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Question 1:

Define the following:

1) Simply consistent estimator:

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2) Central limit theorem

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3) The estimator T^* is UMVUE for $\tau(\theta)$ if:

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4) Efficiency:

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5) Give the condition for an estimator to be MSE consistent:

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Question 2:

6) Does the following density function belong to the exponential family? If yes show?

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$$f(x; \alpha, \beta) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma\alpha \Gamma\beta} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} \quad \text{where } 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$a(\alpha, \beta) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha + \beta)}{\Gamma\alpha \Gamma\beta} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$b(x) = 1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$C_1(\alpha, \beta) = \alpha - 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad C_2(\alpha, \beta) = \beta - 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$d_1(x) = \ln(x) - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad d_2(x) = \ln(1-x) - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

7) Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $f(x, \theta) = \theta x^{\theta-1}$ where $0 \leq x \leq 1$ find the estimator using the method of moments.

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$$\bar{M}_1 = \bar{M}_1'$$

$$\frac{\sum x_i}{n} = E(x) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

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$$E(x) = \theta \int_0^1 x^{\theta} dx$$

$$E(x) = \frac{\theta}{\theta+1}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\theta}{\theta+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \frac{\bar{x}}{1-\bar{x}}$$

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$$+ \frac{\sum (x_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^3} \sigma^{-2}$$

8) Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ if μ is known find the maximum likelihood estimator for $\sigma^2, \sigma, \log \sigma^2$

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$$f(x, \mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (x - \mu)^2}$$

$$L = \left(\frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2} \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$$

$$\log L = n \log(1) - n \log(\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2$$

$$= -n \log(\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial \log L}{\partial \sigma} = -\frac{n}{\sigma} + \frac{1}{\sigma^3} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$$

$$-\frac{n}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\sigma^3} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$$

$$\frac{n}{\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{\sigma^3} \sum (x_i - \mu)^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \mu)^2}{n}$$

$$\hat{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x_i - \mu)^2}{n}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\log \hat{\sigma} = \log \frac{\sum (x_i - \mu)}{n}$$

$$= \log \sum (x_i - \mu) - \log(n) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Question 3:

9) State and prove Cramer-Rae inequality:

✓ T unbiased $\Rightarrow V(T) \geq \frac{[\bar{L}'(\theta)]^2}{E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$

$E(T) = \int \dots \int T \cdot L \cdot \pi dx_i = \bar{L}(\theta) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

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$= \int \dots \int T \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \pi dx_i = \bar{L}'(\theta) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} L = \frac{1}{L} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} L = \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} L \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

$= \int \dots \int T \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} \cdot L \pi dx_i = E\left(T \cdot \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = \bar{L}'(\theta) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

$\rho^2\left(T, \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = \text{Cov}^2\left(T, \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = \frac{\left[E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} \cdot T\right) - E(T)E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)\right]^2}{V(T)V\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)} \quad \text{--- (1)}$

* $E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

$= \int \dots \int L \pi dx = 1 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

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$= \int \dots \int \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \pi dx = 0 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

$= \int \dots \int \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} L \pi dx_i = E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

$V\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right) = E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$

$\frac{(\bar{L}'(\theta))^2}{V(T) E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)^2} \leq 1 \quad \text{--- (1/2)}$
 $V(T) \geq \frac{(\bar{L}'(\theta))^2}{E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)^2}$

cont Q₁₀)

$$P(\theta - \epsilon < T_n < \theta + \epsilon) \quad \dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$P\left(\frac{\theta - \epsilon}{n+1} < x_{(1)} < \frac{\theta + \epsilon}{n+1}\right) \quad \dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{n}{\theta} \int_{\frac{\theta - \epsilon}{n+1}}^{\frac{\theta + \epsilon}{n+1}} \left[1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right]^{n-1} dx$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta} \left[1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right]^n \bigg|_{\frac{\theta - \epsilon}{n+1}}^{\frac{\theta + \epsilon}{n+1}} \quad \dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \left[1 - \frac{\theta + \epsilon}{(n+1)\theta}\right]^n + \left[1 - \frac{\theta - \epsilon}{(n+1)\theta}\right]^n$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\theta + \epsilon}{(n+1)\theta}\right)^n + \left(1 - \frac{\theta - \epsilon}{(n+1)\theta}\right)^n \quad \dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{\theta + \epsilon}{\theta}} - e^{-\frac{\theta - \epsilon}{\theta}} \neq 1 \quad \dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

\Rightarrow not simple con. $\dots \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

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Question 4:

10) Let $(x; \theta) = \frac{1}{\theta}$ where $0 \leq x \leq \theta$. Let $T = (n+1)X_{(1)}$ be an estimator to $\tau(\theta) = \theta$.

Study: 1- unbiased 2- compute MSE 3- consistency

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$$f_1(x) = n f(x) (1 - F(x))^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_1(x) = n \frac{1}{\theta} \left(1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{n-1} \quad 0 \leq x \leq \theta \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E(X_{(1)}) = \int_0^{\theta} x n \frac{1}{\theta} \left(1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{n-1} dx \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{let } u = \frac{x}{\theta} \quad du = \frac{dx}{\theta} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$0 \leq x \leq \theta \Rightarrow 0 \leq u \leq 1 \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E(X_{(1)}) = n\theta \underbrace{\int_0^1 u^{2-1} (1-u)^{n-1} du}_{\text{Beta}} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= n\theta \frac{\Gamma_2 \Gamma_n}{\Gamma_{n+2}} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= n\theta \frac{(2-1)! (n-1)!}{(n+1)!} = \frac{n\theta (n-1)!}{n(n+1)(n-1)!} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E(X_{(1)}) = \frac{\theta}{n+1} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E((n+1)X_{(1)}) = n+1 E(X_{(1)}) = \frac{\theta}{(n+1)} (n+1) = \theta \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

T is unbiased estimator for $\tau(\theta)$ --- $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

cont Q10) (2) $MSE = V(T) + \underbrace{[E(T) - \theta]^2}_{\text{zero}} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$V(T_n) = V((n+1)X_{(1)}) = \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} V(X_{(1)}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= (n+1)^2 \left[E(X_{(1)}^2) - \frac{\theta^2}{(n+1)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$E(X_{(1)}^2) = n \int_0^\theta x^2 \frac{1}{\theta} \left(1 - \frac{x}{\theta}\right)^{n-1} dx = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$u = \frac{x}{\theta} \quad \frac{dx}{\theta} = du$$

$$\Rightarrow x = u\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= n \theta^2 \int_0^1 u \theta u (1-u)^{n-1} du$$

$$= n \theta^2 \int_0^1 u^2 (1-u)^{n-1} du = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= n \theta^2 B(3, n) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= n \theta^2 \frac{\Gamma_3 \Gamma_n}{\Gamma_{3+n}}$$

$$= n \theta^2 \frac{(3-1)! (n-1)!}{(n+2)!} = \frac{2\theta^2}{(n+2)(n+1)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X_{(1)}) = (n+1)^2 \left[\frac{2\theta^2}{(n+2)(n+1)} - \frac{\theta^2}{(n+1)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{2}$$

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

$$= \frac{\theta^2 n}{n+2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\theta^2 n}{n+1} = 1 \neq 0$$

not MSE consistent $\frac{1}{2}$

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11) Let $f(x; \theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$ where $x \geq 0$ and $s = \sum x_i$.

Case 1, find: 1- CRLB if $\tau(\theta) = 1/\theta$. (2)

2- UMVUE if the estimator $T = \bar{X}$ (2)

3- Fisher information for s (2)

Case 2, find 1- CRLB if $\tau(\theta) = \theta$. (4)

2- If $T = (n-1)/s$ is efficient. (4)

Case 1

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ CRLB} = \frac{[\tau'(\theta)]^2}{\text{In or } E\left(\frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta}\right)^2 \text{ or } \dots} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$f(x, \theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$$

$$L(x, \theta) = \theta^n e^{-\theta \sum x_i} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\log L(\theta) = n \log \theta - \theta \sum x_i \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{\partial \log L(\theta)}{\partial \theta} = \frac{n}{\theta} - \sum x_i \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \log L(\theta)}{\partial^2 \theta} = -\frac{n}{\theta^2} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$- \left[E\left(\frac{\partial^2 \ln L}{\partial \theta^2}\right) \right] = \frac{n}{\theta^2} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\tau'(\theta) = -\frac{1}{\theta^2} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\tau''(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta^4} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\text{CRLB} = \frac{1}{\theta^4} \times \frac{\theta^2}{n} = \frac{1}{\theta^2 n} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

(2)

$$E(T) = E(\bar{X}) = E(X) = \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$\Rightarrow T$ unbiased estimator $\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$

$$V(T) = V(\bar{X}) = \frac{\sigma^2}{n} = \frac{1}{n\theta^2}$$

$\Rightarrow V(T) = \text{lower bound} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\Rightarrow T$ is efficient $\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\Rightarrow T$ is UMVUE $\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$

(3)

$$S = \sum x_i \sim \text{Gamma}(n, \theta)$$

$$f(s, \theta) = \frac{\theta^n}{\Gamma(n)} s^{n-1} e^{-\theta s} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\log f(s, \theta) = n \log \theta - \theta s + (n-1) \log s - \log \Gamma(n)$$

$$\frac{\partial \log f(s, \theta)}{\partial \theta} = \frac{n}{\theta} - s \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \log f(s, \theta)}{\partial^2 \theta} = -\frac{n}{\theta^2} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$E\left(-\frac{\partial^2 \log f(s, \theta)}{\partial^2 \theta}\right) = \frac{n}{\theta^2} \quad \textcircled{\frac{1}{4}}$$

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Case 2:

$$\textcircled{1} \text{CRLB} = \frac{(I'(\theta))^2}{-E\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \log L(x, \theta)\right)} \rightarrow \text{From case 1} = \frac{(1)^2}{\frac{n}{\theta^2}} = \frac{1}{n} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{CRLB} = \frac{\theta^2}{n} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\textcircled{2} E(T) = (n-1) E\left(\frac{1}{S}\right)$$

$$E\left(\frac{1}{S}\right) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\theta^n}{\Gamma(n)} s^{n-2} e^{-\theta s} ds \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\theta^n}{\Gamma(n)} \frac{\Gamma(n-1)}{\theta^{n-1}} = \frac{\theta (n-2)!}{(n-1)!} = \frac{\theta}{n-1} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E(T) = (n-1) \frac{\theta}{n-1} = \theta \Rightarrow T \text{ is unbiased estimator} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$V(T) = E(T^2) - (E(T))^2$$

$$= E\left(\frac{(n-1)^2}{S^2}\right) - \theta^2 = (n-1)^2 E\left(\frac{1}{S^2}\right) - \theta^2 \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$E\left(\frac{1}{S^2}\right) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\theta^n}{\Gamma(n)} s^{n-3} e^{-\theta s} ds$$

$$= \frac{\theta^n}{\theta^{n-2}} \frac{\Gamma(n-2)}{\Gamma(n)} = \frac{\theta^2 (n-3)!}{(n-1)!} = \frac{\theta^2}{(n-1)(n-2)} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

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$$V(T) = \frac{(n-1)^2 \theta^2}{(n-1)(n-2)} - \theta^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow V(T) = \frac{\theta^2}{(n-2)} \neq \text{CRLB} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow T \text{ is not efficient} \quad \text{---} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

Question 5:

12) Let $f(x; \theta) = \frac{\ln \theta}{\theta - 1} \theta^x$ where $0 < x < 1$

1- Offer a suitable function: $\tau(\theta)$, and an efficient estimator T: (2)

2- Find $V(T)$ and I_n :

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$$L(x, \theta) = \left(\frac{\ln \theta}{\theta - 1} \right)^n \theta^{\sum x_i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log L &= n \ln \left(\frac{\ln \theta}{\theta - 1} \right) + \sum x_i \ln \theta \\ &= n \ln(\ln \theta) - n \ln(\theta - 1) + \sum x_i \log \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \log L}{\partial \theta} = \frac{n}{\theta \ln \theta} - \frac{n}{\theta - 1} + \frac{\sum x_i}{\theta}$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta} \left[\frac{1}{\ln \theta} - \frac{\theta}{\theta - 1} + \frac{\sum x_i}{n} \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{\theta} \left[\frac{\sum x_i}{n} - \left(\frac{\theta}{\theta - 1} - \frac{1}{\ln \theta} \right) \right]$$

$$a(n, \theta) [T_n - \tau(\theta)]$$

$$T_n = \bar{X}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(\theta) &= \frac{\theta}{\theta - 1} - \frac{1}{\ln \theta} \\ \tau'(\theta) &= \frac{\theta \ln \theta - \theta + 1}{(\theta - 1) \ln^2 \theta} \end{aligned}$$

$$a(n, \theta) = \frac{n}{\theta}$$

$$V(T_n) = \frac{\tau'(\theta)}{a(n, \theta)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\theta}{n} \left[\frac{1}{\theta (\ln \theta)^2} - \frac{1}{(\theta - 1)^2} \right]$$

$$I_n = a(n, \theta) \tau'(\theta)$$

$$\frac{n}{\theta} \left[\frac{1}{\theta (\ln \theta)^2} - \frac{1}{(\theta - 1)^2} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau(\theta) &= \frac{(\theta - 1) - \theta}{(\theta - 1)^2} - \frac{-1}{\theta (\ln \theta)^2} \\ \tau'(\theta) &= \frac{1}{\theta (\ln \theta)^2} - \frac{1}{(\theta - 1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

(4)

Question 6:

13) Prove if T_n is efficient to $\tau(\theta) \Rightarrow V(T_n) = \frac{\tau(\theta)}{a(n, \theta)}$ & $I_n = a(n, \theta) \tau(\theta)$

$$T_n \text{ is efficient} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \ln L}{\partial \theta} = a(n, \theta) (T_n - \tau(\theta)) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$E\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln L\right)^2 = a(n, \theta)^2 E(T_n - \tau(\theta))^2 \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow I_n = a(n, \theta)^2 V(T_n) \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow V(T_n) = \frac{(\tau'(\theta))^2}{I_n} = \frac{(\tau'(\theta))^2}{a(n, \theta)^2 V(T_n)} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow V(T_n) = \frac{\tau'(\theta)}{a(n, \theta)} \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad , \quad T_n = a(n, \theta) \tau'(\theta) \quad \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$