

Let  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n$  be iid with probability density function

$$f(y) = \theta y^{\theta-1} \text{ for } 0 < y < 1; \theta > 0$$

Define the random variables  $W_i$ ,  $\bar{W}$  and  $Z$  as

$$W_i = -\ln Y_i, \quad \bar{W} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n W_i, \quad Z = 2\theta \sum_{i=1}^n W_i$$

- (a) Show that  $W_1$  has an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ .
- (b) Find the probability density function for  $Z$ .
- (c) Find  $P[W_1 > 1]$  and  $P[W_1 < 1 \text{ and } W_1 + W_2 > 1]$ . Then write an explicit double integral giving  $P[\sum_{i=1}^m W_i < 1 \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^{m+1} W_i > 1]$  for  $m < n$ .
- (d) Find the mean and variance of  $\bar{W}$ .
- (e) Find the mean of  $\frac{1}{\bar{W}}$ .
- (f) Find the limiting distribution of  $\sqrt{n} \left( \frac{1}{\bar{W}} - \theta \right)$ .

- (a) Show that  $W_1$  has an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ .

$W_1 = -\ln Y_1$ . The transformation function  $h$  is  $h(y_1) = -\ln y_1$ . The function  $h(y_1)$  is a decreasing function for all  $y_1$  in the support  $0 < y_1 < 1$ . Thus, we can find the probability density function  $f_{W_1}(w_1)$  using the formula

$$f_{W_1}(w_1) = f_{Y_1}(h^{-1}(w_1)) \left| \frac{\partial h^{-1}}{\partial w_1} \right|$$

Since  $w_1 = -\ln y_1$ ,  $y_1 = e^{-w_1}$  giving

$$f_{W_1}(w_1) = f_{Y_1}(e^{-w_1}) | -e^{-w_1}| = \theta(e^{-w_1})^{\theta-1} e^{-w_1} = \theta(e^{-w_1})^\theta = \theta e^{-\theta w_1}$$

The support of  $w_1$  ranges from 0 to  $\infty$ . Therefore,  $W_1$  has an exponential distribution with mean parameter  $\theta^{-1}$ .

- (b) Find the probability density function for  $Z$ .

By part (a), we have the random variables  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$  are iid from an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ . The moment generating function of  $W_i$  is

$$m_{W_i}(t) = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\theta}\right)^{-1}$$

for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . Let  $U = \sum_{i=1}^n W_i$ . Using the independence of  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$ , the moment generating function of  $U$  is

$$m_U(t) = m_{W_1}(t)m_{W_2}(t)\cdots m_{W_n}(t) = \left(\left(1 - \frac{t}{\theta}\right)^{-1}\right)^n = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\theta}\right)^{-n}$$

The random variable  $Z = 2\theta U$ . The moment generating function of  $Z$  will therefore be

$$m_Z(t) = m_U(2\theta t) = \left(1 - \frac{2\theta t}{\theta}\right)^{-n} = (1 - 2t)^{-n}$$

The moment generating function of  $Z$  is the same as the moment generating function for a  $\chi^2$  random variable with  $\nu = 2n$  degrees of freedom. Therefore, the probability density function for  $Z$  is

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

- (c) Find  $P[W_1 > 1]$  and  $P[W_1 < 1 \text{ and } W_1 + W_2 > 1]$ . Then write an explicit double integral giving  $P[\sum_{i=1}^m W_i < 1 \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^{m+1} W_i > 1]$  for  $m < n$ .

By part (a), we have the random variable  $W_1$  has an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ . Therefore,

$$P(W_1 > 1) = \int_1^\infty \theta e^{-\theta w_1} dw_1 = -e^{-\theta w_1}|_1^\infty = e^{-\theta}$$

Also by part (a), we have the random variables  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are iid from an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ . Therefore, the joint density function of  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  is

$$f_{W_1, W_2}(w_1, w_2) = f_{W_1}(w_1)f_{W_2}(w_2) = \theta e^{-\theta w_1}\theta e^{-\theta w_2} = \theta^2 e^{-\theta(w_1+w_2)}$$

We can calculate the needed probability as

$$\begin{aligned} P(W_1 < 1, W_1 + W_2 > 1) &= P(W_1 < 1, W_2 > 1 - W_1) \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_{1-w_1}^\infty \theta^2 e^{-\theta(w_1+w_2)} dw_2 dw_1 \\ &= \int_0^1 \theta^2 e^{-\theta w_1} \left( -\frac{1}{\theta} e^{-\theta w_2}|_{1-w_1}^\infty \right) dw_1 \\ &= \int_0^1 \theta e^{-\theta w_1} e^{-\theta(1-w_1)} dw_1 \\ &= \int_0^1 \theta e^{-\theta} dw_1 \\ &= \theta e^{-\theta} (w_1|_0^1) \\ &= \theta e^{-\theta} \end{aligned}$$

By part (a), we have the random variables  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_m$  are iid from an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ . Let  $S_m = \sum_{i=1}^m W_i$ . Find the probability density function for  $S_m$ .

$$m_{S_m}(t) = m_{W_1}(t)m_{W_2}(t)\cdots m_{W_m}(t) = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\theta}\right)^{-m}$$

This is the moment generating function for a Gamma distribution with parameters  $\alpha = m$  and  $\beta = \theta^{-1}$ . Therefore

$$f_{S_m}(s_m) = \frac{\theta^m}{\Gamma(m)} s_m^{m-1} e^{-\theta s_m}$$

Since the random variable  $W_{m+1}$  is not included in the random variable  $S_m$ , the two random variables are independent, and the joint density function of  $S_m$  and  $W_{m+1}$  is

$$f_{S_m, W_{m+1}}(s_m, w_{m+1}) = f_{S_m}(s_m)f_{W_{m+1}}(w_{m+1}) = \frac{\theta^{m+1}}{\Gamma(m)} s_m^{m-1} e^{-\theta(s_m+w_{m+1})}$$

We can calculate the needed probability as

$$\begin{aligned} P\left(\sum_{i=1}^m W_i < 1, \sum_{i=1}^{m+1} W_i > 1\right) &= P(S_m < 1, W_{m+1} > 1 - S_m) \\ &= \int_0^1 \int_{1-s_m}^{\infty} \frac{\theta^{m+1}}{\Gamma(m)} s_m^{m-1} e^{-\theta(s_m+w_{m+1})} dw_{m+1} ds_m \end{aligned}$$

(d) Find the mean and variance of  $\bar{W}$ .

Since  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$  are iid from an exponential distribution with mean  $\theta^{-1}$ , we have

$$E(\bar{W}) = E(W_1) = \theta^{-1}$$

$$V(\bar{W}) = \frac{V(W_1)}{n} = \frac{(\theta^{-1})^2}{n} = \frac{\theta^{-2}}{n}$$

(e) Find the mean of  $\frac{1}{\bar{W}}$ .

$$E\left(\frac{1}{\bar{W}}\right) = E\left(\frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n W_i}\right) = E\left(\frac{2\theta n}{2\theta \sum_{i=1}^n W_i}\right) = 2\theta n E\left(\frac{1}{2\theta \sum_{i=1}^n W_i}\right) = 2\theta n E(Z^{-1}).$$

By result to part (b), the random variable  $Z$  has a  $\chi^2$  distribution with  $2n$  degrees of freedom. Therefore,

$$E(Z^{-1}) = \int_0^\infty z^{-1} \frac{z^{n-1} e^{-z/2}}{2^n \Gamma(n)} dz = \frac{1}{2^n \Gamma(n)} \int_0^\infty z^{n-2} e^{-z/2} dz.$$

If we divide the integrand above by the term  $2^{n-1} \Gamma(n-1)$ , the new integrand would equal the pdf of a  $\chi^2$  random variable with  $2n-1$  degrees of freedom. We would then have

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{z^{n-2} e^{-z/2}}{2^{n-1} \Gamma(n-1)} dz = 1$$

giving

$$E(Z^{-1}) = \frac{1}{2^n \Gamma(n)} \int_0^\infty z^{n-2} e^{-z/2} dz = \frac{2^{n-1} \Gamma(n-1)}{2^n \Gamma(n)} \int_0^\infty \frac{z^{n-2} e^{-z/2}}{2^{n-1} \Gamma(n-1)} dz = \frac{1}{2(n-1)}$$

Thus,

$$E\left(\frac{1}{\bar{W}}\right) = 2\theta n E(Z^{-1}) = 2\theta n \left(\frac{1}{2(n-1)}\right) = \theta \left(\frac{n}{n-1}\right).$$

(f) Find the limiting distribution of  $\sqrt{n}(\frac{1}{\bar{W}} - \theta)$

By part (a), the random sample  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$  are i.i.d from the exponential distribution with mean parameter  $\theta^{-1}$ . Define  $\mu = E(W_i) = \theta^{-1}$  and  $\sigma^2 = V(W_i) = \theta^{-2}$ .

Let the function  $h(\bar{W}) = (\bar{W})^{-1}$ . If  $h'(\mu) \neq 0$  then

$$\sqrt{n}(h(\bar{W}) - h(\mu)) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0, \sigma^2(h'(\mu))^2)$$

Since  $h(\mu) = \mu^{-1}$ ,

$$h'(\mu) = -\mu^{-2} = -\theta^2 \neq 0,$$

and we have

$$\sqrt{n}(h(\bar{W}) - h(\mu)) = \sqrt{n}(\frac{1}{\bar{W}} - \theta) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{D}} N(0, \sigma^2(h'(\mu))^2) = N(0, \theta^{-2}(-\theta^2)^2) = N(0, \theta^2)$$

Suppose that  $(X_1, Y_1), \dots, (X_n, Y_n)$  is a random sample from a bivariate distribution. The conditional distribution of  $X_i$  given  $Y_i = y_i$  is  $N(y_i, 1)$  and the distribution for  $Y_i$  is  $N(0, e^\theta)$ .

- (a) Find the CDF for

$$\max_{i=1,\dots,n} \{X_i + Y_i\}.$$

- (b) What is the distribution of  $\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - Y_i)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (e^{-\theta/2} Y_i)^2$ ?  
 (c) Show that  $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2$  is a complete and sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ .  
 (d) Find the UMVUE for  $e^\theta$ .  
 (e) Find the MLEs for  $e^\theta$  and  $\theta$ .  
 (f) Find the limiting distribution for the MLE of  $\theta$  and use it to construct an approximate 95% confidence interval for  $\theta$ .  
 (g) Find a level  $\alpha$  most powerful test for testing

$$H_0 : \theta = 0 \text{ vs } H_a : \theta \neq 0$$

- (h) Find the level  $\alpha$  likelihood ratio test for

$$H_0 : \theta = 0 \text{ vs } H_a : \theta \neq 0.$$

Note.

- For parts (a) and (f), let  $\Phi$  be the CDF for  $N(0, 1)$  and express your answer using  $\Phi$  or  $\Phi^{-1}$ .
- For parts (g) and (h), let  $F_{\chi^2(m)}$  be the CDF for the  $\chi^2$  distribution with degree of freedom  $m$  and express your answer using the function  $F_{\chi^2(m)}^{-1}$ . Simplify the expressions as much as possible.
- Suppose that  $X$  is distributed according to the  $\chi^2$  distribution with degree of freedom  $m$ . Then  $E(X) = m$ ,  $Var(X) = 2m$  and the pdf for  $X$  is

$$f(x|m) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(m/2)2^{m/2}} x^{(m/2)-1} e^{-x/2}, \quad x > 0,$$

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(a)

$$P\left(\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} (X_i + Y_i) \leq t\right)$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i + Y_i \leq t)$$

Need to know the distribution for  $X_i + Y_i$ .to compute  $P(X_i + Y_i \leq t)$ Note that conditional on  $Y_i = y_i$ ,
$$X_i - Y_i \sim N(0, 1), \text{ so } X_i - Y_i$$

and  $Y_i$  are independent.

$$\begin{aligned} X_i + Y_i &= X_i - Y_i + 2Y_i \\ &\sim N(0, 1) + N(0, 2^2) \\ &\sim N(0, 1 + 4e^0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\sim N(0, 1 + 4e^0)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(X_i + Y_i \leq t) = \Phi\left(\frac{t}{\sqrt{1+4e^0}}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} (X_i + Y_i) \leq t\right) = \left(\Phi\left(\frac{t}{\sqrt{1+4e^0}}\right)\right)^n$$

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(b)

Note that

$$X_1 - Y_1, \dots, X_n - Y_n, \sqrt{\theta} Y_1, \dots, \sqrt{\theta} Y_n$$

are iid  $N(0, 1)$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - Y_i)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (\sqrt{\theta} Y_i)^2$$

$$\sim \chi^2(2n)$$

(c) The joint pdf for  $(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$  is

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n) &= \prod_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q} e^{-\frac{(x_i - y_i)^2}{2Q}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q^{\frac{1}{2}}} e^{-\frac{y_i^2}{2Q^2}} \right) \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q} e^{-\frac{\sum (x_i - y_i)^2}{2Q}} \right)^n \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q^{\frac{1}{2}}} e^{-\frac{\sum y_i^2}{2Q^2}} \right)^n \\ &= h(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n) \cdot g\left(\frac{\sum y_i^2}{2Q^2} \mid \theta\right) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$h(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n) = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q} \right)^n e^{-\frac{\sum (x_i - y_i)^2}{2Q}}$$

and  $g(t \mid \theta) = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} Q^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right)^n \cdot \frac{t}{2Q^2}$

Factorization Theorem

$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2$  is sufficient for  $\theta$ .

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The distribution of  $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 \sim \sigma^2 \cdot \chi_n^2$

which has the pdf

$$f_{\sum Y_i^2}(y|\sigma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{\frac{n}{2}} \cdot \sigma^0} \left( \frac{y}{\sigma^0} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{y}{2\sigma^0}}$$

$$= c(\sigma) \cdot y^{\frac{n}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{y}{2\sigma^0}}$$

$y > 0$

where  $c(\sigma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{\frac{n}{2}} \sigma^0} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\sigma^0} \right)^{\frac{n}{2}-1}$

Note that  $\{ f_{\sum Y_i^2}(y|\sigma) : -\infty < \sigma < \infty \}$

forms an exponential family and the parameter

space is  $\mathbb{R}$ , so  $\sum Y_i^2$  is complete for  $\sigma$ .

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(d)  $E \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} = \sigma^2$

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$\sum Y_i^2$  is complete and sufficient for  $\sigma^2$

$\Rightarrow E\left(\frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} \mid \sum Y_i^2\right) = \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n}$  is the UMVUE for  $\sigma^2$

(e) Let  $\gamma = \sigma^2$ , then the likelihood function

$$L(\gamma) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^n \cdot Q^{-\frac{\sum(x_i - y_i)^2}{2\gamma}} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi/\gamma}}\right)^n \cdot Q^{-\frac{\sum y_i^2}{2\gamma}}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\gamma} \log L(\gamma) = -\frac{n}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\gamma} + \frac{\sum y_i^2}{2\gamma^2}$$

$$= -\frac{n}{2\gamma^2} \left(\gamma - \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n}\right)$$

$$\begin{cases} < 0 & \text{when } \gamma > \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n} \\ = 0 & \text{when } \gamma = \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n} \\ > 0 & \text{when } \gamma < \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n} \end{cases}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \log L(\eta) \text{ is maximized at } \eta = \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{MLE for } \eta = e^{\theta} \text{ is } \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n}$$

By the invariant principle of MLEs,

$$\text{the MLE for } \theta = \log \eta \text{ is } \log\left(\frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n}\right)$$

(f).

$$\text{CLT} \Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \left( \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} - EY_i^2 \right) \xrightarrow{D} N(0, \text{Var}(Y_i^2))$$

$$EY_i^2 = e^{\theta}, \quad \text{Var}(Y_i^2) = e^{2\theta} - \text{Var}(Y_i^2) = 2e^{2\theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \left( \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} - e^{\theta} \right) \xrightarrow{D} N(0, 2e^{2\theta})$$

Delta method

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \left( \log \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} - \theta \right) \xrightarrow{D} N(0, \left(\frac{1}{e^{\theta}}\right)^2 \cdot 2e^{2\theta})$$

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C.I. for  $\theta$ :

$$P\left(\left|\frac{\sqrt{n} \left(\log \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} - \theta\right)}{\sqrt{2}}\right| \leq c\right)$$

$$\approx -1 + 2\Phi(c) = 0.95$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \Phi^{-1}(0.975)$$

$\Rightarrow$  An approximate 95% C.I. for  $\theta$

$$\text{Then } \left(\log \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{n}} \Phi^{-1}(0.975), \log \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{n} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{n}} \Phi^{-1}(0.975)\right)$$

(g) By the Neyman-Pearson Lemma, a UMP

level  $\alpha$  test should reject  $H_0$  if

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$$\frac{f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=1)}{f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=0)}$$

 $\rightarrow k \quad \text{---(1)}$ 

$$f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=0)$$

where  $k$  is chosen so that

$$\alpha = P(\text{reject } H_0 | \theta=0)$$

$$\frac{f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=1)}{f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=0)}$$

 $\rightarrow k$ 

$$f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta=0)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left(\frac{1}{\alpha^{\frac{1}{n}}}\right)^n \cdot \alpha \cdot \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{22} + \frac{\sum Y_i^2}{2} > k$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \sum Y_i^2 > k^* = \frac{\log \left( \alpha^{\frac{1}{2n}} \cdot k \right)}{\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} \alpha}$$

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Under  $H_0: \theta=0$ ,  $\sum Y_i^2 \sim \chi_n^2$

$$\alpha = P\left(\sum Y_i^2 > k^* \mid \theta=0\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow k^* = F_{\chi_n^2}^{-1}(1-\alpha)$$

The test with rejection region

$$\sum Y_i^2 > F_{\chi_n^2}^{-1}(1-\alpha)$$

is a UMP level  $\alpha$  test.

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(h) The likelihood ratio is

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$$f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, y_1 | \theta = \theta)$$

CB =

$$f(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n | \theta = \hat{\theta})$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - y_i)^2}{2} = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \cdot \ell$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - y_i)^2}{2} = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \hat{\theta}^2} \right)^n \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2}{2 \hat{\theta}^2}$$

$$\frac{\hat{\theta}}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{\sum y_i^2}{2} (1 - \frac{\hat{\theta}}{\ell})$$

$$(\hat{\theta})^2 = \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \frac{\sum y_i^2}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{\sum y_i^2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{g(\sum y_i^2)}{\ell}$$

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where

$$g(t) = \frac{n}{2} \log t - \frac{t}{2}$$

Since

$$g'(t) = \frac{\frac{n}{2t}}{\frac{1}{2}} \begin{cases} > 0 & \text{if } 0 < t < n \\ = 0 & \text{if } t = n \\ < 0 & \text{if } t > n \end{cases}$$

for  $0 < c < 1$

$$\text{LR} < c \Leftrightarrow \sum Y_i^2 > b \text{ or } \sum Y_i^2 < a,$$

where  $0 < a < b$  and

$$g(a) = g(b) = \log\left(c \cdot e^{-\frac{a}{2}} - n^{\frac{a}{2}}\right)$$

So a level  $\alpha$  LRT rejects  $H_0$  iff

$$\sum Y_i^2 > b \text{ or } \sum Y_i^2 < a, \text{ where}$$

$$0 < a < b,$$

$$\frac{n}{2} \log a - \frac{a}{2} = \frac{n}{2} \log b - \frac{b}{2}$$

$$F_{\chi^2_{(n)}}(b) - F_{\chi^2_{(n)}}(a) = c^*$$

and  $c^*$  can be any number in  $[1-\alpha, 1]$ .

( $1-c^*$  is the size of the test)

A product is produced in batches that are processed separately. Each batch contains  $q$  wafers, and  $r$  products are processed on each wafer. After the production, a measurement critical for the performance can be obtained from each product. The available data consist of such measurements on all products produced in  $p$  batches with the total of  $pqr$  measurements. We expect possible similarity among the measurements within a wafer, and potentially systematic differences over batches. Thus, we consider the following representation for the measurement  $X_{ijk}$  from the  $k^{\text{th}}$  product on the  $j^{\text{th}}$  wafer in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  batch:

$$X_{ijk} = \mu_i + \alpha_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, p, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, q, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, r,$$

where  $\mu_i$  are unknown parameters, and all  $\alpha_{ij}$  and  $\epsilon_{ijk}$  are assumed to be independent normal random variables with mean zero and variance  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}$  and  $\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}$ , respectively. The parameter space consists of  $-\infty < \mu_i < \infty$ ,  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha} \geq 0$ , and  $\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} > 0$ . Define  $\bar{X}_{ij\cdot} = \frac{1}{r} \sum_{k=1}^r X_{ijk}$  and  $\bar{X}_{i\cdot\cdot} = \frac{1}{q} \sum_{j=1}^q \bar{X}_{ij\cdot}$ . For each  $(i, j)$ , the natural logarithm of the joint density for  $X_{ijk}$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots, r$ , is (using the conventional lower case letter notation)

$$-\frac{1}{2} \left[ r \log(2\pi) + (r-1) \log(\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}) + \log(\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}) + \frac{\sum_{k=1}^r (x_{ijk} - \bar{x}_{ij\cdot})^2}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}} + \frac{r(\bar{x}_{ij\cdot} - \mu_i)^2}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}} \right].$$

- (a) Using a theorem given in class, show that  $SS_w = \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{j=1}^q \sum_{k=1}^r (X_{ijk} - \bar{X}_{ij\cdot})^2$ ,  $SS_b = \sum_{i=1}^p \sum_{j=1}^q (\bar{X}_{ij\cdot} - \bar{X}_{i\cdot\cdot})^2$ , and  $\bar{X}_{i\cdot\cdot}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ , are complete and sufficient for  $(\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}, \sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}, \mu_1, \dots, \mu_p)$ .
- (b) Find functions of the complete sufficient statistics in (a) that are unbiased for  $\mu_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ ,  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}$ , and  $\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}$ .
- (c) Find the maximum likelihood estimators of  $\mu_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$ ,  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}$ , and  $\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}$ .
- (d) Find the exact size  $\gamma$  likelihood ratio test procedure (including an explicit cut-off point) for  $H_0 : \sigma_{\alpha\alpha} = 0$  versus  $H_A : \sigma_{\alpha\alpha} > 0$ .
- (e) Assume that the test in (d) has not been conducted, and that the parameter space for  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}$  still consists of all nonnegative numbers. Give an exactly  $100(1 - \gamma)\%$  confidence interval for  $\mu_i$  (for a particular  $i$ ). [You do not have to provide a proof that the coverage probability for your interval is exactly  $100(1 - \gamma)\%$ .]

(a) The logarithm of the joint density for all observations is

$$\begin{aligned} & -\frac{pq}{2} \{ r \log(2\pi) + (r-1) \log(\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}) + \log(\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}) \} \\ & -\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{SS_w}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}} + \frac{r}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}} \left[ SS_b + q \sum_{i=1}^p (\bar{x}_{i..} - \mu_i)^2 \right] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Writing the last sum of squares as

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^p \mu_i \bar{x}_{i..} + \sum_{i=1}^p \bar{x}_{i..}^2 + \sum_{i=1}^p \mu_i^2,$$

we see that the joint density is in the exponential family, and that the range space for  $\frac{1}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}}$ ,  $\frac{1}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}}$ , and  $\frac{\mu_i}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon} + r\sigma_{\alpha\alpha}}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$  contains a  $(p+2)$  dimensional rectangle. Hence, the statistics in (a) are complete and sufficient.

(b) By simple algebra, the unbiased statistics are

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mu}_i &= \bar{X}_{i..}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, p \\ \hat{\sigma}_{\epsilon\epsilon} &= \frac{1}{pq(r-1)} SS_w, \\ \hat{\sigma}_{\alpha\alpha} &= \frac{1}{p(q-1)} SS_b - \frac{1}{pqr(r-1)} SS_w. \end{aligned}$$

(These may not be called estimators, since  $\hat{\sigma}_{\alpha\alpha}$  can take values outside of the parameter space.)

(c) From the likelihood function in (a),

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mu}_i &= \bar{X}_{i..}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, p \\ \hat{\sigma}_{\epsilon\epsilon} &= \frac{1}{pq(r-1)} SS_w, \\ \hat{\sigma}_{\alpha\alpha} &= \frac{1}{pq} SS_b - \frac{1}{pqr(r-1)} SS_w, \end{aligned}$$

provided that  $\frac{1}{pq} SS_b \geq \frac{1}{pqr(r-1)} SS_w$ . If this condition does not hold, then  $\hat{\mu}_i$  is not affected and the maximum should occur on the boundary associated with  $\sigma_{\alpha\alpha} = 0$ . Hence, if  $\frac{1}{pq} SS_b < \frac{1}{pqr(r-1)} SS_w$ , then  $\hat{\sigma}_{\alpha\alpha} = 0$  and

$$\hat{\sigma}_{\epsilon\epsilon} = \frac{1}{pqr} (SS_w + rSS_b).$$

- (d) From the discussion in (c), the likelihood ratio is one if  $\frac{1}{pq} SS_b \leq \frac{1}{pq(r-1)} SS_w$ , i.e.,  $H_0$  is not rejected. Otherwise, the likelihood ratio is a positive constant times

$$\left( \frac{SS_w^{(r-1)} SS_b}{(SS_w + rSS_b)^r} \right)^{pq/2} = \left( \frac{R}{(1+rR)^r} \right)^{pq/2},$$

which is a monotone decreasing function of  $R = \frac{SS_b}{SS_w}$  (if  $SS_b > \frac{1}{r-1} SS_w$ ). Under  $H_0$ ,  $SS_b$  and  $SS_w$  are independent,  $\frac{rSS_b}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}} \sim \chi^2_{p(q-1)}$ , and  $\frac{SS_w}{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}} \sim \chi^2_{pq(r-1)}$ . Hence, the size  $\gamma$  likelihood ratio test is to reject  $H_0$  when  $\frac{q(r-1)}{q-1} R$  exceeds the upper  $\gamma$  point of Snedecor's F-distribution with  $p(q-1)$  and  $pq(r-1)$  degrees of freedom.

- (e) Note that  $\bar{X}_{i..}$  and  $SS_b$  are independent, that  $\bar{X}_{i..} \sim N(\mu_i, \frac{1}{q} [\sigma_{\alpha\alpha} + \frac{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}}{r}])$ , and that  $\frac{SS_b}{\sigma_{\alpha\alpha} + \frac{\sigma_{\epsilon\epsilon}}{r}} \sim \chi^2_{p(q-1)}$ . Thus, a  $100(1-\gamma)\%$  confidence interval for  $\mu_i$  is

$$\bar{X}_{i..} \pm t_{p(q-1)} \left( \frac{\gamma}{2} \right) \sqrt{\frac{SS_b}{pq(q-1)}},$$

where  $t_{p(q-1)} \left( \frac{\gamma}{2} \right)$  is the upper  $\frac{\gamma}{2}$  point of Student's t-distribution with  $p(q-1)$  degrees of freedom.