

ORF524 - Problem Set 4

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Problem 1

1.

$$\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T (X\beta + \eta) = \beta + (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \eta$$

$$(X^T X)(\hat{\beta} - \beta) = X^T \eta$$

So

$$\hat{\beta} - \beta \sim \mathcal{N}(0, (X^T X)^{-1} X^T ((X^T X)^{-1} X^T)^T) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, (X^T X)^{-1})$$

$X^T X > 0$ so is $(X^T X)^{-1}$. There exist an orthogonal matrix U , and $D = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) > 0$ such that $(X^T X)^{-1} = U D U^T = (U \sqrt{D} U^T)^2$, where $\sqrt{D} = \text{diag}(\sqrt{\lambda_1}, \dots, \sqrt{\lambda_n})$. Let $L := U \sqrt{D} U^T = L^T$.

$$\hat{\beta} - \beta \sim L \mathcal{N}(0, I)$$

$$L^{-1}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, I)$$

$$P(\|L^{-1}(\hat{\beta} - \beta)\|^2 \leq z) = P(\chi_n^2 \leq z) = \Phi(z)$$

$$S(\hat{\beta}) = \{\hat{\beta} + u : \|L^{-1}u\| \leq z\}$$

$$z = \Phi^{-1}(1 - \alpha)$$

$$2. \|Ax\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2 \leq n \|A\|_2 \|x\|_\infty$$

$$\{\beta : \|A(\beta - \hat{\beta})\|_2 < r\} \subseteq \{\beta : \|\beta - \hat{\beta}\|_\infty < \frac{r}{n\|A\|_2}\}$$

So

$$P(\{\beta : \|\beta - \hat{\beta}\|_\infty < \frac{r}{n\|A\|_2}\}) \geq 1 - \alpha$$

3.

4. By taking the conditional probability in X and then summing over all possible values of X , we prove that the confidence sets still of level $1 - \alpha$.

$$P^{H_0}(T(x) = 0) = E_X^{H_0}[P^{H_0}(T(x) = 0|X)] \geq 1 - \alpha$$

Problem 2

$$\hat{\beta} = \beta + \frac{\eta}{n}$$

The procedure chooses the estimator of $S := \text{supp}(\beta)$, order the component of $|\hat{\beta}|$ in descending order $|\hat{\beta}_{j_1}| \geq \dots \geq |\hat{\beta}_{j_n}|$, and choose the set of k indices $\hat{S} = \{j_1, \dots, j_k\}$.

The probability of success is

$$\begin{aligned} P(\hat{S} = S) &= P(\forall i \notin S, j \in S |\hat{\beta}_i| \leq |\hat{\beta}_j|) \\ &\geq P(\forall i \notin S, j \in S |\eta_i| \leq |\eta_j + n\beta_j|) \\ &\geq P(\forall i \notin S, j \in S |\eta_i| \leq |\eta_j| - n\kappa) \\ &\geq P(\forall i \notin S, j \in S \eta_i \leq \eta_j + n\kappa) \\ &\geq P(\mathcal{N}(0, 1) - \mathcal{N}(0, 1) \leq n\kappa) \\ &\geq \Phi\left(\frac{n\kappa}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \end{aligned}$$

For this quantity to be bigger than $1 - \alpha$, n must be bigger than $\frac{\sqrt{2}\Phi^{-1}(1-\alpha)}{\kappa}$.

Problem 3

- (NB: \mathbb{R} is a $(1 - \alpha)$ -confidence set for θ .)

We look for an confidence set of the form $\hat{S}_\lambda = [\lambda \max x_i, \infty)$

$$P(\theta \in \hat{S}_\lambda) = P(\max x_i \leq \frac{\theta}{\lambda}) = (\frac{1}{\theta} \frac{\theta}{\lambda})^n = \lambda^{-n}$$

For \hat{S}_λ to be a $(1 - \alpha)$ -confidence set for θ , $\lambda = (1 - \alpha)^{-\frac{1}{n}}$.

- $P(m \in [x_{(1)}, \infty)) = P(x_{(1)} \leq F^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})) = 1 - P(\forall i x_i > F^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})) = 1 - (1 - F(F^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})))^n = 1 - \frac{1}{2}^n$
 $P(m \in (-\infty, x_{(n)}]) = 1 - P(\forall i x_i \leq m) = 1 - \frac{1}{2}^n$
 $A := [x_{(1)}, \infty)$, $B := (-\infty, x_{(n)}]$, $A \setminus B = (x_{(n)}, \infty)$, $B \setminus A = (-\infty, x_{(1)})$
 $P(m \in [x_{(1)}, x_{(n)}]) = P(m \in A \cap B) = 1 - P(m \in A^c \cup B^c) = 1 - P(m \in A \setminus B) - P(m \in B \setminus A) = 1 - \frac{1}{2}^{n-1}$

Problem 4

$$\beta_T(\mu) = E^\mu[T(x)] = P^\mu(|\mathcal{N}(\frac{\sqrt{n}(\mu - \mu_0)}{\sigma}, 1)| > z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) \quad (1)$$

$$= 1 - P(-\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}(\mu - \mu_0) - z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} < N(0, 1) < -\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}(\mu - \mu_0) + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) \quad (2)$$

$$= 1 + \phi(-\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}(\mu - \mu_0) - z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) - \phi(-\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}(\mu - \mu_0) + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) \quad (3)$$

$$\beta_T(\mu) \rightarrow_n 1$$

Problem 5

- For $p < p_0$, $P_p(T(x) = 0) \geq P_{p_0}(T(x) = 0) = P(\mathcal{B}(n, p_0) \geq nc_\alpha) = 1 - F(nc_\alpha)$
 $1 - F(nc_\alpha) = 1 - \alpha \iff c_\alpha = \frac{F^{-1}(\alpha)}{n}$

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Problem 6

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$$P^\theta(\theta \in S(x)) = P^\theta(T_\theta(x) = 0) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$- H_0 : (\mu, \sigma) = (\mu_0, \sigma_0), H_1 : (\mu, \sigma) \neq (\mu_0, \sigma_0)$$

$$T_{\mu_0, \sigma_0}(x) = 1_{\{\sqrt{n}|\bar{x} - \mu_0|/\sigma_0 > f(\alpha)\}}$$

$$S(x) = \{\theta | \sqrt{n}|\bar{x} - \mu_0|/\sigma_0 < f(\alpha)\}$$

is a $(1 - \alpha)$ -confidence set

Problem 7

1. If $T(x)$ a test of

Problem 8

– Let's consider the test

$$T(x) = 1_{\{\sqrt{n}|\bar{x} - \bar{y}| > t\}}$$

Under H_0 , $P(T(x) = 1) = P(|\mathcal{N}(0, 1)| > t) = 1 - (\Phi(t) - \Phi(-t)) = 1 - 2(\Phi(t) - \Phi(0)) = 2(1 - \Phi(t))$.

In order for the test to be of size $1 - \alpha$, $t = \Phi^{-1}(1 - \frac{1-\alpha}{2}) = \Phi^{-1}(\frac{1+\alpha}{2})$

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$$\frac{t + \mu_0}{\beta} \left| \begin{array}{c} T_{<} \\ -\sqrt{n}\Phi^{-1}(1 + \alpha) \end{array} \right| \left| \begin{array}{c} T \\ \sqrt{n}\Phi^{-1}(\frac{1+\alpha}{2}) \end{array} \right| \left| \begin{array}{c} T_{>} \\ \sqrt{n}\Phi^{-1}(1 + \alpha) \end{array} \right|$$

Problem 9

$$- E[g(X)] = \int g(x) \frac{1}{\sigma} f\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right) dx = \int g(\sigma(u + \mu)) f(u) du = E[g(\sigma(Y + \mu))]$$

For $g = \text{id}$, $(\text{id} - E[X])^2$,

$$E[X] = E[\sigma(Y + \mu)] = \sigma(\mu + \mu_Y)$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \text{Var}(\sigma(Y + \mu)) = \sigma^2 \sigma_Y^2$$

$$- Z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma}$$

Problem 10

$$P^{H_0}(T(x) = 1) = E_l[P(X > \theta_0 + z_\alpha \sigma_l) | l] \quad X \sim \mathcal{N}_l(\theta_0, \sigma_l^2) \quad (4)$$

$$= E_l[P(\theta_0 + \sigma_l N > \theta_0 + z_\alpha \sigma_l) | l] \quad N \sim \mathcal{N}_l(0, 1) \quad (5)$$

$$= 1 - \Phi(z_\alpha) = \alpha \quad (6)$$

$$P^{H_0}(T'(x) = 1) = P(l = 1) + P(l = 2)P(x > \theta_0 + z_{\frac{\alpha-p}{1-p}}\sigma_2 | l = 2) \quad (7)$$

$$= p + (1 - p)P(\theta_0 + \sigma_2 N > \theta_0 + z_{\frac{\alpha-p}{1-p}}\sigma_2) \quad (8)$$

$$= p + (1 - p)\Phi(z_{\frac{\alpha-p}{1-p}}) \quad (9)$$

$$= p + (1 - p)(1 - \frac{\alpha - p}{1 - p}) \quad (10)$$

$$= 1 - (\alpha - p) \geq 1 - \alpha \quad (11)$$