

Exercise 12

1. Consider the loglinear model (AB,C) with $I = J = K = 3$. In class we showed that setting the log-likelihood derivatives to zero leads to the following equations, where r, s , and t each range from 1 to 2:

$$(f_{r..} - n\pi_{r..}) - (f_{3..} - n\pi_{3..}) = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$(f_{..s} - n\pi_{..s}) - (f_{..3} - n\pi_{..3}) = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$f_{..t} - n\pi_{..t}) - (f_{..t} - n\pi_{..t}) = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$(f_{rs.} - n\pi_{rs.}) - (f_{r3.} - n\pi_{r3.}) - (f_{3s.} - n\pi_{3s.}) + (f_{33.} - n\pi_{33.}) \quad (4)$$

We showed further that (1)-(3) imply that for r, s , and t ranging from 1 to 3 we have

$$\hat{\pi}_{r..} = f_{r..}/n, \quad \hat{\pi}_{..s} = f_{..s}/n, \quad \hat{\pi}_{..t} = f_{..t}/n \quad (5)$$

We claimed that (1)-(4) together imply that for r, s , and t ranging from 1 to 3 we have

$$\hat{\pi}_{rs.} = f_{rs.}/n$$

Prove this claim. Hint: The proof is similar, although somewhat more complicated, to the proof of (4); it involves introducing some trivial equations and summing over equations.

2. The data file `ex12dat.txt` presents results from a study on satisfaction with a certain brand of beer. The first column is satisfaction (1=low, 2=medium, 3=high), the second is sex (1=male, 2=female), the third is age group (1=young, 2=old), and the fourth is the cell count. Denote A=satisfaction, B=Sex, C=Age. Attached is R code to fit the loglinear model (AB,C) using an R function for Poisson regression. Run the code and verify that the following relationships are satisfied:

$$\hat{\pi}_{ij.} = f_{ij.}/n, \quad \hat{\pi}_{..k} = f_{..k}/n$$