

Q: Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be a random sample from binomial distⁿ with parameter θ . Find $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval of θ .

Solution: Test statistic is $\frac{T_n - \theta}{\sqrt{m_i(T_n)}} \sim N(0,1)$

where $i(\theta) = -E\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta)\right)$

$$f(x; \theta) = \binom{n}{x} \theta^x (1-\theta)^{n-x} \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\ln f(x; \theta) = \ln \left[\binom{n}{x} \theta^x (1-\theta)^{n-x} \right]$$

$$= \ln \binom{n}{x} + \ln \theta^x + \ln (1-\theta)^{n-x}$$

$$= \ln \binom{n}{x} + x \ln \theta + (n-x) \ln (1-\theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln f(x; \theta) = \frac{x}{\theta} - \frac{n-x}{1-\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta) = -\frac{x}{\theta^2} - \frac{n-x}{(1-\theta)^2}$$

$$-E\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta)\right) = \frac{E(x)}{\theta^2} + \frac{n - E(x)}{(1-\theta)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n\theta}{\theta^2} + \frac{n - n\theta}{(1-\theta)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta} + \frac{n(1-\theta)}{(1-\theta)^2}$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta} + \frac{n}{1-\theta}$$

$$\therefore i(\theta) = \frac{n}{\theta} + \frac{n}{1-\theta}$$

$$\text{i.e. } i(T_m) = \frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}$$

Now,

$$P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} < \frac{T_m - \theta}{\sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)}} < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} < T_m - \theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} - T_m < -\theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} - T_m\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} + T_m > \theta > -Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} + T_m\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\therefore P\left(T_m - Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)} < \theta < T_m + Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{n}{T_m} + \frac{n}{1-T_m}\right)}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

θ : Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be a random sample from Bernoulli distⁿ with parameter θ . Find $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval of θ .

Solution: $f(x; \theta) = \theta^x (1-\theta)^{1-x} \quad x=0, 1$

$$\ln f(x; \theta) = x \ln \theta + (1-x) \ln (1-\theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln f(x; \theta) = \frac{x}{\theta} - \frac{1-x}{1-\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta) = -\frac{x}{\theta^2} - \frac{(1-x)}{(1-\theta)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -E\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta)\right) &= \frac{E(x)}{\theta^2} + \frac{1-E(x)}{(1-\theta)^2} \\ &= \frac{\theta}{\theta^2} + \frac{1-\theta}{(1-\theta)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\theta} + \frac{1}{1-\theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore i(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} + \frac{1}{1-\theta}$$

$$\text{ie } i(T_n) = \frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}$$

$$\text{Now, } P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} < \frac{T_n - \theta}{\sqrt{n\left(\frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}\right)}} < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1-\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}\right)} - T_n < -\theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}\right)} - T_n\right) = 1-\alpha$$

$$\therefore P\left(T_n - Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}\right)} < \theta < T_n + Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{n\left(\frac{1}{T_n} + \frac{1}{1-T_n}\right)}\right) = 1-\alpha$$

Q: Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be a r.s. from poisson distⁿ with parameter θ . Find $100(1-\alpha)\%$ C.I. of θ .

Solⁿ: $f(x; \theta) = \frac{e^{-\theta} \theta^x}{x!} \quad x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$\ln f(x; \theta) = \ln \left(\frac{e^{-\theta} \theta^x}{x!} \right) = \ln(e^{-\theta} \theta^x) - \ln(x!) \\ = -\theta \ln e + x \ln \theta - \ln(x!) \quad [\text{Here } \ln e = 1]$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln f(x, \theta) = -1 + \frac{x}{\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta) = -\frac{x}{\theta^2}$$

$$-E\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta)\right) = \frac{E(x)}{\theta^2} = \frac{\theta}{\theta^2} = \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$$\therefore i(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} \quad \text{ie } i(T_n) = \frac{1}{T_n}$$

$$P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} < \frac{T_n - \theta}{\sqrt{n \cdot \frac{1}{T_n}}} < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}} < T_n - \theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}} - T_n < -\theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}} - T_n\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(T_n - Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}} < \theta < T_n + Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

Q: Let x_1, \dots, x_n be a r.s. from exponential distⁿ with parameter θ . Find $100(1-\alpha)\%$ C.I. of θ .

Solⁿ: $f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-\frac{1}{\theta}x}, x > 0$

$$\ln f(x; \theta) = \ln\left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right) + \ln\left(e^{-\frac{1}{\theta}x}\right)$$

$$= \ln 1 - \ln \theta - \frac{1}{\theta}x = -\ln \theta - \frac{1}{\theta}x$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln f(x; \theta) = -\frac{1}{\theta} + \frac{1}{\theta^2}x$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\theta^2} - \frac{2}{\theta^3}x$$

$$-E\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln f(x; \theta)\right) = -\frac{1}{\theta^2} + \frac{2}{\theta^3}E(x)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\theta^2} + \frac{2\theta}{\theta^3} = -\frac{1}{\theta^2} + \frac{2}{\theta^2} = \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$\therefore i(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta^2} \quad \text{ie } i(T_n) = \frac{1}{T_n^2}$$

$$P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} < \frac{T_n - \theta}{\sqrt{n \frac{1}{T_n^2}}} < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}} < T_n - \theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(-Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}} - T_n < -\theta < Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}} - T_n\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\therefore P\left(T_n - Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}} < 0 < T_n + Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{n}{T_n^2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$