

$$1a) E[X^k] = \int_0^1 \theta x^{\theta+k-1} dx = \theta \left[ \frac{x^{\theta+k}}{\theta+k} \right]_0^1 = \frac{\theta}{\theta+k}$$

$$\text{Hence } E[X] = \frac{\theta}{\theta+1}$$

$$\text{Var}[X] = \frac{\theta}{\theta+2} - \frac{\theta^2}{(\theta+1)^2} = \frac{\theta(\theta+1)^2 - \theta^2(\theta+2)}{(\theta+1)^2(\theta+2)} = \frac{\theta}{(\theta+1)^2(\theta+2)}$$

$$b) f(x|\theta) = \theta x^{\theta-1} \mathbb{I}_{(0,1]} = \theta e^{(\theta-1)\log x} \mathbb{I}_{(0,1]} = \frac{1}{x} \cdot \theta e^{\theta \log x} \mathbb{I}_{(0,1]}$$

$$= h(x) c(\theta) e^{w(\theta)T(x)} \quad \text{where } h(x) = \frac{1}{x} \mathbb{I}_{(0,1]} > 0, \quad c(\theta) = \theta > 0, \quad w(\theta) = \theta, \quad T(x) = \log x$$

$$Y = -\log X \Rightarrow X = e^{-Y}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_Y(y|\theta) = \theta e^{-y(\theta-1)} \cdot e^{-y} = \theta e^{-\theta y}, \quad y \in (0, \infty)$$

$$f_Y(y|\theta) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1)} \cdot \frac{1}{\theta} y^{1-1} e^{-\frac{y}{\theta}} \Rightarrow \text{gamma}(1, \frac{1}{\theta})$$

$$c) \log f(x|\theta) = \log \theta + (\theta-1) \log x$$

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \log f(x|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} + \log x \Rightarrow S(x|\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} + \log x$$

$$\tilde{I}_X(\theta) = \text{Var}[\log X] = \text{Var}[Y] = 1 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$\text{w.p. } -E\left[\frac{d}{d\theta} S(x|\theta)\right] = \frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$d) f(x_1, \dots, x_m|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^m f(x_i|\theta) = \theta^m e^{(\theta-1) \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i} = \underbrace{e^{-\sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i}}_{h(x)} \cdot \underbrace{\theta^m e^{\theta \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i}}_{g(T(x)|\theta)}$$

$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i$  (w.p.  $\prod_{i=1}^m x_i$ ) is a sufficient statistic

$$L(\theta | x_1, \dots, x_m) = \frac{1}{\theta^m} e^{-(\theta-1) \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i} \Rightarrow \log L(\theta | x_1, \dots, x_m) = m \log \theta + (\theta-1) \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i$$

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \log L(\theta | x_1, \dots, x_m) = \frac{m}{\theta} + \sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{-m}{\sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i}$$

$$\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} \log L(\theta | x_1, \dots, x_m) = -\frac{m}{\theta^2} < 0 \quad \forall \theta \Rightarrow \hat{\theta} = \frac{-m}{\sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i} = \text{MLE}$$

e)  $-\log x_i \sim \text{gamma}(1, \frac{1}{\theta}), \quad i=1, 2, \dots, m$

$$\Rightarrow Z = -\sum_{i=1}^m \log x_i \sim \text{gamma}\left(\sum_{i=1}^m 1, \frac{1}{\theta}\right) \text{ ; gamma}(m, \frac{1}{\theta})$$

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$$f(z|\theta) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(m)} \frac{z^{m-1}}{\left(\frac{1}{\theta}\right)^m} e^{-\theta z} \Rightarrow E[Z^k] = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\Gamma(m)} z^{m+k-1} \theta^m e^{-\theta z} dz$$

$$\stackrel{t=\theta z}{=} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\Gamma(m)} \theta^m \frac{t^{m+k-1}}{\theta^{m+k}} e^{-t} dt = \frac{1}{\theta^k \Gamma(m)} \int_0^{\infty} t^{m+k-1} e^{-t} dt = \frac{\Gamma(m+k)}{\theta^k \Gamma(m)}$$

$$E[\hat{\theta}] = m E[Z^{-1}] = \frac{m \Gamma(m-1)}{\frac{1}{\theta} \Gamma(m)} = \frac{\theta m}{m-1}$$

$$\text{Var}[\hat{\theta}] = \theta^2 \left[ \frac{m^2 \Gamma(m-2)}{\Gamma(m)} - \frac{m^2}{(m-1)^2} \right] = \theta^2 \left[ \frac{m^2}{(m-1)(m-2)} - \frac{m^2}{(m-1)^2} \right] = \frac{\theta^2 m^2}{(m-1)^2 (m-2)}$$

f)  $\frac{d}{d\theta} [E[\hat{\theta}]] = \frac{m}{m-1} \Rightarrow \text{Cramer-Rao lower bound}$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{m}{m-1}\right)^2}{m \cdot \frac{1}{\theta^2}} = \frac{\theta^2 m}{(m-1)^2} < \frac{\theta^2 m^2}{(m-1)^2 (m-2)}$$

Efficient finite sample:

$\hat{\theta}$  is unbiased and attains its lower bound.

Asymptotically efficient

$\Gamma_m[\hat{\theta} - \theta] \xrightarrow{D} n(0, v(\theta))$  where  $v(\theta)$  is the Fisher information number for one observation.

$\hat{\theta}$  is asymptotically efficient.

g)  $\Gamma_m(\hat{\theta} - \theta) \xrightarrow{D} n(0, v(\theta))$  where  $v(\theta) = \frac{1}{I_x(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\theta^2} = \theta^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\hat{\theta} - \theta}{\frac{\theta}{\Gamma_m}} \xrightarrow{D} N(0,1)$ . Approximating  $\theta$  with  $\hat{\theta}$  (the

variance of  $\hat{\theta} \rightarrow 0$  as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ ) gives

$P(-z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \leq \frac{\hat{\theta} - \theta}{\frac{\hat{\theta}}{\Gamma_m}} \leq z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) \approx 1 - \alpha$  for large  $m$

and the  $(1-\alpha)\%$  confidence interval:  $[\hat{\theta}(1 - \frac{z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{\Gamma_m}), \hat{\theta}(1 + \frac{z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{\Gamma_m})]$

b)  $u = 2\theta z \Rightarrow f(u) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(m)} \frac{u^{m-1}}{(2\theta)^{m-1}} \theta^m e^{-\frac{u}{2\theta}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\theta}$   
 $= \frac{1}{\Gamma(m)} \frac{u^{m-1}}{2^m} e^{-\frac{u}{2}}$ ,  $u > 0$  which is gamma( $m, 2$ ) or  $\chi^2(2m)$

Therefore  $P(\chi^2(2m)_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}} \leq 2\theta z \leq \chi^2(2m)_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) = 1 - \alpha$

$\Leftrightarrow P(\frac{\chi^2(2m)_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{2z} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\chi^2(2m)_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{2z}) = 1 - \alpha$

length of interval in g:  $\frac{2\hat{\theta}(z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}})}{\Gamma_m} = \frac{2m}{z} (z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) = \frac{2\Gamma_m}{z} \cdot z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} = \frac{12.4}{z}$

Length of interval in h:  $\frac{\chi^2(2m)_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} - \chi^2(2m)_{1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{2z} = \frac{34.17 - 9.59}{2z} = \frac{12.29}{z}$

The exact interval in  $h$  is shorter (just a little)

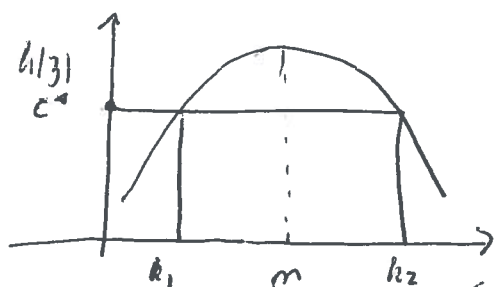
$$\begin{aligned}
 i) \quad \lambda(\underline{x}) &= \frac{\sup_{\theta=1} \theta^m e^{(1-\theta) \sum_1^m \log x_i}}{\sup_{\theta} \theta^m e^{(1-\theta) \sum_1^m \log x_i}} = \frac{1}{\hat{\theta}^m e^{-m} e^{-\sum_1^m \log x_i}} \\
 &= \frac{(-\sum_1^m \log x_i)^m \cdot e^{\sum \log x_i}}{n^m e^{-m}} \leq c \Leftrightarrow (-\sum_1^m \log x_i)^m e^{\sum_1^m \log x_i} \leq c n^m e^{-m} = c^*
 \end{aligned}$$

Introduce  $Z = -\sum_1^m \log x_i$  and we shall reject  $H_0$  if.

$$h(z) = \cancel{z^m e^{-z}} \leq c. \quad h(z) = z^m e^{-z} \leq c^*$$

$$\frac{d}{dz} h(z) = z^{m-1} e^{-z} (m-z) \text{ which shows that } h(z) \text{ has a}$$

single maximum for  $z=m$ . Hence we reject  $H_0$  if.



$$z \leq k_1 \quad \text{and} \quad z \geq k_2$$

Under  $H_0$   $Z \sim \chi^2(2m)$  so  $k_1$  and

$k_2$  must satisfy:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad k_1^m e^{-k_1} = k_2^m e^{-k_2} \quad \text{or} \quad \left(\frac{k_1}{k_2}\right)^m = \frac{e^{-k_1}}{e^{-k_2}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad P(2k_1 \leq Z \leq 2k_2) = 1 - \alpha.$$

Problem 2a

$$L(\theta | \underline{x}) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{m}{2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_1^m (x_i - \theta)^2}$$

$$\sum_1^m (x_i - \theta)^2 = \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x} + \bar{x} - \theta)^2 = \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x})^2 + \sum_1^m (\bar{x} - \theta)^2 \text{ since } \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x}) = 0$$

$$\sum_1^m (\bar{x} - \theta)^2 = m(\bar{x} - \theta)^2 \Rightarrow L(\theta | \underline{x}) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{m}{2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} m(\bar{x} - \theta)^2}$$

$$\lambda(\underline{x}) = \frac{\sup_{\theta=\hat{\theta}} L(\theta | \underline{x})}{\sup_{\theta} L(\theta | \underline{x})} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{m}{2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} m(\bar{x} - \hat{\theta})^2}}{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma^2}\right)^{\frac{m}{2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_1^m (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} m(\bar{x} - \bar{x})^2}} \quad \text{since } \hat{\theta} = \bar{x}$$

$$= e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} m(\bar{x} - \hat{\theta})^2} \Rightarrow -2 \log \lambda(\underline{x}) = \frac{(\bar{x} - \hat{\theta})^2}{\sigma^2/m} \sim \chi^2(1) \text{ since } \frac{\bar{x} - \theta_0}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{m}}} \sim N(0,1)$$