

## MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS - 1

## CHAPTER 7

### UNBIASED MINIMUM VARIANCE ESTIMATOR (UMVE)

$y = y(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  will be called an UMVE of  $\theta$  if

- (i)  $y$  is unbiased:  $E(y) = \theta$
- (ii)  $\text{Var}(y) \leq$  Every other unbiased estimator of  $\theta$

- 7.1. Show that the mean  $\bar{X}$  of a random sample of size  $n$  from a distribution having p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = (1/\theta)e^{-x/\theta}$ ,  $0 < x < \infty$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ , zero elsewhere, is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta$  and has variance  $\theta^2/n$ .
- 7.2. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  denote a random sample from a normal distribution with mean zero and variance  $\theta$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ . Show that  $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2/n$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta$  and has variance  $2\theta^2/n$ .
- 7.3. Let  $Y_1 < Y_2 < Y_3$  be the order statistics of a random sample of size 3 from the uniform distribution having p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = 1/\theta$ ,  $0 < x < \theta$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ , zero elsewhere. Show that  $4Y_1$ ,  $2Y_2$ , and  $\frac{4}{3}Y_3$  are all unbiased estimators of  $\theta$ . Find the variance of each of these unbiased estimators.
- 7.4. Let  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  be two independent unbiased estimators of  $\theta$ . Say the variance of  $Y_1$  is twice the variance of  $Y_2$ . Find the constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  so that  $k_1 Y_1 + k_2 Y_2$  is an unbiased estimator with smallest possible variance for such a linear combination.

7.1)  $X_i \overset{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Exponential}(\theta)$ ;  $E(X_i) = \theta$ ;  $\text{Var}(X_i) = \theta^2$

$$E(\bar{X}) = E\left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right) = \frac{1}{n} \cdot E(\sum X_i) = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \sum E(X_i) = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \sum \theta = \frac{1}{n} \cdot n\theta = \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(\bar{X}) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right) = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \text{Var}(\sum X_i) = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \sum (\text{Var}(X_i)) = \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \sum \theta^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot n \cdot \theta^2 = \frac{\theta^2}{n} \end{aligned}$$

7.2) Remember;  $Z_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Normal}(0; 1) \Rightarrow \sum Z_i^2 \sim \chi_n^2$

Then;  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Normal}(0; \sigma^2) \Rightarrow W = \sum \frac{X_i^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_n^2$

$$E(W) = n; \text{Var}(W) = 2n$$

We have,  $X_i \sim \text{Normal}(0; \theta)$

$$E\left(\frac{\sum X_i^2}{n}\right) = E\left(\frac{\theta}{n} \cdot \frac{\sum X_i^2}{\theta}\right) = \frac{\theta}{n} \cdot E\left(\frac{\sum X_i^2}{\theta}\right) = \frac{\theta}{n} \cdot n = \theta$$

$$\text{Var}\left(\frac{\sum X_i^2}{n}\right) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{\theta}{n} \cdot \frac{\sum X_i^2}{\theta}\right) = \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} \cdot \text{Var}\left(\frac{\sum X_i^2}{\theta}\right) = \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} \cdot 2n = \frac{2\theta^2}{n}$$

7.3) Remember:  $y_1 < y_2 < \dots < y_k < \dots < y_n$  order statistics with  $f(x)$ , pdf of  $y_j$ ,  $j=1, 2, \dots, n$  are;

$$y_1: g_1(y) = n \cdot [1 - F(y)]^{n-1} \cdot f(y)$$

$$y_k: g_k(y) = \frac{n!}{(k-1)! \cdot (n-k)!} \cdot [F(y)]^{k-1} \cdot [1 - F(y)]^{n-k} \cdot f(y)$$

$$y_n: g_n(y) = n \cdot [F(y)]^{n-1} \cdot f(y)$$

We have;  $X_i \sim \text{Uniform}(0; \theta)$   $f(x) = \frac{1}{\theta}$  and  $F(x) = \frac{x}{\theta}$

$y_1 < y_2 < y_3$  and  $\hat{\theta}_1 = 4y_1$ ;  $\hat{\theta}_2 = 2y_2$ ;  $\hat{\theta}_3 = \frac{4}{3}y_3$  are estimators of  $\theta$ .

$$y_1: g_1(y) = n \cdot \left[1 - \frac{y}{\theta}\right]^{n-1} \cdot \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$$E(y_1) = \int_0^\theta y \cdot 3 \left[1 - \frac{y}{\theta}\right]^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} dy = \frac{3}{\theta} \int_0^\theta \left(y - \frac{2y^2}{\theta} + \frac{y^3}{\theta^2}\right) dy$$

$$= \frac{3}{\theta} \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{2y^3}{3\theta} + \frac{y^4}{4\theta^2} \right]_0^\theta = \frac{3}{\theta} \cdot \left( \frac{\theta^2}{2} - \frac{2\theta^3}{3\theta} + \frac{\theta^4}{4\theta^2} \right) = \frac{3}{\theta} \cdot \frac{\theta^2}{4} = \frac{3\theta}{4}$$

$$E(Y_1^2) = \int_0^{\theta} y^2 \cdot 3 \left(1 - \frac{y}{\theta}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} dy = \frac{3}{\theta} \int_0^{\theta} \left(y^2 - \frac{2y^3}{\theta} + \frac{y^4}{\theta^2}\right) dy$$

$$= \frac{3}{\theta} \left(\frac{\theta^3}{3} - \frac{2\theta^4}{4\theta} + \frac{\theta^5}{5\theta^2}\right) = \frac{3}{\theta} \cdot \frac{2\theta^3}{60} - \frac{\theta^2}{10}$$

$$\text{Var}(Y_1) = E(Y_1^2) - E^2(Y_1) = \frac{\theta^2}{10} - \frac{\theta^2}{16} = \frac{3\theta^2}{80}$$

Then;  $E(\hat{\theta}_1) = E(4Y_1) = 4E(Y_1) = 4 \cdot \frac{\theta}{4} = \theta$  *unbiased*

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}_1) = \text{Var}(4Y_1) = 16 \text{Var}(Y_1) = 16 \cdot \frac{3\theta^2}{80} = \frac{3\theta^2}{5}$$

Calculations for  $\hat{\theta}_2$  and  $\hat{\theta}_3$  are similar.

7.4)  $E(Y_1) = \theta$        $E(Y_2) = \theta$   
 $\text{Var}(Y_1) = 2\sigma^2$        $\text{Var}(Y_2) = \sigma^2$

Let;  $\hat{\theta} = k_1 Y_1 + k_2 Y_2$

$$E(\hat{\theta}) = E(k_1 Y_1 + k_2 Y_2) = k_1 E(Y_1) + k_2 E(Y_2) = (k_1 + k_2) \cdot \theta = \theta$$

$k_1 + k_2 = 1$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\theta}) = \text{Var}(k_1 Y_1 + k_2 Y_2) = k_1^2 \text{Var}(Y_1) + k_2^2 \text{Var}(Y_2)$$

$$= 2k_1^2 \sigma^2 + k_2^2 \sigma^2 = 2k_1^2 \sigma^2 + (1 - k_1)^2 \sigma^2$$

$$= (2k_1^2 + 1 - 2k_1 + k_1^2) \sigma^2 = (3k_1^2 - 2k_1 + 1) \sigma^2$$

Let  $w(k) = 3k^2 - 2k + 1$

$$\frac{dw(k)}{dk} = 6k - 2 = 0$$

$$k_1 = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow k_2 = \frac{2}{3}$$

## SUFFICIENT STATISTICS (SS)

let  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} \{f(x_i; \theta), \theta \in \Omega\}$  and

$$Y_i = u_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \sim g_i(y_i; \theta)$$

$Y_2$  is a sufficient statistics if and only if

$$h(x|y) = \frac{f(x_1; \theta) \cdot f(x_2; \theta) \cdot \dots \cdot f(x_n; \theta)}{g_i[u_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n); \theta]} = \frac{L(x; \theta)}{g_i(y; \theta)} = \underbrace{H(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}_{\text{independent of } \theta}$$

**Example** let  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} \text{Bernoulli}(\theta)$

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

let  $Y = \sum X_i$

Then;  $Y \sim \text{Binomial}(n; \theta)$

$$g_i(y) = \binom{n}{y} \cdot \theta^y \cdot (1-\theta)^{n-y}$$

$$h(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n | y) = \frac{\theta^{x_1} (1-\theta)^{1-x_1} \cdot \theta^{x_2} (1-\theta)^{1-x_2} \cdot \dots \cdot \theta^{x_n} (1-\theta)^{1-x_n}}{\binom{n}{y} \cdot \theta^y \cdot (1-\theta)^{n-y}}$$

$$= \frac{\theta^{\sum x_i} \cdot (1-\theta)^{n-\sum x_i}}{\binom{n}{y} \cdot \theta^y \cdot (1-\theta)^{n-y}} = \frac{1}{\binom{n}{y}} \text{ is independent of } \theta$$

Then,  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a sufficient statistics.

**Theorem:** If  $Y$  is a SS for  $\theta$ , then a 1-1 function of  $Y$ , let's say  $k_i(Y)$  is also a S.S. for  $\theta$ .



**Example** Since  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a S.S for  $\theta$  of Bernoulli trials,  $\bar{Y} = \frac{\sum X_i}{n}$  is also a S.S for  $\theta$ .

**Example** let  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Gamma}(\alpha = 2; \beta = \theta)$   
Remember, mgf of gamma is  $M(t) = (1 - \beta t)^{-\alpha}$ .  
Show that  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a S.S for  $\theta$ .

**Answer** mgf of  $X_i$  is  $M(t) = (1 - \theta t)^{-2}$  and  
 $M_Y(t) = E[e^{tY}] = E[e^{t(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n)}] = E[e^{tX_1}] \cdot E[e^{tX_2}] \cdot \dots \cdot E[e^{tX_n}]$   
 $= [(1 - \theta t)^{-2}]^n = (1 - \theta t)^{-2n}$

Then;  $Y \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha = 2n; \beta = \theta)$

Remember;  $X \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha; \beta) \Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} \cdot x^{\alpha-1} \cdot e^{-x/\beta}$

Then;  $f(x_i; \theta) = \frac{x_i \cdot e^{-x_i/\theta}}{\Gamma(2) \cdot \theta^2}$  and

$$h(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n | y) = \frac{\frac{x_1 \cdot e^{-x_1/\theta}}{\Gamma(2) \cdot \theta^2} \cdot \frac{x_2 \cdot e^{-x_2/\theta}}{\Gamma(2) \cdot \theta^2} \cdot \dots \cdot \frac{x_n \cdot e^{-x_n/\theta}}{\Gamma(2) \cdot \theta^2}}{\frac{y^{2n-1} \cdot e^{-y/\theta}}{\Gamma(2n) \cdot \theta^{2n}}}$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(2n)}{[\Gamma(2)]^n} \cdot \frac{x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n}{y^{2n-1}} \text{ is independent of } \theta.$$

Then,  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a S.S. for  $\theta$ .



**Example** Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from  $f(x) = e^{-(x-\theta)}$ ,  $x > \theta$ . Show that  $Y_{(1)}$ : first order statistics is a SS for  $\theta$ .

**Answer** Define  $I_A(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in A \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$

Then,  $f(x_i) = e^{-(x_i-\theta)}$ .  $I_{(\theta, \infty)}(x_i) = e^{-(x_i-\theta)} \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(\min(x_i))$

$$g_1(y) = n \cdot [1 - F(y)]^{n-1} \cdot f(y)$$

$$F(x) = \int_{\theta}^x e^{-(w-\theta)} dx = 1 - e^{-(x-\theta)} \quad x \geq \theta$$

$$g_1(y) = n \cdot [e^{-(y-\theta)}]^{(n-1)} \cdot e^{-(y-\theta)} \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(\min x_i)$$

$$\text{So; } h(\underline{x}|y) = \frac{L(\underline{x}, \theta)}{g_1(y)} = \frac{\prod e^{-(x_i-\theta)} \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(\min x_i)}{n \cdot e^{-n \cdot (y-\theta)} \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(\min x_i)}$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x_1 - x_2 - \dots - x_n}}{n \cdot e^{-ny}} \quad \text{is independent of } \theta.$$

then,  $Y_1 = \min(x_i)$  is a SS for  $\theta$ .

## Neyman Factorization Theorem

let  $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \{f(x_i|\theta), \theta \in \Omega\}$ .  $Y = v(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is a SS if and only if we can find two functions  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  such that

$$L(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = k_1(y; \theta) \cdot k_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$



**Example** let  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Normal}(\theta, \sigma^2)$  show that  $\bar{X}$  is a SF for  $\theta$ .

**Answer**

$$\begin{aligned} \sum (X_i - \theta)^2 &= \sum [(X_i - \bar{X}) + (\bar{X} - \theta)]^2 \\ &= \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + 2 \sum (X_i - \bar{X})(\bar{X} - \theta) + \sum (\bar{X} - \theta)^2 \\ &= \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + (\bar{X} - \theta) \cdot \sum (X_i - \bar{X}) = 0 \\ &= \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + n \cdot (\bar{X} - \theta)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Remember;  $f(x_i) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{x_i - \theta}{\sigma} \right)^2 \right\}$

Then;

$$\begin{aligned} L(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n; \theta) &= \left( \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \cdot \exp \left\{ -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(X_i - \theta)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right\} \\ &= \underbrace{\exp \left\{ -\frac{n \cdot (\bar{X} - \theta)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right\}}_{k_1(\bar{X}; \theta)} \cdot \frac{1}{(\sigma \sqrt{2\pi})^n} \cdot \underbrace{\exp \left\{ -\sum \frac{(X_i - \bar{X})^2}{2\sigma^2} \right\}}_{k_2(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)} \end{aligned}$$

Then,  $\bar{X}$  is a SF for  $\theta$  by factorization theorem.

**Example** let  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Beta}(\alpha = \theta; \beta = 2)$ . Find a SF for  $\theta$ .

**Answer**  $f(x; \theta) = \theta \cdot x^{\theta-1} \cdot (1-x)^2$  for  $0 < x < 1$

$$\begin{aligned} L(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n; \theta) &= \theta^n \cdot (x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n)^{\theta-1} \cdot (1-x_1)^2 \cdot (1-x_2)^2 \cdot \dots \cdot (1-x_n)^2 \\ &= \underbrace{\theta^n \cdot y^{\theta-1}}_{k_1(y; \theta)} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1}{x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n}}_{k_2(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $y = x_1 \cdot x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n$   
 $y$  is a SF for  $\theta$

- 7.10. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be a random sample from the normal distribution  $N(0, \theta)$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ . Show that  $\sum_1^n X_i^2$  is a sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ .
- 7.11. Prove that the sum of the observations of a random sample of size  $n$  from a Poisson distribution having parameter  $\theta$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ , is a sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ .
- 7.12. Show that the  $n$ th order statistic of a random sample of size  $n$  from the uniform distribution having p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = 1/\theta$ ,  $0 < x < \theta$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ , zero elsewhere, is a sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ .

7.10)  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Normal}(0; \theta)$

$$f(x_i; \theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\theta}} \cdot \exp\left\{-\frac{x_i^2}{2\theta}\right\} ; y = \sum x_i^2$$

$$L(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = \underbrace{(2\pi\theta)^{-n/2}}_{k_1(y; \theta)} \cdot \underbrace{\exp\left\{-\frac{y}{2\theta}\right\}}_{k_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)} \cdot 1$$

Then,  $y = \sum x_i^2$  is a S.S. for  $\theta$ .

7.11)  $X_i \stackrel{i.i.d}{\sim} \text{Poisson}(\theta)$

$$f(x_i; \theta) = \frac{e^{-\theta} \cdot \theta^{x_i}}{x_i!} ; y = \sum x_i$$

$$L(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = \frac{e^{-n\theta} \cdot \theta^y}{x_1! \cdot x_2! \cdot \dots \cdot x_n!} = \underbrace{e^{-n\theta} \cdot \theta^y}_{k_1(y; \theta)} \cdot \frac{1}{x_1! \cdot x_2! \cdot \dots \cdot x_n!}_{k_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}$$

Then,  $y = \sum x_i$  is a S.S. for  $\theta$ .



7.12)  $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Uniform}(0; \theta)$

$$f(x_i; \theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot I_{(0; \theta)}(x_i)$$

$$y = \max(X_i)$$

$$L(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^n \prod_{i=1}^n I_{(0; \theta)}(x_i) = \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^n \cdot I_{(0; \theta)}(y)}_{k_1(y; \theta)} \cdot \underbrace{1}_{k_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)}$$

Then,  $y = \max(X_i)$  is a SS for  $\theta$

**Theorem:** let  $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \{f(x_i; \theta), \theta \in \Omega\}$ . If a SS for  $\theta$  exist and if MLE of  $\theta$  also exists uniquely,  $\hat{\theta}_{MLE}$  is a function of SS  $y$ .

**Example 4** For 7.11, we have

$$L(\theta) = \frac{e^{-n\theta} \cdot \theta^y}{\prod x_i!} \text{ where } y = \sum X_i \text{ is a SS.}$$

$$\ln L(\theta) = -n\theta + y \ln \theta - \sum \ln x_i$$

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \ln L(\theta) = -n + \frac{y}{\theta} = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_{MLE} = \frac{y}{n} = \bar{X}$$

For 7.12, we have

$$L(\theta) = \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^n \quad 0 < x_i < \theta$$

$L(\theta)$  is Maximized when  $\theta$  is minimum. But since  $x_i < \theta$ , the minimum value  $\theta$  can take is  $\max(X_i)$

$$\hat{\theta}_{MLE} = y = \max(X_i)$$

## Rao and BLACKWELL THEOREM

Let  $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \{f(x_i; \theta), \theta \in \Omega\}$  and let  $Y_1 = U_1(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is a SS for  $\theta$ . Let  $Y_2 = U_2(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta$ :  $E(Y_2) = \theta$  which is NOT a function of  $Y_1$  alone. Then;  $\phi(Y_1) = E(Y_2 | Y_1)$  is a statistics such that

- (i) is a function of SS.
- (ii) is unbiased:  $E[\phi(Y_1)] = \theta$
- (iii)  $\text{Var}[\phi(Y_1)] \leq \text{Var}(Y_2)$

**Example 4** Let  $X_i \sim \{f(x_i; \theta), \theta \in \Omega\}$  and let  $E(X) = 2\theta$  and  $\text{Var}(X) = 2\theta^2$ . Let  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a SS and  $Y_1 = \frac{\sum X_i}{2n}$  and  $Y_2 = \frac{X_1 + X_n}{2}$  are two statistics.

- a) Show that  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are unbiased
  - b) Show that  $\text{Var}(Y_1) \leq \text{Var}(Y_2)$
  - c) Show that  $\text{Var}(E(Y_2 | Y_1)) \leq \text{Var}(Y_2)$
- (Hint: Use Conditional Variance Formula:

$$\text{Var}(X) = E[\text{Var}(X|Y)] + \text{Var}[E(X|Y)]$$

**Answer 4** a)  $E(Y) = E(\sum X_i) = \sum E(X_i) = 2n \cdot \theta$

$$E(Y_1) = E\left(\frac{Y}{2n}\right) = \frac{1}{2n} E(Y) = \frac{1}{2n} \cdot 2n \theta = \theta$$

$$E(Y_2) = E\left(\frac{X_1 + X_n}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} [E(X_1) + E(X_n)] = \frac{1}{2} (2\theta + 2\theta) = \theta$$

$$b) \text{Var}(Y) = \sum \text{Var}(X_i) = 2n\theta^2$$

$$\text{Var}(Y_1) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{Y}{2n}\right) = \frac{1}{4n^2} \text{Var}(Y) = \frac{1}{4n^2} \cdot 2n\theta^2 = \frac{\theta^2}{2n}$$

$$\text{Var}(Y_2) = \text{Var}\left(\frac{X_1 + X_2}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{16} (2\theta^2 + 2\theta^2) = \frac{\theta^2}{4}$$

$$\frac{\theta^2}{2n} \leq \frac{\theta^2}{4} \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

$$c) \varphi(Y_1) = E(Y_2 | Y_1) ; \text{Var}(Y_2) = E[\text{Var}(Y_2 | Y_1)] + \text{Var}(E(Y_2 | Y_1))$$

$$\text{Var}(\varphi(Y_1)) = \text{Var}(Y_2) - E(\text{Var}(Y_2 | Y_1)) \leq \text{Var}(Y_2)$$

7.20. If  $X_1, X_2$  is a random sample of size 2 from a distribution having p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = (1/\theta)e^{-x/\theta}$ ,  $0 < x < \infty$ ,  $0 < \theta < \infty$ , zero elsewhere, find the joint p.d.f. of the sufficient statistic  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$  for  $\theta$  and  $Y_2 = X_2$ . Show that  $Y_2$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta$  with variance  $\theta^2$ . Find  $E(Y_2 | Y_1) = \varphi(Y_1)$  and the variance of  $\varphi(Y_1)$ .

7.21. Let the random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  have the joint p.d.f.  $f(x, y) = (2/\theta^2)e^{-(x+y)/\theta}$ ,  $0 < x < y < \infty$ , zero elsewhere.

(a) Show that the mean and the variance of  $Y$  are, respectively,  $3\theta/2$  and  $5\theta^2/4$ .

(b) Show that  $E(Y|x) = x + \theta$ . In accordance with the theory, the expected value of  $X + \theta$  is that of  $Y$ , namely,  $3\theta/2$ , and the variance of  $X + \theta$  is less than that of  $Y$ . Show that the variance of  $X + \theta$  is in fact  $\theta^2/4$ .

7.20) let  $g(y_1, y_2)$  is joint pdf of  $Y_1, Y_2$  and  $g_1(y_1)$  and  $g_2(y_2)$  is pdf of  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  respectively.

Since  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2$  and  $Y_2 = X_2$ ,

$$g_2(y_2) = f(y_2) = \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot e^{-y_2/\theta} \text{ and } X \sim \text{Exponential}(\theta)$$

$Y_2 \sim \text{Exponential}(\theta)$

$$E(X) = \theta$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \theta^2$$

$$E(Y_2) = \theta \text{ and } \text{Var}(Y_2) = \theta^2$$

$$f_{12}(x_1, x_2) = f(x_1) \cdot f(x_2) = \frac{1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-(x_1+x_2)/\theta}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y_2 = x_1 + x_2 \\ y_2 = x_2 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x_1 = y_1 - y_2 \\ x_2 = y_2 \end{array} \quad |J| = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial y_2} \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_1} & \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial y_2} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1$$

$$g(y_1, y_2) = f_{12}(y_1 - y_2, y_2) \cdot |J| = \frac{1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-y_1/\theta} \quad 0 < y_2 < y_1$$

$$g_1(y_1) = \int_0^{y_1} g(y_1, y_2) dy_2 = \int_0^{y_1} \frac{1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-y_1/\theta} dy_2 = \frac{1}{\theta^2} e^{-y_1/\theta} \int_0^{y_1} dy_2$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta^2} e^{-y_1/\theta} y_2 \Big|_0^{y_1} = \frac{y_1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-y_1/\theta}, \quad 0 < y_1$$

$$h(y_2|y_1) = \frac{g(y_2, y_2)}{g_1(y_1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-y_1/\theta}}{\frac{y_1}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-y_1/\theta}} = \frac{1}{y_1} \quad 0 < y_2 < y_1$$

$$\varphi(y_1) = E(y_2|y_1) = \int_0^{y_1} y_2 \cdot \frac{1}{y_1} \cdot dy_2 = \frac{1}{y_1} \int_0^{y_1} y_2 dy_2 = \frac{1}{y_1} \cdot \left[ \frac{y_2^2}{2} \right]_0^{y_1} = \frac{y_1}{2}$$

$$E(\varphi(y_1)) = E\left(\frac{y_1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot E(y_1) = \frac{1}{2} E(x_1 + x_2) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\theta = \theta$$

$\varphi(y_1)$  is unbiased!

$$\text{Var}[\varphi(y_1)] = \text{Var}\left[\frac{y_1}{2}\right] = \frac{1}{4} \text{Var}(y_1) = \frac{1}{4} \text{Var}(x_1 + x_2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (\theta^2 + \theta^2) = \frac{\theta^2}{2} < \theta^2 = \text{Var}(y_2)$$

$$7.21) f(x,y) = \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta} \quad 0 < x < y < \infty$$

$$a) g_1(x) = \int_x^{\infty} f(x,y) dy = \int_x^{\infty} \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta} dy = \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot (-\theta) \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta} \Big|_x^{\infty}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-2x/\theta} \quad 0 < x < \infty$$

Then,  $X \sim \text{Exponential}(\frac{\theta}{2})$ ;  $E(X) = \frac{\theta}{2}$ ;  $\text{Var}(X) = \frac{\theta^2}{4}$

$$g_2(y) = \int_0^y f(x,y) dx = \int_0^y \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta} dx = \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot (-\theta) \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta} \Big|_0^y$$

$$= \frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-y/\theta} - \frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-2y/\theta}$$

$$E(Y) = \int_0^{\infty} y \cdot g_2(y) dy = 2 \int_0^{\infty} y \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot e^{-y/\theta} dy - \int_0^{\infty} y \cdot \frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-2y/\theta} dy$$

$\text{Exp}(\theta)$   
 $\mu = \theta$   
 $\sigma^2 = \theta^2$ 
 $\text{Exp}(\frac{\theta}{2})$   
 $\mu = \frac{\theta}{2}$   $\sigma^2 = \frac{\theta^2}{4}$

$$= 2\theta - \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{3\theta}{2}$$

$$E(Y^2) = \int_0^{\infty} y^2 \cdot g_2(y) dy = 2 \int_0^{\infty} y^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} \cdot e^{-y/\theta} dy - \int_0^{\infty} y^2 \cdot \frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-2y/\theta} dy$$

$$= 2[\theta^2 + \theta^2] - \left[ \frac{\theta^2}{4} + \frac{\theta^2}{4} \right] = 4\theta^2 - \frac{\theta^2}{2} = \frac{7\theta^2}{2}$$

$\sigma^2 + \mu^2$ 
 $\sigma^2 + \mu^2$

$$\text{Var}(Y) = E(Y^2) - E^2(Y) = \frac{7\theta^2}{2} - \left(\frac{3\theta}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{5\theta^2}{4}$$



$$b) h(y|x) = \frac{f(x,y)}{g_1(x)} = \frac{\frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot e^{-(x+y)/\theta}}{\frac{2}{\theta} \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} = \frac{e^{-y/\theta}}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \quad y > x$$

$$E(y|x) = \int_x^{\infty} y \cdot h(y|x) dy = \int_x^{\infty} \frac{y}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \cdot e^{-y/\theta} dy$$

LAPTÜ"  $-y/\theta$   
 $v = y \quad dv = e^{-y/\theta} dy$   
 $da = dy \quad v = -\theta \cdot e^{-y/\theta}$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \cdot \int_x^{\infty} y \cdot e^{-y/\theta} dy$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \left[ (-y\theta \cdot e^{-y/\theta}) \Big|_x^{\infty} + \int_x^{\infty} \theta \cdot e^{-y/\theta} dy \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \cdot [x\theta e^{-x/\theta} - 0] + \frac{1}{\theta \cdot e^{-x/\theta}} \cdot [-\theta^2 \cdot e^{-y/\theta}] \Big|_x^{\infty}$$

$$= x + \theta$$

$$E[E(y|x)] = E(x + \theta) = E(x) + \theta = \frac{\theta}{2} + \theta = \frac{3\theta}{2} = E(y)$$

$$Var[E(y|x)] = Var(x + \theta) = Var(x) = \frac{\theta^2}{4} < \frac{5\theta^2}{4} = Var(y)$$

## COMPLETENESS & UNIQUENESS

Let  $Z \sim \{h(z; \theta); \theta \in \Omega\}$ . If  $E[u(Z)] = 0$  requires  $u(z) = 0$  on the set  $Z$  has NON-zero probabilities, then the family  $\{h(z; \theta); \theta \in \Omega\}$  is called a **complete family of pdf's**.

**Example** Let  $X_i \sim \text{iid Poisson}(\theta)$ ;  $f(x) = \frac{e^{-\theta} \cdot \theta^x}{x!}$

We have shown that  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a SS with distribution  
 $Y \sim \text{Poisson}(n\theta)$ ;  $f(y; \theta) = \frac{(n\theta)^y \cdot e^{-n\theta}}{y!}$   $\theta > 0$

Suppose that  $E[u(Y)] = 0$

$$\text{We have, } E[u(Y)] = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} u(y) \frac{(n\theta)^y \cdot e^{-n\theta}}{y!}$$

$$= e^{-n\theta} \cdot \left[ u(0) + u(1) \cdot \frac{(n\theta)}{1!} + u(2) \cdot \frac{(n\theta)^2}{2!} + \dots \right] = 0$$

Since  $e^{-n\theta}$  and  $\frac{(n\theta)^y}{y!}$  terms are NON-zero, then each coefficient  $u(y)$  must be zero. So,  $E[u(Y)] = 0$  requires  $u(0) = u(1) = u(2) = \dots = 0$

**Example**  $X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\theta)$ ;  $f(x; \theta) = \theta^x \cdot (1-\theta)^{1-x}$   $x=0,1$   
 $0 < \theta < 1$

$$E[u(X)] = \sum_0^1 u(x) \cdot \theta^x \cdot (1-\theta)^{1-x} = \underbrace{u(0)}_{=0} \cdot (1-\theta) + \underbrace{u(1)}_{=0} \cdot \theta = 0$$

$\Rightarrow u(0) = u(1) = 0$  then,  $f(x; \theta)$  is a complete family.

*Example* Let  $X \sim \text{Uniform}(-\theta, \theta)$ ,  $\theta > 0$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\theta}, \quad -\theta \leq x \leq \theta$$

Since  $E(X) = 0$  and  $u(X) = X \neq 0$ , the family of pdf's is NOT complete

*Example* likewise,  $X \sim \text{Normal}(0; \sigma^2)$  is NOT complete because  $E(X) = 0$

7.23. If  $az^2 + bz + c = 0$  for more than two values of  $z$ , then  $a = b = c = 0$ .  
Use this result to show that the family  $\{b(2, \theta) : 0 < \theta < 1\}$  is complete.

7.24. Show that each of the following families is not complete by finding at least one nonzero function  $u(x)$  such that  $E[u(X)] = 0$ , for all  $\theta > 0$ .

(a)  $f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{2\theta}$ ,  $-\theta < x < \theta$ , where  $0 < \theta < \infty$ ,  
 $= 0$  elsewhere.

(b)  $N(0, \theta)$ , where  $0 < \theta < \infty$ .

7.23)  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(n=2; \theta)$ ;  $f(x; \theta) = \binom{2}{x} \theta^x (1-\theta)^{2-x}$   $x=0,1,2$

$$E[u(X)] = \sum_{x=0}^2 u(x) \cdot \binom{2}{x} \theta^x (1-\theta)^{2-x}$$

$$= u(0) \cdot (1-\theta)^2 + u(1) \cdot 2\theta(1-\theta) + u(2) \cdot \theta^2$$

$$= u(0) \cdot (1 - 2\theta + \theta^2) + 2\theta u(1) - 2\theta^2 u(1) + \theta^2 u(2)$$

$$= \theta^2 \underbrace{[u(0) + u(2) - 2u(1)]}_{=0} + \theta \underbrace{[2u(1) - 2u(0)]}_{=0} + \underbrace{u(0)}_{=0} = 0$$

$$u(1) = \frac{1}{2} [u(0) + u(2)]$$

$$u(1) = u(0) = 0 \quad (ii)$$

$$u(0) = 0 \quad (i)$$

$$0 = 0 + \frac{u(2)}{2} \Rightarrow u(2) = 0 \quad (iii)$$

Then, the family is complete.



## LEHMANN SCHEFFÉ THEOREM

Let  $X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \{f(x; \theta) : \theta \in \Omega\}$ , let  $Y = u(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n)$  is a  $SS^*$  and let the family  $\{g(y; \theta) : \theta \in \Omega\}$  is complete. If there is a function of  $Y$  which is an unbiased estimator of  $\theta$ , this function of  $Y$  is unique minimum variance unbiased estimator (UMVUE) of  $\theta$ .

7.27. Show that the first order statistic  $Y_1$  of a random sample of size  $n$  from the distribution having p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = e^{-(x-\theta)}$ ,  $\theta < x < \infty$ ,  $-\infty < \theta < \infty$ , zero elsewhere, is a complete sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ . Find the unique function of this statistic which is the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta$ .

$$7.27) \quad f(x) = e^{-(x-\theta)} \quad x > \theta$$

$$F(x) = \int_{\theta}^x f(\omega) d\omega = 1 - e^{-(x-\theta)}$$

$$y_1: \quad g_1(y) = n \cdot [1 - F(y)]^{n-1} \cdot f(y) = n \cdot [e^{-(y-\theta)}]^{n-1} \cdot e^{-(y-\theta)}$$

$$g_1(y) = n \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)} \quad y > \theta$$

$$E[u(y)] = \int_{\theta}^{\infty} u(y) \cdot n \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)} dy = 0$$

Since  $n \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)}$  is positive for  $y > \theta$ , the integral is zero only if  $u(y) = 0$ . The family is complete.

$$E(Y_1) = \int_{\theta}^{\infty} y \cdot n \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)} dy = n \cdot \int_{\theta}^{\infty} y \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)} dy$$

$$= n \left( \frac{-y}{n} \cdot e^{-n(y-\theta)} + \frac{1}{n} \int e^{-n(y-\theta)} dy \right) = \theta + n \Rightarrow E(Y_1 - n) = \theta$$

$\hat{\theta} = Y_1 - n$

$du = dy$   
 $u = y$   
 $dv = e^{-ny}$   
 $v = -\frac{1}{n} e^{-ny}$

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## The Exponential Class of PDF's

Let  $\{f(x; \theta) : \theta \in \Omega\}$   $\Omega = \{\theta : \eta < \theta < \xi\}$

$$f(x; \theta) = \exp[p(\theta)K(x) + S(x) + q(\theta)] \quad a < x < b$$

Such a pdf is said to be a member of exponential class of pdf's. Regularity conditions;

- (i) Neither  $a$  nor  $b$  depends upon  $\theta$
- (ii)  $p(\theta)$  is a nontrivial continuous function of  $\theta$
- (iii) Each of  $K'(x) \neq 0$  and  $S(x)$  is cont. func. of  $x$

$$f(x; \theta) = \exp[p(\theta)K(x) + S(x) + q(\theta)] \quad x = a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots$$

Such a pdf is said to represent a regular case of the exponential class of pdf's of discrete type if

- The set  $\{x : x = a_1, a_2, \dots\}$  does NOT depend upon  $\theta$
- $p(\theta)$  is a nontrivial continuous function of  $\theta$
- $K(x)$  is a nontrivial function of  $x$  on  $x = a_1, a_2, \dots$

**THEOREM:** Let  $f(x; \theta)$ ,  $\eta < \theta < \xi$  be a pdf which represents a regular case of exponential class.

Then if  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from  $f(x; \theta)$ , the statistics  $Y = \sum K(X_i)$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

**Example** Let  $X \sim \text{Normal}(0; \theta)$ . Find a CSS for  $\theta$ .

**Answer**  $f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\theta}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\theta}} = \exp \left[ \underbrace{-\frac{1}{2\theta}}_{p(\theta)} \cdot \underbrace{x^2}_{h(x)} - \underbrace{\ln \sqrt{2\pi\theta}}_{q(\theta)} \right]_{s(x)=0}$   
 $x \in \mathbb{R}, \theta > 0$

Then,  $y = \sum x_i^2$  is a CSS for  $\theta$

**Example** Let  $X \sim \text{Normal}(\theta; \sigma^2)$ . Find a CSS for  $\theta$

**Answer**  $f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp \left[ -\frac{(x-\theta)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right], x \in \mathbb{R}, \theta \in \mathbb{R}$   
 $= \exp \left( \underbrace{\frac{\theta}{\sigma^2}}_{p(\theta)} \cdot \underbrace{x}_{h(x)} - \underbrace{\frac{x^2}{2\sigma^2}}_{s(x)} - \underbrace{\ln \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}_{q(\theta)} - \underbrace{\frac{\theta^2}{2\sigma^2}}_{q(\theta)} \right)$

Then,  $y = \sum x_i$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

**Example** Let  $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\theta)$ . Find UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

**Answer**  $f(x; \theta) = \frac{\theta^x e^{-\theta}}{x!} = \exp \left[ \underbrace{(\ln \theta)}_{p(\theta)} \cdot \underbrace{x}_{h(x)} - \underbrace{\ln x!}_{s(x)} - \underbrace{\theta}_{q(\theta)} \right]$   
 $x = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Then  $y = \sum x_i$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

$$E(y) = E(\sum x_i) = \sum E(x_i) = \sum \theta = n\theta$$

$$E\left(\frac{y}{n}\right) = E(\bar{x}) = \theta \Rightarrow \bar{x} \text{ is UMVUE of } \theta.$$

**Example (cont)** Find UMVUE of  $\theta$  for  $X \sim \text{Normal}(\theta; \theta)$

**Answer**  $E(y) = E(\sum x_i^2) = \text{Var}[\sum x_i] + \underbrace{E(\sum x_i)^2}_{=0} = \sum \text{Var}(x_i) = n \cdot \theta$

$$E\left(\frac{y}{n}\right) = \theta \Rightarrow \frac{y}{n} = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{n} \text{ is UMVUE of } \theta.$$

7.29. Write the p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{6\theta^4} x^3 e^{-x/\theta}, \quad 0 < x < \infty, \quad 0 < \theta < \infty,$$

zero elsewhere, in the exponential form. If  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  is a random sample from this distribution, find a complete sufficient statistic  $Y_1$  for  $\theta$  and the unique function  $\varphi(Y_1)$  of this statistic that is the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta$ . Is  $\varphi(Y_1)$  itself a complete sufficient statistic?

7.30. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  denote a random sample of size  $n > 1$  from a distribution with p.d.f.  $f(x; \theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$ ,  $0 < x < \infty$ , zero elsewhere, and  $\theta > 0$ . Then  $Y = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  is a sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ . Prove that  $(n-1)/Y$  is the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta$ .

7.39. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$ ,  $n > 2$ , be a random sample from the binomial distribution  $b(1, \theta)$ .

- Show that  $Y_1 = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$  is a complete sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ .
- Find the function  $\varphi(Y_1)$  which is the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta$ .
- Let  $Y_2 = (X_1 + X_2)/2$  and compute  $E(Y_2)$ .
- Determine  $E(Y_2 | Y_1 = y_1)$ .

$$7.29) \quad f(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{6\theta^4} \cdot x^3 \cdot e^{-x/\theta} = \exp \left[ \underbrace{-\frac{1}{\theta}}_{p(\theta)} \cdot \underbrace{x}_{h(x)} + \underbrace{3 \ln x - \ln 6 - 4 \ln \theta}_{s(x) + q(\theta)} \right]$$

Then,  $Y = \sum X$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

Note that  $X \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha=4; \beta=\theta)$

$$E(X) = \alpha \beta = 4\theta$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha) \beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta}$$

$$\text{Then, } E(\sum X) = \sum E(X) = \sum 4\theta = 4n\theta$$

$$E\left(\frac{\sum X}{4n}\right) = \theta \Rightarrow \varphi(y) = \frac{y}{4n} = \frac{\bar{X}}{4} \text{ is UMVUE for } \theta$$

Yes, because  $\varphi(y)$  is a 1<sup>st</sup> function of CSS  $y$

$$7.30) f(x; \theta) = \theta \cdot e^{-\theta x} = \exp \left\{ \underbrace{-\theta x}_{p(\theta)} + \underbrace{\ln \theta}_{q(\theta)} \right\} \quad s(x) = 0$$

Then,  $y = \sum X_i$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

Note that,  $X \sim \text{Exp}(\frac{1}{\theta}) = \text{Gamma}(1, \frac{1}{\theta})$

Remember, if  $X_i \stackrel{\text{ind.}}{\sim} \text{Gamma}(\alpha_i; \beta) \Rightarrow \sum X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(\sum \alpha_i; \beta)$

Then,  $y = \sum X_i \sim \text{Gamma}(n; \frac{1}{\theta})$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(n) \cdot (\frac{1}{\theta})^n} \cdot y^{n-1} \cdot e^{-y\theta}$$

$= \theta \cdot \theta^{n-1}$

$$E\left(\frac{n-1}{y}\right) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{n-1}{y} \cdot \underbrace{\theta^n}_{\Gamma(n)} \cdot y^{n-1} \cdot e^{-y\theta} dy$$

$= (n-1)! / (n-2)!$

$$= \theta \cdot \int_0^{\infty} \underbrace{\frac{\theta^{n-1}}{\Gamma(n-1)}}_{\text{pdf of Gamma}(n-1, \frac{1}{\theta})} \cdot y^{n-2} \cdot e^{-y\theta} dy = \theta$$

$$7.39) a) f(x; \theta) = \theta^x (1-\theta)^{1-x} = \theta^x \left(\frac{1}{1-\theta}\right)^{x-1} = \left(\frac{\theta}{1-\theta}\right)^x \cdot (1-\theta)$$

$$= \exp \left[ \underbrace{\ln\left(\frac{\theta}{1-\theta}\right)}_{p(\theta)} \cdot x + \underbrace{\ln(1-\theta)}_{q(\theta)} \right] \quad x=0,1; 0 < \theta < 1$$

Then,  $y_2 = \sum X_i$  is a CSS for  $\theta$

$$b) E(y) = E(\sum X_i) = \sum E(X_i) = \sum \theta = n\theta$$

Then;  $\frac{y_2}{n} = \bar{X}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

$$c) E(y_2) = E\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} [E(x_1) + E(x_2)] = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\theta = \theta$$

$$d) E(y_2 | y_1 = y_1) = \varphi(y_1) = \bar{x}$$

## FUNCTIONS of a PARAMETER

Example: let  $X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\theta)$ .

a) What is UMVUE of  $\theta^2$ ?

b) What is UMVUE of  $\text{Var}(X)$ ?

Answer: We have shown in 7.39 that  $\bar{X}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

We have,  $E(X) = \theta$ ;  $\text{Var}(X) = \theta \cdot (1 - \theta) = \theta - \theta^2$

$$Y = \sum X_i \Rightarrow E(Y) = n\theta \quad \text{Var}(Y) = n\theta(1 - \theta)$$

$$a) E(Y^2) = \text{Var}(Y) + E^2(Y) = n\theta(1 - \theta) + n^2\theta^2 = \underbrace{n\theta - n\theta^2}_{=E(Y)} + n^2\theta^2$$

$$E(Y^2) = E(Y) + \theta^2(n^2 - n)$$

$$E\left[\frac{Y^2 - Y}{n^2 - n}\right] = \theta^2 \Rightarrow \frac{Y^2 - Y}{n^2 - n} \text{ is UMVUE of } \theta^2$$

$$b) E\left(\frac{Y}{n}\right) = \theta; \quad E\left(\frac{Y^2 - Y}{n^2 - n}\right) = \theta^2 \quad \text{Then } E\left[\frac{Y}{n} - \frac{Y^2 - Y}{n^2 - n}\right] = \theta - \theta^2$$

$$\text{So; } \frac{Y}{n} - \frac{Y(Y-1)}{n(n-1)} = \frac{Y}{n} \left[1 - \frac{Y-1}{n-1}\right] \text{ is UMVUE of } \text{Var}(X).$$

7.40. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  denote a random sample from a distribution that is  $N(\theta, 1)$ ,  $-\infty < \theta < \infty$ . Find the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta^2$ .

Hint: First determine  $E(\bar{X}^2)$ .

7.41. Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  denote a random sample from a distribution that is  $N(0, \theta)$ . Then  $Y = \sum X_i^2$  is a complete sufficient statistic for  $\theta$ . Find the unbiased minimum variance estimator of  $\theta^2$ .

7.40) We have shown that  $\bar{X}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .  
 $E(\bar{X}^2) = \text{Var}(\bar{X}) + E^2(\bar{X}) = \frac{1}{n} + \theta^2$

Because  $X \sim \text{Normal}(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \bar{X} \sim \text{Normal}(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

Then;  $E(\bar{X}^2 - \frac{1}{n}) = \theta^2 \Rightarrow \bar{X}^2 - \frac{1}{n}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta^2$

7.41)  $X \sim \text{Normal}(0; \theta)$

We have shown that  $y = \frac{\sum X^2}{n}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

Also Remember  $W = \frac{\sum X^2}{\theta} \sim \chi_n^2$  and  $E(W) = n$   
 $\text{Var}(W) = 2n$

$Y$  is a CSS of  $\theta \Rightarrow y^2$  is a CSS of  $\theta^2$

$$\begin{aligned} E(y^2) &= \text{Var}(y) + E^2(y) = \text{Var}\left[\frac{\sum X^2}{n}\right] + E^2\left[\frac{\sum X^2}{n}\right] \\ &= \text{Var}\left[\frac{\theta}{n} \cdot \frac{\sum X^2}{\theta}\right] + E^2\left[\frac{\theta}{n} \cdot \frac{\sum X^2}{\theta}\right] = \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} \text{Var}(W) + \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} E^2(W) \\ &= \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} [2n + n^2] = \frac{\theta^2}{n^2} \cdot n(n+2) = \frac{n+2}{n} \cdot \theta^2 \end{aligned}$$

Then,  $E\left[\frac{n}{n+2} y^2\right] = \theta^2$  and  $\frac{n}{n+2} \left[\frac{\sum X^2}{n}\right]^2$  is UMVUE of  $\theta^2$

Example 4 Let  $X \sim \{f(x, \theta) : \theta \in \Omega\}$

$$E(X) = 2\theta \text{ and } \text{Var}(X) = 2\theta^2$$

Also let  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a CSS for  $\theta$ .

- Find UMVUE of  $\theta$
- Find UMVUE of  $\theta^2$
- Find  $E[(X_1 + X_2) | Y]$

Answer  $\ll$  a)  $E(Y) = E(\sum X_i) = \sum E(X_i) = \sum 2\theta = 2n\theta$

Then,  $E(\frac{Y}{2n}) = \theta$  and  $\frac{\sum X_i}{2n} = \frac{\bar{X}}{2}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$

b)  $E(Y) = 2n\theta$  and  $Var(Y) = 2n\theta^2$

$$E(Y^2) = E[(\sum X_i)^2] = Var(Y) + E^2(Y) = 2n\theta^2 + 4n^2\theta^2 = \theta^2(4n^2 + 2n)$$

Then,  $E[\frac{Y^2}{4n^2 + 2n}] = \theta^2$  and  $\frac{(\sum X_i)^2}{2n(2n+1)}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta^2$

c) let  $\varphi(Y) = E[X_1 + X_2 | Y]$

$$E[\varphi(Y)] = E[E[X_1 + X_2 | Y]] = E(X_1 + X_2) = 2\theta + 2\theta = 4\theta$$

Since  $Y$  is CSS, there can be only one function of  $Y$  which is Unbiased Estimator of  $4\theta$

$$E(Y) = 2n\theta \Rightarrow E(\frac{2Y}{n}) = 4\theta$$

Then;  $\varphi(Y) = E[X_1 + X_2 | Y] = \frac{2Y}{n} = 2\bar{X} \ll$

Example  $\ll$  let  $X \sim f(x; \theta) = 3\theta^3 x^4 \quad x \geq \theta \quad \theta \geq 0$

$$E(X) = \frac{3\theta}{2} \quad Var(X) = \frac{3\theta^2}{4}$$

let  $Y = \min(X_i)$  has pdf  $g(y; \theta) = 3n \cdot \theta^{3n} \cdot y^{-(3n+1)} \quad y \geq \theta$

a) Find a SS for  $\theta$

and  $E(Y) = \frac{3n\theta}{3n-1}$

b) Show that  $Y$  is a CSS

c) Find UMVUE of  $\theta$

d) Find UMVUE of  $Var(X)$



Answer 4

$$a) f(x; \theta) = 3\theta^2 \cdot x^4 \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(x)$$

$$L(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n; \theta) = 3^n \cdot \theta^{3n} \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n x_i^4 \cdot \prod_{i=1}^n I_{(\theta, \infty)}(x_i)$$

$$= \underbrace{3^n \cdot \theta^{3n} \cdot I_{(\theta, \infty)}(\min(x_i))}_{k_1(y, \theta)} \cdot \underbrace{\prod_{i=1}^n x_i^4}_{k_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)} \quad y = \min(x_i)$$

Then, by factorization theorem,  $y = \min(x_i)$  is a SS for  $\theta$

$$b) E[u(y)] = 0 \text{ iff } u(y) = 0 \quad \forall y \geq \theta, \theta \geq 0$$

$$E[u(y)] = \int_{\theta}^{\infty} u(y) \cdot \underbrace{3n \theta^{3n}}_{\neq 0} y^{-(3n+1)} dy = 0$$

$$\int_{\theta}^{\infty} u(y) \cdot y^{-(3n+1)} dy = 0$$

If this integral is zero, its derivative wrt  $\theta$  is also zero. Remember, Leibnitz's Theorem:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{\alpha(x)}^{\beta(x)} f(x) dx = \left\{ f[\beta(x)] \frac{d}{dx} \beta(x) \right\} - \left\{ f[\alpha(x)] \frac{d}{dx} \alpha(x) \right\} + \int \frac{d}{dx} f(x) dx$$

So, we have;  $\frac{d}{d\theta} \int_{\theta}^{\infty} u(y) \cdot y^{-(3n+1)} dy = 0$

$$\lim_{c \rightarrow \infty} \left( u(c) \cdot c^{-(3n+1)} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{d}{d\theta} c}_{=0} \right) - u(\theta) \cdot \theta^{-(3n+1)} \cdot 1 + \int_{\theta}^{\infty} \underbrace{\frac{d}{d\theta} u(y)}_{=0} y^{-(3n+1)} dy = 0$$

$$-u(\theta) \cdot \theta^{-3n-1} = 0$$

$u(\theta) = 0$  Then  $y = \min(x_i)$  is a CSF for  $\theta$

$$c) E(Y) = \frac{3n\theta}{3n-1} \Rightarrow E\left[\frac{3n-1}{3n} Y\right] = \theta$$

Then,  $\frac{3n-1}{3n} Y$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

$$d) g(y) = 3n \cdot \theta^{3n} y^{-(3n+1)} \quad y \geq \theta$$

$y$  is cdf for  $\theta \Rightarrow y^2$  is cdf for  $\theta^2$

$$E(Y^2) = \int_{\theta}^{\infty} y^2 \cdot 3n \theta^{3n} y^{-(3n+1)} dy = 3n \cdot \theta^{3n} \int_{\theta}^{\infty} y^{-3n+1} dy$$

$$= 3n \cdot \theta^{3n} \cdot \left[ \frac{y^{-3n+2}}{-3n+2} \right]_{\theta}^{\infty} = \frac{3n}{3n+2} \cdot \theta^2$$

Then,  $E\left[\frac{3n+2}{3n} Y\right] = \theta^2$  and  $E\left[\frac{3}{4} \frac{3n-2}{3n} Y\right] = \frac{3\theta^2}{4} = \text{Var}(X)$

So,  $\frac{3n-2}{4} \min(X_i)$  is UMVUE of  $\text{Var}(X)$

**Example** let  $X_i \sim \text{Poisson}(\theta)$

Find UMVUE of  $P(X=0)$

**Answer**  $X \sim \text{Poisson}(\theta) \Rightarrow Y = \sum X_i \sim \text{Poisson}(n \cdot \theta)$

We have shown that  $\bar{X} = \frac{Y}{n}$  is UMVUE of  $\theta$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-\theta} \cdot \theta^x}{x!}$$

So, we want the UMVUE of  $P(X=0) = e^{-\theta}$

Since  $Y = \sum X_i$  is a cdf for  $\theta$ , there must be a

Unique function  $\varphi(Y)$  which is UMVUE of  $e^{-\theta}$ .

Namely, we want  $E[\varphi(Y)] = e^{-\theta}$

$$E[\varphi(y)] = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \varphi(y) \cdot g(y) = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \varphi(y) \cdot \frac{e^{-n\theta} \cdot n\theta^y}{y!} = e^{-\theta}$$

$$\sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \frac{\varphi(y) \cdot e^{-n\theta} \cdot e^{\theta} \cdot (n\theta)^y}{y!} = 1$$

$$\sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \varphi(y) \cdot \frac{e^{-\theta(n-1)} \cdot (n\theta)^y}{y!} = 1$$

*pmf of Poisson( $\theta(n-1)$ )*

$$\text{So; } (n\theta)^y = n^y \theta^y \frac{(n-1)^y}{(n-1)^y} = \underbrace{\left(\frac{n}{n-1}\right)^y}_{\varphi(y)} \cdot [\theta \cdot (n-1)]^y$$

$$\varphi(y) = \left(\frac{n}{n-1}\right)^{\sum x_i} \text{ is UMVUE of } e^{-\theta}$$