

Homework 4

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according to the n-dimensional exponential family definition, if $X = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ is n-dimensional exponential family, its p.d.f can be written as:

$$\exp[X^T \Lambda M(\theta) + S(X) + Q(\theta)]$$

where Λ is a $n \times n$ nonsingular constant matrix

$$X \sim N(\mu, \Sigma), \Sigma > 0 \text{ so: } f_\theta(X) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{n}{2}} |\Sigma|^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(X-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(X-\mu)\right\} = \exp[\ln(2\pi)^{-\frac{n}{2}}] \cdot \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}[X^T \Sigma^{-1} X - X^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu - \mu^T \Sigma^{-1} X + \mu^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu]\right\}$$

because Σ is symmetric positive definite matrices: $\mu^T \Sigma^{-1} X = X^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu$

so we can write it as:

$$f_\theta(X) = \exp[\ln(2\pi)^{-\frac{n}{2}} |\Sigma|^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{2} \mu^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu] \exp\left\{\mu^T \Sigma^{-1} X - \frac{1}{2} X^T \Sigma^{-1} X\right\}$$

$$C(\theta) = \exp[\ln(2\pi)^{-\frac{n}{2}} |\Sigma|^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{2} \mu^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu] Q_1(\theta) = \mu^T \Sigma^{-1} X^T \Sigma^{-1} X = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_i^2 \text{ where } a_{ij} \text{ are elements of } \Sigma^{-1} Q_2(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n$$

we can write $f_\theta(X)$ as:

$$f_\theta(X) = C(\theta) \exp\{Q_1(\theta) T_1(X) + Q_2(\theta) T_2(X)\} h(x)$$

so normal family are exponential family

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The answer is no. the log of the p.d.f. is:

$$\log f_\theta(X) = \log(\alpha\beta) + (\beta - 1)X - \alpha X^\beta$$

we can see that in the last term X and β can't be separated, so it can't be written as exponential family's form. Specialy if β equals 1, the distribution becomes exponential distribution, then it is an exponential family. But Weibull distribution is not.

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the joint distribution is:

$$p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = (2\pi\theta^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta)^2\right\} = (2\pi\theta^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{n\theta^2}{2\theta^2}\right\} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2\theta^2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - 2\theta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i\right)\right\} = (2\pi\theta^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{n}{2} + \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \frac{1}{2\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right\}$$

let:

$$t_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i t_2 = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 g(t_1, t_2, \theta) = (2\pi\theta^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{n}{2}\right\} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2\theta^2}(t_2 - 2\theta t_1)\right\}, \quad h(X) = 1$$

from factorized theorem, $T = (t_1, t_2) = (\sum_{i=1}^n x_i, \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2)$ is sufficient statistics. Further we can see it is one to one correspondence to statistics (\bar{x}, s^2) , so \bar{X} is sufficient statistic of θ

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- (1) Firstly we show that it is sufficient:\ From the conclusion in question 3, we know that (\bar{X}, S_X^2) is the sufficient statistics of (a, σ^2) , and (\bar{Y}, S_Y^2) is the sufficient statistics of (b, σ^2) , and:

$$S_X^2 = \frac{1}{m-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$$

is the sufficient statistic of σ^2

$$S_Y^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

is the sufficient statistic of σ^2

$$\text{so } S^2 = \frac{1}{m+n-2} [(m-1)S_X^2 + (n-1)S_Y^2]$$

is the sufficient statistic of σ^2

- (2) Secondly we show that it is sufficient:\ We have know that normal distribution is the exponential family, its natural form is:

$$f(x, \phi) = C^*(\phi) \exp\{\phi_1 T_1(x) + \phi_2 T_2(x)\} h(x), \quad h(x) \equiv 1, \quad \phi_1 = a/\sigma^2, \quad \phi_2 = -\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}, \quad \phi = (\phi_1, \phi_2). \text{ natural parameter space is :}$$

From the first proof we can say that (\bar{X}, \bar{Y}, S^2) is the sufficient and complete statistics of (a, b, σ^2)

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the joint distribution is:

$$p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \mu) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2\theta} e^{-\frac{|x_i|}{\theta}} = \frac{1}{(2\theta)^n} e^{-\frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|}$$

$$\text{let } T = \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i|, \text{ then } t = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$$

$$p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \mu) = \frac{1}{(2\theta)^n} e^{-\frac{1}{\theta} t} \text{let } g(t; \theta) = \frac{1}{(2\theta)^n} e^{-\frac{1}{\theta} t}, \quad h(x) = 1 \text{ is irrelevant with parameter } \theta$$

so from the factorized theorem we know that $T = \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i|$ is the sufficient statistic of θ \ Also we know the natural parameter space $\Theta^* = \theta : \theta > 0$ has interior point, so $T = \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i|$ is the complete statistic of θ too.

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(i) Firstly we have the joint p.d.f. is:

$$\prod_i^n p(x_i; \theta) = \begin{cases} (\frac{1}{\theta})^n & \theta \leq x \leq 2\theta \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases} = (\frac{1}{\theta})^n I_{\{\theta \leq x_{(1)} \leq x_{(n)} \leq 2\theta\}}$$

let $T = (t_1, t_2) = (x_{(1)}, x_{(n)})$, let $g(t, \theta) = (\frac{1}{\theta})^n I_{\{\theta \leq x_{(1)} \leq x_{(n)} \leq 2\theta\}}$, $h(x) = 1$, from the factorized theorem we know $(x_{(1)}, x_{(n)})$ is the sufficient statistics of θ

(ii) Secondly we show that it's not complete we can prove it by finding a function $\phi(x)$ which enables $E_\theta \phi(T) = 0$ but $\phi(T) \not\equiv 0$

let $Y_i = X_i/\theta$, then Y_i i.i.d $\sim U(1, 2)$ irrelevant with θ $Z = X_{(n)}/X_{(1)} = Y_{(n)}/Y_{(1)}$ is irrelevant with θ Let a b satisfies: $P(Z < b) > 0$

so $T(X) = (X_{(1)}, X_{(n)})$ is not complete.

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(i) the joint p.d.f. is:

$$p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \lambda, \mu) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\lambda} e^{-\frac{x_i - \mu}{\lambda}} I_{x_i > \mu} = \frac{1}{\lambda^n} e^{-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n\mu}{\lambda}} I_{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n > \mu} = \frac{1}{\lambda^n} e^{-\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n\mu}{\lambda}} I_{x_{(1)} > \mu}$$

let $(T_1, T_2) = (X_{(1)}, \sum_{i=1}^n X_{(i)})$

$(t_1, t_2) = (x_{(1)}, \sum_{i=1}^n x_{(i)}) p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \lambda, \mu) = \frac{1}{\lambda^n} e^{-\frac{t_2 - nt_1}{\lambda}} I_{t_1 > \mu} g(t_1, t_2; \lambda, \mu) = \frac{1}{\lambda^n} e^{-\frac{t_2 - nt_1}{\lambda}} I_{t_1 > \mu}$, $h(x) = 1$ is independent with μ

so according to factorized theorem, $(T_1, T_2) = (X_{(1)}, \sum_{i=1}^n X_{(i)})$ is the sufficient statistics for (λ, μ)

(ii) Let $Y_1 = X_{(1)}, Y_i = X_{(i)} - X_{(1)}, i = 2, 3, \dots, n$

$$Y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix} X | J = 1 f_{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_N}(X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, \dots, X_{(n)}) = n! f(x; \lambda, \mu) \text{ so } f_{Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_N}(y_{(1)}, y_{(2)}, \dots, y_{(n)}) = \frac{n!}{\lambda^n} \exp$$

we can have:

$$f_{Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_N}(y_{(1)}, y_{(2)}, \dots, y_{(n)}) = f_{Y_2, Y_3, \dots, Y_N}(y_{(2)}, y_{(3)}, \dots, y_{(n)}) f_{Y_1}(y_{(1)})$$

so Y_1 is independent with $\sum_{i=2}^n Y_i$, i.e. $X_{(1)}$ is independent with $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_{(i)} - X_{(1)})$