

4. If  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are iid random samples from  $f(x)$  (where  $f(x)$  is either the pdf or pmf). Find Fisher's Information for

a.  $f(x) = \lambda \exp(-\lambda x)$ ,  $(0 < x < \infty)$  Exponential Observations

b.  $f(x) = p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$ ,  $x=0,1$  Bernoulli

b.  $X \sim \text{Bin}(N, p) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(p) = \binom{N}{x} p^x (1-p)^{N-x}$

$$\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n}$$

$$I(p) = -E \left[ \frac{\partial^2 \ln \mathcal{L}(p)}{\partial p^2} \right]$$

$$= -E \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial p^2} \left[ \ln \left[ \binom{N}{x} \right] + x \ln p + (N-x) \ln(1-p) \right] \right]$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ x \ln p + (n-x) \ln(1-p) \right]$$

$$0 = \frac{x}{p} - \frac{(n-x)}{(1-p)}$$

Find MLE  
( $\hat{p}$ )

$$\boxed{\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n}}$$

Take 2nd Derivative

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ \frac{x}{p} - \frac{n}{1-p} + \frac{x}{1-p} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{x}{p^2} - \frac{n}{(1-p)^2} + \frac{x}{(1-p)^2}$$

↓ Fisher's Info

Noting

$$\frac{\partial(1/4)}{\partial y} = 1/4^2$$

$$I(p) = -E_X \left[ -\frac{X}{p^2} - \frac{n}{(1-p)^2} + \frac{X}{(1-p)^2} \right]$$

takes into account all values of  $x$

$$= - \left[ \left( -\frac{1}{p^2} \right) E[X] - \frac{n}{(1-p)^2} + \frac{1}{(1-p)^2} E[X] \right]$$

$$= \frac{E[X]}{p^2} + \frac{n}{(1-p)^2} - \frac{E[X]}{(1-p)^2}$$

$$E[X] = np$$

for  $X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$

$$= \frac{np}{p^2} + \frac{n}{(1-p)^2} - \frac{np}{(1-p)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n}{p} + \frac{n(1-p)}{(1-p)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1-p)^2 n + np(1-p)}{p(1-p)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n(1-p)[(1-p) + p]}{p(1-p)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n(1)}{p(1-p)} = E[I(p)] \quad \& \quad I(\hat{p})^{-1} = \frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}$$

$$\hat{p} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{I(\hat{p})^{-1}}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{x}{n}\right)\left(1 - \left(\frac{x}{n}\right)\right)}{n} \quad \&$$

$$CI \quad \frac{x}{n} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \sqrt{\frac{\frac{x}{n}\left(1 - \frac{x}{n}\right)}{n}}$$