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# 지진원 특성평가 Characterization of Seismic Sources

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- Part I -

# 교육일정 및 내용

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## 교육일정 및 내용 (계속)

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| 2일차<br>(계속) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 지진원 특성평가 - 지진목록 이용                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 지진원의 종류 및 요소</li> <li>▪ Richter-b 평가</li> <li>▪ 지진발생률 평가</li> <li>▪ 최대지진 평가</li> <li>▪ 반복적 동시평가</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   |
| 3일차         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 지질 및 측지자료의 이용                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 최대지진 평가</li> <li>▪ 지진발생률 평가</li> </ul> </li> <li>➤ 관련 이슈                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 지진목록의 병합 효과</li> <li>▪ 지진의 이중 산입</li> </ul> </li> <li>➤ SeisParEst를 이용한 실습                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ SeisParEst 사용자 지침</li> <li>▪ 지진원별 지진목록 작성: 지진원에 속하는 지진 추출</li> <li>▪ 지진목록의 완전성 평가: 6가지 방법</li> <li>▪ 지진원 특성 평가: 11가지 방법</li> <li>▪ 평가결과의 해석 및 활용</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| 특전          | <p>동일 단체에서 2인 이상 수강하면, SeisParEst 1년 라이선스 제공</p>  |

# Chapter 0

## Introduction

# Preparation

## ■ SeisParEst

- ❖ GUI-based computer code
- ❖ Construction of local catalogs
- ❖ Evaluation of catalog completeness
  - 6 methods
- ❖ Estimation of maximum potential earthquakes
  - 11 methods
- ❖ Estimation of a & b values
  - Linked together with  $m_{max}$  estimation

## ■ Installation

- ❖ Copy SeisParEst.exe & SeisParEst.exe.manifest onto a same folder
- ❖ To run the program, double-click the SeisParEst.exe (  )

# About the Course

## ■ Target Trainees

- ❖ Graduate/undergraduate students
- ❖ PSHA practitioners

## ■ Goals

- ❖ To understand basic statistical seismology
- ❖ To evaluate seismicity parameters

## ■ Contents

- ❖ Fundamental Statistics
- ❖ Construction & Assessment of local catalogs
- ❖ Estimation of seismicity parameters

# Chapter 1

## Fundamental Statistics



# Probability

## ■ Two Kinds of Probability Expression

❖ For two variables  $a$  and  $b$  belong to two sets  $A$  and  $B$

➤  $a \in A$  and  $b \in B$

❖ Intersection

➤  $P(A \cap B) \leftrightarrow f_{AB}(a, b)$

❖ Independency

➤  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B) \leftrightarrow f_{AB}(a, b) = f_A(a)f_B(b)$

♣ MECE principle

➤ Exclusiveness

▪  $P(A \cap B) = \emptyset$

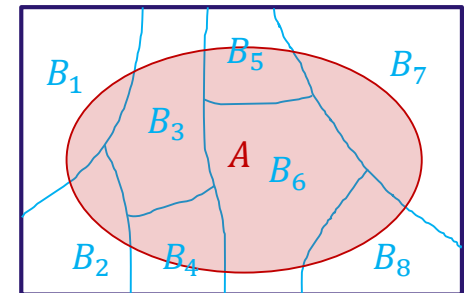
▪  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = P(A) + P(B)$

➤ Partition

▪ If a subset  $\{B_i\}$  of  $B$  is a partition of a union,

▪ Mutually Exclusive (ME):  $P(B_i \cap B_j) = \emptyset$ , if  $i \neq j$

▪ Comprehensively Exhaustive (CE):  $P(B_1 \cup B_2 \cdots \cup B_N) = \sum_i P(B_i) = 1$

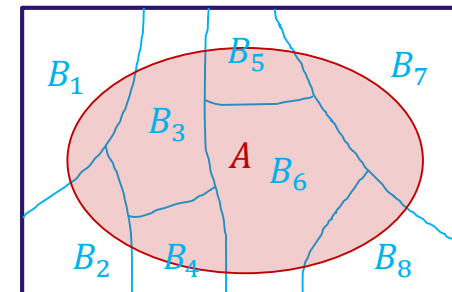


# Probability

## ■ Two Kinds of Probability Expression (continued)

### ❖ Total probability

- If a subset  $\{B_i\}$  of  $B$  is a **partition** of a union,
- $P(A) = \sum_i P(B_i \cap A) \leftrightarrow f_A(a) = \int_B f_{AB}(a, b) db$
- $f_A(a)$  is also called a marginal distribution



### ❖ Conditional probability

- $P(A|B) = P(A \cap B)/P(B) \leftrightarrow f_{A|B}(a|b) = f_{AB}(a, b)/f_B(b)$
- Since  $f_{B|A}(b|a) = f_{AB}(a, b)/f_A(a)$ 
  - $f_{AB}(a, b) = f_{A|B}(a|b)f_B(b) = f_{B|A}(b|a)f_A(a)$

# ■ Bayes' Theorem

## ❖ Bayes' rule

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } f_{M|D}(m|d) &= \frac{f_{MD}(m,d)}{f_D(d)} && \text{conditional probability} \\ &= \frac{f_{MD}(m,d)}{\int f_{MD}(m,d)dm} && \text{total probability} \\ &= \frac{f_{D|M}(d|m)f_M(m)}{\int f_{D|M}(d|m)f_M(m)dm} && \text{conditional probability}\end{aligned}$$

- $f_M(m)$  : prior distribution or *a priori* information
- $f_{D|M}(d|m)$  : likelihood
- $f_{M|D}(m|d)$  : posterior distribution or update of  $f_M(m)$

## ❖ Geophysical view point

- Conversion of the inverse problem into the forward problem
- If  $D$  is a set of observations and  $M$  the model parameters
  - $f_{M|D}(m|d)$  : inversion of model parameter from observation
  - $f_{D|M}(d|m)$  : forward calculation for a given set of model parameters
- To apply the Bayes' theorem, we need the distribution of model parameters, *a priori* information, which is not generally known

## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ More comments

- Given a set of  $d$ , the numerator,  $\int f_{D|M}(d|m) f_M(m) dm$  is a **pure number**
- Therefore, the following notation is frequently found
  - $f_{M|D}(m|d) = \tilde{f}_M(m) \propto f_{D|M}(d|m) f_M(m)$
  - $\tilde{f}_M(m)$ , or equally  $f_{M|D}(m|d)$  can be interpreted as a distribution of  $m$  improved by the observation  $d$

### ❖ Bayesian distribution

- $\tilde{f}_D(d) = \int f_{DM}(d, m) dm = \int f_{D|M}(d|m) \tilde{f}_M(m) dm$   
 $\leftrightarrow f_D(d) = \int f_{DM}(d, m) dm = \int f_{D|M}(d|m) f_M(m) dm$
- $\tilde{f}_D(d)$ , the Bayesian distribution, can be interpreted as a weighted average of all possible density functions  $\int f_{D|M}(d|m)$  which are associated with different values of  $M$
- Here, the weight is the posterior distribution  $\tilde{f}_M(m)$  which were improved or updated distribution by the Bayes' rule

## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ Example 1: Simple application of the Bayes' rule (Cornell, 1972)

#### ➤ Problem

- Reliability verification of a component which has never been designed, built, or tested before

#### ➤ Assumption

- The failure of the component follows the Poisson process with the failure rate (number of failure per hour) of  $\lambda$ 
  - Distribution of inter-failure time:  $f_T(t) = \lambda e^{-\lambda t} \rightarrow P[T > t] = e^{-\lambda t}$
- $\lambda_1 = 0.001$  if the design team did successful job;  $\lambda_2 = 0.01$  otherwise
- The reliability engineer knows, from his information on the design team (prior information),  $P[\lambda = \lambda_1] = 0.9$  and  $P[\lambda = \lambda_2] = 0.1$
- A single specimen has been tested for 300 hours ( $= 1/\lambda$ ), then the test was terminated for economic reasons

#### ➤ Evaluation

- The probability of observing a lifetime in excess of 300 hours is  $P[T > 300] = e^{-300\lambda}$ ; call this event  $A$  then
- $P[\lambda = \lambda_1|A] \propto P[A|\lambda = \lambda_1] \times P[\lambda = \lambda_1]$

$$\propto e^{-\frac{300}{1000}} \times 0.9 = 0.741 \times 0.9 = 0.247$$

## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ Example 1: Simple application of the Bayes' rule (Continued)

- $P[\lambda = \lambda_2|A] \propto P[A|\lambda = \lambda_2] \times P[\lambda = \lambda_2]$   
 $\propto e^{-\frac{300}{100}} \times 0.1 = 0.0498 \times 0.1 = 0.005$
- The absolute values of these posterior probabilities are found by normalizing;
- $P[\lambda = \lambda_1|A] = \frac{0.247}{0.247+0.005} = 0.976 = \tilde{P}[\lambda = \lambda_1]$
- $P[\lambda = \lambda_2|A] = \frac{0.005}{0.247+0.005} = 0.024 = \tilde{P}[\lambda = \lambda_2]$

### ➤ Interpretation

- The prior information on the failure rate,  $P[\lambda = \lambda_1] = 0.9$  and  $P[\lambda = \lambda_2] = 0.1$ , has been improved (updated) using the data from the 300 hour test
- The resultant posterior information says  $\tilde{P}[\lambda = \lambda_1] = 0.976$  and  $\tilde{P}[\lambda = \lambda_2] = 0.024$
- Note that, since we have only two cases,  $\lambda = \lambda_1$  or  $\lambda = \lambda_2$ , the numerator of the Bayes' rule is

$$\begin{aligned} P[A] &= \sum_{i=1}^2 P[A, \lambda_i] \\ &= P[A|\lambda = \lambda_1] \times P[\lambda = \lambda_1] + P[A|\lambda = \lambda_2] \times P[\lambda = \lambda_2] \\ &= 0.247 + 0.005 \end{aligned}$$

## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ Example 2: The Bayes' distribution for the uncertain Richter-b

#### ➤ Assumption

- Prior information: the Richter-b follows a gamma distribution
  - $f_B(\beta) = k_1 \beta^{v-1} e^{-u\beta}$ , where  $k_1 = u^v / \Gamma(v)$  and  $\beta = b \ln 10$
- Magnitudes follows a exponential distribution
  - $f_M(m) = \beta e^{-\beta(m-m_0)}$ ,  $m \geq m_0$
- We have  $n$  observations of earthquake magnitude  $[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n]$

#### ➤ Task 1: Update $f_B(\beta)$ using the observations of earthquakes

- $$\begin{aligned} l(\text{sample}|\beta) &= \beta e^{-\beta(m_1-m_0)} \beta e^{-\beta(m_2-m_0)} \dots \beta e^{-\beta(m_n-m_0)} \\ &= \beta^n \exp[-\sum_{i=1}^n \beta (m_i - m_0)] \\ &= \beta^n \exp[-n\beta(\bar{m} - m_0)] \quad \because \bar{m} = \sum_{i=1}^n m_i / n \\ &= \beta^n \exp(-n\beta\hat{m}) \quad \because \hat{m} = \bar{m} - m_0 \end{aligned}$$
- $$\begin{aligned} \tilde{f}_B(\beta) &\propto l(\text{sample}|\beta) f_B(\beta) \\ &\propto \beta^n \exp(-n\beta\hat{m}) \beta^{v-1} e^{-u\beta} \\ &= k_2 \beta^{n+v-1} \exp[-\beta(n\hat{m} + u)] \\ &= k_2 \beta^{v'-1} e^{-u'\beta} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{Cornell, 1972; Campbell, 1982})$$

where  $v' = n + v$ ,  $u' = n\hat{m} + u$ , and  $k_2 = (u')^{v'} / \Gamma(v')$
- Updated distribution,  $\tilde{f}_B(\beta)$ , is again a gamma distribution

## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ Example 2: Uncertain Richter-b (continued)

- In the distribution,  $f_B(\beta) = k_1 \beta^{v-1} e^{-u\beta}$ , the mean and variance of  $\beta$  are  $\bar{\beta} = v/u$  and  $\sigma_\beta^2 = v/u^2$  which can be interpreted as the prior 'best estimates' of the mean and variance of  $\beta$

- Using these relations, we have:  $v' = n + \left(\frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_\beta}\right)^2$  and  $u' = n(\bar{m} - m_0) + \frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_\beta^2}$

➤ **Task 2:** Update  $f_M(m)$  to get the Bayesian distribution, using  $\tilde{f}_B(\beta)$

- Starting with  $m_{max} = \infty$ , the updated distribution is given by

- $$\begin{aligned}\tilde{F}_M(m) &= \int_0^\infty F_M(m|\beta) \tilde{f}_B(\beta) d\beta \\ &= \int_0^\infty [1 - e^{-\beta(m-m_0)}] k_2 \beta^{v'-1} e^{-u'\beta} d\beta \\ &= 1 - k_2 \int_0^\infty \beta^{v'-1} e^{-u''\beta} d\beta \quad \because u'' = u' + m - m_0 \\ &= 1 - k_2 \frac{\Gamma(v')}{(u'')^{v'}} = 1 - \left(\frac{u'}{u''}\right)^{v'} \\ &= 1 - \left(\frac{u'}{u' + m - m_0}\right)^{v'}, \quad m_0 \leq m < \infty \quad (\text{Campbell, 1982})\end{aligned}$$



## ■ Bayes' Theorem (continued)

### ❖ Example 2: Uncertain Richter-b (continued)

- Introducing the maximum magnitude,  $m_{max}$  and the normalization constant,  $K$

$$K[\tilde{F}_M(m_{max}) - \tilde{F}_M(m_0)] = 1 \text{ or } K = \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{u'}{u' + m_{max} - m_0} \right)^{v'} \right]^{-1}$$

$$\tilde{F}_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0, & m < m_0 \\ K \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{u'}{u' + m - m_0} \right)^{v'} \right], & m_0 \leq m \leq m_{max} \\ 1, & m > m_{max} \end{cases} \quad (\text{Campbell, 1982})$$

$$\text{where } \begin{cases} v' = n + v = n + \left( \frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_{\beta}} \right)^2 \\ u' = n\hat{m} + u = n(\bar{m} - m_0) + \frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_{\beta}^2} \end{cases}$$

# ■ Characterization of Distributions

## ❖ Notation

- Random variables are denoted by capital letters such as  $X$  while the values taken by random variables by lowercase letters such as  $x$

## ❖ Probability density function (PDF)

- $P(x \leq X \leq x + dx) = f_X(x)dx, \quad x \in [a, b]$

$$\text{➤ } f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{P(x \leq X \leq x + dx)}{dx}, & [a, b] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

## ❖ Cumulative distribution function (CDF)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{➤ } F_X(x) &= P(X \leq x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(x)dx \\ &= \int_a^x f_X(x)dx \leftrightarrow f_X(x) = \frac{dF_X(x)}{dx} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{➤ } F_X(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq a \\ \int_a^x f_X(x)dx, & a \leq x \leq b \\ 1, & x > b \end{cases}$$

# ■ Representative Values

## ❖ Location

### ➤ Mode

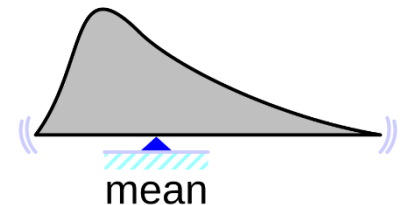
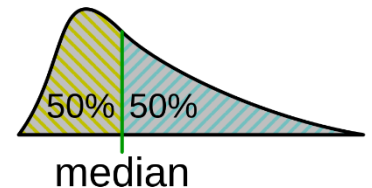
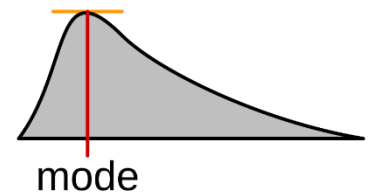
- A value that most frequently occurs

### ➤ Median (50<sup>th</sup> percentile)

- A value separating the higher half from the lower half of a data sample, a population, or a probability distribution

### ➤ Mean (expectation)

- For the discrete random variable:  $E(X) = \sum_i p_i x_i$
- For the continuous random variable:  $E(X) = \int x f_X(x) dx$
- Linear operator:
  - $E[a \cdot g(X) + b \cdot h(Y)] = a \int g(x) f_X(x) dx + b \int h(y) f_Y(y) dy$   
 $= aE[g(X)] + bE[h(Y)]$
  - $E[aX + b] = aE[X] + b$



<from Wikipedia>

## ■ Representative Values (continued)

### ❖ Scale

#### ➤ Variance

$$\begin{aligned}\blacksquare \text{Var}(X) &= E[(X - \mu)^2] = E[X^2 - 2\mu X + \mu^2] \\ &= E[X^2] - 2\mu E[X] + \mu^2 \\ &= E[X^2] - \mu^2, \text{ where } \mu = E[X] \\ \blacksquare \text{Var}(aX + b) &= E\{[(aX + b) - (a\mu + b)]^2\} \\ &= E[a^2(X - \mu)^2] \\ &= a^2 E[(X - \mu)^2] \\ &= a^2 \text{Var}(X)\end{aligned}$$

#### ➤ Standard deviation

$$\begin{aligned}\blacksquare \sigma(X) &= \sqrt{\text{Var}(X)} \\ \blacksquare \sigma(aX + b) &= |a|\sqrt{\text{Var}(X)}\end{aligned}$$

# ■ Quantiles

## ❖ Definition

- A quantile is a cut point that divides a probability distribution's range into continuous intervals

## ❖ Percentile

- A cut point that divides a probability distribution's range into 100 equal continuous intervals

## ❖ Decile

- A cut point that divides a probability distribution's range into 10 equal continuous intervals

## ❖ Quartile

- A cut point that divides a probability distribution's range into 4 equal continuous intervals
- Interquartile range (IQR)
  - $IQR = x_{0.75} - x_{0.25} \rightarrow$  range including a half of data
  - For Gaussian distribution,  $IQR = 1.349\sigma$ 
    - Pseudo-standard deviation:  $S_{ps} = IQR/1.349$

## ♣ Resistance & Robustness

### ➤ Resistance

- Degree of tolerance of a statistical technique (an estimator or a statistical test) to the presence of outliers
- Ex: median has the maximum resistance of 0.5

### ➤ Robustness

- Insensitivity with regard to an underlying assumed probability model
- Ex: residuals are assumed to follow a Gaussian or a uniform distribution with zero mean

## ■ Correlations

### ❖ Covariance

- $Cov(X, Y) = E[(X - \mu_X)(Y - \mu_Y)]$   
 $= E[XY - \mu_X Y - \mu_Y X + \mu_X \mu_Y]$   
 $= E[XY] - \mu_X \mu_Y$
- $Cov(X, Y) = 0$ , if  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent
- $Cov(aX + b, cY + d) = E[a(X - \mu_X)c(Y - \mu_Y)]$   
 $= ac Cov(X, Y)$

### ❖ Correlation Coefficient

- $Corr(X, Y) = \frac{Cov(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y}, \quad -1 \leq Corr(X, Y) \leq +1$
- $Corr(aX + b, cY + d) = \frac{ac Cov(X, Y)}{|a||c|\sigma_X \sigma_Y} = \text{sgn}(a) \text{sgn}(c) Corr(X, Y)$

### ♣ Coefficient of variation

- $CV(X) = \frac{\sigma}{\mu}$
- Frequently denoted by  $CoV$

# Sample Mean & Variance

## ■ Random Sample

For  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  sampled from a population with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$

- ❖ Each sample  $X_i$  is a **random variable**
- ❖ Value  $x_i$  of a sample  $X_i$  is a realization of  $X_i$
- ❖ The set  $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$  is called a random sample of  $X$ , of which size is  $n$

## ■ Statistic

- ❖ A function of random sample
- ❖ Since a random sample is the set of random variables, a statistic is a random variable also



## ■ Sample mean

❖ For  $X_i$  sampled from a population with a mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$

❖ Definition:  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$

❖ Mean of sample mean:

➤  $E(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i) = \mu$  ( $\bar{X}$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\mu$ )

❖ Variance of sample mean:

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

$$E(X_i X_j) = \begin{cases} E(X_i)E(X_j) = \mu^2, & i \neq j \\ E(X_i^2) = \sigma^2 + \mu^2, & i = j \end{cases}$$

➤ 
$$\begin{aligned} Var(\bar{X}) &= E(\bar{X}^2) - E^2(\bar{X}) \\ &= \left( \mu^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \right) - \mu^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \end{aligned}$$

♣ For a large,  $n$  from the central limit theorem,  $\bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$

## ■ Sample variance

❖ Definition:

$$\triangleright V = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2, & \text{for unknown } \mu \\ \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2, & \text{for known } \mu \end{cases}$$

❖ Mean of sample variance

➤ For unknown  $\mu$

$$\begin{aligned} E(V) &= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n [E(X_i^2) - 2E(X_i \bar{X}) + E(\bar{X}^2)] \\ &= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ (\sigma^2 + \mu^2) - 2 \left( \mu^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \right) + \left( \mu^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ \frac{n-1}{n} \sigma^2 \right] = \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$

- unbiased estimator
- degrees of freedom decreased by 1

❖ Task: show that  $E(X_i \bar{X}) = \mu^2 + \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$

## ■ Sample variance (continued)

❖ Mean of sample variance (continued)

➤ For known  $\mu$

$$\begin{aligned} E(V) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [E(X_i^2) - 2\mu E(X_i) + \mu^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [(\sigma^2 + \mu^2) - \mu^2] \\ &= \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$

- unbiased estimator

# Frequently Used Distributions

## ■ Binomial Distribution

### ❖ Bernoulli Trial

- $S = \{s, f\}$
- $p = P\{s\} \geq 0, q = P\{f\} \geq 0; p + q = 1$

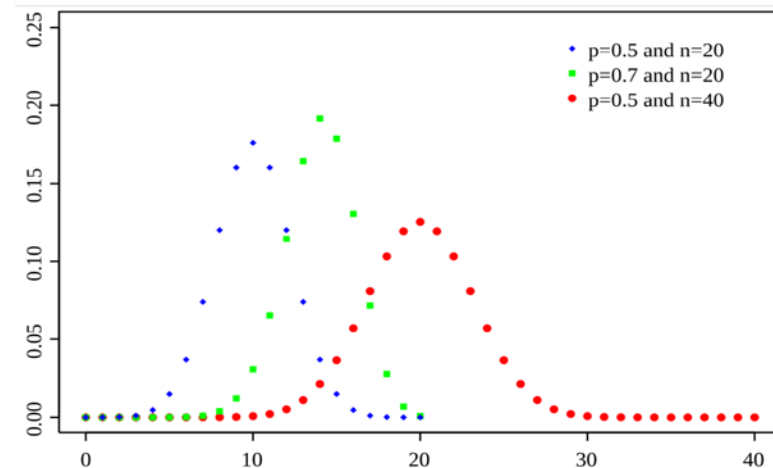
### ❖ Binomial distribution, $B(n, p)$

- $X$  : frequency of success in the  $n$  independent Bernoulli trials
  - $P\{X = x\} = \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x}, x = 0, 1, \dots, n$
- The whole distribution can be expressed by binomial expansion

$$(p + q)^n = \sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x}$$

- Mean:

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \sum_{x=0}^n x \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \\ &= p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ \sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \right] \\ &= p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} (p + q)^n = np(p + q)^{n-1} \\ &= np \quad \because p + q = 1 \end{aligned}$$



<from Wikipedia>

## ■ Binomial Distribution (continued)

### ❖ Binomial distribution (continued)

#### ➤ Variance:

$$\begin{aligned} E(X^2) &= \sum_{x=0}^n x^2 \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \\ &= p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left\{ p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ \sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \right] \right\} \\ &= p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ p \frac{\partial}{\partial p} (p + q)^n \right] \\ &= np(p + q)^{n-1} + n(n-1)p^2 (p + q)^{n-2} \\ &= np + n(n-1)p^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= E(X^2) - E^2(X) \\ &= [np + n(n-1)p^2] - (np)^2 \\ &= np(1 - p) = npq \end{aligned}$$

### ❖ Sum of binomial deviates

- If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually independent, and  $X_1 \sim B(n, p)$  and  $X_2 \sim B(m, p)$ , then  $X_1 + X_2 \sim B(n + m, p)$

## ■ Poisson Distribution

### ❖ Poisson process

- For non-overlapping unit intervals, the occurrence frequency in one unit interval is independent of that in another (independent, memoryless)
- The probability of more than one occurrence in an extremely small interval is extremely small
- The mean occurrence frequency in a unit interval is constant and time-invariant: *homogeneous* Poisson process

### ❖ Derivation of distribution from binomial distribution

- For large  $n$  with  $m = np$

$$\begin{aligned} P\{X = x\} &= \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \\ &= \frac{1}{x!} n(n-1) \cdots (n-x+1) \left(\frac{m}{n}\right)^x \left(1 - \frac{m}{n}\right)^{n-x} \\ &= \frac{m^x}{x!} \left[1\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right) \cdots \left(1 - \frac{x-1}{n}\right)\right] \left(1 - \frac{m}{n}\right)^n \left(1 - \frac{m}{n}\right)^{-x} \\ &\approx \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} \quad \because \left(1 - \frac{m}{n}\right)^n \approx e^{-m} \end{aligned}$$

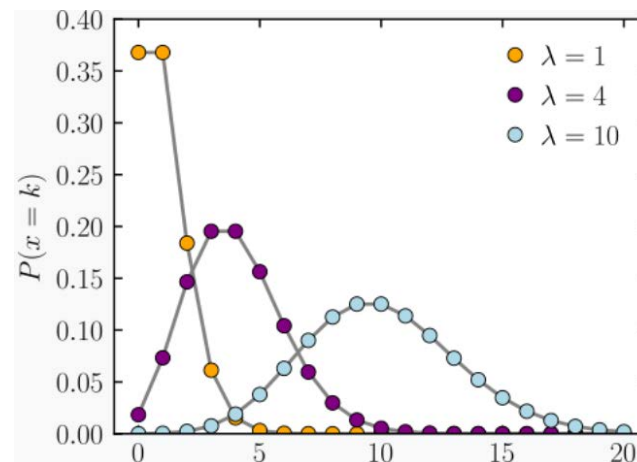
## ■ Poisson Distribution (continued)

❖ Mean:

$$\begin{aligned} E(X) &= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} \\ &= m e^{-m} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} \left[ \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{m^x}{x!} \right] \\ &= m e^{-m} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} (e^m) = m \end{aligned}$$

❖ Variance:

$$\begin{aligned} E(X^2) &= \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x^2 \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} \\ &= m e^{-m} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} \left[ m \frac{\partial}{\partial m} \left( \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{m^x}{x!} \right) \right] = m e^{-m} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} (m e^m) \\ &= m e^{-m} (e^m + m e^m) = m(1 + m) \\ \text{Var}(X) &= E(X^2) - E^2(X) \\ &= m(1 + m) - (m)^2 = m \end{aligned}$$



<PMF with  $\lambda \equiv m$ , from Wikipedia>

## ■ Poisson Distribution (continued)

### ❖ Inter-event time

- If  $\lambda$  is the rate, i.e., the frequency in unit time, the mean expectation of events during time  $t$  is  $m = \lambda t$
- The probability for  $X = x$  events is
  - $P\{X = x; m = \lambda t\} = \frac{e^{-\lambda t}(\lambda t)^x}{x!}$
- No event up to time  $\tau$  from the last event means that the inter-event time is larger than  $\tau$  so that
  - $P\{X = 0; m = \lambda \tau\} = e^{-\lambda \tau} = 1 - F(\tau; \lambda) \leftarrow \text{exponential distribution}$

### ❖ Sum of Poisson deviates

- If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually independent, and  $X_1 \sim P_X(m_1)$  and  $X_2 \sim P_X(m_2)$ , then  $X_1 + X_2 \sim P_X(m_1 + m_2)$



# ■ Exponential Distribution

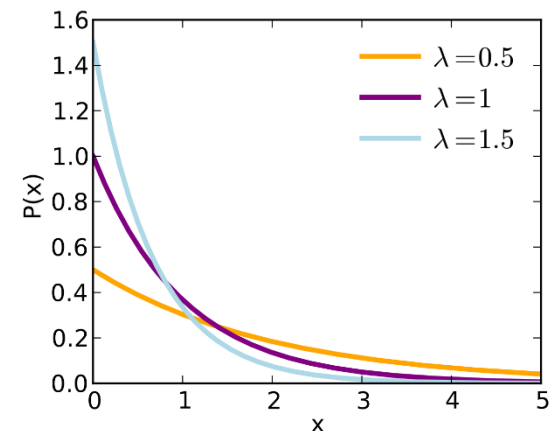
## ❖ PDF

- For rate parameter  $\lambda > 0$ ,  $f(x; \lambda) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$ ,  $x \in [0, +\infty)$ 
  - Mean:  $1/\lambda$
  - Variance:  $1/\lambda^2$
- $P(X > x) = 1 - F(x; \lambda) = e^{-\lambda x}$
- Memoryless:  $P(X > s + x | X > s) = P(X > x) \hat{=}$  Poisson process

## ❖ Sum of exponential deviates

- If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually independent exponential deviates with rates  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$ , respectively, then the PDF of  $Z = X_1 + X_2$  is

$$f_Z(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} (e^{-\lambda_1 z} - e^{-\lambda_2 z}), & \lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2 \\ \lambda z e^{-\lambda z}, & \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 \end{cases}$$



<from Wikipedia>

# ■ Normal Distribution (Gaussian Distribution)

## ❖ Notation

- If a random variable follows the normal distribution with a mean  $\mu$  and a variance  $\sigma^2$ , it is denoted by  $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

## ❖ Probability density function

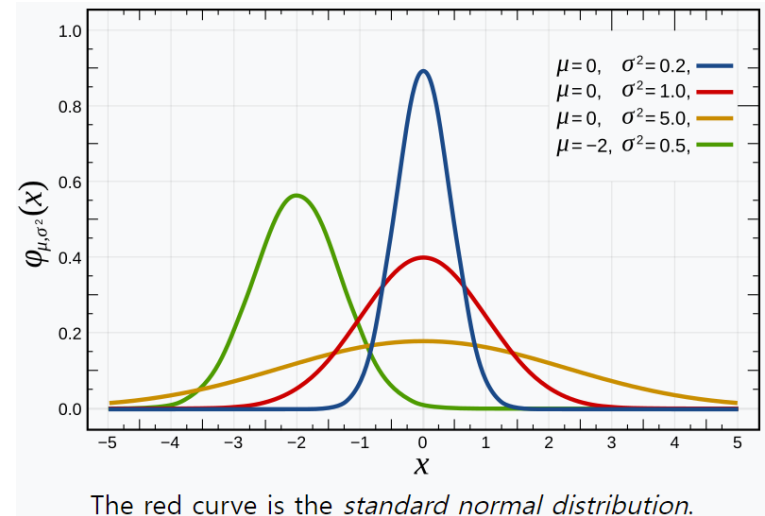
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}, \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

## ❖ Mean: $\mu$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} f(x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \left( \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mu) e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) [E(X) - \mu] \quad \therefore E(X) = \mu \end{aligned}$$

## ❖ Variance: $\sigma^2$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \mu^2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \mu^2} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \left( \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (x - \mu)^2 - 1 \right] e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right) \left[ \frac{1}{\sigma^2} Var(X) - 1 \right] \quad \therefore Var(X) = \sigma^2 \end{aligned}$$



The red curve is the *standard normal distribution*.

<from Wikipedia>

## ■ Normal Distribution (continued)

### ❖ Standard normal distribution

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

### ❖ Sum of normal deviates

$\triangleright$  If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually independent, and  $X_1 \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$  and  $X_2 \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$ , then

$$X_1 \pm X_2 \sim N(\mu_1 \pm \mu_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

### ❖ Log-normal distribution

$$\triangleright \log X \sim N(\mu_{ln}, \sigma_{ln}^2)$$

# ■ Gamma Distribution

## ❖ Gamma function

### ➤ Complete gamma function

- $\Gamma(b) = \int_0^{\infty} z^{b-1} e^{-z} dz, \quad b > 0$

- $\Gamma(b+1) = b\Gamma(b)$

### ➤ Incomplete gamma functions

- Upper:  $\Gamma(x; b) = \int_x^{\infty} z^{b-1} e^{-z} dz$

- Lower:  $\gamma(x; b) = \int_0^x z^{b-1} e^{-z} dz$

### ➤ Note that several different notations are in use

## ❖ Probability density function

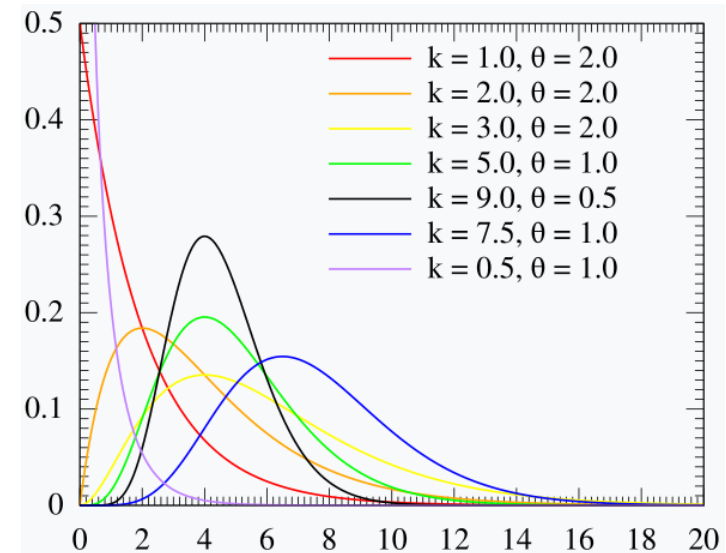
$$f(x) = ax^{b-1}e^{-cx}, \quad x > 0, \quad b, c > 0$$

### ➤ Normalization:

- $1 = a \int_0^{\infty} x^{b-1} e^{-cx} dx$

$$= \frac{a}{c} \int_0^{\infty} (w/c)^{b-1} e^{-w} dw \quad \because w = cx$$

$$= ac^{-b} \int_0^{\infty} w^{b-1} e^{-w} dw = ac^{-b} \Gamma(b) \quad \therefore a = c^b / \Gamma(b)$$



<Probability density function,  $k \equiv b$ ,  $\theta \equiv 1/c$ >  
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## ■ Gamma Distribution (continued)

➤ Mean:  $\mu = \frac{a}{c^b} \frac{\Gamma(b+1)}{c} = \frac{b}{c}$

➤ Variance:  $\sigma^2 = \frac{b}{c^2}$

➤ Complete notation:  $f(x) \rightarrow f(x; b, c)$

### ❖ Cumulative distribution function

➤ 
$$\begin{aligned} F(x; b, c) &= \int_0^x f(z; b, c) dz \\ &= a \int_0^x z^{b-1} e^{-cz} dz \\ &= \frac{\gamma(cx; b)}{\Gamma(b)} \end{aligned}$$

### ❖ Notation: $x \sim G(b, c)$

➤  $b$  is called a shape parameter and  $c$  a rate parameter

### ❖ Sum of gamma deviates

➤ If  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  are mutually independent, and  $X_1 \sim G(b_1, c)$  and  $X_2 \sim G(b_2, c)$ , then  $X_1 + X_2 \sim G(b_1 + b_2, c)$

# ♣ Normal & Gamma Distributions

## ❖ Moment of normal distribution

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } G(x; n) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} \int_{-\infty}^x z^n e^{-\frac{(z-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dz \\&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}} (\sigma w + \mu)^n e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} (\sigma dw) \quad \because w = \frac{z-\mu}{\sigma} \\&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \sigma^i \mu^{n-i} \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}} w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw \\&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \sigma^i \mu^{n-i} \begin{cases} \int_{-\infty}^0 w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw + \int_0^{\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}} w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw & x \geq \mu \\ \int_{-\infty}^0 w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw - \int_{\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}}^0 w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw & x < \mu \end{cases} \\&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \sigma^i \mu^{n-i} \begin{cases} I_0(i) + I_+(x; i) & x \geq \mu \\ I_0(i) - I_-(x; i) & x < \mu \end{cases}\end{aligned}$$

## ♣ Normal & Gamma Distributions

❖ General formulation (continued)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } I_0(i) &= \int_{-\infty}^0 w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw = (-1)^i (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \int_0^{\infty} v^{\frac{i-1}{2}} e^{-v} dv \quad \because v = \frac{w^2}{2} \\ &= (-1)^i (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \Gamma\left(\frac{i+1}{2}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } I_+(x; i) &= \int_0^{(x-\mu)/\sigma} w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw = (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \int_0^{\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} v^{\frac{i-1}{2}} e^{-v} dv, \quad x \geq \mu \\ &= (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \gamma\left(\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}; \frac{i+1}{2}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } I_-(x; i) &= \int_{(x-\mu)/\sigma}^0 w^i e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw = (-1)^i (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \int_0^{\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} v^{\frac{i-1}{2}} e^{-v} dv, \quad x < \mu \\ &= (-1)^i (\sqrt{2})^{i-1} \gamma\left(\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}; \frac{i+1}{2}\right), \quad x < \mu\end{aligned}$$

## ♣ Normal & Gamma Distributions (continued)

### ❖ Cumulative distribution

$$\text{➤ } F(x) = G(x; n = 0)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \begin{cases} I_0(0) + I_+(x; 0) & x \geq \mu \\ I_0(0) - I_-(x; 0) & x < \mu \end{cases}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \begin{cases} \sqrt{\pi} + \gamma\left(\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}; \frac{1}{2}\right) & x \geq \mu \\ \sqrt{\pi} - \gamma\left(\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}; \frac{1}{2}\right) & x < \mu \end{cases}$$

$$\text{➤ Since } \gamma\left(\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}; \frac{1}{2}\right)\Big|_{x=\pm\infty} = \gamma\left(\infty; \frac{1}{2}\right) = \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi},$$

$$\blacksquare F(-\infty) = 0 \text{ and } F(\infty) = 1$$

### ❖ Mean

$$\text{➤ } E(x) = G(\infty; n = 1) \quad \because \gamma(\infty; i) = \Gamma(i) \text{ \& } I_+(\infty; i) = (-1)^i I_0(i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \{ \mu [I_0(0) + I_+(\infty; 0)] + \sigma [I_0(1) + I_+(\infty; 1)] \}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \{ 2\mu I_0(0) \} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left\{ 2\mu \frac{\Gamma(1/2)}{\sqrt{2}} \right\} = \mu$$



## ♣ Normal & Gamma Distributions (continued)

### ❖ Variance

$$\begin{aligned}\text{➤ } E(x^2) &= G(\infty; n = 2) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \{ \mu^2 [I_0(0) + I_+(\infty; 0)] + 2\mu\sigma [I_0(1) + I_+(\infty; 1)] + \sigma^2 [I_0(2) + I_+(\infty; 2)] \} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \{ 2\mu^2 I_0(0) + 2\sigma^2 I_0(2) \} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left\{ 2\mu^2 \frac{\Gamma(1/2)}{\sqrt{2}} + 2\sigma^2 \left[ \frac{\sqrt{2}\Gamma(\frac{3}{2})}{2} \right] \right\} \\ &= \mu^2 + \sigma^2\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{➤ } Var(x) = E(x^2) - E^2(x) = \sigma^2$$

## ■ $\chi^2$ Distribution

❖ Chi-square deviate:  $X = \sum_{i=1}^k Z_i^2 \sim \chi^2(k)$

➤  $Z_k \sim N(0,1)$  and  $k$  is degrees of freedom

❖ PDF

➤  $f(x; k) = \frac{x^{k/2-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{k/2} \Gamma(k/2)}, \quad x \in [0, +\infty)$

➤ Mean:  $k$

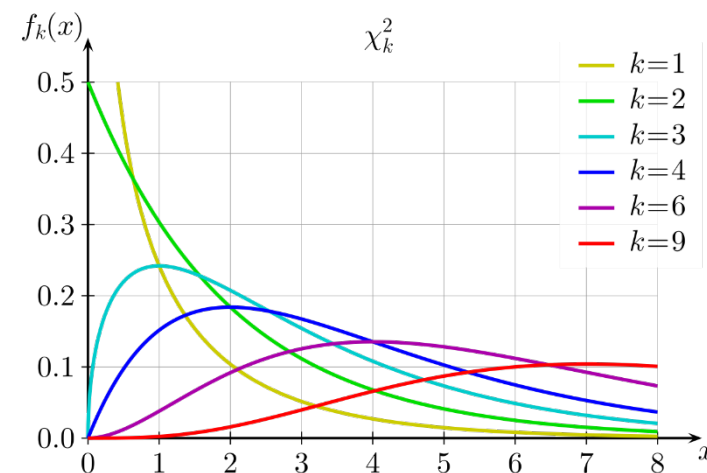
➤ Variance:  $2k$

❖ CDF

➤  $F(x; k) = \frac{\gamma(x/2; k/2)}{\Gamma(k/2)}$

❖ Sum of  $\chi^2$  deviates

➤ If  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  are mutually independent, and  $V_1 \sim \chi^2(k_1)$  and  $V_2 \sim \chi^2(k_2)$ , then  $V_1 + V_2 \sim \chi^2(k_1 + k_2)$



<from Wikipedia>

## ■ Student $t$ Distribution

❖ Student  $t$  deviate:  $T = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{V/\nu}}$

➤  $Z \sim N(0,1)$

➤  $V \sim \chi^2(\nu)$

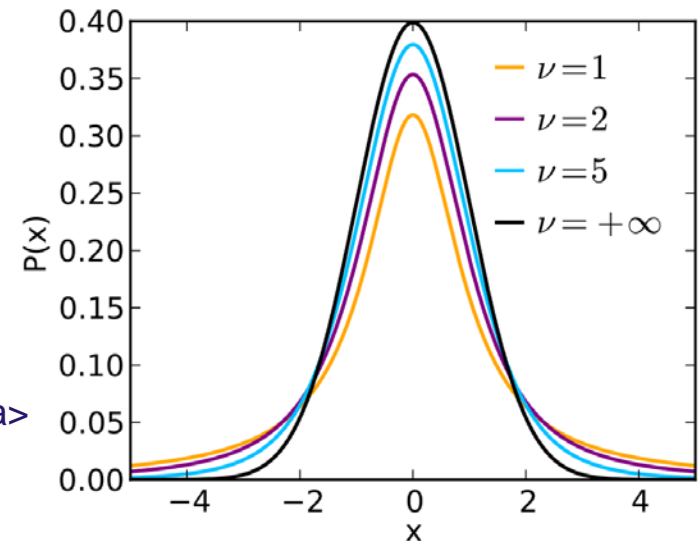
➤ PDF:  $f(t; \nu) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{\nu+1}{2})}{\sqrt{\pi\nu}\Gamma(\frac{\nu}{2})} \left(1 + \frac{t^2}{\nu}\right)^{-\frac{\nu+1}{2}}$

▪ Mean: 0 for  $\nu > 1$ , otherwise undefined

▪ Variance:  $\frac{\nu}{\nu-2}$  for  $\nu > 2$ ;  $\infty$  for  $2 < \nu \leq 4$ ; otherwise undefined

❖ Usage

➤ To test a location of distribution



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# ■ F Distribution

## ❖ Definition

➤ F deviate:  $F = \frac{V_1/v_1}{V_2/v_2} \sim F(v_1, v_2)$

▪  $V_1 \sim \chi^2(v_1)$

▪  $V_2 \sim \chi^2(v_2)$

➤ PDF:  $F(x; v_1, v_2) = \frac{1}{x F\left(\frac{v_1}{2}, \frac{v_2}{2}\right)} \sqrt{\frac{(v_1 x)^{v_1} v_2^{v_2}}{(v_1 x + v_2)^{v_1 + v_2}}}$

▪ Mean:  $\frac{v_2}{v_2 - 2}$  for  $v_2 > 2$

▪ Variance:  $\frac{2v_2^2(v_1 + v_2 - 2)}{v_1(v_2 - 2)^2(v_2 - 4)}$  for  $v_2 > 4$

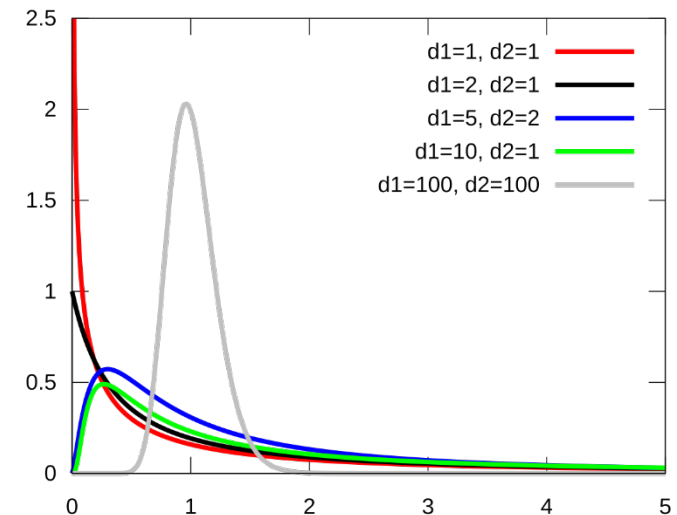
## ❖ Useful properties

➤  $1/F = \frac{V_2/v_2}{V_1/v_1} \sim F(v_2, v_1)$

➤  $T^2 = \frac{Z^2}{V/v} \sim F(1, v)$

## ❖ Usage

➤ To test a variance of distribution



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# Special Topics

## ■ Order Statistics

### ❖ Distributions of maxima

- Suppose that we have a set of  $n$  random  $X_i$  which have a PDF of  $f_X(x)$
- If  $Y_k$  take the ordered values of  $X_i$  such that  $Y_1 \leq Y_2 \leq \dots \leq Y_k \leq \dots \leq Y_n$ , then  $Y_k = X_i \sim f_X(x)$
- Distribution functions
  - $Y = Y_n = \max\{X_i\}$
  - $F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y)$ 
    - $= P(X_1 \leq y, X_2 \leq y, \dots, X_n \leq y)$
    - $= P(X_1 \leq y) P(X_2 \leq y) \dots P(X_n \leq y)$  if  $X_i$  are mutually independent
    - $= F_{X_1}(y) F_{X_2}(y) \dots F_{X_n}(y)$
    - $= [F_X(y)]^n$  if  $X_i$  are identically distributed
  - $f_Y(y) = n f_X(y) [F_X(y)]^{n-1}$

## ■ Order Statistics (continued)

### ❖ Distribution of minima

$$\triangleright Z = Y_1 = \min\{X_i\}$$

$$\triangleright F_Z(z) = P(Z \leq z) = 1 - P(Z \geq z)$$

$$= 1 - P(Y_1 \geq z, Y_2 \geq z, \dots, Y_n \geq z)$$

$$= 1 - P(X_1 \geq z, X_2 \geq z, \dots, X_n \geq z)$$

$$= 1 - P(X_1 \geq z) P(X_2 \geq z) \cdots P(X_n \geq z) \quad \text{mutually independent } X_i$$

$$= 1 - [1 - F_{X_1}(z)][1 - F_{X_2}(z)] \cdots [1 - F_{X_n}(z)]$$

$$= 1 - [1 - F_X(z)]^n \quad \text{identically distributed } X_i$$

$$\triangleright f_Z(z) = n f_X(z) [1 - F_X(z)]^{n-1}$$

### ❖ Distribution of the $k$ -th maxima

$$\triangleright f_{Y_k}(y) = \frac{n!}{(k-1)!(n-k)!} f_X(y) [F_X(y)]^{k-1} [1 - F_X(y)]^{n-k}$$

## ■ Order Statistics (continued)

### ❖ Extreme Value Distributions

#### ➤ Distribution of smallest values

- Defining the random variable  $\eta_n = nF_X(z)$ , for  $u$  in  $0 \leq u \leq n$

- $\Gamma_n(u) = P(\eta_n \leq u) = P(nF_X(z) \leq u)$

$$= P\left(z \leq F_X^{-1}\left(\frac{u}{n}\right)\right) \quad \because F_X(z) \text{ is a monotonically increasing function}$$

$$= F_Z\left(F_X^{-1}\left(\frac{u}{n}\right)\right)$$

$$= 1 - \left[1 - F_X\left(F_X^{-1}\left(\frac{u}{n}\right)\right)\right]^n = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{u}{n}\right)^n$$

- As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,

- $\Gamma(u) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \Gamma_n(u) = 1 - e^{-u}, \quad u \geq 0$

- $\gamma(u) = e^{-u}, \quad u \geq 0$

- Distribution of the minimum,  $z$  for a large  $n$

- Since  $\eta_n$  is a monotonically increasing function of  $z$ ,  $P(Z \leq z) = P(\eta_n \leq u)$

- $F_Z(z) = \Gamma_n(u)$

- For a  $n$  large,  $F_Z(z) \cong 1 - e^{-u} = 1 - e^{-nF_X(z)}$

## ■ Order Statistics

### ❖ Extreme Value Distributions

#### ➤ Distribution of smallest values (continued)

##### ▪ Example: $X$ is a uniform deviate in $[0, A]$

- $F_X(x) = x/A \rightarrow \eta_n = nF_X(z) = nz/A$
- $F_Z(z) \cong 1 - e^{-u} = 1 - e^{-nz/A}, z \geq 0$
- $f_Z(z) \cong \frac{n}{A} e^{-nz/A}, z \geq 0$

#### ➤ Distribution of largest values

##### ▪ Defining the random variable $\xi_n = n(1 - F_X(y))$ , for $u$ in $0 \leq u \leq n$

- $\Lambda_n(v) = P(\xi_n \leq v) = P(n(1 - F_X(y)) \leq v)$   
 $= P(F_X(y) \geq 1 - v/n)$   
 $= P\left(y \geq F_X^{-1}\left(1 - \frac{v}{n}\right)\right) \quad \because F_X(y) \text{ is a monotonically increasing function}$   
 $= 1 - F_Y\left(F_X^{-1}\left(1 - \frac{v}{n}\right)\right)$   
 $= 1 - \left[F_X\left(F_X^{-1}\left(1 - \frac{v}{n}\right)\right)\right]^n = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{v}{n}\right)^n$



## ■ Order Statistics

### ❖ Extreme Value Distributions

#### ➤ Distribution of largest values (continued)

■ As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,

- $\Lambda(v) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \Lambda_n(v) = 1 - e^{-v}, \quad v \geq 0$
- $\lambda(v) = e^{-v}, \quad v \geq 0$

■ Distribution of the maximum,  $y$  for a large  $n$

- $F_Y(y) = P(Y \leq y) = P(\xi_n \geq v) \quad \because \xi_n \text{ is a monotonically decreasing function of } y$   
$$= 1 - \Lambda_n(v) = \left(1 - \frac{v}{n}\right)^n \cong e^{-v} = e^{-n(1-F_X(y))}$$

■ Example:  $X$  is a exponential deviate in  $[x_0, \infty]$

- $F_X(x) = 1 - e^{-\beta(x-x_0)} \rightarrow \xi_n = n[1 - F_X(y)] = ne^{-\beta(y-x_0)}$
- $F_Y(y) \cong e^{-v} = \exp[-ne^{-\beta(y-x_0)}], \quad y \geq x_0$
- $f_Y(y) \cong n\beta e^{-\beta(y-x_0)} \exp[-ne^{-\beta(y-x_0)}], \quad y \geq x_0$
- Remark: the probability of  $X \geq x$  is  $p_x = 1 - F_X(x)$
- Assuming, during time  $t$ , the annual rate of events larger than  $x_0$  is  $\nu_0$ , the number of events larger than  $x$  is  $\nu_0 p_x t$ , so that, for the Poisson process,
- $F_Y(y) = \exp[-\nu_0 p_m t] = \exp[-\nu_0 t e^{-\beta(y-x_0)}] = \exp[-ne^{-\beta(y-x_0)}] \quad \because n = \nu_0 t$
- In this case, a larger number of events was not assumed

## ■ Order Statistics

### ❖ Extreme Value Distributions (continued)

#### ➤ Remark

- In the previous example for  $F_X(x) = 1 - e^{-\beta(x-x_0)}$ , we obtained the distribution of the largest value,  $F_Y(y) \cong e^{-v} = \exp[-ne^{-\beta(y-x_0)}]$ ,  $y \geq x_0$
- We will derive the same results for the Poisson process
- The probability of  $X \geq x$  is  $p_x = 1 - F_X(x) = e^{-\beta(x-x_0)}$
- Assuming, during time  $t$ , the annual rate of events larger than  $x_0$  is  $v_0$ , the number of events larger than  $x$  is  $v_0 p_x t$
- Then, the probability for the occurrence of  $n$  events with  $X \geq x$  is

$$P[N = n] = \frac{(v_0 p_x t)^n e^{-v_0 p_x t}}{n!}$$

- The probability that the magnitude of the largest event,  $Y$  is less than  $x$  is equal to the probability that there is no event larger than  $x$ :
- $F_Y(x) = \exp[-v_0 p_x t] = \exp[-v_0 t e^{-\beta(x-x_0)}]$   
 $= \exp[-n e^{-\beta(x-x_0)}] \quad \because n = v_0 t$
- Or  $F_Y(y) = \exp[-n e^{-\beta(y-x_0)}]$ ,  $y \geq x_0$
- Here, we didn't assume a large number, but the Poisson process

## ♣ Generalized Extreme Value (GEV) Distribution

➤ Extreme value distribution (EVD) are classified into 3 types

▪ Type I: Gumbel Distribution (also called the Gumbel-Type)

- The most common EVD and has two forms: one for the minimum, and one for the maximum
- It is defined in the unbounded range

▪ Type II: Fréchet Distribution

- Used to model maximum values in a data set
- Its is bounded (restricted) on the lower side

▪ Type III: Weibull Distribution

- Used in assessing product reliability to model failure times and life data analysis

➤ GEV distribution unites all the 3 types of EVD above

▪  $F(x; \mu, \sigma, \rho) = \exp \left\{ - \left[ 1 + \rho \left( \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} \right) \right]^{-1/\rho} \right\} = e^{-t(x)}$

▪ An EVD type is determined by the (shape) parameter  $\rho$

- $\rho = 0$ : Type I  $\rightarrow t(x) = e^{-\frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}}, x \in (-\infty, +\infty)$
- $\rho > 0$ : Type II  $\rightarrow t(x) = \left[ 1 + \rho \left( \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} \right) \right]^{-1/\rho}, x \in [\mu - \frac{\sigma}{\rho}, +\infty)$
- $\rho < 0$ : Type III  $\rightarrow t(x) = \left[ 1 + \rho \left( \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} \right) \right]^{-1/\rho}, x \in (-\infty, \mu - \frac{\sigma}{\rho}]$

## ■ One Function of Two Random Variables

❖  $Z = X + Y$

➤  $F_Z(z) = P(Z \leq z)$

~~$= P(Z \leq x + y)$~~

$= P(X + Y \leq z)$

$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{z-y} f_{X,Y}(x, y) dx dy$

$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{z-y} f_X(x) f_Y(y) dx dy$

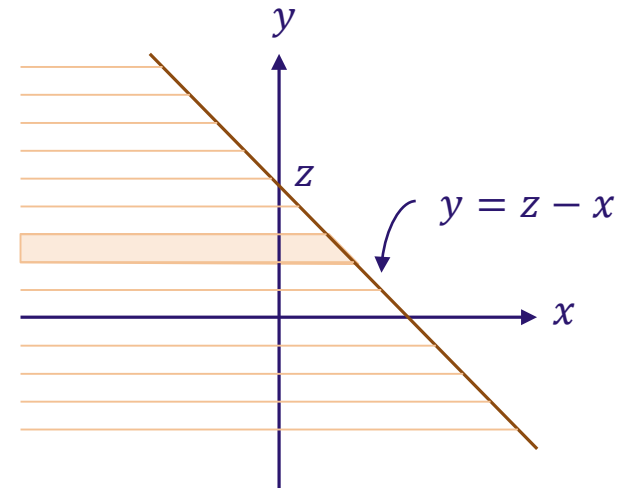
$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_X(z - y) f_Y(y) dy$

➤  $f_Z(z) = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_X(z - y) f_Y(y) dy$

$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(z - y) f_Y(y) dy \leftrightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{X,Y}(z - y, y) dy$

❖  $Z = X/Y$

➤  $f_Z(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |y| f_X(zy) f_Y(y) dy \leftrightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |y| f_{X,Y}(zy, y) dy$

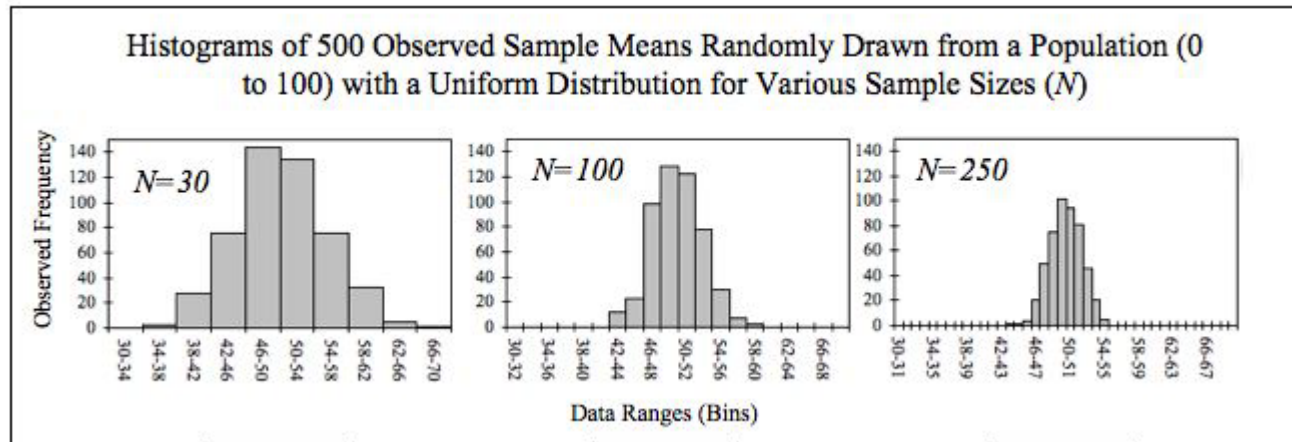


## ■ Central Limit Theorem

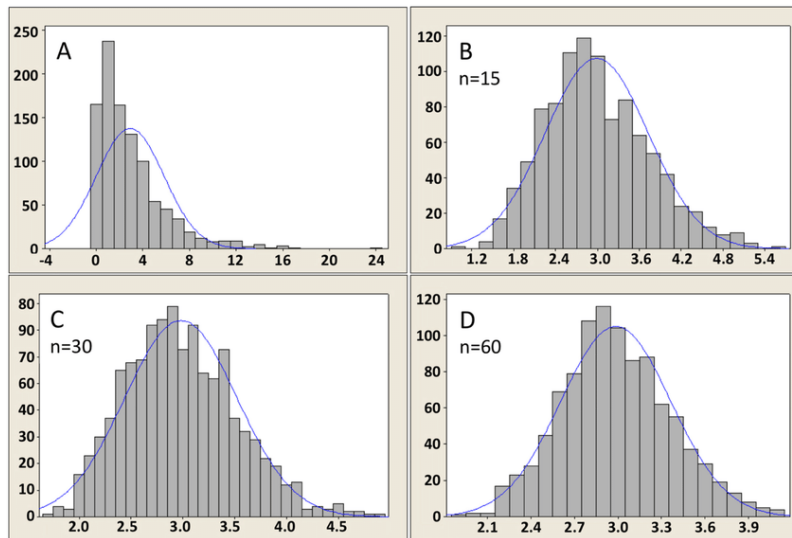
### ❖ Definition

- There are several versions of CLT
- In probability theory, CLT states that, under appropriate conditions, the distribution of a normalized version of the **sample mean** converges to a standard normal distribution. This holds even if the original variables themselves are not normally distributed.
- In statistics, CLT can be stated as: let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  denote a statistical sample from a population with mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ , and let  $\bar{X}_n$  denote the **sample mean**. Then as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the distribution of  $\frac{(\bar{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$  is a normal distribution with mean 0 and variance 1.

## ❖ Explanation 1



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Panel A shows the population (highly skewed right and truncated at zero). Panel B, C, D show the distribution of sample means of sizes  $n=15$ , 30, and 60, respectively (from NCBI).

## ❖ Explanation 2

➤ For independent uniform deviates,  $U_1, U_2, U_3, \dots$  in  $[0,1]$

$$\blacksquare Z_1 = U_1, \quad f_{Z_1}(z) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq z \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

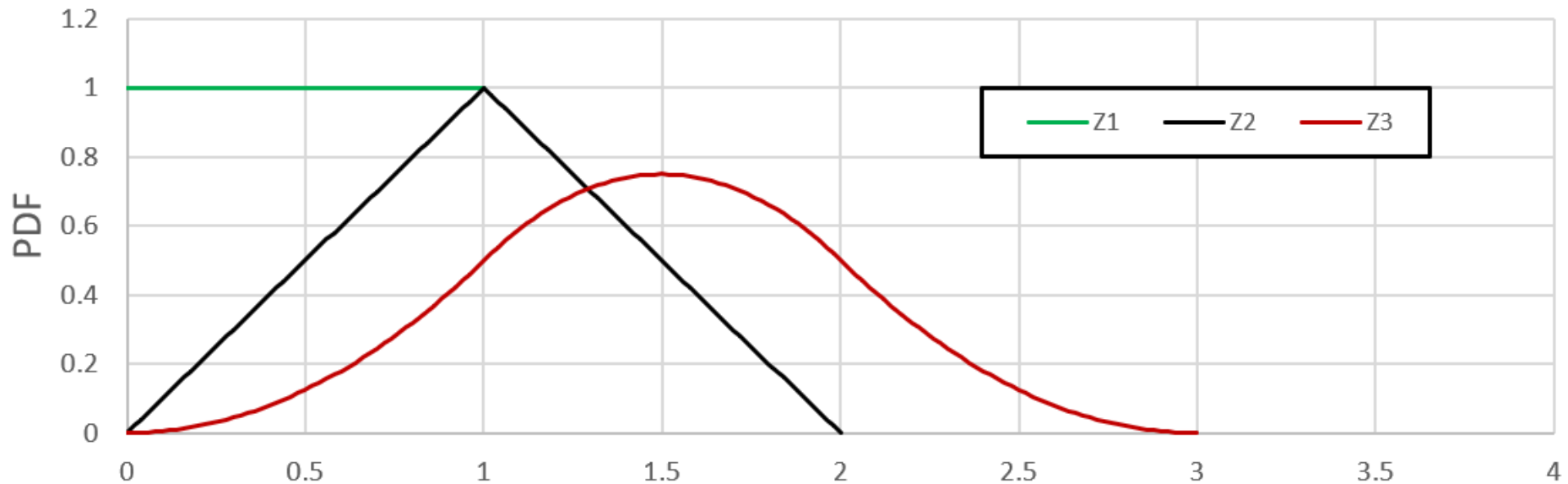
$$\blacksquare Z_2 = U_1 + U_2, \quad f_{Z_2}(z) = \begin{cases} z, & 0 \leq z \leq 1 \\ 2 - z, & 1 \leq z \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\blacksquare Z_3 = U_1 + U_2 + U_3, \quad f_{Z_3}(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}z^2, & 0 \leq z \leq 1 \\ -\left(z - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}, & 1 \leq z \leq 2 \\ \frac{1}{2}(z - 3)^2, & 2 \leq z \leq 3 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\blacksquare Z_n = \sum_{i=1}^n U_i, \quad f_{Z_n}(z) \rightarrow \text{normal distribution as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

❖ Explanation 2 (continued)

- Even  $Z_3$  almost resembles a normal distribution
- Note that the range of  $z$  increases as increasing  $n$





# Distribution of Sample Mean & Variance

## ■ Sample Variance

❖ For unknown population mean  $\mu$ , we have  $V = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$

❖ If  $\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0,1)$ , then  $\sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 \sim \chi^2(n)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{❖ } \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{X_i - \bar{X}}{\sigma} \right)^2 + n \left( \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma^2} + \left( \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

❖ Since  $\left( \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \right)^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$ , it follows that  $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1)$

## ■ Sample Mean

- ❖ For  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ , we know that  $E(\bar{X}) = \mu$  and  $Var(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$
- ❖ For large  $n$ , from CLT,  $\bar{X} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$ , or  $Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0,1)$  if the variance of population  $\sigma^2$  is known
- ❖ If  $\sigma^2$  is unknown, using the sample variance,
  - If  $n$  is reasonably large (i.e., larger than 30), then  $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sqrt{V/n}} \sim N(0,1)$
  - If  $n$  is smaller than 30
    - If  $X_i$  is a normal deviate, then  $(\bar{X} - \mu)/(\sigma/\sqrt{n}) \sim N(0,1)$  and  $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1)$  so that
$$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sqrt{V/n}} = \frac{(\bar{X} - \mu)/(\sigma/\sqrt{n})}{\sqrt{\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma^2}/(n-1)}} \sim t(n-1)$$
    - If  $X_i$  is an exponential deviate, then  $2n\bar{X}/\mu \sim \chi^2(2n)$

# Chapter 2

## Estimation

# Introduction

## ■ Sample

- ❖ Each sample  $X_i$  is a random variable
- ❖ Value  $x_i$  of a sample  $X_i$  is a realization of  $X_i$
- ❖ The set  $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$  is called a random sample of  $X$ , of which size is  $n$

## ■ Point estimation

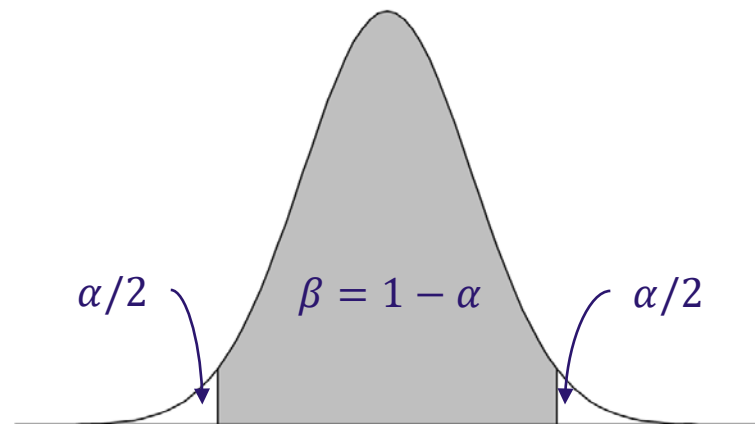
- ❖ The value of some parameter  $\theta$  (i.e., mean or variance) can be estimated using a function of the random sample  $\{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$
- ❖ The function used to estimate  $\theta$ ,  $\hat{\theta} = \hat{\theta}(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is called an estimator of  $\theta$ , and said to be a point estimator
- ❖ If  $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$ , then  $\hat{\theta}$  is called an **unbiased** estimator
- ❖ If the variance of  $\hat{\theta}$  is smaller, then  $\hat{\theta}$  is said to be more **efficient**
- ❖ If  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\{|\hat{\theta} - \theta| < \epsilon\} = 1$  for an arbitrary positive  $\epsilon$ , then  $\hat{\theta}$  is called an **consistent** estimator

## ■ Interval estimation

- ❖ The point estimate may deviate from the actual parameter value
- ❖ To obtain an estimate with a high confidence, it is necessary to construct an interval estimate such that *the interval includes the actual parameter value with a high probability*
- ❖ Given an estimator  $\hat{\theta}$ , if

$$P(\hat{\theta} - e_1 < \theta < \hat{\theta} + e_2) = \beta$$

- The interval  $(\hat{\theta} - e_1, \hat{\theta} + e_2)$  is said to be  $100 \times \beta$  percent **confidence interval** for  $\theta$ , and  $\beta$  is called the confidence coefficient or confidence level
- ❖ For a statistical test, it is more convenient to use  $1 - \alpha$  in place of  $\beta$



# Point Estimation

## ■ Maximum Likelihood Method (MLM)

### ❖ Condition

- The functional form of the PDF of the random variable is known

### ❖ Assumption

- MLM is to choose an estimator such that the observed sample is the most likely to occur among all possible samples

### ❖ General properties

- Usually produces estimators that have minimum variance and consistency properties
- If the sample size is small, however, the estimator may be biased

### ❖ Formulation

- Assuming  $X$  has a PDF  $f(x|\theta)$ , where  $\theta$  is an unknown parameter to be estimated,
- The likelihood function to be maximized over  $\theta$  is

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

## ■ Maximum Likelihood Method (continued)

### ❖ Formulation (continued)

- Easier way is to work with log-likelihood

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

- Two conditions to maximize the likelihood function

- $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln L(\theta) = 0$  and  $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln L(\theta) < 0$

- Estimation of variance, for large  $n$

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

### ❖ Example

- Assuming  $X$  is exponentially distributed with a rate  $\lambda$ ,

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

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

- Differentiating once and twice

- $\frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \ln L(\lambda) = \frac{n}{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i, \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \lambda^2} \ln L(\lambda) = -\frac{n}{\lambda^2} < 0$

## ■ Maximum Likelihood Method (continued)

### ❖ Example (continued)

➤ Setting the 1<sup>st</sup> derivative equal to 0, we have

$$\blacksquare \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \ln L(\lambda) = \frac{n}{\lambda} - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$\blacksquare \hat{\lambda} = \frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i} = n/\bar{x}$$

➤ Using the 2<sup>nd</sup> derivative to calculate the variance of  $\hat{\lambda}$

$$\blacksquare \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \lambda^2} \ln L(\lambda) \big|_{\lambda=\hat{\lambda}} = -\frac{n}{\hat{\lambda}^2} = -\frac{(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i)^2}{n}$$

$$\blacksquare \text{Var}(\hat{\lambda}) = -\left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \lambda^2} \ln L(\lambda) \right]_{\lambda=\hat{\lambda}}^{-1} = \frac{\hat{\lambda}^2}{n} = \frac{n}{(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i)^2}$$



## ■ Method of Moments

### ❖ Advantages

- The PDF needs not be in an explicit function of parameters
- The procedure is fairly simple and the estimators are consistent

### ❖ Disadvantages

- The estimators are often biased

### ❖ Definitions of moments

- Population moments

- $m_k = E(X^k) = \int x^k f_X(x|\theta) dx$

- Sample moments

- $\hat{m}_k = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i)^k$

- Note that

- the above definitions are centered at the origin
  - one can use the moments centered at the location (mean)

## ■ Method of Moments (continued)

### ❖ Formulation

- If there are  $k$  parameters to be estimated, calculate the population moments and the sample moments up to the order  $k$
- Second, solve the simultaneous equations

$$m_1 = \hat{m}_1$$

$$m_2 = \hat{m}_2$$

$$\vdots$$

$$m_k = \hat{m}_k$$

### ❖ Example

- If  $X$  is sampled from a gamma distribution,  $X \sim G(b, c)$

$$\blacksquare m_1 = \frac{b}{c}; \quad m_2 = \frac{b}{c^2} + \frac{b^2}{c^2}$$

$$\blacksquare \hat{m}_1 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{X}; \quad \hat{m}_2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \approx V^2 + (\bar{X})^2$$

- Solving for  $b$  and  $c$

$$\blacksquare \hat{b} = \frac{(\bar{X})^2}{V^2}; \quad \hat{c} = \frac{\bar{X}}{V^2}$$

## ■ Least-Squares Method (LSM)

### ❖ Observation, prediction, and error

- The sample can be regarded as the observation at  $z_i$
- The model to predict observations is  $g(X|\theta)$  where  $\theta$  is a model parameter
- The error between the observation and the prediction is;

$$e_i = x_i - g(z_i|\theta)$$

### ❖ Sum of squared errors (SSE)

- $SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (e_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - g(z_i|\theta))^2$
- The estimator  $\hat{\theta}$  is the value of  $\theta$  that minimizes the  $SSE$ , and obtained by solving;

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} SSE = 0 \text{ and } \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} SSE > 0$$

### ❖ Example

- Prediction model:  $g(z_i|\theta) = g(z_i|a, b) = az_i + b$
- Prediction error:  $e_i = x_i - (az_i + b)$
- $SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - az_i - b)^2$

## ■ Least-Squares Method (continued)

### ❖ Example (continued)

- Parameters  $a, b$  that minimize the  $SSE$  are;

$$\frac{\partial SSE}{\partial a} = 0 \text{ and } \frac{\partial SSE}{\partial b} = 0;$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial a^2} SSE = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n z_i^2 > 0 \text{ and } \frac{\partial^2}{\partial b^2} SSE = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n 1^2 = n > 0$$

- Solving for  $a, b$  yields;

$$\hat{a} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(z_i - \bar{z})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (z_i - \bar{z})^2} \text{ and } \hat{b} = \bar{x} - \hat{a}\bar{z}$$

$$\text{where } \bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \text{ and } \bar{z} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n z_i$$

- Variances

$$\blacksquare \text{Var}(\hat{a}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \frac{\bar{z}^2 \sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (z_i - \bar{z})^2}, \sigma^2 = \text{Var}(X)$$

$$\blacksquare \text{Var}(\hat{b}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (z_i - \bar{z})^2}$$

## ■ Least-Squares Method (continued)

### ❖ MLM equivalency

- If  $e_i = x_i - g(z_i|\theta) \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ , the likelihood function for  $e_i$  is
- $L(\theta) = (\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma)^{-n} \prod_{i=1}^n e^{-\frac{e_i^2}{2\sigma^2}} = (\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma)^{-n} \exp\left(-\frac{SSE}{2\sigma^2}\right)$
- Maximization of  $L(\theta)$  is equivalent to minimization of the exponent which is the least-squares
- Variances
  - $Var(\hat{a}) = \frac{\bar{z}^2 \sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (z_i - \bar{z})^2}$ ,  $\sigma^2 = Var(X)$
  - $Var(\hat{b}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (z_i - \bar{z})^2}$

## ■ Least-Squares Method (continued)

### ❖ Weighted least-squares method (WLSM)

- In the MLM equivalency, if the errors are mutually independent, but not identically distributed, i.e.,  $e_i = x_i - g(z_i|\theta) \sim N(0, \sigma_i^2)$ , the likelihood function for  $e_i$  becomes

$$\begin{aligned} L(\theta) &= (\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_i)^{-n} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{e_i}{\sigma_i}\right)^2\right) \\ &= (\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_i)^{-n} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{i=1}^n (w_i e_i)^2\right) \end{aligned}$$

where  $w_i = 1/\sigma_i$ , the weight of the  $i$ -th error

- The above equation states that the observation with larger variance, i.e., more uncertain observation, is less weighted
- Maximization of  $L(\theta)$  can be achieved by minimizing  $\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{e_i}{\sigma_i}\right)^2$
- Since  $e_i \sim N(0, \sigma_i^2)$ 
  - $X = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{e_i}{\sigma_i}\right)^2 \sim \chi^2(n - m)$ , where  $m$  is the number parameter in  $\theta$
  - This can be used to test the suitability of the model, the assumption of normality, or the data credibility (rule of thumb:  $X \cong n - m$ ; mean of  $\chi^2$ )

# Chapter 3

## Hypothesis Test

# Introduction

## ■ Statistical Hypotheses

### ❖ Null hypothesis, $H_0$

- A statistical hypothesis that is to be tested
- No significance difference between the populations specified in the experiments

### ❖ Alternative hypothesis, $H_1$

- Alternative to the null hypothesis
- There exists sufficient evidence to support the credibility of the alternative hypothesis

## ■ Error Types

| Table of error types                  |            | Null hypothesis, $H_0$ |                   |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------------|
|                                       |            | True                   | False             |
| Decision about null hypothesis, $H_0$ | Not reject | Correct inference      | Type II error     |
|                                       | Reject     | Type I error           | Correct inference |



## ■ Test Procedure

### ❖ Minimization of Errors

- Impossible to minimize both of type I and type II errors at the same time
- The statistical decision is based on the minimization of the type I error

### ❖ Significance Level, $\alpha$

- Maximum allowed probability to commit the type I error

### ❖ Test statistic

- A quantity derived from the sample for statistical hypothesis testing
  - Ex: sample mean, sample variance

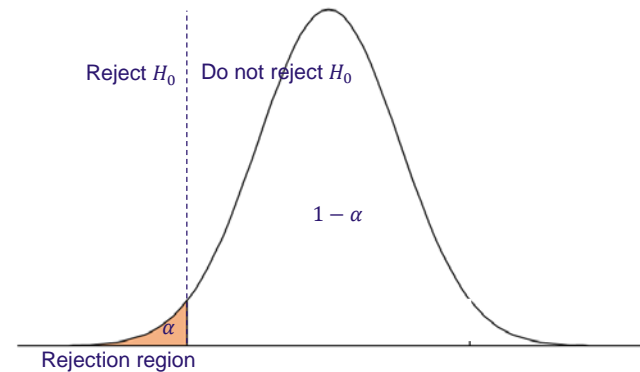
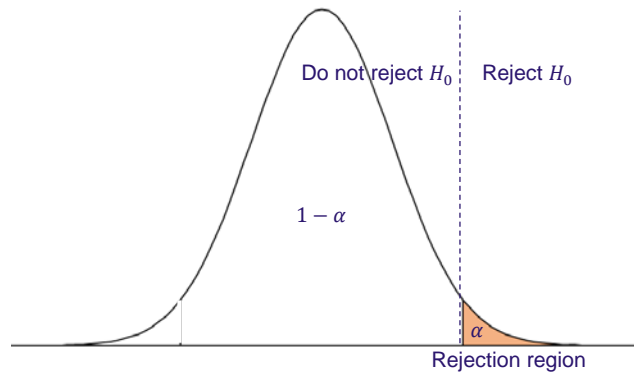
### ❖ Rejection region (critical region)

- a set of values for the test statistic for which the null hypothesis is rejected
- i.e., if the observed test statistic is in the critical region then we reject the null hypothesis and accept the alternative hypothesis
- It is determined per the alternative hypothesis

## ■ Test Procedure (continued)

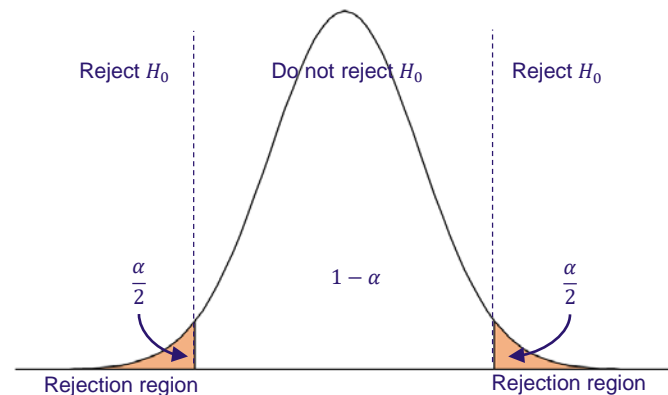
### ❖ One-sided test

- All the rejection region corresponding to the significance level is located at the lower end or upper end of the distribution



### ❖ Two-sided test

- The rejection region locates at two ends by half and half



## ■ Test Procedure (continued)

### ❖ $p$ -value

- The probability that the test statistic is exceeded or falling short
- The one-ended test
  - When the rejection region is at the upper tail
    - $p$ -value is the probability to exceed the statistic
    - the null hypothesis is rejected if  $p$ -value is smaller than the significance level  $\alpha$
  - When the rejection region is at the lower tail
    - $p$ -value is the probability not to exceed the statistic
    - the null hypothesis is rejected if  $p$ -value is smaller than the significance level  $\alpha$
- The two-ended test
  - If  $p$ -value is greater than the significance level  $\alpha/2$  or smaller than  $1 - \alpha/2$ , the null hypothesis is rejected

# Test Examples

## ■ Test of Population Mean

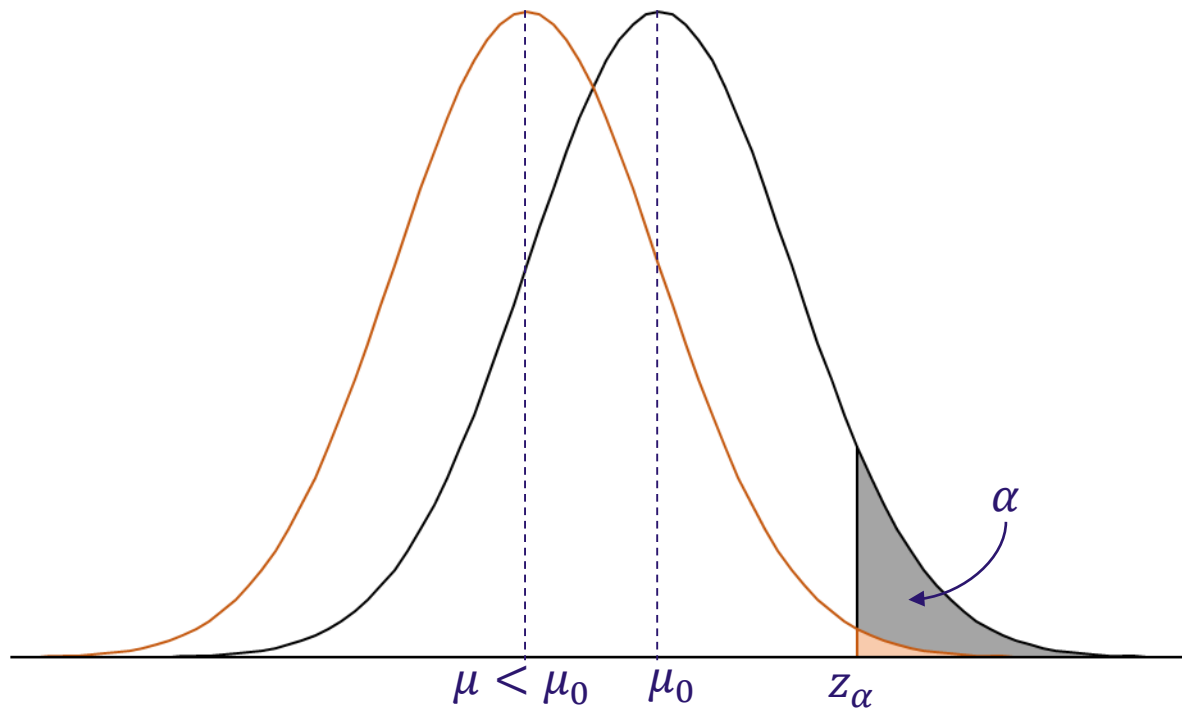
❖ Test statistic:  $T = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}}$

➤ For significance level  $\alpha$

| Null Hypothesis                             | Rejection Region   |   |  |
|---|--|---|--|
|   | $n \geq 30$  | $n < 30$  |  |
|   |  | Normal $X_i$  | Exponential $X_i$  |
| $H_0: \mu \leq \mu_0$<br>$H_1: \mu > \mu_0$ | $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} > z_\alpha$                    | $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} > t_\alpha(n-1)$                    | $\frac{2n\bar{X}}{\mu_0} > \chi_\alpha^2(2n)$  |
| $H_0: \mu \geq \mu_0$<br>$H_1: \mu < \mu_0$ | $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} < -z_\alpha$                   | $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} < -t_\alpha(n-1)$                   | $\frac{2n\bar{X}}{\mu_0} < \chi_{1-\alpha}^2(2n)$  |
| $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$<br>$H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0$ | $\left  \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} \right  > z_{\alpha/2}$ | $\left  \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/n}} \right  > t_{\alpha/2}(n-1)$ | $\frac{2n\bar{X}}{\mu_0} > \chi_{\alpha/2}^2(2n)$ or $\frac{2n\bar{X}}{\mu_0} < \chi_{1-\alpha/2}^2(2n)$ |

$z_\alpha$ : a value of the standard normal deviate of which probability to exceed it is  $\alpha$

$V$ : sample variance



## ■ Test of Population Variance

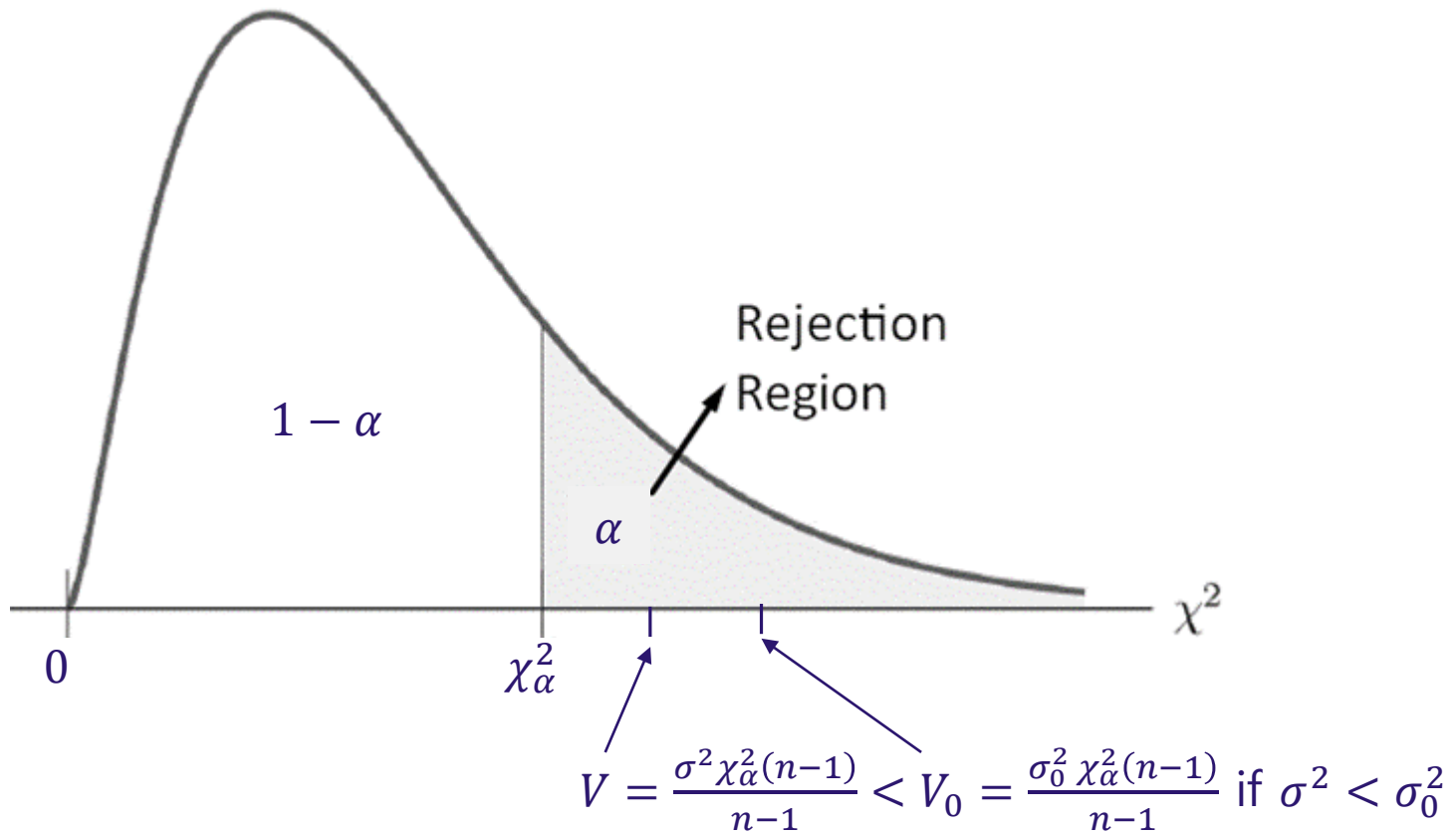
❖ Test statistic:  $T = \frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2}$

➤ For significance level  $\alpha$

❖ If  $X_i$  follows the **normal distribution**

| Null Hypothesis                 | Rejection Region   |
|---------------------------------|--|
| $H_0: \sigma^2 \leq \sigma_0^2$ | $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2} > \chi_\alpha^2(n-1)$   |
| $H_0: \sigma^2 \geq \sigma_0^2$ | $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2} < \chi_{1-\alpha}^2(n-1)$   |
| $H_0: \sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$ | $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2} > \chi_{\alpha/2}^2(n-1)$ or $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2} < \chi_{1-\alpha/2}^2(n-1)$ |

$\chi_\alpha^2(n-1)$ : a value of the Chi-square deviate of  $(n-1)$  degrees of freedom, of which probability to exceed it is  $\alpha$



## ■ Test of Distributions

### ❖ Chi-square test

➤ Used for the grouped data

➤ Pearson's test statistic:  $PTS = \sum_n^N \frac{(O_n - E_n)^2}{E_n} \sim \chi^2(N - M)$

- $O_n$  : observed frequency
- $E_n$  : expected frequency from the assumed distribution
- $M = 1 + \text{constraints related to estimation of parameters of the distribution}$

### ❖ Kolmogorov-Smirnov test

➤ Used for the continuous data

➤ Test statistic:  $D = \max |S(x_n) - F(x_n)|, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, N$

- $x_n$  : observation in ascending order
- $S(x_n) = n/N$  : empirical cumulative distribution
- $F(x_n)$  : cumulative distribution of the assumed distribution
- $\Pr(D > d) = Q(\sqrt{N}d)$ 
  - $Q(x) = 2 \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{j-1} e^{-2j^2 x^2}$

### ❖ Shapiro-Wilk test: specific to the test of the normality



## ■ Examples

### ❖ Average (mean) lifetime of bulbs

- Situation: a company states that the average lifetime of their bulbs is longer than 1950 h
- Task: given the  $n = 9$  samples with  $\bar{X} = 1966.7$  and  $V = 69.6^2$ , test the hypothesis with the significance level 0.05

#### ① Test statistic

- Sample mean:  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$

#### ② Distribution of test statistic

- Since  $n = 9 (< 30)$ :  $T = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sqrt{V/N}} \sim t(n - 1) = t(8)$

#### ③ Hypotheses

- $H_0: \mu \leq \mu_0 = 1950$                        $H_1: \mu > \mu_0 = 1950$

#### ④ Rejection region

- $\tau = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sqrt{V/N}} = \frac{\bar{X} - 1950}{\sqrt{69.6/9}} = 0.720$
- Since  $t_{0.05}(8) = 1.86 > \tau = 0.720$ ,  $H_0$  cannot be rejected.

## ■ Examples (continued)

### ❖ Variance of thickness of window glasses

- Situation: an investigator reports  $\sigma^2 > 1.5^2$  due to malfunction of machines
- Given the  $n = 10$  samples with the sample variance  $v = 5.1556$  and the thickness follows the normal distribution, test the report with the significance level 0.05

#### ① Test statistic

- Sample variance,  $V$

#### ② Hypotheses

- $H_0: \sigma^2 \leq 1.5^2 (= \sigma_0^2)$        $H_1: \sigma^2 > 1.5^2$

#### ③ Distribution of test statistic for $n = 10$ ,

- $\frac{(n-1)V}{\sigma_0^2} \sim \chi^2 (n-1)$

#### ④ Rejection region

- $x^2 = \frac{(n-1)v}{\sigma_0^2} = \frac{9 \times 5.1556}{1.5^2} = 20.6224$  and  $\chi_{0.05}^2(9) = 16.919$
- Since  $x^2 > \chi_{0.05}^2(9)$ ,  $H_0$  is rejected.

## ■ Examples (continued)

### ❖ Poisson process of earthquakes (Noh, 2016)

#### ➤ By earthquake frequency

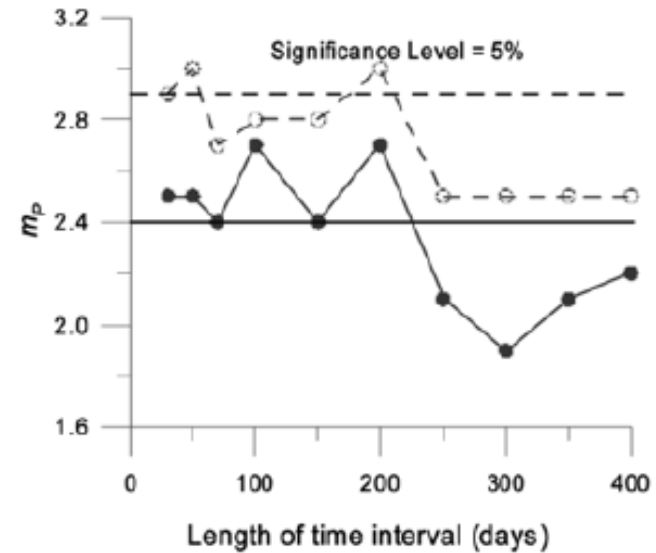
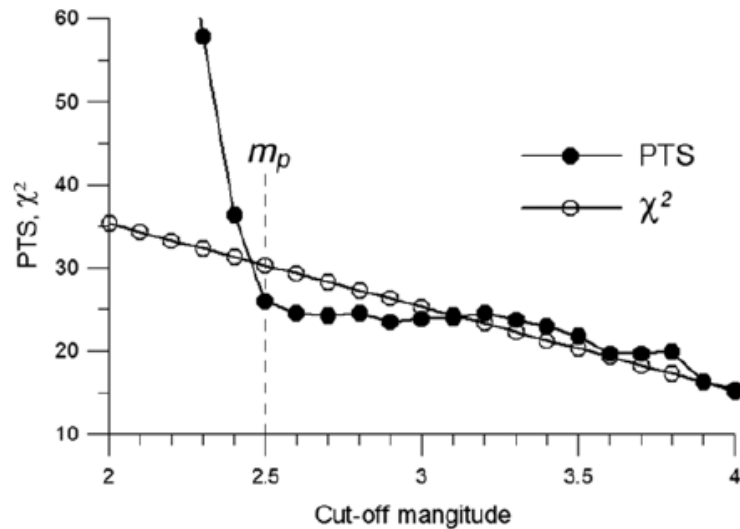
- $H_0$ : earthquake frequency follows the Poisson process
- $\Pr(N = n) = \frac{(\lambda t)^n e^{-\lambda t}}{n!}$ 
  - $t$  : exposure time;  $\lambda$  : mean annual rate
- Test statistic:  $PTS = \sum_{n=0}^N \frac{(O_n - E_n)^2}{E_n} \sim \chi^2(N - 2)$ 
  - $O_n$  : observed frequency of time intervals in which earthquakes occurred  $n$  times
  - $E_n$  : expectation of  $O_n$ , i.e.,  $E_n = \Pr(N = n) \times (\# \text{ of time intervals})$
  - $M = 2$ : 1 + a constraint related to estimation of  $\lambda$
- $H_0$  is rejected if  $PTS > \chi^2_{\alpha}(N - 1)$

#### ➤ By inter-event time

- $\Pr(N = 0) = e^{-\lambda t} = \Pr(T > t) = 1 - F(t)$
- Test statistic:  $D = \max |S(t_i) - F(t_i)|, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ 
  - $t_i$  : observed inter-event time in ascending order
  - $S(t_i) = i/n$  : empirical cumulative distribution
- $\Pr(D > d_{obs}) = Q(\sqrt{n} d_{obs})$ 
  - $Q(\epsilon) = 2 \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{j-1} e^{2j^2 \epsilon^2}$
  - $H_0$  is rejected if  $Q(\sqrt{n} d_{obs}) < \alpha$

## ■ Examples

### ❖ Poisson process of earthquakes (Noh, 2016))



# Chapter 4

## Monte Carlo Simulation

# What is the Monte Carlo Simulation?

## ■ Definition 1

- ❖ A statistical technique used to model and analyze the impact of uncertainty and variability in complex systems or processes
- ❖ It involves running a large number of simulations to estimate possible outcomes and their probabilities, often when the problem involves randomness or uncertainty

## ■ Definition 2

- ❖ A computational technique used to model and analyze systems or processes that involve uncertainty, randomness, or complex variables
- ❖ It leverages random sampling and statistical analysis to approximate numerical results, often for problems that are difficult or impossible to solve analytically

# Transform of PDF

## ■ Parametric Function

❖  $M = g(U)$

➤ where  $M$  and  $U$  are random variable

❖ Transform from  $f_U(u)$  to  $f_M(m)$

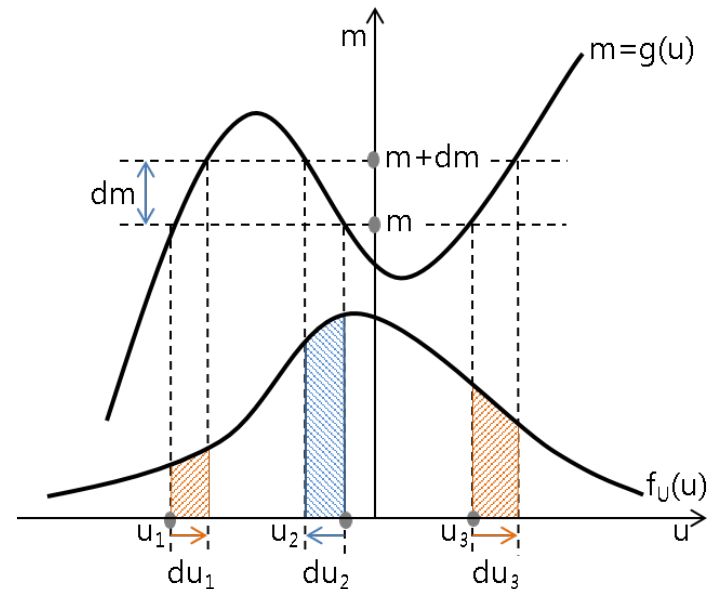
➤  $P(m < M < m + dm) = P(u_1 < U < u_1 + du_1) + P(u_2 + du_2 < U < u_2) + P(u_3 < U < u_3 + du_3)$   
 $\because du_1, du_3 > 0; du_2 < 0$

▪  $P(m < M < m + dm) = f_M(m)dm$

▪  $P(u_i < U < u_i + du_i) = f_U(u_i)|du_i|$ ,

▪  $f_M(m)dm = f_U(u_1)|du_1| + f_U(u_2)|du_2| + f_U(u_3)|du_3|$

➤  $f_M(m) = \frac{f_U(u_1)}{|g'(u_1)|} + \frac{f_U(u_2)}{|g'(u_2)|} + \frac{f_U(u_3)}{|g'(u_3)|}$



## ■ Parametric Function (continued)

❖ Example:  $M = e^U \Leftrightarrow u = \ln m$

➤ One-to-one correspondence  $\rightarrow |g'(u)| = e^u = m > 0$

$$\text{➤ } f_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0, & m \leq 0 \\ \frac{1}{m} f_U(\ln m), & m > 0 \end{cases}$$

➤ If  $U \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ , i.e.,  $f_U(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(u-\eta)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$

$$\blacksquare f_M(m) = \frac{1}{m\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(\ln m - \eta)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

- $\eta_M = e^{\eta + \sigma^2/2}$
- $\sigma_M^2 = (e^{\sigma^2} - 1)e^{2\eta + \sigma^2}$



# Monte Carlo Simulation

## ■ Transform Method

❖ Uniform deviates in  $[0,1]$

➤  $f_U(u) = 1$ ,  $F_U(u) = u$ , for  $0 \leq u \leq 1$

❖ Parametric function:  $u = F_M(m)$

➤ Monotonically increasing function  $\rightarrow$  solution at a single point

▪  $0 \leq u = F_M(m) \leq 1$

▪  $f_U(u) = \frac{f_M(m)}{|F'_M(m)|} = 1$

♣  $U$  is an uniform deviate

➤  $M = F_M^{-1}(U)$

❖ Example

➤  $f_M(m) = k\beta e^{-\beta(m-m_{\min})}$ ,  $m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max}$

➤  $F_M(m) = k[1 - e^{-\beta(m-m_{\min})}]$ ,  $m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max}$

➤  $M = F_M^{-1}(U) = m_{\min} - \ln\left(1 - \frac{U}{k}\right) / \beta$ ,  $0 \leq U \leq 1$

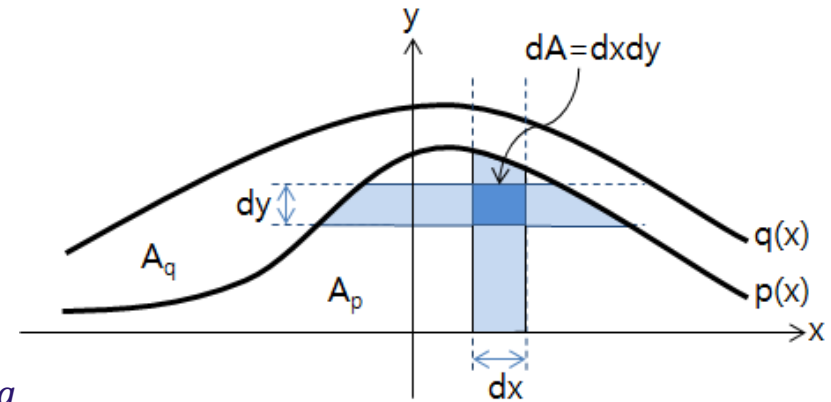
## ■ Rejection Method

### ❖ Target function: $p(x)$

- Target PDF:  $f_p(x) = p(x)/A_p$

### ❖ Comparison function: $q(x)$

- $q(x) \geq p(x), \quad \forall x$
- Comparison PDF:  $f_q(x) = q(x)/A_q$
- $F_q^{-1}(u)$  is an explicit function



### ❖ Goal

- To generate pairs of i.i.d. random variables  $(X, Y)$  that uniformly distribute between  $q(x)$  and  $x$ -axis

### ❖ For independent uniform deviates $U_1, U_2$

- $x = F_q^{-1}(u_1) \rightarrow P(x \leq X \leq x + dx) = f_q(x)dx = \frac{q(x)}{A_q} dx \quad (1)$

- $y = q(x)u_2 \rightarrow P(y \leq Y \leq y + dy | x \leq X \leq x + dx) = \frac{dy}{q(x)} \quad (2)$

- $y$  is a uniform deviate in  $[0, q(x)] \rightarrow f_Y(y) = \frac{1}{q(x)}$ ; constant, given an  $x$

- $P(dY, dX) = P(dY | dX)P(dX) = \frac{dy}{q(x)} \cdot \frac{q(x)}{A_q} dx = \frac{dx dy}{A_q}$

## ■ Rejection Method (continued)

❖  $(X, Y)$  is a uniform deviate

$$\begin{aligned} &\triangleright P(x \leq X \leq x + dx, y \leq Y \leq y + dy) \\ &= P(y \leq Y \leq y + dy | x \leq X \leq x + dx) P(x \leq X \leq x + dx) \\ &= \frac{dy}{q(x)} \times \frac{q(x)}{A_q} dx = \frac{dx dy}{A_q} \end{aligned}$$

❖ Simulation procedure

- ① Generate a uniform deviate  $u_1$  to get  $x$  by (1)
- ② Generate a uniform deviate  $u_2$  to get  $y$  by (2)
- ③ Take  $x$  if  $y \leq p(x)$ , otherwise discard  $x$
- ④ Repeat to get the necessary amount of  $x$ 's

## ■ Examples

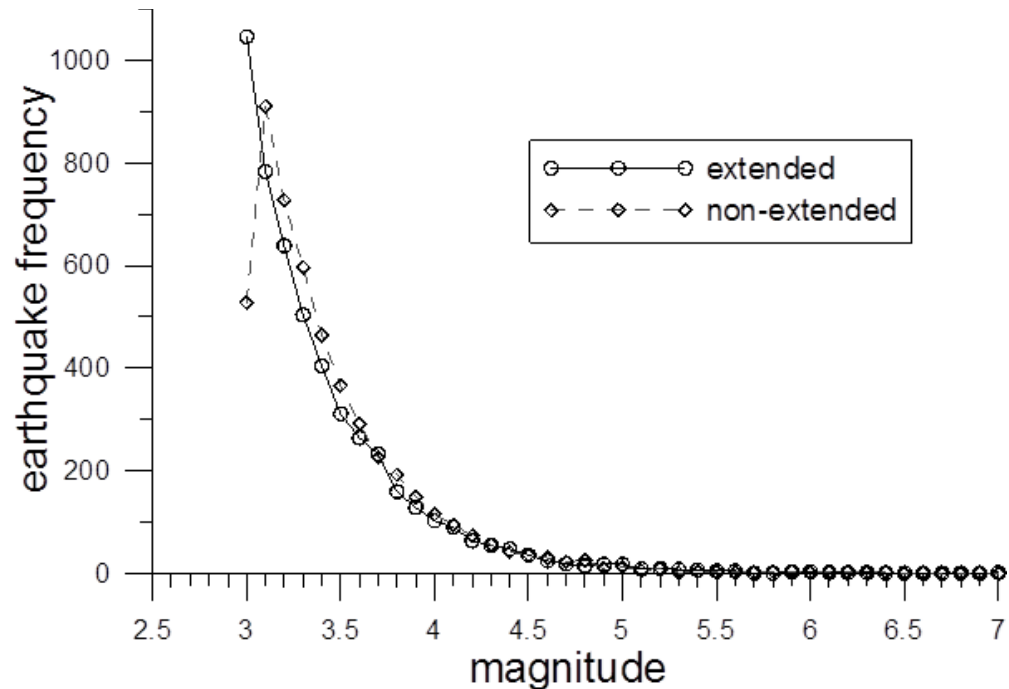
### ❖ Transform method for a complete catalog (Noh, 2014)

➤  $M = F_M^{-1}(U) = M_{min} - \ln\left(1 - \frac{U}{k}\right) / \beta, \quad 0 \leq U \leq 1$

➤ Magnitude grouping

▪  $[m_{min}, m_{max}] \rightarrow [m_{min} - \Delta m/2, m_{max} + \Delta m/2]$

- $m_{min} = 3.0$
- $m_{max} = 7.0$
- $b = 1.0$
- $n_e = 5,000$



## ■ Examples (continued)

### ❖ Rejection method for a incomplete catalog (Noh, 2019)

➤ Target function:  $p(m) = d(m)f_M(m)$

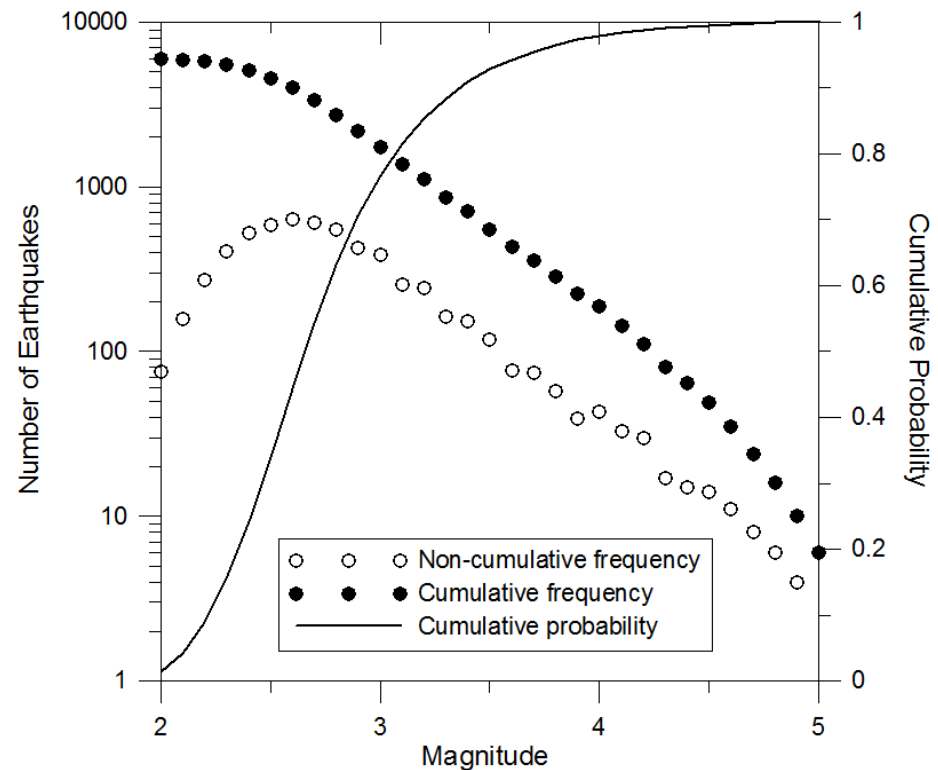
$$\blacksquare \text{ Detection rate: } d(m) = \begin{cases} c(m_c) \cdot \text{erf}(m|\mu, \sigma) & \text{for } m < m_c \\ 1, & \text{for } m_c \leq m \end{cases}$$

$$\bullet c(m_c) = 1/\text{erf}(m_c|\mu, \sigma)$$

➤ Comparison function

$$\blacksquare q(m) = f_M(m) \geq p(m)$$

- $m_{\min} = 2.0, m_{\max} = 5.0$
- $b = 1.0$
- $m_c = 3.0$
- $\mu = 5.0, \sigma = 0.25$
- $n_e = 5,000$



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# Chapter 5

## Earthquake Catalog

# Preparation of Catalog

## ■ Origin Parameters

### ❖ (Origin) Time

- Time of earthquake occurrence
- usually corresponds to the rupture initiation time

### ❖ Location

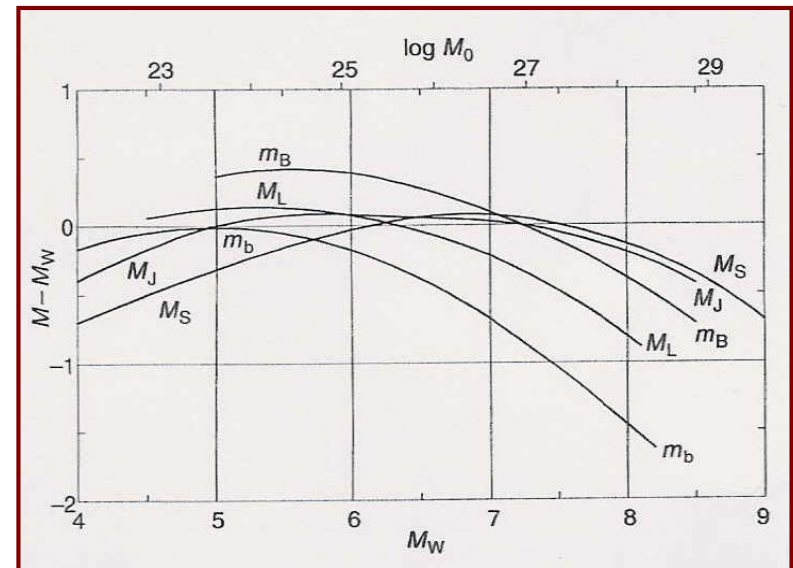
- Locus at which an earthquake occurred, hypocenter
  - Usually corresponds to the rupture initiation point
- Also described by epicenter and depth
- Epicenter
  - Vertical projection of hypocenter to the surface
  - Described in geographical latitude & longitude
- Focal depth
  - Depth (km) to the hypocenter
- Distances to an earthquake
  - Hypocentral distance ( $d_H$ ), epicentral distance ( $d_E$ ), focal depth ( $h$ )
  - $d_H^2 = d_E^2 + h^2$ ; not a propagation distance



## ■ Origin Parameters (continued)

### ❖ Size

- Various magnitude scales being used
- Body-wave magnitude
  - Sensitive to high-frequency content → larger value for deeper event
  - Saturated for large earthquakes
- Surface-wave magnitude
  - Measure of longer period energy → smaller value for smaller event
- Moment magnitude
  - Measure zero-frequency energy
  - No saturation
  - Physics-based value
  - Representative measure of size
  - $M = \frac{2}{3} \log M_0 - 10.7$ 
    - $M_0$ : seismic moment in dyne-cm
  - Bridge connecting to geology
    - $M_0 = \mu A \bar{D}$



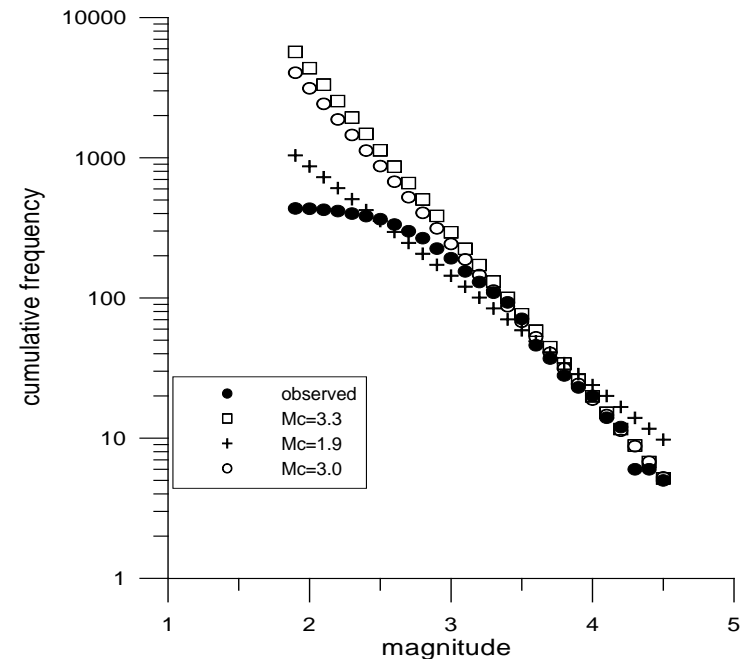
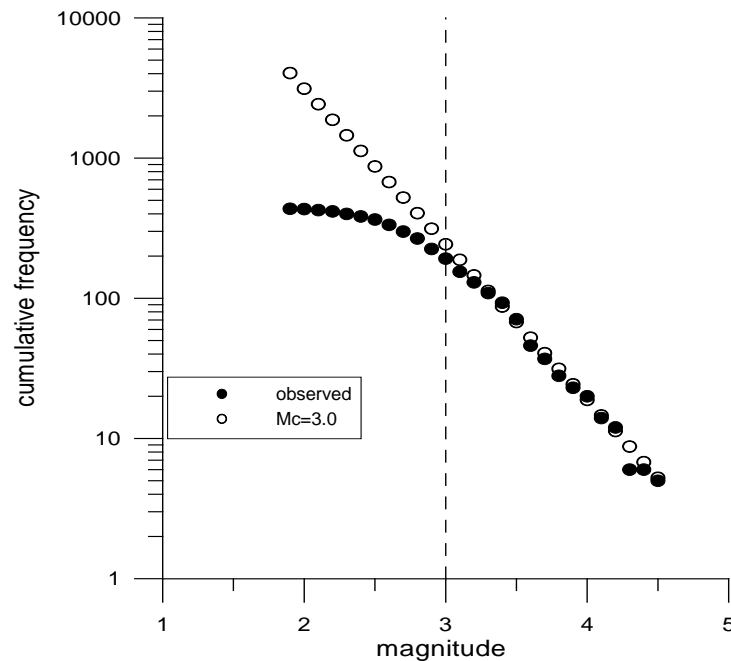
## ■ Integration of Catalogs

- ❖ To expand earthquake data by combining various catalogs covering different periods, different regions
- ❖ General requirements
  - Description by **unified** quantities
  - **Accuracy** assessment
  - **Completeness** assessment
- ❖ Important properties to be checked
  - Unification of origin times
    - Use of UTC (Coordinated Universal Time) or a single local time
  - Unification of magnitude scale
    - Use of a single magnitude scale: moment magnitude is preferred
  - Accuracy checks
    - Error range of magnitude
    - Error range of location
  - Completeness checks
    - Completeness magnitudes of integrated catalogs or
    - Complete period for magnitude values of integrated catalog

# Completeness Assessment of Catalog

## ■ Background

- ❖ The very 1<sup>st</sup> step of any analysis using earthquake catalog is to assess the completeness of the catalog at hand



➤  $b=0.78, 1.11, 1.17$  for  $m_c=1.9, 3.0, 3.3$  [노명현 외(2000)]

## ■ Categories of Assessment Methods

### ❖ Network-based methods

- Use detection capability of a seismic network
  - Background noise, network configuration, instrumentation, etc.

### ❖ Catalog-based methods

- Use day-to-night noise modulation
  - Proposed by Rydelek and Sacks (1989)
  - Can be considered as a network-based method
- Assumption of self-similarity for earthquake frequencies
  - $\log N = a - bM$
  - Focus of this course

## ■ General Procedure

- ❖ Introducing the cut-off magnitude,  $m_{co}$ 
  - Starting from minimum magnitude of catalog
  - Gradually increasing by magnitude interval width
- ❖ Repetition of analysis for increasing  $m_{co}$
- ❖  $m_c = m_{co}$  if certain conditions are met

## ■ General Procedure (continued)

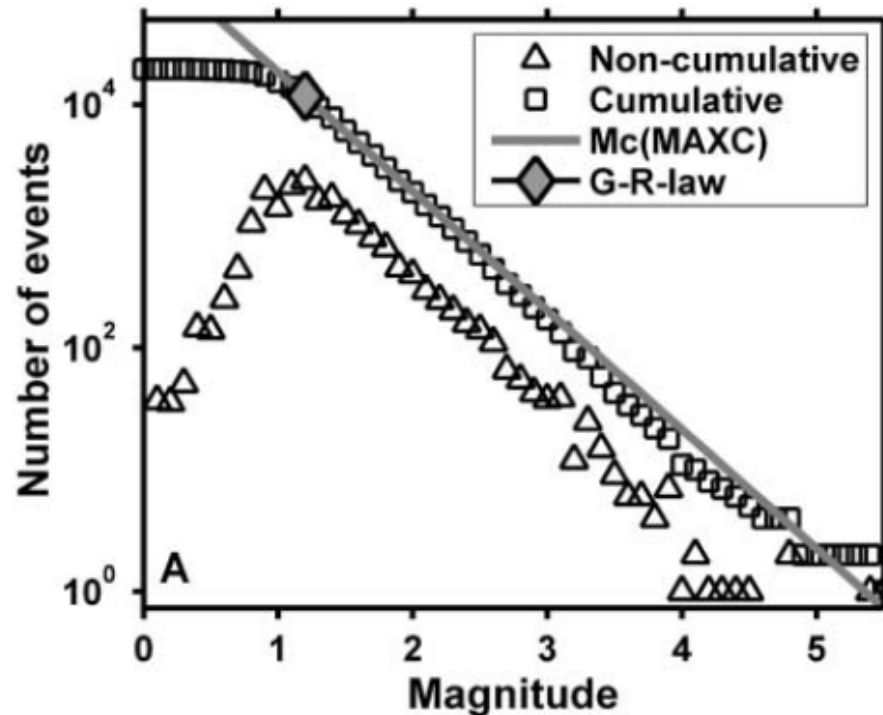
- ❖ Repetition of the above procedure to estimate  $m_c$  for bootstrap replicas of the catalog
- ❖ Calculation of the location and scale of  $m_c$  for the replicas

## ♣ Definitions of $m_c$

- ❖ Minimum magnitude above which all earthquakes were completely reported (Rydelek and Sacks, 2000)
- ❖ Minimum magnitude that preserves the information on seismicity parameters, i.e.,  $m_{max}$ , Richter-b (Noh, 2019)

## ■ Maximum Curvature Method

- ❖ Wiemer and Wyss (2000)
- ❖  $m_c$  at maximum non-cumulative frequency
- ❖ Simplest method, underestimation of  $m_c$  by 0.2

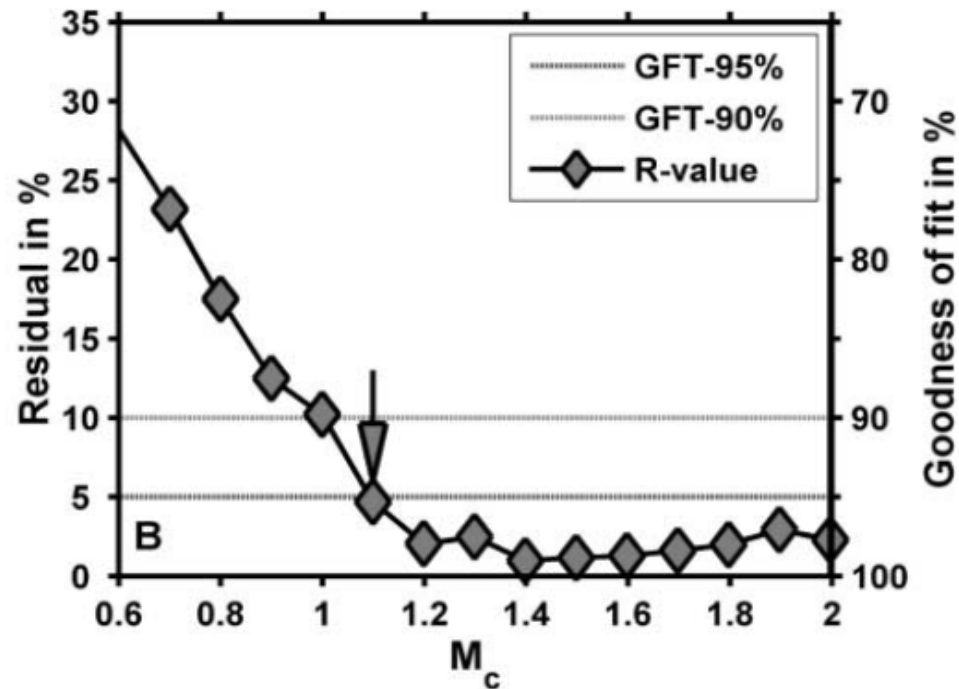


## ■ Goodness-of-Fit Test

❖ Wiemer and Wyss (2000)

$$\text{❖ } GFT(a, b, M_i) = 100 - \left( \frac{\sum_{M_i}^{M_{max}} |N_i^{obs} - N_i^{pre}|}{\sum N_i^{obs}} \times 100 \right)$$

where  $\log N_i^{pre} = a - bM_i$



## ■ b-Value Stability Test

- ❖ Firstly proposed by Cao and Gao (2002)
- ❖ Later modified by Woessner and Wiemer (2005)

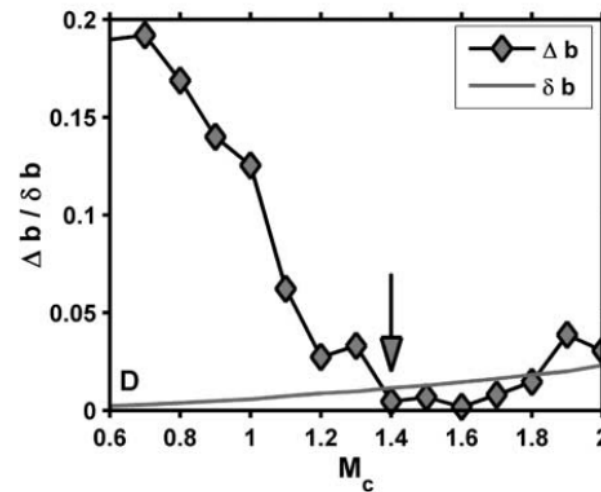
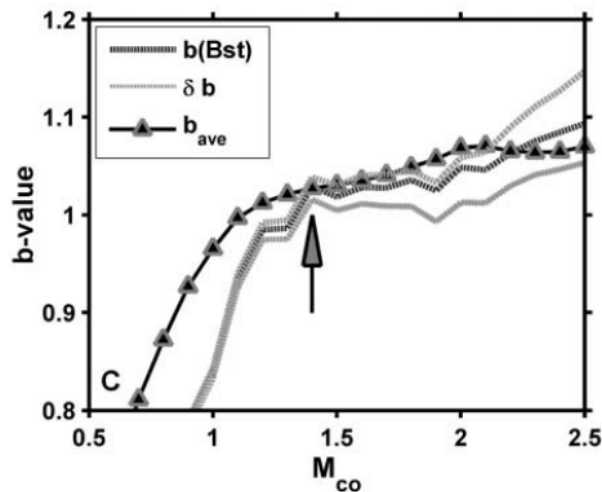
➤  $\Delta b_i = |\bar{b}_i - b_i| \leq \delta b_i$

▪  $b_i$ : estimate of  $b$ -value for magnitude  $m_{co} = m_i$

➤  $\bar{b}_i = \frac{\sum_{k=i}^{i+K-1} b_k}{K} \leftarrow K=5, \bar{b}_i$  is quite sensitive to  $K$

➤  $\delta b_i = 2.3 b_i^2 \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{n=i}^N (m_n - \bar{m}_i)^2}{(N-i+1)(N-i)}}$  (Shi & Bolt, 1982)

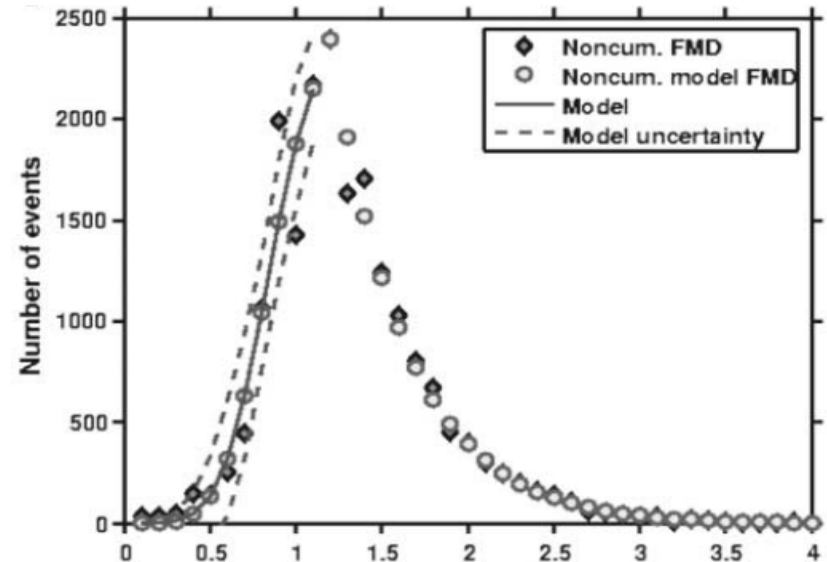
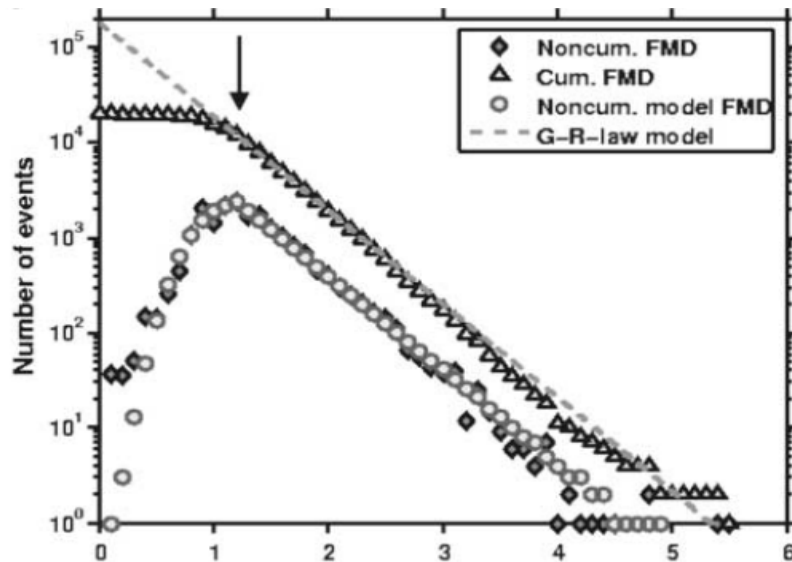
▪  $\bar{m}_i = \frac{\sum_{n=i}^N m_n}{(N-i+1)}$





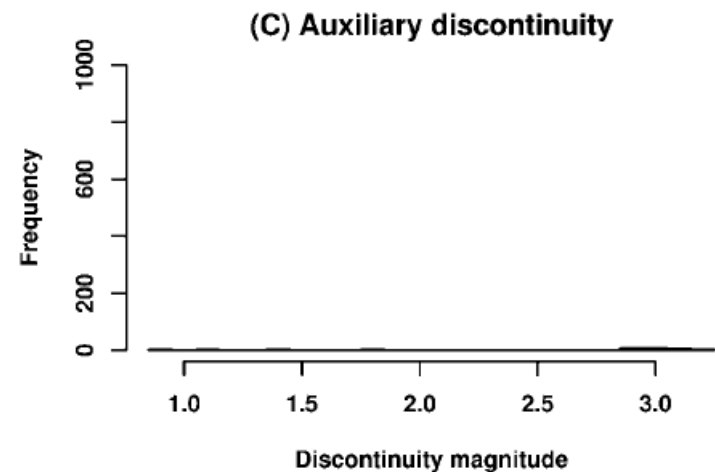
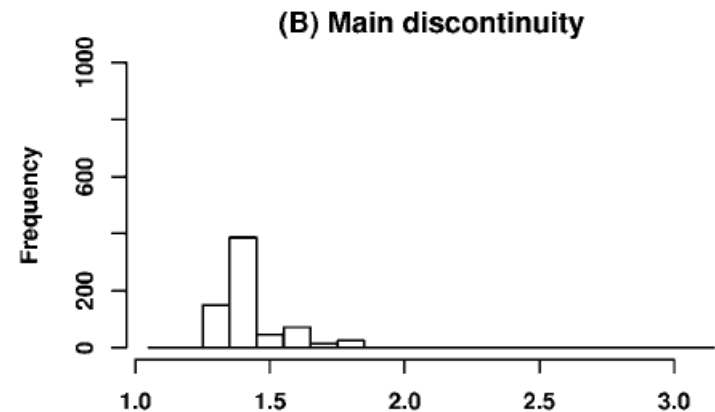
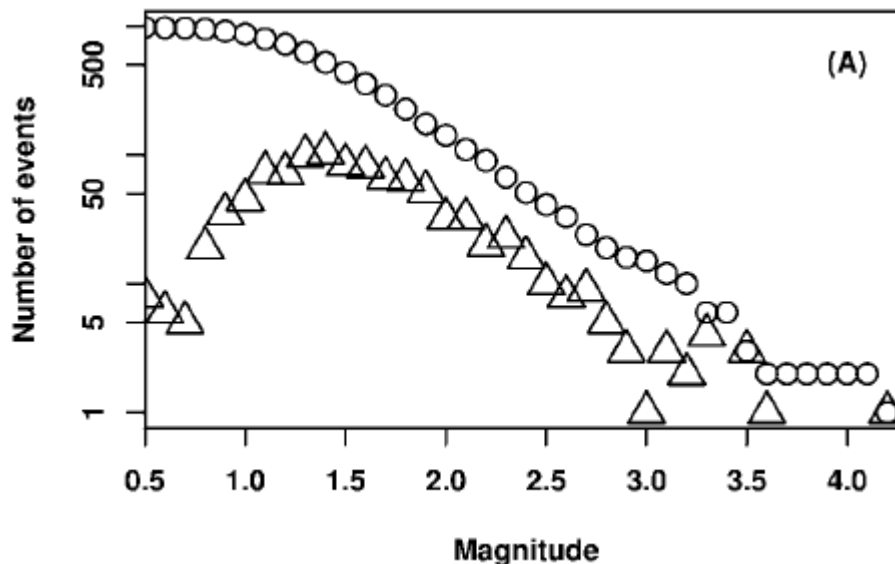
## ■ Entire-Magnitude-Range Method

- ❖ Firstly proposed by Ogata and Katsura (1993)
- ❖ Later modified by Woessner and Wiemer (2005)
  - Maximum likelihood estimation of parameters
    - Modelling incomplete portion at smaller magnitudes by the error function
    - Modelling complete portion by exponential magnitude distribution
  - $m_c$  to maximize sum of likelihoods for the two portions



## ■ Change-Point Detection Method

- ❖ Amorese (2007)
- ❖ Detecting multiple change-points in b-estimates
- ❖  $m_c$  to minimized the Type I error



# ■ Chi-Square Test

❖ Noh (2019)

❖ Pearson's test statistic:  $PTS(l) = \sum_{i=l}^L \frac{(n_i^{obs} - n_i^{pre})^2}{n_i^{pre}}$

➤  $n_i^{obs}$ : number of observed events with  $m_i - \frac{\Delta m}{2} \leq m < m_i + \frac{\Delta m}{2}$

➤  $n_i^{pre}$ : number of predicted events with  $m_l - \frac{\Delta m}{2} \leq m < m_i + \frac{\Delta m}{2}$

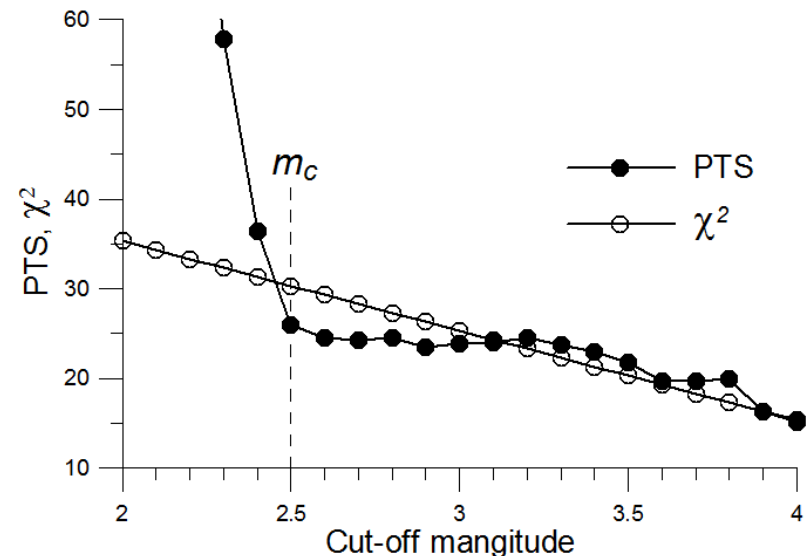
▪  $n_i^{pre} = p_{0i} n^{obs}$

▪  $p_{0i} = \frac{e^{-\beta m_i}}{\sum_{j=l}^L e^{-\beta m_j}}$  and  $n^{obs} = \sum_{j=1}^L n_j^{obs}$

➤  $PTS(l) \sim \chi^2(L - l - 2)$

▪ Three constraints

❖  $M_c$ : 1<sup>st</sup> cross-over magnitude



# **Chapter 6**

## **Characterization of Seismic Sources**

### **- Catalog Based -**

# Introduction

## ■ Major Seismicity Parameters

- ❖ Maximum magnitude, Richter-b, annual occurrence rate

## ■ Seismic vs. Geologic Approaches

### ❖ Seismicity-Based Approaches (Probabilistic)

- Open the only option in regions with limited seismic record and limited geological investigations
- Particularly useful for constraining rates of small to moderate events that do not provide surface evidence

### ❖ Geological Approaches (Deterministic)

- Works well in active areas with a significant history of earthquake occurrence and geological investigations
- Particularly useful for constraining rates of the largest events with surface evidences

### ❖ Cross Check

- If two approaches are available, their estimates can be used for the cross check

## ■ Inadequacy of LSM

### ❖ Common Assumptions

- Almost always
  - Independency of samples (i.e., observed data)
- In most cases
  - Independent, identically distributed (i.i.d. assumption)

### ❖ Least-Squares Method (MSM)

- Log-linear fitting of G-R relation
  - $\log N = a - bM$ , where  $N$  is the number of events  $\geq M$
- Violation of independency assumption
  - A change of the frequency at a magnitude affects all frequencies at magnitudes less than that magnitude
- Larger events are repeatedly counted in the smaller event counts
  - Lower b-values (Bender, 1983)

# Magnitude Distribution

## ■ Exponential Model

### ❖ Gutenberg-Richter Relation

➤  $\log N = a - bm \rightarrow N = 10^{a-bm}$

➤ For  $m \geq m_0$ ,  $N = N_0 e^{-\beta(m-m_0)}$

▪  $N_0 = 10^{a-bm_0} = e^{\alpha-\beta m_0}$ ,  $\alpha = a \ln 10$ , and  $\beta = b \ln 10$

### ❖ Derivation of PDF for $m_{max} \rightarrow \infty$

➤  $f_M(m)dm = \frac{k'[-dN(m)]}{N_0} = -\frac{k' \frac{dN(m)}{dm} dm}{N_0} = k' \beta e^{-\beta(m-m_0)} dm$

➤ Normalization:

▪  $\int_{m_0}^{\infty} f_M(m)dm = k' \beta \int_{m_0}^{\infty} e^{-\beta(m-m_0)} dm = -k' e^{-\beta(m-m_0)} \Big|_{m_0}^{\infty} = k' = 1$

➤ PDF:  $f_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_0 \\ \beta e^{-\beta(m-m_0)} & , m_0 \leq m \end{cases}$

➤ CDF:  $F_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_0 \\ 1 - e^{-\beta(m-m_0)} & , m_0 \leq m \end{cases}$

## ■ Exponential Model (continued)

❖ Introducing the magnitude upper bound  $m_{max}$

➤  $1 = k[F_M(m_{max}) - F_M(m_0)] = k[1 - e^{-\beta(m_{max}-m_0)}]$  or

➤  $k = [1 - e^{-\beta(m_{max}-m_0)}]^{-1}$

➤ PDF:  $f_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_0 \\ \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m-m_0)}}{1 - e^{-\beta(m_{max}-m_0)}} & , m_0 \leq m \leq m_{max} \\ 0 & m_{max} < m \end{cases}$

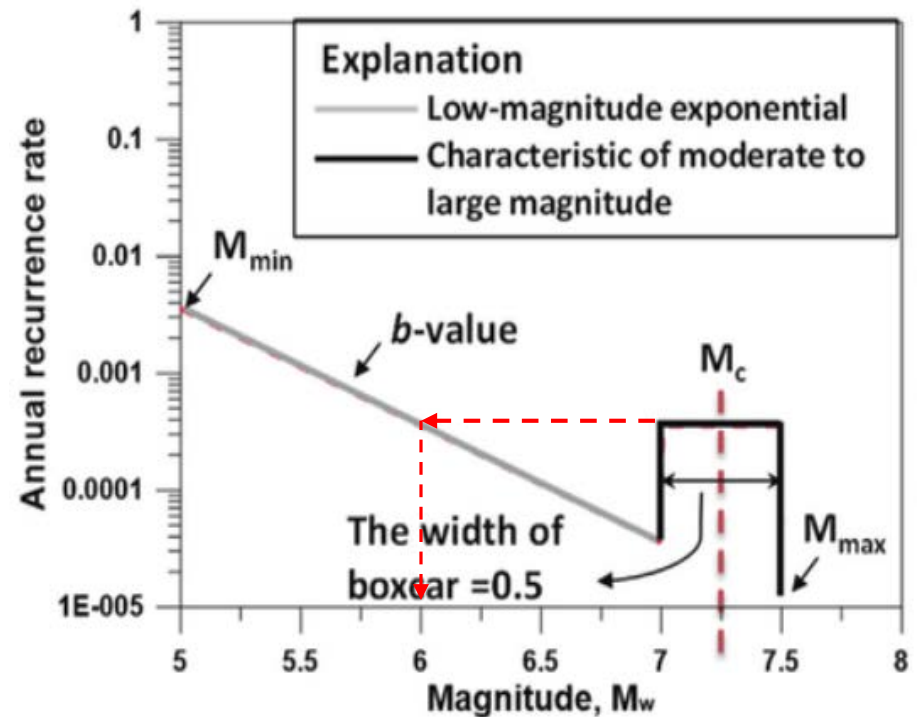
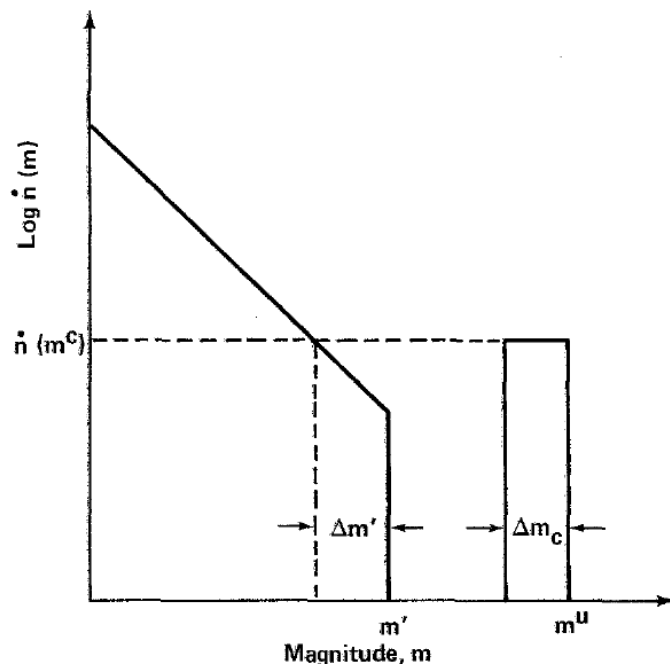
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# ■ Characteristic Earthquake Model

❖ Schwartz and Coppersmith (1984)

- $\Delta m_c = 1/2, \quad m' = m^u - \Delta m_c$
- $\dot{n}^c = \dot{n}(m^c) = \dot{n}(m' - 1) \leftarrow \Delta m' = 1$



## ■ Characteristic Earthquake Model (continued)

$$\diamond \text{ PDF: } f_M(m) = \begin{cases} k' \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u - 1/2 \\ k' \beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}, & m^u - 1/2 \leq m \leq m^u \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } q = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}}{1-e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-1/2)}} \text{ and } k' = [(1+q)(1-e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-1/2)})]^{-1}$$

❖ Task: Derive the following formula

$$F_M(m) = \begin{cases} k' [1 - e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}], & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u - 1/2 \\ k' \left[ 1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-\frac{1}{2})} + \beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-\frac{3}{2})} \left( m - m^u + \frac{1}{2} \right) \right], & m^u - 1/2 \leq m \leq m^u \\ 1, & m > m^u \end{cases}$$

# Estimation of Richter-b

## ■ Maximum likelihood method (MLM)

### ❖ Probability density function of magnitude

➤  $f_M(m) = k\beta \exp[-\beta(m - m_{min})]$

where  $k^{-1} = 1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]$ ,  $\beta = b \ln 10$

➤ The parameter  $a$  has disappeared during normalization for a PDF!

▪ Annual rate cannot be estimated from magnitude PDF only

### ❖ Likelihood function

➤  $L = \prod_{i=1}^N f_M(m_i) = (k\beta)^N \exp[-\beta \sum_{i=1}^N (m_i - m_{max})]$ , or

➤  $\ln L = N \ln(k\beta) - \beta \sum_{i=1}^N (m_i - m_{min})$

$$= N [\ln(k\beta) - \beta(\bar{m} - m_{min})], \text{ where } \bar{m} = \frac{\sum m_i}{N}$$

### ❖ Maximum likelihood estimate: $\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \ln L = 0$ and $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \beta^2} \ln L < 0$

➤ For  $m_{max} \rightarrow \infty$ ;  $k \rightarrow 1$

▪  $\frac{1}{\beta} = \bar{m} - m_{min}$  (Aki, 1965; Utsu, 1965 by the method of moments)

▪  $\frac{1}{\beta} \frac{\beta \delta}{\tanh(\beta \delta)} = \bar{m} - m_{min}$  for magnitude grouping with  $2\delta$  (Utsu, 1966)

## ■ Maximum likelihood method (MLM)

### ❖ Maximum likelihood estimate (continued)

#### ➤ For finite $m_{max}$

- $\frac{1}{\beta} = \bar{m} - \frac{m_{min} - m_{max} \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]}{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]}$  (Page, 1968)

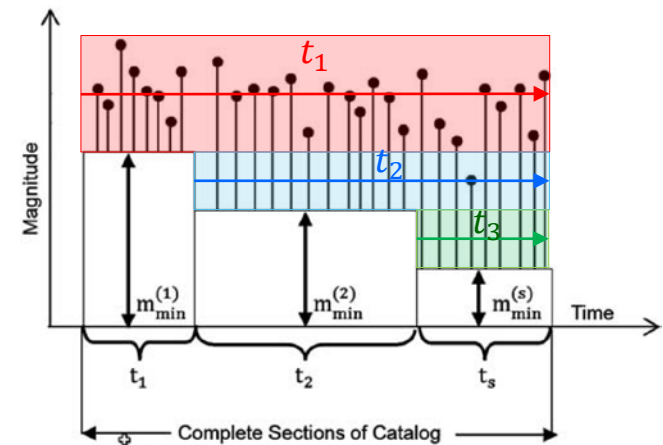
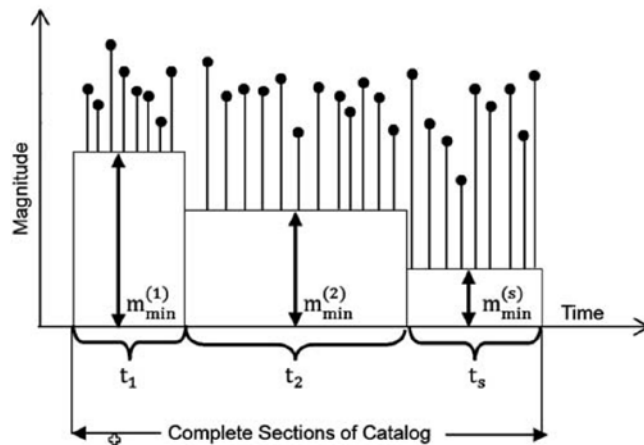
- $\bar{m} - \frac{m_{max} + m_{min}}{2} = \frac{1}{\beta} \left[ \frac{\hat{\beta}\delta}{\tanh(\hat{\beta}\delta)} - \frac{\hat{\beta} \frac{m_{max} - m_{min}}{2}}{\tanh(\hat{\beta} \frac{m_{max} - m_{min}}{2})} \right]$  for magnitude grouping with  $2\delta$  (Karnik, 1971)

- $\frac{\sum t_i m_i \exp(-\hat{\beta} m_i)}{\sum t_i \exp(-\hat{\beta} m_i)} = \frac{\sum n_i m_i}{N} = \bar{m}$  for magnitude grouping with  $2\delta$  & unequal observation period,  $t_i$  (Weichert, 1980), using  $p(m_i) = P(m_i - \delta \leq m < m_i + \delta) = \frac{t_i e^{-\beta m_i}}{\sum_{j=1}^J t_j e^{-\beta m_j}}$

➤ Extension to incomplete catalogs (Kijko & Smit, 2012)

$$\hat{\beta} = \left( \frac{r_1}{\hat{\beta}_1} + \frac{r_2}{\hat{\beta}_2} + \dots + \frac{r_s}{\hat{\beta}_s} \right)^{-1}$$

where  $r_i = n_i/n$  and  $n = \sum_{i=1}^s n_i$



# Estimation of Annual Rate

## ■ Basic Approach

❖ For  $N$  events during  $T$  years

➤ if  $n_k$  is the annual rate of events in  $k$ -th year

$$\blacksquare \sum_{k=1}^T n_k = N$$

❖ For the Poisson process with mean annual rate,  $\nu$

$$\text{➤ } P_N(n_k) = \frac{(\nu)^{n_k} e^{-\nu}}{n_k!}$$

❖ Likelihood function

$$\text{➤ } L(\nu) = \prod_{k=1}^T P_N(n_k) = e^{-T\nu} \prod_{k=1}^T \frac{(\nu)^{n_k}}{n_k!}, \text{ or}$$

$$\text{➤ } \ln L(\nu) = -T\nu + \sum_{k=1}^T (n_k \ln \nu - \ln n_k!) = -T\nu + N \ln \nu - \sum_{k=1}^T \ln n_k!$$

❖ ML Solution

$$\text{➤ } \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \nu} = 0, \text{ or } \hat{\nu} = \frac{N}{T}$$

$$\text{➤ } \text{Var}(\hat{\nu}) = - \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \hat{\nu}^2} \ln L \right]^{-1} \bigg|_{\nu=\hat{\nu}} = \frac{\hat{\nu}^2}{N}$$

## ■ Refined Formulation

- ❖ Exponential distribution with  $m_{max} \rightarrow \infty$
- ❖ Mean frequency  $\rho_i$  of events of magnitude  $(m_i, m_i + dm)$ 
  - $\rho_i = T \nu f_M(m_i) dm = T \nu \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})} dm, m_i > m_{min}$
  - $P_N(n_i) = \frac{(\rho_i)^{n_i} e^{-\rho_i}}{n_i!}$
- ❖ For such a small  $dm$  that no more than one event in any magnitude interval
  - $P_N(n_i) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-\rho_i}, & \text{if no event, } n_i = 0 \\ \rho_i e^{-\rho_i}, & \text{if one event, } n_i = 1 \end{pmatrix}, i = 1, 2, \dots, I, \text{ or}$
  - $P_N(n_i) = \begin{pmatrix} \exp[-\nu T \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})} dm], & \text{if no event} \\ \nu T \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})} dm \times \exp[-\nu T \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})} dm], & \text{if one event} \end{pmatrix}$
- ❖ Likelihood function, as  $dm \rightarrow 0$  ( $I \rightarrow \infty$ )
  - $$\begin{aligned} L(\nu, \beta) &= \lim_{I \rightarrow \infty} [\prod_{i=1}^I P_N(n_i)] = \lim_{I \rightarrow \infty} [(\prod_{i \neq j} e^{-\rho_i}) \times (\prod_{j=1}^N \rho_j e^{-\rho_j})] \\ &= (\prod_{j=1}^N \rho_j) \times \left\{ \lim_{I \rightarrow \infty} [\exp(-\sum_{i=1}^I \rho_i)] \right\} \\ &\approx \prod_{i=1}^N [\nu T \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})} dm] \times \exp \left[ - \int_{m_{min}}^{\infty} \nu T \beta e^{-\beta(m - m_{min})} dm \right] \\ &= (\nu T dm)^N e^{-\nu T} \times \prod_{i=1}^N [\beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{min})}], \text{ or} \end{aligned}$$

## ▣ Refined Formulation (continued)

$$\triangleright \ln L = N \ln(vTdm) - vT + \sum_{i=1}^N [\ln \beta - \beta(m_i - m_{\min})]$$

### ❖ ML Solution

$$\triangleright \hat{v} = \frac{N}{T}$$

$$\triangleright \frac{1}{\hat{\beta}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (m_i - m_{\min}) = \bar{m} - m_{\min}$$

$\triangleright$  Estimation of  $\hat{v}$  and  $\hat{\beta}$  is completely separated!

### ❖ Tasks

1. Calculate variance of the above estimate of  $\hat{v}$ .

$$[\text{Hint}] \text{ Use } \text{Var}(\hat{v}) = - \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \hat{v}^2} \ln L \right]^{-1} \bigg|_{v=\hat{v}}.$$

2. Extend estimate of  $\hat{v}$  for a finite  $m_{\max}$ .

[Hint] Replace  $f_M(m_i) = \beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{\min})}$  by  $f_M(m_i) = k\beta e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{\min})}$ , where  $k = (1 - e^{-\beta(m_{\max} - m_{\min})})^{-1}$  and the upper integration limit  $\infty$  by  $m_{\max}$ .



## ■ Magnitude-Grouped, Unequal Observation Time

❖ Noh (unpublished)

❖ Probability over  $i$ -th magnitude interval  $(m_i, m_i + dm)$

$$\text{➤ } p_i = p(m_i) = P(m_i - \delta \leq m < m_i + \delta) = \frac{e^{-\beta m_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^I e^{-\beta m_k}}$$

$$\leftrightarrow p'_i = \frac{t_i e^{-\beta m_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^I t_k e^{-\beta m_k}} \text{ (Weichert, 1980)}$$

❖ Mean frequency  $\rho_i$  of events of  $i$ -th magnitude interval

$$\text{➤ } \lambda_i = \nu t_i p_i = \frac{\nu t_i e^{-\beta m_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^I e^{-\beta m_k}}$$

❖ Poisson probability for frequency  $n_i$

$$\text{➤ } P_N(n_i) = \frac{(\lambda_i)^{n_i} e^{-\lambda_i}}{n_i!} = \frac{(\nu t_i p_i)^{n_i} e^{-\nu t_i p_i}}{n_i!}$$

❖ Log-likelihood function

$$\text{➤ } \ln L(\nu, \beta) = \sum_{i=1}^I \ln[P_N(n_i)] = \sum_{i=1}^I [n_i \ln(\lambda_i) - \lambda_i - \ln(n_i!)]$$

## ❖ Log-likelihood function (continued)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{➤ } \ln L(\nu, \beta) &= \sum_{i=1}^I \ln[P_N(n_i)] = \sum_{i=1}^I [n_i \ln(\lambda_i) - \lambda_i - \ln(n_i!)] \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^I [n_i \ln \nu + n_i \ln t_i - n_i \beta m_i - n_i \ln S - \nu t_i e^{-\beta m_i} / S - \ln(n_i!)] \\
 &= N \ln \nu + \sum_{i=1}^I (n_i \ln t_i) - \beta N \bar{m} - N \ln S - \nu S_t / S - \ln(n_i!)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } N = \sum_{i=1}^I n_i, \bar{m} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^I n_i m_i, S = \sum_{k=1}^I e^{-\beta m_k}, \text{ and } S_t = \sum_{k=1}^I t_k e^{-\beta m_k}$$

## ❖ Estimation of $\nu$

$$\text{➤ } \frac{\partial}{\partial \nu} \ln L = \frac{N}{\nu} - \frac{S_t}{S}$$

$$\text{➤ } \hat{\nu} = \frac{NS}{S_t} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^I e^{-\hat{\beta} m_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^I t_k e^{-\hat{\beta} m_k}} N \quad (1)$$

$$\text{➤ } \text{Var}(\hat{\nu}) = - \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \hat{\nu}^2} \ln L \right]^{-1} \bigg|_{\nu=\hat{\nu}} = \frac{\hat{\nu}^2}{N} \quad (2)$$

▪ Estimation of  $\hat{\nu}$  and  $\hat{\beta}$  is not separated!

$$\text{➤ } \hat{\nu}_{m \geq m_l} = \hat{\nu} \frac{\sum_{k=l}^I e^{-\hat{\beta} m_k}}{\sum_{k=1}^I e^{-\hat{\beta} m_k}} = \frac{\hat{\nu}}{S} \sum_{k=l}^I e^{-\hat{\beta} m_k}$$

## ❖ Estimation of $\beta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \blacktriangleright \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \ln L &= -N\bar{m} + \frac{NS_m}{S} + \nu \frac{S_{tm}S - S_t S_m}{S^2}, & \because S_m &= \sum_{k=1}^I m_k e^{-\beta m_k} \\
 &= -N\bar{m} + \frac{NS_m}{S} + \nu \frac{S_{tm}S - S_t S_m}{S^2}, & \because S_{tm} &= \sum_{k=1}^I t_k m_k e^{-\beta m_k} \\
 &= -N\bar{m} + \frac{NS_m}{S} + \frac{NS}{S_t} \frac{S_{tm}S - S_t S_m}{S^2}, & \because \nu &= \frac{NS}{S_t} \\
 &= -N\bar{m} + \frac{NS_m}{S} + \frac{NS_{tm}}{S_t} - \frac{NS_m}{S} \\
 &= -N \left( \bar{m} - \frac{S_{tm}}{S_t} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\blacktriangleright \bar{m} = \frac{S_{tm}}{S_t} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^I t_i m_i e^{-\hat{\beta} m_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^I t_k e^{-\hat{\beta} m_k}} \quad (3)$$

$$\blacktriangleright Var(\hat{\beta}) = - \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \beta^2} \ln L \right]^{-1} \bigg|_{\beta=\hat{\beta}} = \frac{1}{N} \frac{S_t^2}{S_{tm}^2 - S_{tmm} S_t} \bigg|_{\beta=\hat{\beta}} \quad (4)$$

$$\text{where } S_{tmm} = \sum_{k=1}^I t_k m_k m_k e^{-\beta m_k}$$

# Estimation of $m_{max}$

## ■ Introduction

❖ Why no maximum likelihood estimates using  $f_M(m)$ ?

$$\triangleright \ln L = n \ln(k\beta) - \beta \sum_{i=1}^n (m_i - m_{min})$$

$$= n [\ln(k\beta) - \beta(\bar{m} - m_{min})],$$

$$\text{where } k^{-1} = 1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})] > 0$$

$$\triangleright \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial m_{max}} = - \frac{n\beta e^{-\beta(m_{max}-m_{min})}}{1-e^{-\beta(m_{max}-m_{min})}} < 0$$

❖ General form of  $m_{max}$  estimator

$$\triangleright m_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + \Delta_n$$

➤ Usually,  $\Delta_n$  includes  $m_{max}$

$$\blacksquare \Delta_n = \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} \left[ \frac{1 - \exp[-\beta(m - m_{min})]}{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]} \right]^n \quad (\text{Kijko, 2004})$$

➤ (inner) Iteration scheme is required

$$\triangleright \text{Var}(\hat{m}_{max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \sigma_M^2$$

▪  $\sigma_{M_x^o}^2$  : uncertainty related to the determination of  $m_{max}^{obs}$

▪  $\sigma_M^2$  : uncertainty related to the magnitude determination ( $\cong \Delta_n^2$ )

## ❖ List of Methods

| Class          | Name   | Remark   |
|----------------|--------|--|
| Parametric     | T-P    | Procedure by Pisarenko et al. (1996)               |
|                | K-S    | Procedure by Kijko & Sellevoll (1989)              |
|                | T-P-B  | Tate-Pisarenko-Bayes procedure                     |
|                | K-S-B  | Kijko-Sellevoll-Bayes procedure                    |
| Non-parametric | N-P-G  | Non-parametric procedure with Gaussian kernel      |
|                | N-P-OS | Non-parametric procedure based on order statistics |
|                | R-W    | Robson-Whitlock procedure                          |
|                | R-W-C  | Robson-Whitlock-Cooke procedure                    |
|                | F-L-E  | Procedure based on a few large earthquakes         |
| Fit of CDF     | L1-Fit | Procedure based on fit of L1 norm CDF              |
|                | L2-Fit | Procedure based on fit of L2 norm CDF              |

## ■ Parametric Approaches

### ❖ Tate-Pisarenko Procedure

- Order statistics of earthquake magnitude:  $M_1 \leq M_2 \leq \dots \leq M_n$ 
  - $M_i$  is independent, identically distributed by  $F_M(m|m_{max})$
- For transformation  $Y_i = F_M(M_i|m_{max})$ 
  - $Y_i$  is a uniform deviate such that  
 $Y_1 \leq Y_2 \leq \dots \leq Y_n$  and

$$F_Y(y) = \begin{cases} 0, & y < 0 \\ y, & 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 1, & y > 1 \end{cases}$$

- CDF of the largest among  $Y_i$ , that is  $Y_n$  is
  - $F_{Y_n}(y) = P[Y_n \leq y] = P[Y_1 \leq y, Y_2 \leq y, \dots, Y_n \leq y]$   
 $= [F_Y(y)]^n = y^n$
- PDF of  $Y_n$  is

$$\text{▪ } f_{Y_n}(y) = \begin{cases} 0, & y < 0 \\ ny^{n-1}, & 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0, & y > 1 \end{cases}$$

## ❖ Tate-Pisarenko Procedure (continued)

### ➤ Expectation

$$\blacksquare E(Y_n) = \int_0^1 \xi f_{Y_n}(\xi) d\xi = n \int_0^1 \xi^n d\xi = \frac{n}{n+1} \quad (1)$$

### ➤ Best unbiased estimation of $E(Y_n)$ is $y_n$

$$\blacksquare E(Y_n) = y_n \quad (2)$$

### ➤ Using the Taylor expansion of $M_n = F_M^{-1}(Y_n|m_{max})$ at $Y_n = 1$

$$\blacksquare M_n = F_M^{-1}(1|m_{max}) - \left. \frac{dF_M^{-1}(Y_n|m_{max})}{dY_n} \right|_{Y_n=1} (1 - Y_n) + \dots \quad (3)$$

### ➤ Taking average of both sides of (3) and using

$$\blacksquare E(M_n) = m_{max}^{obs}$$

$$\blacksquare F_M^{-1}(1|m_{max}) = m_{max}$$

$$\blacksquare E(1 - Y_n) = 1 - \frac{n}{n+1} = \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\blacksquare \left. \frac{dF_M^{-1}(Y_n|m_{max})}{dY_n} \right|_{Y_n=1} = \frac{1}{\left. \frac{dF_M(M_n|m_{max})}{dM_n} \right|_{M_n=m_{max}}} = \frac{1}{f_M(m_{max}|m_{max})}$$

### ➤ We arrive at

$$\blacksquare m_{max}^{obs} = m_{max} - \frac{1}{(n+1)f_M(m_{max}|m_{max})}$$

## ❖ Tate-Pisarenko Procedure (continued)

➤ For a large  $n$

- $E(1 - Y_n) = \frac{1}{n+1} \cong \frac{1}{n}$
- $f_M(m_{\max}|m_{\max}) \cong f_M(m_{\max}^{obs}|m_{\max}^{obs})$

➤ Finally

- $m_{\max} = m_{\max}^{obs} + \frac{1}{nf_M(m_{\max}^{obs}|m_{\max}^{obs})}$

➤  $\Delta_n = \frac{1}{nf_M(m_{\max}^{obs}|m_{\max}^{obs})}$

➤ For doubly truncated PDF,

- $\Delta_n = \frac{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{\max}^{obs} - m_{\min})]}{n\beta \exp[-\beta(m_{\max}^{obs} - m_{\min})]}$

➤ The estimator is,

- $m_{\max} = m_{\max}^{obs} + \frac{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{\max}^{obs} - m_{\min})]}{n\beta \exp[-\beta(m_{\max}^{obs} - m_{\min})]}$

- $Var(\hat{m}_{\max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$

## ❖ Notes

- (5) was probably first derived by Tate (1959)
- It was used by Pisarenko *et al.* (1996)



## ❖ Kijko-Sellevoll Procedure

- Kijko & Sellevoll (1989)
- From order statistics, CDF of the largest observed magnitude among  $n$  events,  $m_n \equiv m_{max}^{obs}$  is  $F_{M_n}(m) = [F_M(m)]^n$ 
  - $E(M_n) = \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} m dF_{M_n}(m) = m_{max} - \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} F_{M_n}(m) dm$  or
  - $m_{max} = E(M_n) + \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} F_{M_n}(m) dm$  or
  - $m_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} [F_M(m)]^n dm$
- For large  $n$ ,  $[F_M(m)]^n \approx \exp\{-n[1 - F_M(m)]\}$  (Cramér, 1961)
- For doubly truncated PDF,
  - $\Delta_n \approx \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} \exp\{-n[1 - F_M(m)]\} dm = \frac{E_1(n_2) - E_1(n_1)}{\beta \exp(-n_2)} + m_{min} \exp(-n)$ 
    - $n_1 = \frac{n}{\{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]\}}$ ,  $n_2 = n_1 \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]$ , and
    - $E_1(z) = \int_z^\infty \frac{\exp(-\omega)}{\omega} d\omega$ ; exponential integration function

## ❖ Kijko-Sellevoll Procedure (continued)

➤ The estimator is,

$$\blacksquare m_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + \frac{E_1(n_2) - E_1(n_1)}{\beta \exp(-n_2)} + m_{min} \exp(-n)$$

$$\blacksquare Var(\hat{m}_{max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$$

➤ While the exact formula of  $\Delta_n$  is reported, it is not discussed here because it does not give an improved accuracy but is just complicated.

※ A direct numerical integration, such as the Romberg integration, of  $\Delta_n = \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} [F_M(m)]^n dm$  yields an accurate enough result.

## ❖ Tate-Pisarenko-Bayes Procedure

➤ Assuming a gamma distribution for  $f_B(\beta)$ , Campbell (1982) showed

$$\blacksquare f_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_{\min} \\ \bar{\beta} C_\beta \left( \frac{p}{p+m-m_{\min}} \right)^{q+1} & , m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max} \\ 0 & , m > m_{\max} \end{cases}$$

$$\blacksquare F_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_{\min} \\ C_\beta \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{p}{p+m-m_{\min}} \right)^q \right] & , m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max} \\ 0 & , m > m_{\max} \end{cases}$$

$$\bullet C_\beta = \left\{ 1 - \left( \frac{p}{p+m_{\max}-m_{\min}} \right)^q \right\}^{-1}, \quad p = \frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_\beta^2}, \quad q = \left( \frac{\bar{\beta}}{\sigma_\beta} \right)^2$$

•  $\bar{\beta}$  is a known value of  $\beta$  and  $\sigma_\beta$  a known standard deviation of  $\beta$ , of which values are taken from their estimates to be discussed in the subsequent section

➤ For doubly truncated PDF,

$$\blacksquare \Delta_n = \frac{1}{n \bar{\beta} C_\beta} \left( \frac{p}{p+m_{\text{obs}}-m_{\min}} \right)^{-(q+1)}$$

$$\blacksquare m_{\max} = m_{\max}^{\text{obs}} + \Delta_n$$

$$\blacksquare \text{Var}(\hat{m}_{\max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$$

➤ T-P-B yields estimate of  $m_{\max}$  very close to that of T-P

## ❖ Kijko-Sellevoll-Bayes Procedure

➤ Assuming a gamma distribution for  $f_B(\beta)$ , Campbell (1982)

$$\Delta_n = (C_\beta)^n \int_{m_{\min}}^{m_{\max}} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{p}{p+m-m_{\min}} \right)^q \right]^n dm$$

➤ Using Cramér's approximation

$$\Delta_n = \frac{\delta^{1/q} \exp[nr^q/(1-r^q)]}{\bar{\beta}} \left[ \Gamma\left(-\frac{1}{q}, \delta r^q\right) - \Gamma\left(-\frac{1}{q}, \delta\right) \right],$$

where  $r = p/(p + m_{\max} - m_{\min})$ ,  $\delta = nC_\beta$

$$\Delta_n = m_{\max}^{obs} - m_{\min}$$

$$Var(\hat{m}_{\max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$$

➤ K-S-B yields estimate of  $m_{\max}$  very close to that of K-S

## ■ Non-Parametric Approaches

### ❖ Non-Parametric with Gaussian Kernel Procedure

➤ Kernel estimator  $\hat{f}_M(m)$  of actual, unknown PDF  $f_M(m)$

- $\hat{f}_M(m) = \frac{1}{nh} \sum_{i=1}^n K\left(\frac{m-m_i}{h}\right)$ 
  - $h$  : positive smoothing factor
  - $K(\cdot)$  : kernel function, a PDF, symmetric about zero
- Estimation is not sensitive to the kernel function
  - Choice is the standard normal PDF,  $K(z) = (2\pi)^{-1/2} \exp(-z^2/2)$  normalized in the range  $\left[\frac{m_{\min}-m_i}{h}, \frac{m_{\max}-m_i}{h}\right]$
  - But the choice of a smoothing factor is crucial

$$\hat{f}_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_{\min} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} nh} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\exp\left[-\left(\frac{m-m_i}{\sqrt{2}h}\right)^2\right]}{\Phi\left(\frac{m_{\max}-m_i}{h}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{m_{\min}-m_i}{h}\right)} & , m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max} \\ 0 & , m > m_{\max} \end{cases}$$

- $\Phi(z)$  : standard normal CDF

## ❖ Non-Parametric with Gaussian Kernel Procedure (continued)

$$\hat{F}_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_{\min} \\ \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\Phi\left(\frac{m-m_i}{h}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{m_{\min}-m_i}{h}\right)}{\Phi\left(\frac{m_{\max}-m_i}{h}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{m_{\min}-m_i}{h}\right)} & , m_{\min} \leq m \leq m_{\max} \\ 1 & , m > m_{\max} \end{cases}$$

### ➤ Estimators

- $m_{\max} = m_{\max}^{obs} + \Delta_n$
- $Var(\hat{m}_{\max}) = \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$
- T-P procedure:  $\Delta_n = \frac{1}{n \hat{f}_M(m_{\max}^{obs})}$
- K-S procedure:  $\Delta_n = \int_{m_{\min}}^{m_{\max}} [\hat{F}_M(m)]^n dm$

## ❖ Non-Parametric Procedure Based on Order Statistics

➤ For ordered  $n$  observations,  $m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \cdots \leq m_{n-1} \leq m_n$

$$\blacksquare \hat{F}_M(m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , m < m_1 \\ \frac{i}{n} & , m_i \leq m \leq m_{i+1} \\ 1 & , m > m_n \end{cases} \quad (\text{Cooke, 1979})$$

➤ Approximate of integral  $\Delta_n$

$$\blacksquare \Delta_n \equiv \int_{m_{\min}}^{m_{\max}^{obs}} [\hat{F}_M(m)]^n = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^n (m_{i+1} - m_i)$$

$$= m_{\max}^{obs} - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left[ \left(1 - \frac{i}{n}\right)^n - \left(1 - \frac{i+1}{n}\right)^n \right] m_{n-i}$$

▪ For large  $n$ ,  $(1 + 1/n)^n \cong e$

$$\Delta_n \cong m_{\max}^{obs} - (1 - e^{-1}) \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} e^{-i} m_{n-i}$$

➤ Estimator of  $m_{\max}$

$$\blacksquare m_{\max} = m_{\max}^{obs} + \Delta_n$$

$$\blacksquare \text{Var}(\hat{m}_{\max}) = c_0 \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2$$

$$\bullet c_0 = (1 + e^{-1})^2 + e^{-2}(1 - e^{-1})/(1 + e^{-1}) \cong 1.93$$

## ❖ Robson-Whitlock Procedure

- For ordered  $n$  observations,  $m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \cdots \leq m_{n-1} \leq m_n$ , Robson and Whitlock (1964) proposed
  - $\hat{m}_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + (m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-1})$
- For a doubly-truncated exponential distribution
  - $Var(\hat{m}_{max}) = 5\sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2, \quad \Delta_n = m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-1}$
- While its simplicity makes it very attractive, it is known that reduction of bias is achieved at the expense of mean squared error.



## ❖ Robson-Whitlock-Cooke Procedure

- Cooke (1979) showed that reduction of the mean squared error of the R-W estimator is possible when some information,  $\nu$  about the shape of the upper tail of PDF,  $f_M(m)$

- $\hat{m}_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + (2\nu)^{-1}(m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-1})$

- For a doubly-truncated exponential distribution,  $\nu = 1$

- $\hat{m}_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + \frac{1}{2}(m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-1})$

- $Var(\hat{m}_{max}) = \frac{3}{2}\sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2, \quad \Delta_n = \frac{1}{2}(m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-1})$

## ❖ Procedure Based on a Few Largest Earthquakes

➤ Gnedenko (1943) suggested for a very broad class of  $F_M(m)$

1) When  $m$  is near to the upper end point

2)  $F_M(m)$  is linear in  $m$

$$\blacksquare \hat{m}_{max} = \sum_{i=1}^{n_0} a_i m_{n-i+1}$$

- $a_i$  : coefficients to be determined,  $i = 1, \dots, n_0$
- $m_k$  : order statistics
- $n_0$  : the number of largest earthquakes

➤ For truncated distributions, the mean squared error of  $\hat{m}_{max}$  is minimized when

$$\blacksquare a_2 = \dots = a_{n_0-1} = 0, \text{ and } a_{n_0} = -1/n_0$$

$$\blacksquare \text{That is, } \Delta_n = \frac{1}{n_0} (m_{max}^{obs} - m_{n-n_0+1})$$

▪ Due to Quenouille (1965), an improved  $\Delta_n$  is

$$\bullet \Delta_n = \frac{1}{n_0} \left( m_{max}^{obs} - \frac{1}{n_0-1} \sum_{i=2}^{n_0} m_{n-i+1} \right)$$

## ❖ Procedure Based on a Few Largest Earthquakes (continued)

### ➤ The estimators for $m_{max}$

$$\blacksquare \hat{m}_{max} = m_{max}^{obs} + \Delta_n, \quad \Delta_n = \frac{1}{n_0} \left( m_{max}^{obs} - \frac{1}{n_0 - 1} \sum_{i=2}^{n_0} m_{n-i+1} \right)$$

$$\blacksquare Var(\hat{m}_{max}) = c_0 \sigma_{M_x^o}^2 + \Delta_n^2, \quad c_0 = (n_0^2 + n_0 - 1) / [n_0(n_0 - 1)]$$

### ➤ Note that

- 1) When we have sufficient sample,  $n_0 \gg 1$ ,  $\Delta_n \approx 0$
- 2) Therefore, this estimator is useful only when we have limited information, a few large earthquakes

# Fit of CDF Approach

## ■ Fit of CDF Approaches

### ❖ Procedure Based on L1-Norm of CDF

- For ordered  $n$  observations,  $m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \dots \leq m_{n-1} \leq m_n$ , the set of model parameters  $\theta$  can be found by minimizing the misfit function
  - $J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n |F_M(m_i) - \hat{F}_M(m_i)|$ ,  $\hat{F}_M(m_i) = i/(n+1)$
- In case of the doubly-truncated exponential PDF,  $\theta = (\beta, m_{max})$
- $\theta$  can be calculated by numerical methods, such as simplex method (Press et al, 1994)
- Note that, the misfit function of  $L_1$  norm could have multiple extrema for more than one parameter

## ❖ Procedure Based on L2-Norm of CDF

- For ordered  $n$  observations,  $m_1 \leq m_2 \leq \cdots \leq m_{n-1} \leq m_n$ , the set of model parameters  $\theta$  can be found by minimizing the misfit function
  - $J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n [F_M(m_i) - \hat{F}_M(m_i)]^2$ ,  $\hat{F}_M(m_i) = 1/(n+1)$
- Solving this the least-squares method is equivalent to the maximum likelihood method with the assumption that the distribution of the CDF residuals is of Gaussian

## ■ Variance of $\theta$ for the Gaussian Procedure

### ❖ Generalized misfit function to be minimized

$$\triangleright J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n |q_i|^p = \sum_{i=1}^n |y_i - g_i(\theta)|^p, \quad p \in [1, 2)$$

- $y_i$  :  $i$ -th observation
- $g_i$  : model prediction for  $i$ -th observation
- $q_i$  : prediction error or noise at  $i$ -th observation

### ❖ For the generalized Gaussian process

$$\triangleright f(q|\mu, \kappa, \beta) = \frac{\beta}{2\kappa\Gamma(\frac{1}{\beta})} \exp \left[ - \left( \frac{|q-\mu|}{\kappa} \right)^\beta \right]$$

- $\mu$  : location parameter (= 0, assuming  $q_i$  has a zero mean)
- $\kappa$  : scale parameter

### ❖ The covariance matrix is

$$\triangleright \mathbf{C} = \begin{cases} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{2p-1}{\beta})\Gamma(\frac{1}{\beta})}{(p-1)^2\Gamma^2(\frac{p-1}{\beta})} \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} & , p > 1 \\ \Gamma^2(1 + \frac{1}{\beta}) \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} & , p = 1 \end{cases}, \text{ where } u_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n g_{k,i} g_{k,j} ; g_{k,i} = \frac{\partial g_k}{\partial x_i}$$

## ■ Variance of $\theta$ for the Gaussian Procedure (continued)

❖ Ordinary Gaussian process;  $\beta = 2$

$$\blacktriangleright \mathbf{C}_G = \begin{cases} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{2p-1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}{(p-1)^2\Gamma^2(\frac{p-1}{2})} \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} & , p > 1 \\ \Gamma^2(\frac{3}{2}) \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} & , p = 1 \end{cases}$$

❖  $L_1$  Norm:  $p = 1$

$$\blacktriangleright \mathbf{C}_{G|p=1} = \Gamma^2\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} = \frac{\pi}{4} \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1}; \kappa = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |q_i| \quad \because \mu = 0$$

❖  $L_2$  Norm:  $p = 2$

$$\blacktriangleright \mathbf{C}_{G|p=2} = \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2 \mathbf{U}^{-1} ; \kappa = \sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (q_i)^2} \quad \because \mu = 0$$

## ■ Variance of $\theta$ for the Gaussian Procedure (continued)

❖ Finally, the matrix  $\mathbf{U}$  is calculated as follows

$$\text{➤ } q_i = \frac{i}{n+1} - F_M(m_i | \beta, m_{\max}) = \frac{i}{n+1} - \frac{1 - e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{\min})}}{1 - e^{-\beta(m_{\max} - m_{\min})}}$$

$$\text{➤ } g_{i,1} = \frac{\partial g_i}{\partial \beta} = \frac{(m_i - m_{\min})(1 - e_x)e_i - (m_i - m_{\min})(1 - e_i)e_x}{(1 - e_x)^2}$$

$$\text{➤ } g_{i,2} = \frac{\partial g_i}{\partial m_{\max}} = -\frac{\beta(1 - e_i)e_x}{(1 - e_x)^2}$$

$$\text{➤ } e_i = e^{-\beta(m_i - m_{\min})} ; e_x = e^{-\beta(m_{\max} - m_{\min})}$$

❖ Therefore,

$$\text{➤ } \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}) = (\mathbf{C}_{G|p})_{11} ; \text{Var}(\hat{m}_{\max}) = (\mathbf{C}_{G|p})_{22} \text{ where } p = 1 \text{ or } p = 2$$



## ■ Alternative Approach to Estimate Variances

- ❖ Method in the previous slides is quite general, but somewhat complicated
- ❖ Considering the sensitivity of  $\hat{m}_{max}$  to  $\hat{\beta}$ , it would be better to separately estimate  $\beta$  by a proper method, if exists.
- ❖ We do have such a method, Weichert (1980) discussed in the section 'Estimation of Richter-b'
- ❖ Moreover, use of Weichert (1980) is consistent with the other  $\hat{m}_{max}$  estimators introduced in this course
- ❖ In the following, we use  $\hat{\beta}$  by Weichert so that there is only one parameter to be estimated,  $\hat{m}_{max}$
- ❖ As before, the cost or misfit function is
  - $J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = J(m_{max}) = \sum_{i=1}^n |q_i|^p = \sum_{i=1}^n |y_i - g_i|^p$
  - $y_i = \frac{i}{n+1}$  and  $g_i = F_M(m_i | m_{max}) = \frac{1-e_i}{1-e_x}$ 
    - $e_i = \exp[-\beta(m_i - m_{min})]$  and  $e_x = \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]$

## ■ Alternative Approach to Estimate Variances (continued)

❖  $L_1$  Norm:  $p = 1$

➤  $J(m_{max}) = \sum_{i=1}^n |q_i| = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{sgn}(q_i)(y_i - g_i)$

➤ Minimization of cost (misfit) function

▪  $0 = \frac{\partial J}{\partial m_{max}} = -\sum_{i=1}^n \text{sgn}(q_i) \frac{\partial g_i}{\partial m_{max}} = \frac{\beta e_x}{(1-e_x)^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{sgn}(q_i) (1 - e_i)$  or

▪  $\sum_{i=1}^n \text{sgn}(q_i) (1 - e_i) = 0$

▪ Can be solved by a root-finding algorithm

➤  $u_{ij} = u_{22} = \sum_{i=1}^n (g_{i,2})^2 = \frac{(\beta e_x)^2}{(1-e_x)^4} \sum_{i=1}^n (1 - e_i)^2 = s^2$

➤  $\text{Var}(\hat{m}_{max}) = \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{\kappa}{s} \right)^2$ , where  $\kappa = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |q_i|$

## ■ Alternative Approach to Estimate Variances (continued)

❖  $L_2$  Norm:  $p = 2$

➤  $J(m_{max}) = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - g_i)^2$

➤ Minimization of cost (misfit) function

▪  $0 = \frac{\partial J}{\partial m_{max}} = -2 \sum_{i=1}^n q_i \frac{\partial g_i}{\partial m_{max}} = \frac{\beta e_x}{(1-e_x)^2} \sum_{i=1}^n q_i (1 - e_i)$  or

▪  $\sum_{i=1}^n q_i (1 - e_i) = 0$

▪ Can be solved by a root-finding algorithm

➤  $Var(\hat{m}_{max}) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\kappa}{s} \right)^2$ , where  $\kappa = \sqrt{\frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (q_i)^2}$

## ■ On the Use of the CDF-Fitting Procedure

- ❖ These methods assumes that the CDF,  $F_M(m)$  is known
- ❖ If so, in spite of efforts up to now, there is no reason to stick to this procedure
- ❖ Instead, we can use the parametric procedures

# Iterative Scheme for of $\beta$ & $m_{max}$

## ■ Inter-Linkage of b & Mmax

❖ In parametric models, they are linked each other

➤ Estimation of b

$$\frac{1}{\hat{\beta}} = \bar{m} - \frac{m_{min} - m_{max} \exp[-\hat{\beta}(m_{max} - m_{min})]}{1 - \exp[-\hat{\beta}(m_{max} - m_{min})]}$$

➤ Estimation of  $m_{max}$

$$\Delta_n = \frac{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max}^{obs} - m_{min})]}{n\beta \exp[-\beta(m_{max}^{obs} - m_{min})]}$$

$$\Delta_n = \int_{m_{min}}^{m_{max}} \left[ \frac{1 - \exp[-\beta(m - m_{min})]}{1 - \exp[-\beta(m_{max} - m_{min})]} \right]^n$$

❖ To estimate one, the information of the other is necessary

## ■ Simultaneous Estimation

### ❖ Iterative scheme by Noh (2014)

Step 1: estimate  $\beta$  first with observed  $m_{max}$

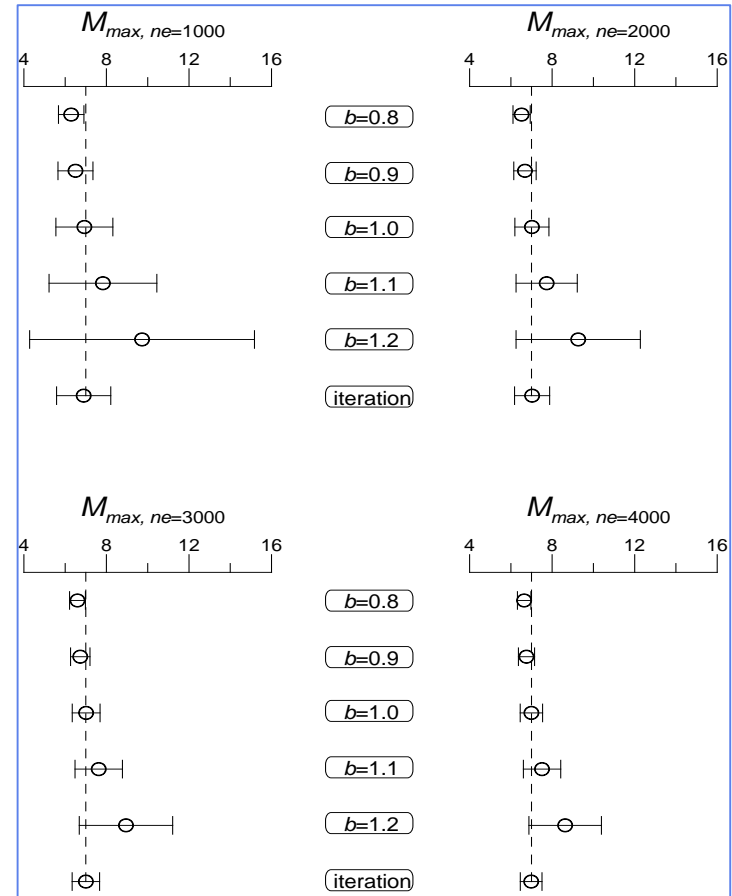
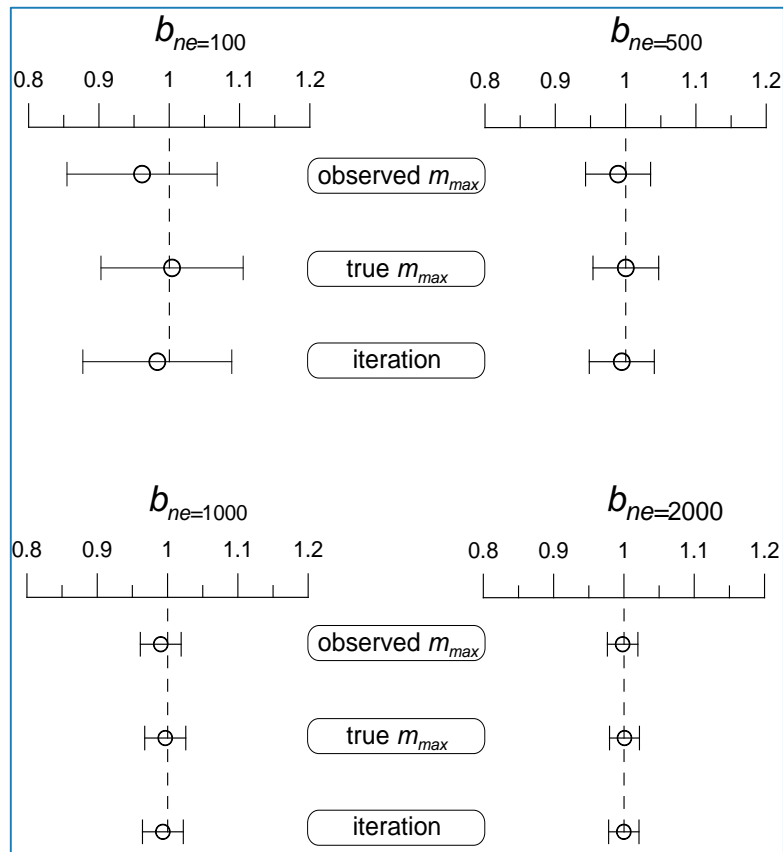
Step 2: estimate  $m_{max}$  using  $\beta$  estimated in Step 1

Step 3: re-estimate  $\beta$  using  $m_{max}$  estimated in Step 2

Step 4: re-estimate  $m_{max}$  using  $\beta$  estimated in Step 3

Step 5: repeat Steps 3 and 4 until certain exit conditions are met

## ❖ Performance of Iterative Scheme (Noh, 2014)



## ❖ Recommendations (Noh, 2014)

- Estimate  $b$  first,
  - $M_{max}^{obs}$  can effectively replace the unknown  $M_{max}^{true}$
- Then estimate  $m_{max}$
- Ex: Weichert (1980) used  $m_{max}^{obs}$  in place of  $m_{max}$

## ❖ Better Estimate by Iterative scheme

- Starting with  $b$  estimation first with  $m_{max}^{obs}$  for  $m_{max}$



# Chapter 7

## Use of Geologic and Geodetic Information

# Estimation of Annual Rates

## ■ Bridge between Geologic and Seismic Information

❖ Seismic moment:  $M_0 = \mu A_r \tilde{D}_r$  (Aki, 1966)

- $\mu$ : rigidity,  $\sim 3 \times 10^{11}$  dyne/cm<sup>2</sup>
- $A_r$ : **rupture area** on a fault plane undergoing slip during an earthquake
- $\tilde{D}_r$ : average displacement over the **rupture area**, i.e.,
  - $\tilde{D}_r = \frac{1}{A_r} \int_{A_r} D_r dA$ , where  $D_r$  is a displacement at a rupture point.
- $\tilde{D}_r = M_0 / \mu A_r$

❖ If little seismic information

- $\mu A_r \tilde{D}_r$  can be used to estimate the amount of seismic moment release

❖ If geologic and seismic information available

- Estimates are confirmed through comparison

## ■ Extension to Whole Fault Surface

❖ Seismic moment rate (Brune, 1968)

$$\triangleright \tilde{D}_f = \frac{1}{A_f} \int_{A_f} D_r dA = \frac{1}{A_f} \int_{A_r} D_r dA = \frac{A_r \tilde{D}_r}{A_f} = \frac{1}{A_f} \frac{M_0}{\mu} = \frac{M_0}{\mu A_f}$$

$$\triangleright \text{Total average slip: } \Sigma \tilde{D}_f = \frac{1}{\mu A_f} \Sigma M_0$$

$$\triangleright \text{Total moment rate: } \dot{M}_0^T = \mu A_f S$$

$$\blacksquare \dot{M}_0^T = \frac{1}{T} \Sigma M_0 : \text{total moment rate during a period } T$$

$$\blacksquare S = \frac{1}{T} \Sigma \tilde{D}_f : \text{average slip rate over the whole fault plane}$$

## ■ Moment Magnitude

$$\triangleright \log M_0 = cm + d$$

$$\triangleright c=1.5 \text{ \& } d=16.05 \text{ (Hanks and Kanamori, 1979)}$$

$$\triangleright M_0 = 10^{cm+d} = e^{\gamma m + \delta}$$

## ■ Slip Rate Constraint

### ❖ Exponential Distribution

#### ➤ Gutenberg-Richter relation (Richter, 1958)

- $\log N(m) = a - bm$  or  $N(m) = N^0 e^{-\beta(m-m_0)}$

- $N^0 = 10^{a-bm_0}$  : the number of earthquakes greater than  $m^0$

#### ➤ Earthquake occurrence density for total $N^0$ events in $[m^0, \infty)$

- $n(m) = -\frac{dN(m)}{dm} = N^0 \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}$

#### ➤ Earthquake occurrence density for total $N^0$ events in $[m^0, m^u]$

- Normalization:  $k \int_{m^0}^{m^u} n(m) dm = N^0 \rightarrow k \int_{m^0}^{m^u} \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)} dm = 1$

$$\therefore k = [1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}]^{-1}$$

- $$n(m) = \begin{cases} \frac{N^0 \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}}{1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}} & m < m^0 \\ \frac{N^0 \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}}{1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u \\ 0, & m > m^u \end{cases} \quad (7-1)$$

## ■ Slip Rate Constraint

### ❖ Exponential Distribution (continued)

#### ➤ Cumulative number of earthquakes in $[m^0, m^u]$

$$\blacksquare N(m) = \begin{cases} \frac{N^0 [e^{-\beta(m-m^0)} - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}]}{1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}} & m < m^0 \\ \frac{N^0 [e^{-\beta(m-m^0)} - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}]}{1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u \\ 0, & m > m^u \end{cases}$$

e.g., Youngs & Coppersmith (1985)

#### ➤ Total moment rate during a period $T$

$$\blacksquare \dot{M}_0^T = \int_{-\infty}^m \dot{n}(m) M_0(m) dm, \text{ or} \quad (7-2)$$

$$\blacksquare \mu A_f S = b \dot{N}^0 M_0^u e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)} / (c-b)(1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}), \text{ or}$$

$$\blacksquare \dot{N}^0 = \frac{\mu A_f S (c-b) (1 - e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)})}{b M_0^u e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}}$$

where  $c > b$  and  $M_0^u = M_0(m^u)$  (Youngs & Coppersmith, 1985)

## ♣ It is worth noting:

- ❖ From (7-1),  $n(m)$  can be expressed by PDF:  $n(m) = N^0 f_M(m)$
- ❖ But  $f_M(m)$  should not be interpreted by a PDF because the integration in (7-2) extends to  $-\infty$ , below  $m^0$ 
  - $f_M(m)$  here is just a function that has the same functional form as the PDF
- ❖ Nevertheless, the analogy to a PDF is quite useful when only the PDF is defined
- ❖ Example: Delta distribution:  $f_M(m) = \delta(m - m_p)$ 
  - $\dot{M}_0^T = \mu A_f S = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dot{n}(m) M_0(m) dm$ 
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dot{N}^0 f_M(m) M_0(m) dm$$
$$= \dot{N}^0 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(m - m_p) M_0(m) dm$$
$$= \dot{N}^0 M_0(m_p) \quad \therefore \dot{N}^0 = \mu A_f S / M_0(m_p)$$
- ❖ Conversely, we can find  $f_M(m)$  from the formula of  $n(m)$

## ■ Characteristic Earthquake Model

❖ Schwartz and Coppersmith (1985)

$$\triangleright \Delta m_c = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\triangleright m' = m^u - \Delta m_c = m^u - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\triangleright \Delta m' = 1 \rightarrow \dot{n}^c \equiv \dot{n}(m^c) = \dot{n}(m' - 1)$$

❖ Let  $N^0 = N^L + N^U$  (7-3)

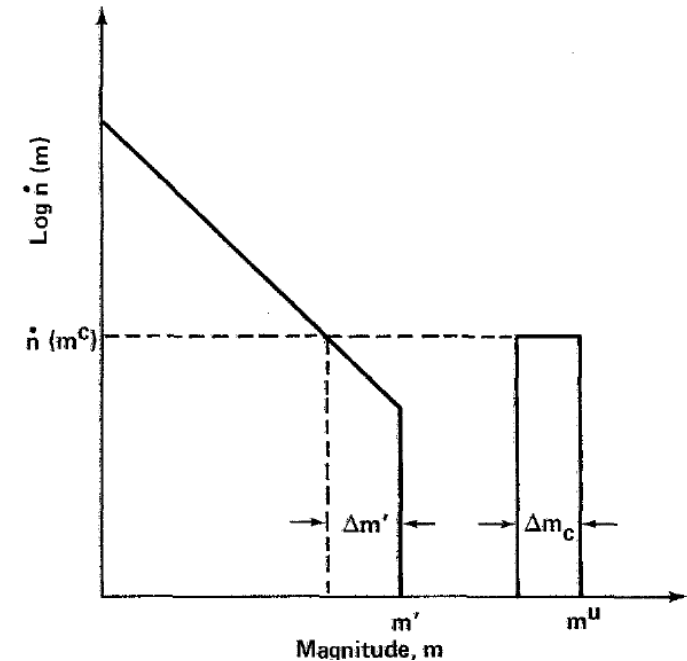
$\triangleright N^L$  : the number of event in  $[m^0, m']$

$\triangleright N^U$  : the number of event in  $[m', m^u]$

❖ From the right figure, we see that

$$\triangleright N^U = \Delta m_c \dot{n}^c = \dot{n}^c / 2 \text{ (dropping the dot-hat)}$$

❖ Using (7-1) and  $n^c = n(m' - 1)$



$$\triangleright n(m) = \begin{cases} \frac{N^L \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}}{1-e^{-\beta(m'-m^0)}}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m' \\ n^c, & m' \leq m \leq m^u \end{cases} \quad (7-4)$$

## ■ Characteristic Earthquake Model (continued)

❖ Since  $n^c = n(m' - 1) = \frac{N^L \beta e^{-\beta(m' - m^0 - 1)}}{1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)}}$

➤  $N^U = \Delta m_c n^c = \frac{n^c}{2} = \frac{N^L \beta e^{-\beta(m' - m^0 - 1)}}{2[1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)}]} = N^L q \quad \because q \equiv \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m' - m^0 - 1)}}{2[1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)}]}$

➤  $N^0 = N^L + N^U = N^L(1 + q) \quad \therefore N^L = N^0 / (1 + q)$

❖ Inserting  $N^L$  into (7-4)

➤ 
$$n(m) = \begin{cases} \frac{N^0}{(1+q)} \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m - m^0)}}{[1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)}]} = N^0 k' \beta e^{-\beta(m - m^0)}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m' \\ \frac{N^0}{(1+q)} \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m' - m^0 - 1)}}{[1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)}]} = N^0 k' \beta e^{-\beta(m' - m^0 - 1)}, & m' \leq m \leq m^u \end{cases}$$

▪ where  $k' = [(1 + q)(1 - e^{-\beta(m' - m^0)})]^{-1}$



## ■ Characteristic Earthquake Model (continued)

❖ Substituting  $m'$  by  $m^u - 1/2$

$$\text{➤ } n(m) = \begin{cases} N^0 k' \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u - 1/2 \\ N^0 k' \beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}, & m^u - 1/2 \leq m \leq m^u \end{cases}$$

$$\text{▪ where } q = \frac{\beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}}{2[1-e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-1/2)}]} \text{ and } k' = [(1+q)(1-e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-1/2)})]^{-1}$$

❖ As a by-product, we obtained the PDF

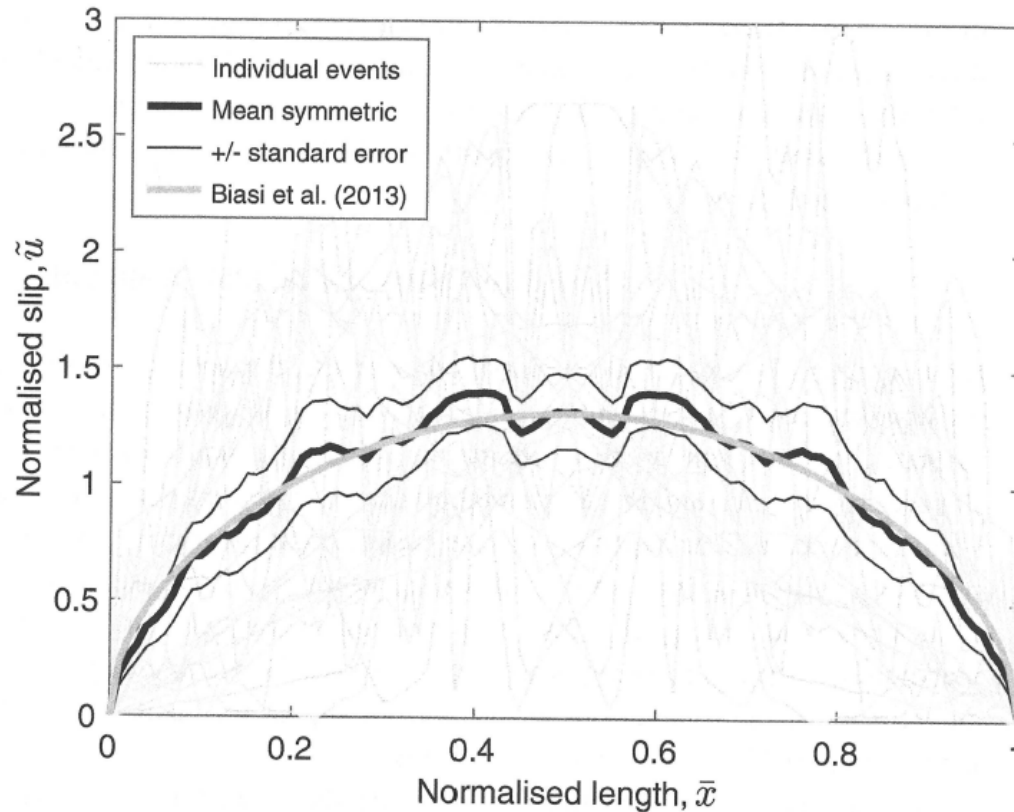
$$\text{➤ } f_M(m) = \frac{n(m)}{N^0} = \begin{cases} k' \beta e^{-\beta(m-m^0)}, & m^0 \leq m \leq m^u - 1/2 \\ k' \beta e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}, & m^u - 1/2 \leq m \leq m^u \end{cases}$$

❖ Total moment rate

$$\text{➤ } \dot{M}_0^T = \int_{-\infty}^{\dot{m}} \dot{n}(m) M_0(m) dm, \text{ or}$$

$$\text{➤ } \frac{\mu A_f S}{\dot{N}^0} = \frac{k' b M_0(m^u) e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0)}}{c-b} + \sinh(\gamma/4) \frac{2k' b M_0(m^u-1/4) e^{-\beta(m^u-m^0-3/2)}}{c}$$

## ■ Displacement Distribution on Fault Plane



❖ Normalized slip:  $\tilde{u}(\bar{x}) = \frac{u}{\bar{u}} = 1.3 \sin^{1/2}(\pi\bar{x})$  (Biasi *et al.*, 2013)

➤  $\bar{u}$  : average slip over the whole fault length

➤  $\bar{x}$  : normalized fault length,  $\frac{L}{L_0}$

# Estimation of $m_{max}$

## ■ Assumption

- ❖ Growth of the fault dimension due to the occurrence of earthquakes is negligible to small

## ■ Use of Geologic and Geodetic Data

- ❖  $m_{max}$  is observed when the whole fault surface is ruptured
- ❖ Empirical relations on the magnitude-rupture length or magnitude-rupture area can be used for the estimation of  $m_{max}$

# Chapter 8

## Topical Issues

# Effect of Catalog Combination

## ■ Purpose

- ❖ To increase catalog size for stable estimation of seismicity parameter by extending spatial and/or temporal domains

## ■ Case study (Noh, 2020)

- ❖ 3,255 events of M0.1~M5.2 from KMA catalogs for
  - Period: 1981~2015
  - Events designated as 'domestic' by KMA
- ❖ Sub-catalogs
  - Sub-catalog **SL** includes the events occurred in the land of South Korea
  - Sub-catalog **NL** includes the events occurred in the land of north Korea
  - Sub-catalog **AO** includes the off-shore events

## ❖ Estimates of $m_c$

- Estimates of  $m_c$  are high even for the SL, considering the Korean seismic network density
- $m_c$  for the AO and the NL are larger than that for the inland events SL
- $m_c$  for the sub-catalogs (SL+AO) or (SL+AO+NL) is much higher than those for the sub-catalog SL as well as the sub-catalog AO or the sub-catalog NL

| Catalog  | $m_c$ |      | $m_{max}$ |      | $b$   |       |
|----------|-------|------|-----------|------|-------|-------|
|          | mean  | s.d. | mean      | s.d. | mean  | s.d.  |
| SL       | 2.8   | 0.22 | 5.1       | 0.55 | 1.13  | 0.173 |
| AO       | 3.2   | 0.54 | 5.3       | 0.14 | 0.778 | 0.194 |
| NL       | 3.1   | 0.31 | 4.8       | 0.32 | 1.298 | 0.415 |
| SL+AO    | 3.6   | 0.45 | 5.3       | 0.15 | 0.838 | 0.274 |
| SL+AO+NL | 3.8   | 0.26 | 5.3       | 0.19 | 0.818 | 0.256 |

- ❖ There exists a trade-off between the completeness and the spatiotemporal coverage of an earthquake catalog
  - To enhance the completeness of an earthquake catalog, divide the catalog into sub-catalogs considering the spatiotemporal detectability of the seismic network
  - Or, one may combine several catalogs to cover a larger region or a longer period at the expense of catalog completeness

# Earthquake Double Counting

## ■ Types of Seismic Sources

### ❖ Fault source

- A fault capable of generating earthquakes

### ❖ Area (Volume) source

- A zone where earthquake occurs but the faults responsible those earthquakes are not identified
- Could be a large background source, or further divided into several area sources depending on the difference in seismic activities

## ■ Spatial Overlapping

### ❖ A fault source generally passes through one or more area sources

### ❖ Those earthquakes counted in for a fault source should not be counted in for the area sources again that contain the fault source

- If a new fault source added, the seismicity of all surrounding area sources should be re-assessed



## ■ Practical Limits

- ❖ Important seismic parameters to be re-assessed
  - Annual rate, Richter-b,  $m_{max}$
- ❖ Difficulty in separation of earthquakes
  - Complete separation of earthquakes of a fault source from the surrounding area sources is impossible due to the uncertainties of the earthquake location and the subsurface structure of fault
  - Especially, the earthquake location is more uncertain for smaller and older earthquakes
  - There are some cases where all the large earthquakes, say, larger than  $M=6.5$  are attributed to fault sources
- ❖ Difficulty in the Quaternary faults in Korea
  - They have been identified solely based on surface geological investigation
  - There are big uncertainties in the seismic parameter assessed from the geological observation only

## ■ Valid Principles

### ❖ Axiomatic proposition

- There has been a fault. Therefore, finding out the fault does not change the past earthquake history.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{N_b} v_i^b = \sum_{j=1}^{N_a} v_j^a \quad (1)$$

- where  $N_b$  and  $v_i^b$  are the number of sources and annual rate of the  $i$ -th source **before** a new fault source is added, and
- $N_a$  and  $v_j^a$  are the number of sources and annual rate of the  $j$ -th source **after** a new fault source is added

### ❖ Limit of the axiomatic proposition

- It does not separate earthquakes themselves, but just annul rates
- Thus, it offers no information necessary for re-assessment of the Richter-b and  $m_{max}$

### ❖ Re-assessment of area sources

- Annual rates
  - Fault: annual rate can be estimated from the geodetic information or paleo-seismic survey
  - Area: annul rates of surrounding area sources can be corrected to the remaining amount of annual rate

## ■ Valid Principles

### ❖ Re-assessment of area sources (continued)

#### ➤ $m_{max}$

- Fault:  $m_{max}$  can be estimated from the geologic information
- Area:  $m_{max}$  of an area source is estimated from the earthquake catalog
  - Since the  $m_{max}$  estimate is sensitive to the large observed earthquakes, re-assessment of  $m_{max}$  of an area source is of particular importance after some large earthquake are assigned to a fault source
  - Re-assessment of  $m_{max}$  is possible only when earthquakes themselves were separated

#### ➤ Richter-b

- As long as earthquakes themselves are not separated, the re-assessment of the Richter-b is not possible
- Fortunately, the Richter-b varies little among seismic sources and the separation of earthquakes do not always results in the change of the Richter-b
- It is not so dangerous to use the Richter-b of nearby sources
- This procedure is valid for a fault source as well as an area source

# ■ Example Calculation of PSHA (Noh, 2023)

## ❖ Source map & sites

| Identification of fault | Source | $m_{\min}$ | $m_{\max}$ | $\nu_{m \geq 5}$ | Richter-b | Depth   | Dip   |
|-------------------------|--------|------------|------------|------------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| Before                  | Area   | 5.0        | 7.5        | 8.0E-2           | 1.0       | 5-20 km | -     |
| After                   | Area   | 5.0        | 6.0        | 3.0E-2           | 1.0       | 5-20 km | -     |
|                         | Fault  | 5.0        | 7.5        | 5.0E-2           | 1.0       | 5-20 km | 45°SE |

❖ GMM: Sadigh et al. (1997), no variability

❖ Spectral frequencies: PGA @ 100 Hz

❖ GM levels: 10 values at

➤ 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500 gals

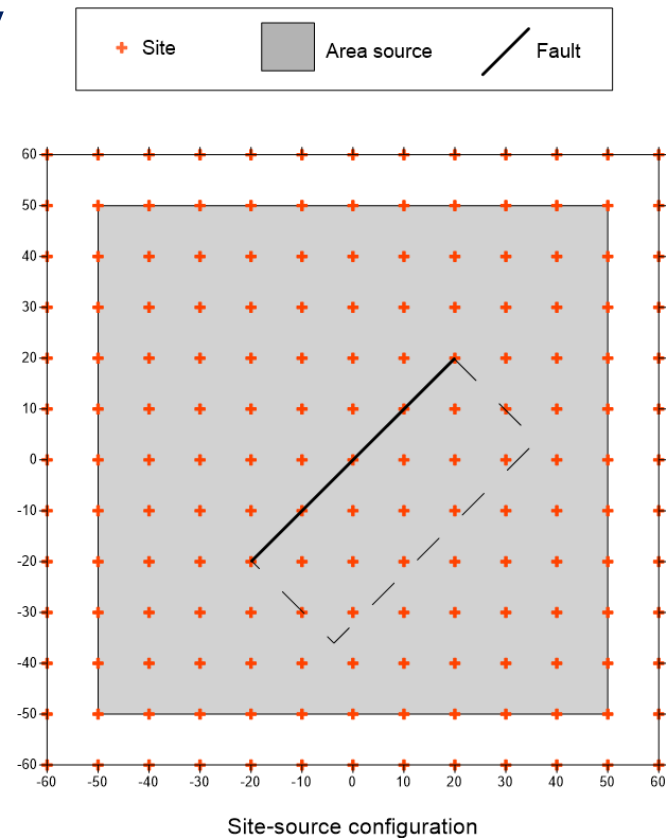
❖ Magnitude-Rupture relation

➤ For length (km):  $\log L = \frac{m}{2} - 1.85$

❖ Truncated exponential mag. distribution

❖ Uniform distribution for focal depths

❖ Aspect ratio: 2



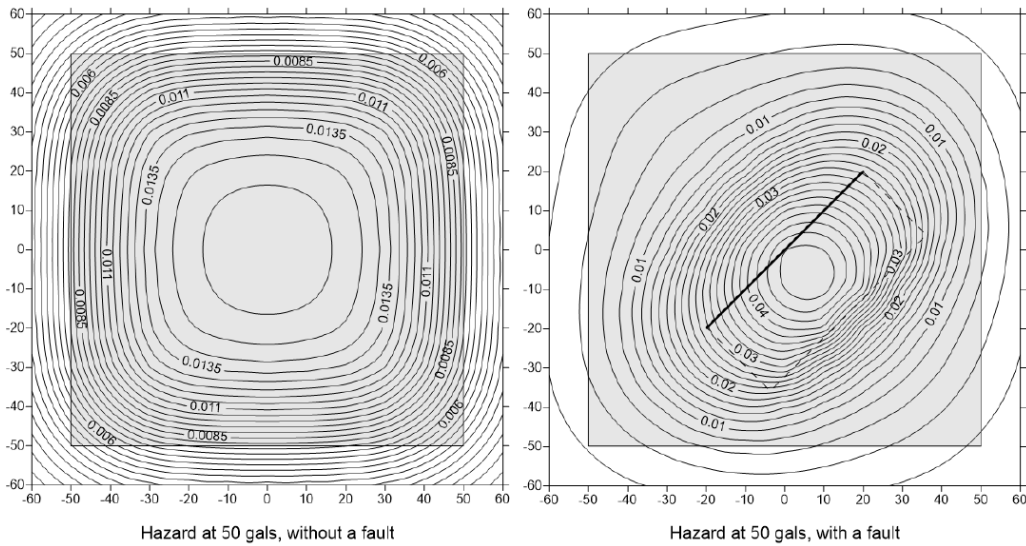


Fig. 2. Spatial distribution of hazard at 50 gals

Site A

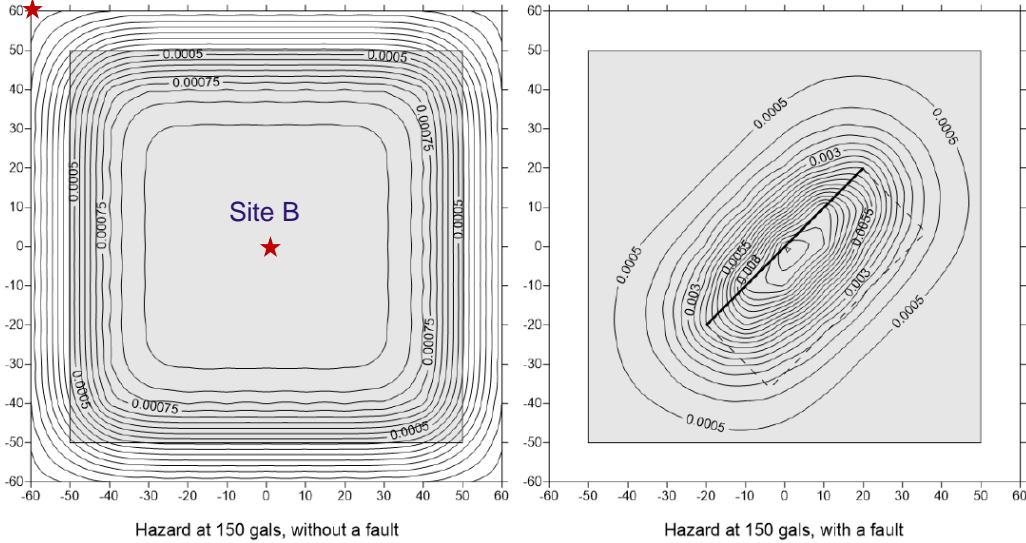
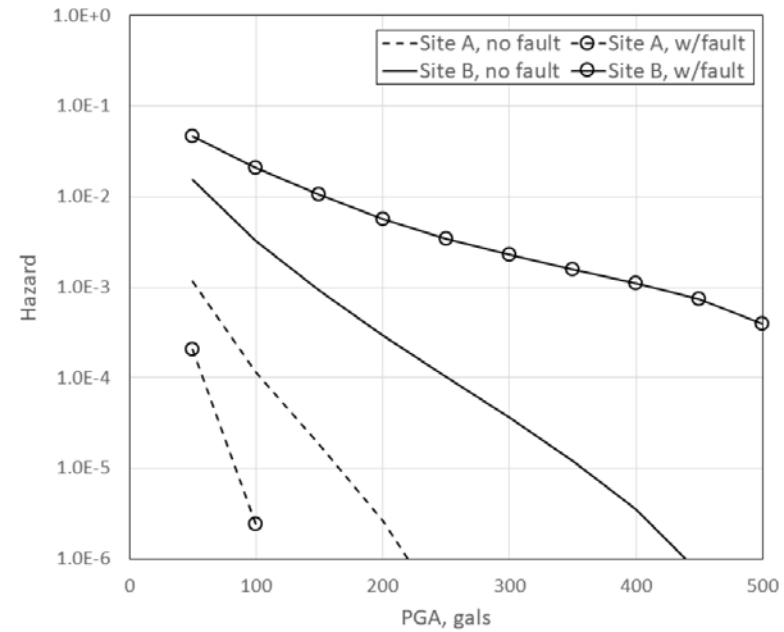


Fig. 3. Spatial distribution of hazard at 150 gals



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