

PS5_Solution

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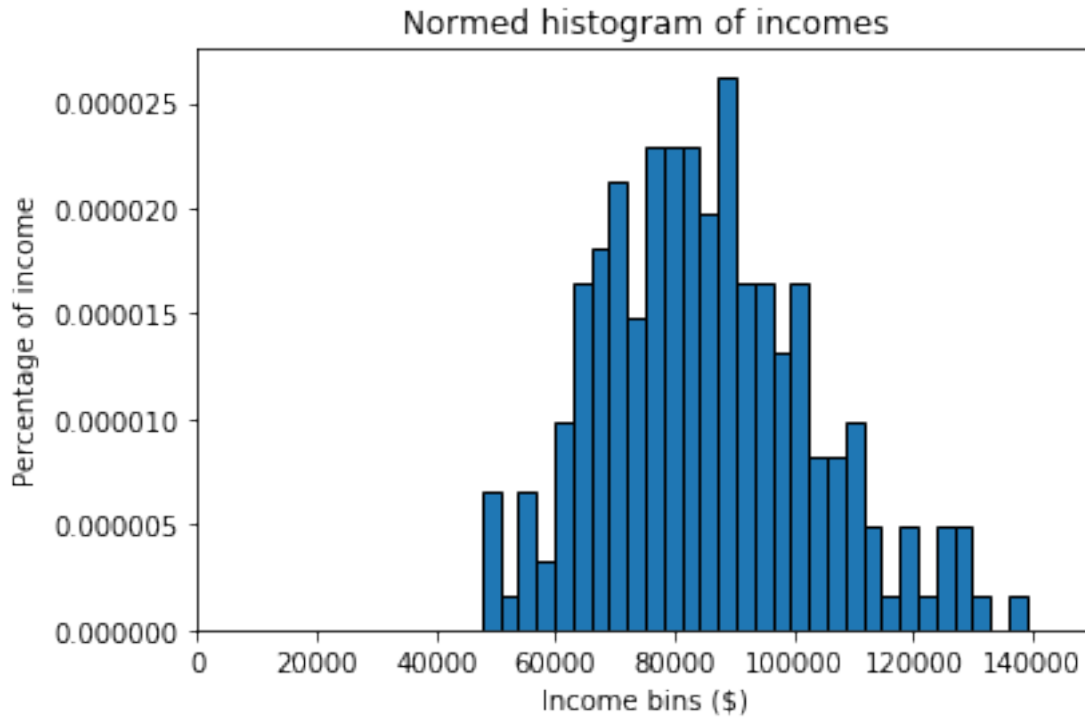
0.1.1 Problem 1

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In [99]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.stats import lognorm
from scipy.stats import describe
import scipy.optimize as opt
import scipy.integrate as integr
import pandas as pd
import numpy.linalg as lin
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In [100]: #load and check data
file = "data/incomes.txt"
incomes = np.loadtxt(file)
print(describe(incomes))
print(incomes[:5])
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DescribeResult(nobs=200, minmax=(47628.5606361183, 139079.3515487229), mean=85276.82360625811,
[53711.54439888 99731.23334901 84773.60541676 75184.025931
73390.9559334 ]
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In [101]: #Solution 1.a.
def plot_histogram(incomes, lb, ub):
    plt.hist(incomes, bins=30, density=True, edgecolor = "k")
    plt.xlabel("Income bins ($)")
    plt.ylabel("Percentage of income")
    plt.title("Normed histogram of incomes")
    plt.xlim([lb, ub])
lb, ub = 0, 150000
plot_histogram(incomes, lb, ub)
plt.show()
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In [102]: *#Solution 1.b.*

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def data_moments(xvals):
    mean_data = xvals.mean()
    std_data = xvals.std()
    return mean_data, std_data
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In [103]: `def model_moments(mu, sigma, lb, ub):`

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    xfx = lambda x: x * lognorm.pdf(x, s=sigma, scale=np.exp(mu))
    (mean_model, m_m_err) = intgr.quad(xfx, lb, ub)
    x2fx = lambda x: ((x - mean_model) ** 2) * lognorm.pdf(x, s=sigma, scale=np.exp(mu))
    (var_model, v_m_err) = intgr.quad(x2fx, lb, ub)
    return mean_model, var_model ** 0.5
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In [104]: `def err_vec(xvals, mu, sigma, lb, ub, simple=False):`

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    mean_data, std_data = data_moments(xvals)
    moms_data = np.array([[mean_data], [std_data]])
    mean_model, std_model = model_moments(mu, sigma, lb, ub)
    moms_model = np.array([[mean_model], [std_model]])
    if simple:
        err_vec = moms_model - moms_data
    else:
        err_vec = (moms_model - moms_data) / moms_data
    return err_vec
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In [105]: def criterion(params, *args):
            mu, sigma = params
            xvals, W, lb, ub = args
            err = err_vec(xvals, mu, sigma, lb, ub, simple=False)
            crit_val = err.T @ W @ err
            return crit_val

In [106]: mu_init, sig_init = 11, 0.5
            w_hat = np.eye(2)
            lb, ub = 0, 150000
            params_init = np.array([mu_init, sig_init])
            gmm_args = (incomes, w_hat, lb, ub)

            results = opt.minimize(criterion, params_init, args=(gmm_args),
                                   tol=1e-14, method='L-BFGS-B', bounds=((1e-10, None), (1e-10, 1e-10)),
                                   #because we are dealing with incomes, we bound the mean to be positive as well.

            print("GMM output:")
            print(results)

GMM output:
      fun: array([[5.08124726e-16]])
 hess_inv: <2x2 LbfgsInvHessProduct with dtype=float64>
       jac: array([2.27335761e-10, 4.17919932e-11])
 message: b'CONVERGENCE: REL_REDUCTION_OF_F_<=_FACR*EPSMCH'
        nfev: 54
         nit: 11
        status: 0
       success: True
          x: array([11.33691036,  0.21302707])

In [107]: mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1 = results.x
            fun_val = results.fun
            print("GMM estimates:")
            print("mu = {}, sigma = {}".format(mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1))

            print("Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:")
            #histogram plot
            plot_histogram(incomes, 0, 150000)
            #GMM estimates plot
            x_vals = np.linspace(0, 150000, 10000)
            ln_pdf = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM1, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM1))
            plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf, label="$\mu = {:.3f}$, $\sigma = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1))
            plt.legend(loc='upper left')
            plt.show()

            print("Minimized value of criterion function =", fun_val)

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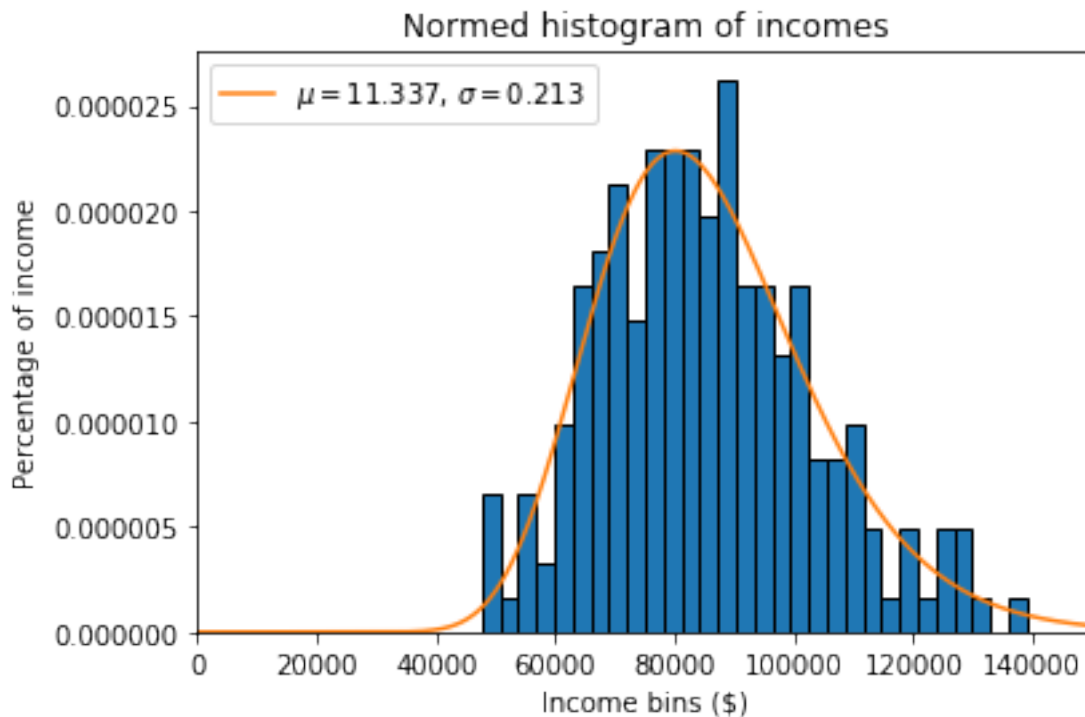
mu_data, sig_data = data_moments(incomes)
mu_model, sig_model = model_moments(mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1, lb, ub)
print("Data moments: Mean = {}, Std deviation = {}".format(mu_data, sig_data))
print("Model moments: Mean = {}, Std deviation = {}".format(mu_model, sig_model))

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GMM estimates:

mu = 11.336910355090003, sigma = 0.21302707020261832

Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:



Minimized value of criterion function = [[5.08124726e-16]]

Data moments: Mean = 85276.82360625811, Std deviation = 17992.542128046523

Model moments: Mean = 85276.8243593431, Std deviation = 17992.541754885773

We can notice that the model and data moments are almost the same.

In [108]: *#Solution 1.c.*

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def get_Err_mat2(xvals, mu, sigma, lb, ub, simple=False):
    R = 2
    N = len(xvals)
    Err_mat = np.zeros((R, N))
    mean_model, var_model = model_moments(mu, sigma, lb, ub)

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    mean_data, var_data = data_moments(xvals)
    if simple:
        Err_mat[0, :] = xvals - mean_model
        Err_mat[1, :] = ((mean_data - xvals) ** 2) - var_model
    else:
        Err_mat[0, :] = (xvals - mean_model) / mean_model
        Err_mat[1, :] = (((mean_data - xvals) ** 2) - var_model) / var_model

    return Err_mat

In [109]: Err_mat = get_Err_mat2(incomes, mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1, lb, ub)
          omega = (1 / len(incomes)) * (Err_mat @ Err_mat.T)
          w_hat2 = lin.inv(omega)

In [110]: lb, ub = 0, 150000
          params_init = np.array([mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1])
          gmm_args = (incomes, w_hat2, lb, ub)

          results = opt.minimize(criterion, params_init, args=(gmm_args),
                                tol=1e-14, method='L-BFGS-B', bounds=((1e-10, None), (1e-10, 150000)),
                                #because we are dealing with incomes, we bound the mean to be positive as well.)

          print("GMM output:")
          print(results)

GMM output:
    fun: array([[3.79714547e-16]])
    hess_inv: <2x2 LbfgsInvHessProduct with dtype=float64>
    jac: array([2.79723477e-08, 4.04651094e-09])
    message: b'CONVERGENCE: REL_REDUCTION_OF_F_<=_FACTR*EPSMCH'
    nfev: 9
    nit: 1
    status: 0
    success: True
    x: array([11.33691034, 0.21302707])

In [111]: mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2 = results.x
          fun_val2 = results.fun
          print("GMM estimates:")
          print("mu = {}, sigma = {}".format(mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2))

          print("Comparison of new GMM estimates with old estimates and histogram:")
          #histogram plot
          plot_histogram(incomes, 0, 150000)
          #new GMM estimates plot
          x_vals = np.linspace(0, 150000, 10000)
          ln_pdf2 = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM2, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM2))
          plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf2, label="$\mu_2 = {:.3f}$, $\sigma_2 = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2))

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#old GMM estimates plot
ln_pdf = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM1, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM1))
plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf, label="$\mu = {:.3f}$, $\sigma = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM1, sig_GMM1))
plt.legend(loc='upper left')
plt.show()

print("Minimized value of criterion function =", fun_val2)

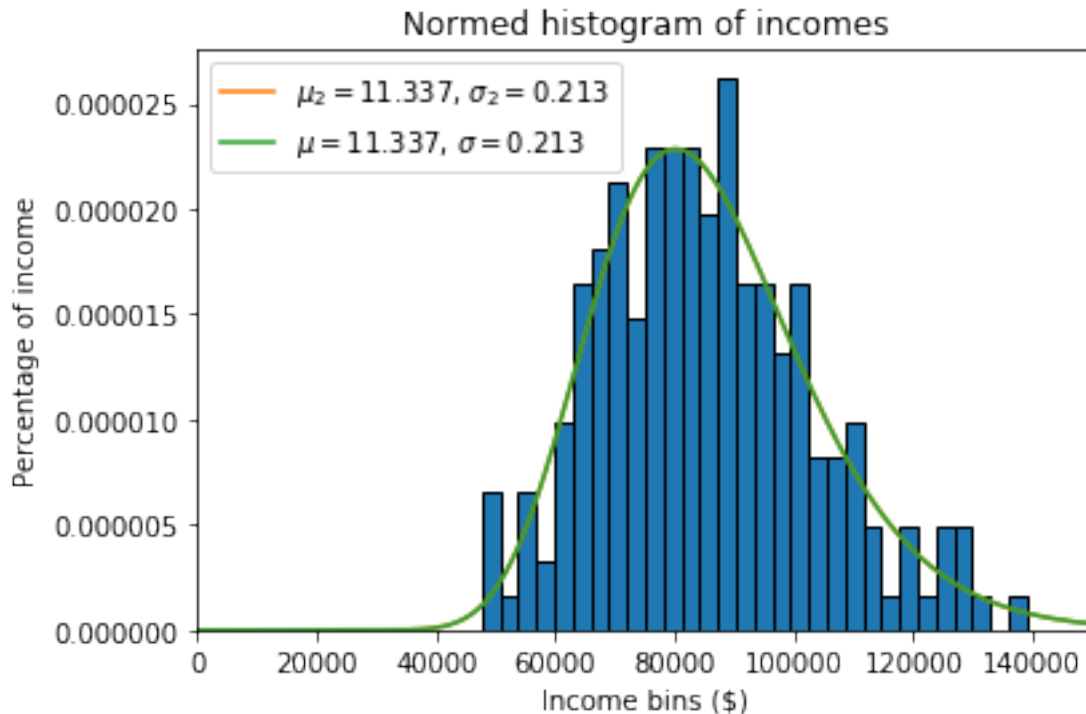
mu_data, sig_data = data_moments(incomes)
mu_model, sig_model = model_moments(mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2, lb, ub)
print("Data moments: Mean = {}, Std deviation = {}".format(mu_data, sig_data))
print("New model moments: Mean = {}, Std deviation = {}".format(mu_model, sig_model))

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GMM estimates:

mu = 11.336910341187366, sigma = 0.2130270704050046

Comparison of new GMM estimates with old estimates and histogram:



Minimized value of criterion function = [[3.79714547e-16]]

Data moments: Mean = 85276.82360625811, Std deviation = 17992.542128046523

New model moments: Mean = 85276.82326754981, Std deviation = 17992.541591523608

In [112]: #Solution 1.d.

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def data_moments2(xvals, pt1, pt2):
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data_less_pt1 = len(xvals[xvals <= pt1]) / len(xvals)
data_btw_pt1pt2 = len(xvals[(xvals > pt1) & (xvals <= pt2)]) / len(xvals)
data_more_pt2 = len(xvals[xvals > pt2]) / len(xvals)
return (data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2)

In [113]: def model_moments2(mu, sigma, pt1, pt2, lb, ub):
pdf = lambda x: lognorm.pdf(x, s=sigma, scale=np.exp(mu))
(mod_less_pt1, m1_err) = intgr.quad(pdf, lb, pt1)
(mod_btw_pt1pt2, m1_err) = intgr.quad(pdf, pt1, pt2)
(mod_more_pt2, m1_err) = intgr.quad(pdf, pt2, ub)
return (mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2)

In [114]: def err_vec3(xvals, mu, sigma, pt1, pt2, lb, ub, simple=False):
data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2 = data_moments2(xvals, pt1, pt2)
moms_data = np.array([[data_less_pt1], [data_btw_pt1pt2], [data_more_pt2]])
mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2 = model_moments2(mu, sigma, pt1, pt2)
moms_model = np.array([[mod_less_pt1], [mod_btw_pt1pt2], [mod_more_pt2]])
if simple:
    err_vec = moms_model - moms_data
else:
    err_vec = (moms_model - moms_data) / moms_data
return err_vec

In [115]: def criterion2(params, *args):
mu, sigma = params
xvals, W, pt1, pt2, lb, ub = args
err = err_vec3(xvals, mu, sigma, pt1, pt2, lb, ub, simple=False)
crit_val = err.T @ W @ err
return crit_val

In [116]: mu_init, sig_init = 11, 0.5
w_hat = np.eye(3)
lb, ub = 0, 300000
pt1, pt2 = 75000, 100000
params_init = np.array([mu_init, sig_init])
gmm_args = (incomes, w_hat, pt1, pt2, lb, ub)

results = opt.minimize(criterion2, params_init, args=(gmm_args),
                        tol=1e-14, method='L-BFGS-B', bounds=((1e-10, None), (1e-10, 1e10)),
                        #because we are dealing with incomes, we bound the mean to be positive as well.)

print("GMM output:")
print(results)

GMM output:
fun: array([[7.35878576e-16]])
hess_inv: <2x2 LbfgsInvHessProduct with dtype=float64>
jac: array([7.01556095e-07, 1.57984428e-07])
message: b'CONVERGENCE: REL_REDUCTION_OF_F_<=_FACTR*EPSMCH'
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nfev: 93
nit: 15
status: 0
success: True
x: array([11.33568133, 0.21059845])

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In [117]: mu_GMM3, sig_GMM3 = results.x
          fun_val3 = results.fun
          print("GMM estimates:")
          print("mu = {}, sigma = {}".format(mu_GMM3, sig_GMM3))

          print("Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:")
          #histogram plot
          plot_histogram(incomes, 0, 150000)
          #GMM estimates plot
          x_vals = np.linspace(0, 150000, 10000)
          ln_pdf = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM3, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM3))
          plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf, label="$\mu = {:.3f}$, $\sigma = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM3, sig_GMM3))
          plt.legend(loc='upper left')
          plt.show()

          print("Minimized value of criterion function =", fun_val3)

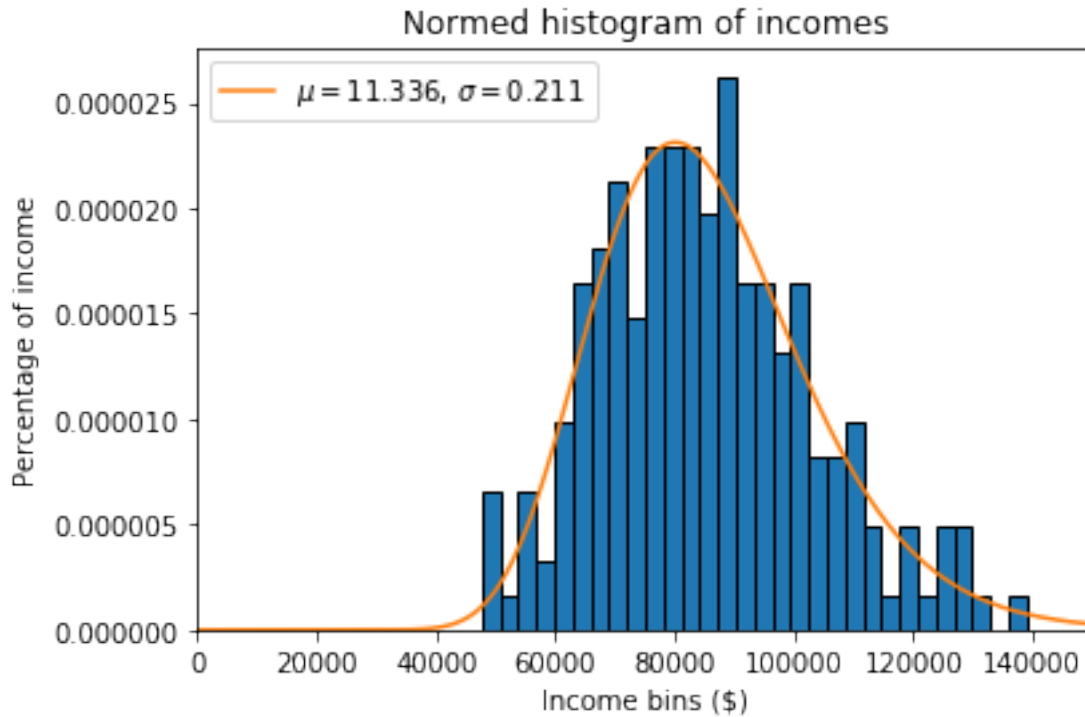
          data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2 = data_moments2(incomes, pt1, pt2)
          mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2 = model_moments2(mu_GMM3, sig_GMM3, pt1, pt2)
          print("Data moments:")
          print("% less than 75k = {}, % between 75-100k = {}, % more than 100k = {}".format(data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2))
          print("Model moments:")
          print("% less than 75k = {}, % between 75-100k = {}, % more than 100k = {}".format(mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2))

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GMM estimates:

mu = 11.335681332391584, sigma = 0.21059845381316233

Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:



Minimized value of criterion function = `[[7.35878576e-16]]`

Data moments:

% less than 75k = 0.3, % between 75-100k = 0.5, % more than 100k = 0.2

Model moments:

% less than 75k = 0.2999999955126631, % between 75-100k = 0.5000000072681828, % more than 100k = 0.2000000027318172

Here also, the model moments closely resemble the data moments

In [118]: *#Solution 1.e.*

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def get_Err_mat4(xvals, mu, sigma, pt1, pt2, lb, ub, simple=False):
    R = 3
    N = len(xvals)
    Err_mat = np.zeros((R, N))
    mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2 = model_moments2(mu, sigma, pt1, pt2,
                                                                    lb, ub)

    pts_in_grp1 = incomes <= pt1
    pts_in_grp2 = (incomes >= 220) & (incomes < 320)
    pts_in_grp3 = (incomes >= 320) & (incomes < 430)

    if simple:
        Err_mat[0, :] = pts_in_grp1 - mod_less_pt1
        Err_mat[1, :] = pts_in_grp2 - mod_btw_pt1pt2
        Err_mat[2, :] = pts_in_grp3 - mod_more_pt2
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        else:
            Err_mat[0, :] = (pts_in_grp1 - mod_less_pt1) / mod_less_pt1
            Err_mat[1, :] = (pts_in_grp2 - mod_bt看_pt1pt2) / mod_bt看_pt1pt2
            Err_mat[2, :] = (pts_in_grp3 - mod_more_pt2) / mod_more_pt2

        return Err_mat

In [119]: Err_mat4 = get_Err_mat4(incomes, mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2, pt1, pt2, lb, ub, True)
          omega2 = (1 / len(incomes)) * (Err_mat4 @ Err_mat4.T)
          w_hat2 = lin.pinv(omega2)

In [120]: lb, ub = 0, 300000
          pt1, pt2 = 75000, 100000
          params_init = np.array([mu_GMM2, sig_GMM2])
          gmm_args = (incomes, w_hat2, pt1, pt2, lb, ub)

          results = opt.minimize(criterion2, params_init, args=(gmm_args),
                                tol=1e-14, method='L-BFGS-B', bounds=((1e-10, None), (1e-10, 1e10)),
                                #because we are dealing with incomes, we bound the mean to be positive as well.)

          print("GMM output:")
          print(results)

GMM output:
      fun: array([[1.6431623e-11]])
 hess_inv: <2x2 LbfgsInvHessProduct with dtype=float64>
       jac: array([ 1.19964970e-11, -6.91448546e-12])
 message: b'CONVERGENCE: REL_REDUCTION_OF_F_<= _FACTR*EPSMCH'
       nfev: 57
        nit: 17
      status: 0
    success: True
         x: array([11.3356692 ,  0.21057505])

In [121]: mu_GMM4, sig_GMM4 = results.x
          fun_val4 = results.fun
          print("GMM estimates:")
          print("mu = {}, sigma = {}".format(mu_GMM4, sig_GMM4))

          print("Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:")
          #histogram plot
          plot_histogram(incomes, 0, 150000)
          #New GMM estimates plot
          x_vals = np.linspace(0, 150000, 10000)
          ln_pdf = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM4, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM4))
          plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf, label="$\mu_n = {:.3f}$, $\sigma_n = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM4, sig_GMM4))
          #Old GMM estimates plot
          ln_pdf = lognorm.pdf(x_vals, s=sig_GMM3, scale=np.exp(mu_GMM3))

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plt.plot(x_vals, ln_pdf, label="$\mu = {:.3f}$, $\sigma = {:.3f}$".format(mu_GMM3, sigma_GMM3))
plt.legend(loc='upper left')
plt.show()

print("Minimized value of criterion function =", fun_val4)

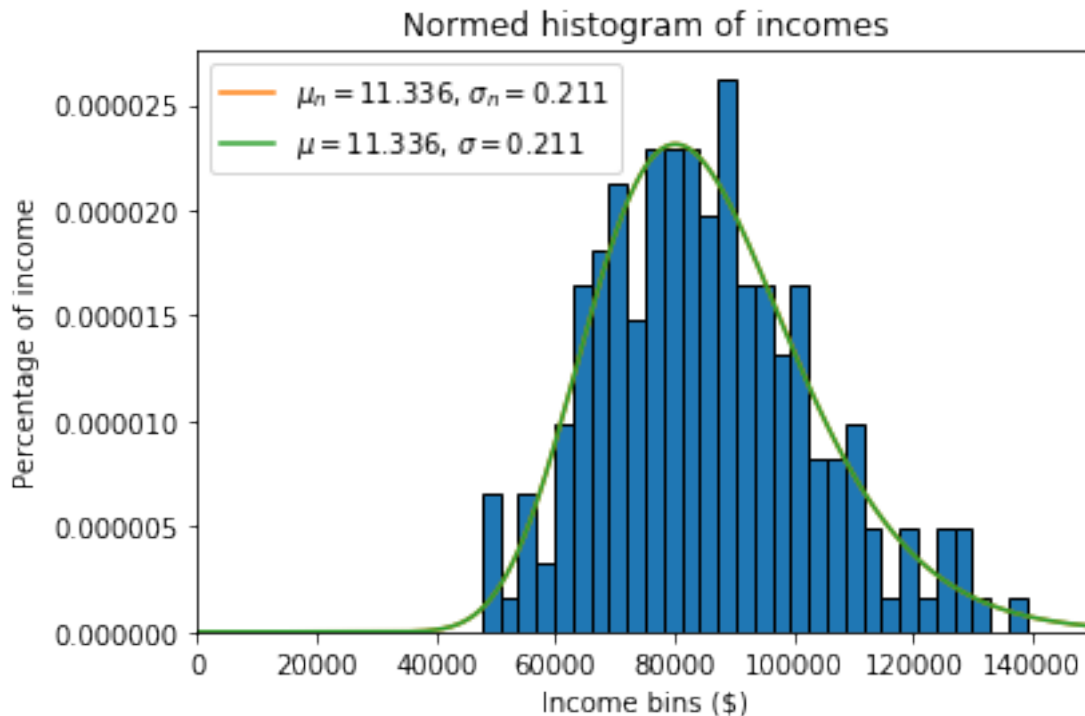
data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2 = data_moments2(incomes, pt1, pt2)
mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2 = model_moments2(mu_GMM4, sig_GMM4, pt1, pt2)
print("Data moments:")
print("% less than 75k = {}, % between 75-100k = {}, % more than 100k = {}".format(
    data_less_pt1, data_btw_pt1pt2, data_more_pt2))
print("Model moments:")
print("% less than 75k = {}, % between 75-100k = {}, % more than 100k = {}".format(
    mod_less_pt1, mod_btw_pt1pt2, mod_more_pt2))

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GMM estimates:

$\mu = 11.335669199550667$, $\sigma = 0.21057505061331083$

Comparison of GMM estimates with histogram:



Minimized value of criterion function = $[[1.6431623e-11]]$

Data moments:

% less than 75k = 0.3, % between 75-100k = 0.5, % more than 100k = 0.2

Model moments:

% less than 75k = 0.2999997646653617, % between 75-100k = 0.5000425530665106, % more than 100k

The following table summarizes the mean, variance and criterion function value for all the four methods:

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In [122]: mu = [mu_GMM1, mu_GMM2, mu_GMM3, mu_GMM4]
          sig = [sig_GMM1, sig_GMM2, sig_GMM3, sig_GMM4]
          fun = [fun_val, fun_val2, fun_val3, fun_val4]
          pd.DataFrame({"mu":mu,"sigma":sig,"GMM Fn Value":fun}, index=['model1', 'model2', 'model3', 'model4'])
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Out[122]:
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	mu	sigma	GMM Fn Value
model1	11.336910	0.213027	5.081247e-16
model2	11.336910	0.213027	3.797145e-16
model3	11.335681	0.210598	7.358786e-16
model4	11.335669	0.210575	1.643162e-11

The smallest error value is for model 2 for this data, i.e. the model with mean and standard deviation as moments and with the 2-step weighing matrix.

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In [123]: #Solution 2.a.
          df=pd.read_csv("data/sick.txt")
          print(df.head())
          print(df.describe())
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	sick	age	children	avgtemp_winter
0	1.67	57.47	3.04	54.10
1	0.71	26.77	1.20	36.54
2	1.39	41.85	2.31	32.38
3	1.37	51.27	2.46	52.94
4	1.45	44.22	2.72	45.90

	sick	age	children	avgtemp_winter
count	200.000000	200.000000	200.000000	200.000000
mean	1.008600	40.683850	1.674950	44.041250
std	0.504222	11.268686	0.969761	11.101977
min	0.040000	12.810000	0.000000	16.500000
25%	0.650000	33.967500	0.970000	36.112500
50%	0.960000	41.015000	1.560000	43.300000
75%	1.322500	47.750000	2.322500	52.172500
max	2.800000	74.890000	4.960000	68.600000

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In [124]: def err_vec(df ,b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3):
          y_model = b_0 + b_1 * df['age'] + b_2 * df['children'] + b_3 * df['avgtemp_winter']
          y_data = df['sick']
          err_vec = y_model - y_data
          return err_vec
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In [125]: def criterion(params, *args):
            b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3 = params
            df, W = args
            err = err_vec(df, b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3)
            crit_val = err.T @ W @ err
            return crit_val

In [126]: b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3 = 1, 0, 0, 0
            params_init = np.array([b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3])
            w_hat = np.eye(len(df))
            gmm_args = (df, w_hat)
            results = opt.minimize(criterion, params_init, args=(gmm_args), tol=1e-14, method='L-BFGS-B')
            results

Out[126]:      fun: 0.0018212898060782808
            hess_inv: <4x4 LbfgsInvHessProduct with dtype=float64>
            jac: array([ 1.63237479e-07, -1.97918938e-06, -5.83402684e-06, -5.58679839e-05])
            message: b'CONVERGENCE: REL_REDUCTION_OF_F_<=_FACTR*EPSMCH'
            nfev: 180
            nit: 11
            status: 0
            success: True
            x: array([ 0.25164486,  0.01293347,  0.40050098, -0.00999171])

In [127]: b_0_GMM, b_1_GMM, b_2_GMM, b_3_GMM = results.x
            fun_val = results.fun
            print('GMM estimates for parameters are:')
            print('b_0 =', b_0_GMM, 'b_1 =', b_1_GMM, 'b_2 =', b_2_GMM, 'b_3 =', b_3_GMM)
            print('Criterion function value =', fun_val)

GMM estimates for parameters are:
b_0 = 0.2516448636612042 b_1 = 0.012933470965564249 b_2 = 0.40050098470289774 b_3 = -0.00999171
Criterion function value = 0.0018212898060782808

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