

Markov's Inequality

If X is a random variable that takes only nonnegative values, then, for any value $a > 0$:

$$P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{E[X]}{a}$$

Proof: For $a > 0$ let $I = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X \geq a \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ and note that since $X \geq 0: I \leq \frac{X}{a}$. Taking the expectation of the preceding inequality yields: $E[I] \leq \frac{E[X]}{a}$ which, because $E[I] = P(X \geq a)$ proves the result.

Chebyshev's Inequality

If X is a r.v. with finite mean μ and variance σ^2 , then for any value $k > 0: P(|X - \mu| \geq k) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{k^2}$

Proof: Since $(X - \mu)^2$ is a nonnegative random variable we can apply Markov's inequality. $P((X - \mu)^2 \geq k^2) \leq \frac{E[(X - \mu)^2]}{k^2}$. Since $(X - \mu)^2 \geq k^2$ iff $|X - \mu| \geq k$ we can also write the eq as $P(|X - \mu| \geq k) \leq \frac{E[(X - \mu)^2]}{k^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{k^2}$ QED

CLT

Let X_1, X_2, \dots be a sequence of iid rv's with mean 0 and variance σ^2 , cdf F and mgf M . Let $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\frac{S_n}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \leq x\right) = \Phi(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^x e^{-\frac{u^2}{2}} du$, cdf of $N(0,1)$

Proof: Let $Z = \frac{S_n}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}$ we will show that $M_{Z_n}(t) \rightarrow e^{\frac{t^2}{2}}$. $M_{S_n}(t) = M_{X_1+X_2+\dots+X_n}(t) = (M(t))^n$, $M_{Z_n}(t) = E[e^{tZ_n}] = E[e^{t \frac{S_n}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}}] = M_{S_n}\left(\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}\right) = \left(M\left(\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}\right)\right)^n$. $M'(0) = E[X_i] = 0$, $M''(0) = E[X_i^2] - E^2[X_i] \Rightarrow M(t) = E[e^{tX_i}]$, $M''(0) = \text{Var}[X_i] = \sigma^2$. $M_{Z_n}(t) = \left(M\left(\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}\right)\right)^n \approx \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2\left(\frac{t}{\sigma\sqrt{n}}\right)^2\right)^n = \left(1 + \frac{t^2}{2n}\right)^n \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} e^{\frac{t^2}{2}}$
Assumptions small

Weak law of large numbers

Let X_1, X_2, \dots be a sequence of iid rv's each having $E[X_i] = \mu$. Then for any $\epsilon > 0: P\left(\left|\frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n} - \mu\right| \geq \epsilon\right) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

Proof: Additional assumption $\text{Var}[X_i] = \sigma^2$, $E\left[\frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n}\right] = \mu$, $\text{Var}\left[\frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n}\right] = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$
 $P\left(\left|\frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n} - \mu\right| \geq \epsilon\right) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{n\epsilon^2} \rightarrow 0$, when $n \rightarrow \infty$

MGF $M_X(t) = E[e^{tx}] = \begin{cases} \sum e^{tx} \cdot P(x) & \text{if } X \text{ is discrete with density } P \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{tx} \cdot P(x) dx & \text{if } X \text{ is continuous with density } P \end{cases}$

Geometric: $f(x) = (1-p)^x \cdot p$, $X = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$
 $M_X(t) = \sum e^{tx} (1-p)^x \cdot p = p \sum e^{tx} (1-p)^x$. The sum can be written as $S = 1 + e^t(1-p) + e^{2t}(1-p)^2 + \dots$
 $S = \frac{1}{1 - e^t(1-p)}$ and the mgf: $M_X(t) = \frac{pe^t}{1 - (1-p)e^t}$ for $t < -\ln q$, $q = 1-p$

Binomial: $f(x) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$
 $M_{B_{n,p}}(t) = E[e^{tk}] = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k} \cdot e^{tk} = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} (pe^t)^k (1-p)^{n-k} = (pe^t + (1-p))^n$

Normal: $\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} = Z \sim N(0,1) \Rightarrow X = \sigma \cdot Z + \mu \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$
 $M_X(t) = E[e^{tX}] = E[e^{t(\sigma \cdot Z + \mu)}] = E[e^{t\sigma \cdot Z} \cdot e^{t\mu}] = e^{t\mu} \cdot E[e^{t\sigma Z}] = e^{t\mu} \cdot M_Z(t\sigma) = e^{t\mu} \cdot e^{\frac{(t\sigma)^2}{2}} = e^{\left(\frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2} + \mu t\right)}$

utgå från $\langle 1, 1, 1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x}$

OGF $G(x) = g_0 + g_1 x + g_2 x^2 + \dots = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} g_i x^i$
kvadrater: $\frac{d}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{(1-x)^2} \rightarrow \frac{x}{(1-x)^2} \rightarrow \frac{1+x}{(1-x)^3} = \langle 1, 4, 9, \dots \rangle$
kuber: $\frac{d}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{x+2x^2}{(1-x)^3} \rightarrow \frac{x^2+4x+4}{(1-x)^4} = \langle 1, 8, 27, \dots \rangle$

$\langle 1, 1, 1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x}$
 $\langle 1, -1, 1, -1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2}$
 $\langle 1, 0, 1, 0, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2}$
 $\langle 1, 0, 2, 0, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2}$
 $\langle 1, a, a^2, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-ax}$

Scaling

$\langle 1, 0, 1, 0, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2}$
 $\langle 2, 0, 2, 0, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2}$

$\langle 1+x+x^2+\dots+x^n \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1-x^{n+1}}{1-x}$
"4 oranges" = $\langle 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, \dots \rangle = \frac{1-x^5}{1-x}$

Product rule

$$G(x) \cdot F(x) = g_0 \cdot f_n + g_1 \cdot f_{n-1} + \dots + g_{n-1} \cdot f_1 + g_n \cdot f_0$$

$E[X] = \sum x \cdot f(x)$, $E[H(X)] = \sum H(x) \cdot f(x)$, $E[aX+b] = a \cdot E[X] + b$
 $Var[X] = E[X^2] - E^2[X]$

Binomial: $f(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}$, $E[X] = np$, $Var[X] = np(1-p)$
 Geometrisk: $f(x) = (1-p)^{x-1} \cdot p$, $E[X] = \frac{1}{p}$, $Var[X] = \frac{1-p}{p^2}$
 Poisson: $f(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda^x}{x!}$, $E[X] = Var[X] = \lambda = np$
 Normal: $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$
 Expon: $f(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$, $E[X] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$, $Var[X] = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$

Confidence Intervals

A $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval for a parameter Θ is a random interval such that: $P[L_1 \leq \Theta \leq L_2] = 1-\alpha$

Z: $CI = \bar{X} \pm Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$, T: $CI = \bar{X} \pm t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

CI on σ^2 : $L_1 = \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\chi^2_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}, n}}$, $L_2 = \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\chi^2_{\frac{\alpha}{2}, n}}$, $S^2 = \frac{n \sum X_i^2 - (\sum X_i)^2}{n(n-1)}$

Point estimator
 $\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n} = \frac{\sum I_{A \text{ or } B}}{n}$

CI on P
 $\hat{p} \pm Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$

CI on $P_1 - P_2$
 $P_1 - P_2 \pm Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{P_1(1-P_1)}{n_1} + \frac{P_2(1-P_2)}{n_2}}$

Common OGF's

$\langle 1, 0, 1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-x^2} = \sum x^{2n}$, $\langle 1, 2, 3, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{(1-x)^2} = \sum (n+1)x^n$, $\langle 1, 3, 6, 10, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{(1-x)^3} = \sum \binom{n+2}{2} x^n$

CI

- Om konfidensgraden minskar, minskar även bredden på intervallet.
- Om standardavvikelsen ökar ökar bredden på intervallet.
- Om stichprovsstorleken minskar ökar bredden på intervallet.

How to

$\frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = Z \sim N(0, 1)$
 $P(L_1 \leq \mu \leq L_2) = (1-\alpha) [L_1, L_2] - 100(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for μ
 $(1-\alpha) = P(L_1 \leq \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq L_2) = P(\frac{L_1 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \bar{x} - \mu \leq \frac{L_2 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}}) = P(\frac{L_1 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}} - \bar{x} \leq -\mu \leq \frac{L_2 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}} - \bar{x}) = P(\bar{x} - \frac{L_2 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \leq \mu \leq \bar{x} - \frac{L_1 \sigma}{\sqrt{n}})$

MGF: Poisson: $f(x) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda^x}{x!}$, $M_x(t) = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} e^{tx} \cdot \frac{e^{-\lambda} \cdot \lambda^x}{x!} = e^{-\lambda} \sum \frac{(e^t \lambda)^x}{x!} = e^{(-\lambda + \lambda e^t)} = e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)}$

Expon: $M_x(t) = E[e^{xt}] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{tx} f(x) dx = \int_0^{\infty} e^{tx} \lambda e^{-\lambda x} dx = \lambda \int_0^{\infty} e^{(t-\lambda)x} dx = \lambda \left[\frac{1}{t-\lambda} \cdot e^{(t-\lambda)x} \right]_0^{\infty} = \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - t}$

Fibonacci

$f(0) = 0$, $f(1) = 1$, $f_n = f_{n-1} + f_{n-2}$
 $F(x) = f_0 + f_1 x + f_2 x^2 + \dots$
 $\langle 0, 1, 0, 0, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow x$
 $\langle 0, f_0, f_1, f_2, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow x \cdot F(x)$
 $\langle 0, 0, f_0, f_1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow x^2 F(x)$
 $F(x) = \langle 0, f_0 + 1, f_0 + f_1, \dots \rangle \Leftrightarrow x + x F(x) + x^2 F(x)$

$F(x) = x + x F(x) + x^2 F(x) \Leftrightarrow$
 $F(x) = \frac{x}{1-x-x^2}$