

#1. X_1, \dots, X_n : independent r.v with $B(2, p)$

(a) pdf: $f(x_i|p) = \binom{2}{x_i} p^{x_i} (1-p)^{2-x_i} \quad x_i = 1, 2, 0$

$$L = \prod_{i=1}^n \binom{2}{x_i} p^{x_i} (1-p)^{2-x_i} \Rightarrow \ln L = \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \ln \binom{2}{x_i} + x_i \ln p + (2-x_i) \ln(1-p) \right\}$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial p} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{x_i}{p} - \frac{2-x_i}{1-p} \right) = 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 2np \Rightarrow \hat{p} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

(b) Minimum variance unbiased estimator.

$$E(X_i) = 2p$$

$$E(\hat{p}) = E\left(\frac{1}{2} \bar{X}\right) = \frac{1}{2} E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum x_i\right] = \frac{1}{2n} \left[\sum x_i\right] = \frac{n}{2n} \cdot E[X_i] = p.$$

$$\text{Var}(X_i) = 2p(1-p)$$

therefore, this is unbiased.

CR-Bound

$$\ln f(x_i; p) = \ln \binom{2}{x_i} + x_i \ln p + (2-x_i) \ln(1-p)$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln f(x_i; p)}{\partial p} = \frac{x_i}{p} - \frac{2-x_i}{1-p} = \frac{x_i - 2p}{p(1-p)} \quad \leftarrow \text{Score fun}$$

\downarrow

$$\left(\frac{\partial \ln f(x_i; p)}{\partial p} \right)^2 = \frac{(x_i - 2p)^2}{p^2(1-p)^2} \rightarrow E \left(\frac{\partial \ln f(x_i; p)}{\partial p} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{p^2(1-p)^2} E[(x_i - 2p)^2]$$

$$= \frac{\text{Var}(X_i)}{p^2(1-p)^2} = \frac{2p(1-p)}{p^2(1-p)^2} = \frac{2}{p(1-p)} \rightarrow \therefore \text{CR} = \frac{p(1-p)}{2n}$$

I'' $n \cdot I^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(\hat{p}_{\text{mc}}) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{2} \bar{X}\right) = \frac{1}{4} \text{Var} \bar{X} = \frac{1}{4} \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i\right) = \frac{1}{4n^2} \text{Var}(\sum X_i) = \frac{n}{4n^2} \cdot \text{Var}(X_i) \\ &= \frac{1}{4n} \cdot 2p(1-p) = \frac{p(1-p)}{2n} \end{aligned}$$

$$(1) \hat{p} = \frac{1}{n} \sum x_i = \frac{1}{100} \cdot \frac{40}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

#2. (a) $\ln L = (\ln \lambda) \sum x_i - n\lambda - \sum \ln x_i$

$$\text{FOC: } \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \lambda} = \frac{\sum x_i}{\lambda} - n = 0 \quad \therefore \hat{\lambda} = \bar{x}$$

Since x_i is non-negative and $\lambda > 0$.

$$\sqrt{n}(\hat{\lambda} - \lambda) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, I(\lambda)^{-1})$$

$$\ln f(x; \lambda) = \alpha \log \lambda - \lambda - \log x!$$

$$\frac{\partial \log f(x; \lambda)}{\partial \lambda} = \frac{\alpha}{\lambda} - 1, \text{ which has mean zero. } (\because E(\cdot) = 0)$$

$$E\left(\frac{\partial \log f(x; \lambda)}{\partial \lambda}\right) = 0$$

$$I(\lambda) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{\alpha}{\lambda} - 1\right) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{\alpha}{\lambda}\right) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \text{Var}(\alpha) = \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2} = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \sqrt{n}(\hat{\lambda} - \lambda) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \lambda) \quad //$$

$$\text{if } E\left(\frac{\partial f(x; \lambda)}{\partial \lambda}\right) = 0, \text{ then } I(\lambda) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{\partial \ln f(x; \lambda)}{\partial \lambda}\right)$$

$$\text{check } \boxed{\hat{\lambda} \overset{\sim}{\sim} N\left(\lambda, \frac{\lambda}{n}\right)}$$

#2 (b). WTS: $E(\hat{\lambda}) = E(\bar{x}) = \frac{1}{n} E(\sum x_i) = \frac{n}{n} E[x_i] = \lambda$

• WTS: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|\hat{\lambda} - \lambda| > \varepsilon) = 0$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|\hat{\lambda} - \lambda| > \varepsilon) \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\text{Var}(\hat{\lambda})}{\varepsilon^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{\lambda}{n}}{\varepsilon^2} = 0$$

(c) $\theta = e^{-\lambda}$

By invariance property of MLE, $\hat{\theta} = e^{-\hat{\lambda}} = e^{-\bar{x}}$

$$\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - \mu) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \sigma^2)$$

By delta method, $g(\lambda) = e^{-\lambda}$ $(g'(\lambda))^2 = e^{-2\lambda}$

$$\sqrt{n}(e^{-\bar{x}} - e^{-\lambda}) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \lambda e^{-2\lambda})$$

#3. X_1, \dots, X_n

(a) By CLT, $\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - \mu) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, \sigma^2)$

By delta method, $g(\bar{x}) = e^{\bar{x}}$ $g'(\bar{x}) = e^{\bar{x}}$

$$\sqrt{n}(e^{\bar{x}} - e^{\mu}) \xrightarrow{d} N(0, e^{2\mu} \sigma^2)$$

$$g'(\bar{x}) = \left. \frac{\partial e^{\bar{x}}}{\partial \bar{x}} \right|_{\bar{x} = \mu} = e^{\mu}$$

$$g'(\mu)^2 = e^{2\mu}$$

#4. $f_X(\alpha|\alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\frac{x}{\beta}}$ $0 \leq x < \infty$
 $\alpha, \beta > 0$

$E(X) = \alpha\beta$

$E(X^2) = \alpha\beta^2 + \alpha^2\beta^2$ ($\because \text{Var}(X) = \alpha\beta^2$)

$\alpha\beta = \bar{x} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{\beta} \bar{x}$

$\alpha\beta^2 + \alpha^2\beta^2 = \overline{x^2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\beta} \bar{x} \cdot \beta^2 + \left(\frac{\bar{x}}{\beta}\right)^2 \cdot \beta^2 = \overline{x^2}$

$\hat{\beta}_{MM} = \frac{\overline{x^2} - (\bar{x})^2}{\bar{x}}, \quad \hat{\alpha}_{MM} = \frac{1}{\beta} \bar{x} = \frac{(\bar{x})^2}{\overline{x^2} - (\bar{x})^2}$

#5 (a) key: θ is parameter, $f(\theta|x) \propto f(x|\theta) \cdot f(\theta)$

$f(x|p) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}$

$f(p) = p^{\alpha-1} (1-p)^{\beta-1} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)}$

✓ $f(p|x) \propto [p^x (1-p)^{n-x} p^{\alpha-1} (1-p)^{\beta-1}]$ \Leftarrow conjugate prior

#2c) $f(x|\lambda) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \quad x \geq 0, \lambda > 0$

$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\bar{x}}$

Consider reparameterization $\lambda = \frac{1}{\mu}$. find $\hat{\mu}_{MLE}$

By invariance property, $\hat{\mu}_{MLE} = \bar{x}$ is $\hat{\mu}$, unbiased.

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$$E(\hat{\mu}) = E[\bar{X}] = \frac{1}{n} E[X_1 + \dots + X_n] = \mu.$$

$$\star E(\hat{\lambda}) = E\left[\frac{1}{\bar{X}}\right] > \frac{1}{E(\bar{X})}, \quad \hat{\lambda} \text{ is biased.}$$

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strictly convex.

By Jensen's ineq.