

1 The fun with python continues

1.1

Equations:

• Weighted mean:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot w_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i}$$

• Weighted standard deviation:

$$\sigma_w = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i \cdot (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i}}$$

1.2 og 1.3

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3 def check_weights_for_non_negativity(weights):
4     """
5     Checks if all elements in the weights array are non-negative.
6
7     Parameters:
8     - weights: An array containing weights.
9
10    Returns:
11    - bool: True if all weights are non-negative, False otherwise.
12    """
13    return all(weight >= 0 for weight in weights)
14
15 def normalize_weights(weights):
16     """
17     Normalizes the weights array such that the sum of weights equals 1.
18
19     Parameters:
20     - weights: An array containing weights.
21
22     Returns:
23     - list: A list of normalized weights.
24     """
25     if not check_weights_for_non_negativity(weights):
26         raise ValueError("Weights must be non-negative.")
27     total_weight = sum(weights)
28     normalized_weights = [weight / total_weight for weight in weights]
29     return normalized_weights
30
31 def compute_weighted_mean(data, weights=None):
32     """
33     Parameters:
34     - data: An array containing data points.
35     - weights: An array containing weights.
36       If None, equal weights are assigned.
37
38     Returns:
39     - float: Weighted mean of the data.
40     """
41     if weights is None:
42         weights = np.ones(len(data))
43     else:
44         if len(data) != len(weights):
45             raise ValueError("Length of weights must be equal to length of data.")
46         weights = normalize_weights(weights)
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47 weighted_mean = np.sum(data * weights)
48 return weighted_mean
49
50 def compute_weighted_std(data, weights=None, mean=None):
51     """
52     Parameters:
53     - data: An array.
54     - weights: An array containing weights.
55       If None, equal weights are assigned.
56     - mean: Mean of the data.
57
58     Returns:
59     - float: Weighted standard deviation of the data.
60     """
61     if weights is None:
62         weights = np.ones(len(data))
63     else:
64         if len(data) != len(weights):
65             raise ValueError("Length of weights must be equal to length of data.")
66         weights = normalize_weights(weights)
67     if mean is None:
68         mean = compute_weighted_mean(data, weights)
69     else:
70         if len(data) != len(mean):
71             raise ValueError("Length of mean must be equal to length of data.")
72     weighted_variance = np.sum(weights * (data - mean)**2)
73     weighted_std = np.sqrt(weighted_variance)
74     return weighted_std
75
76 x = np.random.randn(100)
77 weights = np.random.exponential(1, 100)
78
79 numpy_weighted_mean = np.average(x, weights=weights)
80 numpy_weighted_std = np.sqrt(np.average((x - numpy_weighted_mean)**2, weights=weights))
81
82 print("Custom Weighted Mean:", compute_weighted_mean(x, weights))
83 print("NumPy Weighted Mean:", numpy_weighted_mean)
84 print("Custom Weighted Std:", compute_weighted_std(x, weights))
85 print("NumPy Weighted Std:", numpy_weighted_std)
86
Custom Weighted Mean: 0.005820889620768834
NumPy Weighted Mean: 0.005820889620768804
Custom Weighted Std: 1.026104398335031
NumPy Weighted Std: 1.026104398335031

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2 The uniform Distribution

2.1

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} pdf(x) dx = \int_a^b \frac{1}{b-a} dx = \frac{x}{b-a} \Big|_a^b = \frac{b-a}{b-a} = 1$$

2.2

$$Var(x) = E((x-\mu)^2) = E(x^2) - [\mu]^2$$

To find $E(x^2)$ we integrate $x^2 \cdot pdf(x)$:

$$E(x^2) = \int_a^b x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{b-a} dx = \frac{1}{b-a} \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_a^b = \frac{1}{b-a} \cdot \frac{b^3 - a^3}{3}$$

$$E(x^2) = \frac{b^3 - a^3}{3(b-a)}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{b^3 - a^3}{3(b-a)} - \left(\frac{b+a}{2}\right)^2$$

2.4

$$\text{skew}(x) = \frac{E((X-\mu)^3)}{\sigma^3}$$

Have already computed $\mu = \frac{a+b}{2}$ and

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$$

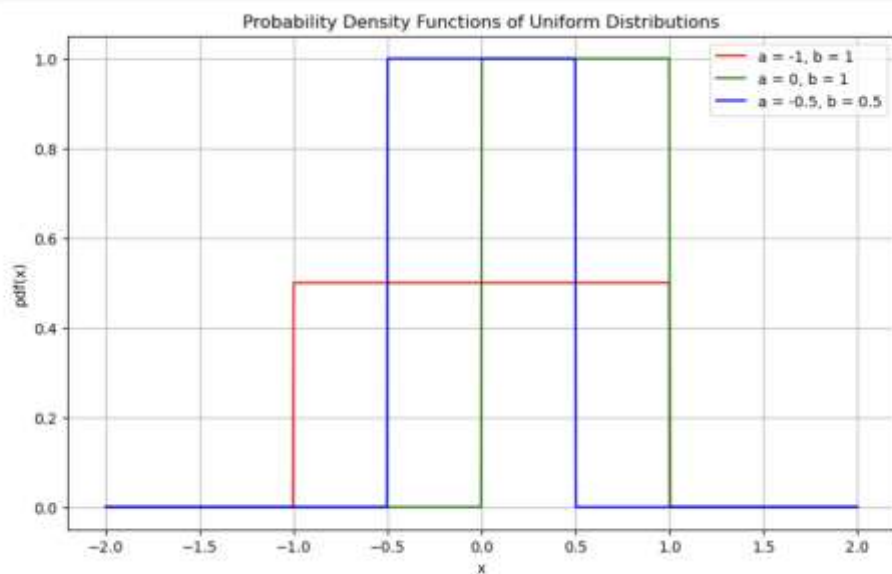
We need to compute $E((X-\mu)^3)$. Notice that the integrand $(x-\mu)^3$ is an odd function. Since the uniform distribution is symmetric about its mean μ , the integral of any odd function over the symmetric interval $[a, b]$ will be zero.

$$E((X-\mu)^3) = 0$$

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1 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
2
3 parameters = [(-1, 1), (0, 1), (-0.5, 0.5)]
4 colors = ['r', 'g', 'b']
5 labels = ['a = -1, b = 1', 'a = 0, b = 1', 'a = -0.5, b = 0.5']
6
7 x = np.linspace(-2, 2, 1000)
8
9 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
10 for i, (a, b) in enumerate(parameters):
11     pdf = np.where((x >= a) & (x <= b), 1/(b-a), 0)
12     plt.plot(x, pdf, color=colors[i], label=labels[i])
13
14 plt.title('Probability Density Functions of Uniform Distributions')
15 plt.xlabel('x')
16 plt.ylabel('pdf(x)')
17 plt.legend()
18 plt.grid(True)
19 plt.show()

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4.1

$$E(x) = \int_0^{\infty} \exp(-\lambda x) dx$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{\lambda} \exp(-\lambda b) + \frac{1}{\lambda} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\lambda}(0) + \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{\lambda}}}$$

4.2

$$E(x^2) = \int_0^{\infty} x^2 \cdot \exp(-\lambda x) dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{\lambda} x^2 \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} 2x \left(-\frac{1}{\lambda} x \cdot \exp(-\lambda x) \right) dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{\lambda} x^2 \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} - \left[\frac{1}{\lambda^2} 2x \cdot \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} 2 \left(\frac{1}{\lambda^2} \cdot \exp(-\lambda x) \right) dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{x^2}{\lambda} \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} - \left[2 \frac{x}{\lambda^2} \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} - \left[-2 \frac{\lambda^3}{\lambda^3} \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty}$$

$$= \left[\left(-x^2/\lambda - 2x/\lambda^2 - 2/\lambda^3 \right) \exp(-\lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(x) &= E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2 \\
 &= 0 - \left(\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)^2 \\
 &= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{\lambda^2}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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3 x = np.linspace(0,5,100)
4 lambdas = [1,2,10]
5
6 plt.figure(figsize=(7,5))
7 for lam in lambdas:
8     pdf = lam * np.exp(-lam*x)
9     plt.plot(x,pdf,label=f'lambda = {lam}')
10
11 plt.title('Probability Density Functions of Exponential Distributions')
12 plt.xlabel('x')
13 plt.ylabel('pdf(x)')
14 plt.legend()
15 plt.grid(True)
16 plt.show();

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