

Now let $\varepsilon = \frac{t}{m}$

$$P(X_m \leq 1 - \frac{t}{m}) = (1 - \frac{t}{m})^m \xrightarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{} e^{-t}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P(m(X_{m-1}) \leq -t) \xrightarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{} e^{-t} \Rightarrow P(m(1-X_m) \geq t) \xrightarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{} 1 - e^{-t}$$

$$\text{or } m(1-X_m) \xrightarrow{D} \text{exponential}(1)$$

Theorem 5.5.12

Assume $\{X_m\} \xrightarrow{P} X$. Then $\{\overset{\sigma}{X_m}\}_{m=1} \xrightarrow{D} X$ or

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_m}(x) = F_X(x), \quad \forall x \text{ where } F_X(x) \text{ is continuous}$$

Proof. Let x be a point where $F_X(x)$ is continuous.

$\forall \varepsilon > 0$ and $\forall n$ we have,

$$\begin{aligned} F_{X_m}(x) &= P(X_m \leq x) = P(X_m \leq x \cap (|X_m - x| < \varepsilon)) + P(X_m \leq x \cap (|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon)) \\ &\leq P(X \leq x + \varepsilon) + P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon) \\ &= F_X(x + \varepsilon) + P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon) \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} F_X(x - \varepsilon) &= P(X \leq x - \varepsilon) = P(X \leq x - \varepsilon \cap (|X_m - x| < \varepsilon)) \\ &\quad + P(X \leq x - \varepsilon \cap (|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon)) \\ &\leq F_{X_m}(x) + P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$F_X(x - \varepsilon) - P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon) \leq F_{X_m}(x) \leq F_X(x + \varepsilon) + P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon)$$

\limsup and \liminf .

Let $\{a_m\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ be a sequence

let $b_m = \sup\{a_m, a_{m+1}, \dots\}$, $m = 1, 2, \dots$

and $c_m = \inf\{a_m, a_{m+1}, \dots\}$, $m = 1, 2, \dots$

$\{b_m\}$ is nonincreasing, $\{c_m\}$ is nondecreasing.

Thereby $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} b_m$ exist (maybe $-\infty$) is called \limsup

and $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} c_m$ exist (maybe ∞), is called \liminf .

Also $c_m \leq a_m \leq b_m$ *Banach property*

Let $b_m = \sup_{m \geq 1} \{\bar{F}_{X_m}(x), \bar{F}_{X_{m+1}}(x), \dots\} \leq \bar{F}_x(x+\varepsilon) + \sup_{m \geq 1} \{P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon),$

$P(|X_{m+1} - x| \geq \varepsilon), \dots\}$

$\Rightarrow \limsup \bar{F}_{X_m}(x) \leq \bar{F}_x(x+\varepsilon)$

Let $c_m = \inf_{m \geq 1} \{\bar{F}_{X_m}(x), \bar{F}_{X_{m+1}}(x), \dots\} \geq \bar{F}_x(x-\varepsilon) - \inf_{m \geq 1} \{P(|X_m - x| \geq \varepsilon)\}$

$P(|X_{m+1} - x| \geq \varepsilon), \dots\}$

Thereby $\liminf_{m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{F}_{X_m}(x) \geq \bar{F}_x(x-\varepsilon)$

Thus we have $\bar{F}_x(x-\varepsilon) \leq \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \bar{F}_{X_m}(x) \leq \bar{F}_x(x+\varepsilon)$

Since $F_X(x)$ is continuous in x , we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = F_X(x)$

Important

$$\left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} X \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P} X$$

Example

Let $X \sim N(0, 1)$ and define $X_m = \begin{cases} X & \text{if } m \text{ is even} \\ -X & \text{if } m \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$

$\forall \epsilon > 0$, we have

$$P(|X_m - X| \geq \epsilon) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } m \text{ even} \\ 2(1 - \Phi(\frac{\epsilon}{2})) & \text{for } m \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$

Theorem 5.5.13

$$\left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P} \mu \iff \left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} \mu$$

Proof {.

$$\left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} \mu \Rightarrow P(X_m \leq x) = F_{X_m}(x) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq \mu \\ 1, & x \geq \mu \end{cases}$$

Then

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad P(|X_m - \mu| < \epsilon) = F_{X_m}(\mu + \epsilon) - F_{X_m}(\mu - \epsilon) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

Theorem 5.5.15 Central limit theorem

$\left\{ X_m \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$ i.i.d with $E[X_i] = \mu$ and $0 < \text{Var}[X_i] = \sigma^2 < \infty$

Let $\bar{X}_m = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$ and let $F_{\bar{X}_m}(x)$ be the cdf of.

$$F_m(\frac{\bar{X}_m - \mu}{\sigma}) = \frac{\bar{X}_m - \mu}{\sigma}. \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ we have } \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} F_{\bar{X}_m}(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy.$$

Since $F_X(x)$ is continuous in x , we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{X_n}(x) = F_X(x)$.

Important $\{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} X \Rightarrow \{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P} X$

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Theorem 5.5.13

$$\{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P} \mu \Leftrightarrow \{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} \mu$$

Proof \Leftarrow

$$\{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} \mu \Rightarrow P(X_n \leq x) = F_{X_n}(x) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 0, & x < \mu \\ 1, & x \geq \mu \end{cases}$$

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad P(|X_n - \mu| < \varepsilon) = P(X_n < \mu + \varepsilon) - P(X_n \leq \mu - \varepsilon)$$

$$= P(X_n \leq \mu + \varepsilon) - P(X_n = \mu + \varepsilon) - P(X_n \leq \mu - \varepsilon)$$

$$= \frac{F_{X_n}(\mu + \varepsilon)}{\underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\overbrace{1}}} - \frac{P(X_n = \mu + \varepsilon)}{\underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\overbrace{0}}} - \frac{F_{X_n}(\mu - \varepsilon)}{\underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\overbrace{0}}} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 1$$

Theorem 5.5.15. Central limit theorem

$\{X_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ iid with $E[X_i] = \mu$ and $0 < \text{Var}[X_i] = \sigma^2 < \infty$

let $\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ and let $F_{\bar{X}_n}(x)$ be the cdf of

$$F_n\left(\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma}\right) = \frac{F_{\bar{X}_n}(\frac{x - \mu}{\sigma})}{F_{\bar{X}_n}(0)}. \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ we have } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F_{\bar{X}_n}(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy$$

Proof. Suppose $M_{X_i}(t)$ exists for $|t| < \infty$.

Then $\frac{\bar{X}_m - \mu}{\sigma} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma} \right)$ and $\frac{E_m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)}{\sigma} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{E(X_i - \mu)}{\sigma} \right)$

$$M_{\sum_{i=1}^m Y_i} = (M_Y(t))^m \text{ and } M_{\frac{E_m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)}{\sigma}} = \left(M_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) \right)^m$$

A Taylor expansion around 0 gives:

$$\begin{aligned} M_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) &= M_Y(0) + M_Y'(0) \cdot \frac{t}{m} + M_Y''(0) \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{t}{m}\right)^2}{2} + R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) \\ &= 1 + \frac{\left(\frac{t}{m}\right)^2}{2} + R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right)}{\left(\frac{t}{m}\right)^2} = 0 \quad \text{for fixed } t$$

For fixed t this implies $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{m}\right)^2} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} m R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) = 0$

and

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left[1 + \frac{1}{m} \left(\frac{t^2}{2} + m R_Y\left(\frac{t}{m}\right) \right) \right]^m = e^{\frac{t^2}{2}} = M_Z(t)$$

since $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{am}{m} \right)^m = e^a$ if $\{am\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \rightarrow a$.

where $Z \sim N(0,1) \Rightarrow \frac{E_m(\bar{X}_m - \mu)}{\sigma} \xrightarrow{D} Z$.

Theorem 5.5.17

Slebksky's Theorem

$\{\bar{X}_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} X$ and $\{\bar{Y}_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{P} a$. Then

a) $\{\bar{X}_n \bar{Y}_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} aX$

b) $(\bar{X}_n + \bar{Y}_n)_{n=1}^{\infty} \xrightarrow{D} X+a$

Example

$$T_n = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\frac{s_n}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\frac{s_n}{\sqrt{n}}} \xrightarrow{P} 1 \quad \xrightarrow{D} N(0, 1)$$

since $s_n^2 \xrightarrow{P} \sigma^2 \Rightarrow s_n \xrightarrow{P} \sigma$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{T}_n \xrightarrow[m \rightarrow \infty]{D} Z \sim N(0, 1)$$

5.5.4. The Delta method

X ~ random variable. Assume $Y = \frac{1}{X} = g(x)$

$$g'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$$

In general for differentiable functions

$$g(x) = g(a) + g'(a)(x-a) + \frac{g''(a)(x-a)^2}{2} + R(x, a)$$

Therefore a natural approximation

$$Y = \frac{1}{\mu} + \left(-\frac{1}{\mu^2}(x-\mu) + R \right) \Rightarrow E[Y] \approx \frac{1}{\mu} \text{ and}$$

$$\text{Var}[Y] \approx \frac{1}{\mu^4} \text{Var}[x]$$