

EE5603:Conceention Inequalities

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1 CONVERGENCE

1.1 Definitions

• **Review** • the mc diamid's inequality from alot like the hoeffding's inequality

• can we express the difference $V = g(X^n) - E[g(X^n)]$ as a sum of V_i where V_i are such that:

$$(i) V = \sum_{i=1}^n V_i$$

$$(ii) V_i \text{ depend only on } X^i$$

$$(iii) \text{ given } X^{i-1}, \text{ there exist function } u, L_i \text{ such that}$$

$$[u_i - L_i \leq c_i] L_i \leq V_i u_i \quad (1.1)$$

Recall $u_i = \sup_{\lambda' \in X} E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda'] - E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}]$

$$L_i = \inf_{\lambda \in X} E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda] - E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}]$$

$$u_i - L_i = \sup_{\lambda' \in X} E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda'] - E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}]$$

$$\inf_{\lambda \in X} E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda] - E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}]$$

$$= \sup_{\lambda \in X} \sup_{\lambda' \in X} E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda'] - E[g(x^n)|x^{i-1}, \lambda]$$

$$= \sup_{\lambda \in X} \sup_{\lambda' \in X} \int [g(x^n|x^{i-1}, \lambda') - g(x^n|x^{i-1}, \lambda)]$$

$$dp x_{i+1}^n \quad (1.2)$$

$$\leq \sup_{\lambda \in X} \sup_{\lambda' \in X} \int |g(x^n|x^{i-1}, \lambda') - g(x^n|x^{i-1}, \lambda)| dp X_{i-1}^n \quad (\text{since } \int f - g \leq \int |f - g|)$$

$$\leq c_i \quad (\text{from bounded differences property})$$

$$\therefore u_i - L_i \leq c_i \text{ or } L_i \leq u_i \leq L_i + c_i$$

observation: mc diarmid's inequality is a poerful result since we only require,

- (i) independence of RVs... $x_1 \dots x_n$,
- (ii) $g(x^n)$ to satisfy bounded difference property

note that we did not impore any restrions on the distributions of x_i

• **Eform-stein inequality:**let

$$X_1, \dots, X_n \quad (1.3)$$

be indepentent RVs. let $\delta : x^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a square integrable function. let $z = f(x_1 \dots x_n)$

$$\text{Var}(z) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n E(z - E^i(z))^2 \quad (1.4)$$

$$E_i(z) = E(f(x^n)|x^i). \quad (1.5)$$

To dos

$$\bullet \Delta_i = E_i(z) - E_{i-1}(z)$$

$$\bullet Z - E[z] = \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta_i$$

$$\bullet \text{if } E^i(z) = \int f(x_1 \dots x_i - 1, x_{i+1} \dots x_n)$$

$$dp(x_i) E_i[E^i(z)] = E_{i-1}(z)$$

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