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STATISTICS
Paper – 3.3 : Inference – II

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Instructions : Answer any 5 questions without omitting any Unit.

All questions carry equal marks.

(5×14=70)

UNIT – 1

- I. a) Define (i) Critical region (ii) Type I error and (iii) Type II error. A sample of size 1 is taken from a population with Poisson distribution having mean θ . To test $H_0 : \theta = 1$ Vs $H_1 : \theta = 2$, consider the test $\phi(x) = 1$ if $x \geq 2$ and 0 if $x < 2$. Find the probabilities of type I and type II errors. If it is required to achieve a size equal to 0.05, how should you modify the test ?
- b) State Neyman-Pearson lemma. Let x be a random variable with density $f(x) = \frac{1}{2\theta} e^{-\frac{|x|}{\theta}}$ $-\infty < x < \infty; \theta > 0$. Find a most powerful test of size α based on a sample of size n , for testing $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1 (> \theta_0)$.
- II. a) Show that one parameter exponential family satisfy monotone likelihood ratio property. How do you use this property to develop uniformly most powerful tests ?
- b) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a sample of size n from $U(0, \theta)$, $\theta > 0$. Obtain a uniformly most powerful test for testing $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta \neq \theta_0$.



UNIT – 2

- III. a) Define (i) Unbiased test and (ii) Similar test. Let the power function of the test ϕ of $H_0 : \theta \in \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta \in \theta_1$ be continuous in θ . Show that if ϕ is UMP α -similar test then it is UMP unbiased test.
- b) Distinguish between unbiased critical regions of type A and type B. Illustrate these with suitable examples.
- IV. a) Explain locally most powerful tests. Let X be a random variable with Cauchy density having location parameter θ . Obtain a locally most powerful test of $H_0 : \theta \leq 0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta > 0$.
- b) Let $X \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$ and $Y \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$. Assume that X and Y are independent. Derive a UMP unbiased test of $H_0 : \sigma_1 = \sigma_2$ Vs $H_1 : \sigma_1 \neq \sigma_2$ based on two independent sets of samples.

UNIT – 3

- V. a) Define likelihood ratio test. Obtain asymptotic distribution of the test statistic stating required conditions.
- b) Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k having jointly a multinomial distribution with probabilities p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k . Derive likelihood ratio test of $H_0 : p_i = p_{i0}, i = 1, 2, \dots, k$ Vs $H_1 : p_i \neq p_{i0}$ for at least one $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$.
- VI. a) Prove or disprove : Likelihood ratio tests are always UMP unbiased.
- b) Let X be a random variable with exponential distribution $f(x; \theta, \beta) = \frac{1}{\theta} e^{-\frac{(x-\beta)}{\theta}} x > \beta$. Derive likelihood ratio tests of
- $H_0 : \beta = \beta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \beta \neq \beta_0$ (θ unknown)
 - $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta \neq \theta_0$ (β unknown)



UNIT – 4

- VII. a) Define SPRT. How do you determine stopping bounds of SPRT ? Describe its advantages over classical test.
- b) Define O.C. function. Let $X \sim P(\theta)$. Derive SPRT of $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1 (>\theta_0)$. Find O.C. function of the test.
- VIII. a) Show that SPRT terminates with probability one.
- b) Define ASN function. Let $X \sim N(\theta, 1)$. Derive SPRT of $H_0 : \theta = \theta_0$ Vs $H_1 : \theta = \theta_1 (>\theta_0)$. Obtain ASN function of the test.

UNIT – 5

- IX. a) Explain Kolmogrov-Smirnov test for goodness of fit. Show that the test statistic is distribution free.
- b) Describe Wilcoxon signed rank test. Derive the distribution of the test statistic. Discuss its advantages over sign test.
- X. a) Explain Mann-Whitney U-test. Compute mean and variance of the test statistic.
- b) What do you mean by a non parametric confidence interval ? Construct a $100(1 - \alpha)\%$ confidence interval for median of a population.
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