

数据科学与工程算法基础 习题3

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由于 $\mu = E(X), \sigma^2 = E[(X - \mu)^2]$

故由Chebyshev不等式可知

$$\begin{aligned}P(|X^*| \geq c) &= P\left(\left|\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}\right| \geq c\right) \\&= P(|X - \mu| \geq c|\sigma|) \\&\leq \frac{\sigma^2}{c^2\sigma^2} \\&= \frac{1}{c^2}\end{aligned}$$

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由 X_i 独立同分布可知

$$\begin{aligned}E(\bar{X}) &= E\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right) \\&= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i) \\&= \mu \\Var(\bar{X}) &= Var\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right) \\&= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n Var(X_i) \\&= \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\end{aligned}$$

故由Chebyshev不等式得

$$P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{\frac{\sigma^2}{n}}{\varepsilon^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n\varepsilon^2}$$

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(1) 易见 $X \sim b(n, \frac{1}{2})$

于是 $E(X) = \frac{n}{2}, Var(X) = \frac{n}{4}$

现取 $\varepsilon = \frac{n}{4}$, 则由Chebyshev不等式可知

$$P\left(\left|X - \frac{n}{2}\right| \geq \frac{n}{4}\right) \leq \frac{\frac{n}{4}}{\frac{n^2}{16}} = \frac{4}{n}$$

由二项分布的概率密度函数可知 $P(X \geq \frac{3}{4}n) = P(X \leq \frac{n}{4})$

故

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\left|X - \frac{n}{2}\right| \geq \frac{n}{4}\right) &= P\left(\{X \geq \frac{3}{4}n\} \cap \{X \leq \frac{n}{4}\}\right) \\ &= P(X \geq \frac{3}{4}n) + P(X \leq \frac{n}{4}) \\ &= 2P(X \leq \frac{n}{4}) \leq \frac{4}{n} \end{aligned}$$

也即 $P(X \leq \frac{n}{4}) \leq \frac{2}{n}$

当 $\frac{n}{4} \notin \mathbb{Z}^+$ 时,

$$P\left(X < \frac{n}{4}\right) = P\left(X \leq \frac{n}{4}\right) \leq \frac{2}{n}$$

当 $\frac{n}{4} \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ 时,

由于

$$P\left(X = \frac{n}{4}\right) = \binom{n}{\frac{n}{4}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{n}{4}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-\frac{n}{4}} = \binom{n}{\frac{n}{4}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n$$

故

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(X < \frac{n}{4}\right) &= P\left(X \leq \frac{n}{4}\right) - P\left(X = \frac{n}{4}\right) \\ &\leq \frac{2}{n} - \binom{n}{\frac{n}{4}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \end{aligned}$$

(2) 取 $\delta = \frac{1}{2}$

故由Chernoff不等式可知

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(X < \frac{n}{4}\right) &= P\left(X < (1 - \frac{1}{2})\frac{n}{2}\right) \\ &< \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4}\right\} \\ &= \exp\left\{-\frac{n}{16}\right\} \end{aligned}$$

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(1) 对任意 $t > 0$, 有

$$\begin{aligned} P(X > (1 + \delta)\mu) &= P(\exp\{tX\} > \exp\{t(1 + \delta)\mu\}) \\ &< \frac{\prod_{i=1}^n E(\exp\{tX_i\})}{\exp\{t(1 + \delta)\mu\}} \end{aligned}$$

而由 $1 - x < e^{-x}$ 可知

$$\begin{aligned} E(\exp\{tX_i\}) &= p_i e^t + (1 - p_i) \\ &= 1 - p_i(1 - e^t) \\ &< \exp\{p_i(e^t - 1)\} \end{aligned}$$

故

$$\prod_{i=1}^n E(\exp\{tX_i\}) < \prod_{i=1}^n \exp\{p_i(e^t - 1)\} = \exp\{\mu(e^t - 1)\}$$

于是

$$P(X > (1 + \delta)\mu) < \frac{\exp\{\mu(e^t - 1)\}}{\exp\{t(1 + \delta)\mu\}} = \exp\{\mu(e^t - 1 - t - t\delta)\}$$

要使得该式对任意 $t > 0$ 成立, 则左式应当小于右式的最小值。

令 $f(t) = e^t - 1 - t - t\delta$, 由 e^x 的单调性及 $\mu > 0$ 可知

$$\text{minimize}_t \exp\{\mu(e^t - 1 - t - t\delta)\} \leftrightarrow \text{minimize}_t f(t)$$

求导易知当 $t = \ln(1 + \delta)$ 时, $f(t)$ 取到最小值

因此

$$\begin{aligned} P(X > (1 + \delta)\mu) &< \exp\{\mu(\exp\{\ln(1 + \delta)\} - 1 - \ln(1 + \delta) - \delta \ln(1 + \delta))\} \\ &= \exp\left\{\mu \ln \frac{e^\delta}{(1 + \delta)^{1+\delta}}\right\} \\ &= \left(\frac{e^\delta}{(1 + \delta)^{1+\delta}}\right)^\mu \end{aligned}$$

(2)

Lemma: 当 $x > 0$ 时, $\ln(1 + x) \geq x/(1 + \frac{x}{2})$

Proof: 令 $f(x) = \ln(1 + x) - \frac{2x}{2+x}$

易见 $f(x) = \ln(1 + x) - 2 + \frac{4}{2+x}$

故 $f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x} - \frac{4}{(2+x)^2}$

由此可得唯一驻点 $x = 0$

而 $f(0) = 0, f(2) = \ln 3 - 1 > 0$

故对任意 $x > 0$, $\ln(1 + x) \geq x/(1 + \frac{x}{2})$

由 (1) 可知对任意 $\delta \in (0, 1)$, 有

$$P(X > (1 + \delta)\mu) < \left(\frac{e^\delta}{(1 + \delta)^{1+\delta}}\right)^\mu = \exp\{\mu(\delta - (1 + \delta) \ln(1 + \delta))\}$$

而由引理可得 $(1 + \delta) \ln(1 + \delta) \geq \frac{2\delta(1+\delta)}{2+\delta}$

因此

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由 $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} b(1, p)$ 可知

$$E(\bar{X}) = p, \text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n}p(1-p)$$

故由Chebyshev定理可得

$$P(|\bar{X} - p| \geq \varepsilon p) \leq \frac{1-p}{n\varepsilon^2 p}$$

因此

$$\begin{aligned} P(|\bar{X} - p| \leq \varepsilon p) &= 1 - P(|\bar{X} - p| \geq \varepsilon p) \\ &\geq 1 - \frac{1-p}{n\varepsilon^2 p} \end{aligned}$$

要使得 $P(|\bar{X} - p| \leq \varepsilon p) \geq 1 - \delta$ 成立, 则有

$$1 - \frac{1-p}{n\varepsilon^2 p} \geq 1 - \delta$$

也即

$$n \geq \frac{1-p}{\varepsilon^2 p \delta}$$