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Ex 2 Poisson distribution

$$P[X_i = x_i] = \frac{\lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\lambda}$$

Likelihood function $\prod_{i=1}^n \frac{\lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\lambda}$

$$L(\lambda) = \prod_{i=1}^n \log \left(\frac{\lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} e^{-\lambda} \right) = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i \log \lambda - \lambda - \log x_i !) = \log \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n\lambda - \sum_{i=1}^n \log(x_i !)$$

$$L'(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{x}$$

Ex 3 Normal Case

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

$$\log f(x|\mu, \sigma^2) = -\log \sigma - \log \sqrt{2\pi} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{(x-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\text{Then log likelihood} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[-\log \sigma - \log \sqrt{2\pi} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{(x_i - \mu)^2}{\sigma^2} \right] = -n \log \sigma - n \log \sqrt{2\pi} - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial L(\mu, \sigma^2)}{\partial \mu} + \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \cdot 2 \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu) = 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu) = 0 \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{x}$$

$$\frac{\partial L(\mu, \sigma^2)}{\partial \sigma^2} = -\frac{n}{2} \frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \right)^2 \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{n}{2} \frac{1}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

Ex 4 Uniform distribution

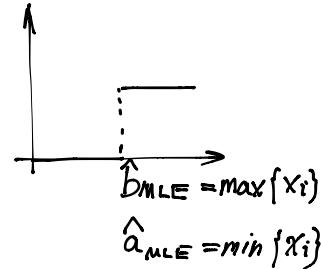
$X_i \sim \text{Unif}(a, b)$ X_i 's are independent

not differentiable

$$f(x|a, b) = \frac{1}{b-a} I\{a \leq x \leq b\} I\{x \geq a\} \Rightarrow \text{Likelihood} = \left(\frac{1}{b-a} \right) \prod_{i=1}^n I\{a \leq x_i \leq b\} \prod_{i=1}^n I\{x_i \geq a\}$$

$$I\{x \leq b\} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \leq b \\ 0 & \text{if } x > b \end{cases}$$

$$I\{x \geq a\} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \geq a \\ 0 & \text{if } x < a \end{cases}$$



$$\hat{a}_{MLE} = \hat{m}_1 - \sqrt{3} \sqrt{\hat{m}_2 - \hat{m}_1^2}$$

$$\hat{b}_{MLE} = \hat{m}_1 + \sqrt{3} \sqrt{\hat{m}_2 - \hat{m}_1^2}$$

Estimating the cell prob of a multinomial distribution

Sps we have n types. For each type prob. for a give individual of the population falling into type i is p_i

$$p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_n = 1$$

Suppose I collect x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n sample

$$f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n | p_1, p_2, \dots, p_m) = \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^n x_i!} \prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{x_i}$$

$$\text{Note } \sum_{i=1}^m p_i = 1$$

Should use Lagrange multiplier

Let the sample size be n , then $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_m = n$

$$\begin{aligned} G(\lambda, p_1, \dots, p_m) &= \log\left(\frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} \prod_{i=1}^m p_i^{x_i}\right) - \lambda(1 - \sum_{i=1}^m p_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \log p_i - \log \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} - \lambda(1 - \sum_{i=1}^m p_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial p_i} = x_i \cdot \frac{1}{p_i} + \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow p_i = -\frac{x_i}{\lambda}$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial \lambda} = 0 \Rightarrow 1 - \sum_{i=1}^m p_i = 0 \Rightarrow \sum p_i = 1 \Rightarrow \sum -\frac{x_i}{\lambda} = 1 \Rightarrow \lambda = -\sum x_i \Rightarrow \lambda = -n$$

Hardy-Weinberg Equilibrium

2 types of genes
 $P(A) = 1-\theta$
 $P(a) = \theta$

A	a	AA	Aa	aa
↓	↓	$(1-\theta)^2$	$2\theta(1-\theta)$	θ^2
Dominant	Recessive			

types
 $x_1 = \# \text{ of } AA$
 $x_2 = \dots - Aa$
 $x_3 = \dots aa$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = n$$

If I collect n persons & I call their geno

$$\text{likelihood} = \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} \prod_{i=1}^m p_i^{x_i} = \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} [(1-\theta)^2]^{x_1} [2\theta(1-\theta)]^{x_2} (\theta^2)^{x_3}$$

$$l(\theta) = \log \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} + 2x_1 \log(1-\theta) + x_2 \log(2\theta(1-\theta)) + 2x_3 \log \theta$$

$$l'(\theta) = \log \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^m x_i!} + (2x_1 + x_2) \log(1-\theta) + (2x_3 + x_2) \log \theta + x_2 \log 2$$

$$l'(\theta) = -\frac{2x_1 + x_2}{1-\theta} + \frac{2x_3 + x_2}{\theta} = 0$$

$$\text{Solve } l'(\theta) = 0 \Rightarrow (1-\theta)(2x_3 + x_2) = 2\theta(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \Rightarrow 2\theta(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) = 2x_3 + x_2 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{2x_3 + x_2}{2n}$$

Def : Consistency

If $\hat{\theta}$ is an estimate of θ . We can say $\hat{\theta}$ a consistent estimator if $P[|\hat{\theta} - \theta| > \epsilon] \rightarrow 0$ for any positive real number ϵ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\hat{\theta} \xrightarrow{P} \theta \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

Thm A: Under sufficient smoothness conditions of $f(x|\theta)$
 Then $\hat{\theta}_{MLE}$ is a consistent estimator of θ .

Sketch of proof: Note that $\hat{\theta}_{MLE}$ is a zero point of $l'(\theta)$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now } E[l'(\theta)] &= E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n \log(f(x_i|\theta_0))\right]' = \left[E\sum_{i=1}^n (\log f(x_i|\theta_0))'\right] = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{f'(x_i|\theta_0)}{f(x_i|\theta_0)}\right] \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^n E\left[\frac{f'(x_i|\theta_0)}{f(x_i|\theta_0)}\right] = \sum_{i=1}^n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f'(x|\theta_0)}{f(x|\theta_0)} \cdot f(x|\theta_0) dx = n \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f'(x|\theta_0) dx \\
&= n \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x|\theta_0) dx \right]' = n[1]' = 0 \quad \text{①}
\end{aligned}$$

On the other hand :

$$\text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{n} l'(\theta_0)\right] = \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}(l'(\theta_0)) = \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}\sum_{i=1}^n [\log f(x_i|\theta_0)]' = \frac{1}{n} \text{Var}[\log f(x_i|\theta_0)] \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{②}$$

① & ② implies $\frac{1}{n} l'(\theta_0) \approx 0$ since $\frac{1}{n} l'(\hat{\theta}_{MLE}) = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_{MLE} \xrightarrow{P} \theta_0$

Lemma $I(\theta) = E\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta)\right]^2$ ← fisher information

Then assume that X ~ f density and $f(x|\theta)$ is smooth

Then $I(\theta) = -E\left[\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \log f(x|\theta)\right]$

First observe that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial \log f(x|\theta)}{\partial \theta} f(x|\theta) dx = 0 \quad \textcircled{*}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Proof: } \textcircled{*} &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f'(x|\theta)}{f(x|\theta)} f(x|\theta) dx \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f'(x|\theta) dx = \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x|\theta) dx \right]' = 1' = 0
\end{aligned}$$

take derivative w.r.t. θ on the LHS of $\textcircled{*}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} [\text{LHS}] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) f(x|\theta) dx + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} f(x|\theta) dx$$

$$[fg]' = f'g + fg' \quad \text{B}$$

$$\text{Clearly } B = E\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta)\right] = 0 \quad \text{Q.E.D}$$

$$\text{Note that } \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) = \frac{f'(x|\theta)}{f(x|\theta)}$$

$$\text{Therefore } f'(x|\theta) = f(x|\theta) \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) f(x|\theta) \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) dx$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta) \right]^2 f(x|\theta) dx = E\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log f(x|\theta)\right]^2 = I(\theta)$$

Thm B: If $f(x|\theta)$ is sufficiently smooth and the data X_i 's are i.i.d.
 Then $\sqrt{n} I(\theta_0) [\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0] \xrightarrow{D} N(0, 1)$

Corollary: A $(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for θ_0 can be constructed as $\hat{\theta}_{MLE} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \sqrt{n} I(\hat{\theta}_{MLE})$
 ↴ cutoff for
 Standard normal

Proof: Taylor expansion of $I'(\theta)$ centered at θ_0 we obtain

$$I'(\theta) = I'(\theta_0) + I''(\theta_0)(\theta - \theta_0) + \text{small term}$$

Let $\theta = \hat{\theta}_{MLE}$ we have

$$0 = I'(\hat{\theta}_{MLE}) = I'(\theta_0) + I''(\theta_0)(\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0) + \text{small term} \Rightarrow -I'(\theta_0) \approx I''(\theta_0)(\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0)$$

$$\sqrt{n} (\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0) \approx -\frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} I'(\theta_0)}{\frac{1}{n} I''(\theta_0)}$$

Notice that $\frac{1}{n} I''(\theta_0) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\frac{\partial \log f(x_i | \theta_0)}{\partial \theta^2} \right]$ According to the law of large numbers

$$\xrightarrow{P} E \left[\frac{\partial \log f(x_i | \theta_0)}{\partial \theta^2} \right] = -I(\theta_0)$$

first, note that $E[I'(\theta_0)] = 0$ (Check notes)

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} I'(\theta_0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \log f(x_i | \theta_0)}{\partial \theta}$$

Since $E[I'(\theta_0)] = 0$ Now we apply the classic central limit theorem

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} I'(\theta_0) \xrightarrow{P} N(0, \sigma^2) \text{ where } \sigma^2 = \text{Var}\left(\frac{\partial \log f(x_i | \theta_0)}{\partial \theta}\right) = I(\theta)$$

$$\text{Hence } \sqrt{n} (\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0) \approx \frac{N(0, I(\theta_0))}{\sqrt{n} I(\theta_0)} = N(0, \frac{1}{I(\theta_0)})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} I(\hat{\theta}_0) (\hat{\theta}_{MLE} - \theta_0) \xrightarrow{D} N(0, 1)$$

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