

$$< \frac{\pi^2}{6} n^2$$

empirical dist'nⁿ with $x_1, \dots, x_n \sim F$. setting x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n

Define $F_n^*(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < X_{(1)} \\ k/n & \text{if } X_{(k)} \leq x < X_{(k+1)} \\ 1 & \text{if } X_{(n)} \leq x \end{cases}$

It $\omega: x_1(\omega), x_2(\omega), \dots, x_n(\omega)$ fixed $\Rightarrow x_{(1)}(\omega), x_{(2)}(\omega), \dots$ fixed.
 $F_n^*(x)$ is a discrete random variable. $\left\{0, \frac{1}{n}, \dots, 1\right\}$ then.

Prob for fixed a given $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$P(F_n^*(x) = \frac{k}{n}) = P(X_{(k)} \leq x < X_{(k+1)})$$

$$= P(\text{Exactly } k \text{ R.V. take value } \leq x \text{ \& rest } > x)$$

$$= \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

$$= \binom{n}{k} (F(x))^k (1-F(x))^{n-k}$$

$$= {}^nC_k p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

eg: $x_1, x_2, x_3 \sim \exp(\lambda)$ for $\lambda > 0$

for fixed $\omega_1 \in \Omega$ $x_1(\omega_1) = 0.3$ $x_2(\omega_1) = 0.2$,
 $x_3(\omega_1) = 4$

let $x = 0.5$

$$\therefore x_{(1)}(\omega_1) = 0.2, x_{(2)}(\omega_1) = 0.3, x_{(3)}(\omega_1) = 4$$

$$F_n^*(x, \omega_1) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$x_1(\omega_2) = 0.6, x_2(\omega_2) = 0.9, x_3(\omega_2) = 0.1 \Rightarrow$$

$$F_n^*(x, \omega_2) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore E[F_n^*(x)] = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{k}{n} \cdot {}^nC_k \cdot p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$

$$= p = F(x)$$

$$\text{var}(F_n^*(x)) = \sum \left(\frac{k}{n}\right)^2 \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} - (E F_n^*(x))^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \left(\sum k^2 \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{F(x)(1-F(x))}{n} \leq \frac{1}{4n}$$

For larger n , $\text{var} \rightarrow 0$.

By weak law of large numbers.

$$P(|F_n^*(x) - F(x)| > \varepsilon) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } x \uparrow \infty \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0.$$

→ If functional form of F is known
eg: F is Gaussian $(0, \sigma^2)$ — not known!

→ Parameters ~~estimation~~ ^{Point} estimation.

eg: $x \sim \exp(\lambda)$ i.e. $f_x(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^+$
 $= 0$ otherwise

Exponential dist. has single parameter $\lambda > 0$.

Poisson R.V. $P(X=k) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} \quad \forall k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$
 Parameters $\lambda > 0$.

→ Gaussian R.V.

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

Parameters (μ, σ^2)

where $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ &
 $\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}^+$

→ Binomial R.V.

$$P(X=K) = \binom{n}{K} p^K (1-p)^{n-K}$$

Parameters (p, n)

where $p \in [0, 1]$ & $n \in \mathbb{N}$

If moment gen. funcⁿ exist, distribuⁿ can be found out.

eg: All moments of Gaussian are $f(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

Parameters point estimⁿ.

Setup: gives: x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n i.i.d s.t. $x_i \sim F$
 with functional form of F is known. However, exact parameter value are unknown.

Statistic:

Defⁿ: A fn $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_k$ is called a statistic if a R.v. $T(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ doesn't contain any unknown parameters.

eg: $T(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - \mu)^2$ (var)
 \Rightarrow Not a statistic.

$$T(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k^2 - \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k \right)^2 \text{ - statistic.}$$

$$\rightarrow E[x^2] - (E[x])^2$$

Let distr. F has parameters $\vec{\theta}$.

Θ denotes parameters space

eg: exponential $\vec{\theta} = \lambda$

Gaussian $\vec{\theta} = (\mu, \sigma^2)$

Binomial $\vec{\theta} = (p, n)$

Geometric $\vec{\theta} = p$

Uniform $\vec{\theta} = [a, b]$

$$\Theta = \mathbb{R}^+$$

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$$\Theta = [0, 1] \times \mathbb{N}$$

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Defⁿ: A statistic $S(\vec{x})$ is said to be a point estimator of $\vec{\theta}$ if $S: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \Theta$

$$\vec{x} = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n] \rightarrow \text{P.V.s.}$$

Ideally $S(\vec{x})$ should be the actual parameter value.
 goodness of S to actual parameter \Rightarrow

$$|S(\vec{x}) - \vec{\theta}|^2 \rightarrow \text{R.v.}$$

Fixed unknown

$$\Rightarrow E_{\theta} [|g(\vec{x}) - \theta|^2] = MSE_{\theta}(g)$$

$$x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \sim \exp(1/\lambda) \text{ i.i.d.}$$

$$g(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k$$

For $\lambda = 1$

$$E_{\lambda} [|g(\vec{x}) - 1|^2] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \dots \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k - 1 \right]^2 \prod_{k=1}^n 1 \cdot e^{-x_k} dx_1 \dots dx_n$$

likewise
check for
diff. samples

\therefore For given θ ,

$MSE_{\theta}(g)$ shud be as small as possible.

\therefore Want estimator g to have small $MSE_{\theta}(g)$ for every $\theta \in \Theta$. I want g^* s.t. \forall

$\theta \in \Theta$ $MSE_{\theta}(g^*) \leq MSE_{\theta}(g)$ for any other estimator g .

eg: $\Theta = \mathbb{R}$
 $g_1(\vec{x}) = 1$

this estimator minimize MSE for $\theta = 1$

$$g_2(\vec{x}) = 2$$

minimize for $\theta = 2$

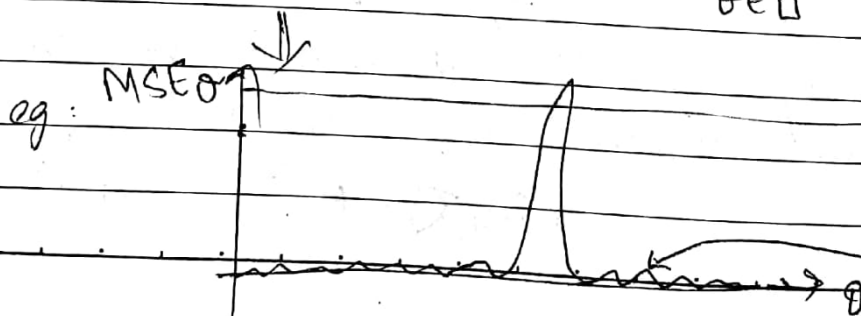
\therefore try minimize $MSE(g) \forall \theta \in \Theta$

(or) $\sup_{\theta \in \Theta} MSE_{\theta}(g)$

Thus, restrict the class of estimators.

Find g s.t. $MSE_{\theta}(g) \leq MSE_{\theta}(g')$
 \forall estimator g' & $\forall \theta \in \Theta$

$$\Rightarrow \sup_{\theta \in \Theta} MSE_{\theta}(g) \leq \sup_{\theta \in \Theta} MSE_{\theta}(g')$$



\rightarrow This'd be preferred than

Other criteria: $P_\theta (|\delta(\vec{x}) - \theta| \leq \epsilon)$

Else: take θ as R.V.: its distribun given by B. distribn

Atleast, $E_\theta [\delta(\vec{x})] = \theta$.

eg: Bernoulli R.V. $\Rightarrow \theta = [0, 1]$.

Let $\delta(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k \rightarrow$ statistic.

$$E_\theta [\delta(\vec{x})] = \int_0^1 \theta \cdot \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k \right) d\theta$$

$$E_\theta [\delta(\vec{x})] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n E_\theta [x_k] = p \quad \forall p \in [0, 1]$$

Since $\delta(\vec{x})$ is estimator $[p \Rightarrow \theta]$.

$\delta(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k^2 \rightarrow$ also satisfies

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x_k^2 =$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MSE}_\theta(\delta) &= E_\theta [|\delta(\vec{x}) - \theta|^2] \\ &= E_\theta [(\delta(\vec{x}) - E_\theta(\delta(\vec{x})))^2 + (E_\theta(\delta(\vec{x})) - \theta)^2] \end{aligned}$$

$$= E_\theta [(\delta(\vec{x}) - E_\theta[\delta(\vec{x})])^2]$$

$$= \text{Var}_\theta(\delta(\vec{x}))$$

\therefore Best estimator minimizes the variance.

general case: $\text{MSE}_\theta(\vec{\delta}) = (\text{Var}_\theta(\delta(\vec{x}))) + ((E_\theta[\delta(\vec{x})] - \theta))^2$

True for any δ

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Bias f^n

Unbiased estimator can've small var.