

STAT 447

HW 8

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Key

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$$7.3 \quad P(|\bar{Y} - \mu| \leq 2) = P(-2 \leq (\bar{Y} - \mu) \leq 2) = P\left(-\frac{2}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{\bar{Y} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{2}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$$= P\left(-\frac{2}{4/\sqrt{9}} \leq Z \leq \frac{2}{4/\sqrt{9}}\right) = P(-1.5 \leq Z \leq 1.5)$$

$$= 1 - 2P(Z > 1.5) = 1 - 2 \times 0.0668 = 0.8664$$

$$7.4 \quad P(|\bar{Y} - \mu| \leq 1) = 0.90.$$

$$\Rightarrow P(-1 \leq \bar{Y} - \mu \leq 1) = P\left(-\frac{1}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq Z \leq \frac{1}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) = P\left(-\frac{\sqrt{n}}{4} \leq Z \leq \frac{\sqrt{n}}{4}\right)$$

$$= 0.90$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{n}}{4} = 1.645$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 43.30$$

we need 44 trees

$$7.7 \quad a. \quad E(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) = E(\bar{X}) - E(\bar{Y}) = \mu_1 - \mu_2$$

$$b. \quad V(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) = V(\bar{X}) + V(\bar{Y}) = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{m} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}$$

$$c. \quad P(|(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)| \leq 1) = 0.95$$

$$\Rightarrow P\left(\frac{|(\bar{X} - \bar{Y}) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)|}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{m} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}}} \leq 1\right)$$

$$= P\left(Z \leq \sqrt{\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{m} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n}}}\right) = P\left(Z \leq \sqrt{\frac{n}{7.5}}\right) = 0.95$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{n}{7.5}} = 1.96$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 17.29$$

we need sample size $m = n = 18$

$$7.8 \quad P[(\bar{X}_A - \bar{X}_B) \geq 1] = P\left[\frac{(\bar{X}_A - \bar{X}_B) - (\mu_A - \mu_B)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_A^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_B^2}{n}}} \geq \frac{1 - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{0.4}{10} + \frac{0.8}{10}}}\right]$$

$$= P(Z \geq 2.89)$$

$$= 0.0019$$

$$7.11 \quad n = 20 \quad \sigma^2 = 1.4$$

$$a. \quad P(S^2 \leq b) = P\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \leq \frac{(n-1)b}{\sigma^2}\right) = P\left(\chi^2_{(n-1)} \leq \frac{(n-1)b}{\sigma^2}\right) = 0.975$$

$$\frac{(n-1)b}{\sigma^2} = \chi^2_{0.025, 19} = 32.8523$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 2.92$$

$$b. \quad P(a \leq S^2) = P\left(\frac{(n-1)a}{\sigma^2} \leq \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2}\right) = P\left(\frac{(n-1)a}{\sigma^2} \leq \chi^2_{(n-1)}\right) = 0.975$$

$$\frac{(n-1)a}{\sigma^2} = \chi^2_{0.975, 19} = 8.90655$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0.656$$

$$c. \quad P(a \leq S^2 \leq b) = P(a \leq S^2) - P(S^2 > b)$$

$$= P(a \leq S^2) - (1 - P(S^2 \leq b))$$

$$= 0.975 - (1 - 0.975) = 0.95$$

7.15 $T = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{W/2}}$ $Z \sim N(0,1)$ $W \sim \chi^2_2$
 $F = \frac{W_1/2_1}{W_2/2_2}$ $W_1 \sim \chi^2_{2_1}$ $W_2 \sim \chi^2_{2_2}$ W_1 and W_2 are independent
 $\Rightarrow U = T^2 = \frac{Z^2}{W/2} = \frac{Z^2/1}{W/2}$
 By theorem 7.2 $Z^2 \sim \chi^2_1$
 By definition 7.3 $U \sim F_{1,2}$

7.18 $\sigma_1^2 = 2\sigma_2^2$ $n_1 = 10$ $n_2 = 8$
 a. $\frac{S_1^2/\sigma_1^2}{S_2^2/\sigma_2^2} = \frac{S_1^2/2\sigma_2^2}{S_2^2/\sigma_2^2} = \frac{S_1^2}{2S_2^2} \sim F_{9,7}$
 $P\left(\frac{S_1^2}{2S_2^2} \leq b\right) = P\left(\frac{S_1^2}{2S_2^2} \leq \frac{b}{2}\right) = 0.95$
 $\Rightarrow P\left(\frac{S_1^2}{2S_2^2} > \frac{b}{2}\right) = 0.05$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{b}{2} = F_{0.05, 9, 7} = 0.68$
 $\Rightarrow b = 1.36$

b. $P\left(a \leq \frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2}\right) = P\left(\frac{a}{2} \leq \frac{S_1^2}{2S_2^2}\right) = 0.95$
 $\Rightarrow P\left(\frac{2S_1^2}{S_2^2} \leq \frac{a}{2}\right) = 0.95$
 $\Rightarrow P\left(\frac{2S_1^2}{S_2^2} > \frac{a}{2}\right) = 0.05$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{a}{2} = F_{0.05, 7, 9} = 3.29$
 $\Rightarrow a = 0.608$

c. $P\left(a \leq \frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2} \leq b\right) = P\left(a \leq \frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2}\right) - P\left(\frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2} > b\right)$
 $= P\left(a \leq \frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2}\right) - (1 - P\left(\frac{S_1^2}{S_2^2} \leq b\right))$
 $= 0.95 - (1 - 0.95) = 0.90$

7.21 a. $\bar{X}_i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma^2/n_i)$ \bar{X}_i are independent

By theorem 6.3 $\hat{\theta} = \sum_{i=1}^k c_i \bar{X}_i \sim N\left(\sum_{i=1}^k c_i \mu_i, \sum_{i=1}^k c_i^2 \sigma^2/n_i\right)$

b. $(n_i - 1) S_i^2 / \sigma^2 \sim \chi^2_{(n_i - 1)}$ (Theorem 7.3)

$(n_i - 1) S_i^2 / \sigma^2$ are independent

The sum of χ^2 random variables is χ^2 with degrees equal to the sum of degrees of freedom of the summands.

Hence $SSE / \sigma^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k (n_i - 1) S_i^2 / \sigma^2 \sim \chi^2_{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k (n_i - 1)\right)} = \chi^2_{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k\right)}$

c. $t = \frac{\hat{\theta} - \theta}{\sqrt{MSE \sum_{i=1}^k c_i^2}}$ $= \frac{\hat{\theta} - \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{SSE}{\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k} \sum_{i=1}^k c_i^2}}$ $= \frac{\hat{\theta} - \theta}{\sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^k c_i^2 \sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k}}}$

The numerator follows standard normal distribution

The denominator is the square root of $\chi^2_{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k\right)} / \left(\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k\right)$

SSE and $\hat{\theta}$ are independent since S_i^2 and \bar{X}_i are independent and S_j^2 and \bar{X}_i are independent for $i \neq j$

$\Rightarrow t \sim t_{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k\right)}$

7.25 $\mu = 7.00$ $\sigma = 0.50$ $n = 64$

$$P(\bar{X} \leq 6.90) = P\left[Z \leq \frac{(6.90 - 7.00) / (0.50 / \sqrt{64})}{1}\right] = P(Z \leq -1.6) = 0.0548$$

It is reasonable to assume the wage rates are equal.

7.26 $n = 40$, $\sigma \approx \text{range} / 4 = 3/4$

$$P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \leq 0.2) = P(-0.2 \leq (\bar{X} - \mu) \leq 0.2)$$

$$= P\left(-\frac{0.2}{\frac{3}{4} / \sqrt{40}} \leq \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{0.2}{\frac{3}{4} / \sqrt{40}}\right) = P(-1.69 \leq Z \leq 1.69)$$

$$= 1 - 2 \times 0.0455 = 0.909$$

7.27 $P(|\bar{X} - \mu| \leq 0.1) = P\left(|Z| \leq \frac{0.1 \sqrt{n}}{\frac{3}{4}}\right) = 0.90$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.1 \sqrt{n}}{3/4} = 1.645$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 152.21$$

The scientist should take 153 samples.

7.42 $P\left(\sum_{i=1}^{100} X_i > 240\right) = P(\bar{X} > 2.4) = P\left(\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}} > \frac{2.4 - 2.5}{2 / \sqrt{100}}\right)$

$$= P(Z > -0.5) = 1 - 0.3085 = 0.6915$$

7.75 $P(X \leq 110) = P\left(\frac{X - \lambda}{\sqrt{\lambda}} \leq \frac{110 - \lambda}{\sqrt{\lambda}}\right) = P\left(Z \leq \frac{110 - 100}{\sqrt{100}}\right) = P(Z \leq 1)$

$$= 1 - 0.1587 = 0.8413$$

8.4 $Y_i \sim \text{Exponential}(\theta)$ $E(Y_i) = \theta$ $V(Y_i) = \theta^2$

a. $E(\hat{\theta}_1) = E(Y_1) = \theta$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_2) = E\left(\frac{Y_1 + Y_2}{2}\right) = \theta$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_3) = E\left(\frac{Y_1 + 2Y_2}{3}\right) = \theta$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_5) = E(\bar{Y}) = \theta$$

$\hat{\theta}_1, \hat{\theta}_2, \hat{\theta}_3,$ and $\hat{\theta}_4$ are unbiased estimators for θ

$$\hat{\theta}_4 = \min(Y_1, Y_2, Y_3) = Y_{(1)} \quad F(y) = 1 - e^{-y/\theta}$$

$$f_{(1)}(y) = \frac{3!}{(3-1)!} [1 - F(y)]^{3-1} f(y)$$

$$= 3(e^{-y/\theta})^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-y/\theta} = \frac{3}{\theta} e^{-3y/\theta}$$

$$Y_{(1)} \sim \text{Exponential}\left(\frac{\theta}{3}\right)$$

$$E(\hat{\theta}_4) = E(Y_{(1)}) = \frac{\theta}{3} \Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_4 \text{ is biased estimator for } \theta$$

b. $V(\hat{\theta}_1) = V(Y_1) = \theta^2$

$$V(\hat{\theta}_2) = V\left(\frac{Y_1 + Y_2}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{4}(V(Y_1) + V(Y_2)) = \frac{\theta^2}{2}$$

$$V(\hat{\theta}_3) = V\left(\frac{Y_1 + 2Y_2}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{9}V(Y_1) + \frac{4}{9}V(Y_2) = \frac{5}{9}\theta^2$$

$$V(\hat{\theta}_5) = V(\bar{Y}) = \frac{1}{9}[V(Y_1) + V(Y_2) + V(Y_3)] = \frac{1}{3}\theta^2$$

$\Rightarrow \hat{\theta}_5$ has the smallest variance

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$$f(y) = \alpha y^{\alpha-1} / \theta^\alpha, 0 \leq y \leq \theta, \quad F(y) = \int_0^y \alpha t^{\alpha-1} / \theta^\alpha dt = \left(\frac{y}{\theta}\right)^\alpha$$

$$f_{(n)}(y) = \frac{n!}{(n-1)!} \left[\left(\frac{y}{\theta}\right)^\alpha\right]^{n-1} \alpha y^{\alpha-1} / \theta^\alpha = n \alpha y^{n\alpha-1} / \theta^{n\alpha}, \quad 0 \leq y \leq \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} a. \quad E(\hat{\theta}) &= E(Y_{(n)}) = \int_0^\theta y n \alpha y^{n\alpha-1} / \theta^{n\alpha} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\theta^{n\alpha}} \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+1} y^{n\alpha+1} \Big|_0^\theta = \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+1} \theta \neq \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$b. \quad \frac{n\alpha+1}{n\alpha} \hat{\theta} = \frac{n\alpha+1}{n\alpha} Y_{(n)} \text{ is unbiased}$$

$$c. \quad \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}) = E[(Y_{(n)} - \theta)^2] = E(Y_{(n)}^2) - 2\theta E(Y_{(n)}) + \theta^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(Y_{(n)}^2) &= \int_0^\theta y^2 n \alpha y^{n\alpha-1} / \theta^{n\alpha} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\theta^{n\alpha}} \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+2} y^{n\alpha+2} \Big|_0^\theta = \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+2} \theta^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{MSE}(\hat{\theta}) &= \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+2} \theta^2 - 2\theta \cdot \frac{n\alpha}{n\alpha+1} \theta + \theta^2 \\ &= \frac{\theta^2}{(n\alpha+1)(n\alpha+2)} \end{aligned}$$

$$8-12. \quad S = \sqrt{s^2} \quad \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{(n-1)}$$

$$\text{Let } X = \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2})} e^{-x/2}$$

$$Y = s^2 = \frac{\sigma^2 X}{n-1}$$

$$\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2}) \geq (n-1)/2$$

$$g(y) = f\left(\frac{(n-1)y}{\sigma^2}\right) \left|\frac{dy}{dx}\right| = \left(\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{(n-1)/2} y^{(n-1)/2 - 1} e^{-(n-1)y/2\sigma^2} \Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2}) \geq (n-1)/2$$

$$\begin{aligned} a. \quad E(S) &= E(\sqrt{Y}) = \int_0^\infty y^{1/2} g(y) dy \\ &= \int_0^\infty y^{1/2} \left(\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{(n-1)/2} y^{(n-1)/2 - 1} e^{-(n-1)y/2\sigma^2} dy \\ &\quad \Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2}) \geq (n-1)/2 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}\right)^{(n-1)/2} \Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) (2\sigma^2)^{n/2} \int_0^\infty y^{(n/2)-1} e^{-(n-1)y/2\sigma^2} dy$$

$$= (n-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) (\sigma^2)^{1/2} = \Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) 2^{1/2} \sigma \neq \sigma$$

$$b. \quad \hat{\sigma} = S \frac{\Gamma(\frac{n-1}{2}) \sqrt{n-1}}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2}) \sqrt{2}} \text{ is unbiased}$$

$$c. \quad E(\bar{Y}) = \mu$$

Thus $\bar{Y} - Z_\alpha \hat{\sigma}$ is an unbiased estimator of $\mu - Z_\alpha \sigma$