Statistical Inference and Multivariate Analysis (MA324)

Lecture SLIDES
Lecture 01

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Syllabus

- Review of different transformation techniques, modes of convergence, law of large numbers, and central limit theorem; Sampling distributions based on normal distributions, multivariate normal distribution;
- Point estimation: sufficiency, Neymann-Fisher factorization theorem, unbiased estimation, method of moments, maximum likelihood estimation, consistency and asymptotic normality of maximum likelihood estimator;
- Interval estimation: confidence coefficient and confident level, pivotal method, asymptotic confidence interval, Bootstrap confidence interval;
- Hypothesis testing: type-I and type-II errors, power function, size and level, test function and randomized test, most powerful test and Neyman-Pearson lemma, likelihood ratio test, p-value; Multiple linear regression:
- Multiple linear regression: least squares estimation, estimation of variance, tests of significance, interval estimation, multicollinearity, residual analysis, PRESS statistic, detection and treatment of outliers, lack of fit; Multivariate analysis:
- Multivariate analysis: principle component analysis, factor analysis, canonical correlations, cluster analysis

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Books

Text Books

- R. V. Hogg, J. W. McKean and A. T. Craig, Introduction to Mathematical Statistics, 7th Ed., Pearson, 2013.
- D. C. Montgomery, E. A. Peck and G. G. Vining, Introduction to Linear Regression Analysis, 5th Ed., Wiley, 2012.
- R. A. Johnson and D. W. Wichern, Applied Multivariate Statistical Analysis, 6th Ed., Prentice Hall of India, 2012.
- R. V. Hogg, E. A. Tanis, D. L. Zimmerman, Probability and Statistical Inference, Pearson, 2015.

Reference Books

- V. K. Rohatgi and A. K. Saleh, An Introduction to Probability and Statistics, 3rd Ed., Wiley, 2015.
- G. Casella and R. L. Berger, Statistical Inference, 2nd Ed., Cengage Learning, 2006.
- N. R. Draper and H. Smith, Applied Regression Analysis, 3rd Ed., Wiley, 2000.
- S. Weisberg, Applied Linear Regression, 1st Ed., Wiley, 2005.
- T. W. Anderson, An Introduction to Multivariate Statistical Analysis, 3rd Ed., Wiley, 2012.

Grading Policy

- Weights in different examination are as follows:
 - Quiz I: 15%
 - Mid-semester Examination: 30%
 - Quiz II: 15%
 - End-semester Examination: 40%
- Penalty for illogical arguments during copy showing from obtained marks
 5%
- An F grade will be awarded if you obtain less than 20% of total marks after the end semester examination.



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| Outcome of the die | New position in \mathbb{R}^2 |
|--------------------|--|
| 1 | (0.8x + 0.1, 0.8y + 0.04) |
| 2 | (0.5x + 0.25, 0.5y + 0.4) |
| 3 | (0.355(x-y) + 0.266, 0.355(x+y) + 0.078) |
| 4 | (0.355(x+y) + 0.378, 0.355(y-x) + 0.434) |

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Statistical Regularity: Random to Deterministic...

- From totally meaningless movement to something meaningful in long run!
- See the final outcome-graph (repeating many times) of the above play in R-software.
- The beauty of Probability and Statistics is to get valuable information from Random Experiment which may seems meaningless at the beginning!
- The notion of getting something meaningful (regularity) from a random phenomena (experiment) is called Statistical Regularity.