : \text{Let } J_{A,\epsilon} = \{x \in A : f(x+) - f(x-) > \epsilon\}$ $\Rightarrow |J_{A,\epsilon}| \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ since, due to } f \text{ being nondecreasing,}$

$$\sum_{j \in J_{A,\epsilon}} \epsilon \le \sum_{j \in J_{A,\epsilon}} f(j+) - f(j-) \le f(\max(A)) - f(\min(A))$$

Now, let, where $K = \{z \in \mathbb{Z} : B \cap [z-1, z] \neq \emptyset\}$

$$J = \bigcup_{z \in K} \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} J_{[z-1,z],\frac{1}{n}}$$

 $\Rightarrow D_f \subseteq J$, since if $j \in D_f$, $\exists z \in \mathbb{Z} : j \in [z-1,z]$ and $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}_0 : f(j+) - f(j-) > \frac{1}{n}$. Let $h : \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0 \to J$ be defined as such: The triple (z,n_1,n_2) gets mapped to the n_2 th largest j in $J_{[z-1,z],\frac{1}{n_1}}$. We may choose the n_2 th largest since we have already shown $J_{[z-1,z],\frac{1}{n_1}}$ is finite. This is clearly a surjective function, where $\forall j \in J : \exists (z,n_1,n_2) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0 : h(z,n_1,n_2) = j$. Therefor, since such a mapping exists, we may conclude that

$$|\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0| \ge |J| \ge |D_f|$$

Since $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N}_0 \times \mathbb{N}_0$ is countable, this means that D_f is also at most countable.

- b) Let $x \in B$ and $\epsilon > 0$. $(x \epsilon, x + \epsilon)$ is an uncountable set, so there can't possibly be a surjective function $h: D_f \to (x \epsilon, x_{\epsilon})$, since D_f is at most countable. Thus, it must be the case that $\exists c \in (x \epsilon, x_{\epsilon}): c \in D_f^c = C_f$. We can thus conclude C_f is dense in B.
- 1.10. a) Let w be a continuity point of F and $u \in (0,1)$ with $F^*(u) > w$ $\Rightarrow u > F(w)$ by the switching formula Let $\epsilon = u F(w)$. $\Rightarrow \exists m : \forall m \geq n : |F_n(w) F(w)| < \epsilon$, since $\lim_{n \to \infty} F_n(w) = F(w)$ $\Rightarrow \forall n \geq m$

$$u = F(w) + (u - F(w))$$
> $F(w) + |F_n(w) - F(w)|$
> $F(w) + F_n(w) - F(w)$
> $F_n(w)$

b) Let y be a continuity point of F and $u \in (0,1)$ with $F^*(u+) < y$ $\Rightarrow \exists \delta > 0 : \forall \epsilon \in (0,\delta) : F^*(u+\epsilon) < y$ $\Rightarrow u+\epsilon \leq F(y)$ by the switching formula $\Rightarrow u \leq F(y) - \epsilon$ Since $\lim_{n\to\infty} F_n(y) = F(y), \exists m : \forall n > m : |F_n(y) - F(y)| < \epsilon$ $\Rightarrow \forall n > m$

$$u \le F(y) - \epsilon < F(y) - |F_n(y) - F(y)| < F(y) - (F(y) - F_n(y)) < F_n(y) F^*(u) < y$$

By the switching formula

- c) Suppose, to the contrary, $F^*(u) > \liminf_n F_n^*(u)$
 - $\Rightarrow \exists c \in C_f : F^*(u) > c > \liminf_n F_n^*(u)$, since C_f is dense in \mathbb{R} .
 - $\Rightarrow \exists m \in \mathbb{N} : \forall n > m : F_n^*(u) > c$, by part a.
 - $\Rightarrow \forall n > m, \inf_n F_n^*(u) \ge c$
 - $\Rightarrow \liminf_n F_n^*(u) \ge c$

This is a contradiction, so we must conclude $\liminf_n F_n^*(u) \ge F^*(u)$

 $\inf_n F^*(u) \le \sup_n F^*(u)$ by definition.

 $\Rightarrow \liminf_n F_n^*(u) \le \limsup_n F_n^*(u)$

Suppose, to the contrary, $\limsup_{n} F_n^*(u) > F^*(u+)$

- $\Rightarrow \exists c \in C_f : \limsup_n F_n^*(u) > c > F^*(u+), \text{ since } C_f \text{ is dense in } \mathbb{R}$ a
- $\Rightarrow \exists m \in \mathbb{N} : \forall n > m : F_n^*(u) \leq c$, by part b.

$$\Rightarrow \forall n > m, \sup_n F_n^*(u) \le c$$

$$\Rightarrow \limsup_{n} F_{n}^{*}(u) \leq c$$

This is a contradiction, so we must conclude $\limsup_{n} F_{n}^{*}(u) \leq F^{*}(u+)$

Combining the three above results, we have that

$$F^*(u) \le \liminf_n F_n^*(u) \le \limsup_n F_n^*(u) \le F^*(u+)$$

d) If $u \in C_f$, by definition $F^*(u) = F^*(u+)$ $\Rightarrow F^*(u) = \liminf_n F_n^*(u) = \limsup_n F_n^*(u)$ by part c. $\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0 : \exists m \in \mathbb{N} : \forall n > m :$

$$F^*(u) - \epsilon < \inf_n F_n^*(u) \le \sup_n F_n^*(u) < F^*(u) + \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall n > m : F^*(u) - \epsilon < F_n^*(u) < F^*(u) + \epsilon$$
$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \to \infty} F_n^*(u) = F^*(u)$$

e) Let

$$F_n^*(u) = (2u - 1)^{-n} \text{ and } F^*(u) = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{if } 0 < x \le \frac{1}{2} \\ 1, & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x \le 1 \end{cases}$$

arising from

$$F_n(u) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < -1\\ \frac{x^n + 1}{2}, & \text{if } -1 \le x < 1 \text{ and } F(u) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < -1\\ \frac{1}{2}, & \text{if } -1 \le x < 1\\ 1, & \text{if } 1 \le x \end{cases}$$

 $\lim_{n\to\infty} F_n^*(u) = F^*(u)$ for all continuity points of F^* . However, where F^* isn't continuous at $\frac{1}{2}$, $\lim_{n\to\infty} F_n^*(\frac{1}{2}) = 0 \neq -1 = F^*(\frac{1}{2})$.

2.1. Let F(x) not be strictly increasing over $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : 0 < F(x) < 1\}$.

$$\Rightarrow \exists x_1, x_2 \in A : x_1 < x_2 \text{ and } F(x_1) = F(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow F^*(F(x_1)) \leq x_1$$
, since $\inf\{x : F(x_1) \leq F(x)\} \leq x_2$

Let
$$B = \{x \in A : F(x) = F(x_1)\}\$$

 $\Rightarrow \forall x \in \{x \in A : F(x) > F(x_1)\}, x \geq \sup B$, since the fact that F is nondecreasing makes x and upper bound on B

$$\Rightarrow \forall v > F(x_1), F^*(v) \ge \sup B$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall \delta > 0$$

$$F^*(F(x) + \delta) \ge \sup B - F^*(F(x_1) + F^*(F(x_1))$$
$$F^*(F(x) + \delta) - F^*(F(x_1)) \ge \sup B - F^*(F(x_1))$$
$$\ge x_2 - x_1$$

$$\Rightarrow F^*(u+) \neq F^*(u)$$

Now, let F be strictly increasing over A and $x \in A$ such that $x = F^*(u)$ and F(x) < 1. Let $y \in (x, 1)$.

$$\Rightarrow \exists w \in (x,y)$$

$$\Rightarrow u \leq F(x) < F(w) < F(y)$$
 since F is strictly increasing.

$$\Rightarrow u + F(w) - F(x) \le F(w)$$

$$\Rightarrow F^*(u + F(w) - F(x)) \le w < y$$
 by the switching formula.

$$\Rightarrow F^*(u+) < y$$

$$\Rightarrow F^*(u+) = x = F^*(u)$$

Between these two results, we get that F^* is continious if and only if F is strictly increasing.

2.2. a)

$$\begin{split} P[T(Y) \in B] &= P[Y \in x : T(x) \in B] \\ &= P[Z \in x : T(x) \in B] \\ &= P[T(Z) \in B] \end{split}$$

 $\Rightarrow Y~Z$

b) Let P[Y = Z] = 1

$$\begin{split} P[Y \in B] &= P[Y = Z \cap Y \in B] \\ &= P[Y = Z \cap Z \in B] \\ &= P[Z \in B] \end{split}$$

 $\Rightarrow Y Z$