

Homework 5, DATA 556: Due Tuesday, 10/31/2018

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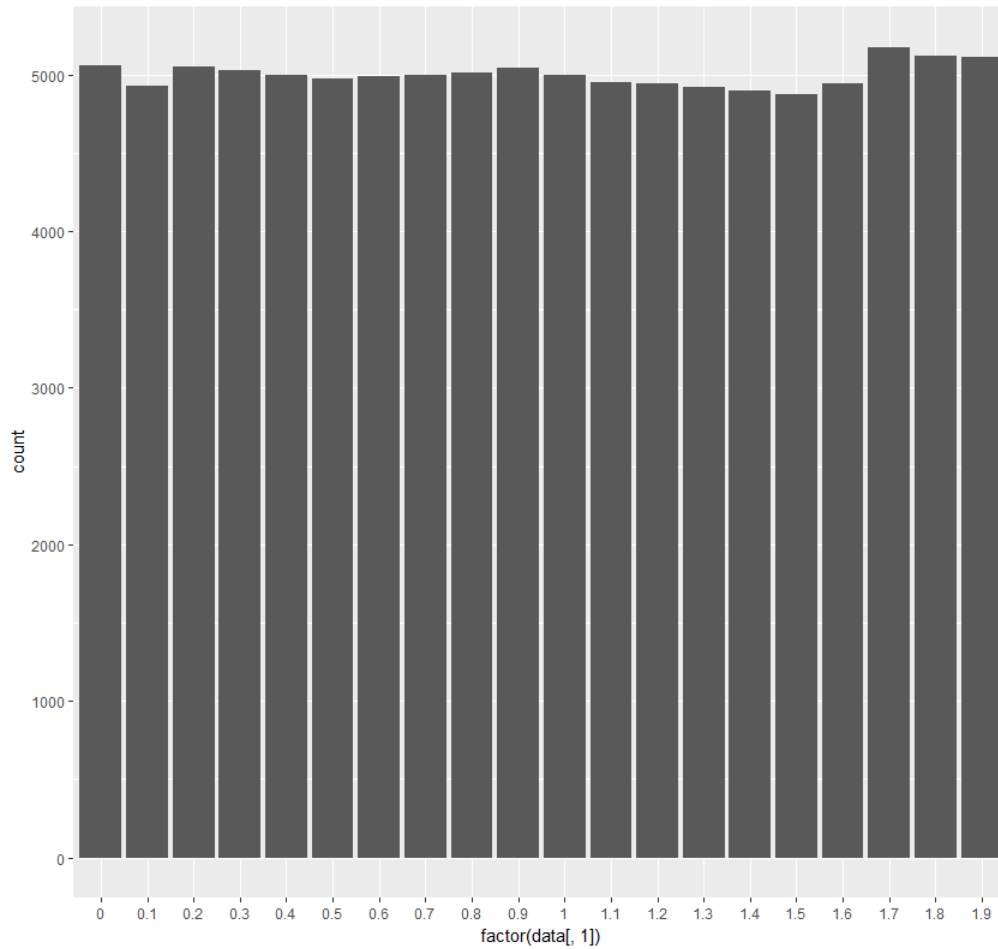
Please complete the following:

1. Problem 1 Let $U \sim \text{Unif}(a, b)$.

- (a) Use simulations in R (the statistical programming language) to numerically estimate the median and the mode of U for $a = 0$ and $b = 2$.

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> binUnif= function(n,a,b)
+ {
+   resultsog = runif(n,a,b)
+   results = floor(resultsog*10)
+   data = data.frame(results)
+   vals = seq(a,b,.1)
+   p<-ggplot(data=data, aes(x=factor(data[,1]))) +geom_bar(stat="count") + scale_x_
+   p
+   #barplot(results,main="whatev",width=0.5)
+   print(median(resultsog))
+   getmode = table(resultsog)
+   print(which.max(getmode))
+   #print(forMode[c(1:10),])
+ }
> #this is 1a
> set.seed(123)
> n=1000000
> binUnif(n,0,2)
[1] 0.9983065
0.0349205480888486
17519
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Figure 1: Mode roughly equivalent across all values of x



(b) Find the Median and Mode of $U \sim \text{Unif}(a,b)$

Take the result form above and take the derivative (1)

$$f(X|X > a) = F'(X|X > a) = \frac{dF(X|X > a)}{dx} = \frac{F'(x) - F'(a)}{1 - F(a)} \text{ with } \frac{dF(a)}{dx} = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(X|X > a) = \frac{f(x)}{1 - F(a)} \quad (3)$$

2. Let $X \sim \text{Expo}(\lambda)$

(a) Use R to simulate median and mode of $\text{Expo}(2)$

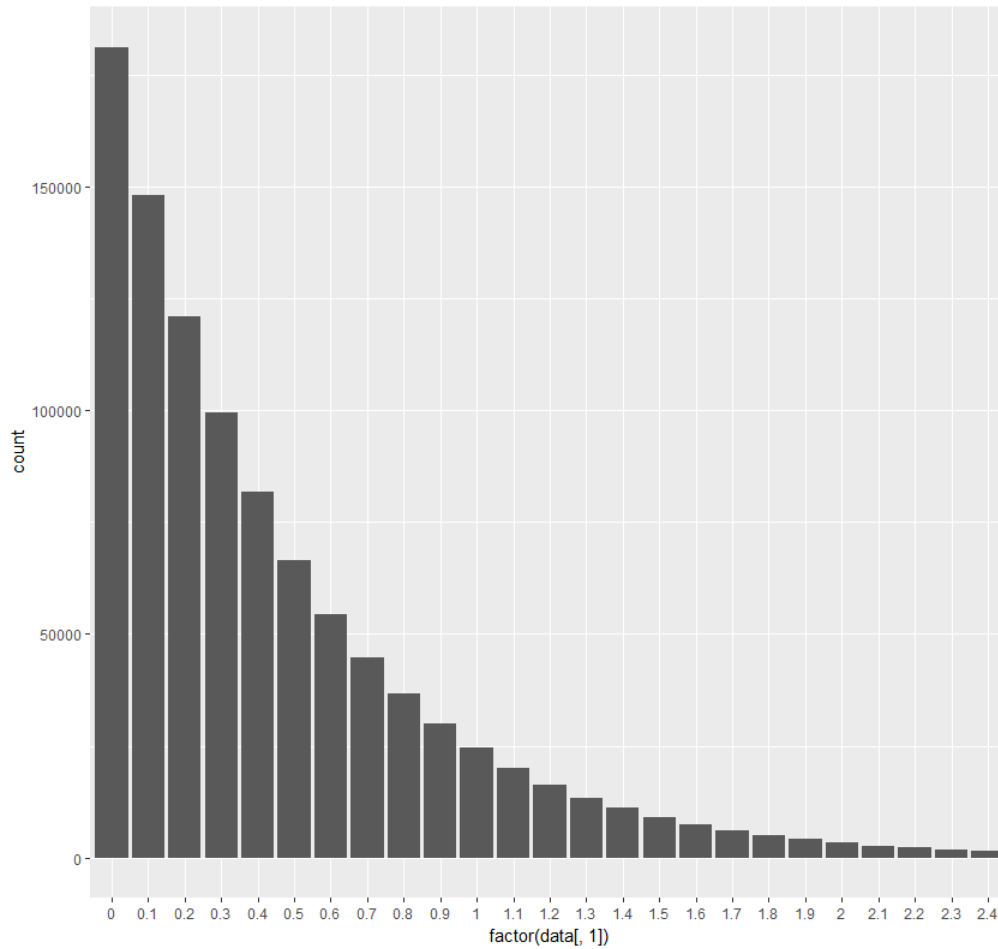
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expoMedMode = function(n,rate)
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+ {
+   resultsog = rexp(n,rate=rate)
+   results = floor(resultsog*10)
+   data = data.frame(results)
+   data = data.frame(data[data[,1]<25,])
+   vals = seq(0,2.5,.1)
+   p<-ggplot(data=data, aes(x=factor(data[,1]))) +geom_bar(stat="count") + scale_x_
+   print(p)
+   #barplot(results,main="whatev",width=0.5)
+   print(median(resultsog))
+   getmode = table(resultsog)
+   print(which.max(getmode))
+ }
> #this is 2a
> set.seed(123)
> n=1000000
> expoMedMode(n,2)
[1] 0.3467215
0.00334986066445708
6662

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Figure 2: Mode of an exponential with rate of 2 around 0 and median around .3467



This overall makes sense, as we will show below, 0 is the mode of the exponential distribution. This is confirmed as well by the barplot shown above.

(b) Find the Median and Mode of $X \sim \text{Expo}(\lambda)$

3. Let X be Discrete Uniform on $1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots, n$.

(a) Use simulations in R to numerically estimate all medians and all modes of X for $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 10$.

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> #this is 3a
> set.seed(433)
> counter = 1
> n=10
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> size = 1000
> while(counter <= n)
+ {
+   binUnif(size,1,counter,1,1)
+   counter = counter + 1
+ }
[1] "From 1 to 1"
[1] 1
1
1
[1] "From 1 to 2"
[1] 1.505739
1.0011387350969
1
[1] "From 1 to 3"
[1] 2.025223
1.00209179287776
1
[1] "From 1 to 4"
[1] 2.502714
1.00117637915537
1
[1] "From 1 to 5"
[1] 2.957827
1.00255306344479
1
[1] "From 1 to 6"
[1] 3.368198
1.00341863720678
1
[1] "From 1 to 7"

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[1] 4.004081
1.0143808578141
1
[1] "From 1 to 8"
[1] 4.470458
1.00075664301403
1
[1] "From 1 to 9"
[1] 5.058819
1.0038467105478
1
[1] "From 1 to 10"
[1] 5.422321
1.01815693522803
1
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Figure 3: Mode across demonstrated from $\text{Unif}(1,1)$

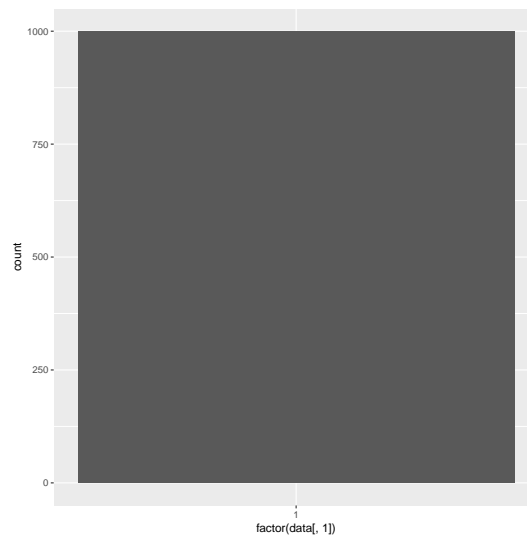


Figure 4: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

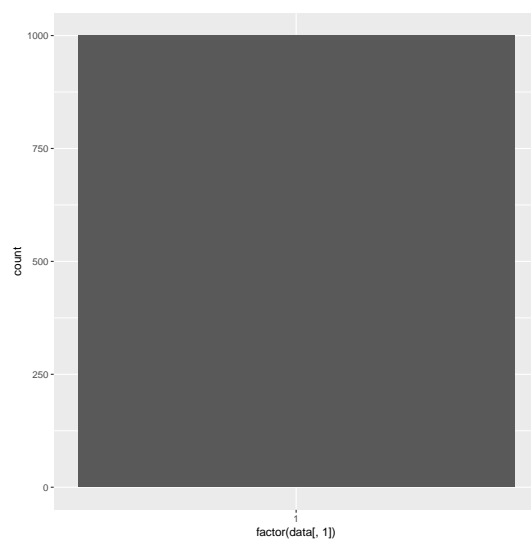


Figure 5: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

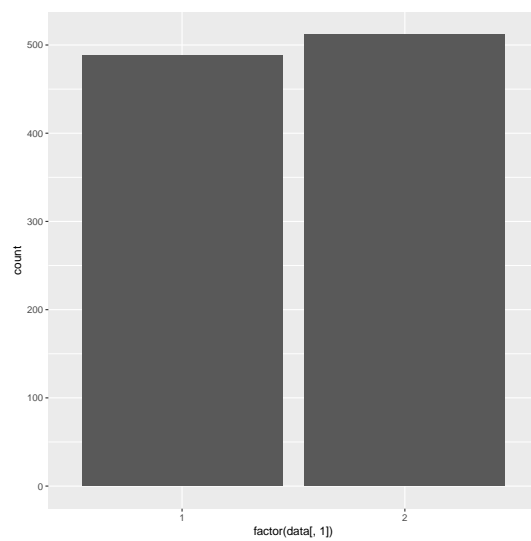


Figure 6: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

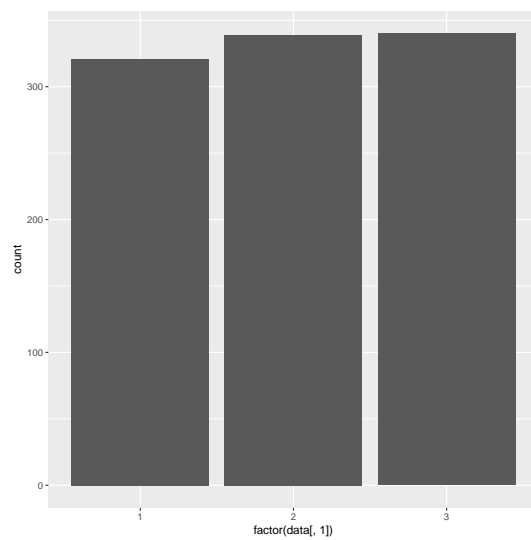


Figure 7: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

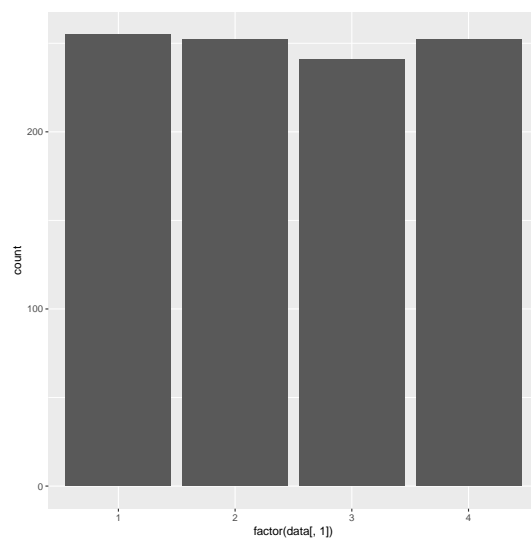


Figure 8: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

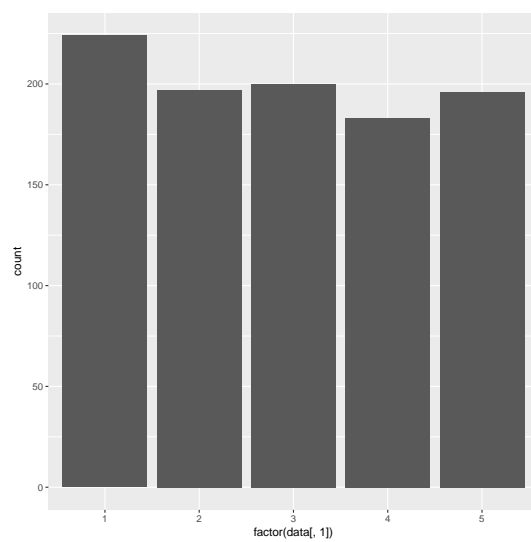


Figure 9: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

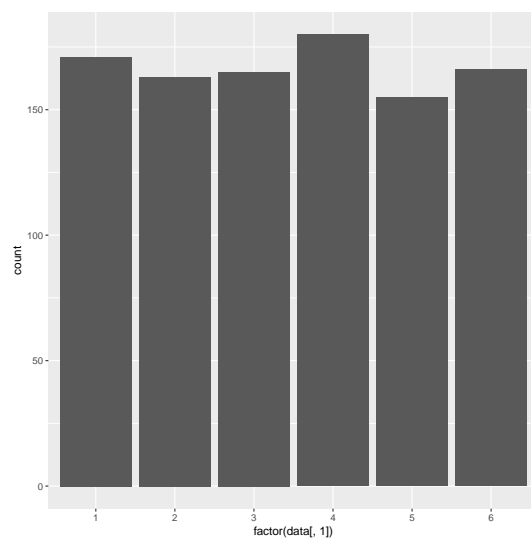


Figure 10: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

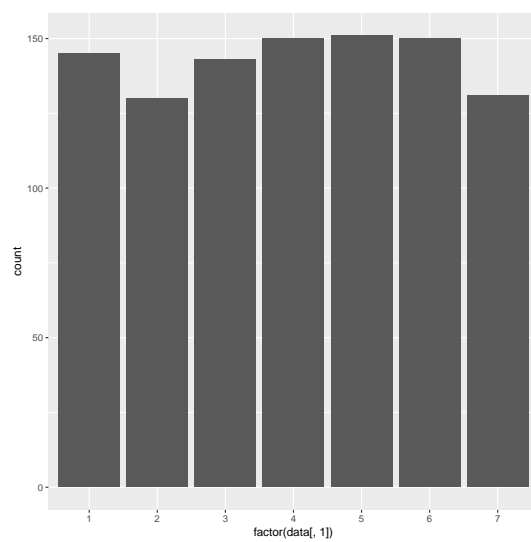


Figure 11: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)

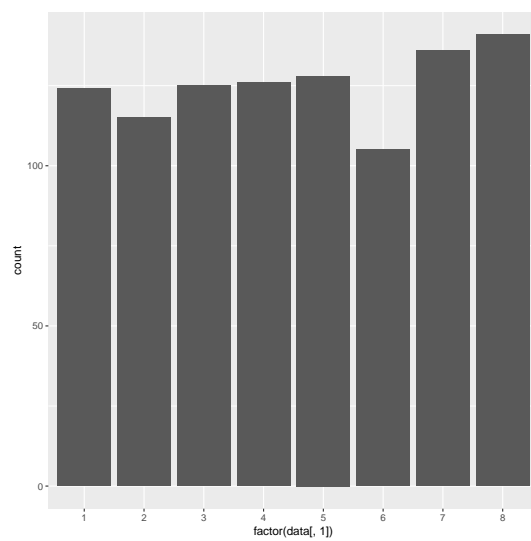
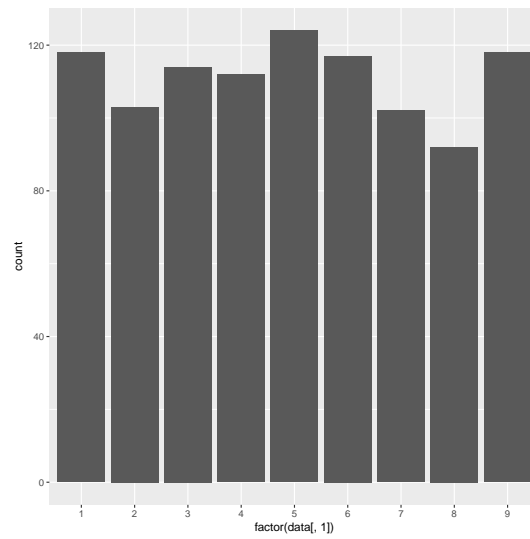


Figure 12: Mode across demonstrated from Unif(1,1)



(b) Find All medians and modes of X

Note the mode is trivial, as it is a similar case to 1.

$$\text{Want } P(X = c) \geq P(X = x) \forall x \in 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n-1+1} \geq \frac{1}{n-1+1} \text{ by def of discrete Uniform} \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow c = x \forall x \in 1, 2, 3, \dots, n \text{ which is almost the same as } 1 \quad (6)$$

$$\text{Notable difference is that in the discrete case, } c \text{ can only take discrete values} \quad (7)$$

$$\text{Now the median} \quad (8)$$

$$\text{Want } P(X \leq x) \geq \frac{1}{2} \& P(X \geq x) \geq \frac{1}{2} \quad (9)$$

$$P(X \leq x) = \sum_{i=1}^x \frac{1}{n} = \frac{x}{n} \geq \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow x \geq \frac{n}{2} \quad (10)$$

$$\text{However, we can observe the patterns noted in the graphs below} \quad (11)$$

$$\text{If } n \text{ is odd, the previous conclusion is the only solution as} \quad (12)$$

$$\text{if you go above or below } \frac{n}{2} \text{ you lose the probability @ } x = \frac{n}{2} \quad (13)$$

$$\text{This is true as we have a jump exactly at } \frac{n}{2} \quad (14)$$

$$\text{In the case } n \text{ is even, you have some wiggle room} \quad (15)$$

$$\text{There is no jump at } \frac{n}{2} \quad (16)$$

$$\text{In fact, the next jump is at } \frac{n}{2} + 1 \quad (17)$$

$$\text{This means we have medians from } [\frac{n}{2}, \frac{n}{2} + 1] \quad (18)$$

$$\text{One last important factor to note, is that this result relies heavily on} \quad (19)$$

$$\text{how we define the median and our environment} \quad (20)$$

$$\text{In general we have} \quad (21)$$

$$\text{Median}(X) = \begin{cases} \frac{n}{2} & n = \text{odd} \\ [\frac{n}{2}, \frac{n}{2} + 1] & n = \text{even} \end{cases} \quad (22)$$

Figure 13: (n=5) Note the jumps taking place on the discrete values

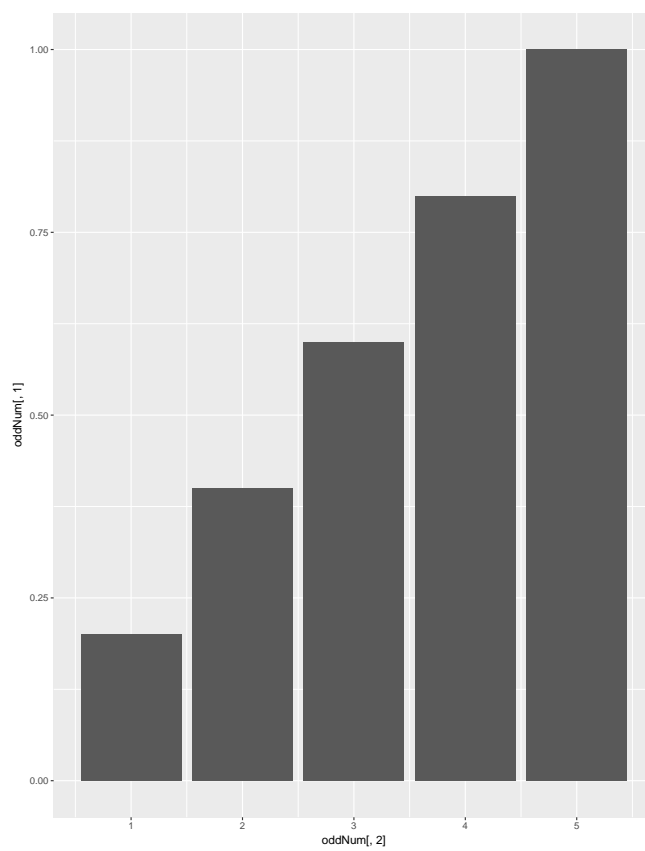
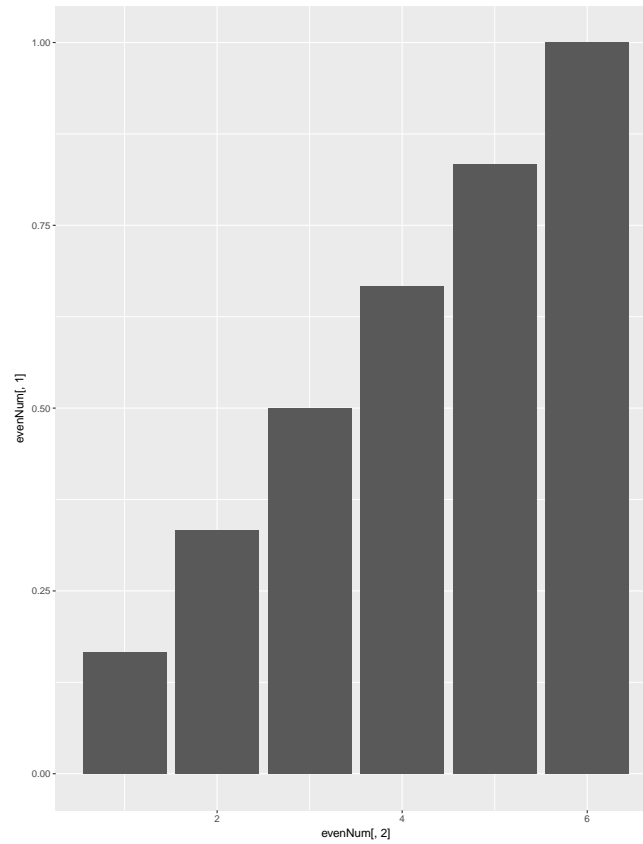


Figure 14: (n=6) These jump patterns hold for all discrete n



4. A distribution is called symmetric unimodal if it is symmetric (about some point) and has a unique mode. For example, any Normal distribution is symmetric unimodal. Let X have a continuous symmetric unimodal distribution for which the mean exists. Show that the

mean, median, and mode of X are all equal.

First note that from our notes, we know the following (23)

1: The mean and median are on in the same by definition (24)

2: $f(x) = f(2\mu - x) \forall x$ & $P(X \geq X + \mu) = P(X \leq X - \mu)$ (25)

Where μ is the mean of our distribution, or central point (26)

All that is left to show is that the mode is equivalent to either our median or mean

(27)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\mu-x} f(x)dx = \int_{\mu+x}^{\infty} f(x)dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\mu-x} f(2\mu - x)dx = \int_{\mu+x}^{\infty} f(2\mu - x)dx \quad (28)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\mu} f(x)dx = \frac{1}{2} = \int_{\mu}^{\infty} f(x)dx \quad (29)$$

By the defintion of the mode, we have some c s.t. $f(c) \geq f(x) \forall x$ (30)

Lets proove via contradiction. If $c \neq \mu \Rightarrow c > \mu$ or $c < \mu$ (31)

$\Rightarrow f(c) = f(2\mu - c)$ with $c \neq 2\mu - c$ by our previous statement (32)

$\Rightarrow \exists c_1$ s.t. $f(c_1) \geq f(x) \forall x$ & c_2 s.t. $f(c_2) \geq f(x) \forall x$ with $c_1 \neq c_2$ (33)

This is a contradiction! as now we have two unique modes (34)

which violates the property of a unimodal distribution \square (35)

5. Let $W = X^2 + Y^2$, with X, Y i.i.d. $N(0, 1)$. You can assume you know that the MGF of X^2 is $(1 - 2t)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ for $t < \frac{1}{2}$. Find the MGF of W .

$$\text{Var}(X - Y) = \text{Var}(X) + \text{Var}(Y) = b^2 + d^2 \quad (36)$$

$$E[X - Y] = E[X] - E[Y] = a - c \quad (37)$$

$\Rightarrow P(X < Y) = P(X - Y < 0) \sim N(a - b, c^2 + d^2)$ determined via hint (38)

$$= \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} \quad \text{Where } \sigma = \sqrt{c^2 + d^2} \text{ and } \mu = a - b \quad (39)$$

6. Let $X \sim \text{Expo}(\lambda)$. You can assume you know that $\lambda X \sim \text{Expo}(1)$, and that the n th

moment of an Expo(1) random variable is $n!$. Find the skewness of X .

Similar to 5, except now we need to calculate the expected value and variance over the 100 samples

(40)

$$E[x - y] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{n=1}^{100} x_n - y_n\right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{n=1}^{100} E[X_n] - E[y_n] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{n=1}^{100} (69.1 - 63.7) = \frac{1}{n} n * (69.1 - 63.7)$$

(41)

we got this from the distributions of the random variables given

(42)

$$\Rightarrow E[x - y] = 5.4$$

(43)

$$\text{Var}[x - y] = \text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{n=1}^{100} x_n - y_n\right] = \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}\left[\sum_{n=1}^{100} x_n - y_n\right] \text{ from independence we get}$$

(44)

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{n=1}^{100} (\text{Var}[x_n] + \text{Var}[y_n]) = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{n=1}^{100} (2.9^2 + 2.7^2) = \frac{1}{n^2} n(15.7) = \frac{1}{100}(15.7)$$

(45)

$$\Rightarrow \text{Var}[x - y] = \sqrt{\frac{15.7}{100}}^2$$

(46)

$$\Rightarrow x - y \sim N(5.4, \sqrt{\frac{15.7}{100}})$$

(47)

7. Let X_1, \dots, X_n be i.i.d. with mean μ , variance σ^2 , and MGF M . Let

$$\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \text{ and } Z_n = \sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma}$$

(a) Show that Z_n has mean 0 and variance 1

(b) Find the MGF of Z_n in terms of M , the MGF of each X_i