

- 1) Let X_1, \dots, X_n be independent identically distributed random variables with pdf

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\lambda} \phi x^{\phi-1} \frac{1}{1+x^\phi} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{\lambda} \log(1+x^\phi)\right]$$

where x, ϕ , and λ are all positive. ASSUME ϕ IS KNOWN. If possible, find the UMP (uniformly most powerful) level α test of $H_0 : \lambda = 1$ versus $H_1 : \lambda < 1$. (Note that the inequality in H_1 is "less than.")

IPREF with $W(\lambda) \uparrow$ so UMP test is

/reject H_0 if $\sum \log(1+x_i^\phi) < k$ where $\alpha = P_1\left(\sum \log(1+x_i^\phi) < k\right)$,

$$\text{OR UMP } \frac{f(x, \lambda)}{f(x, 1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{\lambda} \phi x^{\phi-1} \frac{1}{1+x^\phi} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{\lambda} \sum \log(1+x_i^\phi)\right]}{\exp\left[-\frac{1}{1} \sum \log(1+x_i^\phi)\right]} > k \text{ iff}$$

$$\exp\left(-\frac{1}{\lambda} + 1\right) \sum \log(1+x_i^\phi) > k' \text{ iff } \sum \log(1+x_i^\phi) < c \text{ so}$$

< 0 if $\lambda < 1$

same as boxed test

- 2) If $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$ is a complete sufficient statistic for θ , then by the LSU theorem, $e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i}$ is the UMVUE of $E[e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i}] = m_{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i}(t)$, the mgf of $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i$. If Y_1, \dots, Y_n are iid Poisson(θ), then $e^{t \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i} = \exp(t \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i)$ is the UMVUE of $\tau(\theta)$. Find $\tau(\theta)$.

$\sum Y_i \sim \text{Pois}(n\theta)$ has mgf $E(\exp t \sum Y_i)$

$$= [m_{Y_i}(t)]^n = [e^{\theta(e^t - 1)}]^n = \frac{e^{n\theta(e^t - 1)}}{= \exp(n\theta(e^t - 1))} = \tau(\theta)$$

$$(t = \log(1+\lambda) = \log\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right) \Rightarrow \tau(\theta) = e^\theta)$$

$\frac{\theta}{2} \exp[-(\theta+1)\log(1+|y|)]$ is a IPREF

3) Let Y_1, \dots, Y_n be iid random variables from a distribution with pdf

$$f(y) = \frac{\theta}{2(1+|y|)^{\theta+1}}$$

where $\theta > 0$ and y is real. Then $W = \log(1+|Y|)$ has pdf $f(w) = \theta e^{-w\theta}$ for $w > 0$.

a) Find the (Fisher) information number $I_1(\theta)$.

$$\log f(y|\theta) = \log(\frac{\theta}{2}) - (\theta+1) \log(1+|y|)$$

Key trick

$$\exp(\frac{1}{\theta}) = G(1, \frac{1}{\theta})$$

$$\log f(y|\theta) = \log(\frac{\theta}{2}) - (\theta+1) \log(1+|y|)$$

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \log f(y|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} - \log(1+|y|)$$

$$\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} \log f(y|\theta) = -\frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$I_1(\theta) = -E\left(-\frac{1}{\theta^2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{\theta^2}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{\theta} \right)$$

b) Find the uniformly minimum variance unbiased estimator (UMVUE) for $1/\theta$.

$$T = \sum_{i=1}^n \log(1+|Y_i|) \sim G(n, \frac{1}{\theta}) \text{ since } W \sim \exp(\frac{1}{\theta})$$

$$\text{so } E(T) = n \frac{1}{\theta} = n E(W)$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{\frac{T}{n} = \frac{\sum \log(1+|Y_i|)}{n}} \text{ is the UMVUE of } \frac{1}{\theta} \text{ by LSU}$$

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4) Let Y_1, \dots, Y_n be iid exponential (λ) random variables. Find the UMP level α test for $H_0 : \lambda = 1$ versus $H_1 : \lambda = 10$.

$$f(y) = I(y>0) \frac{1}{\lambda} \exp(-\frac{1}{\lambda} y) \quad \text{IPREF}$$

so reject H_0 if $\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \geq K$ where $\alpha = P_1\left(\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \geq K\right)$

$$\frac{(0.1)^n}{f(y|1)} = \frac{(1/10)^n \exp(-\frac{1}{10} \sum y_i)}{\exp(-\sum y_i)} = (1/10)^n \exp\left[\left(1-\frac{1}{10}\right) \sum y_i\right] \geq 10^n$$

iff $\sum y_i \geq K$ so boxed answer.