



Lecture 2: we call the underlying dist. of a statistic its
 Sampling dist order, mean, etc

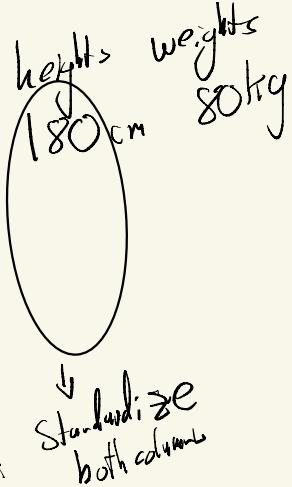
Goal { \bar{Y} Sample mean \rightarrow estimate the unknown population mean M
 S^2 Sample variance \rightarrow estimates the unknown population variance σ^2

Standardized Random Variable

Let Y have mean M and standard deviation $\sigma = \sqrt{\text{Var}(Y)}$

$$Z = \frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} E[Z] &= E\left[\frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma}\right] = \frac{1}{\sigma} E[Y - \mu] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma} (E[Y] - \mu) = 0 \\ E[a] &= a \quad \Rightarrow E[Z] = 0 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(Z) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma}\right) = E\left[Z^2\right] - (E[Z])^2 = E\left[\left(\frac{Y - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} E\left[\left((Y - \mu)\right)^2\right] = 1 \end{aligned}$$

★ Properties of variance

$$\text{Var}(a) = 0, \text{Var}(by) = b^2 \text{Var}(y), \text{Var}(a+b) = b^2 \text{Var}(y)$$

Normal Dist.

$$Y \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow Z = \frac{Y-\mu}{\sigma} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} E[Z] = 0 \\ \text{Var}(Z) = 1 \end{cases}$$

\downarrow shape param.
location param.

$$Z \sim N(0, 1) \Rightarrow U = \mu + \sigma Z = E[\mu + \sigma Z] = \mu + \sigma E[Z] = \mu + \sigma \cdot 0 = \mu$$

$$\text{Var}(U) = \text{Var}(\mu + \sigma Z) = \sigma^2 \text{Var}(Z) = \sigma^2$$

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Theorem. Any linear combination of normally-distributed random variables is itself a r.v.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} Y_1 \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2) \\ Y_2 \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2) \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{\text{indep.}} Y_1 + Y_2 \sim N(\mu_1 + \mu_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

No need to use mgf

$$\text{Var}\left(\frac{Y-\mu}{\sigma}\right) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \text{Var}(Y) = 1$$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = E((Y-\mu)^2)$$

Sampling Dist. of Sample Mean $\bar{Y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$

$$Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$E[\bar{Y}] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right] = \frac{1}{n} E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[Y_i] = \frac{1}{n} (\underbrace{\mu + \mu + \dots + \mu}_{n \text{ times}}) = \mu$$

$$\text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right) = \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right) \\ = \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(Y_i) \right) = \frac{1}{n^2} (n\sigma^2) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$\bar{Y} \sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right) \rightarrow \text{is a good estimator, } \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \bar{Y}$$

An estimator $\hat{\theta}$ is unbiased for estimating θ if $E[\hat{\theta}] = \theta$

$E[\bar{Y}] = \mu \Rightarrow \bar{Y}$ is an unbiased estimator for μ

$$\text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \quad \text{less variability as } n \text{ increases}$$

$n \uparrow \rightarrow \text{Var}(\bar{Y}) \downarrow \Rightarrow$ estimator becomes more precise

$$\text{Standardizing Mean: } \frac{\bar{Y} - E[\bar{Y}]}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(\bar{Y})}} = \frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

- For normally-distributed observations, then the underlying dist of \bar{z} is always normal exactly, both for small and large sample sizes

- For all other distributions, \bar{z} follows normal dist. approximately whenever sample size is large
(Central limit theorem)

R_x:

n = 9

S = 4

Find prob. that Sample mean is within 2 units from population mean.

$$\begin{aligned} P(|\bar{y} - \mu| \leq 2) &= P(-2 \leq \bar{y} - \mu \leq 2) \\ &= P(-1.5 \leq z \leq 1.5) \\ &= 0.8664 \\ &= 1 - 2P(z \geq 1.5) \\ &= 1 - 2(0.968) \end{aligned}$$

Note: Sample mean \neq population mean

$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_m \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$ \quad indep. (what does it mean)

$Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$ \quad Subtraction is an entirely different quantity

What's the Sampling dist of $\bar{X} - \bar{Y}$?
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$$E[\bar{X} - \bar{Y}] = E[\bar{X}] - E[\bar{Y}] = \mu_1 - \mu_2$$

$$\text{Var}[\bar{X} - \bar{Y}] = \text{Var}(\bar{X}) + \text{Var}(-\bar{Y}) = \text{Var}(\bar{X}) + \text{Var}(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{m} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}$$

$\leq \text{Var}(\bar{X} + \bar{Y})$

$$\therefore \bar{X} - \bar{Y} \sim N\left(\mu_1 - \mu_2, \frac{\sigma_1^2}{m} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}\right)$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = 2 \quad \sigma_2^2 = 2.5, \quad n=1$$

Find the sample size so that $\bar{X} - \bar{Y}$ is within ± 1 unit from $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ with prob 0.95

$$Z = \frac{(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$P\left(|(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)| \leq 1\right) = 0.95 \Rightarrow$$

$$P\left([-1 \leq (\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2) \leq 1]\right) = 0.95$$

$$P\left[\frac{-1}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2}{n}}} \leq \frac{(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2}{n}}} \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2}{n}}}\right] = 0.95 \Rightarrow$$

$$P\left[|Z| \leq \sqrt{\frac{n}{4.5}}\right] = 0.95 \Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{n}{4.5}} = 1.96 \Rightarrow n = 17.3$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - P\left[\sqrt{\frac{n}{4.5}} \leq |Z|\right] = 0.05 \Rightarrow n = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left[\sqrt{\frac{n}{4.5}} \leq |Z|\right] = 0.05$$

After break:

Chi-square Dist

$$Z \sim N(0,1) \Rightarrow Z^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$$
$$W \sim \chi^2(N) \quad f(w) = \frac{w^{N/2-1} e^{-w/2}}{2^N \Gamma(N/2)}$$

degrees of freedom

$$\chi^2(n) \equiv \text{Gamma}\left(\frac{n}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right), \quad \alpha = \frac{1}{2}, \beta = 2$$

$$\begin{cases} E[W] = N \\ \text{Var}(W) = 2N \end{cases} \quad W_1 \sim \chi^2(n) \quad W_2 \sim \chi^2(m) \xrightarrow{\text{indep.}} W_1 + W_2 \sim \chi^2(n+m)$$

$$\begin{cases} X_1 \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_1, \beta) \\ X_2 \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_2, \beta) \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\text{iid}} X_1 + X_2 \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2, \beta)$$

$$z_{11}, z_{21}, \dots, z_{61} \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(0,1)$$

Find b s.t. $P\left[\sum_{i=1}^6 z_i^2 \leq b\right] = 0.95$

$$z_{11}^2 \sim \chi^2(1) \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^6 z_{1i}^2 \sim \chi^2(6)$$

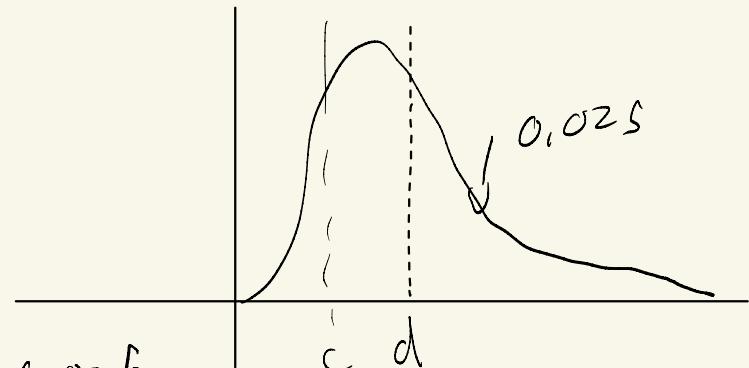
$$U = \sum_{i=1}^6 z_{1i}^2 \sim \chi^2(6)$$

$$P(V \leq b) = 0.95 \Rightarrow P[V > b] = 0.05$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 12.5916$$

left and right tails have the same probability.

Exp.
 $W \sim \chi^2(5)$, Assumption: S.t. $P[c \leq W \leq d] = 0.95$
 Find Constants c and d



$$P[W \leq c] = 0.025$$

$$\Rightarrow P[W > c] = 0.975 \Rightarrow c = 0.8312$$

$$P[W \leq d] = 0.975 \Rightarrow P[W \geq d] = 0.025 \Rightarrow d = 12.8325$$

Finding distribution of S^2

Sample $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \bar{y} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}) \\ \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)} \end{cases}$

$$S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu + \mu - \bar{y})^2 \\ &= \sum \left[(y_i - \mu) - (\bar{y} - \mu) \right]^2 \\ &= \sum \left[(y_i - \mu)^2 - 2(y_i - \mu)(\bar{y} - \mu) + (\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \right] \\ &= \sum (y_i - \mu)^2 - 2 \sum (y_i - \mu)(\bar{y} - \mu) \\ &\quad + \sum (\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \\ &= \sum (y_i - \mu)^2 - 2(\bar{y} - \mu) \sum (y_i - \mu) + n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu)^2 - 2(\bar{y} - \mu) \sum (y_i - \mu) + n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \\
 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu) &= \sum_{i=1}^n y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \mu = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i - n\mu \\
 &\quad = n\bar{y} - n\mu \\
 \downarrow &= \sum (y_i - \mu)^2 - 2n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 + n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \\
 &= \sum (y_i - \mu)^2 - n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \\
 \therefore \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu)^2 - n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2 \text{, identity} \\
 S^2 &= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 \Rightarrow \frac{(n-1)S^2}{n^2} = \sum \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 - \frac{n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_i (Y_i - \mu)^2 - 2 \sum_i (\bar{Y} - \mu)(Y_i - \mu) + \sum_{i=1}^n (\bar{Y} - \mu)^2 \\
 &= \sum_i (Y_i - \mu)^2 - 2(\bar{Y} - \mu) \sum_i (Y_i - \mu) + n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2 \\
 &= \sum_i (Y_i - \mu)^2 - 2n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2 + n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2 \\
 &= \sum_i (Y_i - \mu)^2 - n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 -2n\bar{A} + n\bar{A} = \\
 A(-2n\bar{A}) = \\
 -n\bar{A}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2}_{\text{identity}} = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \mu)^2 - n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2$$

$$S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 \implies \frac{(n-1)S^2}{S^2} = \sum \left(\frac{Y_i - \mu}{S} \right)^2 - \frac{n(\bar{Y} - \mu)^2}{S^2}$$

$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{S^2} = \frac{(n-1)}{S^2} \cdot \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$



Step 2. Consider $\sum \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2$

$y_i \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1) \Rightarrow \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$

so $\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 = \overbrace{\chi^2_0 + \chi^2_{(1)} + \dots + \chi^2_{(n)}}^{n \text{ times}} = \chi^2(n)$

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

Step 3. Consider $\frac{n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2}$: $\bar{y} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}) \Rightarrow \frac{\bar{y} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0, 1) \sim \chi^2_{n-1}$

$$\therefore \frac{n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{(1)}$$

Step 4: Merge the results

$$\frac{(n-1)\sigma^2}{\sigma^2} = \sum \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 - \frac{n(\bar{y} - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} w_1 \sim \chi^2_{(n)} \\ w_2 \sim \chi^2_{(m)} \end{array} \right\} \stackrel{\text{indep}}{\Rightarrow} w_1 + w_2 \sim \chi^2_{(n+m)}$$

$$\underbrace{\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2}}_{\chi^2(n-1)} + \underbrace{\frac{n(\bar{y}-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}}_{\chi^2(1)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

$$\chi^2(n)$$

One more solid point

Result is correct only if

$$\frac{n(\bar{y}-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2} \text{ are indep.}$$

$$\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \text{ and}$$

Only indep. if s^2 and \bar{y} are indep.

Theorem: s^2 and \bar{y} are independent

$$\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma} \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(y_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_n$$

When you restrict the parameters by a certain value, then you lose 1 degree of freedom

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i - \bar{y}}{\sigma} \right)^2 \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)} \text{ loss of } 1 \text{ degree of freedom}$$

$$x + y + z = 2$$

$\underbrace{\qquad}_{2 \text{ degrees of freedom}}$

$$W \sim \chi^2(n) \Rightarrow E[W] = n$$

$$W = \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1) \quad \therefore E[W] = n-1$$
$$\Rightarrow E\left[\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right] = n-1$$

S^2 is unbiased estimator
of σ^2

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(n-1)}{\sigma^2} E[S^2] = n-1$$

$\Rightarrow E[S^2] = \sigma^2$

Another estimator: $E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2\right] \neq \sigma^2$
 ↳ not unbiased estimator

Q. Find an unbiased estimator for σ

Try S to estimate σ

Jensen's inequality: $g(x)$ is convex
 $\Rightarrow g(E[x]) \leq E[g(x)]$

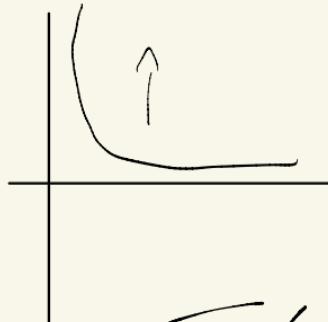
$$g(x) = -\sqrt{x} \text{ convex} \Rightarrow -\sqrt{E[S^2]} \text{ convex} \Rightarrow -\sqrt{E[S^2]} \leq E[-\sqrt{S^2}]$$

$$\text{Strictly convex} \Rightarrow -\sqrt{0^2} \leq -E[S]$$

$$\Rightarrow E[S] \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow E[S] < 0$$

S underestimates σ



$$\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1) \quad E[s] = E\left[\sqrt{s^2}\right]$$

$\star W \sim \chi^2(v) \Rightarrow E[W^2]$

$$= \Gamma\left(\frac{v}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot 2^{\frac{v}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{v}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{v}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n-1}} \cdot E\left[\left(\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\right]$$

know this
by heart

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n-1}} E[W^{\frac{1}{2}}]$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow E[S] = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n-1}} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)} \cdot 2^{1/2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2}{n-1}} \cdot \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \cdot 6$$

$$E[S] = \sqrt{\frac{2}{n-1}} \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right)} \Rightarrow E[S] = C_n \cdot 6 \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{C_n} E[S] = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow E\left[\frac{S}{C_n}\right] = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{n-1}{2}} \cdot \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right) \cdot S}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)}$$

unbiased for
estimating σ