

Bernoulli

$X \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p), \quad 0 \leq p \leq 1$

$$f_X(x) = p^x(1-p)^{1-x}, \quad x \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = p \quad \text{Var}(X) = p(1-p)$$

Binomial

$X \sim \text{Binomial}(n, p), \quad 0 \leq p \leq 1$

$$X \stackrel{d}{=} Z_1 + \dots + Z_n, \quad Z_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Bernoulli}(p)$$

$$f_X(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}, \quad x \in \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = np \quad \text{Var}(X) = np(1-p)$$

$$M_X(t) = (pe^t + q)^n, \quad q = 1-p$$

Multinomial

$X \sim \text{Multi}(n, (p_1, \dots, p_k)^T), \quad p_j \geq 0, \sum p_j = 1$

$$f_X(x) = \binom{n}{x_1 \dots x_k} p_1^{x_1} \dots p_k^{x_k}$$

$$x_i \in \{0, \dots, n\}, \quad \sum x_i = n$$

Geometric

$X \sim \text{Geo}(p), \quad 0 < p < 1$

$$\text{Geo}(p) = \text{Negbin}(1, p)$$

$$f_X(x) = p(1-p)^{x-1}, \quad x \in \{1, 2, \dots\}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = 1/p \quad \text{Var}(X) = (1-p)/p^2$$

Negative Binomial

$X \sim \text{Negbin}(r, p), \quad 0 < p < 1, r \in \mathbb{N}$

$$X \stackrel{d}{=} Z_1 + \dots + Z_r, \quad Z_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Geo}(p)$$

$$f_X(x) = \binom{x-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^{x-r}, \quad x \geq r, x \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = r/p \quad \text{Var}(X) = r(1-p)/p^2$$

$$M_X(t) = (pe^t(1-qe^t)^{-1})^r, \quad t < -\log q$$

Poisson

$X \sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda), \quad \lambda \geq 0$

$$\text{Poisson}(\lambda) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty, np \rightarrow \lambda} \text{Binomial}(n, p)$$

$$f_X(x) = e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x / x!, \quad x \in \{0\} \cup \mathbb{N}$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \lambda \quad \text{Var}(X) = \lambda$$

$$M_X(t) = e^{-\lambda + \lambda e^t}$$

Exponential

$X \sim \text{Exp}(1/\lambda), \quad \lambda > 0$

$$\text{Exp}(1/\lambda) \stackrel{d}{=} \text{Gamma}(1, 1/\lambda)$$

First arrival time for Poisson(λt)

$$f_X(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}, \quad x > 0$$

$$F_X(x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}, \quad x > 0$$

$$F_X^{-1}(x) = -1/\lambda \log(1-x), \quad 0 < x < 1$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = 1/\lambda \quad \text{Var}(X) = 1/\lambda^2$$

Gamma

$X \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta), \quad \alpha, \beta > 0$

$$\alpha \in \mathbb{N}, X \stackrel{d}{=} Z_1 + \dots + Z_\alpha, \quad Z_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\beta)$$

Gamma($r, 1/\lambda$) is r^{th} arrival time for Poisson(λt)

$$X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Gamma}(\alpha_i, \beta), \sum X_i \sim \text{Gamma}\left(\sum \alpha_i, \beta\right)$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x/\beta}, \quad x > 0$$

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \alpha\beta \quad \text{Var}(X) = \alpha\beta^2$$

$$M_X(t) = (1 - \beta t)^{-\alpha}, \quad t < 1/\beta$$

Gamma Function

$$\int_0^\infty x^{\alpha-1} e^{-x} dx \triangleq \Gamma(\alpha), \quad \alpha > 0$$

$$\Gamma(x+1) = x\Gamma(x), \quad \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}, \quad \Gamma(1) = 1$$

Normal

$X \sim \text{N}(\mu, \sigma^2), \quad \sigma > 0$

$$Z^2 \sim \chi^2(1), \quad Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \sim \text{N}(0, 1)$$

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

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \mu \quad \text{Var}(X) = \sigma^2$$

$$M_X(t) = \exp(\mu t + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t^2)$$

Dirichlet

$Y_1, \dots, Y_k \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{k+1})$

$$X_1, \dots, X_{k+1} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Gamma}(\alpha_i, \beta), \quad \alpha_i > 0$$

$$Y_i = \frac{X_i}{X_1 + \dots + X_{k+1}}, \quad i = 1, \dots, k$$

$$f_Y(y_1, \dots, y_k)$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{k+1})}{\Gamma(\alpha_1) \dots \Gamma(\alpha_{k+1})} \prod_{i=1}^k y_i^{\alpha_i - 1}$$

$$(1 - y_1 - \dots - y_k)^{\alpha_{k+1} - 1} I_{(y_i > 0, y_1 + \dots + y_k < 1)}$$

$$k = 1, \quad Y_1 \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$$

Chi-square

$$X_1^2 + \dots + X_r^2 \sim \chi^2(r), \quad X_i \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{N}(0, 1), r > 0$$

$$\chi^2(r) = \text{Gamma}\left(\frac{r}{2}, 2\right)$$

Student's t

$$X = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{V/r}} \sim t(r), \quad r > 0$$

$$Z \sim \text{N}(0, 1), V \sim \chi^2(r), Z \perp V$$

$$t(1) \stackrel{d}{=} \text{Cauchy}(0, 1)$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\Gamma((r+1)/2)}{\sqrt{r\pi}\Gamma(r/2)} (1 + x^2/r)^{-(r+1)/2}$$

Cauchy

$X \sim \text{Cauchy}(\mu, \sigma), \quad \sigma > 0$

$$= \mu + \sigma Z, \quad Z \sim \text{Cauchy}(0, 1) \stackrel{d}{=} t(1)$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\pi\sigma} \left(1 + \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right)^{-1}$$

Snedecor's F

$$X \sim F(r_1, r_2) = \frac{V_1/r_1}{V_2/r_2}$$

$$V_1 \sim \chi^2(r_1), V_2 \sim \chi^2(r_2), V_1 \perp V_2$$

$$F^{-1} \sim F(r_2, r_1), \quad t^2(r) \sim F(1, r)$$

$$f_X(x) = \frac{\Gamma((r_1+r_2)/2)}{\Gamma(r_1/2)\Gamma(r_2/2)} \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2}\right)^{r_1/2} \frac{x^{r_1/2-1}}{(1+r_1x/r_2)^{(r_1+r_2)/2}} I_{(x>0)}$$

Fundamental Theorem of Normal Sampling

$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$(i) \bar{X} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2/n)$$

$$(ii) s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \perp \bar{X}$$

$$(iii) \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-1)$$

Probability Integral Transformation

F is strictly increase, $F(X) \sim \text{U}(0, 1), F^{-1}(U) \stackrel{d}{=} X$

$$U_{(r)} \stackrel{d}{=} 1 - e^{-Z^{(r)}}, \quad Z_r \sim \text{Exp}(1)$$

Uniform Order Statistics

$$X_{(1)}, \dots, X_{(n)} \sim \text{U}(0, 1)$$

$$X_{(r)} \sim \text{Beta}(r, n-r+1)$$

$$(X_{(1)}, X_{(2)} - X_{(1)}, \dots, X_{(n)} - X_{(n-1)}) \sim \text{Dirichlet}(1, \dots, 1)$$

Exponential Order Statistics

$$X_{(1)}, \dots, X_{(n)} \sim \text{Exp}(1), \quad Z_r \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(1)$$

$$X_{(r)} \stackrel{d}{=} \left(\frac{1}{n} Z_1 + \dots + \frac{1}{n-r+1} Z_r\right)$$

Definition of Order Statistics

$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} F(x), \quad h(y) = F^{-1}(1 - e^{-y})$$

$$(X_{(r)}) \stackrel{d}{=} (F^{-1}(U_{(r)})) \stackrel{d}{=} (F^{-1}(1 - e^{-Z^{(r)}})) \stackrel{d}{=} h(Z_{(r)})$$

Multivariate Normal Distribution

$$\mathbf{X} \stackrel{d}{=} \boldsymbol{\mu} + \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{1/2} \mathbf{Z}$$

$$f_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{x}) = |2\pi\boldsymbol{\Sigma}|^{-n/2} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu})^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu})\right)$$

$$m_{\mathbf{X}}(\mathbf{t}) = \exp(\boldsymbol{\mu}^T \mathbf{t} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mathbf{t})$$

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{X} \perp \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X} \iff \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}\mathbf{B}^T = \mathbf{O}$$

$$\mathbf{X}_2 | \mathbf{X}_1 = \mathbf{x}_1$$

$$\sim \mathcal{N}_q(\boldsymbol{\mu}_2 + \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11}^{-1}(\mathbf{x}_1 - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1), \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11}^{-1}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12})$$

Definition of Chi-square

$$\mathbf{z} \sim \mathcal{N}_k(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I}), \quad \mathbf{z}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{z} \sim \chi^2(r(\mathbf{A})) \iff \mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A}$$

Convergence in Distribution

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(X_n \leq x) = P(Z \leq x) \quad \forall x : x \in \text{Conti}(F_Z)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P\left(\bigcap_i \mathbf{X}_{ni} \leq \mathbf{x}_i\right) = P\left(\bigcap_i \mathbf{Z}_i \leq \mathbf{x}_i\right) \quad \forall \mathbf{x} : \mathbf{x} \in \text{Conti}(F_Z)$$

Central Limit Theorem

$$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} (\mu, \sigma^2), \text{Var}(X_1) < \infty, Z \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu)}{\sigma} \xrightarrow{d} Z \quad \forall x$$

$$\mathbf{X}_1, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} (\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}), \text{Var}(\mathbf{X}_1) < \infty, \mathbf{Z} \sim \mathcal{N}_k(\mathbf{0}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(\sqrt{n}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}) \leq \mathbf{x}) = P(\mathbf{Z} \leq \mathbf{x}) \quad \forall \mathbf{x}$$

Convergence in Probability

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(|X_n - X_\infty| > \epsilon) = 0 \quad \forall \epsilon > 0$$

$$\mathbf{X}_n \xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{c} \iff \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(\|\mathbf{X}_n - \mathbf{c}\| > \epsilon) = 0 \quad \forall \epsilon > 0$$

$$\iff \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P(\max |X_{ni} - c_i| > \epsilon) = 0$$

$$\iff \mathbf{X}_{nj} \xrightarrow{P} c_j \quad \forall j$$

Inequalities

$$\text{Markov: } X \geq 0, \quad P(X \geq k) \leq \frac{1}{k} \mathbb{E}(X)$$

$$\text{Chevy: } \text{Var}(X) < \infty, \quad P(|X - \mu| > k) \leq \frac{1}{k^2} \text{Var}(X)$$

$$\text{Jensen: } \varphi \text{ is convex, } \quad \varphi(\mathbb{E}(X)) \leq \mathbb{E}(\varphi(X))$$

$$\left| M_X(t) - \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{\mathbb{E}(X^k)t^k}{k!} \right| \leq \mathbb{E} \left[\min \left(\frac{|tX|^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}, \frac{2|tX|^n}{n!} \right) \right]$$

Law of Large Numbers

$$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \mathbb{E}(X_1) < \infty, \quad \overline{X_n} \xrightarrow{p} \mathbb{E}(X_1)$$

Delta Method

$$\sqrt{n}(\mathbf{X}_n - \boldsymbol{\theta}) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{d} Z, \quad \dot{g}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \text{ is Continuous}$$

$$\sqrt{n}(g(\mathbf{X}_n) - g(\boldsymbol{\theta})) \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{d} (\dot{g}(\boldsymbol{\theta}))^T Z$$

$$\rho_4 = \mathbb{E} \left[\left(\frac{X_1 - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^4 \right] - 3$$

$$\sqrt{n}(s_n^2 - \sigma^2) \xrightarrow{d} \mathcal{N}(0, (\rho_4 + 2)\sigma^4)$$

$$\sqrt{n}(s_n - \sigma) \xrightarrow{d} \mathcal{N}(0, (\rho_4 + 2)\sigma^2/4)$$