

1. (25 points) Let  $N$  be Poisson distributed with parameter  $0 < \lambda < \infty$ , and let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be an i.i.d. sequence of positive random variables, independent of  $N$ , with  $E \log(X_1) = \mu$ ,  $\text{var}[\log(X_1)] = \sigma^2$ ,  $|\mu| < \infty$ ,  $0 < \sigma^2 < \infty$ , and  $M(\delta) = EX_1^\delta < \infty$  for some  $\delta > 0$ . Let  $Y = \prod_{i=1}^N X_i$ , where  $\prod_{i=1}^0$  is defined as 1. Do the following:

~~(a)~~ (4 points) Show that  $E \log Y = \lambda \mu$  and  $\text{var}[\log Y] = \lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)$ .  $\log(Y)$  is not

~~(b)~~ (5 points) Show that  $EY^t = \exp(\lambda[M(t) - 1])$ , for all  $0 \leq t \leq \delta$ .

~~(c)~~ (7 points) Show that  $Y^{1/\lambda} \rightarrow_p e^\mu$ , as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ .

(d) (9 points) Letting  $\tau^2 = \lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)$ , show that

$$(e^{-\lambda \mu} Y)^{1/\tau} \rightarrow_d e^Z,$$

as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$ , where  $Z \sim N(0, 1)$ .

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 $E \neq \text{var}$

1. Let  $N$  be Poisson distribution w/ parameter  $0 < \lambda < \infty$  and let  $x_1, x_2, \dots$  be an iid sequence of positive random variables, independent of  $N$ , with  $E[\log(x_i)] = \mu$ ,  $\text{Var}(\log(x_i)) = \sigma^2$ ,  $|\mu| < \infty$ ,  $0 < \sigma^2 < \infty$  and  $M(s) = E X_i^s < \infty$  for some  $s > 0$ . Let  $Y = \prod_{i=1}^N x_i$  where  $\prod_{i=1}^0$  is defined as 1.

(a) Show that  $E[\log(Y)] = \lambda\mu$  and  $\text{Var}(\log(Y)) = \lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)$

$$\log(Y) = \log\left(\prod_{i=1}^N x_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[\log(Y)] &= E\left[\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i\right] = E_N\left[E_x\left[\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i \mid N\right]\right] = E_N\left[E_x[N \log(x_i) \mid N]\right] \\ &= E_N\left[N E_x[\log(x_i) \mid N]\right] = E_N[N\mu] = \mu E_N[N] = \lambda\mu \end{aligned}$$

$$x_i \perp N \Rightarrow E[\log(x_i) \mid N] = E[\log(x_i)]$$

$$N \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda) \Rightarrow E[N] = \lambda$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(\log(Y)) &= \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i\right) = E\left[\text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i \mid N\right)\right] + \text{Var}\left(E\left[\log(x_i) \mid N\right]\right) \\ &= E\left[\sum_{i=1}^N \text{Var}(\log x_i \mid N)\right] + \text{Var}(N\mu) = E[N \text{Var}(\log x_i \mid N)] + \text{Var}(N\mu) \\ &= E[N\sigma^2] + \text{Var}(N\mu) = \sigma^2 E[N] + \mu^2 \text{Var}(N) \\ &= \sigma^2 \lambda + \mu^2 \lambda \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{For iid RV}_i, \text{Var}\left(\sum x_i\right) = \sum \text{Var}(x_i)$$

$$N \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda) \Rightarrow \text{Var}(N) = \lambda$$

(b) Show that  $E[Y^t] = \exp(\lambda(M(t) - 1)) \quad \forall 0 \leq t \leq s$

$$Y^t = \left(\prod_{i=1}^N x_i\right)^t = \prod_{i=1}^N x_i^t$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[Y^t] &= E\left[\prod_{i=1}^N x_i^t\right] = E_N\left[E_x\left[\prod_{i=1}^N x_i^t \mid N\right]\right] = E_N\left[E\left[(x_i^t)^N \mid N\right]\right] \\ &= E_N\left[M(t)^N\right] = E\left[\exp(N \log(M(t)))\right] = E\left[e^{N \log M(t)}\right] = E\left[e^{NP}\right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \swarrow \text{MGF definition} \\ P = \log M(t) \end{array} \\ &= \exp(\lambda(e^P - 1)) = \exp(\lambda(e^{\log M(t)} - 1)) \\ &= \exp(\lambda(M(t) - 1)) \end{aligned}$$

1. (c) Show that  $Y^{1/\lambda} \xrightarrow{P} e^\mu$  as  $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$

WTS  $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} P(|Y^{1/\lambda} - e^\mu| > \varepsilon) = 0$

$$Y^{1/\lambda} = \left( \prod_{i=1}^N x_i \right)^{1/\lambda} = \prod_{i=1}^N x_i^{1/\lambda} \quad Y^{1/\lambda} = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda} \log(Y) \right\} = \exp \left\{ \frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i) \right\}$$

WTS  $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} P(|\exp\{\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i)\} - e^\mu| > \varepsilon) = 0$

$$= \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} P(|\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i) - \mu| > \varepsilon) = 0$$

From (a) we know  $E[\log(Y)] = E[\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i] = \lambda \mu$ ,  $\text{var}(\log Y) = \lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)$

$\therefore$  by Chebyshev's Inequality

$$P\left(\left|\sum_{i=1}^N \log x_i - \lambda \mu\right| > \varepsilon\right) \leq \frac{\lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)}{\varepsilon^2} \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty$$

but,  $E\left[\frac{1}{\lambda} \log(Y)\right] = \frac{1}{\lambda} E[\log Y] = \frac{\lambda \mu}{\lambda} = \mu$

$$\text{var}\left(\frac{1}{\lambda} \log(Y)\right) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \text{var}(\log(Y)) = \frac{\lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)}{\lambda^2} = \frac{\sigma^2 + \mu^2}{\lambda}$$

$\therefore$  Again by Chebyshev's

$$P\left(\left|\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i) - \mu\right| > \varepsilon\right) \leq \frac{\frac{\sigma^2 + \mu^2}{\lambda}}{\varepsilon^2}$$

$$P\left(\left|\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i) - \mu\right| > \varepsilon\right) \leq \frac{\sigma^2 + \mu^2}{\lambda \varepsilon^2} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^N \log(x_i) \xrightarrow{P} \mu$$

by CMT  $e^{\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum \log(x_i)} \xrightarrow{P} e^\mu \equiv Y^{1/\lambda} \xrightarrow{P} e^\mu$

1.(d) Let  $\tau^2 = \lambda(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)$ . Show that

$$(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma)^{1/\tau} \xrightarrow{d} e^z \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty, \text{ where } z \sim N(0,1)$$

$$\equiv \frac{1}{\tau} \log(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma) \xrightarrow{d} N(0,1)$$

$$\frac{1}{\tau} \log(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma) = \frac{1}{\tau} (\log e^{-\lambda\mu} + \log \gamma) = \frac{1}{\tau} (\log(\gamma) - \lambda\mu) \quad \text{let } \log(\gamma) = V \quad \xrightarrow{\sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(V)}} (V - E[V])} N(0,1)$$

$$\text{let } \frac{1}{\tau} \log(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma) = u = \log(e^{-\frac{\lambda\mu}{\tau}} \gamma^{1/\tau}) = -\frac{\lambda\mu}{\tau} + \log(\gamma^{1/\tau})$$

$$E[e^{tu}] = E\left[\exp\left(-\frac{t\lambda\mu}{\tau} + \log(\gamma^{1/\tau})\right)\right] \quad \Downarrow \quad tu = \frac{t}{\tau} \log(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma) = -\frac{\lambda t\mu}{\tau} + \log(\gamma^{t/\tau})$$

$$= \exp\left(-\frac{t\lambda\mu}{\tau} + E[\log(\gamma^{t/\tau})]\right) = \exp\left(-\frac{t\lambda\mu}{\tau} + (\lambda[M(t/\tau) - 1])\right)$$

$$= \exp\left(-\frac{t\lambda\mu}{\tau} + \lambda(M(0) - 1 + \dot{M}(0)\frac{t}{\tau} + \ddot{M}(0)\frac{t^2}{2\tau^2} + o_p(t^2/\tau^2))\right) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{2nd order Taylor} \\ \text{expansion around} \\ t/\tau = 0. \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \exp\left(-\frac{t\lambda\mu}{\tau} + \lambda\left(1 - 1 + \frac{\mu t}{\tau} + \frac{(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)t^2}{2\tau^2} + o_p(t^2/\tau^2)\right)\right)$$

$$= \exp\left(-\frac{\lambda\mu}{\tau} t + \frac{\lambda\mu}{\tau} t + \frac{(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)t^2}{2(\sigma^2 + \mu^2)} + o_p(t^2/\tau^2)\right)$$

$$= \exp(t^2/2) \quad \text{as } \lambda \rightarrow \infty$$

$$M(0) = 1$$

$$\dot{M}(0) = E[X] = \mu$$

$$\ddot{M}(0) = E[X^2] = \sigma^2 + \mu^2$$

$$\text{Var}(X) + E[X]^2 = \sigma^2 + \mu^2$$

By uniqueness of MGF/CFs, we know

$$u = \frac{1}{\tau} \log(e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma) \xrightarrow{d} N(0,1) \equiv z$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{by CMT} \quad e^u = (e^{-\lambda\mu} \gamma)^{1/\tau} \xrightarrow{d} e^z$$

$$M(t) = E[X_1^t] = E[$$

2. (25 points) Let  $F$  and  $G$  be two distinct known cumulative distribution functions on the real line and  $X$  be a single observation from the cumulative distribution function  $\theta F(x) + (1 - \theta)G(x)$ , where  $\theta \in [0, 1]$  is unknown.

(a) (4 points) Given  $0 < \theta_0 < 1$ , derive a Uniformly Most Powerful (UMP) test of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0 : \theta \leq \theta_0$  versus  $H_1 : \theta > \theta_0$ . You need to specify how the rejection region can be calculated.

(b) (6 points) Given  $0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1$ , derive a UMP test of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0 : \theta \in [0, \theta_1] \cup [\theta_2, 1]$  versus  $H_1 : \theta \in (\theta_1, \theta_2)$ .

(c) (6 points) Show that a UMP test does not exist for testing  $H_0 : \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$  versus  $\theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ .

(d) (5 points) Obtain a Uniformly Most Powerful Unbiased (UMPU) test of size  $\alpha$  for the problem in part (c).

(e) (4 points) Given  $0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1$ , derive the likelihood ratio test statistic for testing  $H_0 : \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$  versus  $\theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ .

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to see if  
solution is  
correct

2. Let  $F$  and  $G$  be two distinct CDFs on the real line and  $X$  be a single observation from the CDF  $\theta F(x) + (1-\theta)G(x)$  where  $\theta \in [0,1]$  is unknown.

(a) Given  $0 < \theta_0 < 1$ , derive a UMP test of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0: \theta \leq \theta_0$  vs.  $H_1: \theta > \theta_0$ . You need to specify how the rejection region can be calculated.

Let  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  be <sup>adon</sup> <sup>ikodym</sup>  $R-N$  derivatives of  $F(x), G(x)$  wrt  $F(x) + G(x)$ . Then, the density of  $X$  is:

$$\theta f(x) + (1-\theta)g(x).$$

$$\text{Let } 0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1 \Rightarrow \frac{\theta_2 f(x) + (1-\theta_2)g(x)}{\theta_1 f(x) + (1-\theta_1)g(x)} = \frac{\theta_2 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + (1-\theta_2)}{\theta_1 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + (1-\theta_1)}$$

$\therefore X$  is MLR in  $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ .

By <sup>an extension of the</sup> Neymann-Pearson lemma, a UMP test is given by

$$\phi_1(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} > c \\ \gamma & \text{if } \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = c \\ 0 & \text{if } \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < c \end{cases}$$

where  $c$  &  $\gamma$  are determined by  $E_{\theta_0}[\phi(x)] = \alpha = P_{\theta_0}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} > c\right) + \gamma P_{\theta_0}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = c\right)$

If you use  $f(x) - g(x)$  you still have  $+g(x)$  in both the numerator & denominator. What if  $g(x) \rightarrow \infty$ ?

$$\frac{\theta_2 f(x) + (1-\theta_2)g(x)}{\theta_1 f(x) + (1-\theta_1)g(x)} > 1 ?$$

$$\theta_2 \left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} - 1 \right) > \theta_1 \left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} - 1 \right)$$

$\theta_2 > \theta_1 \checkmark \therefore \text{MLR holds.}$

$$\frac{\theta_2 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + 1 - \theta_2}{\theta_1 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + 1 - \theta_1} > 1$$

$$\theta_2 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + 1 - \theta_2 > \theta_1 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + 1 - \theta_1$$

$$\theta_2 \left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} - 1 \right) + 1 > \theta_1 \left( \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} - 1 \right) + 1$$

2(b). Given  $0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1$ , derive a UMP test of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0: \theta \in [0, \theta_1] \cup [\theta_2, 1]$  vs.  $H_1: \theta \in (\theta_1, \theta_2)$

For any test  $\phi(x)$ , the power is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_\phi(\theta) &= E[\phi(x)] = \int \phi(x) [\theta f(x) + (1-\theta)g(x)] d(F+G) \\ &= \int \phi(x) [\theta [f(x) - g(x)] + g(x)] d(F+G) \\ &= \theta \int \phi(x) [f(x) - g(x)] d(F+G) + \int \phi(x) g(x) d(F+G)\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\beta(\theta)$  is a linear function of  $\theta$ .

Since  $\phi(x)$  is level  $\alpha$  and  $\beta_\phi(\theta)$  is linear,

$\beta_\phi(x) \leq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in [0, 1]$ , thus  $\phi_2(x) \equiv \alpha$  is a UMP test for  $H_0$ .



2. (c) Show that a UMP test does not exist for testing  $H_0: \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$  vs.  $H_1: \theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$

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Let  $\phi^*(x)$  be a UMP test

$$\beta_{\phi^*}(\theta) = \underbrace{\theta \int \phi^*(x)(f(x) - g(x)) dF + G}_A + \underbrace{\int \phi^*(x) g(x) dF + G}_B = \theta A + B$$

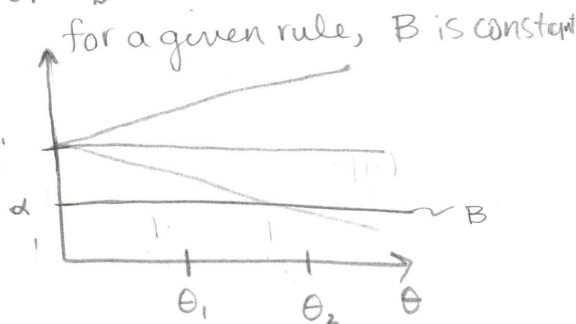
If  $A > 0$   $\beta_{\phi^*}(\theta) < \alpha$  for  $\theta < \theta_1$ .

$$\Rightarrow \beta_{\phi^*} < \beta_{\phi}$$

If  $A < 0$   $\beta_{\phi^*}(\theta) < \alpha$  for  $\theta > \theta_2$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_{\phi^*} < \beta_{\phi}$$

$\therefore \phi^*$  cannot be UMP



can  $\phi(x) \equiv \alpha$  be UMP?

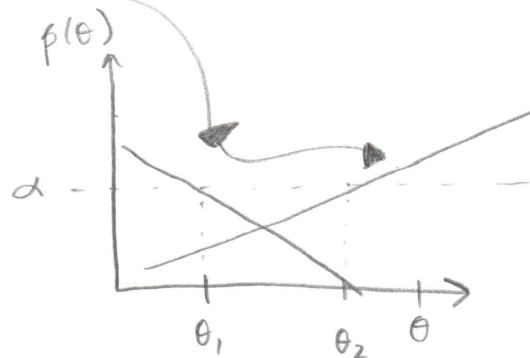
From (a), we know the UMP for testing  $H_0: \theta \leq \theta_0$  vs.  $H_1: \theta > \theta_0$  has a UMP test. Let  $\theta_0 = \theta_2$   $H_0: \theta \leq \theta_2$  vs.  $H_1: \theta > \theta_2$

has power  $> \alpha$  when  $\theta_0 \in [\theta_2, 1] \Rightarrow$  more powerful than  $\phi(x) \equiv \alpha$  in that region. Thus  $\phi(x) \equiv \alpha$  is NOT UMP.

$\therefore$  No UMP test exists for the test  $H_0: \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$  vs.  $H_1: \theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$

It may seem silly to use the 1-sided test for this hypothesis, but it is still a valid  $\alpha$ -level test & is more powerful in the  $[\theta_2, 1]$  region.

why is power  $> \alpha$  when  $\theta_0 \in [\theta_2, 1]$ ?



$\Rightarrow$  UMP  $\Rightarrow$  UMPU



2.(d) Obtain a UMPU test of size  $\alpha$  for the problem

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$$H_0: \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2] \quad \text{vs.} \quad H_1: \theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$$

Unbiased  $\Rightarrow \beta(\theta) \leq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in H_0$  and  $\beta(\theta) \geq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in H_1$ .

$$\Rightarrow \beta_{\phi}(\theta) \leq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2] \quad \text{and} \quad \beta_{\phi}(\theta) \geq \alpha \quad \forall \theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$$

Thus, when the power function is linear as shown in (b), tests w/ constant power can be unbiased.

Thus  $\phi(x) \equiv \alpha$  is UMPV level  $\alpha$  for  $H_0$ .

(e). Given  $0 < \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1$ . derive the LRT for testing  $H_0: \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$  vs.  $H_1: \theta \notin [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ .

with only 1 observation,

$$L(\theta) = \theta f(x) + (1-\theta)g(x)$$

$$\sup_{0 \leq \theta \leq 1} L(\theta) = \begin{cases} \theta=1 & f(x) \geq g(x) \\ \theta=0 & f(x) < g(x) \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} f(x) & f(x) \geq g(x) \\ g(x) & f(x) < g(x) \end{cases}$$

$$\sup_{0 \leq \theta_1 < \theta_2 < 1} L(\theta) = \begin{cases} \theta_2 f(x) + (1-\theta_2)g(x) & f(x) \geq g(x) \\ \theta_1 f(x) + (1-\theta_1)g(x) & f(x) < g(x) \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \Lambda(x) = \begin{cases} \theta_2 + (1-\theta_2) \frac{g(x)}{f(x)} & f(x) \geq g(x) \\ \theta_1 \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} + (1-\theta_1) & f(x) < g(x) \end{cases}$$

$\Lambda(x)$  is the LRT test statistic for  $H_0: \theta \in [\theta_1, \theta_2]$ .