

FA2 APM1111 – Statistical Theory

Answers Exercises 3.49, 3.51, and 3.90.

3.49

Prove that $\sum_{j=1}^N (X_j - 1)^2 = \sum_{j=1}^N X_j^2 - 2 \sum_{j=1}^N X_j + N$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{j=1}^N (X_j - 1)^2 &= \sum_{j=1}^N X_j^2 - 2 \sum_{j=1}^N X_j + \sum_{j=1}^N 1 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^N (X_j^2 - 2X_j + 1) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^N X_j^2 - \sum_{j=1}^N 2X_j + \sum_{j=1}^N 1 \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^N X_j^2 - 2 \sum_{j=1}^N X_j + N\end{aligned}$$

3.51

Two variables, U and V , assume the values $U_1 = 3$, $U_2 = -2$, $U_3 = 5$, and $V_1 = -4$, $V_2 = -1$, $V_3 = 6$, respectively. Calculate (a) $\sum UV$, (b) $\sum (U+3)(V-4)$, (c) $\sum V^2$, (d) $(\sum U)(\sum V)^2$, (e) $\sum UV^2$, (f) $\sum (U^2 - 2V^2 + 2)$, and (g) $\sum (U/V)$.

3.90 Find the geometric mean of the sets (a) 3, 5, 8, 3, 7, 2 and (b) 28.5, 73.6, 47.2, 31.5, 64.8.

Link of GitHub of answers for 3.51 and 3.90:

https://github.com/zzprogram/APM1111/blob/main/FA2_CURIMATMAT.ipynb