

## §5.1 BASIC CONCEPTS OF Random Samples

Def 5.1.1 A random sample,  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ , size  $n$  from  $f(x)$  if

- $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are mutually independent
- independent
- identical

Note if discrete must be sampled w/ replacement } iid

- If we only have one observation,  $n=1$ , we can calculate probabilities using  $f(x)$
- otherwise,  $n > 1$ ,  $f_x(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = f_x(x_1) f_x(x_2) \dots f_x(x_n) = \prod f_x(x_i)$  As  $X_i$  are iid

Example 5.1.2. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from an exponential( $\beta$ )  
 i.e.  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  correspond to the times until failure  
 $f_x(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n | \beta) = \prod f(x_i | \beta) = \prod \frac{1}{\beta} e^{-x_i/\beta}$   
 $= \frac{1}{\beta^n} e^{-\sum x_i/\beta}$

- What is the probability that all boards last more than two years  
 $= P(X_1 > 2, X_2 > 2, X_3 > 2, \dots, X_n > 2)$   
 $= \int_2^{\infty} \int_2^{\infty} \dots \int_2^{\infty} f_x(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) dx_1 dx_2 \dots dx_n$   
 $= e^{-2n/\beta}$  • if  $\beta$ , the avg life of a board is large, in comparison, to  $n$  this approaches 1

Simple random sample - sampling w/o replacement from a finite population

- We can use what we know from 5.1.1 in only a special case

• If  $\frac{\text{Population size} - \text{sample size}}{\text{Pop. size}}$

example:  $\{1, 2, \dots, 1000\}$  = finite population

$$n = 10 \rightarrow \frac{1}{990} \approx \frac{1}{1000}$$

Approx w/ 5.1.1  $P(X_1 > 200, X_2 > 200, \dots, X_{10} > 200) = \prod (X_i > 200) = \left(\frac{800}{1000}\right)^{10} = .107374$

Actual  $Y = \#$  in sample  $> 200$   $Y \sim$  hypergeometric ( $N=1000, M=800, K=10$ )

$$P(Y=10) = \frac{\binom{800}{10} \binom{200}{0}}{\binom{1000}{10}} = .106164$$

We Note they are close

Burn Burn like  
a star

## §5.2

Def 5.2.1 • Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample of size  $n$  from a population and let  $T(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  be a real or vector-valued function whose domain includes the sample space  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$ . Then the Random Variable  $Y = T(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is called a statistic. The probability distribution of a statistic is called the sampling distribution.

• A statistic mustn't depend on a parameter

Def 5.2.2 • Sample mean  $= \bar{x} = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n}{n} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$

Def 5.2.3 •  $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$  Sample Variance  
to make it unbiased

Note:  $S = \sqrt{S^2}$  Sample st deviation

Theorem 5.2.4: Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be any numbers and  $\bar{x} = \frac{(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n)}{n}$  then

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a)  $\min \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - a)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$

b)  $(n-1)S^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2$

Lemma 5.2.5 Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a population; let  $g(x)$  be a function  $\exists E(g(x_i))$  and  $\text{var}(g(x))$  exist then

Proof p. 213

a)  $E(\sum_{i=1}^n g(x_i)) = nE(g(x_i))$

b)  $\text{var}(\sum_{i=1}^n g(x_i)) = n(\text{var}(g(x_i)))$

Theorem 5.2.6 Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a population w/ mean  $\mu$  and  $\sigma^2 < \infty$  Then

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a)  $E(\bar{x}) = \mu \rightarrow$  unbiased estimator of  $\mu$

b)  $\text{Var}(\bar{x}) = \sigma^2/n$

c)  $E(S^2) = \sigma^2 \rightarrow$  unbiased estimator of  $\sigma^2$

→ Since  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} (X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n)$

∴ then  $f_{\bar{X}}(x) = n f_X(x/n)$

∴ thus  $M_{\bar{X}}(t) = E(e^{t\bar{X}}) = E(e^{t(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n)/n}) = E(e^{(t/n)Y}) = M_Y(t/n)$

**Theorem 5.2.7** Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a population w/ MGF  $M_X(t)$ . Then the MGF of the sample mean is:

$$M_{\bar{X}}(t) = [M_X(t/n)]^n$$

**Example** Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  population. The MGF of the sample mean is

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\bar{X}}(t) &= [M_X(t/n)]^n \\ &= \left[ e^{t\mu/n + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2n}} \right]^n \\ &= e^{t\mu + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

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

**Theorem 5.2.9** If  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent continuous RV w/ PDFs  $f_X, f_Y$

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∴ then pdf of  $Z = X + Y$  is

$$f_Z(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_X(w) f_Y(z-w) dw$$

∴ then pdf of  $Z = X - Y$

∴ then pdf of  $Z = XY$

∴ then pdf of  $Z = X/Y$

**Example of Convolution**

$Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n \sim \text{Cauchy}(0, 1)$

Let  $U \sim \text{Cauchy}(0, \sigma)$   $V \sim \text{Cauchy}(0, \tau)$

$$f_U(u) = \frac{1}{\pi\sigma} \cdot \frac{1}{1+(u/\sigma)^2} \quad f_V(v) = \frac{1}{\pi\tau} \cdot \frac{1}{1+(v/\tau)^2} \quad -\infty < u, v < \infty$$

By Theorem 5.2.9:

$$f_Z(z) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi(\sigma+\tau)} \cdot \frac{1}{1+(z/(\sigma+\tau))^2} \quad -\infty < z < \infty \quad Z = U + V$$

∴  $[\text{Cauchy}(0, \tau) + \text{Cauchy}(0, \sigma)] \sim \text{Cauchy}(0, \tau + \sigma)$

- Suppose  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from  $\frac{1}{\sigma} f((x-\mu)/\sigma)$  a location scale family
- From theorem 3.5.6 for a location scale family  $\exists$  random variables  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n$   $\& T_i = \sigma Z_i + \mu$  and the pdf of each  $Z_i$  is  $f_z(z)$ . Furthermore  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n$  are mutually independent thus  $Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n$  is a random sample from  $f(z) \ni$   

$$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\sigma Z_i + \mu) = \frac{1}{n} (\sigma \sum_{i=1}^n Z_i + n\mu) = \sigma \bar{Z} + \mu$$
- Also from theorem 3.5.6 we find that if  $g(z)$  is the pdf of  $\bar{Z}$  then  $(\frac{1}{\sigma})g((x-\mu)/\sigma)$  is the pdf of  $\bar{X}$

**Theorem 5.2.11:** • Suppose  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from pdf or pmf  $f(x|\theta)$  where  $f(x|\theta) = h(x) c(\theta) \exp(\sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\theta) t_i(x))$  is a member of an exp. family

- Define statistics  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k$  by  $T_i(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) = \sum_{j=1}^n t_i(X_j) \quad i=1, 2, 3, \dots, k$
- If the set  $\{(w_1(\theta), w_2(\theta), \dots, w_k(\theta)), \theta \in \Theta\}$  contains an open subset of  $\mathbb{R}^k$ , then the dist of  $(T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k)$  is an exp family of form  

$$f_T(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k | \theta) = H(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k) [c(\theta)]^n \exp(\sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\theta) u_i)$$

**example** Suppose  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from a Bernoulli( $p$ ) dist. w/  $n=1$ , Bernoulli( $p$ ) is an exponential family w/  $k=1$ ,  $c(p) = (1-p)$ ,  $w_1(p) = \log(p/(1-p))$  and  $t_1(x) = x$ . Thus by 5.5.11  

$$T_1 = T_1(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \quad ; T_1 \sim \text{bin}(n, p)$$
**NOTE** Binomial( $n, p$ ) is an exponential family w/ the same  $w_1(p)$ ,  $c(p)$

### § 5.3

Theorem 5.3.1 Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  distribution and let  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  and  $S^2 = \frac{1}{(n-1)} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2$  then

- $\bar{X}$  and  $S^2$  are independent
- $\bar{X}$  has  $N(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$  distribution
- $(n-1)S^2/\sigma^2$  has chi-squared distribution w/  $n-1$  degrees of freedom

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Lemma 5.3.2 Chi-squared ( $p$ )  $\equiv \chi_{(p)}^2$

- If  $Z$  is  $N(0,1)$  then  $Z^2 \sim \chi_{(1)}^2$
- If  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are independent  $\chi_{(1)}^2$  then  $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i \sim \chi_{(np)}^2$

Lemma 5.3.3 Let  $X_j \sim N(\mu_j, \sigma_j^2)$ ,  $j=1, 2, \dots, n$ , independent.  
For constants  $a_{ij}$  and  $b_{rj}$  ( $j=1, 2, \dots, n$ ,  $i=1, 2, \dots, k$  and  $r=1, 2, \dots, m$ ) where  $k+m \leq n$   
 $U_i = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} X_j$   $i=1, 2, \dots, k$   $V_r = \sum_{j=1}^n b_{rj} X_j$   $r=1, 2, \dots, m$

- $U_i$  and  $V_r$  are independent iff  $\text{Cov}(U_i, V_r) = 0$   
Furthermore,  $\text{Cov}(U_i, V_r) = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} b_{rj} \sigma_j^2$
- The random vectors  $(U_1, \dots, U_k)$  and  $(V_1, \dots, V_m)$  are independent iff  $U_i$  is independent of  $V_r \forall$  pairs  $i, r$  ( $i=1, 2, \dots, k$ ;  $r=1, 2, \dots, m$ )

\* If  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  then  $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$

Def 5.3.4 Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  then  
 $\frac{(\bar{X} - \mu)}{(\sigma/\sqrt{n})} \sim t_{(n-1)}$   $f_T(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{p+1}{2})}{\Gamma(p/2)} \frac{1}{(p\pi)^{1/2}} \frac{1}{(1+t^2/p)^{(p+1)/2}}$

\*  $t_{(1)} \equiv \text{Cauchy}$

\*  $T$  distribution has no MGF - only produces deg. of freedom moments

Example Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a  $N(\mu_x, \sigma_x^2)$  population and let  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_m$  be a random sample from  $N(\mu_y, \sigma_y^2)$

• We're interested in  $\sigma_x^2 / \sigma_y^2$

• Information about this ratio is contained in  $S_x^2 / S_y^2$

• F can give us the distribution of

$$\frac{S_x^2 / \sigma_x^2}{S_y^2 / \sigma_y^2} = \frac{S_x^2 / \sigma_x^2}{S_y^2 / \sigma_y^2}$$

as  $S_x^2 / \sigma_x^2$  and  $S_y^2 / \sigma_y^2$  are each scaled  $\chi^2$  and indep.

Def 5.3.6 From above,  $F = \frac{S_x^2 / \sigma_x^2}{S_y^2 / \sigma_y^2} \sim F_{(n-1, m-1)}$

for dof p, q

$$f_F(x) = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{p+q}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{p}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{q}{2}\right)} \left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^{p/2} \frac{x^{(p/2)-1}}{[1+(p/q)x]^{(p+q)/2}} \quad 0 < x < \infty$$

Cont Example As  $(S_x^2 / \sigma_x^2) / (S_y^2 / \sigma_y^2) \sim F_{(n-1, m-1)}$

we consider

$$E(F_{(n-1, m-1)}) = E\left(\frac{\chi_{n-1}^2 / (n-1)}{\chi_{m-1}^2 / (m-1)}\right) = E\left(\frac{\chi_{n-1}^2}{n-1}\right) E\left(\frac{\chi_{m-1}^2}{m-1}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{n-1}{n-1}\right) \left(\frac{m-1}{m-3}\right) = \frac{m-1}{m-3} \quad \text{for large } m$$

Note: only finite & pos. for  $m > 3$

Theorem 5.3.8

- IF  $X \sim F_{p,q}$  then  $\frac{1}{X} \sim F_{q,p}$
- IF  $X \sim F_{p,q}$  then  $X^2 \sim F_{1,2}$
- IF  $X \sim F_{p,q}$  then  $(p/q)X / (1+(p/q)X) \sim \text{beta}(p/2, q/2)$

## 5.4 Order statistics

Def 5.4.1  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are the sample values  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, X_{(3)}, \dots, X_{(n)}$ , their values listed in ascending order are called ordered statistics

i.e.  $X_{(1)} \leq X_{(2)} \leq X_{(3)} \leq \dots \leq X_{(n)}$

$$X_{(1)} = \min(X_i)$$

$$X_{(n)} = \max(X_i)$$

\* Since these are random variables we can discuss the probability of them holding certain values

i.e. Range =  $X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}$

$$\text{Median} = \begin{cases} X_{(n+1)/2} & n \text{ even} \\ (X_{(n/2)} + X_{(n/2+1)})/2 & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

Percentile:  $\forall \# p \in [0, 1]$  the  $(100 \cdot p)^{\text{th}}$  percentile is the observation  $\ni$  approximately  $np$  of the observations are less than this and  $n(1-p)$  are greater

Theorem 5.4.3 Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from a discrete dist. w/ pmf  $f_X(x_i) = p_i$  where  $x_1 < x_2 < \dots$  are the possible values of  $X$  in ascending order.

\* Define:  $P_0 = 0$

$$P_1 = p_1$$

$$P_2 = p_1 + p_2$$

$\vdots$

$$P_i = p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_i$$

\* Let  $X_{(1)}$

$$X_{(2)}$$

$\vdots$

$$X_{(n)}$$

denote the order stats of the sample

THEN

$$* P(X_{(k)} \leq x_i) = \sum_{k=0}^i \binom{n}{k} P_i^k (1 - P_i)^{n-k}$$

and

$$* P(X_{(k)} = x_i) = \sum_{k=0}^i \binom{n}{k} [P_i^k (1 - P_i)^{n-k} - P_{i-1}^k (1 - P_{i-1})^{n-k}]$$

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**Theorem 5.4.4** Let  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, \dots, X_{(n)}$  denote the order statistics of a random sample from a continuous population w/ CDF  $F_X(x)$  and pdf  $f_X(x)$ . Then the pdf of  $X_{(j)}$  is

$$* f_{X_{(j)}}(x) = \frac{n!}{(j-1)!(n-j)!} f_X(x) [F_X(x)]^{j-1} [1-F_X(x)]^{n-j}$$

Proof p. 229

**Example 5.4.5** Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be iid uniform  $(0,1)$  so  $f_X(x)=1$  for  $x \in (0,1)$  and  $F_X(x)=x$  for  $x \in (0,1)$ .

$$f_X(x) = \mathbb{1}_{(0 < x < 1)}$$

$$F_X(x) = \int_0^x 1 dx = x \Big|_0^x = x$$

$$f_{X_{(j)}}(x) = \frac{n!}{(j-1)!(n-j)!} (1) [x]^{j-1} [1-x]^{n-j}$$

$$= \frac{n!}{(j-1)!(n-j)!} [x]^{j-1} [1-x]^{n-j}$$

NOTE: we can rewrite this  $\Gamma(x) = (x-1)!$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\Gamma(j) \Gamma(n-j+1)} x^{j-1} (1-x)^{(n-j+1)-1}$$

$$\circ \circ \quad E(X_{(j)}) = \frac{j}{n+1} \quad \text{var}(X_{(j)}) = \frac{j(n-j+1)}{(n+1)^2(n+2)}$$

Theorem  
5.4.6

Let  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, \dots, X_{(n)}$  be ordered statistics of a continuous population w/ CDF  $F_X(x)$  and pdf  $f_X(x)$ .  $1 \leq i < j \leq n$

$$f_{X_{(i)}, X_{(j)}}(u, v) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(j-i-1)!(n-j)!} f_X(u) f_X(v) [F_X(u)]^{i-1}$$

$$* [F_X(v) - F_X(u)]^{j-i-1} [1 - F_X(v)]^{n-j}$$



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Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  iid uniform  $(0, a)$  and let  $X_{(1)}, X_{(2)}, \dots, X_{(n)}$  be the ordered statistics  $R = X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}$  and  $R_{mid} = \frac{X_{(n)} + X_{(1)}}{2} = V$

Joint dist

$$f_{X_{(1)}, X_{(n)}}(x_1, x_n) = \frac{n(n-1)}{a^2} \left( \frac{x_n - x_1}{a} \right)^{n-2} \quad 0 < x_1 < x_n < a$$
$$= \frac{n(n-1)(x_n - x_1)^{n-2}}{a^n} \quad 0 < x_1 < x_n < a$$

$$X_{(1)} = V - R/2 \quad X_{(n)} = V + R/2$$

$$|J| = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{dx_{(1)}}{dv} & \frac{dx_{(1)}}{dR} \\ \frac{dx_{(n)}}{dv} & \frac{dx_{(n)}}{dR} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1/2 \\ 1 & 1/2 \end{vmatrix} = |1/2 - (-1/2)| = 1$$

$$\therefore f_{R,V}(r, v) = \frac{n(n-1) \left( (v + r/2) - (v - r/2) \right)^{n-2}}{a^n} \quad \begin{matrix} 0 < r < a \\ r/2 < v < a - r/2 \end{matrix}$$
$$= \frac{n(n-1)(r)^{n-2}}{a^n}$$

$$f_R = \int_{r/2}^{a-r/2} \frac{n(n-1)(r)^{n-2}}{a^n} dv = \frac{-n(n-1)(r)^{n-2} \left( \frac{r}{2} \right)}{a^n} + \frac{n(n-1)(r)^{n-2} (a - r/2)}{a^n}$$
$$= \frac{n(n-1)r^{n-2}(a-r)}{a^n}$$

↑ Distribution of  $X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}$

## 5.5 CONVERGENCE look at $\bar{X}_n$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

### Theorem 5.5.2 Weak Law of Large Numbers (WLLN)

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be iid random variables w/  $E(X_i) = \mu$  and  $\text{Var}(X_i) = \sigma^2$   
Define  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  Then  $\forall \epsilon > 0$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|\bar{X}_n - \mu| < \epsilon) = 1 \equiv \bar{X}_n \text{ converges in probability to } \mu$$

Proof p. 233

Example:  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  of iid RV w/  $E(X) = \mu$  and  $\text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$

Define  $S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}_n)^2$

By Chebychev  $P(|S^2 - \sigma^2| \geq \epsilon) \leq \frac{E(S^2 - \sigma^2)^2}{\epsilon^2} = \frac{\text{var}(S^2)}{\epsilon^2}$

• If  $\frac{\text{var}(S^2)}{\epsilon^2} \rightarrow 0$   $S^2 \rightarrow \sigma^2$  (in probability)

Theorem 5.5.4 Suppose that  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  converges in probability to random variable  $X$  and that  $h$  is a continuous function. Then  $h(X_1), h(X_2), \dots$  converge in probability to  $h(X)$  by continuity

Example 5.5.5 If  $S_n^2$  is a consistent estimator of  $\sigma^2$ , then by theorem 5.5.4 the sample standard deviation  $S_n = \sqrt{S_n^2} = h(S_n^2)$  is a consistent estimator for  $\sigma$   
• as  $\sigma \cdot S_n^2 \rightarrow \infty$   $h(x) = \sqrt{x}$  is continuous 1-1 on  $(0, \infty)$

Def 5.5.1

Converges in Probability  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X_n - X| \geq \epsilon) = 0 \equiv \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X_n - X| < \epsilon) = 1$

\*Example Convergence almost surely • Let  $S$  be the sample space  $[0, 1]$  w/ the uniform dist.  
• Define  $X_n(s) = s + s^n$  and  $X(s) = s$   
•  $\forall s \in [0, 1)$   $s^n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  and  $X_n(s) \rightarrow s = X(s)$  However  $X_n(1) = 2 \forall n$  so  $X_n(1)$  doesn't converge to  $1 = X(1)$  but since  $X_n(s) \rightarrow s = X(s)$  on  $[0, 1)$  we say  $P([0, 1)) = 1$ ,  $X_n \rightarrow X$  almost surely

for next definition

Def 5.5.6 A sequence of RV  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  converges almost surely to a random variable  $X$  if  $\forall \epsilon > 0$

$$P(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |X_n - X| < \epsilon) = 1$$

\* Almost surely  $\rightarrow$  in probability

Ex 5.5.8 (Convergence in probability but not almost surely)

• Sample Space =  $S = [0, 1]$  w/ uniform probability

• Define  $X_1, X_2, \dots$

$$X_1(s) = s + I_{[0, 1]}(s)$$

$$X_2(s) = s + I_{[0, 1/2]}(s)$$

$$X_3(s) = s + I_{[1/2, 1]}(s)$$

$$X_4(s) = s + I_{[0, 1/3]}(s)$$

$$X_5(s) = s + I_{[1/3, 2/3]}(s)$$

$$X_6(s) = s + I_{[2/3, 1]}(s)$$

• Let  $X(s) = s$  As  $n \rightarrow \infty$   $P(|X_n - X| \geq \epsilon)$

Theorem  
5.5.9  
SLLN

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be iid random variables w/  $E(X_i) = \mu$  and  $\text{var}(X_i) = \sigma^2 < \infty$  and define  $\bar{X}_n = (1/n) \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  then  $\forall \epsilon > 0$   
$$P(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |\bar{X}_n - \mu| < \epsilon) = 1$$
  
that is,  $\bar{X}_n$  converges almost surely to  $\mu$

Def 5.5.10

A sequence of random variables  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  converge in distribution if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = F_X(x)$  at all points  $x$  where  $F_X(x)$  is continuous

Example 5.5.11

If  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  are iid uniform  $(0, 1)$  and  $X_{(n)} = \max(X_i)$ . Let us examine where  $X_{(n)}$  converges in distribution. As  $n \rightarrow \infty$  we expect  $X_{(n)}$  to get close to 1 and as  $X_{(n)}$  must be less than 1 we have  $\forall \epsilon > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} P(|X_{(n)} - 1| \geq \epsilon) &= P(X_{(n)} \geq 1 + \epsilon) + P(X_{(n)} \leq 1 - \epsilon) \\ &= 0 + P(X_{(n)} \leq 1 - \epsilon) \quad \text{as } X_{(n)} \in (0, 1) \\ &= P(X_i < 1 - \epsilon \text{ for } i=1, \dots, n) \\ &\stackrel{\text{i.i.d.}}{=} P(X_i < 1 - \epsilon)^n = (1 - \epsilon)^n \quad \text{which goes to zero} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore X_{(n)}$  converges in probability to one

\* Take  $\epsilon = t/n$

$$P(X_i < 1 - t/n) = (1 - t/n)^n \rightarrow e^{-t} \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$P(t \geq n(X_i - 1)) \rightarrow 1 - e^{-t}$$

$\therefore n(X_i - 1)$  converges in distribution to  $\exp(1)$

Theorem  
5.5.12

If the sequence of random variables  $X_1, X_2, X_3, \dots$  converges in probability to a RV  $X$ , the sequence also converges in distribution to  $X$



Theorem  
5.5.13

The sequence of random variables  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  converges in probability to a constant  $\mu$  iff the sequence also converges in distribution to  $\mu$

$$\text{i.e. } P(|X_n - \mu| > \epsilon) \rightarrow 0 \quad \forall \epsilon > 0$$

$\equiv$

$$P(X_n \in X) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 & (x < \mu) \\ 1 & (x > \mu) \end{cases}$$

Theorem  
5.5.14

Central Limit Theorem: Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be a seq. of iid RV  
whose mgfs exist in a neighborhood of 0.  
not needed  $\rightarrow$  that is  $M_X(t)$  exists for  $|t| < h$  for  
some positive  $h$

• Let  $E(X_i) = \mu$  and  $\text{Var}(X_i) = \sigma^2$

• Define  $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$

• Let  $G_n(x)$  denote the CDF of

$\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu)/\sigma$  then  $\forall x \ni -\infty < x < \infty$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} G_n(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2} dy$$

$\therefore \sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu)/\sigma \sim N(0, 1)$

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Example 5.5.16 Suppose  $X_1, \dots, X_n$  are a random sample from  
a negative binomial  $(r, p)$  distribution

$$E(X) = \frac{r(1-p)}{p} \quad \text{Var}(X) = \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$$

The Central Limit theorem says

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X} - r(1-p)/p)}{\sqrt{r(1-p)/p^2}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

Theorem  
5.5.17

Slutsky's Theorem

If  $X_n \rightarrow X$  in distribution and  $Y_n \rightarrow a$ , a  
constant, in probability then

a)  $Y_n X_n \rightarrow aX$  in distribution

b)  $X_n + Y_n \rightarrow X + a$  in distribution

Example 5.5.18 Suppose  $\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma} \rightarrow N(0, 1)$

• As before  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n^2 = \sigma^2$  then  $S_n^2 \rightarrow \sigma^2$  in probability

• Ex 5.5.3:  $\sigma/S_n \rightarrow 1$  in probability

By Slutsky's

$$\frac{\sigma/S_n \sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma} \rightarrow (i) N(0, 1)$$

For  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  Bernoulli( $p$ ) trials  
 Odds =  $\frac{p}{1-p}$  "has odds  $\frac{p}{1-p}$  of success"  
 odds ratio =  $\frac{(p/1-p)^m}{(1-p)^{n-m}}$  - gives relative odds "of one success over the other"

Def 5.5.20 If function  $g(x)$  has derivatives of order  $r$ , that is,  $g^{(r)}(x) = \frac{d^r}{dx^r} g(x)$  exists, then for any constant  $a$ , the Taylor polynomial of order  $r$  about  $a$  is

$$T_r(x) = \sum_{i=0}^r \frac{g^{(i)}(a)}{i!} (x-a)^i$$

Theorem 5.5.21

If  $g^{(r)}(a) = \frac{d}{dx^r} g(x)|_{x=a}$  exists then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(x) - T_r(x)}{(x-a)^r} = 0$

Example 5.5.22 We are interested in  $\frac{\hat{p}}{1-\hat{p}}$  as an estimate of  $\frac{p}{1-p}$  where  $p$  is a binomial success probability

Take  $g(p) = \frac{p}{1-p}$  so  $g'(p) = \frac{1}{(1-p)^2}$  and

$$\text{var}\left(\frac{\hat{p}}{1-\hat{p}}\right) \approx [g'(p)]^2 \text{Var}(\hat{p})$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{(1-p)^2}\right]^2 \frac{p(1-p)}{n} = \frac{p}{n(1-p)^3}$$

\* Note for RV  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k$  w/ means  $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_k$   $\exists$  a differentiable function  $g(T) \ni$

$$E_{\theta}(g(T)) \approx g(\theta) \quad \& \quad \text{Var}(g(T)) \approx [g'(\theta)]^2 \text{Var}(T)$$

Example 5.5.23  $X$  is RV  $E(x) = \mu \neq 0$

• an estimate of  $g(\mu)$ :  $g(x) = g(\mu) + g'(\mu)(x-\mu)$   
 $\infty E(g(x)) \approx g(\mu) \quad \& \quad \text{var}(g(x)) \approx [g'(\mu)]^2 \text{Var}_\mu(x)$

Theorem 5.5.24

Delta Method

Let  $Y_n$  be a sequence of RV that satisfies  $\sqrt{n}(Y_n - \theta) \rightarrow N(0, \sigma^2)$  in distribution. For a given function  $g$  and a specific value  $\theta$  suppose that  $g'(\theta)$  exists and is not 0 then

$$\sqrt{n}[g(Y_n) - g(\theta)] \rightarrow N(0, \sigma^2 [g'(\theta)]^2) \text{ in distribution}$$

Proof 243

Example 5.5.25

$\bar{x}$  mean of a random sample

$$E(X) = \mu \neq 0$$

$$E(g(x)) \approx g(\mu)$$

$$\text{var}(g(x)) \approx [g'(\mu)]^2 \text{Var}_\mu(x)$$

ie  $g(\mu) = 1/\mu$

$$E(g(x)) \approx \frac{1}{\mu}$$

$$\text{var}(g(x)) \approx \left(\frac{1}{\mu^2}\right)^2 \text{var}_\mu(x)$$

By Delta method

$$\sqrt{n} \left( \frac{1}{\bar{x}} - \frac{1}{\mu} \right) \rightarrow N\left(0, \frac{1}{\mu^4} \text{Var}_\mu(x)\right)$$

Theorem 5.5.26

Second order deltamethod

Let  $Y_n$  be a sequence of random variables that satisfies  $\sqrt{n}(Y_n - \theta) \rightarrow N(0, \sigma^2)$  in distribution. For a given function  $g$  and a specific value of  $\theta$  suppose that  $g'(\theta) = 0$  and  $g''(\theta) \neq 0$  and  $g'(\theta) = 0$

Then:

$$n[g(Y_n) - g(\theta)] \rightarrow \sigma^2 \frac{g''(\theta)}{2} \chi_{(1)}^2 \text{ in distribution}$$

Theorem 5.5.28

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample w/  $E(X_{ij}) = \mu_i$  and  $\text{Cov}(X_{ik}, X_{il}) = \sigma_{ij}$ . For a given function  $g$  w/ continuous first partial derivatives and a specific value  $\mu = (\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_n)$  for which  $\tau^2 = \sum \sum \sigma_{ij} \frac{\partial g(\mu)}{\partial \mu_i} \cdot \frac{\partial g(\mu)}{\partial \mu_j} > 0$

$$\sqrt{n}[g(\bar{X}_1, \dots, \bar{X}_n) - g(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_n)] \rightarrow N(0, \tau^2) \text{ in distribution}$$