

$$X \sim N(0,1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \Leftrightarrow \phi_X(t) = e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}}$$

Standard Normal $E[X] = 0, SE[X] = 1$

$$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim}, Z_n = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0,1)$$

(CLT)

Example:

$$Y = \mu + \sigma X, \sigma \in (0, \infty)$$

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\sigma} f_X\left(\frac{y-\mu}{\sigma}\right) = \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(y-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

$$f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(y-\mu)^2} = N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

"Normal"

$$E[Y] = \mu + \sigma E[X] = \mu$$

$$SE[Y] = \sigma SE[X] = \sigma$$

$$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} P, \text{ mean } \mu, \text{ variance } \sigma^2$$

$$T_n = X_1 + \dots + X_n \xrightarrow{d} N(n\mu, n\sigma^2)$$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n} \xrightarrow{d} N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right) \text{ if } n \text{ is "large enough"}$$

Proof:

$$\phi_Y(t) = e^{it\mu} \phi_X\left(\frac{t}{\sigma}\right) = e^{it\mu} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2\sigma^2}} = e^{it\mu - \frac{t^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

(Sol)

using convolution

Let $X_1 \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$ and $X_2 \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$

$$T = X_1 + X_2 \sim \int_{\mathbb{R}} f_{X_1}(x) f_{X_2}(t-x) dx$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma_1^2}(x-\mu_1)^2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma_2^2}(t-x-\mu_2)^2} dx = \dots \text{Bad}$$

using convolution is hard

Now let's use characteristic function

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_Y(t) &= \phi_{X_1}(t) \phi_{X_2}(t) = e^{it\mu_1 - \frac{\sigma_1^2}{2}t^2} e^{it\mu_2 - \frac{\sigma_2^2}{2}t^2} \\ &= e^{it(\mu_1 + \mu_2) - \frac{(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)}{2}t^2} \Rightarrow \end{aligned}$$

$$Y \sim N(\mu_1 + \mu_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

Example

$$X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2), Y = e^X = g(X) \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} x &= g^{-1}(y) \\ &= \ln(y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{supp}[Y] = (0, \infty)$$

$$\left| \frac{d}{dx} [g^{-1}(y)] \right| = \frac{1}{y}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y \sim f_Y(y) &= f_X(g^{-1}(y)) \left| \frac{d}{dy} [g^{-1}(y)] \right| \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \cdot \frac{1}{y} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(\ln y - \mu)^2} \\ &= \text{Log } N(\mu, \sigma^2) \end{aligned}$$

"log normal"

Example: You begin with Y amount of \$
 you invest it for t time periods.
 μ_R, σ_R^2 (iid)
 R_t is the rate of return (varies)

$$Y_1 = Y_0(1+R_1)$$

$$Y_2 = Y_1(1+R_2) = Y_0(1+R_1)(1+R_2)$$

$$Y_t = Y_0 \prod_{i=1}^t (1+R_i) = Y_0 e^{\ln\left(\prod_{i=1}^t (1+R_i)\right)}$$

$$= Y_0 e^{\sum_{i=1}^t \ln(1+R_i)} \quad \text{let } X_i = \ln(1+R_i) \quad \text{iid}$$

$$= Y_0 e^{\sum_{i=1}^t X_i} \quad \sum_{i=1}^t X_i \stackrel{d}{\sim} N(t\mu_X, t\sigma_X^2)$$

Note $e^{\sum X_i} \stackrel{d}{\sim} \log N(t\mu_X, t\sigma_X^2)$

Let $X \sim \log N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, $Y = aX \Rightarrow$
 $a \in (0, \infty)$

$$\begin{aligned} Y &\sim f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{a} f_X\left(\frac{Y}{a}\right) = \frac{1}{a} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left(\ln\left(\frac{Y}{a}\right) - \mu\right)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{Y} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left(\underbrace{\ln(Y) - (\mu + \ln(a))}_{\mu'}\right)^2} \\ &= \log N(\mu + \ln(a), \sigma^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$X_i = \ln(1 + R_i), \mu_R, \sigma_R^2$$

$$R = 0.03 = 3\%$$

$$X = \ln(1 + 0.03) = .0296$$

$$R = -0.05 = -5\% \Rightarrow X = \ln(1 - 0.05) = -0.0513$$

$$\Rightarrow X \approx R$$

$$\ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \approx x \text{ if } x \text{ small}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y_t = Y_0 e^{\sum X_i} \approx \log N(t\mu_R + \ln(Y_0), t\sigma_R^2)$$

Example: $R \sim N(10\%, 10\%)$

Start with \$1000, in 5 years what is the Probability you have more than \$1650?

$$\ln(1000) = 6.91$$

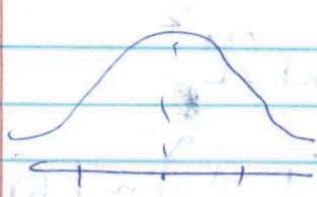
$$P(Y_t > 1650) = 1 - F_{Y_t}(1650) = 1 - \text{plnorm}\left(\frac{\ln(1650) - 6.91}{\sqrt{0.05}}\right)$$

$$Y_t \sim \log N(\underbrace{.5 + 6.91}_{7.41}, \underbrace{5 \cdot 10\%}_{.05})$$

If a quantity experiences normal percentage/proportional changes then the resultant quantity $\sim \log N$

let $Z \sim N(0,1)$, $Y = Z^2$, $\text{sup}[Y] = (0, \infty)$
 Not 1.1 so we can't use our formula

$$F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y) = P(Z^2 \leq y) = P(Z \in [-\sqrt{y}, \sqrt{y}])$$



$$= 2P(Z \in [0, \sqrt{y}])$$

$$= 2(F_2(\sqrt{y}) - F_2(0))$$

$$= 2F_2(\sqrt{y}) - 1$$

$$f_Y(y) = F'_Y(y) = 2 f_2(\sqrt{y}) y^{-1/2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(\sqrt{y})^2}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y/2} = \chi^2_1$$

Chi-Squared with degree of freedom = 1

Parameter = degree of freedom

$$\text{Let } \Gamma(x) = \int_0^\infty t^{x-1} e^{-t} dt$$

$$\Gamma(1/2) = \int_0^\infty t^{-1/2} e^{-t} dt \quad \text{let } u = \sqrt{t}, \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}$$

$$dt = 2\sqrt{t} du$$

$$\Gamma(1/2) = \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{t}} e^{-t} \cdot 2\sqrt{t} du = 2 \int_0^\infty e^{-u^2} du$$

$$\Gamma(1/2) = \sqrt{\pi}$$

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$$f_Y(y) = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1/2} y^{-1/2} e^{-1/2}}{\Gamma(1/2)} = \text{Gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{Let } z_1, z_2 \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(0, 1)$$

$$z_1^2 + z_2^2 \text{ Convolution of } \chi_1^2 \text{ and } \chi_2^2$$

$$= \text{Conv of Gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) \text{ and Gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$z_1^2 + z_2^2 \sim \text{Gamma}\left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right) = \chi_2^2$$

$$\stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Exp}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$z_1, \dots, z_k \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(0, 1)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k z_i^2 \sim \text{Gamma}\left(\frac{k}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) = \chi_k^2 =$$

$$\chi_k^2 = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{k}{2}} x^{\frac{k}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{k}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^{\frac{k}{2}}} \frac{\left(x^{\frac{k}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{k}{2}\right)}$$

$$\text{supp}[Y] = (0, \infty)$$

Let $X \sim \chi_k^2$, $Y = \sqrt{X}$, $g(y) = y^2$

$$\left| \frac{d}{dy} [g(y)] \right| = 2y$$

$$f_Y(y) = f_X(y^2) \cdot 2y = \frac{1}{2^{\frac{k}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{k}{2})} (y^2)^{\frac{k}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} 2y$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^{\frac{k}{2}-1} \Gamma(\frac{k}{2})} y^{k-1} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} \sim \chi_k$$

Check - done