

8. Consider a r.v.s $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f_\theta(x)$, where $f_\theta(x) = \frac{1+\theta}{(x+\theta)^2}$, $x \in [1, \infty)$

Find the BCR to test $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$ [$\theta_1 > \theta_0$]

Applying NP Lemma:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \ln \left(\frac{x_i + \theta_0}{x_i + \theta_1} \right) > \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \ln k + n \ln \left(\frac{1+\theta_0}{1+\theta_1} \right) \right\}$$

↳ cannot put in the form of a fn of sample obs only

BCR does not exist.

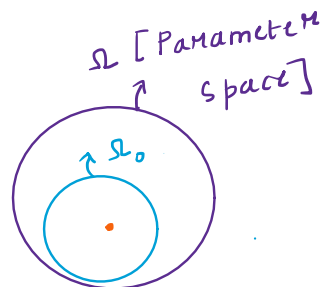
Likelihood Ratio Test

Extension of the NP Lemma for obtaining the BCR in the sense that composite hypothesis can also be incorporated.

Let $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f_\theta(x)$, $\theta =$ unknown popln parameter.

Let $\Omega =$ denote set of all possible of θ .

$$\Omega_0 \subset \Omega$$



To test: $H_0: \theta \in \Omega_0$ vs $\theta \notin \Omega_0$.

$$\Rightarrow \theta \in (\Omega - \Omega_0)$$

To find BCR for the test using Likelihood Ratio Test.

Define Likelihood fn: $L = \prod_{i=1}^n f_\theta(x_i)$

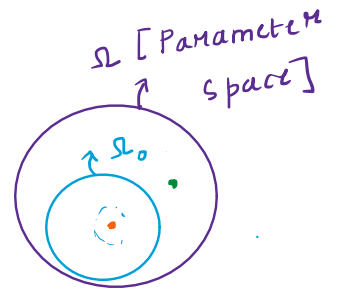
Under MLE: $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} = 0 \Rightarrow$ solves for $\hat{\theta}_{MLE}$.

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If $\hat{\theta}_{MLE} \in \Omega_0 \Rightarrow L(\hat{\theta}_{MLE})$ is the maximized value of likelihood for $\forall \theta$.

Define $\lambda = \frac{\text{Maximized } L \text{ for } \theta \in \Omega_0}{\text{Maximized } L \text{ for } \theta \in \Omega}$.



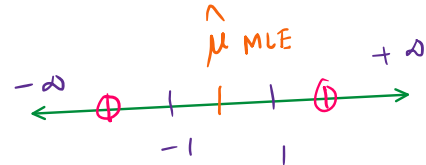
\therefore Essentially $\Omega_0 \subset \Omega \Rightarrow 0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$.

Eg: $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, 1)$

To test $H_0: \mu \in [-1, 1]$ vs $H_1: \mu \notin [-1, 1]$.

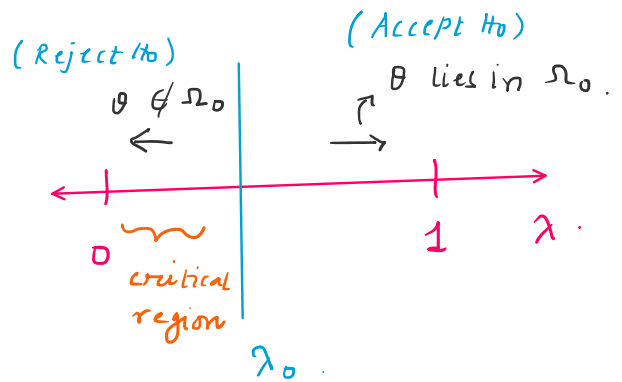
$$\hat{\mu}_{MLE}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\text{Max } L \text{ for } \mu \in [-1, 1]}{\text{Max } L \text{ for } \mu \in \mathbb{R}} \leq 1$$



Compute a λ_0 s.t. $\lambda < \lambda_0 \Rightarrow$ Reject H_0 .
 $\lambda < \lambda_0 \Rightarrow$ BCR for the test.

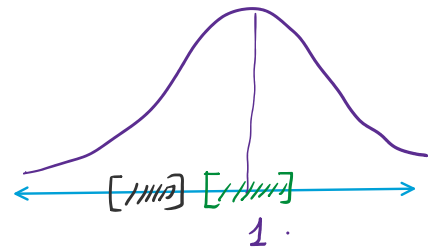
and λ_0 is computed based on
 L.O.S = α [fixed at the beginning
 of the test]



$$P[\lambda < \lambda_0 | H_0] = \alpha \Rightarrow \text{solve for } \lambda_0$$

$H_0: \mu = 1$ vs $H_1: \mu = 2$

$\bar{x} > c \Rightarrow \text{Reject } H_0$



Q. Let $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ where both μ, σ^2 are unknown.

Test: $H_0: \mu = \mu_0, 0 < \sigma^2 < \infty$ vs $H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0, 0 < \sigma^2 < \infty$

Use the Likelihood ratio test to obtain the BCR.

HW Find $\hat{\mu}_{MLE}, \hat{\sigma}_{MLE}^2$.