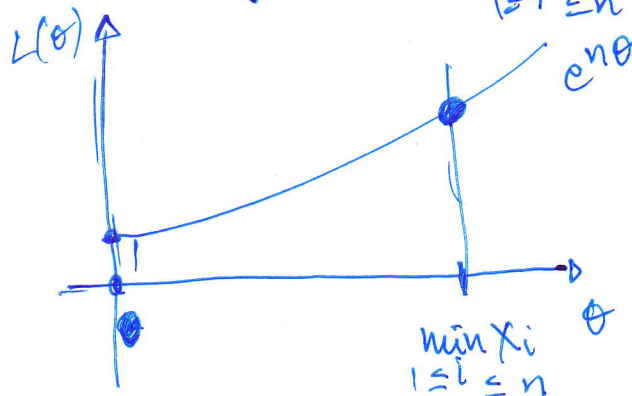


W7: WEDNESDAY

Reading: Ch 5.2 & 5.4 LAM.

EX: $(X_1, \dots, X_n)$ - sample from density $f_X(x; \theta) = e^{-(x-\theta)}$
for $x \geq \theta$ and $\theta > 0$.

$$L(\theta) = e^{-\sum_{i=1}^n X_i} \cdot e^{n\theta} \cdot \mathbb{1}(0 < \theta < \min_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i).$$



$\hat{\theta} = \min_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i$ - rand. v. (never ~~at~~ of θ)

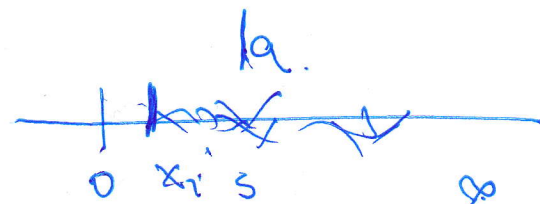
(1) distribution of $\hat{\theta}$

(2) $E(\hat{\theta})$

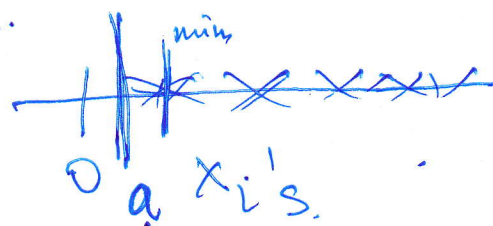
(3) $\text{var}(\hat{\theta})$

} functions of θ

$$P(\hat{\theta} \leq a) = P(\min_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i \leq a) \quad \text{too hard.}$$



$$\begin{aligned} P(\hat{\theta} \geq a) &= P(\min_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i \geq a) \\ &= P(\text{all } X_i \geq a) \end{aligned}$$



$$= P(\{X_1 \geq a\} \cap \{X_2 \geq a\} \cap \dots \cap \{X_n \geq a\}).$$

$$P(\hat{\theta} \geq a) = \prod_{i=1}^n \underbrace{P(X_i \geq a)}$$

$$X_i - \text{iid} \quad f_{X_i}(x; \theta) = e^{-(x-\theta)}, \quad x \geq \theta, \theta > 0$$

$$P(X \geq a) = \int_a^{\infty} e^{-(x-\theta)} dx = \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} \cdot e^{\theta} dx = e^{\theta} \int_a^{\infty} e^{-x} dx = e^{\theta} \cdot (-e^{-x}) \Big|_a^{\infty} = e^{\theta} \cdot (e^{-a}) = e^{\theta-a}$$

$$\text{If } a \leq \theta : P(X_i \geq \theta) = 1$$

Remember:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} e^{-x} = 0 \\ & \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} e^{-x} = +\infty \\ & \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} e^{+x} = +\infty \end{aligned}$$

$$P(X_i \geq a) = e^{\theta-a} \quad \text{for } a \geq \theta.$$

$$P(\hat{\theta} \geq a) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(X_i \geq a) = \prod_{i=1}^n e^{\theta-a} = e^{n(\theta-a)}$$

$$(1) P(\hat{\theta} \leq a) = 1 - P(\hat{\theta} \geq a) = 1 - e^{n(\theta-a)} \quad \text{if } a < \theta$$

$$(2) E\hat{\theta} = ?$$

Def An estimator is unbiased if $E(\hat{\theta}) = \theta$.

$$E\hat{\theta} = ?$$

- Find density of $\hat{\theta}$
- compute E .

$$f_{\hat{\theta}}(a) = \frac{d}{da} \{P(\hat{\theta} \leq a)\} = \frac{d}{da} (1 - e^{n\theta - na}).$$

$$= - \left(\frac{d}{da} e^{n\theta - na} \right) = - e^{n\theta - na} \cdot \left(\frac{d}{da} (n\theta - na) \right).$$

$$= - e^{n\theta - na} \cdot (-n) = n \cdot e^{n\theta - na}.$$

if $a \geq \theta$.

$$\begin{aligned} E\hat{\theta} &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} a \cdot f_{\hat{\theta}}(a) da = \int_{\theta}^{\infty} a \cdot n \cdot e^{n\theta - na} da \\ &= n \cdot e^{n\theta} \cdot \int_{\theta}^{\infty} \underbrace{a \cdot e^{-na}}_{u \cdot dv} da. \end{aligned}$$

$$u = a \quad dv = e^{-na} da.$$

$$du = da \quad v = \int e^{-na} da = -\frac{1}{n} \cdot e^{-na}.$$

$$\int_{\theta}^{\infty} u dv = u \cdot v \Big|_{\theta}^{\infty} - \int_{\theta}^{\infty} v du. \text{ Formula.}$$

$$E\hat{\theta} = n \cdot e^{n\theta} \left(a \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{n} \right) \cdot e^{-na} \Big|_{\theta}^{\infty} - \int_{\theta}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{n} e^{-na} \right) da \right)$$

$$E\hat{\theta} = n \cdot e^{n\theta} \left(0 - \left(-\frac{1}{n} \right) \cdot e^{-n\theta} + \int_{\theta}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} e^{-na} da \right).$$

$$= n \cdot e^{n\theta} \left(\frac{1}{n} \cdot e^{-n\theta} + \frac{1}{n} \cdot \left(-e^{-na} \frac{1}{n} \right) \Big|_{\theta}^{\infty} \right).$$

$$= n \cdot e^{n\theta} \left(\frac{1}{n} \cdot e^{-n\theta} + \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot (e^{-n\theta}) \right).$$

$$= n \cdot e^{n\theta} \cdot \frac{1}{n} \cdot e^{-n\theta} + \frac{1}{n} \cdot e^{-n\theta}.$$

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Ex: $(X_1, \dots, X_n)$ to be a sample from density.

$$f_X(x; \theta) = \frac{2}{\theta^2} \text{ if } 0 \leq x \leq \theta.$$

Are $\hat{\theta}_1 = \frac{3}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right) \cdot \frac{1}{n}$ and

$$\hat{\theta}_2 = \left(\frac{2n+1}{2n} \right) \cdot X_{\max} \quad (X_{\max} = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} X_i).$$

both unbiased? Which one is more efficient?

Def: If $\hat{\theta}_1$ and $\hat{\theta}_2$ are both unbiased estimators then $\hat{\theta}_1$ is more efficient than $\hat{\theta}_2$

$$\text{if } \text{var}(\hat{\theta}_1) \leq \text{var}(\hat{\theta}_2).$$

$$\hat{\theta}_1 = \frac{3}{2n} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right).$$

$$\mathbb{E} \hat{\theta}_1 = \mathbb{E} \left(\frac{3}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right) = \frac{3}{2n} \cdot \mathbb{E} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right) = \frac{3}{2n} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E} X_i$$

RULE. For any $X_1, \dots, X_n$.

$$\mathbb{E}(X_1 + \dots + X_n) = \mathbb{E}(X_1) + \dots + \mathbb{E}(X_n)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} X_i &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x \cdot \underset{\uparrow}{f(x; \theta)} dx = \int_0^{\theta} x \cdot \underset{\uparrow}{\frac{2}{\theta^2}} \cdot dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\theta^2} \int_0^{\theta} x dx = \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} x^2 \Big|_0^{\theta} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\theta^2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2} \theta^2 - 0 \right) = 1$$