

## Mathematical Statistics

### Unit - I

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#### Some Special Distributions.

#### The Binomial and Related Distributions

Defn: Bernoulli Experiment

A Bernoulli experiment is a random experiment, the outcome of which can be classified in but one of two mutually exclusive and exhaustive ways say, success or failure.

Eg: female or male, life or death; nondefective or defective, Head or Tail.

Remark: A sequence of Bernoulli trials occurs when a Bernoulli experiment is performed several independent times so that the probability to success say  $p$ , remains the same from trial to trial.

Let  $p$  denote the probability of success on each trial.

Defn: Bernoulli Distributions

Note: Random Variable is a function

Let  $x$  be a random variable associated with Bernoulli trial by defining as follows:

$$x(\text{Success}) = 1 \text{ and } x(\text{failure}) = 0.$$

That is, the two outcomes, success and failure, are denoted by one and zero respectively.

~~The Prob probability density~~

The probability density function (p.d.f) of  $x$  can be written as  $f(x) = p^x(1-p)^{1-x}$ ,  $x=0,1$ .

This is called Bernoulli Distribution

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What is the mean of the binomial distribution?

Defn: The expected value of  $X$  is

given as  $E(X)$  or  $\mu$ . Mean,  $\mu = E(X)$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^1 x p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

$$= 0(1-p) + 1p$$

$$= p$$

∴  $\mu = p$

Defn: The Variance of  $X$  is

$$\sigma^2 = \text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^1 (x-p)^2 p^x (1-p)^{1-x}$$

$$= p^2(1-p) + (1-p)^2 p$$

$$= p(1-p)[p + 1-p]$$

$$= p(1-p)$$

$$\text{Standard Deviation of } X \text{ is } \sigma = \sqrt{p(1-p)}$$

To remember with help of algebra we have  $\text{mean} = \mu$

Remarks: 1, If the sequence of  $n$  Bernoulli trials, and  $x_i$  is

success in  $i$ th trial, then  $x_i$  is called to be random variable

the random variable associated with the  $i$ th trial. The

Sequence of  $n$  Bernoulli trials with  $n$  tuple of zeros and

ones.

2, Let the  $x$  be the random variable equal the number

of observed successes in  $n$  Bernoulli trials, the possible

values of  $x$  are  $0, 1, 2, \dots, n$ . If  $x$  successes occur,

where  $x = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$  then  $n-x$  failures occur. Then

the number of ways of selecting  $x$  positions for the

$x$  successes in the  $n$  trials is given by

$${}^n C_x = \binom{n}{x} = \frac{n!}{x!(n-x)!}$$

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Since the trials are independent and hence the probabilities of success and failures in each trial are  $p$  and  $1-p$  respectively, the Probability of each of these ways is  $p^x(1-p)^{n-x}$

Defn: Binomial distribution

When  $n$  Bernoulli trials are conducted, each with an identical probability of success  $p$ , the experiment is known as a binomial random experiment.

Defn: A binomial random experiment satisfies the following criteria.

- i) The random experiment consists of  $n$  identical trials
- ii) There are two possible outcomes for each trial
- iii) The trials are mutually independent.
- iv) The probability of success on each trial is identical

$X \sim \text{binomial}(n, p)$  (or  $X \sim b(n, p)$ ) models the number of successes in  $n$  independent Bernoulli trials, each with probability of success  $p$ , where  $n$  is a positive integer

Defn: A discrete random variable  $x$  with p.d.f.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, & x=0, 1, 2, \dots, n \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

for some positive integer  $n$ , and  $0 < p < 1$  is  $b(n, p)$  random variable

Note: i) It is clear that  $f(x) \geq 0$  and  $\sum f(x) = \sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}$

- ii) A random Variable  $X$  that has a p.d.f of the form of  $f(x)$  is called binomial distribution, and any such  $f(x)$  is called binomial p.d.f.

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Note: (iv) A binomial distribution ~~will~~ is denoted by  $b(n, p)$ . The constants  $n$  and  $p$  are called the parameters of the binomial distribution.

Example: If  $X$  is  $b(5, \frac{1}{3})$  then  $X$  is the binomial p.d.f

$$f(x) = \binom{5}{x} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{5-x}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots, 5 \\ = 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

The moment generating function (m.g.f)

The m.g.f of a binomial distribution is

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= \sum_{x=0}^n e^{tx} f(x) \\ &= \sum_{x=0}^n e^{tx} \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x} \\ &= \sum_{x=0}^n \binom{n}{x} (pe^t)^x (1-p)^{n-x} \\ &= [(1-p) + pe^t]^n \text{ for all values of } t. \end{aligned}$$

Find mean and Variance of binomial distribution by using m.g.f

Sol Let  $X$  be  $b(n, p)$

Then m.g.f  $M(t) = [(1-p) + pe^t]^n$  for all real values of  $t$

To find mean  $\mu$

$$M'(t) = n[(1-p) + pe^t]^{n-1} (pe^t), \quad \text{where } M'(t) \triangleq \frac{d}{dt}[M(t)]$$

$$\text{and } M''(t) = n[(1-p) + pe^t]^{n-1} (pe^t) \\ + (pe^t)n(n-1)[(1-p) + pe^t]^{n-2} (pe^t)$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \text{Now } M''(t) = n[(1-p) + pe^t]^{n-1}(pe^t) + n(n-1)[(1-p) + pe^t]^{n-2}(pe^t)^2 \xrightarrow{\text{②}}$$

Put  $t=0$  in ①

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean } \mu &= M'(0) = n[(1-p) + pe^0]^{n-1}(pe^0) \\ &= n[1-p+p]^{n-1}p \\ &\boxed{\mu = np} \end{aligned}$$

Put  $t=0$  in ②

$$\begin{aligned} M''(t) &= n[(1-p) + pe^0]^{n-1}pe^0 + n(n-1)[(1-p) + pe^0]^{n-2}(pe^0)^2 \\ &= n[(1-p) + p]^{n-1}p + n(n-1)[(1-p) + p]^{n-2}p^2 \\ &= np + n(n-1)p^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Variance } (\chi) &= \sigma^2 = M''(0) - \mu^2 \\ &= np + n(n-1)p^2 - (np)^2 \\ &= np[1 + (n-1)p - np] \\ &= np[1 + np - p + np] \\ &= np(1-p) \end{aligned}$$

Problem ① Let  $X$  be the number of heads (successes) in  $n=7$  independent tosses of an unbiased coin. Find the binomial p.d.f of  $X$ ,  $P(0 \leq X \leq 1)$  and  $P(X=5)$

Solution: Given  $n=7$   
probability of getting head (success)  $p = \frac{1}{2}$

The p.d.f of binomial distribution is

$$f(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, x=0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

$$\text{Now, } f(x) = \binom{7}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(1-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{7-x}, x=0, 1, 2, \dots, 7$$

$$= \binom{7}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{7-x}, x=0, 1, 2, \dots, 7$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

∴ Then  $X$  has the m.g.f

$$M(t) = [(1-p) + pe^t]^n$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} e^t\right]^7$$

$$\text{Mean } \mu = np \\ = 7 \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Variance } \sigma^2 = np(1-p) \\ = 7 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \\ = \frac{7}{4}$$

$$\text{Now } P(0 \leq X \leq 1) = \sum_{x=0}^1 f(x)$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^1 \binom{7}{x} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{7-x} \\ = \binom{7}{0} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 + \binom{7}{1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 \\ = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 + 7 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6 \\ = \frac{1}{128} + \frac{7}{128} = \frac{8}{128} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$P(X=5) = f(5)$$

$$= \binom{7}{5} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= 21 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7$$

$$= 21 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 = \frac{21}{128}$$

$$\binom{7}{5} = \binom{7}{2} = \frac{7 \cdot 6}{2 \cdot 1}$$

- ② If the m.g.f of a random variable  $X$  is  $M(t) = \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3}e^t\right)^5$  then find p.d.f and mean and variance of the distribution?

Sol Let  $M(t) = \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3}e^t\right)^5$   
This is of the form  $\left[(1-p) + pe^t\right]^n$

$$\text{Here } p = \frac{1}{3}, n = 5$$

$\therefore$  The p.d.f of binomial distribution  
 $f(x) = \binom{n}{x} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n-x}, x=0,1,2,\dots,n$   
 $= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean } \mu &= np \\ &= 5/3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Variance } \sigma^2 &= np(1-p) \\ &= 5\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \\ &= \frac{10}{9} \end{aligned}$$

- ③ If the m.g.f of a random variable  $X$  is  $\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3}e^t\right)^5$ , find  $P(X=2 \text{ or } 3)$

Sol Let m.g.f of a random variable  $X$  is  
 $\left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3}e^t\right)^5 \rightarrow ①$

Equation ① is of the form  $\left[(1-p) + pe^t\right]^n$

$$\text{Here } p = \frac{2}{3}, n = 5$$

$\therefore$  The p.d.f of binomial distribution is

$$f(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, x=0,1,2,\dots,n$$

$$\text{Then } f(x) = \binom{5}{x} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{5-x}, x=0,1,2,\dots,5$$

$$P(X=2 \text{ or } 3) = f(2) + f(3) \rightarrow ②$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Now } f(2) &= \binom{5}{2} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{5-2} & : 8: \\
 &= 10 \left(\frac{4}{9}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 & \frac{5 \times 4}{1 \times 2} \\
 &= 10 \left(\frac{4}{27}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & \frac{6}{27} \\
 &= \frac{40}{243} & \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3}{1 \times 2 \times 3} \\
 f(3) &= \binom{5}{3} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{5-3} & \frac{6}{27} \\
 &= 10 \left(\frac{8}{27}\right) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & \frac{3}{27} \\
 &= \frac{80}{243}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Now using in ①

$$P(x = 2 \text{ or } 3) = \frac{40}{243} + \frac{80}{243} = \frac{120}{243}$$

- ④ The m.g.f of a random variable  $x$  is  $(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3} e^t)^9$ .  
 Show that  $P(\mu - 2\sigma < x < \mu + 2\sigma) = \sum_{x=1}^5 \binom{9}{x} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{9-x}$

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The m.g.f of random Variable  $x$  is

$$\left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{3} e^t\right)^9 \rightarrow ①$$

Equation ① is of the form  $[ (1-p) + p e^t ]^9$

$$\text{Here, } p = \frac{1}{3} \quad n = 9$$

$$\text{Now, mean } \mu = np \\ = 9 \times \frac{1}{3} = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Variance } \sigma^2 &= np(1-p) \\
 &= 9 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \left[\frac{2}{3}\right] \\
 &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{Now } \mu - 2\sigma = 3 - 2\sqrt{2} \quad \text{and } \mu + 2\sigma = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\mu - 2\sigma < x < \mu + 2\sigma) &= P(3 - 2\sqrt{2} < x < 3 + 2\sqrt{2}) \\
 &= P(x = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 5) \\
 &= \sum_{x=1}^5 \binom{9}{x} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{9-x}
 \end{aligned}$$

⑤ If  $X$  is  $B(n, p)$  show that

$$E\left(\frac{X}{n}\right) = p \text{ and } E\left[\left(\frac{X}{n} - p\right)^2\right] = \frac{p(1-p)}{n}$$

$$\text{Sol} \quad E\left(\frac{X}{n}\right) = \frac{1}{n} E(X)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} n$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} np$$

$$E\left[\left(\frac{X}{n} - p\right)^2\right] = \frac{1}{n^2} E[(X - np)^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} np(1-p)$$

$$= \frac{p(1-p)}{n}$$

$$\therefore E[(X - np)^2] = \text{Var}(x)$$

### Negative binomial Distribution:

Consider a sequence of independent repetitions of a random experiment with constant probability  $p$  of success. Let

the random variable  $Y$  denote the total number of failures in this sequence the  $r$ th success; that is  $Y+r$  is equal to the number of trials necessary to produce exactly  $r$  successes. Here  $r$  is a fixed positive integer.

To find the p.d.f of  $Y$ . let  $y$  be an element of  $\{y : y = 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

Then, by the multiplication rule of probabilities  $P(Y=y) = g(y)$  is equal to the product of the probability

$$\binom{y+r-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^y \text{ of obtaining exactly}$$

$r-1$  successes in the first  $y+r-1$  trials and the probability  $p$  of a success on the  $(Y+r)^{\text{th}}$  trial. Thus the p.d.f  $g(y)$  of  $Y$  is given by

$$g(y) = \binom{y+r-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^y, \quad y = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$= 0$$

A distribution with a p.d.f  $g(y)$  is called negative binomial distribution.

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- Note:- i) The m.g.f of negative binomial distribution  
is  $M(t) = p [1 - (1-p)e^t]^{-1}$
- (ii) If  $r=1$ , then we have  $Y$  is a geometric distribution

- Note: i) The m.g.f of negative binomial distribution is  $M(t) = p [1 - (1-p)e^t]^{-1}$
- (ii) If  $r=1$ , then we have  $Y$  is a geometric distribution

### The Poisson Distribution

Defn: Consider the function  $f(x)$  defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{m^x e^{-m}}{x!}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

is called Poisson distribution.  $= 0$  elsewhere, where  $m > 0$

Remark: If  $m > 0$ , then  $f(x) \geq 0$  and  $\sum_{x=0}^{\infty} f(x) = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{m^x e^{-m}}{x!}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= e^{-m} \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{m^x}{x!} \\ &= e^{-m} \left[ 1 + \frac{m}{1!} + \frac{m^2}{2!} + \dots \right] \\ &= e^{-m} \cdot e^m = e^0 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $f(x)$  satisfies the conditions of a p.d.f of a discrete type of random variable

A random variable that has a p.d.f of the form  $f(x)$  is said to be a Poisson distribution, and any such  $f(x)$  is called a Poisson p.d.f.

The m.g.f of a Poisson distribution Find mean and variance

The m.g.f of a Poisson distribution is given by

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= \sum_x e^{tx} f(x) \\ &= \sum_x e^{tx} \frac{m^x e^{-m}}{x!} \\ &= e^{-m} \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{(met)^x}{x!} \\ &= e^{-m} \left[ 1 + \frac{met}{1!} + \frac{(met)^2}{2!} + \frac{(met)^3}{3!} + \dots \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$g(t) = \frac{e^{-m} e^{met}}{e^{m(e^t-1)}} \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \text{ for all real values of } t.$$

$$M(t) = e^{m(e^t - 1)} \rightarrow ①$$

Diff w.r.t  $t$

$$M'(t) = e^{m(e^t - 1)} (me^t) \rightarrow ②$$

Again Diff w.r.t  $t$

$$\begin{aligned} M''(t) &= e^{m(e^t - 1)} (me^t) + (me^t) e^{m(e^t - 1)} (me^t) \\ &= e^{m(e^t - 1)} (me^t) + e^{m(e^t - 1)} (me^t)^2 \rightarrow ③ \end{aligned}$$

Put  $t=0$  in ② omit ③

From ②

$$\begin{aligned} M'(0) = \mu &= e^{m(e^0 - 1)} (me^0) \\ &= e^{m(1-1)} (m \cdot 1) \end{aligned}$$

Mean

$$\boxed{\mu = m}$$

From ③

$$\begin{aligned} M''(0) &= e^{m(e^0 - 1)} (m \cdot e^0) + e^{m(e^0 - 1)} (me^0)^2 \\ &= e^{m(1-1)} (m) + e^{m(1-1)} m^2 \\ &= m + m^2 \end{aligned}$$

Variance  $\sigma^2 = M''(0) - \mu^2$

$$= m + m^2 - m^2$$

$$\sigma^2 = m$$

Variance  $\boxed{\sigma^2 = m}$

Note:- Poisson p.d.f written as

$$f(x) = \frac{\mu^x e^{-\mu}}{x!}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$= 0$  elsewhere

Problem ① If  $x$  is a Poisson distribution with  $\mu = 2$  find p.d.f of  $x$ ; mean, Variance and  $P(1 \leq x)$

Sol Let  $x$  be a Poisson distribution with

mean  $\mu = 2$

$$\therefore \text{The p.d.f } f(x) = \frac{\mu^x e^{-\mu}}{x!}, x=0,1,2,\dots$$

$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{2^x e^{-2}}{x!}, x=0,1,2,\dots$$

$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$

Since  $x$  is poisson distribution  $\mu = \sigma^2 = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} P(1 \leq x) &= 1 - P(x=0) \\ &= 1 - f(0) \\ &= 1 - \frac{2^0 e^{-2}}{0!} \\ &= 1 - e^{-2} \\ &= 0.865 \end{aligned}$$

② If the m.g.f of a random variable  $x$  is  $M(t) = e^{4(e^t - 1)}$  find  $f(x)$  and  $P(x \leq 3)$

Sol The m.g.f of random variable is in poisson distribution

$$\text{Then we have } M(t) = e^{mt}$$

Here Here  $m = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The p.d.f } f(x) &= \frac{m^x e^{-m}}{x!} \\ &= \frac{4^x e^{-4}}{x!}, x=0,1,2,\dots \\ &= 0 \text{ elsewhere} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(X=3) &= \frac{4^3 e^{-4}}{3!} \\
 &= \frac{64}{6} e^{-4} \\
 &= \frac{32}{3} e^{-4} \\
 &= 0.195
 \end{aligned}$$

- ③ If the random variable  $X$  has a poisson distribution such that  $P(X=1) = P(X=2)$ , find  $P(X=4)$

Sol The p.d.f  $f(x) = \frac{\mu^x e^{-\mu}}{x!}$ ,  $x=0, 1, 2, \dots$   $\rightarrow ①$

$= 0$  elsewhere

If  $P(X=1) = P(X=2)$  then

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(1) &= f(2) \\
 \frac{\mu^1 e^{-\mu}}{1!} &= \frac{\mu^2 e^{-\mu}}{2!}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\mu = 2$$

$$P(X=4) = f(4) \quad \text{using in } ①$$

$$= \frac{2^4 e^{-2}}{4!}$$

$$= \frac{16 e^{-2}}{24} = \frac{2}{3} e^{-2}$$

## The Gamma and Chi-Square Distributions

The gamma function  $\Gamma(\alpha)$

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \rightarrow ①$$

If  $\alpha = 1$

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma(1) &= \int_0^\infty e^{-y} dy \\ &= \left[ -e^{-y} \right]_{y=0}^\infty = -e^{-\infty} - (-e^0) \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

If  $\alpha > 0$ ,

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy$$

By Integration by parts, we have

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma(\alpha) &= \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\ &= \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-1} d(-e^{-y}) \\ &= \left[ -y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} \right]_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty (-e^{-y})(\alpha-1) y^{\alpha-2} dy \\ &= 0 + (\alpha-1) \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-2} e^{-y} dy \\ &= (\alpha-1) \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-2} e^{-y} dy\end{aligned}$$

If  $\alpha$  is a positive integer greater than 1

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)(\alpha-2) \cdots (3)(2)(1) \Gamma(1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= (\alpha-1)(\alpha-2) \cdots (3)(2)(1) \\ &= 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdots \alpha-1\end{aligned}$$

$$\Gamma(\alpha) = (\alpha-1)!$$

$$\therefore \Gamma(1) = 1$$

Put  $y = \frac{x}{\beta}$ , where  $\beta > 0$  in ① Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma(\alpha) &= \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right)^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta} d\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right) \\ &= \int_0^\infty \left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right)^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta} \left(\frac{1}{\beta}\right) dx \\ 1 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \frac{x^{\alpha-1}}{\beta^{\alpha-1}} e^{-x/\beta} \left(\frac{1}{\beta}\right) dx \\ 1 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta}, \quad \cancel{0 \leq x \leq \infty}\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\alpha > 0$ ,  $\beta > 0$  and  $\Gamma(\alpha) > 0$

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta}, \quad 0 < x < \infty \\ &= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}\end{aligned}$$

$f(x)$  is called p.d.f of gamma distribution  
with parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$

Note:  $f(x)$  is a p.d.f of a random variable of the  
Continuous type.

The m.g.f of gamma distribution. Find mean and Variance

The m.g.f of gamma distribution

$$\begin{aligned}
 M(t) &= \int_0^\infty e^{tx} f(x) dx \\
 &= \int_0^\infty e^{tx} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta} dx \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x(1/\beta - t)} dx \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x(1-\beta t)/\beta} dx
 \end{aligned}$$

Put  $y = \frac{x(1-\beta t)}{\beta}$ ,  $t < \frac{1}{\beta}$   $x = \frac{\beta y}{1-\beta t}$   
 $dx = \frac{\beta}{1-\beta t} dy$

Limit	$x = 0$	$y = 0$
	$x = \infty$	$y = \infty$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore M(t) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \left( \frac{\beta y}{1-\beta t} \right)^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} \left( \frac{\beta}{1-\beta t} \right) dy \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{(\frac{\beta}{1-\beta t})}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \left( \frac{\beta y}{1-\beta t} \right)^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{(\frac{\beta}{1-\beta t})}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \left( \frac{\beta}{1-\beta t} \right)^{\alpha-1} y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \left( \frac{\beta}{1-\beta t} \right)^\alpha y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \frac{\beta^\alpha}{(1-\beta t)^\alpha} y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left( \frac{1}{1-\beta t} \right)^\alpha \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \left( \frac{1}{1-\beta t} \right)^\alpha \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^\infty y^{\alpha-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \left( \frac{1}{1-\beta t} \right)^\alpha \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \Gamma(\alpha)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{M(t) = \frac{1}{(1-\beta t)^\alpha}}, \quad t < \frac{1}{\beta}$$

Mean and Variance  $\rightarrow ①$

Diff ① w.r.t  $\cancel{\alpha} t$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M(t) &= (1-\beta t)^{-\alpha} \\
 M'(t) &= -\alpha (1-\beta t)^{-\alpha-1} (-\beta) \rightarrow ②
 \end{aligned}$$

Diff ② w.r.t  $t$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M''(t) &= (-\alpha)(-\alpha-1) (1-\beta t)^{-\alpha-2} (-\beta)^2 \\
 &= (\alpha)(\alpha+1) (1-\beta t)^{-\alpha-2} \beta^2 \rightarrow ③
 \end{aligned}$$

Put  $t=0$  in ② and ③

$$\begin{aligned}
 M'(0) &= \mu = (-\alpha)(1-\beta 0)^{-\alpha-1} (-\beta) \\
 &= \cancel{(-\beta)} (-\alpha) (-\beta)
 \end{aligned}$$

Mean.  $\boxed{\mu = \alpha \beta}$

Variance  $\sigma^2 = M''(0) - \mu^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (\alpha)(\alpha+1)(1-\beta 0)^{-\alpha-2} \beta^2 - (\alpha \beta)^2 \\
 &= \cancel{\alpha(\alpha+1)} \beta^2 - \alpha^2 \beta^2 \\
 &= \alpha \beta^2 + \alpha \beta^2 - \alpha^2 \beta^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Variance  $\boxed{\sigma^2 = \alpha \beta^2}$

## Chi-Square Distribution

Consider p.d.f of gamma distribution

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta}, \quad 0 < x < \infty$$

Put  $\alpha = r/2$  where  $r$  is a positive integer, and  $\beta = 2$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(r/2) 2^{r/2}} x^{r/2-1} e^{-x/2}, \quad 0 < x < \infty$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

is called a Chi-Square distribution, and any  $f(x)$  of this form is called a chi-Square p.d.f.

### The m.g.f of Chi-Square distribution

The m.g.f of Gamma distribution is

$$M(t) = (1 - \beta t)^{-\alpha}, \quad t < 1/\beta.$$

Put  $\alpha = r/2$  and  $\beta = 2$ , we get

The m.g.f of Chi-Square distribution

$$M(t) = (1 - 2t)^{-r/2}, \quad t < 1/2$$

$$\text{Mean } \mu = \alpha \beta$$

$$= \frac{r}{2} \cdot 2 = r.$$

$$\text{Variance } \sigma^2 = \alpha \beta^2.$$

$$= (r/2) \cdot 2^2$$

$$= 2r.$$

Note: The random variable  $X$  is  $\chi^2(r)$  mean that the random variable  $X$  has a Chi-Square distribution with  $r$  degrees of freedom.

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Example If  $x$  has the p.d.f  $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}x e^{-\frac{x}{2}}$ ,  $0 < x < \infty$   
 $= 0$  elsewhere

then  $x$  is  $\chi^2(4)$

Here  $\mu = 4$ ,  $\sigma^2 = 8$  and  $M(t) = (1-2t)^{-2}$ ,  $t < \frac{1}{2}$

Problem Let  $x$  have a gamma distribution with  $\alpha = \frac{\gamma}{2}$ ,  
 where  $\gamma$  is a positive integer, and  $\beta > 0$ . Define the  
 random variable  $y = \frac{2x}{\beta}$ . Find the p.d.f of  $y$ .

Sol Let  $x$  be a gamma distribution with  $\alpha = \frac{\gamma}{2}$   
 and  $\beta > 0$

$$\text{Let } y = \frac{2x}{\beta} \text{ then } x = \frac{\beta y}{2}$$

The distribution function of  $y$  is

$$G(y) = P(Y \leq y) = P(\underline{x} \leq \frac{\beta y}{2})$$

$$= P(x \leq \frac{\beta y}{2})$$

If  $y \leq 0$ , then  $G(y) = 0$ ,

If  $y > 0$  then

$$G(y) = \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\frac{x}{\beta}} dx, 0 < x < \infty$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\beta y}{2}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2})\beta^{\frac{\gamma}{2}}} x^{\frac{\gamma}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{xy}{\beta}} dx$$

$$y = \frac{2x}{\beta}$$

$$x = \frac{\beta y}{2}$$

The p.d.f of  $y$  is

$$g(y) = G'(y) = \left[ \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2})\beta^{\frac{\gamma}{2}}} x^{\frac{\gamma}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{xy}{\beta}} \right]_0^{\frac{\beta y}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2})\beta^{\frac{\gamma}{2}}} (\frac{\beta y}{2})^{\frac{\gamma}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{py}{\beta}}$$

$$= \frac{\beta^{\frac{\gamma}{2}}}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2})\beta^{\frac{\gamma}{2}}} (\frac{\beta y}{2})^{\frac{\gamma}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{py}{\beta}}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\beta_{\alpha}}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2}) \beta^{\gamma/2}} \left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right)^{\gamma/2-1} \left(\frac{y}{\beta}\right)^{\gamma/2-1} e^{-y/2} \\ &= \frac{\beta_{\alpha}}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2}) \beta^{\gamma/2}} \left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right)^{\gamma/2} \left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{y}{\beta}\right)^{\gamma/2-1} e^{-y/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2}) \beta^{\gamma/2}} \frac{\beta^{\gamma/2}}{2^{\gamma/2}} \left(\frac{y}{\beta}\right)^{\gamma/2-1} e^{-y/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2}) 2^{\gamma/2}} y^{\gamma/2-1} e^{-y/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma}{2})} y^{\gamma/2-1} e^{-y/2} \end{aligned}$$

if  $y > 0$   $y$  is  $\chi^2(\gamma)$

## The Normal Distribution

Consider the integral  $I = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy \rightarrow ①$

This integral exists because the integrand is positive continuous function which is bounded by an integrable function; that is  $0 < \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) < \exp(-|y|+1)$ ,  $-\infty < y < \infty$

and  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-|y|+1) dy = 2e$

Now  $I^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2+z^2}{2}\right) dy dz \rightarrow ②$

To changing to polar Co-ordinate

$$y = r \cos \theta \text{ and } z = r \sin \theta$$

From ②  $I^2 = \int_{0}^{2\pi} \int_{r=0}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{2}\right) r dr d\theta$

$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \int_{r=0}^{\infty} e^{-r^2/2} r dr d\theta$$

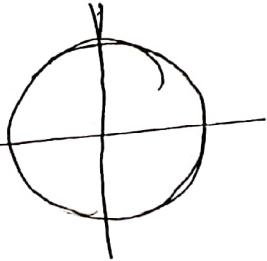
$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \left[ \int_{r=0}^{\infty} e^{-r^2/2} r dr \right] d\theta$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \left[ \int_{v=0}^{\infty} e^{-v} (-dv) \right] d\theta$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \left[ \int_{v=0}^{\infty} -e^{-v} dv \right] d\theta$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \left[ -\left( e^{-v} \right) \Big|_0^{\infty} \right] d\theta$$

$$= \int_{0}^{2\pi} \left[ -\left( e^{-\infty} - e^0 \right) \right] d\theta$$



$$\text{Put } v = -\frac{r^2}{2}$$

$$dv = -2r \frac{dr}{2}$$

$$\cdot r dr = -dv$$

$$r=0, \quad v=0$$

$$r=\infty, \quad v=\infty$$

$$I^2 = \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} d\theta = 2\pi$$

$$I^2 = 2\pi$$

$$I = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

Using in ①

$$\sqrt{2\pi} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy$$

$$1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy \rightarrow ③$$

Put  $y = \frac{x-a}{b}$ ,  $b > 0$  in ③

$$dy = \frac{dx}{b} \quad \text{Limit} \quad \begin{array}{ll} y = \infty & x = \infty \\ y = -\infty & x = -\infty \end{array}$$

Using in ③

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a)^2}{2b^2}\right] \frac{dx}{b} = 1$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a)^2}{2b^2}\right] = 1$$

Since  $b > 0$ ,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a)^2}{2b^2}\right], \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

Satisfies the condition of p.d.f of a continuous type of random variable. A random variable of the continuous type that has a p.d.f of the form of  $f(x)$  is said to be normal distribution, and any  $f(x)$  of this form is called a normal p.d.f.

The m.g.f of a normal distribution

$$\begin{aligned}
 M(t) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{tx} f(x) dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{tx} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a)^2}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[tx - \frac{(x-a)^2}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[\frac{2b^2tx - (x^2 - 2ax + a^2)}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{-2b^2tx + x^2 - 2ax + a^2}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{a^2 - (a+b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] \\
 &\quad \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a-b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \exp\left[-\frac{a^2 - (a+b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a-b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] dx \\
 &= \exp\left[-\frac{a^2 - (a+b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] \quad (1) \\
 &\quad \boxed{\therefore \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{b\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-a-b^2t)^2}{2b^2}\right] dx = 1} \\
 &= \exp\left[-\frac{a^2 - (a^2 + 2ab^2t + b^4t^2)}{2b^2}\right] \\
 &= \exp\left[-\frac{a^2 - a^2 - 2ab^2t - b^4t^2}{2b^2}\right] \\
 &= \exp\left[-\frac{-2ab^2t - b^4t^2}{2b^2}\right]
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$= \exp \left[ \frac{2ab^2t + b^4t^2}{2b^2} \right]$$

$$= \exp \left[ \frac{2ab^2t}{2b^2} + \frac{b^4t^2}{2b^2} \right]$$

$$\boxed{M(t) = \exp \left[ at + \frac{b^2t^2}{2} \right]}$$

Mean and Variance of Normal Distribution

$$M(t) = e^{(at + \frac{b^2t^2}{2})} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Diff \textcircled{1} w.r.t t

$$M'(t) = e^{(at + \frac{b^2t^2}{2})} \left[ a + \frac{b^2t}{2} \right]$$

$$= M(t) (a + b^2t) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Diff \textcircled{2} w.r.t t

$$M''(t) = M(t)(b^2) + M'(t)(a + b^2t)$$

$$= M(t)b^2 + M(t)(a + b^2t)(a + b^2t)$$

$$= M(t)b^2 + M(t)(a + b^2t)^2 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Put t=0 in \textcircled{2} and \textcircled{3}

$$M = M(0) = M(0)(a + b^2 \cdot 0)$$

$$= e^0(a) \quad \therefore M(0) = e^{(a \cdot 0 + \frac{b^2 \cdot 0}{2})}$$

$$= e^0 = 1$$

Mean.  $\boxed{M = a}$

Variance  $\sigma^2 = M''(0) - M^2$

$$= M(0)b^2 + M(0)(a + b^2 \cdot 0)^2 - a^2$$

$$= 1 \cdot b^2 + 1(a^2) - a^2$$

$$= b^2 + a^2 - a^2$$

$$\boxed{\text{Variance } \sigma^2 = b^2}$$

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Note: ① A normal p.d.f in the form of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right], -\infty < x < \infty$$

Here mean is  $\mu$  and Variance  $\sigma^2$

Then m.g.f  $M(t)$  can be written

$$M(t) = \exp\left(\mu t + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}\right)$$

- ② If a random Variable  $x$  is in normal distribution then is it denoted as  $x \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

Problem:

- ① If  $x$  has the m.g.f  $M(t) = e^{2t+32t^2}$  Find the p.d.f of the normal distribution.

Sol Let  $M(t) = e^{2t+32t^2} \rightarrow ①$

The m.g.f normal distribution is  
 $M(t) = e^{\mu t + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}} \rightarrow ②$

Comparing ① and ②, we have

$$\mu = 2, \frac{\sigma^2}{2} = 32$$

$$\sigma^2 = 64, \sigma = 8$$

$$\therefore \text{The p.d.f } f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right],$$

$$= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-2)^2}{2 \times 64}\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-2)^2}{128}\right],$$

Theorem: If the random variable  $X$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ ,  $\sigma^2 > 0$ , then the random variable  $W = (X - \mu)/\sigma$  is  $N(0, 1)$ .

Proof: Let  $G(w)$  be the distribution function of  $W$

Since  $\sigma > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} G(w) &= P\left(\frac{X-\mu}{\sigma} \leq w\right) \\ &= P(X-\mu \leq w\sigma) \\ &= P(X \leq w\sigma + \mu) \\ G(w) &= \int_{-\infty}^{w\sigma+\mu} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] dx \rightarrow ① \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Put } Y = \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

Limit

$$\begin{aligned} x &= -\infty & y &= -\infty \\ x &= w\sigma + \mu & y &= \frac{w\sigma + \mu - \mu}{\sigma} \\ dx &= dy \sigma & &= \frac{w\sigma}{\sigma} \\ \frac{dx}{\sigma} &= dy & &= w \end{aligned}$$

∴ From ①

$$G(w) = \int_{-\infty}^w \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy$$

The p. d. f  $g(w) = G'(w)$  of the continuous type random variable  $W$

$$g(w) = G'(w) = \left[ \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right]_{y=-\infty}^w$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{w^2}{2}\right) \right], \quad -\infty < w < \infty$$

Thus  $W$  is  $N(0, 1)$

Hence the proof

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Note: If } X \text{ is } N(0, 1) \text{ then } f(x) &= \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

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If  $x$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ . Then  $c_1 < c_2$  we have  $P(x = c_1) = 0$

$$\text{Now } P(c_1 < x < c_2) = P(x < c_2) - P(x < c_1)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{c_2-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{c_1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P\int_{-\infty}^{\frac{(c_2-\mu)}{\sigma}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw - \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{(c_1-\mu)}{\sigma}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw$$

Because  $w = (x-\mu)/\sigma$  is  $N(0, 1)$  [by previous Theorem]

$$\text{Now } \Phi(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} dw$$

Then, we say that  $\Phi(z)$  and its derivatives  $\Phi'(z) = \phi(z)$  are the distribution function and p.d.f of a standard normal distribution  $N(0, 1)$

$$\text{Hence } P(c_1 < x < c_2) = P\left(\frac{c_2-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{c_1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{c_2-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - P\left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma} < \frac{c_1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= \Phi\left(\frac{c_2-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{c_1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

Note:  $\Phi(-x) = 1 - \Phi(x)$   
Problem ① Let  $x$  be  $N(2, 25)$ . Then find  $P(0 < x < 10)$   
 $P(0 < x < 10)$  and  $P(-8 < x < 1)$

Sol Given  $\mu = 2, \sigma^2 = 25$

$$\sigma = 5$$

$$P(c_1 < x < c_2) = \Phi\left(\frac{c_2-\mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{c_1-\mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$= \Phi\left(\frac{10-2}{5}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{0-2}{5}\right)$$

$$= \Phi\left(\frac{8}{5}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)$$

$$= \Phi(1.6) - \Phi(-0.4)$$

$$= 0.945 - (1 - 0.655)$$

$$= 0.600$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(-8 < x < 1) &= \Phi\left(\frac{1-2}{5}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-8-2}{5}\right) \\
 &= \Phi\left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) - \Phi(-2) \\
 &= \Phi(-0.2) - \Phi(-2) \\
 &= (1 - 0.579) - (1 - 0.977) \\
 &= 0.398
 \end{aligned}$$

② Let  $x$  be  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

Then  $P(\mu - 2\sigma < x < \mu + 2\sigma)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\mu - 2\sigma < x < \mu + 2\sigma) &= \Phi\left(\frac{\mu + 2\sigma - \mu}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{\mu - 2\sigma - \mu}{\sigma}\right) \\
 &= \Phi\left(\frac{2\sigma}{\sigma}\right) - \Phi\left(\frac{-2\sigma}{\sigma}\right) \\
 &= \Phi(2) - \Phi(-2) \\
 &= 0.977 - (1 - 0.977) \\
 &= 0.954
 \end{aligned}$$

Note: The mean  $\mu$  of  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  is called location parameter and the standard deviation  $\sigma$  is called scale parameter

Theorem If the random variable  $x$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ ,  $\sigma^2 > 0$ , then the random variable  $V = (x - \mu)^2 / \sigma^2$  is  $\chi^2(1)$

Proof: Let  $V = W^2$ , where  $W = (x - \mu) / \sigma$  is  $N(0, 1)$   
the distribution function  $G_V(v)$  of  $V$  is  $f_V(v) \geq 0$

$$G_V(v) = P(W^2 \leq v)$$

$$= P(-\sqrt{v} \leq W \leq \sqrt{v})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{That is } G_V(v) &= \int_{-\sqrt{v}}^{\sqrt{v}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-w^2/2} dw, \quad 0 \leq v \\
 &= 2 \int_0^{\sqrt{v}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-w^2/2} dw, \quad 0 \leq v
 \end{aligned}$$

→ ①

If  $v < 0$  then  $G(v) = 0$

Put  $w = \sqrt{y}$  then

$$dw = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} dy$$

Limit  $w = 0, y = 0$   
 $w = \sqrt{v}, y = v$

∴ Using in ① &

$$\begin{aligned} G(v) &= \int_0^v \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y/2} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{y}} dy \\ &= \int_0^v \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{y}} e^{-y/2} dy \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the p.d.f  $g(v) = G'(v)$  of the continuous type random variable  $\sqrt{v}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} g(v) &= G'(v) = \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{y}} e^{-y/2} \right]_{y=0}^v \\ &= \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{v}} e^{-v/2} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} v^{1/2-1} e^{-v/2} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} v^{1/2-1} e^{-v/2}, \quad 0 < v < \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } g(v) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

$$\int_0^\infty g(v) dv = 1$$

Since  $g(v)$  is

p.d.f

Now,  $\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}) = \sqrt{\pi}$   
 and thus  $v$  is  $\chi^2(1)$ .

### Bivariate normal distribution

Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma_1\sigma_2\sqrt{1-\rho^2}} e^{-\frac{q}{2}}, \quad -\infty < x < \infty, \\ -\infty < y < \infty$$

where  $\sigma_1 > 0$ ,  $\sigma_2 > 0$  and  $-1 < \rho < 1$

$$q = \frac{1}{1-\rho^2} \left[ \left( \frac{x-\mu_1}{\sigma_1} \right)^2 - 2\rho \left( \frac{x-\mu_1}{\sigma_1} \right) \left( \frac{y-\mu_2}{\sigma_2} \right) + \left( \frac{y-\mu_2}{\sigma_2} \right)^2 \right]$$

The constants  $\mu_1$ ,  $\mu_2$ ,  $\sigma_1^2$ ,  $\sigma_2^2$  and  $\rho$  are respective parameters of a distribution.

A joint p.d.f of this form is called bivariate normal p.d.f and the random variables  $x$  and  $y$  are said to have a bivariate normal distribution.

## Distributions of Functions of Random Variables

### Sampling Theory

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote  $n$  random variables have the joint p.d.f  $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ . These variables may or may not be independent.

Let  $y$  be a random variable defined by a function of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  say  $y = u(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  the p.d.f  $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  is given, we find the p.d.f of  $y$ .

Defn: A function of one or more random variables that does not depend upon any unknown parameter is called a statistic.

Example (i) The random Variable  $Y = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$  is a statistic.

(ii) The random Variable  $Y = (x_i - \mu)/\sigma$  is not a statistic unless  $\mu$  and  $\sigma$  are known numbers.

Random sample  
Defn: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote  $n$  independent random variables, each of which has the same but possibly unknown p.d.f  $f(x)$ , that is, the probability density functions of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are respectively,  $f_1(x_1) = f(x_1), f_2(x_2) = f(x_2), \dots, f_n(x_n) = f(x_n)$  so that the joint p.d.f is  $f(x_1)f(x_2)\dots f(x_n)$ . The random variables  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are said to be random sample from a distribution has p.d.f  $f(x)$ .

Defn: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote a random sample of size  $n$  from a given distribution. The statistic

$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \dots + x_n}{n} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{n}$$

is called mean of the random sample and the

$$S^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i^2}{n} - \bar{x}^2 \text{ is called}$$

the Variance of the random sample

### Transformations of Variables of the Discrete Type

A method of finding the distribution of a function of one or more random variables is called the change of variable technique.

Problem Let  $x$  have the Poisson p.d.f

$$\textcircled{1} \quad f(x) = \frac{\mu^x e^{-\mu}}{x!}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

= 0 elsewhere

Find the p.d.f of  $y$  by  $y=4x$ .

Sol Let  $y = 4x$

Then a transformation from  $x$  to  $y$ .

We say that the transformation maps the space

$$A = \{x | x=0, 1, 2, \dots\} \text{ to the space } B = \{y | y=0, 4, 8, 12, \dots\}$$

$$\text{Now } y = 4x, \quad x = \frac{1}{4}y$$

Using in  $\textcircled{1}$

$$g(y) = P(Y=y) = P\left(X=\frac{y}{4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\mu^{y/4} e^{-\mu}}{(y/4)!}, \quad y=0, 4, 8, \dots$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere.}$$

$\textcircled{2}$  Let  $x$  have the binomial p.d.f

$$f(x) = \frac{3!}{x!(3-x)!} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3-x}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

Find the p.d.f of  $y=x^2$

Sol Let  $y = x^2$

Then a transformation from  $x$  to  $y$ .

We say that the transformation maps the space  $A = \{x | x=0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  to the space

$$B = \{y | y=0, 1, 4, 9, \dots\}$$

$$y = x^2$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{y}$$

$$x = \sqrt{y}$$

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$$\frac{3!}{(\sqrt{y})! (3-\sqrt{y})!} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{\sqrt{y}} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3-\sqrt{y}}$$

$$\text{Then } g(y) = f(\sqrt{y}) = \frac{3!}{(\sqrt{y})! (3-\sqrt{y})!}$$

$$y = 0, 1, 4, 9, \dots$$

Remark

Note: Let  $f(x_1, x_2)$  be the joint p.d.f of two discrete type random variables  $X_1$ , and  $X_2$  with  $A$  (two-dimensional) set of points at which  $f(x_1, x_2) \geq 0$ . Let  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$  and  $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2)$  define a one-to-one transformation that maps  $A$  onto  $B$ . The joint p.d.f of the two random variables  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$  and  $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2)$  is given by

$$g(y_1, y_2) = f[w_1(y_1, y_2), w_2(y_1, y_2)], (y_1, y_2) \in B$$

= 0 elsewhere

Where  $x_1 = w_1(y_1, y_2)$ ,  $x_2 = w_2(y_1, y_2)$  is the single valued inverse of  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$ ,  $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2)$ . From this joint p.d.f  $g(y_1, y_2)$ , we may obtain the marginal p.d.f of  $y_1$  by summing on  $y_2$  or the marginal p.d.f of  $y_2$  by summing on  $y_1$ .

Problem ① Let  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  be two independent random variables that have Poisson distribution with means  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  respectively. The joint p.d.f of  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  is

$$\frac{\mu_1^{x_1} \mu_2^{x_2} e^{-\mu_1 - \mu_2}}{x_1! x_2!}, \quad x_1 = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots; x_2 = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

and 0 elsewhere.

Find the p.d.f of  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$ .

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Sol We use the change of variable technique

Let  $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$ , Consider  $y_2 = x_2$

Then  $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$  and  $y_2 = x_2$

$$A = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1 = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots; x_2 = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$B = \{(y_1, y_2) \mid y_2 = 0, 1, 2, \dots, y_1 \text{ and } y_1 = 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$$

If  $(y_1, y_2) \in B$  then  $0 \leq y_2 \leq y_1$ .

The inverse functions are given by  $x_1 = y_1 - y_2$

and  $x_2 = y_2$

Thus the joint p.d.f of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  is

$$g(y_1, y_2) = \frac{\mu_1^{y_1-y_2} \mu_2^{y_2} e^{-\mu_1-\mu_2}}{(y_1-y_2)! y_2!}; (y_1, y_2) \in B$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

The marginal p.d.f of  $y_1$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(y_1) &= \sum_{y_2=0}^{y_1} g(y_1, y_2) \\ &= \frac{e^{-\mu_1-\mu_2}}{y_1!} \sum_{y_2=0}^{y_1} \frac{y_1!}{(y_1-y_2)! y_2!} \mu_1^{y_1-y_2} \mu_2^{y_2} \\ &= \frac{(\mu_1+\mu_2)^{y_1} e^{-\mu_1-\mu_2}}{y_1!}, \quad y_1 = 0, 1, 2, \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

That  $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$  has a Poisson distribution with parameter  $\mu_1 + \mu_2$

Problem ① Let  $x$  be a random variable of the continuous, having

p.d.f

$$f(x) = 2x, \quad 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

Find the p.d.f of  $y = 8x^3$  by using change the variable technique

Sol Let  $y = 8x^3$

Then a transformation from  $x$  to  $y$

The transformation maps the space  $A = \{x : 0 < x < 1\}$   
to the space  $B = \{y : 0 < y < 8\}$

$$y = 8x^3$$

$$x^3 = y/8$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{y}$$

The event  $\frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{a} < x < \frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{b}$

$$P(a < y < b) = P\left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{a} < x < \frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{b}\right) \\ = \int_{\frac{\sqrt[3]{a}}{2}}^{\frac{\sqrt[3]{b}}{2}} 2x \, dx \rightarrow ①$$

$$\text{Now } x = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{y}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} y^{-\frac{2}{3}} \\ = \frac{1}{6} y^{-\frac{2}{3}} \\ = -\frac{1}{6} y^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$dx = -\frac{1}{6} y^{\frac{1}{3}} dy$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Limit} \\ x = \frac{\sqrt[3]{a}}{2} \\ y = a \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{\sqrt[3]{a}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt[3]{y} \\ y = b \end{array}$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt[3]{b}}{2}$$

$$y = b$$

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Using in ①

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(a < Y < b) &= \int_a^b x \left( \frac{\sqrt[3]{y}}{x} \right) \left( \frac{1}{6y^{2/3}} \right) dy \\
 &= \int_a^b y^{1/3} \left( \frac{1}{6y^{2/3}} \right) dy \\
 &= \int_a^b \frac{1}{6y^{1/3}} dy
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\stackrel{y^{1/3}, y^{-2/3}}{=} y^{1/3 - 2/3} \\
 &= y^{-1/3} \\
 &= y
 \end{aligned}$$

Since this is true for every  $0 < a < b < \infty$ , the p.d.f  
g(y) of Y is the integrand

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore g(y) &= \frac{1}{6y^{1/3}}, \quad 0 < y < \infty \\
 &= 0 \text{ elsewhere}
 \end{aligned}$$

Problem ② Let x have the p.d.f  $f(x) = 1, \quad 0 < x < 1$   
 $= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$

Show that the random variable  $Y = -2 \log x$  has a  
Chi-Square distribution with 2 degrees of freedom.

Sol Let  $y = -2 \log x = u(x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= \log y = -\frac{y}{2} \\
 x &= e^{-\frac{y}{2}} = w(y)
 \end{aligned}$$

The space A is  $A = \{x: 0 < x < 1\}$  one-to-one

transformation y to B =  $\{y: 0 < y < \infty\}$

The Jacobian of the transformation is

$$J = \frac{dx}{dy} = w'(y) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{y}{2}}$$

The p.d.f g(y) of  $Y = -2 \log x$  is \*

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(y) &= f[w(y)] |J| \\
 &= f[e^{-\frac{y}{2}}] |J| \\
 &= (1) \left| -\frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{y}{2}} \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{y}{2}}, \quad 0 < y < \infty \\
 &= 0 \text{ elsewhere}
 \end{aligned}$$

To

To Find the p.d.f of the functions of two random variables  
of Continuous type

Let  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$  and  $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2)$  define a one-to-one transformation maps a (two-dimensional) set A in the  $x_1, x_2$ -plane onto a (two-dimensional) set B in the  $y_1, y_2$ -plane.

If express each of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  in terms of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  then

$$x_1 = w_1(y_1, y_2) \quad x_2 = w_2(y_1, y_2)$$

The determinant of order 2

$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix}$$

Called the Jacobian of the transformation denoted by the symbol J.

Problem Let A be the set  $A = \{(x_1, x_2) | 0 < x_1 < 1, 0 < x_2 < 1\}$

Find the set B in  $y_1, y_2$ -plane that is the mapping of A under the one-to-one transformation  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1 + x_2$   
 $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2) = x_1 - x_2$

and compute the Jacobian of the transformation.

So Let  $x_1 = w_1(y_1, y_2) = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2)$

$$x_2 = w_2(y_1, y_2) = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 + y_2 &= 2x_1 \\ y_1 - y_2 &= 2x_2 \\ x_1 &= \frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2) \\ x_2 &= \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2) \end{aligned}$$

To determine the set B in the plane  $y_1, y_2$ -plane onto which A is mapped under the transformation. The boundaries of A are transformed as follows into the boundaries of B

$$x_1 = 0 \text{ into } 0 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2)$$

$$x_1 = 1 \text{ into } 1 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2)$$

$$x_2 = 0 \text{ into } 0 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)$$

$$x_2 = 1 \text{ into } 1 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)$$

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$$\text{Jacobian } J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

To find the joint p.d.f of two functions of two continuous type random variables

Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be random variables of continuous type, having joint p.d.f  $h(x_1, x_2)$ .

Let  $A$  be the two dimensional set in the  $x_1, x_2$ -plane where  $h(x_1, x_2) > 0$

Let  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$  be a random variable whose p.d.f is to be found.

If  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2)$  and  $y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2)$  define a one-to-one transformation of  $A$  onto a set  $B$  in the  $y_1, y_2$ -plane

$$P[(y_1, y_2) \in B] = \iint_B h[w_1(y_1, y_2), w_2(y_1, y_2)] |J| dy_1 dy_2$$

The joint p.d.f  $g(y_1, y_2)$  of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  is

$$g(y_1, y_2) = h[w_1(y_1, y_2), w_2(y_1, y_2)] |J|, (y_1, y_2) \in B$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

Problem Let the random variable  $X$  have the p.d.f

$$f(x) = 1, 0 < x < 1$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

and let  $x_1, x_2$  denote a random sample of this distribution

The joint p.d.f of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  is then

$$h(x_1, x_2) = f(x_1) f(x_2) = 1, 0 < x_1 < 1, 0 < x_2 < 1$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere} \rightarrow 0$$

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Consider the two random variables  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$  and  $Y_2 = X_1 - X_2$   
To find the joint p.d.f of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$

The one-to-one transformation  $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$ ,  $y_2 = x_1 - x_2$   
maps A onto the space B.

$$y_1 + y_2 = 2x_1 \quad y_1 - y_2 = 2x_2$$

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2) \quad x_2 = \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)$$

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{vmatrix} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(y_1, y_2) &= h\left[\frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2), \frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)\right] |J| \\ &= f\left[\frac{1}{2}(y_1 + y_2)\right] + \left[\frac{1}{2}(y_1 - y_2)\right] |J| \\ &\leq 1 \quad \text{if } \frac{1}{2} \leq y_1, y_2 \in B \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \\ &= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere} \end{aligned}$$

The marginal p.d.f of  $Y_1$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(y_1) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(y_1, y_2) dy_2 \\ &= \int_{-y_1}^{y_1} \frac{1}{2} dy_2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (y_1) \Big|_{y_2=-y_1}^{y_1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (y_1 + y_1) \\ &= y_1 \\ g_1(y_1) &= \int_{y_1-2}^{2-y_1} \frac{1}{2} dy_2 \quad , \quad 1 < y_1 < 2 \\ &= 2 - y_1 \\ &= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere} \end{aligned}$$

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iii) By The marginal p.d.f  $g_2(y_2)$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(y_2) &= \int_{-y_2}^{y_2+2} \frac{1}{2} dy_1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [y_1]_{-y_2}^{y_2+2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [(y_2+2) + y_2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [2y_2 + 2] \\ &= y_2 + 1, \quad -1 \leq y_2 \leq 0 \\ &= \int_{y_2}^{2-y_2} y_2 dy_1 = 1-y_2, \quad 0 \leq y_2 < 1 \\ &= 0 \text{ elsewhere} \end{aligned}$$

## The Beta, t and F Distributions:

### The Beta distribution:

Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be two independent random variables that have Gamma distribution and joint p.d.f

$$h(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x_1^{\alpha-1} x_2^{\beta-1} e^{-x_1-x_2}, \quad 0 < x_1 < \infty \\ 0 < x_2 < \infty$$

= 0 elsewhere, where  $\alpha > 0, \beta > 0$

Let  $y_1 = x_1 + x_2$  and  $y_2 = x_1/(x_1 + x_2)$

Prove that  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are independent and find marginal p.d.f  $y_2$ .

Proof Let  $y_1 = u_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1 + x_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

$$y_2 = u_2(x_1, x_2) = \frac{x_1}{x_1 + x_2} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\text{From } \textcircled{2} \quad y_2 = \frac{x_1}{x_1 + x_2}$$

$$= \frac{x_1}{y}$$

$$\boxed{x_1 = y_1 y_2}$$

$$\text{Now } y_1 = x_1 + x_2$$

$$= y_1 y_2 + x_2$$

$$x_2 = y_1 - y_1 y_2$$

$$\boxed{x_2 = y_1(1-y_2)}$$

$$\text{Jacobian } J = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} y_2 & y_1 \\ 1-y_2 & -y_1 \end{vmatrix} = -y_1 y_2 - y_1(1-y_2) \\ = -y_1 y_2 - y_1 + y_1 y_2 \\ = -y_1 \neq 0$$

The transformation is one-to-one, and it maps A onto B

$$B = \{(y_1, y_2) : 0 < y_1 < \infty, 0 < y_2 < 1\} \text{ in the } y_1, y_2\text{-plane.}$$

The joint p.d.f. of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  is

$$\begin{aligned} g(y_1, y_2) &= h(x_1, x_2) |J| \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} x_1^{\alpha-1} x_2^{\beta-1} e^{-x_1 - x_2} (y_1) \\ &= (y_1) \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} (y_1 y_2)^{\alpha-1} [y_1(1-y_2)]^{\beta-1} e^{-y_1} \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} y_1^{\alpha-1} y_2^{\beta-1} y_1^{\beta-1} y_2^{\alpha-1} (1-y_2)^{\beta-1} e^{-y_1} \\ &= \frac{y_2^{\alpha-1} (1-y_2)^{\beta-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} y_1^{\alpha+\beta-1} e^{-y_1}, \quad 0 < y_1 < \infty, 0 < y_2 < 1 \\ &= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere} \end{aligned}$$

We know that the random variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  have the joint p.d.f.  $f(x_1, x_2)$ . Then  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are independent iff if and only if  $f(x_1, x_2)$  can be written as a product of a nonnegative function of  $x_1$  alone and nonnegative function  $x_2$  alone. That is

$$f(x_1, x_2) = g(x_1) h(x_2) \text{ where } g(x_1) > 0, x_1 \in A_1 \text{ zero}$$

elsewhere and  $h(x_2) > 0, x_2 \in A_2$  zero elsewhere

Thus the random variables are independent

Therefore

The marginal p.d.f of  $Y_2$  is

$$g_2(y_2) = \frac{y_2^{\alpha-1} (1-y_2)^{\beta-1}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^\infty y_1^{\alpha+\beta-1} e^{-y_1} dy_1$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)} y_2^{\alpha-1} (1-y_2)^{\beta-1}, \quad 0 < y_2 < 1$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

$$\left[ - \int_0^\infty y_1^{\alpha+\beta-1} e^{-y_1} dy_1 = \Gamma(\alpha+\beta) \right]$$

This p.d.f is the Beta distribution with parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .  
 Since  $g(y_1, y_2) = g_1(y_1) g_2(y_2)$  it must be that the p.d.f of  $y_1$  is

$$g_1(y_1) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)} y_1^{\alpha+\beta-1} e^{-y_1}, \quad 0 < y_1 < \infty$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

which is that of a gamma distribution with parameter values  $\alpha+\beta$  and 1.

Note: Mean and Variance of  $Y_2$ , which has a beta distribution with parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are

$$M = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta} \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta+1)(\alpha+\beta)^2}$$

### The t-distribution

Let  $W$  be a random variable that is  $N(0, 1)$ ; Let  $V$  be a random variable that is  $\chi^2(r)$ ; and let  $W$  and  $V$  be independent. Then the joint p.d.f of  $W$  and  $V$ , say  $h(w, v)$  is the product of the p.d.f of  $W$  and that of  $V$  or

$$h(w, v) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-w^2/2} \frac{1}{\Gamma(r/2) 2^{r/2}} v^{r/2-1} e^{-v/2};$$

$$-\infty < w < \infty, \quad 0 < v < \infty$$

$$= 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

Define a new random variable  $T$  by  $T = \frac{W}{\sqrt{V_r}}$

Find the p.d.f  $g_T(t)$  of  $T$ , by using Change of Variable Technique.

Proof: The equations  $t = \frac{w}{\sqrt{v_r}}$  and  $u = v$

Define a one-to-one transformation that maps  
 $A = \{(w, v) | -\infty < w < \infty, 0 < v < \infty\}$  onto  $B = \{(t, u) /$   
 $\begin{cases} -\infty < t < \infty, \\ 0 < u < \infty \end{cases}\}$

$$\text{Since } w = \frac{t\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}}, \quad u = v = u$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Jacobian } J &= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} & \frac{\partial w}{\partial u} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial u} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}} & \frac{t}{2\sqrt{r}\sqrt{u}} \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}} \end{aligned}$$

$$|J| = \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}}$$

The joint p.d.f of  $T$  is  $g(t, u) = h\left(\frac{t\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}}, u\right)|J|$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{w^2}{2}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{\frac{r}{2}}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{u}{2}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{\frac{r}{2}}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \exp\left[-\frac{w^2+u}{2}\right] \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{\frac{r}{2}}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \exp\left[-\frac{\frac{t^2 u}{2} + u}{2}\right] \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{\frac{r}{2}}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \exp\left[-\left(\frac{t^2 u}{2r} + \frac{u}{2}\right)\right] \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{r}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{r/2}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \exp\left[-\frac{u}{2}\left(1+\frac{t^2}{s}\right)\right] \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\sqrt{s}} ;$$

$-\infty < t < \infty, 0 < u < \infty$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

The marginal p.d.f of  $T$  is

$$g_1(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t, u) du$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{r/2}} u^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \exp\left[-\frac{u}{2}\left(1+\frac{t^2}{s}\right)\right] du$$

$$P_{WT} = \frac{u[1+(\frac{t^2}{s})]}{2}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{Limit} & & \\ P_{WT} & u=0 & z=0 \\ & u=\infty & z=\infty \end{array}$$

$$u = \frac{2z}{1+t^2/s}$$

$$du = \frac{2}{1+t^2/s} dz$$

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(t) &= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{r/2}} \left[ \frac{2z}{1+t^2/s} \right]^{\frac{r}{2}-1} e^{-z} \left( \frac{2}{1+t^2/s} \right) dz \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{r/2}} \int_0^{\infty} 2^{\frac{r}{2}-1} \left( \frac{z}{1+t^2/s} \right)^{\frac{r}{2}-1} e^{-z} \cdot 2 \left( \frac{1}{1+t^2/s} \right) dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2^{r/2} \sqrt{2\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2}) 2^{r/2}} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{z^{\frac{r}{2}-1}}{(1+t^2/s)^{\frac{r+1}{2}-1}} e^{-z} \left( \frac{1}{1+t^2/s} \right) dz \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2})} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{z^{\frac{r}{2}-1}}{(1+t^2/s)^{\frac{r+1}{2}}} \cdot \left( \frac{1+t^2/s}{s} \right) e^{-z} \left( \frac{1}{1+t^2/s} \right) dz \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi r}} \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r}{2})} \frac{1}{(1+t^2/s)^{\frac{r+1}{2}}} \int_0^{\infty} z^{\frac{r}{2}-1} e^{-z} dz \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\frac{r}{2})} \frac{1}{(1 + t^2)^{\frac{r+1}{2}}} \Gamma\left(\frac{r+1}{2}\right) \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \because \Gamma(x) = \\ = \int_0^\infty z^{x-1} e^{-z} dz \end{array} \right)$$

$$\boxed{g(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{r+1}{2})}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\frac{r}{2})} \frac{1}{(1 + t^2)^{\frac{r+1}{2}}}} \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Thus, if  $W \sim N(0, 1)$ , if  $V$  is  $\chi^2(r)$  and if  $W$  and  $V$  are independent then  $T = \frac{W}{\sqrt{V}}$  has the p.d.f  $g_T(t)$

The distribution of the random variable  $T$  is called a t-distribution (Student's distribution)  
(Student's t-distribution) [W.S. Gosset]

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### The F-distribution

Consider two independent Chi-Square random variables  $U$  and  $V$  having  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  degrees of freedom respectively. The joint p.d.f  $h(u, v)$  of  $U$  and  $V$  is then

$$h(u, v) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{r_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{r_2}{2})} \frac{(u+v)^{(r_1+r_2)/2}}{u^{r_1/2-1} v^{r_2/2-1}} e^{-(u+v)/2}, \quad 0 < u < \infty, \quad 0 < v < \infty$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

We define the new random variable

$$W = \frac{U/r_1}{V/r_2}$$

Find the p.d.f  $g_W(w)$

Proof: Let the equations  $w = \frac{u/r_1}{v/r_2}$ ,  $z = v$

Define a one-to-one transformation that maps the set  $A = \{(u, v) : 0 < u < \infty, 0 < v < \infty\}$  onto the set  $B = \{(w, z) : 0 < w < \infty, 0 < z < \infty\}$

$$\text{Now, } w = \frac{u/r_1}{v/r_2} \text{ and } z = v$$

$$\frac{u}{r_1} = \frac{wv}{r_2}$$

$$u = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) w v$$

$$\boxed{u = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) z w} \quad \therefore z = v$$

$$\text{and } \boxed{v = z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Jacobian } J &= \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial w} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial w} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \cancel{\left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right)} \cancel{z} & 0 \\ 0 & \cancel{\left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right)} \cancel{w} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) z & \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) w \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) z \end{aligned}$$

$$|J| = \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) z$$

$$\text{The joint p.d.f } g(w, z) = h(u, v) |J|$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right) 2^{\frac{(r_1+r_2)/2}{2}}} u^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1} v^{\frac{r_2}{2}-1} e^{-(u+v)/2} |J| \\ &= \frac{1}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right) 2^{\frac{(r_1+r_2)/2}{2}}} \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2} z w\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1} z^{\frac{r_2}{2}-1} \\ &\quad \exp\left[-\left(\frac{\frac{r_1}{r_2} z w + z}{2}\right)\right] \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right) z \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}) 2^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}} z^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}{2}}} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 z w}{\gamma_2} \right)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1} z^{\frac{\gamma_2}{2}-1} \\ \times \exp \left[ - \frac{z}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) \right] \frac{\gamma_1 z}{\gamma_2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}) 2^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}} z^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}{2}}} \left( \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} \right)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1} z^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1} w^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1} z^{\frac{\gamma_2}{2}-1} \\ \times \exp \left[ - \frac{z}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) \right] \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} z$$

$$g(w, z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}) 2^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}{2}}} \left( \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} \right)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}} w^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1} z^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}{2}-1} \\ \times \exp \left[ - \frac{z}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) \right], \\ 0 < w < \infty, \\ 0 < z < \infty$$

The marginal  $g_1(w)$  of  $w$  is

$$g_1(w) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(w, z) dz \\ = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\left( \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma_2} \right)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}} (w)^{\frac{\gamma_1}{2}-1}}{\Gamma(\frac{\gamma_1}{2}) \Gamma(\frac{\gamma_2}{2}) 2^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)/2}{2}}} z^{\frac{(\gamma_1+\gamma_2)}{2}-1} \exp \left[ - \frac{z}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) \right] dz \quad \rightarrow ①$$

$$\text{Put } y = \frac{z}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Limit} \\ y=0 \quad z=0 \\ y=\infty \quad z=\infty \end{array}$$

$$dy = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right) dz$$

$$z = \frac{2y}{\left( \frac{\gamma_1 w}{\gamma_2} + 1 \right)}$$

using in ①

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$$\begin{aligned}
 g_1(w) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{\left(\frac{w}{r_2}\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}} (w)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right) 2^{\frac{(r_1+r_2)}{2}}} \left( \frac{2y}{\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1} \right)^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}-1} e^{-y} \\
 &\quad \left( \frac{2}{\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1} \right) dy \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{w}{r_2}\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}} (w)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right) 2^{\frac{(r_1+r_2)}{2}}} \int_0^\infty \frac{2^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}-1} y^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}-1}}{\left(\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1\right)^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}-1}} \frac{2}{\left(\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1\right)} \\
 &\quad e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{w}{r_2}\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}} (w)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right) 2^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1\right)^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}}} \int_0^\infty y^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}-1} e^{-y} dy \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{w}{r_2}\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}} (w)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right)} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{r_1w}{r_2} + 1\right)^{\frac{(r_1+r_2)}{2}}} \Gamma\left(\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}\right) \\
 g_1(w) &= \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}\right) \left(\frac{w}{r_2}\right)^{\frac{r_1}{2}}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{r_1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{r_2}{2}\right)} \frac{(w)^{\frac{r_1}{2}-1}}{\left[1 + \frac{r_1w}{r_2}\right]^{\frac{r_1+r_2}{2}}}; \quad 0 < w < \infty
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $U$  and  $V$  are independent Chi-Square variables with  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  degrees of freedom respectively, then  $W = \frac{U/r_1}{V/r_2}$

has the p.d.f  $g_1(w)$ . The distribution of this random variable is called an F-distribution. We ~~can~~ call the ratio, which is denoted by  $W$ ,  $F$

That 
$$F = \frac{U/r_1}{V/r_2}$$

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### The moment-generating Function Technique:

Problem ① Let the independent random variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  have the same p.d.f

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{6}, x = 1, 2, 3 \\ = 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

Then the joint p.d.f of  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  is

$$f(x_1) f(x_2) = \frac{x_1 x_2}{36}, x_1, x_2 = 1, 2, 3 \\ = 0 \text{ elsewhere}$$

$$\text{Now } P(x_1 = 2, x_2 = 3) = \frac{(2)(3)}{36} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(x_1 + x_2 = 3), \text{ here } x_1 + x_2 = 3$$

The events are  $(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2)$  and  $(x_1 = 2, x_2 = 1)$

$$\text{Thus } P(x_1 + x_2 = 3) = P(x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2) + P(x_1 = 2, x_2 = 1) \\ = \frac{(1)(2)}{36} + \frac{(2)(1)}{36} = \frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9}$$

Let  $y$  represent any of the numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

The Probability of each of the events  $x_1 + x_2 = y$ ,

$y = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$  can be computed as in the case  $y = 3$

$$\text{Let } g(y) = P(x_1 + x_2 = y)$$

$y$	2	3	4	5	6
$g(y)$	$\frac{1}{36}$	$\frac{4}{36}$	$\frac{10}{36}$	$\frac{12}{36}$	$\frac{9}{36}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{For } x_1 + x_2 = 4 \\ & (1, 3), (2, 2) \\ & (3, 1) \\ & \frac{(1)(3)}{36} + \frac{(2)(2)}{36} \\ & + \frac{(3)(1)}{36} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{3}{36} + \frac{4}{36} = \frac{7}{36}$$

Now the m.g.f of  $y$  is

$$M(t) = E[e^{t(x_1 + x_2)}]$$

$$= E[e^{tx_1} e^{tx_2}]$$

$$= E[e^{tx_1}] E[e^{tx_2}] \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$\therefore x_1$  and  $x_2$  are independent

Hence  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  have the same distribution, so they have the same m.g.f

$$E(e^{tx_1}) = E(e^{tx_2}) = \frac{1}{6}e^t + \frac{2}{6}e^{2t} + \frac{3}{6}e^{3t}$$

Using in ①

$$M(t) = \left( \frac{1}{6}e^t + \frac{2}{6}e^{2t} + \frac{3}{6}e^{3t} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{36} (e^t + 2e^{2t} + 3e^{3t})^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{36} [e^{2t} + 4e^{4t} + 9e^{6t} + 4e^t \cdot e^{2t} + 6e^t \cdot e^{3t} + 12e^{2t} \cdot e^{3t}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{36} [e^{2t} + 4e^{4t} + 9e^{6t} + 4e^{3t} + 6e^{5t} + 12e^{4t}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{36} [e^{2t} + 4e^{3t} + 10e^{4t} + 12e^{5t} + 9e^{6t}]$$

$$= \frac{e^{2t}}{36} + \frac{4e^{3t}}{36} + \frac{10e^{4t}}{36} + \frac{12e^{5t}}{36} + \frac{9e^{6t}}{36}$$

In  $M(t)$ , the p.d.f  $g(y)$  of  $Y$  is except 0 at  $y = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$  and  $g(y)$  assumes the values  $\frac{1}{36}, \frac{4}{36},$

$$\frac{10}{36}, \frac{12}{36}, \frac{9}{36}$$

- ② Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be independent with normal distributions  $N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$  respectively. Define the random variable  $Y$  by  $Y = x_1 - x_2$ . Find the p.d.f  $g(y)$  of  $Y$ , using m.g.f technique.

Sol The m.g.f of  $Y$  is  $M(t) = E(e^{ty})$

$$= E[e^{t(x_1 - x_2)}]$$

$$= E[e^{tx_1 - tx_2}]$$

$$= E[e^{tx_1} \cdot e^{-tx_2}]$$

$$= E[e^{tx_1}] E[e^{-tx_2}] \rightarrow ①$$

Since  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are independent

$$E[e^{tx_1}] = \exp\left[\mu_1 t + \frac{\sigma_1^2 t^2}{2}\right]$$

$$E[e^{-tx_2}] = \exp\left[-\mu_2 t + \frac{\sigma_2^2 t^2}{2}\right]$$

Writing in ①

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= \exp\left[\mu_1 t + \frac{\sigma_1^2 t^2}{2}\right] \exp\left[-\mu_2 t + \frac{\sigma_2^2 t^2}{2}\right] \\ &= e^{\mu_1 t + \frac{\sigma_1^2 t^2}{2}} e^{-\mu_2 t + \frac{\sigma_2^2 t^2}{2}} \\ &= e^{\mu_1 t + \frac{\sigma_1^2 t^2}{2} - \mu_2 t + \frac{\sigma_2^2 t^2}{2}} \\ &= e^{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)t + \frac{(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)t^2}{2}} \\ &= \exp\left[(\mu_1 - \mu_2)t + \frac{(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)t^2}{2}\right] \end{aligned}$$

The distribution of  $Y$  completely determined by its m.g.f  $M(t)$ , and it is seen that  $Y$  has the p.d.f  $g(y)$  which is  $N(\mu_1 - \mu_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$

That is, the difference between two independent, normally distributed random variables is itself a random variable which normally distributed with mean equal to the difference of the means and the variance equal to the sum of the variances.

Theorem 1: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independent random variables having the normal distributions  $N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2), N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2), \dots, N(\mu_n, \sigma_n^2)$  respectively. The random variable  $y = k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_n x_n$ , where  $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n$  are real constants, is normally distributed with mean  $k_1 \mu_1 + k_2 \mu_2 + \dots + k_n \mu_n$  and variance  $k_1^2 \sigma_1^2 + k_2^2 \sigma_2^2 + \dots + k_n^2 \sigma_n^2$ . That is,  $y \sim N\left(\sum_1^n k_i \mu_i, \sum_1^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2\right)$

Proof: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be the independent random variables having the normal distribution  $N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2), N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2), \dots, N(\mu_n, \sigma_n^2)$  respectively.

Then the m.g.f of  $x_i$  is  $i=1, 2, \dots, n$

$$M(t) = \mathbb{E}[e^{tx_i}] = e^{\mu_i t + \frac{\sigma_i^2 t^2}{2}}, \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n.$$

①

Consider the random variable

$$y = k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_n x_n.$$

The m.g.f of  $y$  is

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= \mathbb{E}[e^{ty}] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[e^{t(k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_n x_n)}] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[e^{tk_1 x_1 + tk_2 x_2 + \dots + tk_n x_n}] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[e^{tk_1 x_1} e^{tk_2 x_2} \dots e^{tk_n x_n}] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[e^{tk_1 x_1}] \mathbb{E}[e^{tk_2 x_2}] \dots \mathbb{E}[e^{tk_n x_n}] \end{aligned}$$

②

Now  $\mathbb{E}[e^{tk_i x_i}] = \exp[\mu_i(k_i t) + \frac{\sigma_i^2 (k_i t)^2}{2}]$  since  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are independent from ①

Using in ② the m.g.f of  $y$  is.

$$M(t) = \exp[(k_1 \mu_1)t + \frac{(k_1^2 \sigma_1^2)t^2}{2}] \exp[(k_2 \mu_2)t + \frac{(k_2^2 \sigma_2^2)t^2}{2}] \dots \exp[(k_n \mu_n)t + \frac{(k_n^2 \sigma_n^2)t^2}{2}]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \prod_{i=1}^n \exp \left[ (\mu_i + \frac{\sigma_i^2}{2})t + \frac{(k_i^2 \sigma_i^2)t^2}{2} \right] \\
 &= \exp \left[ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n (\mu_i + \frac{\sigma_i^2}{2})t + \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2 t^2}{2} \right) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $y$  is  $N \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \mu_i, \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2 \right)$

Theorem 2: If  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are independent random variables with respective moment-generating function  $M_i(t)$ ,  $i=1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ , then the moment-generation function of  $y = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i$ , where  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  are real constants is  $M_y(t) = \prod_{i=1}^n M_i(a_i t)$ .

Proof The m.g.f of  $y$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_y(t) &= E[e^{ty}] \\
 &= E[e^{t(a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 + \dots + a_n x_n)}] \\
 &= E[e^{a_1 t x_1 + a_2 t x_2 + \dots + a_n t x_n}] \\
 &= E[e^{a_1 t x_1}] \cdot E[e^{a_2 t x_2}] \cdots E[e^{a_n t x_n}] \\
 &= E[e^{a_1 t x_1}] E[e^{a_2 t x_2}] \cdots E[e^{a_n t x_n}]
 \end{aligned}$$

↑①      ∵  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are independent

Since  $E[e^{t x_i}] = M_i(t)$ ,

$$E[e^{a_i t x_i}] = M_i(a_i t)$$

From ①, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_y(t) &= M_1(a_1 t) M_2(a_2 t) \cdots M_n(a_n t) \\
 &= \prod_{i=1}^n M_i(a_i t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Corollary: If  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are observations of a random sample from a distribution with moment-generating function  $M(t)$ , then

(a) The moment generating function of  $y = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$  is

$$M_y(t) = \prod_{i=1}^n M(t) = [M(t)]^n$$

(b) The moment generating function of  $\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$

is  $M_{\bar{x}}(t) = \prod_{i=1}^n M\left(\frac{t}{n}\right) = [M\left(\frac{t}{n}\right)]^n$

Proof: For (a), Let  $a_i = 1$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  in Theorem ②

For (b) take  $a_i = \frac{1}{n}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

① Problem: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote the outcomes on  $n$  Bernoulli trials. The m.g.f of  $x_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$  is

$$M(t) = 1 - p + pe^t$$

$$\text{If } y = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \text{ then } M_y(t) = \prod_{i=1}^n (1 - p + pe^t) \\ = (1 - p + pe^t)^n$$

Thus  $y$  is  $b(n, p)$

② Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  be the observations of a random sample of size  $n=3$  from the exponential distribution having mean  $\beta$  and, the m.g.f  $M(t) = \frac{1}{1-\beta t}$ ,  $t < \frac{1}{\beta}$

The m.g.f of  $y = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$  is

$$M_y(t) = [(1 - \beta t)^{-1}]^3 \\ = (1 - \beta t)^{-3}, \quad t < \frac{1}{\beta}$$

which is a gamma distribution with parameters  $\alpha = 3$  and  $\beta$

Thus  $y$  has gamma distribution.

The m.g.f of  $\bar{x}$  is

$$M_{\bar{x}}(t) = \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{\beta t}{3} \right)^{-1} \right]^3$$

$$= \left( 1 - \frac{\beta t}{3} \right)^{-3}, \quad t < \frac{3}{\beta}$$

Hence the distribution of  $\bar{x}$  is a gamma distribution with parameters  $\alpha = 3$  and  $\beta/3$  respectively.

Theorem 3: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independent variables that have the chi-square distributions  $\chi^2(r_1), \chi^2(r_2), \dots, \chi^2(r_n)$  respectively. Then the random variable  $y = x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n$  has a chi-square distribution with  $r_1 + r_2 + r_3 + \dots + r_n$  degrees of freedom. That is  $y \sim \chi^2(r_1 + r_2 + \dots + r_n)$

Proof: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independent random variables that have the chi-square distributions  $\chi^2(r_1), \chi^2(r_2), \dots, \chi^2(r_n)$

The m.g.f of Chi-Square distribution is.

$$M_i(t) = E(e^{tx_i}) = (1 - 2t)^{-r_i/2}, \quad t < \frac{1}{2}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

From the theorem 2 with  $a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} M(t) &= E(e^{ty}) \\ &= E(e^{t(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n)}) \\ &= E[e^{tx_1 + tx_2 + \dots + tx_n}] \\ &= E[e^{tx_1} \cdot e^{tx_2} \cdots e^{tx_n}] \\ &= E[e^{tx_1}] E[e^{tx_2}] \cdots E[e^{tx_n}] \\ &= (1 - 2t)^{-r_1/2} \cdot (1 - 2t)^{-r_2/2} \cdots (1 - 2t)^{-r_n/2} \\ &\quad -(r_1 + r_2 + \dots + r_n)/2 \\ &= (1 - 2t)^{-\frac{(r_1 + r_2 + \dots + r_n)}{2}}, \quad t < \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

This is m.g.f of a distribution  $\chi^2(r_1 + r_2 + \dots + r_n)$ ,  $t < \frac{1}{2}$

Thus  $y$  has the chi-square distribution with  $r_1 + r_2 + \dots + r_n$  degrees of freedom.

Theorem 4:

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote a random sample of size  $n$  from a distribution  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ . The random variable  $y = \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2$  has a Chi-Square distribution with  $n$  degrees of freedom.

### The Distributions of $\bar{X}$ and $nS^2/\sigma^2$

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be the random sample of size  $n \geq 2$  from a distribution  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ . In this section we investigate the distributions of the mean and the Variance of this random sample. That the distributions of the two statistics  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$  and  $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$

From the theorem ① of unit II, we have  $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_n = \mu$ ,  $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2 = \dots = \sigma_n^2 = \sigma^2$  and  $k_1 = k_2 = \dots = k_n = 1/n$ . Then  $Y = \bar{X}$  has a normal distribution with mean and Variance given by  $\sum_1^n \left( \frac{1}{n} \mu \right) = \mu$ ,  $\sum_1^n \left[ \left( \frac{1}{n} \right)^2 \sigma^2 \right] = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$ .

Then  $\bar{X}$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$

### Properties of $\bar{X}$ and $S^2$

The sample arises from a distribution  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ :

1,  $\bar{X}$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$

2,  $nS^2/\sigma^2$  is  $\chi^2(n-1)$

3,  $\bar{X}$  and  $S^2$  are independent

### Expectations of Functions of Random Variables

Problem ① Let  $x_i$  be a random variable with mean  $\mu_i$  and Variance  $\sigma_i^2$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be independent and let  $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n$  denote real constants. Find the mean and Variance of a linear function  $y = k_1 x_1 + k_2 x_2 + \dots + k_n x_n$ .

Sol Since  $E$  is a linear operator, the mean of  $y$  is

given by

$$\mu_y = E(y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= E(k_1x_1 + k_2x_2 + \dots + k_nx_n) \\
 &= E(k_1x_1) + E(k_2x_2) + \dots + E(k_nx_n) \\
 &= k_1E(x_1) + k_2E(x_2) + \dots + k_nE(x_n) \\
 &= k_1\mu_1 + k_2\mu_2 + \dots + k_n\mu_n \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i\mu_i
 \end{aligned}$$

The Variance of  $y$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_y^2 &= E\left\{[(k_1x_1 + k_2x_2 + \dots + k_nx_n) - (k_1\mu_1 + k_2\mu_2 + \dots + k_n\mu_n)]^2\right\} \\
 &= E\left\{[k_1(x_1 - \mu_1) + k_2(x_2 - \mu_2) + \dots + k_n(x_n - \mu_n)]^2\right\} \\
 &= E\left\{\sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2(x_i - \mu_i)^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} k_i k_j (x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j)\right\} \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 E[(x_i - \mu_i)^2] + 2 \sum_{i < j} k_i k_j E[(x_i - \mu_i) \cdot \underset{(x_j - \mu_j)}{\overbrace{(x_j - \mu_j)}}]
 \end{aligned}$$

Consider  $E[(x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j)]$ ,  $i < j$ . Because  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  are independent, we have

$$E[(x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j)] = E(x_i - \mu_i) E(x_j - \mu_j) = 0.$$

Writing in ①

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_y^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 E[(x_i - \mu_i)^2] \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark: If  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are independent, then we have

$\rho_{ij}$  is the Correlation ~~Coefficient~~ Coefficient of  $x_i$  and  $x_j$ .

Thus we have

$$E[(x_i - \mu_i)(x_j - \mu_j)] = \rho_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j, \quad i < j$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu_y = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i \mu_i$$

$$\sigma_y^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} \sum k_i k_j \rho_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j$$

Theorem: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be the random variables have means  $\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_n$  and variances  $\sigma_1^2, \sigma_2^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2$ . Let  $\rho_{ij}, i \neq j$  denote the correlation coefficient of  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  and let  $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n$  denote real constants. The mean and the variance of the linear function  $y = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i x_i$  are  $M_y = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i \mu_i$  and  $\sigma_y^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \sigma_i^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} k_i k_j \rho_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j$

Corollary: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote the observations of a random sample of size  $n$  from a distribution that has mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ . The mean and the variance of  $y = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i x_i$  are  $M_y = (\sum_{i=1}^n k_i) \mu$  and  $\sigma_y^2 = (\sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2) \sigma^2$

Problem:

- ① Let  $\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$  denote the mean of a random sample of size  $n$  from a distribution that has mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ . In accordance with the Corollary, we have  $M_{\bar{x}} = \mu \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \mu$  and  $\sigma_{\bar{x}}^2 = \sigma^2 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)^2\right) = \sigma^2/n$ . and then  $\bar{x}$  is  $N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$

### Limiting Distributions:

#### Limiting Moment-generating Functions:

To find the limiting distribution function of a random variable  $Y_n$  by use of the definition of limiting distribution function obviously requires that  $F_n(y)$  for each positive integer  $n$ .

Theorem: ① Let the random variable  $Y_n$  have the distribution function  $F_n(y)$  and the moment-generating function  $M(t; n)$  that exists for  $-h < t < h$  for all  $n$ . If there exists a distribution function  $F(y)$  with corresponding moment generating function  $M(t)$ , defined for  $|t| \leq h$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(t; n) = M(t)$ , then  $Y_n$  has a limiting distribution with distribution function  $F(y)$ .

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Consider the limit  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{b}{n} + \frac{\gamma(n)}{n} \right]^{cn} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

where  $b$  and  $c$  do not depend upon  $n$  and where  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(n) = 0$

Then, we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{b}{n} + \frac{\gamma(n)}{n} \right]^{cn} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 + \frac{b}{n} \right)^{cn}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 + \frac{b}{n} \right)^{nc}$$

$$= e^{bc}$$

$$\text{For example } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{t^2}{n} + \frac{t^3}{n^{3/2}} \right)^{-n/2}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{t^2}{n} + \frac{t^3/\sqrt{n}}{n} \right)^{-n/2} \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Comparing \textcircled{2} and \textcircled{3} we have

$$b = -t^2, c = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ and } \gamma(n) = \frac{t^3}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Then we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Determine } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{t^2}{n} + \frac{t^3}{n^{3/2}} \right)^{-n/2} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{t^2}{n} \right)^{-n/2} \\ &= e^{t^2/2} \end{aligned}$$

Problem Let  $Y_n$  have a distribution  $B(n, p)$ . Suppose that the mean  $M = np$  is the same for every  $n$ ; that is  $p = \mu_n$  where  $\mu$  is a constant. Find the limiting distribution of the binomial distribution, when  $p = \mu_n$ .

$$\text{Sol} \quad M(t; n) = E(e^{tY_n})$$

$$= [(1-p) + pe^t]^n$$

$$= \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{\mu}{n} \right) + \frac{\mu}{n} e^t \right]^n$$

$$= \left[ 1 - \frac{\mu}{n} + \frac{\mu}{n} e^t \right]^n$$

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$$= \left[ 1 + \frac{M(e^t - 1)}{n} \right]^n; \text{ for all real values of } t$$

Taking limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  on both sides

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(t; n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{M(e^t - 1)}{n} \right]^n$$

$$= e^{M(e^t - 1)} \text{ for all real values of } t.$$

This is a Poisson distribution with mean  $M$   
 Thus  $Y_n$  has a limiting Poisson distribution with  
 mean  $M$ .

Problem: ②: Let  $Z_n$  be  $\chi^2(n)$ . Then the m.g.f of  $Z_n$  is  $(1-2t)^{-\frac{n}{2}}$ ,  
 $t < \frac{1}{2}$ . The mean and the Variance of  $Z_n$  are  $n$  and  $2n$  respectively. Find the limiting distribution of the random variable  $Y_n = (Z_n - n)/\sqrt{2n}$

Sol The m.g.f of  $Y_n$  is

$$M(t; n) = E[e^{tY_n}]$$

$$= E\left[\exp\left[t\left(\frac{Z_n - n}{\sqrt{2n}}\right)\right]\right]$$

$$= E\left[e^{-tn/\sqrt{2n}} \cdot e^{tZ_n/\sqrt{2n}}\right]$$

$$= e^{-tn/\sqrt{2n}} E\left[e^{tZ_n/\sqrt{2n}}\right]$$

$$= e^{-t\sqrt{n}/\sqrt{2}} \left[ 1 - 2 \frac{t}{\sqrt{2n}} \right]^{-\frac{n}{2}}; t < \frac{\sqrt{2n}}{2}$$

$$\therefore M(t; n) = \left[ e^{-t\sqrt{2n}} - t\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}} e^{t\sqrt{2n}} \right]^{-\frac{n}{2}}, t < \sqrt{\frac{n}{2}}$$

From Taylor's formula, there exists a number  $\xi(n)$  between 0 and  $t\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}}$  such that

$$e^{t\sqrt{2n}} = 1 + t\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}} + \frac{1}{2} \left( t\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}} \right)^2 + \frac{\xi(n)}{6} \left( t\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}} \right)^3$$

If this sum is substituted for  $e^{t\sqrt{2n}}$  in the last expression

for  $M(t; n)$

$$M(t; n) = \left(1 - \frac{t^2}{n} + \frac{\gamma(n)}{n}\right)^{-t^2/2} \text{ where}$$

$$\gamma(n) = \frac{\sqrt{2} t^3 e^{\varepsilon(n)}}{3\sqrt{n}} - \frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot t^3}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{2t^4 e^{\varepsilon(n)}}{3n}$$

As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\varepsilon(n) \rightarrow 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(n) = 0$  for every fixed value of  $t$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(t; n) = e^{t^2/2} \text{ for all real values of } t.$$

Thus, the random variable  $Y_n = (Z_n - n)/\sqrt{2n}$  has a limiting standard normal distribution

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If this sum is substituted for  $e^{t\sqrt{2n}}$  in the last expression

for  $M(t; h)$

$$M(t; h) = \left(1 - \frac{t^2}{h} + \frac{\gamma(h)}{h}\right)^{-\frac{h}{2}} \quad \text{where}$$

$$\gamma(h) = \frac{\sqrt{2} t^3 e^{\xi(h)}}{3\sqrt{h}} - \frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot t^3}{\sqrt{h}} - \frac{2t^4 e^{\xi(h)}}{3h}$$

As  $h \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\xi(h) \rightarrow 0$ , then  $\lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} \gamma(h) = 0$  for every fixed value of  $t$

$$\therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} M(t; h) = e^{\frac{t^2}{2}} \quad \text{for all real values of } t.$$

Thus, the random variable  $Y_n = (Z_n - h)/\sqrt{2h}$  has a limiting standard normal distribution

### State and Prove the Central Limit Theorem

Statement :-

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote the observations of a random sample from a distribution that has mean  $\mu$  and positive variance  $\sigma^2$ . Then the random variable  $Y_n = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n\mu\right)/\sqrt{n\sigma^2} = \sqrt{n}(\bar{x}_n - \mu)/\sigma$  has a limiting distribution that is normal with mean zero and variance one.

Proof: We assume that m.g.f  $M(t) = E(e^{tx})$ ,  $-h < t < h$  of the distribution.  $\rightarrow ①$

Replace the m.g.f by the characteristic function

$$\phi(t) = E(e^{itx})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Consider the function } m(t) &= E[e^{t(x-\mu)}] \\ &= E[e^{tx} \cdot e^{-\mu t}] \\ &= e^{-\mu t} E[e^{tx}] \\ &= e^{-\mu t} M(t), \quad \text{from } ① \end{aligned}$$

Since  $m(t)$  is the m.g.f for  $x - \mu$ ,

$$m(t) = e^{-\mu t} M(t) \quad m'(t) = e^{-\mu t} M'(t) + M(t) e^{-\mu t} (-\mu) \quad \text{from } ①$$

$$m(0) = 1 \quad m'(0) = E(x - \mu) = 0$$

$$m''(0) = E[(x - \mu)^2] = \sigma^2$$

By Taylor's formula there exists a number  $\xi$  between 0 and  $t$   
such that

$$m(t) = m(0) + m'(0)t + \frac{m''(\xi)t^2}{2}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{m''(\xi)t^2}{2}$$

If  $\frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}$  is added and subtracted, then

$$m(t) = 1 + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2} + \frac{m''(\xi)t^2 - \sigma^2 t^2}{2}$$

$$m(t) = 1 + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2} + \frac{[m''(\xi) - \sigma^2]t^2}{2} \rightarrow ①$$

Next, Consider  $M(t; n)$ ,

$$M(t; n) = E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{\sum x_i - n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) - (\mu + \mu + \dots + \mu)}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{(x_1 - \mu) + (x_2 - \mu) + \dots + (x_n - \mu)}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x_1 - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \cdot \exp \left( t \frac{x_2 - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \dots \exp \left( t \frac{x_n - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x_1 - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right] E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x_2 - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right] \dots E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x_n - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right] E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right] \dots E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]$$

$$= \left\{ E \left[ \exp \left( t \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right] \right\}^n$$

$$M(t; n) = \left[ m \left( \frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) \right]^n ; \quad -h < \frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} < h \rightarrow ②$$

In equation ① replace  $t$  by  $\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}$ , we have

$$m \left( \frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) = 1 + \frac{\sigma^2 \frac{t^2}{\sigma^2 n}}{2} + \frac{[m''(\xi) - \sigma^2] \frac{t^2}{\sigma^2 n}}{2}$$

$$m \left( \frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \right) = 1 + \frac{t^2}{2n} + \frac{[m''(\xi) - \sigma^2] t^2}{2n\sigma^2} \rightarrow ③$$

Where now  $\xi$  is between 0 and  $\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}$  with  $-\infty < t < \infty$

Using ③ in ②

$$M(t; n) = \left\{ 1 + \frac{t^2}{2n} + \frac{[m''(\xi) - \sigma^2]t^2}{2n\sigma^2} \right\}^n$$

Since  $m''(t)$  is continuous at  $t=0$  and since  $\xi \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

we have  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [m''(\xi) - \sigma^2] = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(t; n) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{t^2}{2n} + \frac{[m''(\xi) - \sigma^2]t^2}{2n\sigma^2} \right]^n \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{t^2}{2n} \right]^n \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{\frac{t^2}{2}}{n} \right]^n \end{aligned}$$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(t; n) = e^{t^2/2}$  for all real values of  $t$ .

Thus, the random variable  $Y_n = \sqrt{n}(\bar{x}_n - \mu)/\sigma$  has a limiting standard normal distribution.

## Introduction to Statistical Inference

### Defn Parameter Space

Let a random variable  $x$  have a p.d.f, that is of known functional form but its p.d.f depends upon an unknown parameter  $\theta$  that may have any value in a set  $\Omega$ . It is denoted as  $f(x)$ , p.d.f  $f(x; \theta)$ ,  $\theta \in \Omega$ . The set  $\Omega$  is called the parameter space.

Ex, If  $x \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  then the parameter space is

$$\Omega = \{(\mu, \sigma^2) : -\infty < \mu < \infty; 0 < \sigma^2 < \infty\}$$

In particular, for  $\sigma^2=1$ , the family of probability distributions is given by  $\{N(\mu, 1) ; \mu \in \Omega\}$ , where

$$\Omega = \{ \mu : -\infty < \mu < \infty \}.$$

Note: The estimating functions are then referred to as estimators.

### Calculation of Point estimates

Problem: ① Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be the random sample from the distribution with p.d.f

$$f(x) = \theta^x (1-\theta)^{1-x}, \quad x=0, 1$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere, where } 0 \leq \theta \leq 1.$$

Find the point estimates

Sol The probability  ~~$x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$~~  that  $x_1=x_1, x_2=x_2, \dots, x_n=x_n$  is

the joint p.d.f

$$\theta^{x_1} (1-\theta)^{1-x_1} \theta^{x_2} (1-\theta)^{1-x_2} \dots \theta^{x_n} (1-\theta)^{1-x_n} = \theta^{\sum x_i} (1-\theta)^{n-\sum x_i}$$

where  $x_i$  equals to zero or 1,  
 $i=1, 2, \dots, n$ .

$$\text{Let } L(\theta) = \theta^{\sum x_i} (1-\theta)^{n-\sum x_i} \quad \text{where } 0 \leq \theta \leq 1$$

This function is called the Likelihood function

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The value of  $\theta$  is to be maximized the probability  $L(\theta)$  of obtaining this particular observed sample  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$

Taking logarithm of ① on both sides

$$\log [L(\theta)] = \log \left[ \theta^{\sum x_i} (1-\theta)^{n-\sum x_i} \right]$$

$$= \log \theta^{\sum x_i} + \log (1-\theta)^{n-\sum x_i}$$

$$\log [L(\theta)] = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \log \theta + (n - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i) \cancel{\log \theta} \log (1-\theta)$$

Diffr w.r.t  $\theta$  on both sides

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d[\log(L(\theta))]}{d\theta} &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} + (n - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i) \cdot \frac{1}{(1-\theta)} (-1) \\ &= \frac{\sum x_i}{\theta} - \frac{(n - \sum x_i)}{(1-\theta)} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\theta$  is maximum or minimum.

$$\frac{d[\log(L(\theta))]}{d\theta} = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sum x_i}{\theta} - \frac{(n - \sum x_i)}{1-\theta} = 0 ; \text{ Provided that } \theta \text{ is not equal to zero or } 1$$

$$\underbrace{(1-\theta) \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \theta(n - \sum x_i)}_{\theta(1-\theta)} = 0$$

$$(1-\theta) \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \theta(n - \sum x_i) = 0$$

$$(1-\theta) \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \theta(n - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i)$$

$$\sum x_i - \theta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \theta n - \theta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$n\theta = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\boxed{\theta = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}}$$

That  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$  actually maximizes  $L(\theta)$  and  $\log L(\theta)$  can be easily verified, in which all of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$

equal zero together or 1 together.

That is  $\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$  is the value of  $\theta$  that maximizes  $\theta$ .

The Corresponding statistics

$\hat{\theta} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{x}$  is called the maximum likelihood estimator of  $\theta$ . The observed value of  $\hat{\theta} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$  is called the maximum likelihood estimate of  $\theta$ .

### Likelihood function

Consider a random sample  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  from a distribution having p.d.f  $f(x; \theta)$ ,  $\theta \in \Omega$ . The joint p.d.f of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  is  $f(x_1; \theta) f(x_2; \theta) \dots f(x_n; \theta)$ . This joint p.d.f may be regarded as a function of  $\theta$ , which is denoted by

$$L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = f(x_1; \theta) f(x_2; \theta) \dots f(x_n; \theta), \quad \theta \in \Omega$$

This is called likelihood function.

Problem ②: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from the normal distribution  $N(\theta, 1)$ ,  $-\infty < \theta < \infty$ . Here

$$L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \theta)^2}{2} \right] \rightarrow ①$$

Find the maximum likelihood estimator?

$$\text{Sol} \quad \text{Let } L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \theta)^2}{2} \right]$$

Taking logarithm on both Sides

$$\begin{aligned} \log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) &= \log \left[ \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \theta)^2}{2} \right] \right] \\ &= \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n + \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \theta)^2}{2} \right] \\ &= n \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^* - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \theta)^2}{2} \rightarrow ② \end{aligned}$$

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Likelihood function maximize or minimize

$$\frac{\partial [\log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)]}{\partial \theta} = 0$$

$$n \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right) - \frac{\sum (x_i - \theta)^2}{2} = 0$$

Dif ② w.r.t  $\theta$  both sides

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial [\log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)]}{\partial \theta} &= -\cancel{n} \frac{\sum (x_i - \theta)}{\cancel{n}} (-1) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{\partial [\log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)]}{\partial \theta} = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Then } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta) = 0$$

$$(x_1 - \theta) + (x_2 - \theta) + \dots + (x_n - \theta) = 0$$

$$(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) - (n\theta) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = n\theta$$

$$\theta = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$$

$$\therefore \hat{\theta} = u(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \bar{x}$$

is the unique m.l.e of the mean  $\theta$ .

Definition: Any statistic whose mathematical expectation is equal to a parameter  $\theta$  is called an unbiased estimator of the parameter  $\theta$ . Otherwise, the statistic is said to be biased.

$$\text{i.e. } E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$$

Definition: Any statistic that converges in probability to a parameter  $\theta$  is called a ~~best~~ consistent estimator of the parameter  $\theta$ .

Problem ① Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  represent a random sample from each of the distributions having the p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right) e^{-x/\theta}, \quad 0 < x < \infty, \quad 0 < \theta < \infty.$$

= zero elsewhere

Find the m.l.e  $\hat{\theta}$  of  $\theta$ .

Sol The likelihood function is.

$$L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right) e^{-x_i/\theta} \quad \therefore \frac{1}{\theta} = \theta^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta^n} e^{-\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{\theta}}$$

Taking logarithm on both sides

$$\log [L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)] = \log \left[ \theta^{-n} e^{-\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{\theta}} \right]$$

$$= \log \theta^{-n} + \left( -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{\theta} \right)$$

$$\log [L(\theta; x_1, \dots, x_n)] = -n \log \theta - \frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \rightarrow ①$$

Diffr ① w.r.t  $\theta$

$$\frac{d [\log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)]}{d\theta} = \frac{-n}{\theta} + \frac{1}{\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

If  $\frac{d [\log L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)]}{d\theta} = 0$

Then  $\frac{-n}{\theta} + \frac{1}{\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0$

$$\frac{1}{\theta^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \frac{n}{\theta}$$

$$\frac{1}{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = n$$

$$\theta = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\theta = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} = \bar{x}$$

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i. The m.l.e  $\hat{\theta}$  of  $\theta$  is  $\bar{x}$

Problem Let  $f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\theta}, 0 < x \leq \theta, 0 < \theta < \infty$   
 $= 0, \text{ elsewhere}$

Obtain the maximum likelihood estimator  $\hat{\theta}$  for  $\theta$ .

So The likelihood function is

$$L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \frac{1}{\theta} \frac{1}{\theta} \cdots \frac{1}{\theta} = \frac{1}{\theta^n}, 0 < x_i < \theta$$

Taking Logarithm on both Sides

$$\log [L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)] = \log \left( \frac{1}{\theta^n} \right) \\ = \log (\theta^{-n})$$

$$\log [L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)] = -n \log \theta \rightarrow ①$$

Diff w.r.t  $\theta$  on both sides

$$\frac{d[\log (L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n))]}{d\theta} = -\frac{n}{\theta}$$

Now  $\frac{d[\log (L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n))]}{d\theta} = 0$

$$\frac{-n}{\theta} = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \infty$$

In this case  $\theta \geq \text{each } x_i$  in particular

$\theta \geq \max(x_i)$

Thus  $L$  can be made no larger than  $\frac{1}{[\max(x_i)]^n}$

and the unique m.l.e.  $\hat{\theta}$  of  $\theta$  is the  $n^{\text{th}}$  order statistic  $\max(x_i)$ . That is  $E[\max(x_i)] = \frac{n\theta}{n+1}$

Thus the m.l.e of  $\theta$  is biased.

Note: The property unbiasedness is not in general property of a m.l.e.

Problem Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from a distribution  $N(\theta_1, \theta_2)$ ,  $-\infty < \theta_1 < \infty$ ,  $0 < \theta_2 < \infty$ . Find the  $\hat{\theta}_1$  and  $\hat{\theta}_2$ , the maximum likelihood estimators of  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$ .

Sol The logarithm of the likelihood function may be written in the form

$$\log L(\theta_1, \theta_2; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = -\frac{1}{2\theta_2} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2 - \frac{n \log(2\pi\theta_2)}{2}$$

We maximize by differentiation of ①

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1} [\log L] = -2 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2\theta_2} (-1) - 0$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{\theta_2} \rightarrow ②$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_2} [\log L] = -\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2} \left( \frac{-1}{\theta_2^2} \right) - \frac{n}{2} \frac{1}{2\pi\theta_2^{2.5}}$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2\theta_2^2} - \frac{n}{4\theta_2^2} \rightarrow ③$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_2} [\log L] = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2\theta_2^2} - \frac{n}{2\theta_2} \rightarrow ③$$

Now  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1} = 0$ , and  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_2} = 0$

From ② and ③, we have

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{\theta_2} = 0$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2\theta_2^2} - \frac{n}{2\theta_2} = 0$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{2\theta_2^2} = \frac{n}{2\theta_2}$$

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$$\frac{\sum (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{\theta_2} = n$$

$$\theta_2 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \theta_1)^2}{n} \rightarrow ④$$

$$\text{Now } \sum (x_i - \theta_1)^2 = 0$$

$$\sum (x_i - \theta_1) = 0$$

$$(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) - n\theta_1 = 0$$

$$n\theta_1 = \sum x_i$$

$$\theta_1 = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} = \bar{x}$$

using in ④

$$\theta_2 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n} = s^2$$

$$\text{Hence } \theta_1 = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} = \bar{x}$$

$$\theta_2 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n} = s^2$$

Thus the maximum likelihood estimators of  $\theta_1 = \mu$  and  $\theta_2 = \sigma^2$  are the mean and variance of sample  $\hat{\theta}_1 = \bar{x}$  and  $\hat{\theta}_2 = s^2$  respectively.

Results: Here  $\hat{\theta}_1$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta_1$ ,  
the estimator  $\hat{\theta}_2 = s^2$  is biased

$$\begin{aligned} E(\hat{\theta}_2) &= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} E\left(\frac{n \hat{\theta}_2}{\sigma^2}\right) \\ &= \frac{\sigma^2}{n} E\left[\frac{n s^2}{\sigma^2}\right] \\ &= \frac{(n-1)\sigma^2}{n} = \frac{(n-1)\theta_2}{n} \end{aligned}$$

## Confidence Intervals for Means

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ ,  $\sigma^2$  is known. Consider the maximum likelihood estimator of  $\mu$  is  $\hat{\mu} = \bar{x}$ . Then  $\bar{x}$  is  $N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$  and  $\frac{(\bar{x} - \mu)}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$  is

$N(0, 1)$ . Thus

$$P\left[-2 < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} < 2\right] = 0.954$$

$$\text{Now } -2 < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} < 2$$

$$-\frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} < \bar{x} - \mu < \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\bar{x} - \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} < \mu < \bar{x} + \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\therefore P\left(\bar{x} - \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} < \mu < \bar{x} + \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right) = 0.954$$

Since  $\sigma$  is known number, each of the random variables

$\bar{x} - \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$  and  $\bar{x} + \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$  is a statistic. The interval

$\left[\bar{x} - \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}, \bar{x} + \frac{2\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right]$  is a random interval

Note: The number 0.954 is called the confidence coefficient

Result: The Confidence coefficient is equal to the probability

that the random interval includes the parameter.

We obtain an 80, a 90, or a 99 percent confidence

interval for  $\mu$  by using 1.282, 1.645 or 2.576, respectively, instead of the constant 2.

Problem If  $n = 40$ ,  $\sigma^2 = 10$  and  $\bar{x} = 7.164$  then

$$(7.164 - 1.282 \sqrt{\frac{10}{40}}, 7.164 + 1.282 \sqrt{\frac{10}{40}})$$

$(6.523, 7.805)$  is 80 percent confidence interval for  $\mu$

Thus, we have an interval estimate of  $\mu$

Problem Let  $\bar{x}$  denote the mean of a random sample of size 25 from a distribution having Variance  $\sigma^2 = 100$  and  $\mu$ . Since  $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 2$  then approximately

$$P\left(-1.96 < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{2} < 1.96\right) = 0.95$$

$$P(-3.92 < \bar{x} - \mu < 3.92) = 0.95$$

$$P(\bar{x} - 3.92 < \mu < \bar{x} + 3.92) = 0.95$$

Let the observed mean of the sample be  $\bar{x} = 67.53$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \bar{x} - 3.92 &= 67.53 - 3.92 \\ &= 63.61 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} + 3.92 &= 67.53 + 3.92 \\ &= 71.45 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(63.61, 71.45)$  is approximate 95 percent confidence interval for the mean  $\mu$ .

Problem Let the observed value of the mean of random sample of size 20 from a distribution that  $N(\mu, 80)$  be 81.2. Find a 95 percent confidence interval for  $\mu$

Ans  $(77.28, 85.12)$

Given  $n = 20$   $\bar{x} = 81.2$   $\sigma^2 = 80$

$$\text{So } \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{20}} = \frac{8.94}{4.47} = 2.01$$

$$= 2$$

$$P\left(-1.96 < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{2} < 1.96\right) = 0.95$$

$$P(-3.92 < \bar{x} - \mu < 3.92) = 0.95$$

$$P(\bar{x} - 3.92 < \mu < \bar{x} + 3.92) = 0.95$$

Let the observed mean of sample be  $\bar{x} = 81.2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \bar{x} - 3.92 &= 81.2 - 3.92 \\ &= 77.28 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} + 3.92 &= 81.2 + 3.92 \\ &= 85.12 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(77.28, 85.12)$  is approximate 95 percent  
Confidence interval for mean  $\mu$

Finding a Confidence interval for the mean  $\mu$  of a normal distribution (t-distribution)

$$T = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - \mu)\sigma}{\sqrt{n}s^2/\sigma^2(n-1)} = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n-1}}$$

has a t-distribution with  $n-1$  degrees of freedom,  
whatever the value of  $\sigma^2 \geq 0$

Given positive integer  $n$  and a ~~probable~~ probability  
of  $0.95$ , we can find a number  $b$  from such that

$$P\left(-b < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n-1}} < b\right) = 0.95$$

$$P\left(-\frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}} < \bar{x} - \mu < \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}}\right) = 0.95$$

$$P\left(\bar{x} - \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}} < \mu < \bar{x} + \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}}\right) = 0.95$$

Then the interval  $[\bar{x} - (bs/\sqrt{n-1}), \bar{x} + (bs/\sqrt{n-1})]$   
is a random interval having probability  $0.95$  of  
including the unknown fixed point  $\mu$

Result: If the experimental values of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  with  $s^2 = \sum_1^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 / n$  where  $\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_1^n x_i$  then the interval  $[\bar{x} - (bs/\sqrt{n-1}), \bar{x} + (bs/\sqrt{n-1})]$  is 95 percent ~~Confined~~ Confidence interval for  $\mu$  for every  $\sigma^2 > 0$

Problem If  $n=10$   $\bar{x}=3.22$  and  $s=1.17$  then the interval  $[3.22 - (2.262)(1.17)/\sqrt{9}, 3.22 + (2.262)(1.17)/\sqrt{9}]$   $(2.34, 4.10)$  is a 95 percent confidence interval for  $\mu$ .

$$P(\bar{x} - 3.92 < \mu < \bar{x} + 3.92) = 0.95$$

Let the observed mean of sample be  $\bar{x} = 81.2$

$$\text{Now } \bar{x} - 3.92 = 81.2 - 3.92 \\ = 77.28$$

$$\bar{x} + 3.92 = 81.2 + 3.92 \\ = 85.12$$

Thus  $(77.28, 85.12)$  is approximate 95 percent  
Confidence interval for mean  $\mu$

Finding a confidence interval for the mean  $\mu$  of a normal distribution (t-distribution)

$$T = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - \mu)\sigma}{\sqrt{n}s^2/\sigma^2(n-1)} = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n-1}}$$

has a t-distribution with  $n-1$  degrees of freedom,  
whatever the value of  $\sigma^2 > 0$

Given positive integer  $n$  and a probability  
of 0.95, we can find a number  $b$  from such that

$$P(-b < \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n-1}} < b) = 0.95$$

$$P\left(-\frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}} < \bar{x} - \mu < \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}}\right) = 0.95$$

$$P\left(\bar{x} - \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}} < \mu < \bar{x} + \frac{bs}{\sqrt{n-1}}\right) = 0.95$$

Then the interval  $[\bar{x} - (bs/\sqrt{n-1}), \bar{x} + (bs/\sqrt{n-1})]$   
is a random interval having probability 0.95 of  
including the unknown fixed point  $\mu$

Result: If the experimental values of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  with  $s^2 = \sum_1^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 / n$  where  $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n}$  then the interval  $[\bar{x} - (bs/\sqrt{n-1}), \bar{x} + (bs/\sqrt{n-1})]$  is 95 percent Confident Confidence interval for  $\mu$  for every  $\sigma^2 > 0$

Problem If  $n=10$   $\bar{x}=3.22$  and  $s=1.17$  then the interval  $[3.22 - (2.262)(1.17)/\sqrt{9}, 3.22 + (2.262)(1.17)/\sqrt{9}]$   $(2.34, 4.10)$  is a 95 percent Confidence interval for  $\mu$ .

### Confidence Intervals for Differences of Means

The random Variable  $T$  is also used to obtain a Confidence interval for the difference  $\mu_1 - \mu_2$  between the means of two normal distributions, say  $N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$  when the have the same, but unknown, variance  $\sigma^2$

To Find the Confidence interval for  $\mu_1 - \mu_2$  as follows

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  and  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m$  be the independent random samples from the two distributions  $N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$  respectively.

Let the means of the samples be  $\bar{x}$  and  $\bar{y}$  and the variances of the samples be  $s_1^2$  and  $s_2^2$

Then, we know that  $\bar{x}, s_1^2$  and  $\bar{y}$  and  $s_2^2$  are independently independent

Thus  $\bar{x}$  and  $\bar{y}$  are normally and independently distributed with mean  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  and variances  $\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$  and  $\frac{\sigma^2}{m}$  respectively.

Therefore, their difference  $\bar{x} - \bar{y}$  is normally distributed with mean  $\mu_1 - \mu_2$  and variances  $\frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma^2}{m}$

Then the random Variable  $\frac{(\bar{x} - \bar{y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma^2}{m}}}$

is normally distributed with zero mean and unit Variance.  
 Further,  $\frac{ns_1^2}{\sigma^2}$  and  $\frac{ms_2^2}{\sigma^2}$  have independent Chi-Square distribution with  $n-1$  and  $m-1$  degrees of freedom respectively, so that their sum  $(ns_1^2 + ms_2^2)/\sigma^2$  has a Chi-Square distribution with  ~~$n+m-2$~~   $n+m-2$  degrees of freedom, provided  $n+m-2 > 0$ .

∴ The random Variable

$$T = \frac{(\bar{x} - \bar{y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{ns_1^2 + ms_2^2}{n+m-2} \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m} \right)}} \text{ has a } \cancel{\text{f-d}}$$

t-distribution with  $n+m-2$  degrees of freedom.

Result: Find a positive number  $b$  [from Table IV of Appendix B such that

$$P(-b < T < b) = 0.95$$

$$\text{If } R = \sqrt{\frac{ns_1^2 + ms_2^2}{n+m-2} \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m} \right)}$$

Then the probability is written in form

$$P[(\bar{x} - \bar{y}) - bR < \mu_1 - \mu_2 < (\bar{x} - \bar{y}) + bR] = 0.95$$

$$[(\bar{x} - \bar{y}) - b\sqrt{\frac{ns_1^2 + ms_2^2}{n+m-2} \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m} \right)}, (\bar{x} - \bar{y}) + b\sqrt{\frac{ns_1^2 + ms_2^2}{n+m-2} \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m} \right)}]$$

has probability 0.95 of including the unknown fixed point  $(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$

Verification of Confidence interval for differences of probabilities of means of binomial distribution

Statement: Let  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  be two independent random variables with binomial distributions  $b(n_1, p_1)$  and  $b(n_2, p_2)$  respectively. Find the confidence intervals for the difference  $p_1 - p_2$  of the means of  $\frac{Y_1}{n_1}$  and  $\frac{Y_2}{n_2}$ , when  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  are known.

Proof Since the means and variance of  $\frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}$  are  $p_1 - p_2$  and  $\frac{p_1(1-p_1)}{n_1} + \frac{p_2(1-p_2)}{n_2}$  respectively, then the random variable given by the ratio

$$\frac{\left(\frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right) - (p_1 - p_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{p_1(1-p_1)}{n_1} + \frac{p_2(1-p_2)}{n_2}}} \text{ has mean } 0 \text{ and}$$

Variance 1 for all positive integers  $n_1$  and  $n_2$

Since both  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  have approximate normal distributions for the large  $n_1$  and  $n_2$

If  $\frac{n_1}{n_2} = c$ , where  $c$  is a fixed positive constant

we have

$$\frac{\left(\frac{Y_1}{n_1}\right)\left(1 - \frac{Y_1}{n_1}\right)/n_1 + \left(\frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right)/n_2}{p_1(1-p_1)/n_1 + p_2(1-p_2)/n_2}$$

Converges in probability to 1 as  $n_2 \rightarrow \infty$

Suppose  $n_1 \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\lim_{n_1 \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n_1}{n_2} = c$  ;  $c > 0$

$\therefore$  The random variable

$$W = \frac{\left(\frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right) - (p_1 - p_2)}{U}$$

where  $U = \sqrt{\left(\frac{Y_1}{n_1}\right)\left(1 - \frac{Y_1}{n_1}\right)/n_1 + \left(\frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}\right)/n_2}$  has

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a limiting distribution, that is  $N(0, 1)$

Result: The event  $-2 < w < 2$ , the probability of which is approximately equal to 0.954, is equivalent the event

$$\frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2} - 2U < p_1 - p_2 < \frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2} + 2U$$

Then the experimental values  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  respectively, will provide an approximate 95.4 percent confidence interval for  $p_1 - p_2$

Problem

① If  $n_1 = 100$ ,  $n_2 = 400$ ,  $y_1 = 30$ ,  $y_2 = 80$ . then the experimental values of  $\frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}$  and  $U$  are 0.1

$$U = \sqrt{\left(\frac{y_1}{n_1}\right)\left(1 - \frac{y_1}{n_1}\right)/n_1 + \left(\frac{y_2}{n_2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{y_2}{n_2}\right)/n_2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{(0.3)(0.7)}{100} + \frac{(0.2)(0.8)}{400}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{0.21}{100} + \frac{0.16}{400}}$$

$$U = 0.05$$

Thus the interval  $(0, 0.2)$  is an approximate 95.4 percent confidence interval for  $p_1 - p_2$

② Two independent random samples each of size 10 from two normal distribution  $N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$  yield  $\bar{x} = 4.8$ ,  $s_1^2 = 8.64$ ,  $\bar{y} = 5.6$ ,  $s_2^2 = 7.88$ . Find a 95% confidence interval for  $\mu_1 - \mu_2$

Sol Given:  $\bar{x} = 4.8$   $s_1^2 = 8.64$   
 $\bar{y} = 5.6$   $s_2^2 = 7.88$

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \frac{(\bar{x} - \bar{y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{n_1 s_1^2 + m_2 s_2^2}{n+m-2} \left( \frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m} \right)}} \\ &= \frac{(5.6 - 4.8)}{\sqrt{\frac{10(8.64) + 10(7.88)}{10+10-2} \left( \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{10} \right)}} \\ &= \frac{0.8}{\sqrt{\frac{165.2}{18} (0.2)}} = 0.5905 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3: Let two independent random variables  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  with binomial distributions that have parameters  $n_1 = n_2 = 100$  and  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  respectively be observed to be equal to 50 and 40. Determine and approximate 90% confidence interval for  $p_1 - p_2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol} \quad U &= \frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2} \\ &= \frac{50}{100} - \frac{40}{100} \\ &= 0.5 - 0.4 = 0.1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} U &= \sqrt{\frac{(0.5)(0.5)}{100} - \frac{(0.4)(0.6)}{100}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{0.25}{100} - \frac{0.24}{100}} \\ &= 0.07 \end{aligned}$$

$$U = \frac{Y_1}{n_1} - \frac{Y_2}{n_2}$$

$$= \frac{50}{100} - \frac{40}{100}$$

$$= 0.5 - 0.4$$

$$U = 0.1$$

$$U = \sqrt{\frac{(0.5)(0.5)}{100} - \frac{(0.4)(0.6)}{100}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{0.25}{100} - \frac{0.24}{100}}$$

$$U = 0.07.$$

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### chi-square test

In this section is discuss test of Statistical hypothesis called Chi-square test.

Let the random variable  $x_i$  be  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ ,  $i=1, 2, \dots, n$  and let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are mutually independent thus the joint pdt of these variable is

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_1 \sigma_2 \dots \sigma_n (2\pi)^{n/2}} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{x_i - \mu_i}{\sigma_i} \right)^2 \right]$$

The random variable is defined by the exponent (apart from the coefficient  $-1/2$ ) is  $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu_i)^2 / \sigma_i^2$  and this random variable is  $\chi^2(n)$ .

Note :

We generalized this joint normal distribution of probability from  $n$  random variable that are dependent and we called the distribution a multivariate normal distribution.

Let us discuss some random variables that have approximate chi-square distribution:

Let  $x_i \sim b(n, p_i)$

Since the random variable  $y = (x_i - np_i) / \sqrt{np_i(1-p_i)}$  has  $n \rightarrow \infty$  a limiting distribution is  $N(0, 1)$

∴ we strongly suspect the limiting distribution of

$z = y^2$  is  $\chi^2(1)$

If  $G_n(y)$  is the distribution function of  $y$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} G_n(y) = \phi(y), \quad -\infty < y < \infty$$

where  $\phi(y)$  is the distribution function of a distribution  $N(0, 1)$

Let  $H_n(z)$  be the distribution function of  $z = y^2$ ,

For each +ve integer  $n$ , if  $z \geq 0$  we have

$$H_n(z) = P(z \leq z) = P(-\sqrt{z} \leq y \leq \sqrt{z})$$

$$= G_n(\sqrt{z}) - G_n(-\sqrt{z})$$

Since  $\phi(y)$  is continuous every where

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H_n(z) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [G_n(\sqrt{z}) - G_n(-\sqrt{z})]$$

If we change variable or integration Put  $w^2 = v$

$$\text{then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H_n(z) = \sqrt{2} \int_0^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} e^{-v/2} \frac{dv}{\sqrt{v}}$$

$$2w dw = dv \\ dw = \frac{dv}{2w}$$

$$w=0 \Rightarrow v=0$$

$$w=\sqrt{z} \Rightarrow v=z$$

$$= \int_0^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} v^{1/2} e^{-v/2} dv$$

$$= \int_0^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} v^{-1/2} e^{-v/2} dv$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H_n(z) = \int_0^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{v^{1/2-1}}{\Gamma(2)} e^{-v/2} dv \quad [ \because \sqrt{\pi} = \Gamma(2) ]$$

In provided that  $z \geq 0$

Suppose if  $z < 0$  then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H_n(z) = 0$ .

$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H_n(z)$  is equal to the distribution

function of a random variable  $\chi^2(1)$ .

Result:

Let us consider  $x_1$  is in  $b(n, p_1)$ , let  $x_2 = n - x_1$  and

and let  $p_2 = 1 - p_1$

If we denote  $\chi^2$  by  $Q_1$  instead of  $Z$

$$\therefore Q_1 = \frac{(x_1 - np_1)^2}{np_1(1-p_1)} = \frac{(x_1 - np_1)^2}{np_1} + \frac{(x_1 - np_1)^2}{n(1-p_1)}$$

$$= \frac{(x_1 - np_1)^2}{np_1} + \frac{(x_1 - np_1)^2}{np_2}$$

$$\text{Since } (x_1 - np_1)^2 = (n - x_2 - n + np_2)^2$$

$$= (x_2 - np_2)^2$$

since  $\Omega_1$  has a limiting  $\chi^2$  distribution with one degree of freedom.

We say that when  $n$  is a positive integer that  $\Omega_n$  has an approximate chi-square distribution with one degree of freedom.

The above result can be generalized as follows.

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{K-1}$  have multinomial distribution with

parameters  $n, p_1, p_2, \dots, p_{K-1}$

let  $x_K = n - (x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_{K-1})$  and

let  $p_K = 1 - (p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_{K-1})$

Defined  $\Omega_{K-1}$  by  $2\Omega_{K-1} = \sum_{i=1}^K \frac{(x_i - np_i)^2}{np_i}$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\Omega_{K-1}$  has limiting distribution of  $\chi^2(K-1)$  we can

say that  $\Omega_{K-1}$  has approximate  $\chi^2$ -distribution with  $K-1$  degrees of freedom. when  $n$  is a positive integer.

Problem: For a random experiment, one of the six positive integers is to be chosen by a

random experiment.

Let  $A_i = \{x : x = i\}$   $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 6$  the hypothesis null hypothesis

$H_0: P(A_i) = p_i = \frac{1}{6}, i = 1, 2, \dots, 6$  will be tested at the approximate 5% significant level against all alternatives.

To make the test the binomial experiment will be repeated under the same condition 60 independent time

Soln:

$$k=6, n=60, np_{10} = 60 \times (\frac{1}{6})$$

$$np_{10} = 10$$

Let  $x_i$  denote the frequency with which the binomial experiment terminates (stop) with the outcome in  $A_i, i=1, 2, \dots, 6$

$$\text{let } Q_{K-1} = \sum_{i=1}^K \frac{(x_i - np_i)^2}{np_i}$$

$$Q_5 = \sum_{i=1}^6 \frac{(x_i - 10)^2}{10}$$

If  $H_0$  is true, from the table with  $K-1 = 6-1 = 5$

degrees of freedom we have probability of  $(Q_5 \geq 11.1) = 0.05$

Now, the experimental frequencies of  $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4, A_5$  are

respectively 13, 19, 11, 8, 5 and 4

The observed value of  $Q_5$

$$Q_5 = \sum \frac{(13-10)^2}{10} + \frac{(19-10)^2}{10} + \frac{(11-10)^2}{10} + \frac{(8-10)^2}{10} + \frac{(5-10)^2}{10} + \frac{(4-10)^2}{10}$$

$$= \frac{9}{10} + \frac{81}{10} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{4}{10} + \frac{25}{10} + \frac{36}{10}$$

$$\therefore Q_5 = 0.9 + 8.1 + 0.1 + 0.4 + 2.5 + 3.6$$

$$\therefore Q_5 = 15.6$$

$$\therefore 15.6 \geq 11.1$$

Thus our null hypothesis is rejected.

(ii)  $P(A_i) = \gamma_i, i=1, 2, \dots, 6$  is rejected at 5%

level of significance.

2. A point is to be selected from the unit interval by a random process. Let  $A_1 = \{x: 0 < x \leq \frac{1}{4}\}$ ,  $A_2 = \{x: \frac{1}{4} < x \leq \frac{1}{2}\}$ ,  $A_3 = \{x: \frac{1}{2} < x \leq \frac{3}{4}\}$ ,  $A_4 = \{x: \frac{3}{4} < x \leq 1\}$ . Let the probability assigned to these sets under the hypothesis be determined by the pdf  $\alpha_x$ . Then these probabilities are respectively  $\alpha_x(A_1), 0$  elsewhere. Then these probabilities are respectively

$$P_{10} = \int_0^{\frac{1}{4}} \alpha_x dx, \quad P_{20} = \frac{3}{16}, \quad P_{30} = \frac{5}{16}, \quad P_{40} = \frac{7}{16}$$

It is required to test the hypothesis  $H_0$  that  $P_1, P_2, P_3$  and  $P_4$  have the preceding values in a multinomial distribution with  $K=4$ .

Thus the hypothesis is said to be tested at an approximate level of significance 0.025.

SOLN: The hypothesis is said to be tested at an approximate level of significance 0.025 by repeating the experiment 80 times under the same conditions.

Individuals with age  $i$  are respectively 5, 15, 25 and 35. Here the young  $P_i$  for  $i=1, 2, 3, 4$  are 6, 18, 20 and 36.

The observed frequencies of  $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4$  are 16, 18, 20 and 36 respectively.

Then the observed value of  $\chi^2$  is  $\sum \frac{(x_i - np_{10})^2}{np_{10}}$

$$\text{and the expected values are } \frac{16-5}{5}, \frac{18-15}{15}, \frac{20-25}{25}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{36-35}{35} \text{ respectively.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi^2 &= \frac{64}{25} + \frac{(18-15)^2}{15} + \frac{(20-25)^2}{25} \\ &\quad + \frac{(36-35)^2}{35} \\ &\approx 1.83 \text{ approximately.} \end{aligned}$$

From the table with  $4-1 = 3$  degrees of freedom, the values corresponding to a 0.025 significant level is 9.35.

Since the observed value  $Q_3$  is less than 9.35, the hypothesis is accepted at 0.025 level of significance.

### Bayesian Estimation:

We shall now describe the Bayesian approach to the problem of estimation.

(\*) In this approach takes into account any prior knowledge or experiment that the statistician has and it is one application of a principle of statistical inference that may be called Bayesian Statistics.

#### 1. Explain Bayesian Statistics estimation.

Consider a random variable  $x$  has the distribution whose probability depends on the  $\theta$ , where  $\theta$  is an element of well defined set.

Let us introduce a random variable  $\Theta$  has a distribution of the probability over the set  $\Omega$ .

We consider  $x$  as a possible value of the random variable  $x$  but  $\theta$  as a possible value of the random variable  $\Theta$ .

∴ The distribution of  $x$  depends upon  $\theta$ .

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an experimental value or the random variable  $\Theta$ .

We shall denote the P.d.f of  $\Theta$  by  $h(\theta)$  and we take

$h(\theta) = 0$  when  $\theta$  is not an element of  $\Omega$ .

Next, we denote the P.d.f of  $x$  by  $f(x|\theta)$ , since it is

a conditional P.d.f of  $x$  given  $\Theta = \theta$ .

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from this

conditional distribution of  $x$ .

Thus we can write the joint conditional P.d.f of

$x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  given  $\Theta = \theta$

$$f(x_1|\theta) \cdot f(x_2|\theta) \cdots f(x_n|\theta)$$

Thus the joint P.d.f of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  and  $\Theta$  is

$$g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta) = f(x_1|\theta) \cdot f(x_2|\theta) \cdots f(x_n|\theta) \cdot h(\theta).$$

If  $\Theta$  is a continuous random variable, the joint marginal P.d.f of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  is given by

the joint marginal P.d.f of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$

$$g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta) d\theta.$$

If  $\Theta$  is of the discrete type,

$$g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \sum g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta)$$

Integration would be replaced by  $\sum$ . (In case of discrete type)

Conditional P.d.f of  $\Theta$  given

In each case the

$$x_1 = x_1, x_2 = x_2, \dots, x_n = x_n \text{ is } K(\theta|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) =$$

$$g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta)$$

$$g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

$$f(x_1|\theta) \cdot f(x_2|\theta) \cdots f(x_n|\theta) \cdot h(\theta)$$

$$g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

This relationship is another form of Bayes's formula.

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### Problem:

- Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from a Poisson distribution with mean  $\theta$  where  $\theta$  is the observed value of random variable  $\eta$  having a gamma distribution with known parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Thus  $g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta) =$

$$\left[ \frac{\theta^{x_1} e^{-\theta}}{x_1!} \dots \frac{\theta^{x_n} e^{-\theta}}{x_n!} \right] \left[ \frac{\theta^{\alpha-1} e^{-\theta/\beta}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \right]$$

Provided  $x_i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ )  $0 < \theta < \infty$  and is equal to zero elsewhere.

Now,

$$g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \int_0^\infty \frac{\theta^{\sum x_i + \alpha - 1} e^{-(\theta/\beta)\sum x_i}}{x_1! x_2! \dots x_n! \Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{\theta^{\sum x_i + \alpha - 1} e^{-(\theta/\beta)\sum x_i}}{x_1! x_2! \dots x_n! \Gamma(\alpha) \beta^{\alpha+1}}$$

Conditional pdf of  $\eta$

$$\text{Given } x_1 = x_1, \dots, x_n = x_n$$

$$h(\theta/x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \frac{g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \theta)}{g_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}$$

$$= \frac{\theta^{\sum x_i + \alpha - 1} e^{-\theta}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^{\alpha+1}}$$

$$= \frac{(\theta/\beta)^{\sum x_i + \alpha - 1} e^{-\theta}}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^{\alpha+1} (\theta/\beta)^{\sum x_i + \alpha - 1}}$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

2. Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote a random sample from a distribution  $B(1, \theta)$ .  $0 < \theta < 1$  we find a decision function  $\delta$  i.e) a Bayes solution

Soln:

Let  $Y = \sum x_i$  and  $Y$  is  $B(n, \theta)$

Now, The conditional pdf of  $Y$  is given  $\theta = \theta$

$$g(y|\theta) = \binom{n}{y} \theta^y (1-\theta)^{n-y} \quad y=0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

we consider the prior pdf of the random variable

$$\textcircled{(1)} \quad \text{to be } f(\theta) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} \theta^{\alpha-1} (1-\theta)^{\beta-1} \quad 0 < \theta < 1$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are +ve constants

Thus the conditional pdf of  $\textcircled{(1)}$  given  $Y=y$

is at points of positive probability density ~~will play role~~

$$K(\theta|y) \propto \theta^y (1-\theta)^{n-y} \theta^{\alpha-1} (1-\theta)^{\beta-1} \quad 0 < \theta < 1$$

$$K(\theta|y) \propto \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+y)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta+y)} \theta^{\alpha+y-1} (1-\theta)^{\beta+n-y-1} \quad 0 < \theta < 1$$

and  $y = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$

points of minima which is called our prior distribution with respect to the sampling information.

Following this we can find a minimum posterior pdf.

## Unit - V

### Theory of Statistical Tests :

In this unit we consider some methods of constructing good statistical test the begin with testing a simple hypothesis  $H_0$  (null hypothesis) against a simple alternative hypothesis  $H_1$ .

(\*) The following are three important conditions for the tests

- (i) Define a best test for  $H_0$  against  $H_1$ ?
- (ii) Prove a theorem that provides the method of determine a best test?
- (iii) Give 2 examples?

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#### Results:

Let  $f(x, \theta)$  be the pdf of a random variable  $x$ . Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from this distribution. Consider the two simple hypothesis  $H_0 : \theta = \theta'$ ,  $H_1 : \theta = \theta''$ .

$$\text{Thus } \Omega = \{\theta : \theta = \theta', \theta''\}$$

Now, we define a best critical region for testing simple hypothesis  $H_0$  against the alternative simple hypothesis  $H_1$ .

#### Note :

The symbols probability of  $[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C ; H_0]$

$P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C; H_0]$ . It means that  $P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C]$

when  $H_0$  &  $H_1$  are true respectively,

Definition:

Let  $C$  be a subset of Sample Space then  $C$  is called best critical region or size  $\alpha$  for testing simple hypothesis  $H_0 : \theta = \theta^0$  against the alternative simple hypothesis  $H_1 : \theta = \theta^1$ . If for every subset  $A$  of the sample space for which

$$P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in A; H_0] = \alpha$$
$$( \because H_0 \models P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)) = \alpha$$

$$(i) P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C; H_0] = \alpha$$

$$(ii) P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C; H_1] \geq P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in A; H_1]$$

First we assume  $H_0$  to be true in general there will be a multiplicity of subsets  $A$  of the sample space such that

$$P[(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in A; H_0] = \alpha$$

Suppose that there is one of these subsets say  $C$ .

such that when  $H_1$  is true.

The power of the test associated with  $C$  is atleast as great as the power of the test associated with each other  $A$ . Then  $C$  is defined as a best critical region of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0$  against  $H_1$ .

(Ex)

Prbлем:

Consider the one or random variable  $x$  has a binomial distribution with  $n=5$  and  $P=0$  then  $f(x, 0)$  be the pdf of  $x$  and let  $H_0: \theta = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $H_1: \theta = \frac{3}{4}$ .  
 The following table gives at points of probability density the values of  $f(x; \frac{1}{2})$ ,  $f(x; \frac{3}{4})$  the ratio  $f(x; \frac{1}{2})/f(x; \frac{3}{4})$ .

$x$	0	1	2	3	4	5
$f(x; \frac{1}{2})$	$\frac{1}{32}$	$\frac{5}{32}$	$\frac{10}{32}$	$\frac{10}{32}$	$\frac{5}{32}$	$\frac{1}{32}$
$f(x; \frac{3}{4})$	$\frac{1}{1024}$	$\frac{15}{1024}$	$\frac{90}{1024}$	$\frac{270}{1024}$	$\frac{405}{1024}$	$\frac{243}{1024}$
$f(x; \frac{1}{2})/f(x; \frac{3}{4})$	32	$\frac{32}{3}$	$\frac{32}{9}$	$\frac{32}{27}$	$\frac{32}{81}$	$\frac{32}{243}$

Soln: We have to find a suitable value of  $\alpha$

let  $x$  be a random variable

$H_0: \theta = \frac{1}{2}$  against the alternative simple hypothesis

$$H_1: \theta = \frac{3}{4}$$

first we assign a significant level of the test to be  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$

We find a best critical region of size  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$

$$\text{If } A_1 = \{x : x=0\}$$

$$A_2 = \{x : x=5\}$$

$$P(x \in A_1 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32}$$

$$P(x \in A_2 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32} \quad \text{and}$$

there is no other subset  $A_3$  of the 8Pace  
 $\{x : x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  such that probability of  $(x \in A_3 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32}$

Then either  $A_1$  or  $A_2$  is the best critical region C  
 of size  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$  for testing  $H_0$  against  $H_1$ .

Now,  $P(x \in A_1 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32}$

$$P(x \in A_1 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32} \text{ (size of } A_1 \text{ is } 1 \text{ and sample size is } 8)$$

$$P(x \in A_1 : H_1) = \frac{1}{1024} \text{ (size of } A_1 \text{ is } 1 \text{ and sample size is } 8)$$

and so  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$  has  $\frac{1}{1024}$  to be used as a critical region.

If the set  $A_1$  is used as a critical region  
 then due to  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$  to  $\frac{1}{1024}$  is much less than  $\frac{1}{32}$ .

or size  $\alpha = \frac{1}{32}$

The probability of rejecting  $H_0$  when  $H_1$  is true.

is much less than the probability of rejecting  $H_0$  when  $H_0$  is

true

(i) suppose we use the  $A_2$  if the set  $A_2$  is used as

Critical region, Then  $P(x \in A_2 : H_0) = \frac{1}{32}$  and

$$P(x \in A_2 : H_1) = \frac{843}{1024}$$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{843}{1024}$  is much greater than  $\frac{1}{32}$ .

ii) The probability of rejecting  $H_0$  when  $H_1$  is true

is much greater than the probability of rejecting  $H_0$  when  $H_1$  is true.

Similarly consider set  $A_3 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  and sample size 8.

for  $x \in A_3$  the probability of

rejecting  $H_0$  is very small and hence

## Neyman-Pearson theorem

(i)  $\text{L}(\theta)$

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Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  where  $n$  is a fixed positive integer, denote a random sample from a distribution that has pdf  $f(x; \theta)$ . Then the joint pdf of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  is  $L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = f(x_1; \theta) f(x_2; \theta) \dots f(x_n; \theta)$ .

Let  $\theta'$  and  $\theta''$  be distinct fixed values of  $\theta$ .

So that  $\mathcal{L} = \{\theta : \theta = \theta', \theta''\}$ , and let  $k$  be a positive number. Let  $C$  be a subset of sample space such that

$$\frac{\mathcal{L}(\theta'; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}{\mathcal{L}(\theta''; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)} \leq k \quad (\text{for each point } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n))$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \frac{\mathcal{L}(\theta'; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}{\mathcal{L}(\theta''; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)} \geq k \quad \text{for each point } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in C^*$$

$$\alpha = P[C^* | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n] \in [0, 1]$$

Then  $C$  is a best critical region of size  $\alpha$

for testing the simple hypothesis  $H_0 : \theta = \theta'$  against

the alternative simple hypothesis  $H_1 : \theta = \theta''$ .

### Proof:

We prove the theorem when the random variables are continuous type.

If  $C$  is only critical region of size  $\alpha$ ,

The theorem is proved.

If there is another critical region of size  $\alpha$  denoted by  $A$ , we denote  $\int_R \dots \int_L(\theta; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) d\lambda_1 d\lambda_2 \dots d\lambda_n$  by  $\int_A L(\theta)$ .

In this notation we prove that  $\int_C L(\theta'') - \int_A L(\theta') > 0$

Since  $C$  is the union of disjoint sets  $C \cap A$  and  $C \cap A^*$  and  $A$  is the union of disjoint sets  $A \cap C$  and  $A \cap C^*$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_C L(\theta'') - \int_A L(\theta') &= \int_{C \cap A} L(\theta'') + \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta'') - \int_{A \cap C} L(\theta') - \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta') \\ &= \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta'') - \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta'). \end{aligned}$$

However, by the hypothesis of the theorem

$L(\theta'') \geq \chi_k L(\theta')$  at each point of  $C$  and

hence at each point of  $C \cap A^*$ .

$$\therefore \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta'') \geq \chi_k \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta').$$

But  $L(\theta'') \leq \chi_k L(\theta')$  at each point of  $C^*$

and hence at each point of  $A \cap C^*$

$$\therefore \text{we have } \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta'') \leq \chi_k \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta').$$

$$\left[ - \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta'') \right] \geq - \frac{1}{\chi_k} \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta').$$

$$\therefore \text{we have } \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta'') - \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta') \geq \frac{1}{\chi_k} \int_{C \cap A^*} L(\theta') - \frac{1}{\chi_k} \int_{A \cap C^*} L(\theta').$$

$$= \frac{1}{K} \int_{CNA^*} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc^*} L(\theta^n) \longrightarrow ①$$

$$\int_C L(\theta^n) - \int_A L(\theta^n) \geq \gamma_K \left[ \int_{CNA^*} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc^*} L(\theta^n) \right] \longrightarrow ②$$

But

$$\int_{CNA^*} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc^*} L(\theta^n)$$

$$= \int_{CNA^*} L(\theta^n) + \int_{CNA} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc^*} L(\theta^n)$$

$$(CNA) - (Anc) = \int_{CNA} L(\theta^n) - \int_{Anc} L(\theta^n) = 0$$

$$CNA^* - Anc^* = 0$$

$$\therefore \int_C L(\theta^n) - \int_A L(\theta^n)$$

$$= 0$$

$$= 0$$

using in (2) get,

$$\int_C L(\theta^n) - \int_A L(\theta^n) \geq 0$$

Note: same as to find out the lower bound of  $L(\theta)$  if the

If the random variables are of the discrete type

the proof is the same with integration replaced

by  $\sum$ :

Result:

As stated in the statement of this theorem conditions (i), (ii) & (iii) are sufficient once for region C to be a best critical region of size  $\alpha$ , however they are all so necessary.

problem:  $\text{Ex } 5m$

Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote a random sample from the distribution that has the pdf  $f(x, \theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp \left[ -\frac{(x-\theta)^2}{2} \right]$   $-\infty < x < \infty$ . Using the N.P. theorem test Pdt.

Soln: Suppose hypothesis  $H_0: \theta' = \theta_0 = 0$  and alternative simple hypothesis  $H_1: \theta' = \theta_0 + \theta'' = 1$ . We have to find simple hypothesis  $H_1: \theta' = \theta_0 + \theta'' = 1$ .

$$\text{Now, } \frac{L(\theta', x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}{L(\theta'', x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}$$

$$= \frac{\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i^2}{2} \right]}{\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i-1)^2}{2} \right]}$$

$$= \exp \left( -\sum x_i^2 + \frac{n}{2} \right)$$

If  $K > 0$  The set of all points  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$

such that  $\exp \left( -\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + \frac{n}{2} \right) \leq K$  is the best critical region.

This inequality holds iff  $-\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + n_2 \leq \log k$

$$\sum x_i \geq n_2 - \log k = c$$

In this case a best critical region is the set C

$$= \{ (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) : \sum x_i \geq c \}$$

where c is a constant that can be determined so that, the size of critical region is a desired number d.

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1. Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  denote a random sample which has a pmf  $f(x)$  is +ve on and only on the non-negative integers it is desired to test a simple hypothesis

$$H_0 : f(x) = \frac{e^{-1}}{x!}, \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

Against the alternative simple hypothesis  $H_1$ ,

$$H_1 : f(x) = (\gamma_2)^{x+1} \quad x=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$

Soln:

By using Neymann Pearson's theorem

$$\frac{g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}{h(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)} = \frac{e^{-\gamma_2} / (x_1! x_2! \dots x_n!)}{(\gamma_2)^n (\gamma_2)^{x_1+x_2+\dots+x_n}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{e^{-n} / a_1! a_2! \dots a_n!}{(k_2^n) (k_2)^{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}} \\
 &= \frac{e^{-n} a_n \cdot 2^{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}}{\prod_{i=1}^n i!} \\
 &= \frac{(e^{-1} \cdot 2)^n 2^{\sum_{i=1}^n a_i}}{\prod_{i=1}^n a_i!}
 \end{aligned}$$

If  $K > 0$  the set of points  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  such that taking logarithm we have,

$$\frac{(e^{-1} \cdot 2)^n 2^{\sum a_i}}{\prod_{i=1}^n a_i!} \leq K$$

$$\log \left[ \frac{(e^{-1} \cdot 2)^n 2^{\sum a_i}}{\prod_{i=1}^n a_i!} \right] \leq \log K$$

$$\log [(e^{-1} \cdot 2)^n 2^{\sum a_i}] - \log \prod_{i=1}^n a_i! \leq \log K$$

$$\log (e^{-1} \cdot 2)^n + \log 2^{\sum a_i} - \log \left[ \prod_{i=1}^n a_i! \right] \leq \log K$$

$$\Rightarrow n \log (e^{-1} \cdot 2) + \sum a_i \log 2 - \log \left[ \prod_{i=1}^n a_i! \right] \leq \log K$$

$$(\sum a_i) \log 2 - \log \left[ \prod_{i=1}^n a_i! \right] \leq \log K = n \log (e^{-1} \cdot 2) = c \text{ (say)}$$

is a best critical region.

Consider  $K=1$  and  $n=1$  we have,

the following inequality holds true as follows,

$$\frac{2^{a_1}}{a_1!} \leq e^{-1} \cdot 2$$

This inequality satisfied by all the points in the

Set C  $C = \{x_i : x_i = 0, 3, 4, 5, \dots\}$

Thus the power of the test when  $H_0$  is true

(i)  $P(x_i \in C : H_0) = 1 - P(x_i = 1, 2 : H_0)$

$$= 0.448 \text{ (approximately)}$$

The power of the test when  $H_1$  is true

$$P(x_i \in C : H_1) = 1 - P(x_i = 1, 2 : H_1)$$

$$= 1 - (Y_4 - Y_8)$$

$$= 0.625.$$

uniformly most powerful test

④ Defn:

2m The Critical region  $C$  is a uniformly most powerful critical region of size  $\alpha$  for testing the simple hypothesis  $H_0$  against the an alternative composite hypothesis  $H_1$ . If the set  $C$  is the critical region of size  $\alpha$  for testing  $H_0$  against each simple hypothesis in  $H_1$ .

④ 2m uniformly most powerful test

A test is defined by this critical region  $C$  is called a uniformly most powerful test with significant level  $\alpha$  for testing the simple hypothesis  $H_0$  against the alternative composite hypothesis  $H_1$ .

## Likelihood Ratio Test

The notion of using the magnitude of the ratio of two probability density functions as the basis of a best test (or) of a uniformly most powerful test can be modified and to provide a method of constructing a test of a composite hypothesis against an alternative composite hypothesis. When a uniformly most powerful test does not exist. This method leads to test called likelihood ratio test.

A likelihood ratio test as just remarked is not necessarily a uniformly most powerful test.