

Oppgave 1

a)  $f(x|\lambda) = \frac{1}{x!} e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x = \frac{1}{x!} e^{-\lambda} e^{x \ln \lambda} = h(x) c(\lambda) e^{x w(\lambda)}$ ,  $x=0,1,2,\dots$

$\lambda > 0 \Rightarrow f(x|\lambda)$  is an exponential family.

$$f(\underline{x}|\lambda) = \frac{\lambda^{\sum x_i} e^{-m\lambda}}{\prod x_i!} = L(\lambda|\underline{x})$$

$$\Rightarrow \ell(\lambda|\underline{x}) = \sum x_i \ln \lambda - m\lambda - \ln(\prod x_i!)$$

$$\frac{d\ell}{d\lambda} = \frac{\sum x_i}{\lambda} - m = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{\sum x_i}{m}$$

$$\frac{d^2\ell}{d\lambda^2} = -\frac{\sum x_i}{\lambda^2} < 0 \Rightarrow L(\lambda|\underline{x}) \text{ has a maximum}$$

$$\text{for } \lambda = \bar{x} \Rightarrow \text{MLE} = \hat{\lambda} = \bar{X}$$

b)  $S(X_1, \dots, X_m|\lambda) = \frac{d\ell}{d\lambda} = \frac{\sum X_i}{\lambda} - m$

$$E[\hat{\lambda}] = E\left[\frac{\sum X_i}{m}\right] = \frac{m\lambda}{m} = \lambda$$

$$\text{Var}[\hat{\lambda}] = \frac{1}{m^2} \text{Var}[\sum X_i] = \frac{m\lambda}{m^2} = \frac{\lambda}{m}$$

$$\text{Var}[S(\underline{x}|\lambda)] = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \text{Var}[\sum_{i=1}^m X_i] = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \cdot m\lambda = \frac{m}{\lambda}$$

$\Rightarrow$  C-R lower bound =  $\frac{\lambda}{m} \Rightarrow \hat{\lambda} = \bar{X}$  is a UMVUE

estimator.

c)

The invariance property  $\Rightarrow MLE = \hat{\lambda}$

$$Y = \sum X_i \sim \text{Poisson}(m\lambda) \Rightarrow M_Y(t) = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{ty} (m\lambda)^y e^{-m\lambda}}{y!} = e^{-m\lambda} \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \frac{(mye^t)^y}{y!}$$

$$= e^{-m\lambda} \cdot e^{m\lambda e^t} = e^{m\lambda(e^t - 1)}$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{y}{m} \Rightarrow E[\hat{\lambda}] = M_Y\left(-\frac{1}{m}\right) = e^{m\lambda\left(e^{-\frac{1}{m}} - 1\right)}$$

$$= e^{m\lambda\left(1 - \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{2m^2} - \dots - 1\right)} = e^{-\lambda} \cdot e^{\frac{\lambda}{2m} - \dots} \neq e^{-\lambda} \Rightarrow MLE$$

estimator is biased.

d)  $E[W(X_1, \dots, X_m)] = e^{-\lambda} = \tau(\lambda) \Rightarrow \tau'(\lambda) = -e^{-\lambda}$

$Var[S(\underline{x}|\lambda)] = \frac{m}{\lambda} \Rightarrow$  C-R lower bound is  $e^{-2\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda}{m}$

$S(\underline{x}|\lambda) = \frac{m}{\lambda} \left( \frac{\sum X_i}{m} - \lambda \right)$  is a linear function of  $\hat{\lambda}$

but cannot be written as  $a(\lambda)(W(X_1, \dots, X_m) - e^{-\lambda}) \Rightarrow$  the C-R lower bound cannot be attained.

e)  $P(U=u | Z=z) = \frac{P(U=u \cap V=z-u)}{P(Z=z)}$

$$= \frac{\frac{\lambda_1^u e^{-\lambda_1}}{u!} \cdot \frac{\lambda_2^{z-u} e^{-\lambda_2}}{(z-u)!}}{\frac{(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)^z e^{-\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}}{z!}} = \frac{z!}{u! (z-u)!} \cdot \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}\right)^u \cdot \left(\frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}\right)^{z-u}$$

$$= \binom{z}{u} \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}\right)^u \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}\right)^{z-u} \Rightarrow \sim B\left(z, \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}\right)$$

With  $\lambda_2 = (m-1)\lambda$  and  $\lambda_1 = \lambda$  we get

$$X_1 | \sum_{i=1}^m X_i = \sum_{i=1}^m x_i \sim B\left(\sum x_i, \frac{1}{m}\right)$$

f)  $E[\hat{\tau}(X_1, \dots, X_m)] = 1 \cdot P(X_1=0) = e^{-\lambda} \Rightarrow \hat{\tau}$  unbiased

$f(x|\lambda)$  is an exponential family  $\Rightarrow Y = \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$  is a

complete statistic for  $\lambda$

Hence  $E[\hat{\tau}(X_1, \dots, X_m) | Y = \sum_{i=1}^m X_i]$  is a unique best unbiased

estimator of  $\tau(\lambda) = e^{-\lambda}$

g)  $X_i | \sum X_i = \sum x_i \sim B(\sum x_i, \frac{1}{m})$

$\Rightarrow E[\hat{\tau}(X_1, \dots, X_m) | \sum X_i = \sum x_i] = 1 \cdot P(X_1=0 | Y = \sum x_i)$

$= \binom{\sum x_i}{0} (\frac{1}{m})^0 (1 - \frac{1}{m})^{\sum x_i} = (1 - \frac{1}{m})^{\sum x_i}$

$\Rightarrow E[\hat{\tau}(X_1, \dots, X_m) | Y = \sum X_i] = (1 - \frac{1}{m})^{\sum X_i}$

$Var[(1 - \frac{1}{m})^{\sum X_i}] = E[(1 - \frac{1}{m})^{2 \sum X_i}] - (e^{-\lambda})^2$

$= \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} (1 - \frac{1}{m})^{2y} \frac{(m\lambda)^y e^{-m\lambda}}{y!} - e^{-2\lambda} = \sum_{y=0}^{\infty} \frac{(m\lambda - 2\lambda + \frac{\lambda}{m})^y - (m\lambda - 2\lambda + \frac{\lambda}{m})}{y!} \cdot e^{-2\lambda + \frac{\lambda}{m}} - e^{-2\lambda}$

$= e^{-2\lambda + \frac{\lambda}{m}} - e^{-2\lambda} = e^{-2\lambda} (e^{\frac{\lambda}{m}} - 1) = e^{-2\lambda} (1 + \frac{\lambda}{m} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2m^2} + \dots - 1)$

$= e^{-2\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda}{m} + e^{-2\lambda} (\frac{\lambda^2}{2m^2} + \dots) > e^{-2\lambda} \cdot \frac{\lambda}{m}$

C-R lower bound

Can use moment generating function for the variance.

Problem 2

$$a) f(\underline{x} | \lambda) = \lambda^m e^{-\lambda \sum_{i=1}^m x_i} = e^{-\lambda \sum x_i + m \ln \lambda} = g(\sum x_i, \lambda) \cdot h(x)$$

$\Rightarrow u = \sum_{i=1}^m T_i$  is sufficient.

$$\frac{f(\underline{x} | \lambda)}{f(\underline{y} | \lambda)} = \frac{e^{-\lambda \sum x_i + m \ln \lambda}}{e^{-\lambda \sum y_i + m \ln \lambda}} = e^{-\lambda (\sum x_i - \sum y_i)} \text{ independent of } \lambda$$

$\Leftrightarrow \sum x_i = \sum y_i \Rightarrow u = \sum_{i=1}^m T_i$  is minimal sufficient.

$T_i \sim \text{exp}(\lambda) \sim \text{gamma}(1, \frac{1}{\lambda})$ ,  $T_1, \dots, T_m$  i.i.d

$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^m T_i \sim \text{gamma}(m, \frac{1}{\lambda})$

b)  $2\lambda \sum_{i=1}^m T_i \sim \text{gamma}(m, 2) \sim \chi^2(2m)$

Hence  $P(\chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 \leq 2\lambda \sum_{i=1}^m T_i \leq \chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2) = 1-\alpha$

$$\Rightarrow P\left[\frac{\chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{2 \sum T_i} \leq \lambda \leq \frac{\chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{2 \sum T_i}\right] = 1-\alpha$$

$$L = \left[ \frac{\chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{2 \sum T_i} - \frac{\chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{2 \sum T_i} \right] \Rightarrow E[L] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{\sum T_i} - \frac{\chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{\sum T_i} \right] E\left[\frac{1}{\sum T_i}\right]$$

$$E\left[\left(\sum T_i\right)^{-1}\right] = \frac{\Gamma(m-1)}{\Gamma(m)} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\lambda}\right)^{-1} = \frac{\lambda}{m-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow E[L] = \frac{\lambda}{2(m-1)} \left[ \chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 - \chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 \right]$$

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c)  $E[T_i] = \frac{1}{\lambda}$  and  $\bar{T}_m$  is the MLE estimator of  $\frac{1}{\lambda} = \theta(\lambda)$

$$S(T) = \frac{d}{d\lambda} (\ln \lambda - \lambda T) = \frac{1}{\lambda} - T \Rightarrow J(\lambda) = \text{Var}(T) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{C-R lower bound} = \frac{(\tau'(\lambda))^2}{\frac{1}{\lambda^2}} = \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{\lambda^2}\right)^2}{\frac{1}{\lambda^2}} = \frac{1}{\lambda^2}$$

$\bar{T}_m$  is (asymptotic efficient)  $\Rightarrow \Gamma_m(\bar{T}_m - \frac{1}{\lambda}) \xrightarrow{D} N(0, \frac{1}{\lambda^2})$

Can also use the central limit theorem.

$$P\left(-z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \leq \frac{\bar{T}_m - \frac{1}{\lambda}}{\frac{1}{\lambda \bar{T}_m}} \leq z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha \Leftrightarrow P\left(-z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \leq \frac{\bar{T}_m \lambda - 1}{\frac{1}{\bar{T}_m}} \leq z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P\left(\frac{1 - z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m}}{\bar{T}_m} \leq \lambda \leq \frac{1 + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m}}{\bar{T}_m}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$L_{\text{asympt}} = \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m} \left[ 1 + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m} - 1 + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m} \right] = \frac{2 \cdot z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}}{\bar{T}_m}$$

$$E[L_{\text{asympt}}] = 2 \bar{T}_m z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot E\left[\frac{1}{\sum T_i}\right] = \frac{\lambda}{n-1} \cdot 2 \bar{T}_m \cdot z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\frac{E[L]}{E[L_{\text{asympt}}]} = \frac{\chi_{2m, \frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 - \chi_{2m, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{4 \bar{T}_m \cdot z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}} = 0.985 = \frac{L}{L_{\text{asympt}}}$$

$\Rightarrow$  asymptotic interval is a little longer.

$$g(\bar{T}_m) = \frac{1}{\bar{T}_m}, \quad \text{let } \theta = E[\bar{T}_m] = \frac{1}{\lambda} \Rightarrow g(\theta) = \frac{1}{\theta} \text{ and } g'(\theta) = -\frac{1}{\theta^2}$$

$$= -\lambda^2 \Rightarrow |g'(\theta)|^2 = \lambda^4$$

From the Delta theorem we get.

$$\Gamma_m(\bar{T}_m^{-1} - g(\theta)) = \Gamma_m(\bar{T}_m^{-1} - \lambda) \xrightarrow{D} N\left(0, \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \cdot \lambda^4\right) \sim N(0, \lambda^2)$$

