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Sampling Distributions

Population

In any statistical distribution ~~that~~ we are interested in studying the various characteristics of individuals (Items) of a particular group. This group of individuals under study is known as population. Any population can be considered as the set of admissible values of a random variable. The distribution of this random variable is called the distribution of population. ~~If we~~

Eg: If we want to study the expenditure habit of the family in a city then the population will consist of whole the household in that city.

A population contains finite no. of objects or items is known as finite population.

Eg: ~~the~~ students in a college \rightarrow population in a city

Population having ^{finite} and ^{infinite} no. of objects or with the no. of objects so large, termed as ~~infinite~~ infinite population.

Eg:- The population of temperature at the various part of the atmosphere.

Sampling

A finite subset of population, selected from it due to the objective of investigating its characteristics is called a sample. A sample is a representative part of population.

Eg:- When we want to study the life of electrical bulbs produce by a company, we select some of bulbs and study their depth of life.

Large and small samples

When the sample space is more than 30, the sample is known as large sample otherwise small sample.

Statistic and Parameters

Any measure (function) calculated on the basis of population values is called parameter.

Eg:- population mean (μ), population variance (σ^2), population standard deviation (σ), population correlation coefficient (ρ -corr)

Any measure (function) calculated on the basis of sample values is called statistics.

Eg:- Sample mean (\bar{X}), sample variance (S^2), sample SD (S), sample correlation coefficient (r).

Sampling Distribution

Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample taken from the population under investigation. We can consider the random observations as independent random variables following the same distribution of the population.

Let, $t = g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ be a function of this random variable, ~~which~~ also a random variable.

The probability distribution of \bar{x} is called sampling distribution of \bar{x} .

In other words, let us say by a sample variable we mean the distribution of a statistic. If

if \bar{x} is a statistic, its sampling distribution is denoted by $f(\bar{x})$.

1. Find the probability that the number of heads

lies in the range 185 and 220 when a coin

is tossed 400 times.

Ans: n is large $P \approx 1$

0.9104

$$\bar{x} \sim N\left(m, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$$

$$E(\bar{x}) = m$$

$$E(\sqrt{SE}) = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Standard Error (SE)

If \bar{x} is a statistic with sampling distribution $f(\bar{x})$, then standard error (SE) of \bar{x} is given by

$$SE(\bar{x}) = \sqrt{v(\bar{x})}$$

$$\text{where, } v(\bar{x}) = E(\bar{x}^2) - (E(\bar{x}))^2$$

Standard Error of sample mean

Suppose, the population variance is σ^2

x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n are sample points

$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}$$

$$v(\bar{x}) = v\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}\right)$$

$$= v\left(\frac{x_1}{n} + \frac{x_2}{n} + \dots + \frac{x_n}{n}\right)$$

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$$= \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 v(x_1) + \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 v(x_2) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2 v(x_n)$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{n^2} + \frac{\sigma^2}{n^2} + \dots + \frac{\sigma^2}{n^2}$$

$$= n \frac{\sigma^2}{n^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

$$SE(\bar{x}) = \sqrt{V(\bar{x})}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n}}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$SE(\bar{x}) = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}, \text{ where } \sigma \text{ is the population SD.}$$

Sampling Distribution of sampling Mean

$$E(\bar{x}) = E\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}\right)$$

$$= E\left(\frac{x_1}{n} + \frac{x_2}{n} + \dots + \frac{x_n}{n}\right)$$

$$= E\left(\frac{x_1}{n}\right) + E\left(\frac{x_2}{n}\right) + \dots + E\left(\frac{x_n}{n}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} E(x_1) + \frac{1}{n} E(x_2) + \dots + \frac{1}{n} E(x_n)$$

$$= \frac{M}{n} + \frac{M}{n} + \dots + \frac{M}{n}$$

$$= n \cdot \frac{M}{n}$$

$$= M$$

$$E(\bar{x}) = M$$

$$V(\bar{x}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$

Consider a normal distribution population with

mean (M) and variance (σ^2). Then the sample mean \bar{x}

has the normal distribution with mean (M) and var-

iance ($\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$) i.e. Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be a random

sampling from,

$$N(M, \sigma^2)$$

then \bar{x} will follow $N(M, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n} \sim N\left(M, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$$

Therefore, $\bar{x} \sim N\left(M, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$

$$\frac{\bar{x} - M}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$= (\bar{x} - M) \times \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sigma}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - M)}{\sigma}$$

→ Distribution of test statistics function of

samples or sample points

- sample Distribution

eg: \bar{x}

→ Normal + Normal = Normal

$$x + y \sim N(m_1 + m_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

$$\rightarrow x + y \sim N(m_1 + m_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

$$\rightarrow x - y \sim N(m_1 - m_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$$

Examples

$$1) t = \frac{\bar{x} - m}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$2) t = \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2 - (m_1 - m_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}}$$

where \bar{x}_1 and \bar{x}_2 be the sample means

of size n_1 & n_2 from the population

$N(m_1, \sigma_1^2)$ and $N(m_2, \sigma_2^2)$ respectively.

Uses of Sampling distribution of \bar{z}

$$\frac{\bar{z} - m}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$\frac{(m - \bar{x}) \sqrt{n}}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$$

χ^2 - Distribution (Chi-Square Distribution)

It is another sample distribution.

continuous random variable chi-square (χ^2)

is said to follow chi-square (χ^2) distribution

if z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n are independent standard normal variates

$$f(\chi^2) = \frac{1}{2^{n/2} \Gamma(n/2)} e^{-\chi^2/2} (\chi^2)^{n/2-1}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{n}{2}}$$

we write, $\chi^2 \sim \chi^2(n)$

If \bar{z} follows a standard normal distribution,

then \bar{z}^2 follows chi-square (χ^2) distribution

with one degree of freedom ($n=1$)

Since,

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Since } \left(\frac{\bar{x} - m}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} \right)^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$$

$$y = z \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$\text{then, } z^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$$

Confounder (a) $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2$ $\sim \chi^2_{(n+1)}$ $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$

2) Additive property (known as 1.1)

If the square (χ^2_1) & χ^2_2 have independent χ^2 distributions with n_1 and n_2 degrees of freedom. Respectively. Then χ^2_1 & χ^2_2 will have a χ^2 distribution with $n_1 + n_2$ degrees of freedom. That is, $\chi^2_1 + \chi^2_2 \sim \chi^2_{(n_1 + n_2)}$

if, $\chi^2_1 \sim \chi^2_{(n_1)}$ and $\chi^2_2 \sim \chi^2_{(n_2)}$ and they are independent, then $\chi^2_1 + \chi^2_2$ follows, $\chi^2_{(n_1 + n_2)}$

(1) $\chi^2 \sim \left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \right)$ $\sim \chi^2_{(n-1)}$

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Student's t-distribution

A continuous random variable assuming values from $-\infty$ to $+\infty$ with probability distribution function equal to,

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n} \Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \left(1 + \frac{t^2}{n} \right)^{-\frac{(n+1)}{2}}$$

$$-\infty < t < \infty$$

t statistics

If the random variables Z follows, $N(0,1)$ and V follows $\chi^2_{(n)}$ and Z and V are independent then the statistics defined by

$$t = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{\frac{V}{n}}}$$

follows Student's 't' distribution with 'n' degrees of freedom.

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Then, $Z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$ (Standard Normal)

Let $\chi^2 = \frac{n s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1)$ (Chi-square)

$$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{\frac{n s^2}{\sigma^2}}}$$

$$= \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n-1}}} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$= \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n-1}}} \times \frac{\sqrt{n-1} \times \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}$$

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Uses of t Distribution

The variable 't' is a static statistic and it is used in many tests of hypothesis. These tests are known as 't' test. And, use,

1) To test the given population mean when sample size is small

2) To test whether the 2 samples have same mean when samples are small.

3) To test whether there is difference in the observations of the 2 dependent samples.

4) To test the significance of population correlation coefficient.

Uses of χ^2 Distribution

1) To test the given population variance when sample size is small.

2) To test the goodness of fit between expected observed and expected frequencies.

3) To test the independence of 2 attributes.

4) To test the homogeneity of data.

F-Distribution

F stands for Fisher - F-ratios of modern statistics

A random variate F is said to follow F distribution if its probability function is,

$$P(F) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{n_1}{n_2}\right)^{\frac{n_1}{2}} F^{\frac{n_2}{2}-1} \left(1 + \frac{n_1}{n_2} F\right)^{-\frac{(n_1+n_2)}{2}} & 0 < F < \infty \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

We denote, $F \sim F(n_1, n_2)$

Uses of F-Distribution

F -Statistics is used for test of hypothesis. The test conducted on the basis of F -statistic is called F -test. F -test can be used to

1. Test the equality of variances of 2 populations when samples are small.

2. Test the equality of means of 3 or more populations.

ANOVA (Analysis of Variance)

F-Statistics

Let U follows $\chi^2(n_1)$ and V follows $\chi^2(n_2)$ and U & V are independent.

Then, $F = \frac{U/n_1}{V/n_2} \sim F(n_1, n_2)$

Sample 1: $U = \frac{n_1 s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n_1-1)$ Sample 2: $V = \frac{n_2 s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n_2-1)$

$$F = \frac{\left(\frac{n_1 s^2}{\sigma^2}\right) / n_1}{\left(\frac{n_2 s^2}{\sigma^2}\right) / n_2} \sim F(n_1-1, n_2-1)$$

Relations b/w Normal, chi-square, t & F Distn

→ When X follows a normal distribution with

mean μ & SD $= \sigma$. Then,

$Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma}$ follows standard normal.

→ when Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_k are k standard normal variables then, $(Z_1^2 + Z_2^2 + \dots + Z_k^2) \sim \chi^2(k)$

$\sum_{i=1}^k Z_i^2$ follows chi-square distribution

with k degrees of freedom

\rightarrow If Z follows standard normal distribution

and Y follows chi-square with k degrees of freedom then,

$\frac{Z}{\sqrt{Y/k}}$ follows t distribution with k degrees of freedom.

\rightarrow If Y_1 & Y_2 are χ^2 variance with n_1 & n_2 degrees of freedom. Then,

$\frac{Y_1/n_1}{Y_2/n_2}$ follows F distribution with

n_1 & n_2 degrees of freedom.

Questions

1. For a continuous random variable $P(a < X \leq b)$ is,

- a) $F(b) - F(a)$
- b) $F(a) - F(b)$
- c) $F(b+h) - F(a-h)$
- d) $F(b+h) - F(a+h)$

2. Sampling variance of mean based on a sample of size n is,

- A) $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$
- B) $\frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{n}}$
- C) σ^2/n
- D) σ^2/\sqrt{n}

3. For a poisson distribution with parameter 4, variance is,

- a) 2
- b) 4
- c) 16
- d) 8



4. For a binomial distribution the mean is 6, & variance is 3 then n is -

5. If X follows standard normal then X^2 follows

- A) F distribution
- B) Chi-square distribution
- C) Normal distribution
- D) t -Distribution

6. Binomial distribution with parameters p is symmetric when,

$p = \frac{1}{2}$

a) $P < 1/2$

b) $P > 1/2$

b) $P \geq 1/2$

7. 5th central moment of normal distribution is

a) 1

c) $5\sigma^2$

b) 0

d) $\frac{8\sigma^5}{15} + 3\sigma^2$

Answers

b) $F(b) - F(a)$

d) σ^2/n

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4. $NP = 6$

$NPq = 3$

$Gq = 3$

$1 = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$

$P = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

$n \times \frac{1}{2} = 6$

$n = \frac{6}{1/2} = 12$

$6 \times 2 = 12$



5. chi-square distribution

a) $P = 1/2$

7. odd order central moment is zero

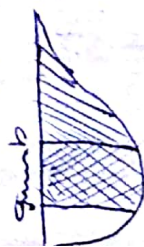
b) = 0

1. $F(x) = P(X \leq x)$

$F(b) = P(X \leq b)$

$F(a) = P(X \leq a)$

$= F(b) - F(a)$



Central Limit Theorem

Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be n independent

random variables. Let all have same distribution,

same mean. say μ and same standard

deviation, σ . Then the mean of all these

variables $\frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n}$ follows a normal

distribution with mean μ and $SD = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

when n is large.