

# HW5

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## 1.

In the attached article by Prof. M. Ghosh, read pages 509-512 (including example 1), examples 4-6 of Section 3, and Section 5.2 up to and including Examples 17-18. (This is sort of a technical article, so to read a bit of this material is not easy. Also, Example 17 should look like an example from class regarding Basu's theorem.)

In example 18, show that  $T$  is a complete and sufficient statistic, while  $U$  is an ancillary statistic.

### Example 18.

Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  ( $n \geq 2$ ) be iid with common Weibull pdf

$$f_\theta(x) = \exp(-x^p/\theta)(p/\theta)x^{p-1}; \quad 0 < x < \infty, \quad 0 < \theta < \infty,$$

$p(> 0)$  being known. In this case,  $T = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^p$  is complete sufficient for  $\theta$ , while  $U = X_1^p/T$  is ancillary. Also, since  $X_1^p, \dots, X_n^p$  are iid exponential with scale parameter  $\theta$ ,  $U \sim \text{Beta}(1, n-1)$ . Hence, the UMVUE of  $P_\theta(X_1 \leq x) = P_\theta(X_1^p \leq x^p)$  is given by

$$k(T) = \begin{cases} 1 - x^{np}/T^n & \text{if } T > x^p, \\ 1 & \text{if } T \leq x^p. \end{cases}$$

### Answer

By definition, a statistic  $T$  is sufficient if the joint pdf of  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  can be factorized into the form:

$$f_\theta(x_1, \dots, x_n) = g(T, \theta)h(x_1, \dots, x_n)$$

where:

$g(T, \theta)$  depends on  $\theta$ ,

$h(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  does not depend on  $\theta$ .

Given  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  ( $n \geq 2$ ) are iid with Common Weibull pdf, the joint pdf of  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  is:

$$f_\theta(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left[ \exp(-x_i^p/\theta) \cdot \frac{p}{\theta} x_i^{p-1} \right]$$

Where:

$$0 < x_i < \infty \quad \text{and} \quad 0 < \theta < \infty \quad \forall i$$

We can simplify this expression, somewhat:

$$f_{\theta}(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \left(\frac{p}{\theta}\right)^n \exp\left(-\frac{T}{\theta}\right) \prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{p-1}$$

Of note:

- The function  $g(T, \theta) = \left(\frac{p}{\theta}\right)^n \exp\left(-\frac{T}{\theta}\right)$  depends on  $T$  and  $\theta$ .
- The function  $h(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n x_i^{p-1}$  does not depend on  $\theta$ .

Thus, by the Factorization Theorem,  $T$  is sufficient for  $\theta$ .

We then need to address completeness:

By definition, a statistic  $T$  is complete if for any function  $g(T)$ :

$$E_{\theta}[g(T)] = 0, \quad \forall \theta \quad \Rightarrow \quad P(g(T) = 0) = 1$$

That is, if the expectation of  $g(T)$  is zero for all  $\theta$ , then  $g(T)$  must be the zero function.

Since  $X_1^p, \dots, X_n^p$  are iid Exponential( $\theta$ ), following from rescaling the original Weibull-distributed  $X_i$ 's, we have know the sum:

$$T = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^p \sim \text{Gamma}(n, \theta)$$

We then note that the Gamma family is a specific instance of the Exponential family, so we note that the above result holds for “a complete exponential family in  $\theta$ ”, which implies that  $T$  is a complete statistic for  $\theta$ .

Specifically, this result follows because we treat  $n$  as known, meaning the only unknown in the above of the parameter  $\theta$ , making this an instance of “a one-parameter exponential family is complete in  $\theta$ ”, though the general description is we cannot find anything with expectation zero for all  $\theta$  that is not the zero function itself.

Thus,  $T$  is both sufficient and complete for  $\theta$ .

Finally, we address the ancillary statistic. By definition, a statistic  $U$  is ancillary if its distribution does not depend on  $\theta$ .

We are given a hint to try:

$$U = \frac{X_1^p}{T}$$

Since  $X_1^p, \dots, X_n^p$  are iid Exponential( $\theta$ ), again following from the initial  $X_i$ 's being iid Weibull. At any rate, we can again rescale, but with a different linear combination, namely:

$$\left(\frac{X_1^p}{\theta}, \dots, \frac{X_n^p}{\theta}\right) \sim \text{Exp}(1)$$

And note the above are still iid.

Taking the sum, we can express this as another sum of Exponential iid random variables, giving us:

$$T/\theta \sim \text{Gamma}(n, 1)$$

Since:

$$U = \frac{X_1^p}{T} = \frac{X_1^p/\theta}{T/\theta}$$

By multiplying by a “cheeky one”.

We then note that  $\frac{X_1^p}{\theta} \sim \text{Gamma}(1, 1)$  and  $T/\theta \sim \text{Gamma}(n, 1)$ , we know that  $U$  is a ratio of two Gamma distributions that are independent is by definition a Beta distribution (the numerator and denominator being independent).

Specifically,  $U$  is distributed:

$$U \sim \text{Beta}(1, n - 1)$$

Since the  $\text{Beta}(1, n-1)$  distribution does not depend on  $\theta$ , we know the statistic  $U$  is ancillary.

### Extra Details

I’m pretty sure the above is “enough” (avoiding using the word sufficient explicitly in a non-maths context), but in the event that some more work would help:

For finding the distribution of  $U$ :

$$U = \frac{X_1^p}{T} = \frac{X_1^p/\theta}{T/\theta}$$

$$f_{X_1^p/\theta}(x) = \frac{x^{1-1}e^{-x}}{\Gamma(1)} = e^{-x}$$

$$f_{T/\theta}(t) = \frac{t^{n-1}e^{-t}}{\Gamma(n)}$$

Giving joint pdf:

$$f_{X_1^p/\theta, T/\theta}(x, t) = f_{X_1^p/\theta}(x)f_{T/\theta}(t) = e^{-x} \cdot \frac{t^{n-1}e^{-t}}{\Gamma(n)}$$

For:

$$U = \frac{X_1^p}{T}$$

Gives:

$$X_1^p = UT$$

$$T = T$$

With Jacobian:

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial X_1^p}{\partial U} & \frac{\partial X_1^p}{\partial T} \\ \frac{\partial T}{\partial U} & \frac{\partial T}{\partial T} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} T & U \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = T$$

Transformation of the prior joint pdf gives:

$$f_{U,T}(u, t) = f_{X_1^p, T}(ut, t) \cdot |J| = e^{-ut} \cdot \frac{t^{n-1}e^{-t}}{\Gamma(n)} \cdot T = \frac{t^n e^{-t}}{\Gamma(n)} e^{-ut}$$

Getting the marginal distribution of  $U$ , integrating over  $T$ , we have:

$$f_U(u) = \int_0^\infty f_{U,T}(u, t) dt = \int_0^\infty \frac{t^n e^{-t}}{\Gamma(n)} e^{-ut} dt = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n)} \int_0^\infty t^n e^{-(1+u)t} dt = \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\Gamma(n)} \cdot \frac{1}{(1+u)^{n+1}}$$

As  $\Gamma(n+1) = n\Gamma(n)$ , we can simplify further:

$$f_U(u) = n \frac{1}{(1+u)^{n+1}} = \frac{u^{1-1}(1-u)^{(n-1)-1}}{B(1, n-1)}$$

Where  $B$  is the Beta function as is usually defined, and  $u^{1-1} = u^0 = 1$  under the constraint  $0 < u < 1$  as a “cheeky one”.

This confirms:

$$U \sim \text{Beta}(1, n-1)$$

## 2.

Problem 7.60, Casella and Berger and the following:

### Extra

Let  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  be iid  $\text{gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$  with  $\alpha$  known. Find the best unbiased estimator of  $1/\beta$ .

### Answer

Since  $X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$  are iid, the sum:

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(n\alpha, \beta)$$

Taking expectation of this statistic:

$$E_\beta(S_n) = n\alpha\beta$$

To get  $\frac{1}{\beta}$ , consider:

$$E_\beta \left[ \frac{n\alpha}{S_n} \right] = \frac{n\alpha}{E_\beta(S_n)} = \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{\beta}$$

This shows that  $\frac{n\alpha}{S_n}$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\frac{1}{\beta}$

Noting the work shown previously in 1., via the Factorization Theorem, we know  $S_n$  is a sufficient statistic for  $\beta$  (scale parameter of the Gamma).

Similarly, we know that the Gamma family is a specific instance of a complete one-parameter exponential family, meaning we know that  $S_n$  is also complete.

Now, we can do something new! Via Lehmann-Scheffé, since  $\delta(S_n) = \frac{n\alpha}{S_n}$  is an unbiased function of the complete sufficient statistic,  $S_n$ , we know that  $\delta(S_n) = \frac{n\alpha}{S_n}$  is the UMVUE of  $1/\beta$ . Yippee!

### a)

Let  $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ . Using Basu's theorem, show  $X_1/S_n$  and  $S_n$  are independent.

### Answer

By definition, Basu's theorem: If  $T$  is a complete sufficient statistic and  $U$  is an ancillary statistic, then  $T$  and  $U$  are independent.

From the prior question, we know that  $S_n$  is complete and sufficient for  $\beta$ .

We need to then find an ancillary statistic.

To that end, let:

$$U = \frac{X_1}{S_n}$$

Where:

$$X_1 \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta)$$

$$S_n \sim \text{Gamma}(n\alpha, \beta)$$

Using given information, we know  $U$  is a ratio of two Gamma random variables. However, this is complicated somewhat by  $X_1$  and  $S_n$  not being independent! So we need to do a bit of calculation to identify the underlying structure (distribution) of their ratios (though it will be Beta-distributed, the parameter values don't follow the typical formula, i.e. differences between numerator and denominator). To that end, using the known pdfs of each statistic:

$$f_{X_1}(x_1) = \frac{x_1^{\alpha-1} e^{-x_1/\beta}}{\beta^\alpha \Gamma(\alpha)}$$

$$f_{S_n}(s) = \frac{s^{n\alpha-1} e^{-s/\beta}}{\beta^{n\alpha} \Gamma(n\alpha)}$$

By the product rule (noting  $X_1$  and  $S_n$  are not independent):

$$f_{X_1, S_n}(x_1, s) = f_{X_1|S_n}(x_1|s) f_{S_n}(s)$$

Where:

$$f_{X_1|S_n}(x_1|s) = \frac{x_1^{\alpha-1} (s - x_1)^{(n-1)\alpha-1}}{s^{n\alpha-1} B(\alpha, (n-1)\alpha)}$$

Giving joint pdf:

$$f_{X_1, S_n}(x_1, s) = \frac{x_1^{\alpha-1} (s - x_1)^{(n-1)\alpha-1} e^{-s/\beta} s^{n\alpha-1}}{\beta^{n\alpha} \Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma((n-1)\alpha)}$$

For

$$U = \frac{X_1}{S_n}$$

We have:

$$X_1 = US_n$$

$$S = (1 - U)S_n$$

Caluating the Jacobian determinant:

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial X_1}{\partial U} & \frac{\partial X_1}{\partial S_n} \\ \frac{\partial S}{\partial U} & \frac{\partial S}{\partial S_n} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} S_n & U \\ -S_n & 1 - U \end{vmatrix} = S_n(1 - U) + S_n U = S_n$$

Via transformation, we have:

$$f_{U,S_n}(u,s) = f_{X_1,S_n}(us,s)|J| = \frac{(us)^{\alpha-1}((1-u)s)^{(n-1)\alpha-1}e^{-s/\beta}s^{n\alpha-1}}{\beta^{n\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma((n-1)\alpha)}s = \frac{u^{\alpha-1}(1-u)^{(n-1)\alpha-1}s^{n\alpha-1}e^{-s/\beta}}{\beta^{n\alpha}\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma((n-1)\alpha)}$$

Getting the the marginal distribution of  $f_U(u)$ , our variable of interest in this problem:

$$f_U(u) = \int_0^\infty f_{U,S_n}(u,s)ds = \frac{u^{\alpha-1}(1-u)^{(n-1)\alpha-1}\Gamma(n\alpha)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma((n-1)\alpha)}$$

Thus, we can identify the distribution and parameters from the above! We know that U is Beta-distributed, specifically:

$$U \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha, (n-1)\alpha)$$

Which does not depend on  $\beta$  for any of its parameters! This means we have an ancillary statistic.

As such, by Basu's theorem,  $U = X_1/S_n$  and  $S_n$  are independent.

**b)**

Using the result in a) and  $E_\theta(S_n) = n\alpha\beta$ , find  $E_\theta(X_1/S_n)$ .

**Answer**

Using the results in a):

$$E_\theta\left(\frac{X_1}{S_n}\right) = E_\theta(U)$$

Where:

$$U \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha, (n-1)\alpha)$$

Using the properties of a known distribution (distribution of U), we know that:

$$E_\theta\left(\frac{X_1}{S_n}\right) = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + (n-1)\alpha} = \frac{1}{n}$$

### 3.

Problem 8.13(a)-(c), Casella and Berger (2nd Edition) and, in place of Problem 8.13(d), consider the following test:

Let  $X_1, X_2$  be iid uniform( $\theta, \theta + 1$ ). For testing  $H_0 : \theta = 0$  versus  $H_1 : \theta > 0$ , we have two competing tests:

$$\phi_1(X_1) : \text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } X_1 > 0.95,$$

$$\phi_2(X_1, X_2) : \text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } X_1 + X_2 > C.$$

a)

Find the value of  $C$  so that  $\phi_2$  has the same size as  $\phi_1$ .

**Answer**

The size of  $\phi_1$  is:

$$\alpha_1 = P(X_1 > 0.95 \mid \theta = 0) = 0.05$$

The size of  $\phi_2$  is:

$$\alpha_2 = P(X_1 + X_2 > C \mid \theta = 0)$$

For  $1 \leq C \leq 2$ , the probability  $P(X_1 + X_2 > C \mid \theta = 0)$  is:

$$\alpha_2 = \int_{1-C}^1 \int_{C-x_1}^1 1 \, dx_2 \, dx_1 = \frac{(2-C)^2}{2}$$

For  $\alpha_2 = \alpha_1 = 0.05$ , we solve for  $C$ :

$$\frac{(2-C)^2}{2} = 0.05 \implies (2-C)^2 = 0.1 \implies C = 2 - \sqrt{0.1} \approx 1.68$$

b)

Calculate the power function of each test. Draw a well-labeled graph of each power function.

**Answer**

The power function of  $\phi_1$  is:

$$\beta_1(\theta) = P_\theta(X_1 > 0.95) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \theta \leq -0.05, \\ \theta + 0.05 & \text{if } -0.05 < \theta \leq 0.95, \\ 1 & \text{if } \theta > 0.95 \end{cases}$$

The distribution of  $Y = X_1 + X_2$  is:



$$f_Y(y | \theta) = \begin{cases} y - 2\theta & \text{if } 2\theta \leq y < 2\theta + 1, \\ 2\theta + 2 - y & \text{if } 2\theta + 1 \leq y < 2\theta + 2, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

The power function of  $\phi_2$  is:

$$\beta_2(\theta) = P_\theta(Y > C) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \theta \leq \frac{C}{2} - 1, \\ \frac{(2\theta+2-C)^2}{2} & \text{if } \frac{C}{2} - 1 < \theta \leq \frac{C-1}{2}, \\ 1 - \frac{(C-2\theta)^2}{2} & \text{if } \frac{C-1}{2} < \theta \leq \frac{C}{2}, \\ 1 & \text{if } \theta > \frac{C}{2} \end{cases}$$

For  $C \approx 1.68$ :

$$\beta_2(\theta) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \theta \leq -0.16, \\ \frac{(2\theta+0.32)^2}{2} & \text{if } -0.16 < \theta \leq 0.34, \\ 1 - \frac{(1.68-2\theta)^2}{2} & \text{if } 0.34 < \theta \leq 0.84, \\ 1 & \text{if } \theta > 0.84 \end{cases}$$

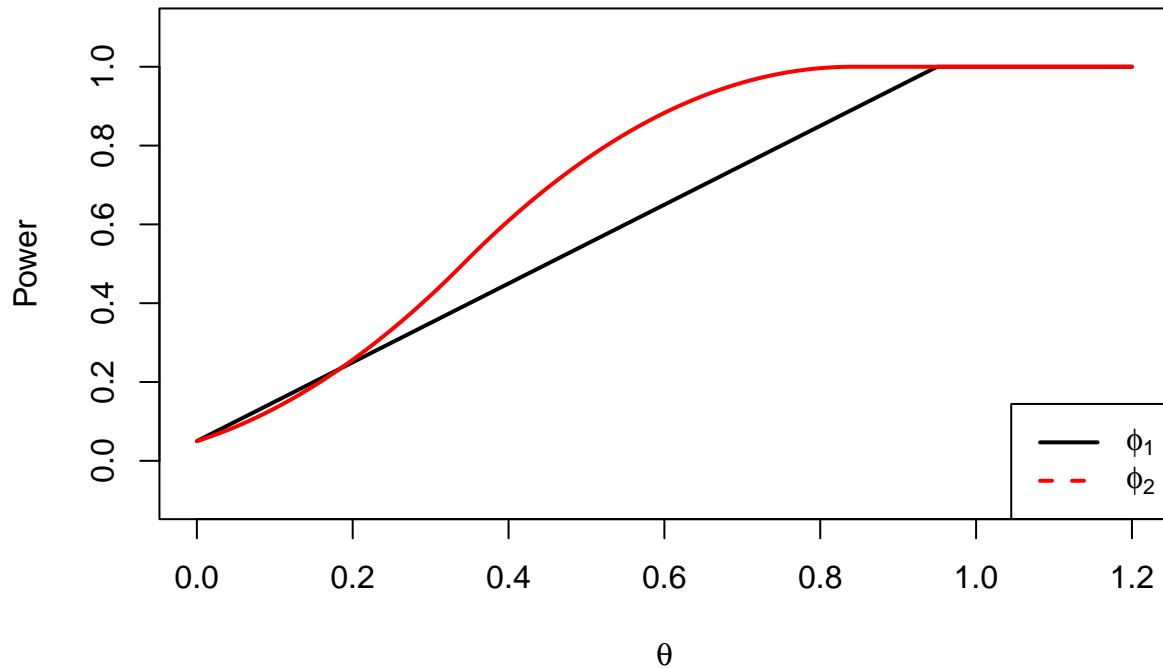
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theta <- seq(0, 1.2, by = 0.01)
C <- 2 - sqrt(0.1)

# Power function for phi_1
beta1 <- pmax(0, pmin(1, theta + 0.05))

# Power function for phi_2
beta2 <- ifelse(theta <= (C/2) - 1, 0,
  ifelse(theta <= (C - 1)/2, ((2*theta + 2 - C)^2)/2,
    ifelse(theta <= C/2, 1 - ((C - 2*theta)^2)/2, 1)))

plot(theta, beta1, type = "l", col = "black", lwd = 2, ylim = c(-0.1, 1.1),
  ylab = "Power", xlab = expression(theta), main = "Power Functions of Phi1 and Phi2")
lines(theta, beta2, col = "red", lwd = 2)
legend("bottomright", legend = c(expression(phi[1]), expression(phi[2])),
  col = c("black", "red"), lty = c(1, 2), lwd = 2)
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## Power Functions of Phi1 and Phi2



c)

Prove or disprove:  $\phi_2$  is a more powerful test than  $\phi_1$ .

### Answer

From the graph above,  $\phi_1$  is more powerful for  $\theta$  near 0, around 0 to 0.2, but  $\phi_2$  is more powerful for larger values of  $\theta$ , particularly around 0.2 to 0.9.

To be a more powerful test, or “uniformly more powerful”, the test must be more powerful than the reference test for all values of  $\theta$ . We do not meet this condition, meaning  $\phi_2$  is not a more powerful test than  $\phi_1$  (but also vice versa, neither test is uniformly more powerful than the other for the values of  $\theta$  being considered.)

### Extra

$$\phi_3(X_1, X_2) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X_{(1)} > 1 - \sqrt{0.05} \text{ or } X_{(2)} > 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}$  are the min, max.

Find the size of this test and the power function for  $\theta > 0$ . Then, graph the power functions of  $\phi_3$  and  $\phi_2$  to determine which test is more powerful. (It's enough to graph over the range  $\theta \in [0, 1.2]$ .)

## Answer

With the tests as defined,

where  $X_{(1)}$  and  $X_{(2)}$  are the minimum and maximum of  $X_1, X_2$ , respectively.

Under  $H_0 : \theta = 0$ ,  $X_1, X_2 \sim \text{Uniform}(0, 1)$ , and the order statistics  $X_{(1)}$  and  $X_{(2)}$  are random variables with distributions:

$$X_{(1)} \sim \text{Beta}(1, 2),$$

$$X_{(2)} \sim \text{Beta}(2, 1).$$

Under  $H_0 : \theta = 0$ , the size of  $\phi_3$  is:

$$\alpha_3 = P(X_{(1)} > 1 - \sqrt{0.05} \mid \theta = 0) = (1 - (1 - \sqrt{0.05}))^2 = 0.05$$

This is because  $X_{(1)} > 1 - \sqrt{0.05}$  requires both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  to be greater than  $1 - \sqrt{0.05}$ , and the probability of this event is  $(\sqrt{0.05})^2 = 0.05$ .

Under  $H_1 : \theta > 0$ ,  $X_1, X_2 \sim \text{Uniform}(\theta, \theta + 1)$ .

The minimum  $X_{(1)}$  follows the CDF:

$$P(X_{(1)} \leq x) = 1 - (1 - (x - \theta))^2 \quad \text{for } \theta \leq x \leq \theta + 1$$

Thus, the power function of  $\phi_3$  is:

$$\beta_3(\theta) = P_\theta(X_{(1)} > 1 - \sqrt{0.05}) = (1 - (1 - \sqrt{0.05} - \theta))^2$$

For  $\theta > 1 - \sqrt{0.05}$ ,  $\beta_3(\theta) = 1$  because  $X_{(1)} > 1 - \sqrt{0.05}$  is always true.

The power function of  $\phi_2$ , as determined previously, is:

$$\beta_2(\theta) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \theta \leq -0.16, \\ \frac{(2\theta+0.32)^2}{2} & \text{if } -0.16 < \theta \leq 0.34, \\ 1 - \frac{(1.68-2\theta)^2}{2} & \text{if } 0.34 < \theta \leq 0.84, \\ 1 & \text{if } \theta > 0.84 \end{cases}$$

From the graph comparing the two tests,  $\phi_2$  is more powerful for small values of  $\theta$ , roughly speaking less than 0.7, and  $\phi_3$  is more powerful for larger values of  $\theta$ , roughly greater than 0.7.

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# setup
theta <- seq(0, 1.2, by = 0.01)

t_crit <- 1 - sqrt(0.05)

phi3_power <- function(theta) {
  ifelse(theta <= t_crit, (1 - (1 - sqrt(0.05) - theta))^2, 1)
}

beta3 <- sapply(theta, phi3_power)

C <- 2 - sqrt(0.1)
beta2 <- ifelse(theta <= (C - 1)/2, ((2*theta + 2 - C)^2)/2,
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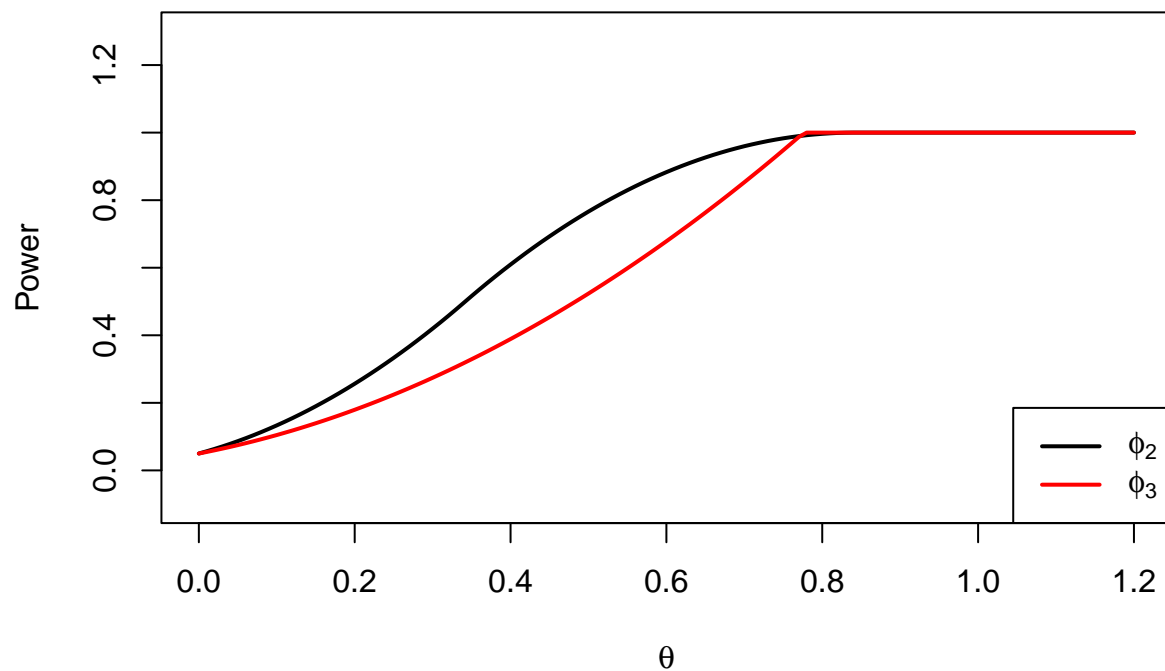
        ifelse(theta <= C/2, 1 - ((C - 2*theta)^2)/2, 1))

plot(theta, beta2, type = "l", col = "black", lwd = 2, ylim = c(-0.1, 1.3),
      ylab = "Power", xlab = expression(theta), main = "Power Functions of Phi2 and Phi3")
lines(theta, beta3, col = "red", lwd = 2)

legend("bottomright", legend = c(expression(phi[2]), expression(phi[3])),
      col = c("black", "red"), lty = c(1, 1), lwd = 2)

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## Power Functions of Phi2 and Phi3



#### 4.

Problem 8.15, Casella and Berger (2nd Edition), though you can just assume the form given is most powerful (no need to show).

Show that for a random sample  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  from a  $\mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$  population, the most powerful test of  $H_0 : \sigma = \sigma_0$  versus  $H_1 : \sigma = \sigma_1$ , where  $\sigma_0 < \sigma_1$ , is given by

$$\phi\left(\sum X_i^2\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \sum X_i^2 > c, \\ 0 & \text{if } \sum X_i^2 \leq c. \end{cases}$$

For a given value of  $\alpha$ , the size of the Type I Error, show how the value of  $c$  is explicitly determined.

#### Answer

From the Neyman-Pearson lemma, the most powerful test rejects  $H_0$  if the likelihood ratio exceeds a threshold  $k$ .

The likelihood ratio is given by:

$$\Lambda = \frac{f(x | \sigma_1)}{f(x | \sigma_0)} = \left(\frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma_1}\right)^n \exp\left\{\frac{1}{2} \sum_i x_i^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}\right)\right\} > k$$

Taking the logarithm (a monotonic function):

$$\log \Lambda = n \log\left(\frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma_1}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_i x_i^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}\right) > \log(k)$$

We isolate the term  $\sum_i x_i^2$  to one side of the inequality:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \sum_i x_i^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}\right) &> \log k - n \log\left(\frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma_1}\right) \\ \sum_i x_i^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}\right) &> 2 \left(\log k - n \log\left(\frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma_1}\right)\right) \end{aligned}$$

Solving for  $\sum_i x_i^2$ :

$$\sum_i x_i^2 > \frac{2 \left(\log k - n \log\left(\frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma_1}\right)\right)}{\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}} = c$$

for some constant, real-valued  $c$ .

A couple notes:

- The above assumes  $\sigma_1 > \sigma_0$ , so that  $\frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} - \frac{1}{\sigma_1^2} > 0$ , if this switches, then the overall inequality flips as well.
- Also, the inequality  $\sum_i x_i^2 > c$  defines the rejection region for the uniformly most powerful (UMP) test.

That being said, now the critical value  $c$  is determined such that the Type I error probability is  $\alpha$ :

$$\alpha = P_{\sigma_0} \left( \sum_i X_i^2 > c \right)$$

Under  $H_0$ ,  $\sum_i X_i^2 / \sigma_0^2$  follows a chi-squared distribution with  $n$  degrees of freedom (squared standard normal, where we achieve a standard normal variable by scaling by  $\sigma_0^2$ ):

$$\sum_i X_i^2 / \sigma_0^2 \sim \chi_n^2$$

Thus, we can rewrite the expression for  $\alpha$  as:

$$\alpha = P_{\sigma_0} \left( \sum_i X_i^2 > c \right) = P_{\sigma_0} \left( \sum_i X_i^2 / \sigma_0^2 > c / \sigma_0^2 \right) = P(\chi_n^2 > c / \sigma_0^2)$$

Solving for  $c$ :

$$c = \sigma_0^2 \cdot \chi_{n,1-\alpha}^2$$

where  $\chi_{n,1-\alpha}^2$  is the  $(1 - \alpha)$ -quantile of the  $\chi_n^2$  distribution.

The UMP test rejects  $H_0$  if:

$$\sum_i X_i^2 > c = \sigma_0^2 \cdot \chi_{n,1-\alpha}^2$$

This defines the rejection region for the most powerful test with Type I error probability  $\alpha$ .

Note: All the above summations are equivalent to summing from  $i=1$  to  $n$ , i.e.

$$\sum_i \equiv \sum_{i=1}^n$$