

$$= \sigma^2 - E[(\bar{x} - \mu)^2]$$

Prove  $E[(\bar{x} - \mu)^2] = \frac{1}{n} \sigma^2$

we know:  $\text{Var}(aX_1) = a^2 \text{Var}(X_1)$

$$\text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i)$$

$$E[ax+by] = aE(x) + bE(y)$$

Hence:  $E[\bar{x}] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[X_i] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu = \mu$

$$E[(\bar{x} - \mu)^2] = E[(\bar{x} - E(\bar{x}))^2]$$

$$= \text{Var}(\bar{x})$$

$$= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i)$$

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

So  $E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{x})^2\right] = \sigma^2 - \frac{\sigma^2}{n} = \frac{n-1}{n} \sigma^2$

故  $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{x})^2$  unbiased

$$E[S^2] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{x})^2\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n ((X_i - \mu) - (\bar{x} - \mu))^2\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n ((X_i - \mu)^2 - 2(\bar{x} - \mu)(X_i - \mu) + (\bar{x} - \mu)^2)\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 - \frac{2}{n} (\bar{x} - \mu) \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu) + \frac{1}{n} (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \sum_{i=1}^n 1\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 - \frac{2}{n} (\bar{x} - \mu) \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu) + (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \cdot n\right]$$

where  $\bar{x} - \mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)$

So  $E[S^2] = E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 - \frac{2}{n} (\bar{x} - \mu) \cdot n \cdot (\bar{x} - \mu) + (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \cdot n\right]$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 - 2(\bar{x} - \mu)^2 + (\bar{x} - \mu)^2\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2 - (\bar{x} - \mu)^2\right]$$

$$= E\left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \mu)^2\right] - E[(\bar{x} - \mu)^2]$$

$X'$  is mean of sample

$$\text{Var}(X') = \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (\sigma^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} n \sigma^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$