

Topic Name:

Method of Moments;

Definition:

The rth moment about origin is the mean of rth power of the deviation of the Value from zero.

This is for discrete distribution and

$$\mu'_r = \frac{\sum (x)^r}{n}$$

$$\mu'_1 = \frac{\sum (x)}{n}$$

$$\mu'_2 = \frac{\sum (x)^2}{n}$$

This is for continuous probability distribution

$$\mu'_1 = E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f(x) dx$$

$$\mu'_2 = E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^2 f(x) dx$$

and these are population moments and sample moments are denoted as;

$$m'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$M'_1 = \sum x/n$$

$$M'_2 = \sum x^2/n$$



Procedure:

Calculate the number of moment from the given distribution for the sample (no of moment distribution should be equal to parameter of distribution)

Then calculate population moments and compare them respectively to find the estimates of the parameters. The estimator derived in such a way are known as moments estimate and method is known as method of moments.

Question : let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from  $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ . Find moments estimate of  $\mu$  &  $\sigma^2$

Solution:

Let by definition of sample moment

$$M'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$M'_1 = \sum x/n \quad (a)$$

$$M'_2 = \sum x^2/n \quad (b)$$

Let by definition of pop moment

$$\mu'_1 = E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} xf(x)dx \quad \text{©}$$



$$\mu'_2 = E(X) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^2 f(x) dx \quad (d)$$

$$\mu_1 = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-1/2(x-\mu/\sigma)^2} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \therefore z = x - \mu / \sigma \\ & x - \mu = \sigma z \\ & x = \sigma z + \mu \\ & dx = \sigma dz \end{aligned}$$

Limits remain same

$$= 1/\sigma\sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (\sigma z + \mu) e^{-1/2z^2} \sigma dz$$

$$= \sigma/\sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} z e^{-1/2z^2} dz + \mu/\sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-1/2z^2} dz \text{ (even function)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & = 2\mu/\sqrt{2\pi} \int_0^{+\infty} e^{-1/2z^2} dz \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} z^2 = w \\ & z^2 = 2w \\ & z = \sqrt{2w} \\ & dz = \sqrt{2} \frac{1}{2} (w)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dw \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2\mu}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \int e^{-w} \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} w^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dw$$

$$= \frac{\mu}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int e^{-w} w^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dw$$

Compare with Gamma function

$$\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{(1/2(1))^{1/2}} \quad \alpha = \frac{1}{2}, \beta = 1$$



$$E(x) = \mu$$

Compare equation (a) & (c)

$$\mu = \frac{\sum x}{n}$$

$$\tilde{\mu} = \bar{x}$$

hence  $\bar{x}$  is the required estimator for  $\mu$ .

Now

$$\mu_2' = E(x^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}(x-\mu/\pi)^2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (z\sigma + \mu)^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} \sigma dz$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} z^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} dz + \frac{\mu^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} dz + \frac{2\mu}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sigma \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} ze^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} dz$$

$$= \frac{2\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} z^2 e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} dz + \frac{2\mu}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{2}z^2} dz$$

$$= \frac{2\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} 2we^{-w} \sqrt{2} \frac{1}{2} (w)^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dw + \frac{2\mu^2}{\sqrt{2}\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-w} \sqrt{2} \frac{1}{2} w^{\frac{1}{2}-1} dw$$

$$= \frac{2\sigma^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} w^{\frac{1}{2}+1-1} e^{-w} dw + \frac{\mu^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} w^{\frac{1}{2}-1} e^{-w} dw$$

Compare with Gamma function



$$= \frac{2\sigma^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + 1} \cdot (1)^{\frac{1}{2}+1} + \frac{\mu^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{2\sigma^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} + \mu^2$$

$$E(x^2) = \sigma^2 + \mu^2 \quad (d)$$

$$\sigma^2 + \mu^2 = \sum x^2 / n$$

$$\sigma^2 = \sum \frac{x^2}{n} - \mu^2$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \mu)^2}{n}$$

$$\hat{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x - \mu)^2}{n}}$$

Hence  $\sqrt{\frac{\sum (x - \mu)^2}{n}}$  is required estimator for  $\sigma^2$ .

Q#2

let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from the distribution having the PDF  $\frac{e^{-\theta} \theta^x}{x!}$ . find moment estimator for  $\theta$ .

Solution:

Let by definition of sample moment

$$M_r^l = E(x)^r$$

$$M_1^l = \sum x / n \quad (a)$$



By def of pop moment

$$\mu'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$\mu'_1 = E(x)$$

$$\mu'_1 = \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} x \frac{e^{-\theta} \theta^x}{x!}$$

$$= \sum_{x=1}^{\infty} x e^{-\theta} \frac{\theta^{x-1} \theta}{x(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\theta} \theta \sum_{x=0}^{\infty} \frac{\theta^{x-1}}{(x-1)!}$$

$$= e^{-\theta} \theta e^{\theta}$$

$$= \theta \quad (b)$$

Now we compare a&b

$$\frac{\sum x}{n} = \theta$$

$$\tilde{\theta} = \bar{x}$$

Hence  $\bar{x}$  is the required estimator for the parameter  $\theta$ .

**.3: Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n$  be a random sample from the –ve exponential distribution with parameter ' $\theta$ ' having density function  $f(x; \theta) = \theta e^{-\theta x}$ . find the moment estimate of parameter ' $\theta$ '.**



let by def of sample moments

$$M'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$M'_1 = \sum x / n$$

By def of population moments

$$\mu'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mu'_1 = E(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f(x) dx \\ &= \int_0^{+\infty} x \theta e^{-\theta x} dx\end{aligned}$$

put

$$\theta x = y \quad x = y / \theta$$

$$dx = \frac{1}{\theta} dy$$

as  $x \rightarrow 0$  then  $y \rightarrow 0$

$x \rightarrow \infty$  then  $y \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned}\mu'_1 &= \theta \int_0^{\infty} \left( \frac{y}{\theta} \right) e^{-y} \frac{1}{\theta} dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\theta} \int_0^{\infty} y e^{-y} dy\end{aligned}$$

Comparing with gamma function

$$= \frac{1}{\theta} \sqrt{2}$$

$$\mu'_1 = \frac{1}{\theta}$$

Comparing  $M'_1$  and  $\mu'_1$

$$\frac{1}{\theta} = \sum x / n$$

$$\tilde{\theta} = 1 / \sum x / n$$

$$\tilde{\theta} = n / \sum x$$

Hence  $n / \sum x$  is the required estimate for parameter ' $\theta$ '.



**Q.4: Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \dots x_n$  be a random sample from the binomial distribution with parameter  $n$  &  $p$  having density function. Find the moment estimate of parameter  $n$  &  $p$ .**

*let by def of sample moments*

$$M'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$M'_1 = \frac{\sum x}{n}$$

$$M'_2 = \frac{\sum x^2}{n}$$

*By def of population moments*

$$\mu'_r = E(x)^r$$

$$\mu'_1 = E(x) = \sum x p(x)$$

$$\mu'_2 = E(x^2) = \sum x^2 p(x)$$

$$\mu'_1 = \sum x p(x)$$

$$= \sum_{x=0}^n x \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$x : 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$= \sum_{x=1}^n x \binom{n}{x} \left( \frac{n-1}{x-1} \right) p^{x-1+1} q^{n-x}$$

$$= \sum_{x=1}^n n \binom{n-1}{x-1} p^{x-1} p q^{n-x}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&= np \sum_{x=1}^n \left( \frac{n-1}{x-1} \right) p^{x-1} q^{n-x} \\
&= np \left[ \left( \frac{n-1}{1-1} \right) p^0 q^{n-1} + \left( \frac{n-1}{2-1} \right) p^1 q^{n-2} + \left( \frac{n-1}{3-1} \right) p^2 q^{n-3} + \dots + \left( \frac{n-1}{n-1} \right) p^{n-1} q^{n-n} \right] \\
&= np \left[ q^{n-1} + (n-1)p^1 q^{n-2} + \left( \frac{n-1}{2} \right) p^2 q^{n-3} + \dots + p^{n-1} \right] \\
&= np(q+p)^{n-1} \quad \therefore q+p=1 \\
&= np(1)^{n-1}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\mu'_1 = np$$

Compare  $\mu'_1$  and  $M'_1$

$$np = \sum x / m$$

$$\tilde{n} \tilde{p} = \bar{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu'_2 &= \sum x^2 p(x) \\
&= \sum x^2 p(x) = \sum (x(x-1) + x) p(x) \\
&= \sum_{x=0}^n x(x-1) \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} + \sum_{x=0}^n x \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} \quad \therefore \sum_{x=0}^n x \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x} = np \\
&= \sum_{x=2}^n x(x-1) \left( \frac{n}{x} \right) \left( \frac{n-1}{x-1} \right) \left( \frac{n-2}{x-2} \right) p^{x-2+2} q^{n-x} + np \\
&= \sum_{x=2}^n n(n-1) \left( \frac{n-2}{x-2} \right) p^{x-2} p^2 q^{n-x} + np \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 \sum_{x=2}^n \left( \frac{n-2}{x-2} \right) p^{x-2} q^{n-x} + np \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 \left[ \left( \frac{n-2}{2-2} \right) p^0 q^{n-2} + \left( \frac{n-2}{3-2} \right) p^{3-2} q^{n-3} + \left( \frac{n-2}{4-2} \right) p^{4-2} q^{n-4} + \dots + \left( \frac{n-2}{n-2} \right) p^{n-2} q^{n-n} + np \right] \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 \left[ q^{n-2} + (n-2)p^1 q^{n-3} + \left( \frac{n-2}{2} \right) p^2 q^{n-4} + \dots + p^{n-2} + np \right] \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 (q+p)^{n-2} + np \quad \therefore q+p=1 \\
&= n(n-1)p^2 + np
\end{aligned}$$

Comparing  $\mu'_2$  and  $M'_2$

$$\sum x^2 / m = \tilde{n}(\tilde{n}-1)\tilde{p}^2 + \tilde{n}\tilde{p} \quad (2)$$

$$put \quad \therefore (eq1) \quad \tilde{n} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\tilde{p}}$$



$$\sum x^2 / m = \frac{\bar{x}}{\tilde{p}} \left( \frac{\bar{x}}{\tilde{p}} - 1 \right) \tilde{p}^2 + \frac{\bar{x}}{\tilde{p}} \tilde{p}$$

$$\sum x^2 / m = \bar{x} \frac{(\bar{x} - \tilde{p})}{\tilde{p}} \tilde{p} + \bar{x}$$

$$\sum x^2 / m = \bar{x}(\bar{x} - \tilde{p}) + \bar{x}$$

$$\sum x^2 / m = \bar{x}^2 - \bar{x}\tilde{p} + \bar{x}$$

$$\bar{x}\tilde{p} = \bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m$$

$$\tilde{p} = \frac{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m}{\bar{x}}$$

put in eq (1)  $\tilde{n}\tilde{p} = \bar{x}$

$$\tilde{n} \frac{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m}{\bar{x}} = \bar{x}$$

$$\tilde{n} \left( \bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m \right) = \bar{x}^2$$

$$\tilde{n} = \frac{\bar{x}^2}{\left( \bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m \right)}$$

Hence  $\frac{\bar{x}^2}{\left( \bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m \right)}, \frac{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{x} - \sum x^2 / m}{\bar{x}}$  are the required moment estimate

for n & p.

**Q#5**

**Statement:** let  $x_{(1)} < x_{(2)} < x_{(3)} < x_{(4)}$  be the order statistic from the distribution having the density function

$$f(x; \alpha) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \quad 0 \leq x \leq \alpha$$

Find the values of a, b, c, d. such that  $ax_{(1)}, bx_{(2)}, cx_{(3)}$  &  $dx_{(4)}$



all are unbiased estimators of  $\alpha$ . also find the variance of all estimators.

Solution:

As the  $i$ th order statistic is:

$$g(x_i) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} [F(x_i)]^{i-1} [1-F(x_i)]^{n-i} f(x_i)$$

Put  $i=1, n=4$

$$\begin{aligned} g(x_1) &= \frac{4!}{(0)!(4-1)!} [F(x_1)]^0 [1-F(x_1)]^3 f(x_1) \\ &= 4[1-F(x_1)]^3 f(x_1) \end{aligned}$$

As, the given density function is:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \\ F(x_1) &= \int_0^x \frac{1}{\alpha} d(x_1) = \frac{x_1}{\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$g(x_1) = 4 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_1}{\alpha} \right]^3 \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$g(x_{(1)}) = \frac{4}{\alpha} \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} \right]^3$$

For mean:

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = \int ax_{(1)} g(x_{(1)}) d(x_{(1)})$$



$$= a \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(1)} \frac{4}{\alpha} \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} \right]^3 dx_{(1)}$$

$$= \frac{4\alpha}{\alpha} \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(1)} \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} \right]^3 dx_{(1)}$$

Put

$$\frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(1)}$$

$$dx_{(1)} = \alpha dw$$

$$\text{as } x_{(1)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(1)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = \frac{4\alpha}{\alpha} \int_0^1 \alpha w (1-w)^3 \alpha dw$$

$$\alpha = 4\alpha \int_0^1 \alpha w (1-w)^3 dw$$

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = \alpha$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \alpha \int_0^1 w^{2-1} (1-w)^{4-1} dw \quad (1)$$

As we know the beta function of kind first is:

$$\beta(a, b) = \int_0^1 w^{a-1} (1-w)^{b-1} dw \quad (2)$$

Comparing (1) & (2)



$$a = 2, b = 4$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = a\beta(2,4)$$

$$= a \frac{2^2 4}{6}$$

$$= a \frac{1! 3!}{5!}$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{a}{20}$$

$$5 = a$$

$$a = 5$$

Now we put the value of a & find mean

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = \int_0^a ax_{(1)} \frac{4}{\alpha} \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)} \quad \therefore a = 5$$

$$= \frac{4 \cdot 5}{\alpha} \int_0^a x_{(1)} \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)}$$

$$= \frac{20}{\alpha} \int_0^a ax_{(1)} \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)}$$

$$\text{put } \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} = \theta, \quad x_{(1)} = \theta\alpha, \quad dx_{(1)} = \alpha d\theta \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 1$$

$$= \frac{20}{\alpha} \int_0^1 \theta\alpha [1 - \theta]^3 \alpha d\theta$$

$$= 20\alpha \int_0^1 \theta^{2-1} [1 - \theta]^{4-1} d\theta$$

Comparing with beta function of kind 1<sup>st</sup>

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = 20\alpha \beta(2, 4)$$

$$= 20\alpha \frac{1! 3!}{5!}$$

$$= \frac{20}{20} \alpha$$

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = \alpha$$

Hence proved



**Variance:**  $E(ax_{(1)})^2 - [Eax_{(1)}]^2$

$$\begin{aligned} E(ax_{(1)})^2 &= \int ax_{(1)} g(x_{(1)}) dx_{(1)} \\ &= a^2 \int_0^\alpha x_{(1)}^2 \frac{4}{\alpha} \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)} \\ &= \frac{4 \cdot 5^2}{\alpha} \int_0^\alpha x_{(1)}^2 \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)} \\ &= \frac{100}{\alpha} \int_0^\alpha x_{(1)}^2 \left[1 - \frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha}\right]^3 dx_{(1)} \end{aligned}$$

Put

$$\frac{x_{(1)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(1)}$$

$$dx_{(1)} = \alpha dw$$

$$\text{as } x_{(1)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(1)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

**Now**

$$\begin{aligned} E(ax_{(1)})^2 &= \frac{100}{\alpha} \int_0^1 (w\alpha)^2 [1-w]^3 \alpha dw \\ &= 100\alpha^2 \int_0^1 (w)^2 [1-w]^3 dw \\ &= 100\alpha^2 \int_0^1 (w)^{3-1} [1-w]^{4-1} dw \end{aligned}$$

**Comparing with beta function of kind 1<sup>st</sup>**



$$E(ax_{(1)})^2 = 100\alpha^2 \beta(3, 4)$$

$$= 100\alpha^2 \frac{2! 3!}{6!}$$

$$= 1200\alpha^2 / 720$$

$$E(ax_{(1)}) = 120\alpha^2 / 72$$

$$\text{var}(ax_{(1)}) = 120\alpha^2 / 72 - (\alpha)^2$$

$$= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{120}{72} - 1 \right]$$

$$= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{120 - 72}{72} \right]$$

$$\text{var}(ax_{(1)}) = 48\alpha^2 / 72$$

b) Now we put  $i=2$ ,  $n=4$  in  $i$ th order statistic:

$$g(x_i) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} [F(x_i)]^{i-1} [1-F(x_i)]^{n-i} f(x_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(x_1) &= \frac{4!}{(1)!(2)!} [F(x_2)]^1 [1-F(x_2)]^2 f(x_2) \\ &= 12[F(x_2)][1-F(x_2)]^2 f(x_2) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

As, the given density function is:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$F(x_2) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{\alpha} d(x_2) = \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha}$$

put in eq (1)

$$g(x_2) = 12 \left[ \frac{x_2}{\alpha} \right] \left[ 1 - \frac{x_2}{\alpha} \right]^2 \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

For mean:



$$\begin{aligned}
 E(bx_{(2)}) &= \int bx_{(2)} g(x_{(2)}) dx_{(2)} \\
 &= b \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(2)} \frac{12}{\alpha^2} x_{(2)} \left[1 - \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha}\right]^2 dx_{(2)} \\
 &= \frac{12b}{\alpha^2} \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(2)}^2 \left[1 - \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha}\right]^2 dx_{(2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{put } \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(2)}$$

$$dx_{(2)} = \alpha dw$$

$$\text{as } x_{(2)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(2)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(bx_{(2)}) &= \frac{12b}{\alpha^2} \int_0^1 (\alpha w)^2 (1-w)^2 \alpha dw \\
 &= \frac{12b}{\alpha} \alpha^2 \int_0^1 w^{3-1} (1-w)^{3-1} dw
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E(bx_{(2)}) = \alpha$$

$$\alpha = 12b\alpha \int_0^1 w^{3-1} (1-w)^{3-1} dw \quad (1)$$

Comparing with beta distribution of kind first

$$\beta(a, b) = \int_0^1 w^{a-1} (1-w)^{b-1} dw \quad (2)$$

$$a = 3, b = 3$$

$$= 12b \beta(3, 3)$$

$$= 12b \frac{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= 12b \frac{2!2!}{5!}$$

$$= \frac{12}{30} b$$

$$\frac{5}{2} = b$$

$$b = \frac{5}{2}$$



Now we put the value of b

$$\begin{aligned} E(bx_{(2)}) &= 12 \left( \frac{5}{2} \right) \alpha \sqrt[3]{3} \sqrt[3]{3} / 6 \\ &= 30 / 30 \alpha \\ E(bx_{(2)}) &= \alpha \end{aligned}$$

Variance:  $E(bx_{(2)})^2 - [Ebx_{(2)}]^2$

$$\begin{aligned} E(ax_{(2)})^2 &= \int (bx_{(2)})^2 g(x_{(2)}) d(x_{(2)}) \\ &= b^2 \int_0^\alpha x_{(2)}^2 \frac{12}{\alpha^2} x_{(2)} \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha} \right]^2 dx_{(2)} \\ &= \frac{(5/2)^2 12}{\alpha^2} \int_0^\alpha x_{(2)}^3 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha} \right]^2 dx_{(2)} \\ &= \frac{75}{\alpha^2} \int_0^\alpha x_{(2)}^3 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha} \right]^2 dx_{(2)} \end{aligned}$$

*put*

$$\frac{x_{(2)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(2)}$$

$$dx_{(2)} = \alpha dw$$

$$\text{as } x_{(2)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(2)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

*NOW*

$$\begin{aligned} E(bx_{(2)})^2 &= \frac{75}{\alpha} \int_0^1 (w\alpha)^3 [1-w]^2 \alpha dw \\ &= 75\alpha^2 \int_0^1 (w)^{4-1} [1-w]^{3-1} dw \end{aligned}$$

*comparing with beta function of kind first*



$$\begin{aligned}
 E(bx_{(2)})^2 &= 75\alpha^2 \beta(4, 3) \\
 &= 75\alpha^2 \frac{3!2!}{6!} \\
 &= 900\alpha^2 / 720
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E(bx_{(2)}) = \frac{5}{4}\alpha^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{var}(bx_{(2)}) &= \frac{5\alpha^2}{4} - (\alpha)^2 \\
 &= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{5}{4} - 1 \right] \\
 &= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{5-4}{4} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{var}(bx_{(2)}) = \alpha^2 / 4$$

c) Now we put  $i=3$ ,  $n=4$  in  $i$ th order statistic:

$$g(x_i) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} [F(x_i)]^{i-1} [1-F(x_i)]^{n-i} f(x_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 g(x_3) &= \frac{4!}{(2)!(1)!} [F(x_3)]^2 [1-F(x_3)]^1 f(x_3) \\
 &= 6[F(x_3)]^2 [1-F(x_3)] f(x_3) \quad (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

As the given density function is:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$F(x_3) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{\alpha} d(x_3) = \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha}$$

put in eq (1)

$$g(x_3) = 6 \left[ \frac{x_3}{\alpha} \right]^2 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_3}{\alpha} \right] \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$g(x_3) = \frac{6}{\alpha^3} [x_3]^2 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_3}{\alpha} \right]$$

For mean:



$$\begin{aligned}
 E(cx_{(3)}) &= \int cx_{(3)} g(x_{(3)}) dx_{(3)} \\
 &= \frac{6}{\alpha^3} c \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(3)} x_{(3)}^2 \left[1 - \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha}\right] dx_{(3)} \\
 &= \frac{6}{\alpha^3} c \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(3)}^3 \left[1 - \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha}\right]^2 dx_{(3)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{put } \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(3)}$$

$$dx_{(3)} = \alpha dw \quad 0 \leq w \leq 1$$

$$\text{as } x_{(3)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(3)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

Now

$$E(bx_{(2)}) = \frac{6}{\alpha^3} c \int_0^1 (\alpha w)^3 (1-w) \alpha dw$$

$$\alpha = 6c\alpha \int_0^1 w^{4-1} (1-w)^{2-1} dw$$

$$E(cx_{(3)}) = \alpha$$

$$\frac{1}{6c} = \int_0^1 w^{4-1} (1-w)^{2-1} dw \quad (1)$$

## Comparing with beta distribution of first kind

$$\beta(a, b) = \int_0^1 w^{a-1} (1-w)^{b-1} dw \quad (2)$$

$$a = 4, b = 2$$

$$\frac{1}{6c} = \beta(4, 2)$$

$$\frac{1}{6c} = \frac{\sqrt{4} \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\frac{1}{6c} = \frac{3!!}{5!}$$

$$= \frac{10}{3} c$$

$$c = \frac{10}{3}$$



Now we put the value of c

$$E(cx_{(3)}) = 6 \left( \frac{10}{3} \right) \alpha \sqrt[4]{2} \sqrt[6]{6}$$

$$= \frac{20}{20} \alpha$$

$$E(cx_{(3)}) = \alpha$$

Variance:  $E(cx_{(3)})^2 - [Ecx_{(3)}]^2$

$$E(cx_{(3)})^2 = \int (cx_{(3)})^2 g(x_{(3)}) dx_{(3)}$$

$$= c^2 \int_0^\alpha x_{(3)}^2 \frac{6}{\alpha^3} x_{(3)}^2 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha} \right] dx_{(3)}$$

$$= \frac{(10/3)^2 6}{\alpha^3} \int_0^\alpha x_{(3)}^4 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha} \right] dx_{(3)}$$

$$= \frac{200}{3\alpha^3} \int_0^\alpha x_{(3)}^4 \left[ 1 - \frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha} \right] dx_{(3)}$$

put

$$\frac{x_{(3)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(3)}$$

$$dx_{(3)} = \alpha dw$$

$$\text{as } x_{(3)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(3)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

NOW

$$E(cx_{(3)})^2 = \frac{200}{3\alpha} \int_0^1 (w\alpha)^4 [1-w] \alpha dw$$

$$= \frac{200\alpha^2}{3} \int_0^1 (w)^{5-1} [1-w]^{2-1} dw$$

comparing with beta function of kind first



$$E(cx_{(3)})^2 = \frac{200\alpha^2}{3} \beta(5, 2)$$

$$= \frac{200\alpha^2}{3} \frac{4!1!}{6!}$$

$$= 200\alpha^2 / 90$$

$$E(cx_{(3)}) = 200/90 \alpha^2$$

$$\text{var}(cx_{(3)}) = 5\alpha^2/9 - (\alpha)^2$$

$$= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{200}{90} - 1 \right]$$

$$= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{200 - 90}{90} \right]$$

$$= \alpha^2 \frac{110}{90}$$

$$\text{var}(cx_{(3)}) = \frac{11\alpha^2}{9}$$

d) Now we put  $i=4$ ,  $n=4$  in  $i$ th order statistic:

$$g(x_i) = \frac{n!}{(i-1)!(n-i)!} [F(x_i)]^{i-1} [1-F(x_i)]^{n-i} f(x_i)$$

$$g(x_4) = \frac{4!}{(3)!(0)!} [F(x_4)]^3 [1-F(x_4)]^0 f(x_4)$$

$$= 4[F(x_4)]^3 f(x_4) \quad (1)$$

As the given density function is:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \Rightarrow f(x_{(4)}) = \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$F(x_{(4)}) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{\alpha} d(x_4) = \frac{x_{(4)}}{\alpha}$$

put in eq (1)

$$g(x_{(4)}) = 4 \left[ \frac{x_4}{\alpha} \right]^3 \frac{1}{\alpha}$$

$$g(x_{(4)}) = \frac{4}{\alpha^4} [x_4]^3$$



For mean:

$$\begin{aligned} E(dx_{(4)}) &= \int dx_{(4)} g(x_{(4)}) dx_{(4)} \\ &= d \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(4)} \frac{4}{\alpha^4} (x_{(4)}^3) dx_{(4)} \\ &= \frac{4}{\alpha^4} d \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(4)}^4 dx_{(4)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{put } \frac{x_{(4)}}{\alpha} = w \Rightarrow w\alpha = x_{(4)}$$

$$dx_{(4)} = \alpha dw \quad 0 \leq w \leq 1$$

$$\text{as } x_{(4)} \rightarrow 0 \text{ then } w \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{as } x_{(4)} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ then } w \rightarrow 1$$

Now

$$E(dx_{(4)}) = \frac{4}{\alpha^4} d \int_0^1 (\alpha w)^4 \alpha dw$$

$$\alpha = \frac{4d}{\alpha^3} \alpha^4 \int_0^1 w^{4-1} dw$$

$$E(dx_{(4)}) = \alpha$$

Variance:  $E(dx_{(4)})^2 - [Edx_{(4)}]^2$

$$E(dx_{(4)})^2 = \int (dx_{(4)})^2 g(x_{(4)}) dx_{(4)}$$

$$= d^2 \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(4)}^2 \frac{4}{\alpha^4} x_{(4)}^3 dx_{(4)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^2}{\alpha^4} 4 \int_0^{\alpha} x_{(4)}^5 dx_{(4)}$$

$$= \frac{25}{4\alpha^4} \frac{x_{(4)}^6}{6} \Big|_0^{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{25}{4\alpha^4} \frac{\alpha^6}{6}$$

$$E(dx_{(4)})^2 = \frac{25}{24} \alpha^2$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{var}(dx_{(4)}) &= \frac{25}{24} \alpha^2 - \alpha^2 \\
 &= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{25}{24} - 1 \right] \\
 &= \alpha^2 \left[ \frac{25 - 24}{24} \right] \\
 \text{var}(dx_{(4)}) &= \frac{\alpha^2}{24}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q#6



Statement:

Show that a sample from

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\rho\theta^\rho} x^{\rho-1} e^{-x/\theta}$$

Where

$\rho > 0$  and  $0 < x < \infty$ , Both are inclusive. Then find uniform variance unbiased estimator of  $\theta$  is  $\frac{\bar{x}}{\rho}$  with variance  $\frac{\theta^2}{n\rho}$ .

Also find the values using the given data.

X:

22,23,22.5,23,24,22,25,23.5,22,23,22,24,23,25,22,22,26,  
23,24,22,22.5,23,23,22,24,22,25,23,23,22.

b) Show that  $\frac{\sum \log x_i}{n}$  is minimum variance bound unbiased

estimator of  $\frac{\partial \log L(x)}{\partial \rho}$  with variance  $\frac{\left(\frac{\partial^2 \log L(x)}{\partial \rho^2}\right)^2}{n}$  with  $\theta = 1$

(assume). Also find the value of MVBUE by using the above values when  $\rho = 0.75$ .



Solution:

As,

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\rho \theta^\rho} x^{\rho-1} e^{-x/\theta}$$

Applying likelihood

$$L(x) = \left( \frac{1}{\rho \theta^\rho} \right)^n \left( \prod_{i=1}^n x \right)^{\rho-1} e^{-\sum x/\theta}$$

Taking log on both sides

$$\begin{aligned} \log L(x) &= n \log \left( \frac{1}{\rho \theta^\rho} \right) + (\rho-1) \sum \log x - \frac{\sum x}{\theta} \\ &= -n \log \rho - n \log \theta^\rho + (\rho-1) \sum \log x - \frac{\sum x}{\theta} \\ &= -n \log \rho - n \rho \log \theta + (\rho-1) \sum \log x - \frac{\sum x}{\theta} \quad (A) \end{aligned}$$

Differentiate w.r.t to  $\theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \log L(x)}{\partial \rho} &= 0 - \frac{n\rho}{\theta} + \frac{\sum x}{\theta^2} \\ &= \frac{\sum x}{\theta^2} - \frac{n\rho}{\theta} \\ &= \frac{n\rho}{\theta^2} \left[ \frac{\sum x}{n\rho} - \theta \right] \\ &= \frac{n\rho}{\theta^2} \left[ \frac{\bar{x}}{\rho} - \theta \right] \end{aligned}$$

Comparing with general equation:

$$\begin{aligned} A(\theta) &= \left[ \hat{\theta} - \tau(\theta) \right] \\ A(\theta) &= \frac{n\rho}{\theta^2}, \quad \hat{\theta} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\rho}, \quad \tau(\theta) = \theta, \quad \tau'(\theta) = 1 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\text{var}(\theta) &= \tau'(\theta) / A(\theta) \\ &= 1 / n\rho / \theta^2 \\ \text{var}(\theta) &= \theta^2 / n\rho\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\bar{x}$  is MVBUE of  $\theta$  with variance  $\frac{\theta^2}{n\rho}$

X	Log X
22	1.3424
23	1.3617
22.5	1.3522
23	1.3617
24	1.3802
22	1.3424
25	1.3979
23.5	1.3711
22	1.3424
23	1.3617
22	1.3424
24	1.3802
23	1.3617
25	1.3979
22	1.3424
22	1.3424
26	1.4150
23	1.3617
24	1.3802
22	1.3424
22.5	1.3522
23	1.3617
23	1.3617
22	1.3424
24	1.3802
22	1.3424
25	1.3979
23	1.3617
23	1.3617
22	1.3424
<b>692.5</b>	<b>40.8843</b>



$$p = 0.75 \quad , \quad \sum x = 692.5 \quad , \quad \sum \log x = 40.8843 \quad , \quad n = 3$$

$$\bar{x} = 23.08$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\rho} = 30.77$$

$$\text{var}(\hat{\theta}) = \frac{\hat{\theta}^2}{n\rho} = 23.66$$

*Differentiate eq a w.r.t.  $\rho$*

$$\frac{\partial \log L(x)}{\partial \rho} = \frac{-n \partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} - n \log \theta - \sum \log x - 0$$

*put  $\theta = 1$*

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{-n \partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} + \sum \log x \\ &= \sum \log x - \frac{n \partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} \\ &= n \left[ \frac{\sum \log x}{n} - \frac{n \partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} \right] \rightarrow 1 \end{aligned}$$

*as we know the general eq is :*

$$= A(\theta) [\hat{\theta} - \tau(\theta)] \rightarrow 2$$

*comparing eq 1 and 2 :*

$$A(\theta) = n \quad , \quad \hat{\theta} = \frac{\sum \log x}{n} \quad , \quad \tau(\theta) = \frac{\partial \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho} \quad \tau'(\theta) = \frac{\partial^2 \log \sqrt{\rho}}{\partial \rho^2}$$

*Hence  $\frac{\sum \log x}{n}$  is minimum bound unbiased estimator of  $\theta$ .*

$$\hat{\theta} = \frac{\sum \log x}{n} = 1.36$$



