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$X_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Pois}(\lambda), \lambda > 0$ . Use only the definition of sufficiency to prove that  $T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  is sufficient for  $\lambda$

Class Definition: A statistic  $T$  is sufficient if the distribution of  $X|T$  does not depend on  $\theta$ .

Because the  $X_i$ s are independent, the sum is also Poisson:  $T(X) \sim \text{Pois}(n\lambda)$

$$P(\underset{\sim}{\mathbf{X}} = \underset{\sim}{\mathbf{x}} | T(\underset{\sim}{X})) = \frac{P(\underset{\sim}{\mathbf{X}} = \underset{\sim}{\mathbf{x}})}{P(T(\underset{\sim}{X}) = t)} = \frac{\prod \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!}}{\frac{e^{-n\lambda} (n\lambda)^t}{t!}} = \frac{e^{-n\lambda} \lambda^{\sum x_i} t!}{\prod x_i! e^{-n\lambda} n^t \lambda^t}$$

We defined above that in this case,  $t = \sum x_i$ , otherwise the above is zero/doesn't mean anything:

$$\therefore = \frac{\lambda^{\sum x_i} t!}{\prod x_i! n^t \lambda^{\sum x_i}} = \frac{t!}{\prod x_i! n^{\sum x_i}}$$

That final expression does not depend on  $\lambda$ , thus  $T(X) = \sum x_i$  is a sufficient statistic.

## 2 CB2 6.1

$X$  is one observation from  $N(0, \sigma^2)$ . Is  $|X|$  a sufficient statistic?

WE can ignore the front coefficient that only depends on  $\sigma^2$ :

$$X = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}} \text{ with } \mu = 0 \implies X = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

Because the mean is 0, that leaves only  $x^2$  in the numerator of the exponent, which we can also rewrite as  $|x|^2$ , thus:

$$X = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{|x|^2}{2\sigma^2}} = g(T(X), \sigma^2) h(x), h(x) = 1$$

Because we can factor it, that means  $T(X) = |X|$  is a sufficient statistic (though I think that only holds when  $\mu = 0$ ).

## 3 CB2 6.2

$$f_{X_i}(x|\theta) = \begin{cases} e^{i\theta - x} & x \geq i\theta \\ 0 & x < i\theta \end{cases}$$

Prove that  $T = \min_i(\frac{X_i}{i})$  is a sufficient statistic for  $\theta$

$$f(\underset{\sim}{\mathbf{x}}|\theta) = \prod e^{i\theta - x} I_{(x_i \geq i\theta)}$$

For the indicator to hold, we need all  $x_i \geq i\theta$ , which means we just need the  $\min(x_i) \geq \theta$ , so we can plug in  $\min(x_i)$  in that portion:

$$= e^{i\theta - \sum x_i} I_{x_{i(1)} \geq i\theta} = \underbrace{[e^{i\theta} I_{x_{i(1)} \geq i\theta}]}_{= g(T(X), \theta)} e^{-\sum x_i} = g(T(X), \theta) h(x)$$

## 4 CB2 6.6

$X \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$ . Find a 2D sufficient statistic

Gamma is an exponential family, so we can just put it into exponential family form:

$$L(\alpha, \beta | X) \propto \prod x_i^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x_i} = \prod e^{(\alpha-1) \ln(x_i) - \beta x_i} = e^{(\alpha-1) \sum \ln(x_i) - \beta \sum x_i}$$

The sufficient statistics are all the  $T_i(X)$  in the exponent, so the sufficient statistic is:

$$T(X) = (\sum x_i, \sum \ln(x_i))$$

## 5 CB2 6.13

$X_1, X_2 \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \alpha x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x^\alpha}, x > 0, \alpha > 0$ . Show that  $\frac{\ln(X_1)}{\ln(X_2)}$  is ancillary.

$$\text{Let } y = \ln(x) \implies f(y|\alpha) = \alpha(e^y)^{\alpha-1} e^{-(e^y)^\alpha} e^y = \alpha e^{\alpha y - y + y - e^{y\alpha}} = \alpha e^{\alpha y - e^{y\alpha}}$$

This can be rewritten as a scale-family:  $\frac{1}{1/\alpha} e^{\frac{y}{1/\alpha} - e^{(\frac{y}{1/\alpha})}}$

This is a scale transformation of some variable  $Z$  which is not dependent on  $\alpha$  (ie.  $Z \sim e^{z-e^{-z}}$ )

Thus:  $\frac{\ln(X_1)}{\ln(X_2)} = \frac{Y_1}{Y_2} = \frac{(1/\alpha)Z_1}{(1/\alpha)Z_2} = \frac{Z_1}{Z_2}$ . This does not depend on  $\alpha$ , thus  $\frac{\ln(X_1)}{\ln(X_2)}$  is an ancillary statistic.

## 6 6

$X \sim \text{Pois}(\lambda)$ . Cannot use 6.2.25, the theorem of completeness for exponential families.

i) Show that  $T(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  is a complete statistic when  $\lambda > 0$

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ii) Show that for any integer  $r > 0$ :  $\mathbb{E}[X_i(X_i-1)(X_i-2)\dots(X_i-r+1)] = \lambda^r$

$$\mathbb{E}[X_i(X_i-1)(X_i-2)\dots(X_i-r+1)] = \mathbb{E}[X_i] \mathbb{E}[X_i-1] \mathbb{E}[X_i-2]\dots \mathbb{E}[X_i-r+1] = \mathbb{E}[X_i](\mathbb{E}[X_i]-1)(\mathbb{E}[X_i]-2)\dots(\mathbb{E}[X_i]-r+1) = \lambda(\lambda-1)(\lambda-2)\dots(\lambda-r+1) = \frac{\lambda!}{(\lambda-r)!}$$

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iii) Restrict  $\lambda \in 1, 3$ . Show that the  $T(X)$  from part (i) is not a complete statistic.

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## 7 CB2 6.15

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## 8 CB2 6.22

$$f(x|\theta) = \theta x^{\theta-1}$$

a) Is  $\sum X_i$  a sufficient statistic?

$$L(\theta|x) = \prod \theta x_i^{\theta-1} = \theta^n \prod e^{(\theta-1)\ln(x_i)} = \theta^n e^{(\theta-1)\sum \ln(x_i)}$$

$\sum \ln(x_i)$  is sufficient, but there is no direct linear transformation to  $\sum x_i$ , meaning  $\sum x_i$  is not sufficient.

b) FINISH MEEEEEE