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if $n \leq 30$

t interval

$$\bar{y} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$df = n - 1 \leq 29$$

if $n > 30$

t interval

$$\bar{y} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Use if $n > 30$

If $n > 30$, then $df = n - 1 > 29$ and t table df only goes to 29.

The line $df = \infty$ is used if $df > 29$ and this line gives $z_{\alpha/2}$.

42] COMMON problem ex]

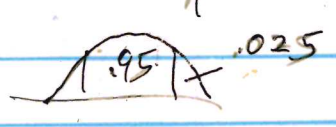
$$\bar{x} = 100, s = 40$$

a) If $n = 16$ and the data are iid from a highly skewed dist, find a 95% CI for μ if possible.

Soln) not possible

b) If $n = 16$ and CLT holds, find a 95% CI for μ if possible.

Soln) $df = n - 1 = 16 - 1 = 15$



$t_{0.025}$	df
2.131	15

see HW18 F.

$$95\% \text{ CI is } \bar{x} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} = 100 \pm 2.131 \frac{40}{\sqrt{16}} = 100 \pm 21.31 = [78.69, 121.31]$$

c) If $n=32$ and CLT holds, find 95% CI for μ .

soln) $df = n-1 = 31 \rightarrow 29$
 so use $z_{\alpha/2}$ (go to $df = \text{inf}$)
 $z_{0.025} \mid df$
 1.96 \mid inf.

$$\bar{X} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} = 100 \pm 1.96 \frac{40}{\sqrt{32}}$$

HW18 = $100 \pm 13.859 = [86.141, 113.859]$

43) Know how to compute

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum y_i \quad \text{and} \quad s = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}$$

ex) 1996 wanted to know mean Vitamin C content μ of a corn soy blend.

Find 95% CI for μ if data is

measured
in mg
Per 100g

26 31 23 22 11 22 14 31

y_i	$y_i - \bar{y}$	$(y_i - \bar{y})^2$
26	3.5	12.25
31	8.5	72.25
23	0.5	0.25
22	-0.5	0.25
11	-11.5	132.25
22	-0.5	0.25
14	-8.5	72.25
31	8.5	72.25

see HW19 A
 $n=8$
 $\bar{y} = \frac{180}{8} = 22.5$

$$\sum y_i = 180$$

$$\sum (y_i - \bar{y}) = 0 \quad \text{always, good check} \quad \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = 362$$

$$\text{So } s^2 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{y})^2}{n-1} = \frac{362}{7} = 51.714$$

$$\text{and } s = \sqrt{s^2} = \sqrt{51.714} = 7.191$$

Hence the 95% CI for μ is

$$\bar{y} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} = 22.5 \pm 2.365 \frac{7.191}{\sqrt{8}}$$

$df = n-1$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{c|c} t_{0.025} & df \\ \hline 2.365 & 7 \end{array} \right) = 22.5 \pm 6.0128 = [16.487, 28.513]$$

44] p426 Justification for t interval:

If Y_1, \dots, Y_n are iid $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$,

then $\frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$. So $1 - \alpha =$

$$P\left(-t_{\alpha/2} < \frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}} < t_{\alpha/2}\right) =$$

$$P\left(-t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} < \bar{Y} - \mu < t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$$= P\left(-\bar{Y} - t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} < -\mu < -\bar{Y} + t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$$= P\left(\bar{Y} - t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} < \mu < \bar{Y} + t_{\alpha/2} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

45] Common Final Problem Find a small sample CI for μ and either

4.6] a large sample CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ or for $P_1 - P_2$ or for p
P428 The pooled t
100 $(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$

$$\text{is } (\bar{Y}_1 - \bar{Y}_2) \pm t_{\alpha/2} s_p \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}$$

$$\text{where } P(T > t_{\alpha/2}) = \alpha/2$$

and $T \sim t$ with $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$

and $s_p = \sqrt{s_p^2}$ where

pooled variance $s_p^2 = \frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$

If $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2 > 30$, use $z_{\alpha/2}$ instead of $t_{\alpha/2}$.

47] P430 Assumptions: a)

Sample 1 Y_{11}, \dots, Y_{1n_1} is a random sample from a pop with mean μ_1 and SD σ_1 .

Sample 2 Y_{21}, \dots, Y_{2n_2} is a random sample from a pop with mean μ_2 and SD σ_2 .

b) σ_1 and σ_2 are unknown but $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2$ (or $\sigma_1 \approx \sigma_2$). ($n_1 = n_2$ also works)

c) If n_1 and n_2 are both small, this CI works best if $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2$, $n_1 = n_2$ and the 2 underlying populations have the same shape (especially if both are mound shaped)

ex)  $\in \text{Pop 1}$

 $\in \text{Pop 2}$

ex)  Pop 1 Pop 2
need bigger samples

ex} 12/17

sd/able

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Chemical oxygen demand (SCOD) from

14 sludge samples and from another

16 sludge samples using a different type of culture

Get 95% CI for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ assuming $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2$.

	n	mean	SD	var
pop 1	14	18.1	6	36
pop 2	16	15.9	5	25

usually only one given

$\mu_1 - \mu_2$ = difference in mean SCOD's

$$S_p^2 = \frac{(n_1 - 1) S_1^2 + (n_2 - 1) S_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$$

$$S_p^2 = \frac{(14 - 1) 6^2 + (16 - 1) (5)^2}{14 + 16 - 2} = \frac{843}{28} = 30.107$$

← using SDs

$S_p = 5.487$

95% CI $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2 = 28$

d	2.048
95%	

$$\bar{y}_1 - \bar{y}_2 \pm t_{\alpha/2} S_p \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}} =$$

$$18.1 - 15.9 \pm 2.048 \cdot 5.487 \sqrt{\frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{14}} =$$

0.366

$$2.2 \pm 4.112 = [-1.912, 6.312]$$

Note: 0 is a reasonable value.

48] ^{p435} Let Y_1, \dots, Y_n be iid $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$. 62.9

Then a 100 $(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for σ^2 is

$$\left[\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{\alpha/2}}, \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{1-\alpha/2}} \right] \quad \text{where } df = n-1.$$

and the 100 $(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for σ is

$$\left[\sqrt{\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{\alpha/2}}}, \sqrt{\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{1-\alpha/2}}} \right].$$

49] Bad CI if data are not iid $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$.

ex] breakdown voltage of electrically stressed

circuits $n = 17$, $s^2 = 137324.3$

table 6 p 850-851

95% CI for σ^2

df	$\chi^2_{.975}$	$\chi^2_{.025}$
16	6.908	28.845

$$\text{CI for } \sigma^2 \text{ is } \left[\frac{16(137324.3)}{28.845}, \frac{16(137324.3)}{6.908} \right]$$

↑ bigger value
↑ smaller value

$$= [76172.258, 318064.380]$$

CI for σ takes $\sqrt{}$ of the endpoints, giving $[275.993, 563.972]$

50) common problem

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get pooled CI for μ_1, μ_2
and CI for σ^2

HW19

1] P472 The pop. k th moment is $E(Y^k)$
and the sample k th moment is $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^k$.

2] P473 Let $\mu_k'(\theta) = E(Y^k)$

$$m_k' = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^k$$

Let $\underline{\theta} = [\theta_1, \dots, \theta_t]$. The method of moments estimators $(\hat{\theta}_1, \dots, \hat{\theta}_t)$

are found by solving $\mu_1'(\underline{\theta}) = m_1'$
 $\mu_2'(\underline{\theta}) = m_2'$
 \vdots
 $\mu_t'(\underline{\theta}) = m_t'$

for $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_t$ where t is the number of unknown parameters.

not in text } If $g(\underline{\theta}) = g(\mu_1'(\underline{\theta}), \dots, \mu_t'(\underline{\theta}))$,
then the method of moments estimator
of $g(\underline{\theta})$ is $T = g(m_1', \dots, m_t')$

ex 9.13 } p 474 Y_1, \dots, Y_n iid Gamma α, β
 $E Y_i = \alpha \beta$, $V(Y_i) = \alpha \beta^2$

$$\text{So } \mu_1' = E Y_1 = \alpha \beta, \mu_2' = E(Y_1^2) = V(Y_1) + (E Y_1)^2 = \alpha \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \beta^2$$

$$\mu_1' = \alpha \beta \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} \bar{Y} \quad (1)$$

$$\mu_2' = \alpha \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \beta^2 \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 \quad (2)$$

$$\hat{\beta} = \bar{Y} / \hat{\alpha} \quad \text{from (1)}$$

$$\text{so } \hat{\alpha} \frac{(\bar{Y})^2}{\hat{\alpha}^2} + \hat{\alpha}^2 \frac{(\bar{Y})^2}{\hat{\alpha}^2} = \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 \quad \text{from (2)}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{(\bar{Y})^2}{\hat{\alpha}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2$$

$$\text{or } \frac{1}{\hat{\alpha}} = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2}{(\bar{Y})^2}$$

$$\hat{\alpha} = \frac{(\bar{Y})^2}{\frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2}$$

$$\text{so } \hat{\beta} = \bar{Y} \frac{1}{\hat{\alpha}} = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2}{\bar{Y}}$$

$$\text{Note } \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = \sum [Y_i^2 - 2Y_i\bar{Y} + (\bar{Y})^2]$$

$$= \sum Y_i^2 - 2\bar{Y} \sum Y_i + n(\bar{Y})^2$$

$$= \sum Y_i^2 - 2n(\bar{Y})^2 + n\bar{Y}^2 = \sum Y_i^2 - n(\bar{Y})^2$$

$$\text{so } \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2 = \frac{1}{n} [\sum Y_i^2 - n(\bar{Y})^2]$$

$$\text{and } \hat{\beta} = \frac{\frac{1}{n} [\sum Y_i - n(\bar{Y})^2]}{\bar{Y}} = \frac{\sum Y_i - n(\bar{Y})^2}{n\bar{Y}}$$

$$\text{ex] } \rho(R) = \text{Var}(Y) = E Y^2 - (E Y)^2 = \mu_2' - (\mu_1')^2$$

so method of moments estimator

$$\text{is } m_2' - (m_1')^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i \right)^2 \quad 483 \ 64$$

Note that $\sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = \sum Y_i^2 - n(\bar{Y})^2$

$$\text{So } m_2' - (m_1')^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \left[\sum Y_i^2 - n(\bar{Y})^2 \right] = \frac{1}{n} \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2$$

$$= \frac{n-1}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{n-1} \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = \frac{n-1}{n} s^2$$

(A short cut formula for s^2 is

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$$s^2 = \frac{n}{n-1} \frac{\left[\sum Y_i^2 - n(\bar{Y})^2 \right]}{n-1} = \frac{n}{n-1} \left[\frac{1}{n} \sum Y_i^2 - (\bar{Y})^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{n-1} \left(m_2' - (m_1')^2 \right) \approx EY^2 - (EY)^2$$

for large n .

3) Common Final Problem Given Y_1, \dots, Y_n are iid with mean $\mu = EY = \mu_1'$ and variance $\sigma^2 = EY^2 - (EY)^2 = \mu_2' - (\mu_1')^2$

Find the method of moments estimator of a simple function of μ_1' and μ_2' .

In particular, find $EY = h^{-1}(\theta)$

so $h^{-1}(\theta) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} \bar{Y}$ and $\hat{\theta} = h(\bar{Y})$.

ex] Y_1, \dots, Y_n are iid normal with mean $= \frac{1}{\theta}$ and variance $= \frac{1}{\theta}$.

Find the method of moments estimator of θ .

soln] $EY = \frac{1}{\theta} \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} \bar{Y}$

so $\hat{\theta} = \frac{1}{\bar{Y}}$.

Note that since $V(Y) = \frac{1}{\theta}$,

$\theta > 0$. But it is possible that $\bar{Y} < 0$

so could get $\hat{\theta} < 0$.

HW 20

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§ 9.7 4] * Let Y_1, \dots, Y_n be iid from a pop with pdf $f(y|\theta)$.

Then the joint pdf of Y_1, \dots, Y_n is $f(y_1, \dots, y_n|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(y_i|\theta)$.
function of y_1, \dots, y_n

The likelihood function is a function of θ

and $L(\theta) = L(\theta | Y_1, \dots, Y_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(y_i|\theta)$.

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5] * Let Y_1, \dots, Y_n be iid from a pop with probability function $p(y|\theta)$.

Then the joint prob function is $P(y_1, \dots, y_n|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i|\theta)$ and the likelihood function $L(\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i|\theta)$.

6] Let $\underline{y} = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$ and $\underline{\theta} = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_k)$. 483 65

Let $\Theta = \{\underline{\theta} \mid f(\underline{y}|\underline{\theta}) \text{ is a pdf}\}$

or $\Theta = \{\underline{\theta} \mid P(\underline{y}|\underline{\theta}) \text{ is a probability function}\}$

Then Θ is the parameter space.

ex] $Y_i \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$, $\underline{\theta} = (\mu, \sigma^2)$

$\Theta = \{(\mu, \sigma^2) \mid \mu \in \mathbb{R}, \sigma^2 > 0\}$

ex] $Y_i \sim \text{poisson}(\lambda)$, $\underline{\theta} = \theta = \lambda$

$\Theta = \{\lambda \mid \lambda > 0\}$.

7] P477

know For each sample point \underline{y}

let $\hat{\underline{\theta}}(\underline{y}) \in \Theta$ be a parameter value at which $L(\underline{\theta}) = L(\underline{\theta}|\underline{y})$

attains its maximum (as a function

of $\underline{\theta}$ where \underline{y} is treated as a

constant). A maximum likelihood estimator

(MLE) of $\underline{\theta}$ based on a sample

\underline{y} is $\hat{\underline{\theta}}(\underline{y})$.

8) $\hat{\theta}(y) \in \Theta$, so if you find MLE $\hat{\theta} \notin \Theta$, you made a mistake.

9) Notation: Let $\underline{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2)$ and $\hat{\underline{\theta}}(y) = (\hat{\theta}_1(y), \hat{\theta}_2(y))$. We will say that $\hat{\theta}_i(y)$ is the MLE of θ_i , $i=1,2$.

10] know (Invariance Principle of MLE's)

If $\hat{\underline{\theta}}$ is the MLE of $\underline{\theta}$, then for any function τ of $\underline{\theta}$, $\tau(\hat{\underline{\theta}})$ is the MLE of $\tau(\underline{\theta})$.

11] $\log(x) = \ln(x)$. If $L(\theta) > 0 \forall \theta \in \Theta$ and $\hat{\theta}$ maximizes $\log L(\theta)$, then $\hat{\theta}$ maximizes $L(\theta)$.

12] Suppose that Θ is one dimensional, $L(\theta) > 0$ is continuous on Θ , and $\Theta = [a,b]$ is closed and bounded. Then there exists a $\hat{\theta} \in \Theta$ that maximizes $\log L(\theta)$. Suppose $\frac{d}{d\theta} \log L(\theta)$ exists everywhere on (a,b) and that $\frac{d}{d\theta} \log L(\theta) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0$ (or $\frac{d}{d\theta} L(\theta) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0$) has