

BIOSTAT 602 SUMMARY

1. DATA REDUCTION

- (1) Sufficient: Within any region of the partition, mass of x changes uniformly (ratio invariant) as θ changes

(a) Test:

$$f_X(x|\theta) = h(x)g(T(X), \theta)$$

- (2) Minimal sufficient: The most coarse partition; also unique

(a) Test

$$\frac{f_X(x|\theta)}{f_X(y|\theta)} \text{ is independent of } \theta \Leftrightarrow T(x) = T(y)$$

- (3) Ancillary: For any region of the partition, mass of the whole region is invariant as θ changes.

- (4) Complete: No coarser partition is ancillary

(a) Definition

$$E[g(T)|\theta] = 0 \forall \theta \Rightarrow \Pr(g(T) = 0|\theta) = 1 \forall \theta$$

(b) Properties

(i) A complete sufficient statistic is also minimal sufficient.

(ii) A complete sufficient statistic is independent of any ancillary statistic.

- (5) Exponential family:

(a) Form:

$$f(x|\theta) = h(x)c(\theta) \exp \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^m t_j(x)w_j(\theta) \right\}$$

(b) Statistic:

$$\bigoplus_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^n t_j(X_i)$$

Sufficient; complete if $\bigoplus_{j=1}^m w_j(\theta)$ contains an open set in \mathbb{R}^m .