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Limits of Distⁿ. fⁿs.

It can be useful to approximate one prob. distⁿ by another, which is more convenient to handle.

- e.g. computing Binomial probs. for large n.

Can we use another distⁿ to appro. this?

Thus we are interested in the prob. distⁿ of a R.V. X_n as n increases.

Note: we express the approximation of prob. distⁿ of X_n in terms of distⁿ fⁿ, rather than pdf.

Thus let $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \dots$ be a sequence of R.V.s with corresponding distⁿ fⁿs.

$$F_1(x), F_2(x), \dots, F_n(x).$$

Now the limit $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_n(x)$ may or may not exist.

Even if it does, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_n(x)$ may not be a distⁿ fⁿ.

If the sequence of D.F.'s does converge to a fⁿ. $F(x)$ at each p.t. of continuity of $F(x)$, where $F(x)$ is a distⁿ fⁿ, then we say that the corresponding sequence of Random Var. x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots

converges in distⁿ or in law to the R.V. X whose distⁿ fⁿ is $F(x)$.

and we write

$$\text{or } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} X_n = X$$

Note: There are other types of convergence that may be defined for R.V.s — but these would be appropriate in a more advanced course.

why we demand convergence of $F_n(x)$ to $F(x)$ only at pts of continuity of $F(x)$:

- The following example will clarify this:

Let $X_n \sim N(0, \sigma_n^2)$, $\sigma_n \rightarrow 0$.

$$F_n(x) = P[X_n \leq x] = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_n} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_n^2}} dx$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_n(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & x = 0 \\ 1 & x > 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{as } \sigma_n \rightarrow 0.$$

Thus $F(x)$ is dis-cont. dis-cts at $x=0$.

At pts of cts of $F(x)$, we have $F(x)=0$ $x < 0$
 $F(x)=1$ $x > 0$

And we use the right continuity of $F(x)$ to say that we must have $F(0)=1$

i.e. $F(x)=0$ for $x < 0$

$F(x)=1$ for $x \geq 0$.

Thus $F_n(x) \rightarrow F(x)$ only at pts of cts continuity of $F(x)$. and the fact $F_n(x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$ at $x=0$ does not matter.

Note: If $x_n \xrightarrow{L} x$

this does not imply that the pdf of x_n converges to the pdf of x .

How do we find the limiting forms of distⁿ. fns?

One way is to find the D.F.s themselves and attempting to find the limiting form. Can be very difficult.

or through the use of chara. Faf^1 , relying on:

Continuity Theorem:

If the sequence of distⁿ. fⁿ. F_n(x) converges to a dist¹. f¹. F(x), the corresponding sequence of char. fⁿ's, ϕ_n(t) converges to the chara. fⁿ. ϕ(t) of F(x).

Conversely: If a sequence of cheara. f².s $\phi_n(t) \rightarrow \phi(t)$

which is cts at $t=0$, then $\phi(t)$ is a chara. $f^{\frac{1}{2}}$ s and the corresponding sequence of dist $^{\frac{1}{2}}$. $f^{\frac{1}{2}}$ s converges to the dist $^{\frac{1}{2}}$. $f^{\frac{1}{2}}$ determined by $\phi(t)$.

Application of the Theorem

We now illustrate the use of this theorem to show that if X_n is $\text{Bin}(n, p)$, then the limiting dist. of

$$\frac{X_n - np}{\sqrt{npq}} \text{ is } N(0, 1).$$

Proof: The chara. f. of X_n is $(pe^{it} + q)^n$

Thus, the chara. f. of $Z = \frac{X_n - np}{\sqrt{npq}}$ is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[e^{itZ}] &= E[e^{it \frac{X_n - np}{\sqrt{npq}}}] \\ &= E[e^{it \left(\frac{X_n - np}{\sqrt{npq}} \right)}] \\ &= E[e^{-it \cdot \frac{np}{\sqrt{npq}}} \cdot e^{it \cdot \frac{X_n}{\sqrt{npq}}}] \\ &= e^{-it \frac{np}{\sqrt{npq}}} \underbrace{\left(p \cdot e^{\frac{it}{\sqrt{npq}}} + q \right)^n}_{=} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left(p \cdot e^{\frac{it(1-p)}{\sqrt{npq}}} + q \cdot e^{-\frac{itp}{\sqrt{npq}}} \right)^n$$

$$\boxed{* = \left(p \cdot e^{\frac{itq}{\sqrt{npq}}} + q \cdot e^{-\frac{itp}{\sqrt{npq}}} \right)^n} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Taylor expansion} \\ \text{at zero.} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left[p \left\{ 1 + \frac{itq}{\sqrt{npq}} - \frac{t^2 q^2}{2npq} + o\left(\frac{t^2}{n}\right) \right\} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + q \left\{ 1 - \frac{itp}{\sqrt{npq}} - \frac{t^2 p^2}{2npq} + o\left(\frac{t^2}{n}\right) \right\} \right]^n. \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left[1 - \frac{t^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{t^2}{n}\right) \right]^n.$$

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, this char. $f^n \rightarrow e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}}$, which is a chara. f^{∞} for $N(0, 1)$.

Recall: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[1 - \frac{t^2}{2n} + o\left(\frac{t^2}{n}\right)\right]^n, \text{ the third item} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty. \\ & = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{t^2}{2n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + -\frac{t^2}{2n}\right)^{n \times -\frac{2n}{t^2} \times \frac{-t^2}{2n}} \\ & = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + -\frac{t^2}{2n}\right)^{-\frac{2n}{t^2} \times \frac{-t^2}{2}} = e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, using the continuity Theorem, the limiting prob. dist^{2.} of $Z \sim N(0, 1)$, and the limiting prob. dist^{2.} of X_n is $N(np, npq)$.

Therefore, $n \rightarrow \infty$ X_n is $\sim N(np, npq)$.

Notice that the R.V. in the above may be regarded as the sum of n indep. R.V.s.:

$$X_n = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$$

where each Y_i is a Bernoulli R.V., with mean p , variance $p(1-p)$.

Thus, we have shown that $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$ for large n is $\sim N(np, npq)$.

This result is a special case of the most important theorem

— Central Limit Theorem.

Examples on Normal approximation to Binomial.

Let $n=100$ $p=\frac{1}{2}$.

Now $E(X) = np = 50$

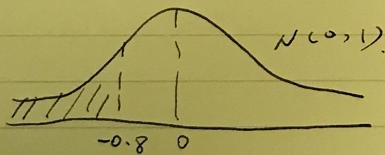
$\text{Var}(X) = npq = 25$

$$P[X \leq 46] = \sum_{k=0}^{46} \binom{100}{k} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{100} \rightarrow \text{mission impossible.}$$

Use $\bar{X} \sim N(np, npq)$.

Thus $\frac{\bar{X} - np}{\sqrt{npq}} \sim N(0, 1)$

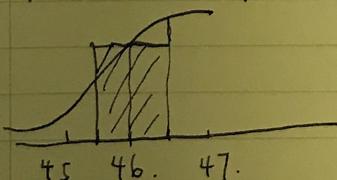
$$\text{Now } P[X \leq 46] = P\left[\frac{\bar{X} - np}{\sqrt{npq}} \leq \frac{46 - 50}{5}\right] \\ = P[Z \leq -0.8] = 0.2119$$



Exact answer from Tables of Binomial ($= 0.2421$)

The approx. does not seem very good. Can improve it by using A continuity correction:

Remember that the Bin. Dist² is discrete, while normal is its.



Regarding prob. associated with 46 as running from 45.5 to 46.5.

Thus

$$P[X_B \leq 46] = P[X_N \leq 46.5]$$

$$= P[Z \leq -0.7] = 0.2420.$$

Extremely close.

2nd Example: Much smaller $n=10$ $p=\frac{1}{2}$.

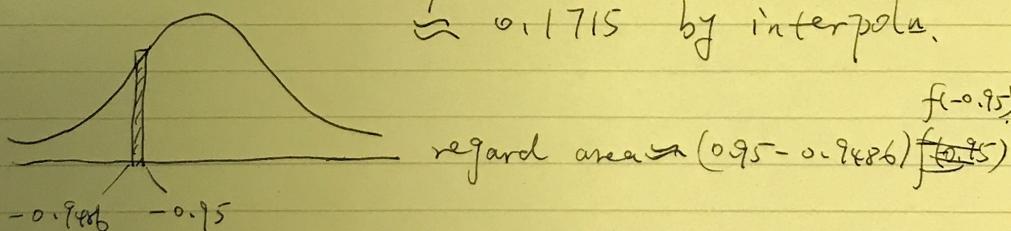
$$P[X \leq 3] = \sum_{k=0}^3 \binom{10}{k} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} = 0.1719.$$

Normal Approx.

$$P[X_B \leq 3] = P[X_N \leq 3.5] = P[Z \leq -0.9486]$$

check table $P[Z \leq -0.95] = 0.1711$.

≈ 0.1715 by interpola.



regard area $\approx (0.95 - 0.9486) f(-0.95)$

Suppose $p=0.1$, Would the approx. for $n=10$ be as good?

Central Limit Theorem

We state the theorem in its simplest form

Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a sequence of indep. and identically distributed R.V.s. such that

$E(X_i) = \mu$ and $\text{Var}(X_i) = \sigma^2$, both exist & finite.
Then the limiting dist. of

$(\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}})$ is $N(0, 1)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

where $\bar{X}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$

Proof: Let $\phi(t)$ be the char. f. $Z_i = \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}$

$$\Rightarrow E(Z_i) = 0, \quad \text{Var}(Z_i) = 1 = \frac{E[(X_i - \mu)^2]}{\sigma^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2} = 1.$$

\therefore 1st + 2nd moments of Z_i exist. ~~then~~
 \therefore 1st + 2nd derivatives of $\phi(t)$ exist - and
at $t=0$, we have

$$\phi'(t)|_{t=0} = 0; \quad \phi''(t)|_{t=0} = -1$$

We ~~can expand~~ can obtain taylor expansion
around $t=0$ up to (t^2) .

$$\text{i.e. } \phi(t) = 1 - \frac{t^2}{2} + o(t^2).$$

Now we consider

$$\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \sqrt{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma n}$$
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum Z_i = \sum \frac{Z_i}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Since the X_i are indep, so also are the Z_i and
the $\frac{Z_i}{\sqrt{n}}$.

chara. fⁿ. of $\frac{Z_i}{\sqrt{n}} = \phi\left(\frac{t}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{chara. f}^n. \text{ of } \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \left[\phi\left(\frac{t}{\sqrt{n}}\right) \right]^n$$

$$= \left[1 - \frac{t^2}{2n} + O\left(\frac{t^2}{n}\right) \right]^n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty}$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$, the above $\rightarrow \exp\left(-\frac{t^2}{2}\right)$

Thus by the Levy ~~et~~ continuity Theorem, we conclude

that the distⁿ. fⁿ. of $\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$ tends to the
Normal Dist². f². $\int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}} dt$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Note: we should stress that in any event, the R.V.
 $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum X_i$ will have mean μ (whether or not indep)
and variance σ^2/n , due to indep.

For large n , the CLT tells us something about the
shape of the distⁿ. of \bar{X}_n , - namely that it is
approx normal in shape.

Prob Distⁿ of Functions of a R.V.

Here we are concerned with the investigation of the prob. distⁿ of some f^n of a R.V. X .

Assume X 's prob. distⁿ is known and that the f^n . $y = u(x)$ has been specified. The distⁿ of $f^n y = u(X)$ is of interest.

If X is a discrete R.V. then Y is also discrete,
~~(independ)~~ regardless the $u(x)$.

$$X: x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k, \dots$$

$$\text{Probs: } f(x_1), f(x_2), \dots, f(x_k), \dots$$

$$u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, \dots$$

Then Y takes values $u(x_1), u(x_2), \dots, u(x_k) \dots$
with prob: $f(x_1), f(x_2), \dots, f(x_k), \dots$

Now it may happen that several value x_i give rise to same value of y .

Thus in general the prob. f^n of Y is given by

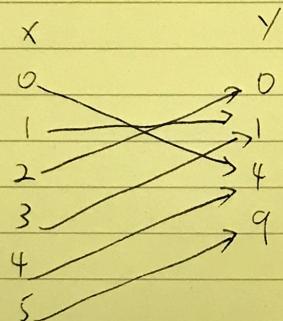
$$g(y_i) = \sum_{\substack{x_j \text{ for} \\ \text{which} \\ u(x_j) = y_i}} P[X=x_j]$$

Example:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} X: & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ \text{Probs: } & p_0 & p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & p_4 & p_5 \end{array}$$

Let the f^n be $u(x) = (x-2)^2$, determine prob.
 f^n of $y = u(X)$

Possible values :	0	1	4	9
probs:	P_2	$P_1 + P_3$	$P_0 + P_4$	P_5



If X is cts, then $y = u(X)$ may be discrete or cts, depends on $u(X)$.

- If X is cts, $y = u(X)$ is discrete.
e.g. $u(X) = \text{integer part of } X$.
or $u(x) = 1 \text{ for } x > 0$
 $= 0 \text{ for } x \leq 0$.

there it is again a simple matter to find the prob. dist² of $y = u(X)$.

Suppose Y may take on values y_1, y_2, \dots, y_k , then

$$P[Y = y_i] = \int_{\substack{\text{set} \\ u(x)=y_i}} f(x) dx.$$

pdf of X .

- Both $x + y = u(x)$ are cts.
Here there are ~~the~~ 3 techniques that may be used in finding the PDF of Y :

- 1) Cumulative dist². $\rightarrow f^u$.
- 2) MGF
- 3) Transformation Technique.

We will present examples to illustrate the application of each approach.

Suppose $X \sim N(0, 1)$ and $U(X) = X^2$

1) Now use CDF approach.

$$\begin{aligned} G(y) &= P[Y \leq y] = P[X^2 \leq y] \\ &= P[-\sqrt{y} \leq X \leq \sqrt{y}] = F_x(\sqrt{y}) - F_x(-\sqrt{y}) \\ &= \cancel{F_x(\sqrt{y})} \\ &= 2F(\sqrt{y}) - 1, \text{ since symmetry} \end{aligned}$$

Differentiate w.r.t. y .

$$\begin{aligned} g(y) &= 2 \frac{d}{dy} F(\sqrt{y}) = 2f(\sqrt{y}) \cdot \frac{1}{2} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{y^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{2^{\frac{1}{2}}} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Can check $g(y)$ is a pdf by

$$\begin{aligned} 07.03.2018. \quad &\int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{y^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{2^{\frac{1}{2}}} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} dy, \quad \text{let } \frac{y}{2} = t, \quad dy = 2dt. \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty t^{-\frac{1}{2}} e^{-t} 2 dt = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty t^{\frac{1}{2}-1} e^{-t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right), \quad \text{recall } \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}. \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

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

Recall: Gamma P df:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \frac{x^{\alpha-1}}{\beta^\alpha} e^{-\frac{x}{\beta}}$$

Thus above, we actually have a pdf of Gamma dist^u. with $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$, $\beta = 2$.

This particular form of the Gamma dist^u. is also known as

χ_1^2 Chi square dist^u. with 1 degree of freedom.

Note: General form of PDF for χ^2 is formed from Gamma by taking

$$\beta = 2 \text{ and } \alpha = \frac{n}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus } f(x) = \frac{1}{r(\frac{n}{2})} \frac{x^{\frac{n}{2}-1}}{2^{\frac{n}{2}}} e^{-\frac{x}{2}} \text{ for } x > 0,$$

parameter of this dist^u. family is n, termed the # of degree of freedom. shall see the reason later.

2) Using MGF: again $X \sim N(0, 1)$, $Y = u(X) = X^2$

$$E(e^{sY}) = E[e^{sX^2}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{sx^2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}x^2} dx$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(1-2s)x^2} dx, \text{ let } t = \sqrt{1-2s} x$$

$$= \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}t^2} dt}_{=1} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-2s}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-2s}}$$

$$MGF \text{ for Gamma is } = \frac{1}{(1-ps)^\alpha}$$

$\Rightarrow Y$ has a gamma dist^u with $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$, $\beta = 2$, as before.

Note: At this point it is opportunity ~~is~~ to mention that if $Z = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$ where $X_i \sim N(0,1)$, and X_i are indep.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } MGF(Z) &= \prod_{i=1}^n MGF(X_i^2) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{(1-2s)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = (1-2s)^{-\frac{n}{2}}, \end{aligned}$$

which is a Gamma with $\alpha = \frac{n}{2}$, $\beta = 2$, i.e. the χ_n^2 dist^u with n d.o.f.

Note: Mean and Variance for χ^2 .

We will quote these results here, since we have derived twice for Γ dist^u.

If $U \sim \chi_n^2$, then $E(U) = n$, ~~Var(U)~~
 $Var(U) = 2n$.

Since $E(\Gamma) = \alpha\beta$

$Var(\Gamma) = \alpha\beta^2$

We ~~saw~~ saw that $X_i \sim N(0,1)$, then $U = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$

(for X_i indep) has a χ^2 dist^u with n d.f.

Since ~~U~~ is a sum of i.i.d. R.V.s, whose 2nd moments exists, based on CLT, we claim:

$$\frac{U}{n} \sim N(1, \frac{2}{n}) \text{ for large } n,$$

$$\Rightarrow U \sim N(n, 2n).$$

(3) Transformation Technique.

We need the following result before we start:

Let X be a cts. R.V. with pdf $f(x)$. Let $Y = h(x)$ be a transformation s.t. $y = h(x)$ is strictly monotonic so that $x = h^{-1}(y)$ exists.
 strictly increase or decrease.

We further assume that $x = h^{-1}(y)$ has a derivative which is cts for all y in the range of h .

Then the pdf of Y exists and is

$$g(y) = \cancel{f(x)} \cancel{\frac{dx}{dy}}$$

$$g(y) = f(x) \left| \frac{dx}{dy} \right|$$

$$\underline{08.03.2018 f[h^{-1}(y)] \left| \frac{d}{dy} h^{-1}(y) \right|}$$

Proof:

Assume to begin with that $y = h(x)$ is monotonically increasing i.e. $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$, $\frac{dx}{dy} > 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } C(y) &= \text{Dist. of } Y \\ &= P[Y \leq y] = P[h(x) \leq y] \\ &= P[x \leq h^{-1}(y)] = \int_{-\infty}^{h^{-1}(y)} f(x) dx, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } x = h^{-1}(y), \quad dx = \frac{d h^{-1}(y)}{dy} dy$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^y f[h^{-1}(y)] \frac{d h^{-1}(y)}{dy} dy$$

$$\text{Thus } g(y) = f[h^{-1}(y)] \frac{dh^{-1}(y)}{dy}$$

$$= f(x) \frac{dx}{dy} \text{ where } x = h^{-1}(y)$$

Suppose now that $y = h(x)$ is monotonically \downarrow
i.e. $\frac{dx}{dy} < 0$

$$\text{Then } G(y) = P[Y \leq y] = P[h(x) \leq y] = P[x \geq h^{-1}(y)]$$

$$= \int_{h^{-1}(y)}^{\infty} f(x) dx, \text{ let } y = h(x), x = h^{-1}(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow dx = \frac{dh^{-1}(y)}{dy} dy.$$

$$= \int_y^{\infty} f[h^{-1}(y)] \frac{d}{dy} h^{-1}(y) dy \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{when } x=\infty, y=-\infty \\ x=h^{-1}(y), y=y. \end{array} \right.$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^y f[h^{-1}(y)] \left[-\frac{d}{dy} h^{-1}(y) \right] dy$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^y f[h^{-1}(y)] \left| \frac{dx}{dy} \right| dy.$$

Thus for monotonic $y = h(x)$

The pdf of $y = h(x)$ is given by

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

Frequently denoted by J and termed the Jacobian
of the transformation.
(Inverse).

Example: Suppose $X \sim R(0, 1)$, uniform distⁿ. on 0, 1.

and $Y = -\ln X$, wish to find pdf of Y .

$$y = h(x) : \underbrace{y = -\ln x}_{\text{monotonic}} \Rightarrow x = e^{-y} = h^{-1}(y)$$

$$f(x) = 1 \quad dx = -e^{-y} dy.$$

$$\text{Thus } g(y) = 1 \cdot \left| \frac{dx}{dy} \right| = e^{-y}$$

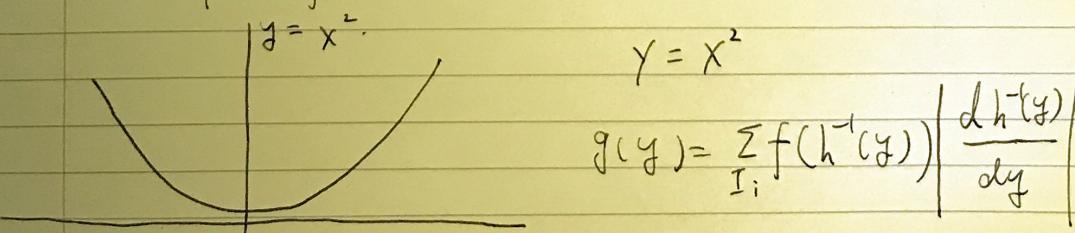
$\Rightarrow Y \sim \exp \text{ dist. on } (0, \infty).$

Note: Change of variable in an integral:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \quad \text{suppose } y = h(x) \Rightarrow x = h^{-1}(y) \\ = \int [f[h^{-1}(y)] \frac{dh^{-1}(y)}{dy}] dy. \quad dx = \frac{d}{dy} h^{-1}(y). dy.$$

Function of a R.V., when the transformation $Y = h(X)$ is not one-one., s.t. the inverse $X = h^{-1}(Y)$ is multi-valued.

Procedure: Partition S into intervals s.t. $y = h(x)$ is strictly monotonic in each interval \Rightarrow in each interval, the inverse is unique, each such interval contributes to the PDF of Y . — we add to contributions.



$$g(y) = \sum_{I_i} f(h^{-1}(y)) \left| \frac{dh^{-1}(y)}{dy} \right|$$

$$\text{Let } X \sim N(0, 1), \\ f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$$

$$\text{For } I_1: g_1(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{2} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right] \quad \text{For } I_2: g_2(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} \left[\frac{1}{2} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right] \quad g(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} y^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

Multi-variate Transformation.

There are corresponding results for the transformation of p R.V.s X_1, \dots, X_p into R.V.s Y_1, \dots, Y_p .

We shall state (without proof) the result for $p=2$:
Let X_1, X_2 be a pair of cts. R.V.s with joint pdf. $f(x_1, x_2)$ and let

$$y_1 = h_1(x_1, x_2)$$

$$y_2 = h_2(x_1, x_2)$$

be a 1-1 transformation of $(x_1, x_2) \in S$ onto $(y_1, y_2) \in T$ (which is one-one) such that the partial derivatives of $x_1 = h_1^{-1}(y_1, y_2)$ and $x_2 = h_2^{-1}(y_1, y_2)$ exist and are cts for all $(y_1, y_2) \in T$.

Then the joint pdf of (Y_1, Y_2) exists and is

$$g(y_1, y_2) = f[h_1^{-1}(y_1, y_2), h_2^{-1}(y_1, y_2)] / |J|,$$

where

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{is the Jacobian of the inverse transformation.}$$

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(or the Jacobian of (x_1, x_2) w.r.t. (y_1, y_2))
provided $J \neq 0$ on T .

Example :

Let X_1, X_2 be 2 R.Vs having Gamma dist²'s.

$$\text{i.e. } X_1 \sim \Gamma(\alpha_1, \beta)$$

$$X_2 \sim \Gamma(\alpha_2, \beta)$$

and let us assume that $X_1 + X_2$ are indep.

Suppose wish to find the joint dist². of the R.Vs

$$Y_1 = X_1 + X_2,$$

$$Y_2 = \frac{X_1}{X_2}, \text{ what is dist}^2 \text{ of } Y_1?$$

Need to find X_1, X_2 in terms of Y_1, Y_2 (for finding J)

$$\therefore X_1 = \frac{Y_1 Y_2}{1 + Y_2}$$

$$X_2 = \frac{Y_1}{1 + Y_2}$$

$$\text{Thus } J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial X_1}{\partial Y_1} & \frac{\partial X_1}{\partial Y_2} \\ \frac{\partial X_2}{\partial Y_1} & \frac{\partial X_2}{\partial Y_2} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{Y_2}{1 + Y_2} & \frac{Y_1}{1 + Y_2} - \frac{Y_1 Y_2}{(1 + Y_2)^2} \\ \frac{1}{Y_2 + 1} & \frac{-Y_1}{(1 + Y_2)^2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{-Y_1 Y_2}{(1 + Y_2)^3} - \frac{Y_1}{(1 + Y_2)^2} + \frac{Y_1 Y_2}{(1 + Y_2)^3}$$

$$= -\frac{Y_1}{(1 + Y_2)^2} \quad \text{notice } J \neq 0, \text{ for any } (Y_1, Y_2) \text{ in T.}$$

$$\text{and } |J| = \frac{Y_1}{(1 + Y_2)^2}$$

$$\text{Thus } g(y_1, y_2) = f(x_1, x_2) |J|^{-1} +$$

$f(x_1, x_2) = f_1(x_1) f_2(x_2)$, since x_1, x_2 indep.

Thus

$$g(y_1, y_2) = \left[\Gamma(\alpha_1) e^{-\frac{x_1}{\beta}} \frac{(x_1)^{\alpha_1-1}}{\beta^{\alpha_1}} \right] \left[\Gamma(\alpha_2) e^{-\frac{x_2}{\beta}} \frac{(x_2)^{\alpha_2-1}}{\beta^{\alpha_2}} \right] \int \frac{y_1}{(1+y_2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} e^{-\frac{x_1+x_2}{\beta}} \left(\frac{y_1 y_2}{1+y_2} \right)^{\alpha_1-1} \left(\frac{y_1}{1+y_2} \right)^{\alpha_2-1} \frac{1}{(1+y_2)^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}}$$

$$= \underbrace{\frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha_1+\alpha_2)} e^{-\frac{y_1}{\beta}} \frac{y_1^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2-1}}{\beta^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}}}_{\text{underbrace}} \underbrace{\frac{\Gamma(\alpha_1+\alpha_2)}{\Gamma(\alpha_1)\Gamma(\alpha_2)} \frac{y_2^{\alpha_2-1}}{(1+y_2)^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}}}_{\text{underbrace}}$$

$$= g_1(y_1) g_2(y_2)$$

i.e. we can factor the joint pdf of y_1, y_2 into the form $g_1(y_1) \times g_2(y_2)$

$\Rightarrow y_1, y_2$ are indep.

$\Rightarrow g_1(y_1)$ is the marginal pdf of y_1 ,
 $g_2(y_2)$ y_2 .

We know $g_1(y_1)$ is a Gamma pdf ~~is it~~, so we can tell since $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$,

$$C_{x_1} = \frac{1}{(1-s\beta)^{\alpha_1}}, \quad C_{x_2} = \frac{1}{(1-s\beta)^{\alpha_2}}$$

$$\text{s.t. } C_{x_1+x_2} = \frac{1}{(1-s\beta)^{\alpha_1+\alpha_2}}$$

Special Case of the result.

we have shown that $\sqrt{d} = \frac{n}{2}$, $\beta = 2$,
 the Gamma dist² is termed $\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}, 2)$ is termed as
~~the~~ χ_n^2 dist² with n degree of freedom.

Thus if $X_1 \sim \chi_{n_1}^2$ } indep
 and $X_2 \sim \chi_{n_2}^2$ }

$$\text{then for } Y_1 = X_1 + X_2 \text{ and } U_2 = \frac{\frac{X_1}{n_1}}{\frac{X_2}{n_2}} = \frac{n_2}{n_1} Y_2$$

we can derive the joint pdf of (Y_1, Y_2) .

Further, that $Y_1 \sim \chi_{n_1+n_2}^2$

easily show that U_2 has pdf $\frac{\Gamma(\frac{n_1+n_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n_1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{n_2}{2})} \left(\frac{n_1}{n_2} U_2\right)^{\frac{n_1}{2}-1} (1 + \frac{n_1}{n_2} U_2)^{\frac{n_1+n_2}{2}}$

and U_2 is said to have an F dist²; with n_1 and

(Fisher),

n_2 degree of freedom. i.e. F dist² is specified by
 2 para. n_1, n_2 .

Thus for the F dist².

$$g(u) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n_1+n_2}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n_1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{n_2}{2})} \left(\frac{n_1}{n_2}\right)^{\frac{n_1}{2}} \frac{u^{\frac{n_1}{2}-1}}{(1 + \frac{n_1}{n_2} u)^{\frac{n_1+n_2}{2}}} \quad \text{for } u > 0$$

Note: $E(U) = \frac{n_2}{n_2-2}$ for $n_2 > 2$.

$$\text{Var}(U) = \frac{2n_2^2(n_1+n_2-2)}{n_1(n_2-2)^2(n_2-4)} \quad \text{for } n_2 > 4$$

The t dist². (Student's t Dist².)

Suppose the R.V. $X \sim N(0, 1)$ and $U \sim \chi_n^2$, indep of X .

Suppose we form the new R.V.

$$T = \frac{X}{\sqrt{\frac{U}{n}}}$$

Find the dist² of T .

Consider the transformation from X, U to T, S , where

$$t = \frac{X}{\sqrt{\frac{U}{n}}}, \quad s = u,$$

$$\text{Inverse of transformation: } X = t \cdot \sqrt{\frac{s}{n}}, \quad u = s.$$

Jacobian of x, u w.r.t. t, s .

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} & \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial s} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{s}{n}} & \frac{1}{2}t\left(\frac{s}{n}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{s}{n}}.$$

Thus the joint pdf of T and s is

$$g(t, s) = f(x, u) |J| \text{ with } x = t \cdot \sqrt{\frac{s}{n}}, \quad u = s.$$

$$\text{indep. } f(x, u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{\frac{n}{2}}} s^{\frac{n}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{s}{2}} |J|$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{\frac{n}{2}}} s^{\frac{n}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{s}{2}(1+\frac{t^2}{n})} \sqrt{\frac{s}{n}}.$$

Marginal PDF of $T = \int_0^\infty g(t, s) ds$

$$\propto \int_0^\infty s^{\frac{n-1}{2}} e^{-\frac{t}{2}(1+\frac{s^2}{n})} ds.$$

↑
proportional to

$$\text{let } \delta = \frac{s}{2}(1 + \frac{t^2}{n}), \quad d\delta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \frac{t^2}{n}) ds.$$

$$\Rightarrow T \propto \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{2\delta}{1 + \frac{t^2}{n}} \right)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} e^{-\delta} \cdot \frac{2}{(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})} d\delta.$$

$$\propto \int_0^{\frac{n+1}{2}} \cdot \frac{2^{\frac{n+1}{2}}}{(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{\frac{n+1}{2}}} \cdot \delta^{\frac{n-1}{2}} e^{-\delta} d\delta.$$

Recall: $\Gamma(t) = \int_0^\infty x^{t-1} e^{-x} dx.$

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$$f_T(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi n} \Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{\frac{n}{2}}} \cdot \frac{\frac{n+1}{2}}{(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{\frac{n+1}{2}}} \Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right).$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n+1}{2})}{\sqrt{\pi n} \Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \cdot \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{t^2}{n})^{\frac{n+1}{2}}} \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

— known as the t distⁿ. with one para. n as degree of freedom.

It is symmetric $\Rightarrow E(T) = 0$.

$$\text{Var}(T) = \frac{n}{n-2} \text{ for } n > 2.$$

Sampling and Statistical Inference.

Up to know, much of the course material has been concerned with the theory and method of probability.

Now come to the concepts of statistics.

Recall: We began the course with random experiments

and its sample space, then to consider R.V.s,

Suppose a Random Exp. were to be repeated n times, resulting in observations:

x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n .

These obs. can provide information on underlying random exp.

Sampling: The process of gathering data from several performance of a R.E. is called sampling.

The individual items of data are termed observations.

The collection of observations is called a sample.

Prior to getting the numerical values of the observations, each individual "observation - to - be" has the potential for variability, and we regard each "observation - to - be" as a R.V.

We'll ~~most~~ mainly focus on obsⁿ. on a single variable. i.e. univariate statistics.

Random sampling and statistical Inference.

Typical sampling process that arise in practice are as follows:

- 1) We have a finite collection of objects — a population.

Objects are drawn one at a time, all those in the population having equal chance of selection.

When an object is drawn, some characteristic associate with the object may be observed.

— object is then replaced — and population mixed before next drawing.

- 2) Finite population again, but unlike 1), the object is not replaced after each drawing.

- 3) The observations are obtained as the result of repeated indep. performances of an experiment, where the conditions of the experiment (that can be controlled) are kept constant.

e.g. measuring {
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the speed of light.

Testing a new alloy under stress conditions.

We have already used X to denote the R.V.s associated with the random experiment.

\Rightarrow can regard a sample. as a set of obs. of the R.V. X .

The prob. of X is determined by the pattern of dist^u of values in the population.

We refer to the prob. dist^u of X as the population dist^u.

Before the observations in a sample are made, we have in mind to observe X n times, or alternatively to observe X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n .

[When these n R.V.s are indep. and identically dist^u. (i.i.d), the term Random sample is used to refer to the n obs. on the R.V. X .

Thus if the distⁿ of X in the population β characterised by pdf $f(x)$, we have the following def^y:

If the R.V.s X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n have a joint pdf $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i)$, where

$f(\cdot)$ is the common pdf of X_i , then the R.Vs X_i are said to constitute a random sample of size n from the population characterized by $f(\cdot)$.

One of the central problems in statistics is to determine the form of the density $f(\cdot)$ from the obs.ⁿ x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n .

We shall see that in many instances, $f(\cdot)$ is a known f^y. of certain unknown parameter θ and our task is to find good estimates for $\underline{\theta}$.

e.g. If we could assume that the blood-pressure of a popⁿ. of students were normally distⁿ. (but μ, σ unknown) then we shall attempt to estimate μ & σ , which are the mean and SD characterising the popⁿ.

Statistical Inference. is concerned with making

statements concerning the popⁿ. on the basis of
sample observations.

It is customary to subdivide the main study area of stat. inference as follows:

(1) Estimation

How should we provide an estimate for a certain char. of a popⁿ.

How do we choose among alternative estimates.

(2) Hypothesis Testing.

How do we determine whether our obsⁿ's are consistent with certain assumptions — or hypothesis about the popⁿ.

(3) Decision Theory.

We have some process we wish to control. Obsⁿ's are taken and resulting from an analysis of the obsⁿ's, an action follows to keep the process in control.

e.g. Machine filling commodity into containers.

The filled package are examined periodically and action may follow.

Note: In this course, no time for depth study of these areas — in remaining time shall ~~be~~ cont. on the theory & application of more common and useful statistical procedure.

Some Terminologies.

Statistics:

A statistic is any known fⁿ. of observable random variables — does not involve any unknown parameters.

e.g. Random sample: x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n from distⁿ. with p.d.f. $f(x)$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n}; \quad \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}$$

$\frac{x_1 + x_n}{2}, x_n - x_1$ are all statistics.

But $\bar{x} - \mu, \frac{x_n - x_1}{\sigma}$ are not stat. unless μ, σ are known.

Sample moments

Sample moments about origin.

$$m'_1 = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} = \bar{x},$$

$$m'_2 = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{n}$$

$$m'_r = \frac{\sum x_i^r}{n}$$

Corresponding sample moments about sample mean are:

$$m_1 = 0 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})}{n}$$

$$m_2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

$$m_r = \frac{1}{n} \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^r$$

[It is useful to find the expected value of these sample moments — these expected values can be found providing the corresponding popⁿ. moments exist.]

$$\text{eg. } m_1' = E[m'] = E[\bar{X}] = E\left[\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right] \\ = \frac{1}{n} \times \sum E[X_i] = \frac{1}{n} \cdot n\mu \\ = \mu.$$

$$E[m_2'] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i^2\right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum E[X_i^2] = \mu_2'$$

$$E[m_r'] = \mu_r'$$

The sample moments about the origin are said to be unbiased.

Sample moments about sample mean

$$E[m_2] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2\right] = \frac{1}{n} E\left[\sum X_i^2 - n(\bar{X})^2\right] \\ = \frac{1}{n} \left\{ \sum E[X_i^2] - n E[\bar{X}^2] \right\} \\ = \frac{1}{n} \left\{ n(\sigma^2 + \mu^2) - n E(\bar{X}^2) \right\}$$

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$$E(\bar{X}^2) = \frac{1}{n^2} E\left[\left(\sum X_i\right)^2\right] = \frac{1}{n^2} E\left[\sum X_i^2 + 2 \sum_{i>j} \sum X_i X_j\right] \\ = \frac{1}{n^2} \left\{ \sum E(X_i^2) + 2 \sum_{i>j} \sum E(X_i) E(X_j) \right\} \\ = \frac{1}{n^2} \left\{ n(\sigma^2 + \mu^2) + 2n(n-1)\mu^2 \right\} \\ = \frac{1}{n} \left\{ \sigma^2 + \mu^2 + n\mu^2 - \mu^2 \right\} = \mu^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$E(m_2) = \frac{1}{n} \{ n(\sigma^2 + \mu^2) - n\mu^2 - \sigma^2 \} = \frac{n-1}{n} \sigma^2$$

$$= \frac{n-1}{n} \text{var}_x.$$

or $E[\bar{X}^2] = \text{Var}(\bar{X}) + (\mu)^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \mu^2.$

Estimator

An Estimator for a $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{dist}^n \\ \text{pop}^n, \text{ para.} \end{array} \right\}$ is a statistic

that may be used to provide an estimate for the parameter.

e.g. it seems intuitive to use \bar{X} as an estimate of μ and m_2 as \dots m_2 .

But $E(m_2) = \frac{n-1}{n} \cdot \mu^2$ and because of this m_2 is said to be a biased estimator of μ^2 but \bar{X} is unbiased estimator of μ .

Unbiased estimator of μ^2 is $\frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}$.

— refer to this as the sample variance and

denote as S^2 .

You need to distinguish.

the moment of $\text{pop}^n, \text{ dist}^n$: The pop^1 moment.

.. Sample distⁿ: The sample moment

Pop^n moments.

$$\mu'_1 = \mu.$$

$$\mu'_2 = \sigma^2$$

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$$\mu'_n = \dots$$

Sample Moment.

$$m'_1 = \bar{X}$$

$$m'_2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2$$

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$$m'_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^r$$

Sampling from a Normal Dist².

The R.V. $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$$E(X) = \mu, \quad \text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2.$$

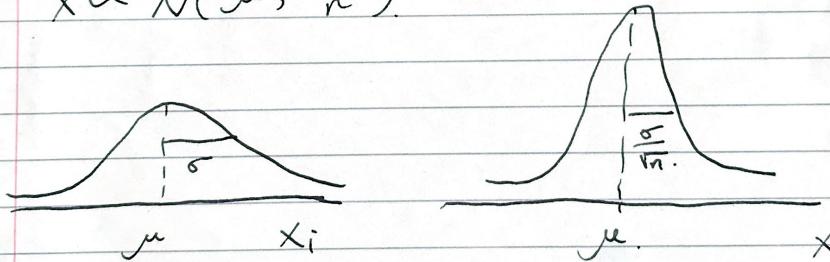
Suppose a random sample of n obs's from this dist²: Intuitive estimators for μ & σ^2 are
 \bar{X} & S^2

Now $\bar{X} = \frac{\sum X_i}{n}$ is a statistic and thus a R.V. \Rightarrow
It has a dist²:

In the context of sampling, the prob. dist² of \bar{X}
is termed the sampling dist² of \bar{X}
or " " " " " the statistic \bar{X} .

What is the sampling dist² of \bar{X} ?

$$\bar{X} \sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$$



Interval Estimator for μ

$$\text{Thus } P[|\bar{X} - \mu| > 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}] = 0.05$$

$$P[|\bar{X} - \mu| \leq 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}] = 0.95.$$

$$\Rightarrow P[-1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \bar{X} - \mu \leq 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}] = 0.95.$$

$$\Rightarrow P[\bar{X} - 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \mu \leq \bar{X} + 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}] = 0.95$$

i.e. The prob. that μ lies in the Random Interval is 95%

— The ends of the interval are R.V.s.

Once the obsⁿ's are made, \bar{X} assumes a numerical value
(lets assume σ known).

\Rightarrow some interval such as $100.9 \rightarrow [101]$.

But the predominant school of thought in STATS
would avoid the statement that μ lies in this fixed
interval with prob. 0.95.

why? Because μ is either in the fixed interval or
not.

To avoid any such conclusion being drawn, the following
terminology is used:

confidence Interval

|| coefficient — rather than prob.

Thus if σ is known, the expression for the 95%
(I for μ is the case of sampling from a
normal distⁿ) is

$$\bar{X} \pm 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

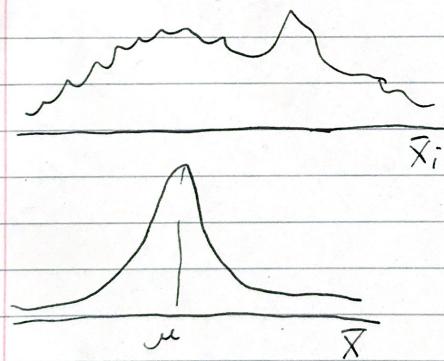
Sampling from a General prob. Dist^u.

Suppose the mean + variance of the prob. dist^u. is μ + σ^2 respectively.

Random sample of size n selected, and $n \rightarrow \infty$.

By the CLT, the sampling. dist^u. of \bar{X} will be normal with mean μ var $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$.

i.e. $\bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$ for large n .



Thus taking σ to be known, the approx. 95% CI for μ is given by

$$\bar{X} \pm 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Independence of \bar{X} and s^2 (Give handout).

→ Sampling dist^{2.} of s^2 .

Can we find a CI for σ^2 just as we did for μ ?

Find the sampling dist^{2.} of s^2 .

Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a Random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

Introduce new R.V.s Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n by means of a linear transformation of X_1, \dots, X_n .

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_1 \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} & \cdots & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \cdots & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & -\frac{(n-1)}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \cdots & \frac{1}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}} & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{bmatrix}$$

i.e. $Y = P X$.

Can check P is orthogonal, i.e. $P P^T = P^T P = I$
 $\det(P) = 1$

Notice that $E(Y_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum E(X_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} n\mu = \mu$.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} E(Y_i) = 0 \text{ for } i > 1 \\ \text{Var}(Y_i) = \sigma^2 \quad \forall i \\ \text{cov}(Y_i, Y_j) = 0 \quad \forall i \neq j \end{array} \right\} \text{check !!}$$

The joint pdf of Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n is.

$$g(Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n) = f(X_1, \dots, X_n) |J|$$

Now $J = \frac{f(X_1, \dots, X_n)}{f(Y_1, \dots, Y_n)}$ the ~~Jacob~~ Jacobian of X w.r.t Y .

since P is orthogonal,

$$Y = P X \Rightarrow P^T Y = P^T P X = X$$

Thus $J = \text{Det } P^T = \text{Det } P = 1$.

$$\text{Thus } g(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^n \frac{1}{\sigma^n} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 \right]} \times 1.$$

when we must replace x_i 's in terms of y_i 's.

$$\text{Now } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = (x - \mu)^T (x - \mu)$$

$$\text{where } x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mu = \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \vdots \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (x - \mu)^T P^T P (x - \mu) \\ &= [P(x - \mu)]^T P (x - \mu) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } P(x - \mu) = Px - P\mu.$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{n}\mu \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = (y_1 - \sqrt{n}\mu)^2 + \sum_{i=2}^n y_i^2$$

Note: y_1, \dots, y_n are all indep.

$$\begin{cases} y_1 \sim N(\sqrt{n}\mu, \sigma^2) \\ y_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2); \quad i > 1. \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Thus } g(y_1, \dots, y_n) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^n \frac{1}{\sigma^n} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \left[(y_1 - \sqrt{n}\mu)^2 + \sum_{i=2}^n y_i^2 \right]}$$

$$\text{Now } \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 = \bar{x}^T P x = (Px)^T P x = y^T y = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2$$

Thus $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - \bar{x}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2$

and using $y_i = \sqrt{n} \bar{x}_i$, we get

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n(\bar{x})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2$$

i.e. $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})^2}{\sigma^2} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

But $\frac{y_i}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$ and y_i are indep.

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i}{\sigma} \right)^2 \sim \chi_{n-1}^2$$

Thus $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})^2}{\sigma^2} \equiv \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-1}^2$

Furthermore, because all the y_i 's are indep, this quantity is indep of \bar{x} ($= \frac{\sum x_i}{n}$)

Usually expressed as \bar{x} and s^2 are indep.

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Expected Value of Sampling Standard Deviation when Sampling from a Normal Distⁿ.

First, suppose X is χ^2_n ; we will evaluate $E[\sqrt{X}]$

$$\begin{aligned} E[\sqrt{X}] &= \int_0^\infty x^{\frac{1}{2}} \cancel{\frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})}} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}} \frac{1}{2} dx \\ &\approx \sqrt{2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n+1}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n+1}{2})} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\frac{n+1}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}} \frac{1}{2} dx. \\ &= \sqrt{2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n+1}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \end{aligned}$$

This is relevant to the evaluation of $E(s)$,

Because $\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2}$ is χ^2_{n-1}

Denote this as X ,

$$E[\sqrt{X}] = E\left[\sqrt{\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}} s\right] = \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2})}, \text{ and so,}$$

$$E(s) = \sigma \sqrt{\frac{2}{n-1}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2})}$$

For large values of n , $E(s)$ is very close to σ ,
But even for small values of n , it's quite close.

e.g. $n=4$: $E(s) = \sigma \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \frac{\Gamma(2)}{\Gamma(\frac{3}{2})} = \sigma \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\pi}} = 0.9213\sigma$.

$n=25$, $E(s)=0.99\sigma$.

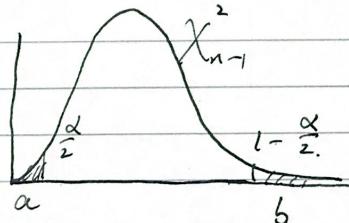
Confidence Interval for σ^2

We now know that $\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-1}^2$

Choose some conf. level, e.g. 95% = $(1-\alpha)100\%$

let $a = \frac{\alpha}{2}$ for χ_{n-1}^2
 $b = 1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}$ for χ_{n-1}^2

$$P[a \leq \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \leq b] = (1-\alpha)$$



Thus $P[\frac{1}{a} \geq \frac{\sigma^2}{(n-1)s^2} \geq \frac{1}{b}] = (1-\alpha)$

$$\text{or } P[\frac{(n-1)s^2}{b} \leq \sigma^2 \leq \frac{(n-1)s^2}{a}] = 1 - \alpha.$$

$$\frac{1}{\chi_{(1-\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-1)}^2} \quad \frac{1}{\chi_{(\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-1)}^2}$$

The interval $\left(\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi_{(1-\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-1)}^2}, \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi_{(\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-1)}^2} \right)$

is termed the $1 - \alpha$ % CI for σ^2 .

Typical Single Sample Problem

10 students are drawn as a Random sample with the following Blood pressure:

105, 112, 130, 128, 100, 98, 122, 118, 106, 110.

Assume B.P $\sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, here B.P is a population with para. μ, σ^2 . ~~We~~ need to estimate μ, σ^2 .

Point estimator for μ : $\bar{X} = 112.9$
 $\hat{\sigma}^2$: $s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \left[128,601 - \frac{1129^2}{10} \right] = 126.32$.

If σ^2 is known, the 95% CI for μ is

$$\bar{X} \pm 1.96 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \text{ since } \frac{\bar{X}-\mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0,1)$$

If σ^2 is unknown, can we use $\bar{X} \pm 1.96 \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$ as 95% CI? No!!

Derive the dist². of $\frac{\bar{X}-\mu}{s/\sqrt{n}}$.

Given $\bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$, $\frac{\bar{X}-\mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0,1)$,

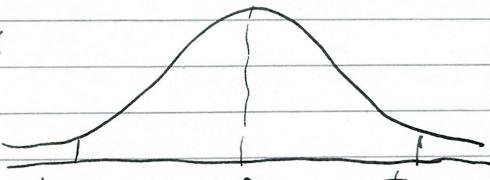
and $\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-1}^2$ indep of \bar{X} and thus $\frac{\bar{X}-\mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$.

Recall, if $X \sim N(0,1)$, $V \sim \chi_n^2$, Then $\frac{X}{\sqrt{V/n}} \sim t_n$ dist².

Therefore, here

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$$
$$\sqrt{\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2(n-1)}}$$

i.e. $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma s/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$



Thus $P[-t_{\alpha/2, n-1} < \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} < t_{\alpha/2, n-1}] = 100(1-\alpha)$.

$\Rightarrow P[\bar{X} - t_{\alpha/2, n-1} \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} < \mu < \bar{X} + t_{\alpha/2, n-1} \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}] = 100(1-\alpha)$.

i.e. $\bar{X} \pm t_{\alpha/2, n-1} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$ is the $100(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for μ ,
if σ^2 is unknown.

Apply to our data,

95% CI : $t_{\alpha/2, 9} = 2.26$, check the table.

$\Rightarrow 112.9 \pm 2.26 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{126.3}}{\sqrt{10}} = 112.9 \pm 2.26 \times 3.55$

Summary : CI for μ . $100(1-\alpha)\%$

σ known : $\bar{X} \pm Z_{\alpha/2} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$.

σ unknown : $\bar{X} \pm t_{\alpha/2, n-1} \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$.

$\alpha = 0.05$ for 95% CI.

If $n \rightarrow \infty$, even σ is unknown, we can use

$$\bar{X} \pm Z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$CI \text{ for } \sigma^2 : \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}} \rightarrow \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}}$$

$$n-1=9, \alpha = 5\% \\ \Rightarrow 95\% CI \text{ for } \sigma^2 : \frac{1136.9}{(17.535)} \rightarrow \frac{1136.9}{(2.18)}$$

check table.

For σ^2 (64.8, 521.5)

" σ (8, 22.8)

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Method of Moment

Here, we equate the popⁿ. moment to corresponding sample moments, then solve for the para.

One para. Case.

Usually, equate popⁿ. mean to sample mean.

e.g. $X_i \sim \text{Poi}(m)$, sample of size n .

$$E(X_i) = m, = \bar{X}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{m} = \bar{X}$$

$X_i \sim \text{Neg. Exp}(\lambda)$

$$E(X_i) = \frac{1}{\lambda}, = \bar{X}, \Rightarrow \hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\bar{X}}$$

Geometric: $P[X=r] = q^{r-1} p, E(X) = \frac{1}{p} = \bar{X},$

$$\hat{p} = \frac{1}{\bar{X}}$$

Two para. Case.: Need two equations.

Set 1st & 2nd popⁿ. moments = 1st & 2nd sample mean.

1st moment: $E(X_i) = \bar{X}$ as before.

2nd moment: $E(X_i^2) = \frac{\sum X_i^2}{n}$

$$\text{or } E[(X_i - \mu)^2] = \frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n}$$

E.g. Binomial: $X_i \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$: observe x_1, \dots, x_n .

$$E(X_i) = np, \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} m_1$$

$$\rightarrow E(X_i^2) = np(1-p) + (np)^2 \cdot \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} m_2 = \frac{\sum X_i^2}{n}$$

$\text{Var}(X_i)$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{n} = \frac{m_1^2}{m_1 - m_2 + m_1^2}, \quad \hat{p} = \frac{m_1 - m_2 + m_1^2}{m_1}$$

$X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$

$$E(X_i) = \alpha\beta = \bar{x}, \quad m_1'$$

$$\text{Var}(X_i) = \alpha\beta^2 = \frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{x})^2}{n}, \quad m_2'$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\beta} = \frac{m_2'}{\bar{x}}, \quad \hat{\alpha} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\hat{\beta}} = \frac{\bar{x}^2}{m_2'}$$

Bias = $E[\hat{\theta}] - \theta$, $\hat{\theta}$ is called unbiased estimator if

MSE (Mean Square Error) $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$.

$$\text{MSE}[g(x)] = E[g(x) - \theta]^2 = E[(g(x) - \theta)^2]$$

Easy to show that

$$\text{MSE} = \text{Variance} + (\text{Bias})^2$$

$$\text{MSE} = E[(g(x) - E(g) + E(g) - \theta)^2]$$

$$= E[(g(x) - E(g))^2] + E[(E(g) - \theta)^2]$$

$$= \text{Var}[g(x)] + (\text{Bias})^2,$$

Note: $E(g) - \theta$

= Bias is a constant.

E.g. Binomial: $X_i \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$: observe x_1, \dots, x_N .

$$E(X_i) = np, \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} m_1$$

$$\rightarrow E(X_i^2) = \underbrace{np(1-p)}_{\text{Var}(X_i)} + (np)^2 \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} m_2 = \frac{\sum X_i^2}{N}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{n} = \frac{m_1^2}{m_1 - m_2 + m_1^2}, \quad \hat{p} = \frac{m_1 - m_2 + m_1^2}{m_1}$$

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Note: $E(g) - \theta$

= Bias is a constant.

The Method of Maximum Likelihood.

~~This~~

Consider R.V.s. X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n having joint pdf $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ — or, if discrete, having joint prob. f^n . $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ — which contains one or more parameters θ .

The likelihood of θ , as a fⁿ. of x_1, \dots, x_n is defined as

$$L(\theta) = L(\theta | x_1, \dots, x_n) = f(x_1, \dots, x_n | \theta)$$

Here, we shall confine our consideration to random samples X_1, \dots, X_n s.t.

$$L(\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i | \theta),$$

where X_i are i.i.d. from a popⁿ. with pdf (or pmf) $f(x | \theta)$.

Note: The likelihood fⁿ. gives the prob. of observing the given values (x_1, \dots, x_n) , as a fⁿ. of para. θ , in the ~~pr~~ discrete case — and in the cts case the likelihood fⁿ. is proportional to the prob. of observing values in the neighbourhood of the given values.

The Maximum Likelihood of estimator(MLE) of θ is ~~that~~ the value that maximizes the likelihood — i.e. make the observed data most likely to be observed.

More nature to maximize the natural log of $L(\theta)$, known as log-likelihood, denoted as $l(\theta)$.

The process of maximizing is often done by differentiation, with r.t. θ , set derivative to zero, solve for θ .

Some Examples.

A Random sample from $\text{Poi}(m)$.

$$L(m) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{m^{x_i} e^{-m}}{(x_i)!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\ln L(m) &= \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i \ln m - m - \ln(x_i!)] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i \ln m - m] + C.\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\frac{d}{dm} \ln L(m)}{f_m} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{m} = \bar{x} \quad (\text{same as for Method of Moments}).$$

To check that \hat{m} yields a max to the likelihood f_m , diff. again, - and check the sign for $m = \bar{x}$, which is negative, indicating that this is a max.

Cts case: $x \sim \exp(\lambda)$

$$L(\lambda) = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda e^{-\lambda x_i}$$

$$\ln L(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n [\ln \lambda - \lambda x_i] = n \ln \lambda - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\frac{\frac{d}{d\lambda} \ln L(\lambda)}{f_\lambda} = \frac{n}{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0 \quad \hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\bar{x}}$$

ML Estimation for Two Parameters.

Typical examples : $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, Gamma(α, β)

Consider a sample (X_1, \dots, X_n) from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

$$L(\mu, \sigma^2) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2}$$

$$\ln L(\mu, \sigma^2) = -\frac{n}{2} \ln 2\pi - n \ln \sigma - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (X_i - \mu)^2.$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \mu} = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \sigma} = -\frac{n}{\sigma} + \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^3} = 0.$$

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = \bar{X}$$

$$\hat{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n}}$$

To check that $\hat{\mu}, \hat{\sigma}$ maximizes $L(\mu, \sigma^2)$ one could consider the Hessian matrix, which will not be covered in this module.

ML estimation of (α, β) from the Gamma Dist.

~~lnL(α, β)~~ Suppose $X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$.

$$\ln L(\alpha, \beta) = \ln \left[\prod_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} (\beta x_i)^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x_i} \right\} \right]$$

$$= \sum [d \ln \alpha - \ln \Gamma(\alpha) + (\alpha-1) \ln(x_i) - \beta x_i]$$

$$= n d \ln \alpha - n \ln \Gamma(\alpha) + (\alpha-1) \sum_{i=1}^n \ln x_i - \beta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \lambda} = n \ln \lambda + \sum_{i=1}^n \ln X_i - n \frac{f'(\lambda)}{f(\lambda)}$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \bar{x}} = \frac{n\bar{x}}{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\lambda} = \frac{n\bar{x}}{\sum X_i} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\bar{X}}$$

$\Rightarrow n \ln \left(\frac{\lambda}{\bar{X}} \right) + \sum_{i=1}^n \ln X_i - n \frac{f'(\lambda)}{f(\lambda)} = 0$, which is a non-linear eqn. for λ , and cannot be solved explicitly.

Need to Use numerical methods,

Invariance Property For ML estimators.

If $\hat{\theta}$ is the MLE for θ , then $g(\hat{\theta})$ is the MLE for $g(\theta)$.

e.g. For ~~A~~ normal data ~~from~~ from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$,

$$\hat{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

Applicability to Truncated or Censored Data.

This is a very useful aspect of ML estimation, which will be used in a later course on survival analysis. The data may consist of n_1 observations of a R.V. X , and a further n_2 obs's where we know only that the obs. is greater than a value t .

Then the likelihood fct. is

$$L(\theta) = \left[\prod_{i=1}^{n_1} f(x_i, \theta) \right] \left[P[X > t] \right]^{n_2}$$

and the MLE for θ could be found by $\max L(\theta)$.

Biased Estimators + Mean Square Error.

$\hat{\theta}$ is unbiased if $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$. A measure of performance for a biased estimator is the mean square error (MSE)

$$MSE(\hat{\theta}) = E[(\hat{\theta} - \theta)^2]$$

, which is not the variance
of $\hat{\theta}$

It is the second moment of $\hat{\theta}$ about θ .

$$MSE(\hat{\theta}) = E[(\hat{\theta} - E(\hat{\theta}))^2]$$

The Dist² of an MLE for large n.

This is also known as the asymptotic dist² of a MLE.

Suppose that $\hat{\theta}$ is the MLE for θ . It can be shown that, as $n \rightarrow \infty$

(i), $\hat{\theta}$ is unbiased.

(ii), $\hat{\theta}$ is normally distributed.

(iii).

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{E\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln L(\theta)\right]} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{E\left[\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln L(\theta)\right)^2\right]}$$

The expression for $\text{Var}(\hat{\theta})$ is known as the Cramer-Rao Lower Bound (CRLB)

No unbiased estimator for θ can have a smaller variance than the CRLB. (The CRLB does not apply when the range of values for the dist². is related to θ , e.g. $U(0, \theta)$).

Examples of CRLB Evaluation

For $X_1, \dots, X_n \sim \text{Poi}(m)$,

$$\hat{m} = \bar{X}. \quad E(\hat{m}) = E(\bar{X}) = m \\ + \text{Var}(\hat{m}) = \text{Var}(\bar{X}) = \frac{m}{n}. \leftarrow \text{check this!!}$$

$$\ln L(m) = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i \ln m) - mn - (\ln X_i !)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \ln L(m)}{\partial m^2} = -\frac{1}{m^2} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$$

$$\text{So that } E\left[-\frac{\partial^2 \ln L(m)}{\partial m^2}\right] = -\frac{1}{m^2} \sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i) = -\frac{n}{m}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{CRLB} = \frac{m}{n}.$$

We can say that the sample mean \bar{X} attains the CR lower bound for $\text{Var}(\hat{m})$ in this case.

For $X_1, \dots, X_n \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, let $\theta = \sigma^2$.

$$\ln L(\mu, \theta) = -\frac{n}{2} \ln 2\pi - \frac{n}{2} \ln \theta - \frac{1}{2\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \ln L(\mu, \theta)}{\partial \theta^2} = \frac{n}{2\theta^2} - \frac{1}{\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2.$$

$$E\left[\frac{\partial^2 \ln L(\mu, \theta)}{\partial \theta^2}\right] = \frac{n}{2\theta^2} - \frac{n}{\theta^2} \quad \leftarrow \text{check this!!}$$

Another example: The CRLB

Thus the CRLB for estimation of σ^2 from a random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$:

$$= \frac{2\theta^2}{n} = \frac{2\sigma^4}{n}$$

Thus for any unbiased estimator $\hat{\theta}$ for σ^2 ,

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) \geq \frac{2\sigma^4}{n}$$

Example: A random sample $\{X_i\}_{i=1, \dots, n}$ from pdf $f(x) = \frac{x}{\theta} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\theta}}$ for $x > 0$

$$\ln L(X_1, \dots, X_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \ln x_i - n \ln \theta - \frac{\sum x_i^2}{2\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln L = \frac{-n}{\theta} + \frac{\sum x_i^2}{2\theta} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{2n}$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}) = \frac{1}{2n} \int_0^\infty x^2 \frac{x}{\theta} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\theta}} dx.$$

$$\text{Let } u = \frac{x^2}{2\theta}, \Rightarrow du = \frac{x}{\theta} dx \quad x^2 = 2\theta u.$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}) = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \int_0^\infty 2\theta u e^{-u} du}{2n} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n 2\theta \Gamma(1)}{2n} = \theta.$$

$$\text{CRLB} = \frac{1}{E\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln L\right]}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln L(\theta)}{\int \theta^2} = \frac{n}{\theta^2} - \frac{\sum x_i^2}{\theta^3}$$

$$E\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln L\right] = \frac{n}{\theta^2} - \frac{2}{\theta^3} \int_0^\infty x^2 \frac{x}{\theta} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\theta}} dx.$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta^2} - \frac{2}{\theta^3} = -\frac{n}{\theta^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{CRLB} = \frac{\theta^2}{n}$$

Hypothesis Testing: Single sample problems.

We have a random sample x_1, \dots, x_n from a prob. distⁿ. (fx) and a hypothesis concerning fx is to be tested using the sample data.

i.e. is the data consistent with the hypothesis?
— how consistent or inconsistent?

The hypothesis under test is termed the null hypothesis and is defined by H_0 . In this course, the

hypothesis ~~test~~ to be tested will only be concerned with parameters of the prob. distⁿ. (fx).

e.g. $\mu = \mu_0$ — denoted by $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$.

Example: Jars of coffee are being filled by a machine.
The machine is set to put 225g in each jar.
A random sample of 16 jars is taken from the output from the machine and \bar{x} found to be 223.7g.

Suppose the std Dev. of the scatter in fill of the filling machine is 2g.

The packer would like to know if the machine is operating satisfactorily. I.E. he asks if

$H_0: \mu = \mu_0 = 225$ is true

We should like to study how to test whether the data are consistent with this hypothesis.

Simple + Composite Hypothesis.

When a hypothesis fully specifies a particular prob. distⁿ, it is called simple.

When .. specifies a range of prob. distⁿs, it is called composite.

In testing the hypothesis H_0 we are essentially trying to decide whether H_0 is consistent with the data or not.

It is usual to use the term Alternative Hypoth. in referring to the situation when H_0 is not true, denoted as H_1 or H_a .

The terminology used is that we are testing H_0 against H_1 .

2 Possible Errors.

- Type 1 error: Reject H_0 when H_0 is true.
- 2 error: Accept H_0 False.

We can evaluate a test procedure by determine the prob. of the 2 types of errors that might be incurred using that procedure.

Seriousness of Errors.

In some situations one type of error may be more serious than the other:

e.g. Testing a new drug

Drug is either harmful or not.

status of Nature.

Drug is harmful	Not harmful
Reject Drug	✓ Error
Acept Drug	Error ✓

Convention is that ~~F_{pp}~~ the term Type I error is applied to the more serious error.

— Just choose the hypothesis names accordingly.

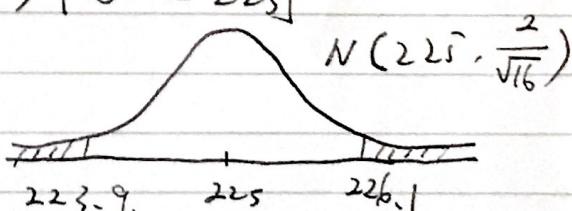
In our example, this leads to the choice

$$H_0: \mu = 225$$

$$H_1: \mu \neq 225.$$

P-value: A very useful way of quantifying the strength of the evidence against H_0 is to find the P-value — which is the prob. of observing a value for the sample statistic that is at least as extreme as the observed value, assuming H_0 true

Thus, we would have to find

$$\begin{aligned} & P[(\bar{X} \leq 223.9) \text{ or } (\bar{X} \geq 226.1) | \mu = 225] \\ &= 2P[\bar{X} \geq 226.1 | \mu = 225] \\ &= 2P[\bar{X} \geq 226.1 | \mu = 225] \\ &= 2P\left[\frac{\bar{X} - 225}{2/\sqrt{16}} \geq \frac{226.1 - 225}{2/\sqrt{16}}\right] \end{aligned}$$


$$= * 2P[Z \geq 2.2] = 0.028 \leftarrow \text{P-value.}$$

Terminology: 0.028 has also been termed the level of statistical significance of the obsⁿ. $\bar{x} = \frac{223.9}{\sqrt{n}}$ in relation to $H_0: \mu = 225$.

→ Test statistic: The quantity $\frac{\bar{x} - 225}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$ is an example of a test statistic - which is some function of the observations that we can use to ~~discriminate~~ discriminate between H_0 & H_1 .

The critical region is the set of values of the test statistic for which H_0 is rejected.

- extent of ~~the~~ critical region is determined by α (significant level).

Here we want $P[\frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \in \text{crit. Regin} | H_0 \text{ true}] = 0.05$.

⇒ critical region extends from $-\infty$ to -1.96
 $+\infty$ to $+1.96$.

Test procedure:

Evaluate the test statistic for given data ~~if in~~
if in critical Region: Reject H_0

else : Accept.

Here $\frac{\bar{x} - 225}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{223.9 - 225}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = -2.2 \Rightarrow \text{Reject}$.

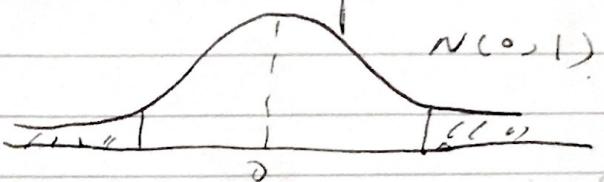
Another common procedure is as follows:

The acceptable level of Type I error, α , is specified, e.g. 5% and 1%.

The distⁿ of the test statistic under the assumption

that H_0 is true is determined, In our example,

Test statistic : $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$



Test of Hypothesis $\mu = \mu_0$ when σ unknown.

Need to know the distⁿ. of test statistic under the assumption that H_0 is true.

$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$ (for σ is known) is $N(0, 1)$ under $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$.

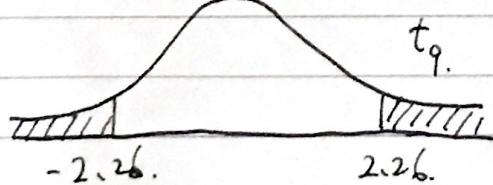
When σ is unknown, use $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}}$ as test statistic and under H_0 , it has a t_{n-1} distⁿ.

Example: Use the data on student Blood pressure.

Test $H_0: \mu = 120$

$H_1: \mu \neq 120$.

Test statistic : $\frac{\bar{X} - 120}{s/\sqrt{n}}$, 5% signif. level.



$$\text{Value of test statistic} = \frac{112.9 - 120}{\sqrt{\frac{126.32}{10}}} = \frac{-7.1}{3.55} = -2.$$

\Rightarrow Accept H_0 , $p\text{-value} = 0.038$?

Note: 95% CI for μ : $112.9 \pm 2.26 \times 3.55 \Rightarrow 104.9 \rightarrow 120.9$.

One tail & two tail Tests

The two tests we have done are ~~two~~ two tail tests.
— because the critical region is made up of 2 areas in the tails of the sampling distⁿ of our test statistic.

→ This follows from the form of

$$H_1: \mu \neq 225 \quad \text{or} \quad H_1: \mu \neq 120$$

In other testing problems, the appropriate form of the alternative hypothesis may be of the following forms:

$$H_1: \mu > \mu_0 \quad \text{or} \quad H_1: \mu < \mu_0$$

e.g. Rope manufacturer: → traditional strength = 8000 lbs.
New process introduced ~~with~~ which it is hoped will increase the strength

sample mean of 25 ropes = 8120

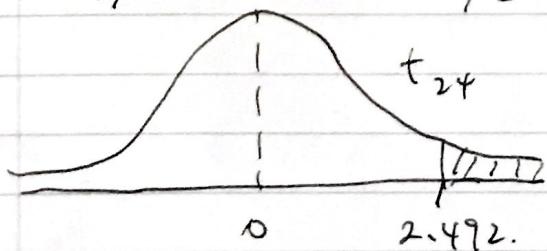
" variance " $\sigma^2 = 40,000 \Rightarrow s = 200$
Use 1% level of signif., should we conclude increased strength?

$$H_0: \mu = 8000$$

$$H_1: \mu > 8000$$

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$$

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{8120 - 8000}{200/5} = \frac{120}{40} = 3 > 2.492$$



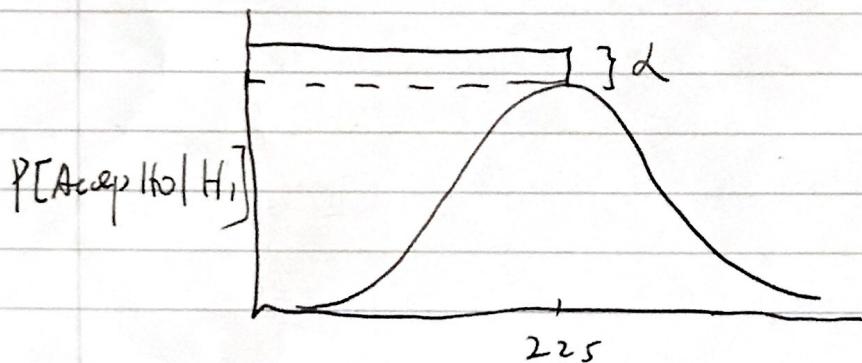
P-value = 0.003. > 0.001
⇒ Reject H_0

$$\text{CI for } \mu: 8120 \pm 2.492 \times 40 \quad 8020.3 \rightarrow 8219.7$$

Operating char. Curve

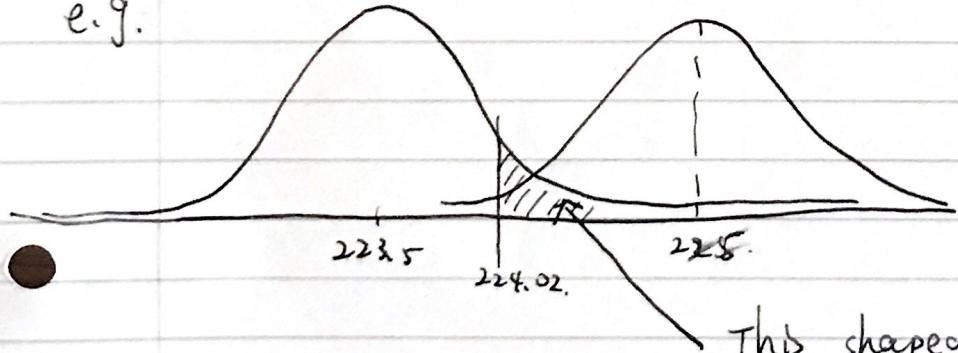
We have said little of the Type 2 error prob.
In the case of hypo: $H_0: \mu = 225$
 $H_1: \mu \neq 225$

— Suppose wish to compute $P[\text{Accept } H_0 | H_1 \text{ is true}]$



- must be done for range of μ values within H_1 .
- Usually plotted against μ as shown and referred to as OC curve.

e.g.



This shaded area gives

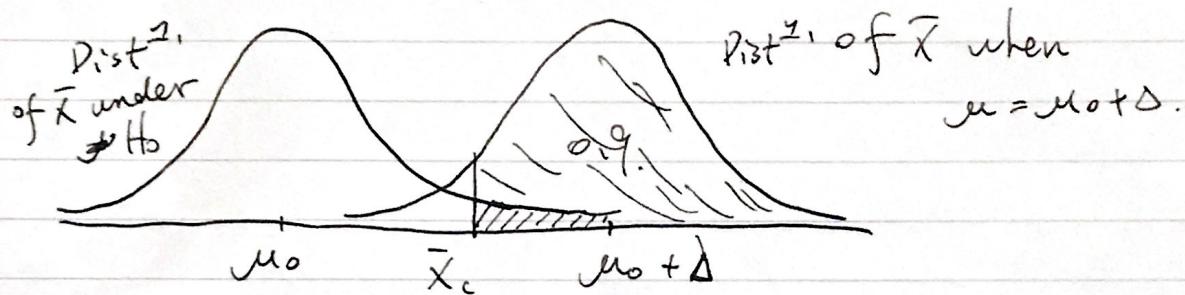
$$P[\text{Acc } H_0 | \mu = 223.5]$$

Finding the sample size required in single-sample Hypothesis testing

Testing : $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$

$H_1: \mu > \mu_0, \alpha = 1\%$,

suppose we want to have a 90% chance of detecting an increase above μ_0 of size Δ . What size n is needed?



Let $\mu_0 = 3000, \Delta = 200$.

n is required s.t. $P[\bar{X} \geq \bar{X}_c | \mu = 3000] = 0.01$. ①
and $P[\bar{X} \geq \bar{X}_c | \mu = 3200] = 0.9$. ②

$$\text{From ① } \bar{X}_c = 3000 + 2.33 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\text{② } \bar{X}_c = 3200 - 1.28 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2.33 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} + 1.28 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 200$$

$$3.61 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 200$$

Need to estimate σ , say $\sigma \approx 800$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} = 3.61 \times 4 = 14.44$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 208.51 \approx 209.$$

Note: The choice of σ , Δ , α and power level (90%) affects the value of n .

Further Single sample Tests.

Testing Population Variance.

Suppose we have a R.sample of size n from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$
We want to test

$$H_0: \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2, \quad H_A: \sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$$

The test statistic is $\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma_0^2}$

If H_0 is true, this test statistic has a known dist². χ_{n-1}^2

For large n , the test works well even when the pop². dist². is not Normal.

Example: A sample of 25 children (girls, aged 12) was taken, and their heights measured. The sample mean was 130.3, with $s = 3.87$. Test $\sigma = 3$ at $\alpha = 5\%$.

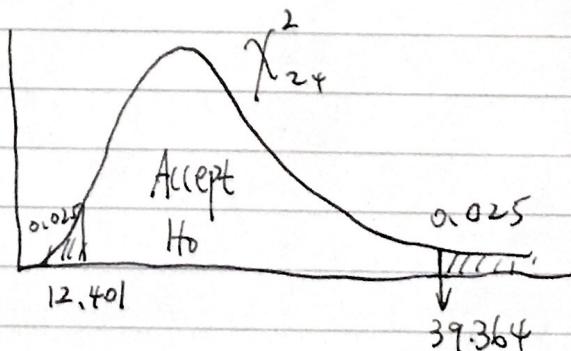
$$H_0: \sigma = 3, \quad H_A: \sigma \neq 3.$$

Under H_0 , $\frac{24s^2}{3^2}$ is χ_{24}^2 , $n = 25$,

$$= 39.94 > 39.364,$$

⇒ Reject H_0 at 95%

confidence.



Testing the value of the mean of a Poisson Dist².

Suppose we have a R.sample of size n from a Pois(λ) Test

$$H_0: \lambda = \lambda_0, \quad H_A: \lambda \neq \lambda_0.$$

Test stat is the sample sum $\sum X_i$

If H_0 is true, $\sum X_i \sim \text{Poi}(n\lambda_0)$.

Note: If n is large (or when $n\lambda_0$ is large) it is possible to use a normal approx.

$$\sum X_i \sim \text{Poi}(n\lambda) \Rightarrow N(n\lambda, n\lambda)$$

If the normal approx is used, one would use X as test stat, with dist² (under H_0) as follows:

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \lambda_0}{\sqrt{\lambda_0/n}} \sim N(0, 1), \text{ under } H_0$$

or alternatively $\frac{\sum X_i - n\lambda_0}{\sqrt{n\lambda_0}} \sim N(0, 1)$.

Example: In an investigation of freq. of claims by motorists, it was found that there were 960 claims for 6000 policies. Assuming that the number of claims by individual motorists has a Poisson(λ) dist², carry out a test (at $\alpha=1\%$) of the null hypothesis that $\lambda=0.17$ against $H_A: \lambda < 0.17$.

Test stat $\sum X_i$ is ~~not~~ Poisson.

$$P\text{-value} = \text{Prob}[\sum X_i \leq 960 \mid \text{Poisson mean} = 1020]$$

where is this from?

It is necessary to use the Normal approx., need ~~cont.~~ continuity correction.

$$\begin{aligned} P\text{-value} &= \text{Prob}[\sum X_i \leq 960.5 \mid \sum X_i \sim N(1020, 1020)] \\ &= \text{Prob}\left[\frac{\sum X_i - 1020}{\sqrt{1020}} \leq \frac{960.5 - 1020}{\sqrt{1020}}\right] \\ &= \text{Prob}[Z \leq -1.863] = 0.0312. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we could reject H_0 , if we are prepared to use a significance level of 4%.

Two - Sample Problems

2 Groups of female rats placed on diets with high & low protein content.

- gain in weight between 28th + 84th days was measured for each rat.

High P		Low P	
134	107	70	94
146	83	118	
104	113	101	
119	129	85	
124	97	107	
161	123	132	

Is there evidence of dietary effect - obtain a 95% CI for the difference in mean weight gain between the 2 diets.

Group Group 1

$$\bar{X}_1 = 120$$

$$S_1^2 = 457.45$$

.. 2

$$\bar{X}_2 = 101$$

$$S_2^2 = 425.33$$

need the following assumptions to construct CI and test hypothesis.

(1) Sample 1 + 2 are random sample indep of each other.

(2) for sample 1 $X_i^{(1)} \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$ } same σ^2 .
 .. 2 $X_i^{(2)} \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$

CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$

Earlier assumptions $\Rightarrow \bar{X}_1 \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n_1})$
 $\bar{X}_2 \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n_2})$

$\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 \sim N(\mu_1 - \mu_2, \frac{\sigma^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma^2}{n_2})$

If σ^2 were known,

95% CI : $\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 \pm 1.96 \sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}$

Since σ^2 unknown, we are led to follow the same procedure as before: estimate σ^2 .

suggest $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{w_1 s_1^2 + w_2 s_2^2}{w_1 + w_2}$, and the best choice

of w_1, w_2 is

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$$

Now $\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2}{\hat{\sigma}^2} \sim \chi_{n_1 - 1}^2$ and $\frac{(n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{\hat{\sigma}^2} \sim \chi_{n_2 - 1}^2$

Thus $\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{\hat{\sigma}^2} \sim \chi_{n_1 + n_2 - 2}^2$.

and $\frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}} \sim N(0, 1)$

Thus $\frac{[(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)] / \sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}}{\sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{(n_1 + n_2 - 2)\hat{\sigma}^2}}} \sim t_{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$

$$\text{or } \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{S \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}} \sim t_{n_1+n_2-2}.$$

where $S = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1-1)s_1^2 + (n_2-1)s_2^2}{n_1+n_2-2}}$

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95% CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$

$$\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 \pm t_{n_1+n_2-2, 0.025} S \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}$$

$$= 19 \pm 2.11 \sqrt{446.12} \sqrt{\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{7}}$$

$$= 19 \pm 2.11 \times \sqrt{100.9} = 19 \pm 21.2.$$

[$-2.2 \rightarrow 40.2$]

2-Sample Test.

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May wish to test

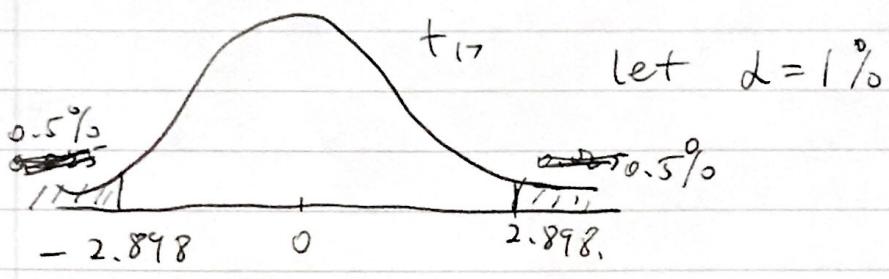
$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{to test for } \cancel{\text{at diff}} \text{ evidence} \\ H_1: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2 \end{array} \right\}$ of a dietary effect.

test stat:

$$t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{S \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}}$$

Assuming H_0 true, $t = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}{S \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}}$ and unusually -
 (large +ve or -ve values of t would indicate $\mu_1 > \mu_2$ and $\mu_1 < \mu_2$).

Distⁿ of t (under H_0) is known. t_{17}



$$t = \frac{19 - 0}{\sqrt{10.05}} = 1.89.$$

Can not reject H_0 at 1% sig. level.

Note: We may accept H_0 as being consistent with the data, but it should be regarded that there is a range also

of values of $(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$ apart from $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$ which are also consistent with data.

The extent of this range: construct the 99% CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$.

$$\Rightarrow 19 \pm 2.898(10.05) = 19 \pm 29.1 = -10.1 \rightarrow 48.1.$$

Thus any actual difference between the mean $(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$ in this range could not be detected by

our test, using the 1% significance level. I.E. our data is consistent with any actual difference in this range.

Now if some of these differences are considered significant differences to be the experiments, then this experiment has been completely useless in detecting the presence of such differences.

Testing $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$

Sample 1: $X_i^{(1)} \sim N(\mu, \sigma_1^2)$ size n_1

Sample 2: $X_i^{(2)} \sim N(\mu, \sigma_2^2)$ size n_2 .

Wish to test $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$

use $\frac{(n_1-1)s_1^2}{\sigma_1^2} \sim \chi^2_{n_1-1}$, $\frac{(n_2-1)s_2^2}{\sigma_2^2} \sim \chi^2_{n_2-1}$

Thus $\frac{s_1^2/\sigma_1^2}{s_2^2/\sigma_2^2} \sim F_{n_1-1, n_2-1}$

Under $H_0: \sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$, we see that

$$\frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2} \sim F_{n_1-1, n_2-1}$$

Thus, we can test H_0 , using the test statistic $\frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2}$

which will be close to 1 when H_0 true.

Test Procedure: $\sqrt{n_1-1}$ d.f.

Form $\frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2}$ so that ratio > 1
 $\nwarrow n_2-1$ d.f.

