

In Class: Feb 10

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$X_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \text{Pareto}(\theta_1, \theta_2) : f(x|\theta) = \frac{\theta_1 \theta_2^{\theta_1-1}}{x^{\theta_1+1}}; x > \theta_2; \theta_1, \theta_2 > 0$

Find the sufficient statistic for  $\theta = (\theta_1, \theta_2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} L(\theta|x) &= \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{\theta_1 \theta_2^{\theta_1-1}}{x_i^{\theta_1+1}} I(x > \theta_2) \\ &= \theta_1^n \theta_2^{n(\theta_1-1)} \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{x_i^{\theta_1+1}} I(x > \theta_2) \\ &= \theta_1^n \theta_2^{n(\theta_1-1)} e^{\ln(\sum x_i^{-(\theta_1+1)} I(x > \theta_2))} \\ &= \theta_1^n \theta_2^{n(\theta_1-1)} e^{-(\theta_1+1) \sum \ln(x_i) + I(x > \theta_2)} \end{aligned}$$

Using what we talked about in class of the  $T(x)$  being in the exponent, we have the two pieces:  $\sum \ln(x_i)$  and  $x > \theta_2$ . The second term can be simplified to just needing the minimum of  $x$  to be greater than  $\theta_2$ :

$$\therefore T(\theta) = (\sum \ln(x_i), x_{(1)})$$