7장. 충분통계량 (Sufficient Statistics; S.S.)

Based on the observed data, we can make an inference about θ .

Statistic(통계량) : any function of X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n .

Summarize data:

$$\overline{X}$$
, S^2 , $X_{(1)} < X_{(2)} < \cdots < X_{(n)}$

i.e., any statistic is a data summarization

7.1 충분통계량 (Sufficient Statistic)

Statistical inference(통계적 추론): Derivation of information about the parameter θ from the given data $\textbf{\textit{X}}=(X_1\ X_2\ \cdots,X_n).$

즉, 주어진 자료 $\boldsymbol{X}=(X_1,X_2,\cdots,X_n)$ 로부터 모수 θ 에 대한 정보를 이끌어 내는 것

 Data reduction(자료 축약): 주어진 자료에서 모수에 대한 정보를 가진 부분만을

 간추려 전체 자료 대신에 축약된 정보만을 이용하여

 모수에 대한 추론을 함.

Sufficient Statistic(충분통계량)의 의미 이해를 위한 예문 설명 :

Let X, Y be random sample from $N(\theta, 1)$. We are going to do statistical inference for θ based on sample.

$$(X, Y) \xrightarrow{1-1} (X+Y, X-Y) \xrightarrow{data \ reduction} (X+Y)$$

Sufficient Statistic(충분통계량)의 의미 : 어떤 통계량 T(X)가 모수 θ 에 대해 가지고 있는 정보가 원 자료 X가 모수에 대해 가지고 있는 정보와 같음.

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Def 7.1 (Sufficient Statistic : 충분통계량)

A statistic T(X) is a sufficient statistic for θ if the conditional distribution of X given the values of T(X) does not depend on θ .

즉, 통계량 T(X)가 θ 에 관한 모든 정보를 담고 있어서 T(X)가 주어졌을 때 X의 조건부 분포가 θ 에 의존하지 않으면 T(X)를 θ 의 충분통계량이라 함.

• What is the condition distⁿ $P_{\theta}(X=x|T(X)=t(x))$??

$$\begin{split} P_{\theta}(X = x | T(X) = t \, (x)) &= \frac{P_{\theta}(X = x, T(X) = t \, (x))}{P_{\theta}(T(X) = t \, (x))} \\ &= \frac{P_{\theta}(X = x)}{P_{\theta}(T(X) = t \, (x))} \\ &= \frac{p \, (x | \theta)}{q \, (t \, (x) | \theta)} \end{split}$$

Where $p(x|\theta)$ is the p.m.f of X, $q(T(x)|\theta)$ is the p.m.f of T(X).

Ex 7.1 X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n : random sample from the Bernoulli(p). What is a sufficient statistic for p?

Sol.

$$X_{1, X_{2, \dots, X_n}} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f(x:p) = p^x (1-p)^{1-x}, \quad x = 0, 1$$

Let
$$Y = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$$
. Then, $Y \sim Bin(n, p)$

Joint p.m.f of
$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$$
: $p^{x_1}(1-p)^{1-x_1}p^{x_2}(1-p)^{1-x_2}\dots p^{x_n}(1-p)^{1-x_n}$
$$= p^{\sum x_i}(1-p)^{n-\sum x_i}$$

$$\begin{split} P\left(X_{1} = x_{1}, \ \cdots, X_{n} = x_{n} \ \middle| \ Y = y\right) &= \frac{P\left(X_{1} = x_{1}, \ \cdots, X_{n} = x_{n}\right)}{P\left(Y = y\right)} \\ &= \frac{p^{\sum x_{i}} \left(1 - p\right)^{n - \sum x_{i}}}{\left(\frac{n}{y}\right) p^{y} \left(1 - p\right)^{n - y}} &= \frac{1}{\left(\frac{n}{y}\right)} \end{split}$$

 \Rightarrow Distⁿ of X_1, \dots, X_n condition Y = y does not depend on p.

 $\Rightarrow Y = \sum X_i$ is a sufficient statistic.

Question. When we're finding a S.S., do we need to use the above approach? Are there any other simple methods to do that?

Answer. Using the above approach is not so simple. Luckily, there is a simple device proposed by Neyman.

: Factorization Theorem.

Thm 7.1 (Neyman's factorization theorem : 인수분해정리)

$$\begin{split} X_1, X_2, & \cdots, X_n & \overset{iid}{\sim} & f(\, \boldsymbol{\cdot} \,, \theta \,) \\ T &= t \, (X_1, \, \cdots, \, X_n) \text{ is a S.S for } \theta \\ &\Leftrightarrow f \, (x_1, x_2, \, \cdots, x_n, \theta) = g \big[\, T(x_1, x_2, \, \cdots, x_n), \theta \, \big] \, \boldsymbol{\cdot} \, h \, (x_1, x_2, \, \cdots, x_n), \end{split}$$
 where $h \, (x_1, x_2, \, \cdots, x_n)$ does not depend on θ .

Ex. 7.2

$$X_1, X_2, \, \cdots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} Poisson(\lambda)$$
. Show that $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is a S.S. for λ .

Sol.

$$f\left(x_{1},x_{2},\,\cdots,x_{n},\lambda\right)=\frac{\lambda^{\sum x_{i}}e^{-n\lambda}}{x_{1}!\ x_{2}!\cdots x_{n}!}=\left(\lambda^{\sum x_{i}}\,e^{-n\lambda}\right)\boldsymbol{\cdot}\left(\frac{1}{x_{1}!\ x_{2}!\cdots x_{n}!}\right)$$

 \therefore By factorization thm, $\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ is a S.S. for λ .

참고. Any one-to-one function of a S.S. is also S.S. Therefore, \overline{X} is also a S.S. for λ in Ex 7.2.

즉, 충분통계량의 일대일 함수는 모두 충분통계량이다.

Minimal Sufficient Statistic (최소충분통계량)의 개념 등장

Example.

$$X_1,X_2,\;\cdots,X_n\;\stackrel{iid}{\sim}\;N(\,\mu,\,1\,)\;\;,\quad -\,\infty\,<\,\mu\,<\,\infty.\;\;{\rm Find}\;\;{\rm a}\;\;{\rm S.S}\;\;{\rm for}\;\;\mu\,.$$

Sol.

$$\begin{split} f\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, \, \cdots, x_{n}, \theta\right) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{n/2}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum (x_{i} - \mu)^{2}\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{n/2}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum \left\{\left(x_{i} - \overline{x}\right) + (\overline{x} - \mu)\right\}^{2}\right] \\ &= \left\{\exp \left[-\frac{n}{2} (\overline{x} - \mu)^{2}\right]\right\} \cdot \left\{\frac{1}{(2\pi)^{n/2}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum (x_{i} - \overline{x})^{2}\right]\right\} \end{split}$$

 \therefore By factorization thm, \overline{X} a is S.S. for μ . Therefore, $\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ is also a S.S. for μ .

Ex. 7.4
$$X_1, X_2, \cdots, X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} U(0, \theta)$$
. Find a S.S. for θ .

Sol.

Ex. 7.5
$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} f(x|\theta) = e^{-(x-\theta)}, x > \theta$$

So1.

$$\prod_{i=1}^{n} f(x_i | \theta) = e^{-(\sum x_i - n\theta)} \operatorname{I}(\min x_i > \theta)$$
$$= e^{-\sum x_i} e^{n\theta} \operatorname{I}(\min x_i > \theta)$$

 \Rightarrow By factorization Thm, $\min X_i$: S.S. for θ .

Some other examples

• $f(x|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-\frac{x}{\theta}}$, $0 < x < \infty$

$$\prod_{i=1}^{n} f(x_i|\theta) = \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^{n} e^{-\frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}$$

By factorization Thm, $\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ is a S.S. for θ .

• $f(x|\theta) = \theta x^{\theta-1}$, 0 < x < 1

$$\prod_{i=1}^{n} f(x_i|\theta) = \theta^n \left(\prod_{i=1}^{n} x_i\right)^{\theta-1}$$

By factorization Thm, $\prod_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ is a S.S. for θ .

7.2 지수족 (Exponential family)

Examples: Binomial, Poisson, Negative binomial, Normal, Gamma, Beta, etc.

Def 7.2 (Exponential family of probability distribution : 지수족)

A family of pdfs or pmfs is called an exponential family if the pdf or pmf has the following form:

$$f(x|\theta) = \exp\{c(\theta)T(x) + d(\theta) + S(x)\},$$

or,
$$f(x|\theta) = g(\theta)h(x)\exp\{c(\theta)T(x)\}.$$

Example 1 : B(n, p)

$$f(x|p) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, \ x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$= \binom{n}{x} (\frac{p}{1-p})^x (1-p)^n$$

$$= \exp\left(x \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) + n \log(1-p) + \log\binom{n}{x}\right)$$

$$c(p) = \log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right), \ T(x) = x, \ d(p) = n\log(1-p), \ S(x) = \log\binom{n}{x}$$

: Exponential family.

Example 2:
$$f(x|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{1-\frac{x}{\theta}}, \ x > \theta > 0$$

==> It is not an exponential family

since
$$f(x|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{1-\frac{x}{\theta}} [I(x>\theta)]$$
 and $I(x>\theta)$ is a function of x and θ . That is, we can not separate this.

Note. If the support of a distribution family depends on parameters, it can not be an exponential family.

k-th exponential family

A family of pdfs or pmfs is called an exponential family if the pdf or pmf has the following form:

$$f(x|\theta) = \exp\left\{\sum_{j=1}^{k} c_j(\theta) T_j(x) + d(\theta) + S(x)\right\},$$
 or,
$$f(x|\theta) = g(\theta)h(x)\exp\left\{\sum_{j=1}^{k} c_j(\theta) T_j(x)\right\}.$$

and support is not dependent on θ .

Theorem (S.S. for exponential family of distⁿ)

$$X_{1,} X_{2,} \cdots, X_{n} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f(x|\theta) = \exp\left\{\sum_{j=1}^{k} c_{j}(\theta) T_{j}(x) + d(\theta) + S(x)\right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{1}(X_{i}), \sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{2}(X_{i}), \cdots, \sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{k}(X_{i})\right) : \text{S.S. for } \theta.$$

Ex. 7.3

$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$
. Show that $\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i, \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2\right)$ is a S.S. for (μ, σ^2) .

So1.

$$\begin{split} f\left(x_i, x_2, \, \cdots, x_n | \, \mu, \sigma^2\right) &= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}\right)^n \exp\left[\,-\sum_{i=1}^n \, (x_i - \mu)^2 / 2\sigma^2\,\right] \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}\right)^n \exp\left[\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}\right) \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{\,\,2} + \left(\frac{\mu}{\sigma^2}\right) \sum x_i - \frac{n\,\mu^2}{2\,\sigma^2}\,\right] \end{split}$$

: 2-nd Exponential family

 \therefore By factorization thm, $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}, \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{2}\right)$ is a joint S.S. for (μ, σ^{2}) .

Therefore, if we let
$$Y_1 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$$
 and $Y_2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i^2$, $\overline{X} = \frac{Y_1}{n} \& S^2 = \frac{Y_2 - Y_1^2/n}{n-1}$ is also a S.S. for (μ, σ^2) .

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7.3 완비통계량 (Complete Statistics)

Def 7.3 (Complete Statistics ; 완비통계량)

A statistic T(X) is called a complete statistic. if $E_{\theta}\left[g\left(T(X)\right)\right]=0 \text{ for all } \theta \text{ implies } P_{\theta}\left\{g\left(T(X)\right)=0\right\}=1 \text{ for all } \theta.$

Ex. 7.6 (Poisson)

 $X_1, X_2, \cdots, X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} Poisson(\theta)$. Show that $T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is a complete statistic for θ .

Sol.

Since
$$T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i \sim Poisson(n\theta)$$
, $E[g(T(X))] = 0$ implies

$$E_{\theta}[g(T(X))] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} g(k) \frac{(n\theta)^k e^{-n\theta}}{k!} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} g(k) \frac{(n\theta)^k}{k!} = 0.$$

That is,
$$g(0) + ng(1)\theta + \frac{n^2g(2)}{2!}\theta^2 + \frac{n^3g(3)}{3!}\theta^3 + \cdots = 0$$
 for all θ .

Therefore, $g(\cdot) \equiv 0$.

$$\therefore T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i \text{ is a complete statistic for } \theta.$$

Ex 7.7 (Binomial)

$$X_1, X_2, \cdots, X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} Bernoulli(p)$$
. Show that $T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ is a complete statistic for p .

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Sol.

 $T(X) \sim Bin(n,p)$. Let g be a ftn such that $E_p(g(T)) = 0$. Then,

$$\begin{split} 0 &= E_p(g\left(T\right)) = \sum_{t=0}^n g\left(t\right) \binom{n}{t} p^t (1-p)^{n-t} = (1-p)^n \sum_{t=0}^n g\left(t\right) \binom{n}{t} (\frac{p}{1-p})^t \\ &= (1-p)^n \sum_{t=0}^n g\left(t\right) \binom{n}{t} r^t, \quad 0 < r = \frac{p}{1-p} < \infty \\ &\Rightarrow g\left(t\right) = 0 \ \text{ for } \ t = 0, 1, \ ..., n \\ &\Rightarrow P_\theta\left(g\left(T\right) = 0\right) = 1 \end{split}$$

 $T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i$ is a complete statistic for p.

Ex 7.8 (Uniform)

 $X_1,\,X_2,\,\cdots,\,X_n \overset{iid}{\sim} U(0,\theta).$ Show that $T(X)=X_{(n)}$ is a complete statistic for θ .

Sol.

Recall that the pdf of $T(X) = X_{(n)}$ is

$$f_T(t) = n \frac{t^{n-1}}{\theta^n}, \ 0 < t < \theta.$$

E[g(T(X))] = 0 implies

$$E[g(T(X))] = \int_0^\theta g(t)n\frac{t^{n-1}}{\theta^n}dt = 0 \text{ for all } \theta > 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^\theta g(t)t^{n-1}dt = 0$$

differentiation with θ gives (양변을 θ 에 관해 미분) $\Rightarrow g(\theta)\theta^{n-1} = 0$

 $\therefore g(\theta) = 0$ for all $\theta > 0$. Hence, complete statistic.

Thm 7.2 (Complete Statistic for Exp'1 family)

 $X_1, X_2, \, \ldots \, , X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f(x|\theta)$ with the following exponential family :

$$f(x|\theta) = \exp\{c(\theta)T(x) + d(\theta) + S(x)\}.$$

Then,
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} T(X_i)$$
 is a C.S. for θ .

Def. (Complete Sufficient Statistic ; C.S.S. 완비충분통계량)

A sufficient statistic which has completeness is called Complete Sufficient Statistic. In exponential family, SS is also CSS.

Theorem (C.S.S. for exponential family of distⁿ)

$$\begin{split} X_{1,} & X_{2,} & \cdots, X_{n} & \stackrel{iid}{\sim} & f(x|\theta) = \exp\biggl\{\sum_{j=1}^{k} c_{k}(\theta) T_{j}(x) + d(\theta) + S(x)\biggr\} \\ & \Rightarrow \biggl(\sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{1}(X_{i}), \sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{2}(X_{i}), & \cdots, \sum_{i=1}^{n} T_{k}(X_{i})\biggr) : \text{C.S.S. for } \theta. \end{split}$$

Ex. 7.9 (Poisson)

$$X_1, X_2, \, \cdots \! , X_n \, \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \, Poisson(\theta).$$
 Find a CSS for $\theta.$

Fill out by yourself....