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Case 1: Discrete

Bernoulli

Def: If the X_i in X_1, X_2, \dots are IID Bernoulli (p), then ...

Binomial

$$f_X(x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x} \mathbb{1}_{\{0, 1, \dots, n\}}$$

$$E(X) = n \cdot p \quad V(X) = np(1-p)$$

hypergeometric

Sampling method	mean	variance
IID	$n \left(\frac{A}{A+B} \right)$	$n \left(\frac{A}{A+B} \right) \left(\frac{B}{A+B} \right)$
SRS	$n \left(\frac{A}{A+B} \right)$	$n \left(\frac{A}{A+B} \right) \left(\frac{B}{A+B} \right) \left(\frac{T-n}{T-1} \right)$

$$0 \leq \alpha = \frac{T-n}{T-1} \leq 1 \quad \text{finite population correction}$$

(n fixed, $T \uparrow$) with a small sample from a large population, SRS = IID

Poisson

$$E(X) = \lambda \quad V(X) = \lambda$$

$$\frac{V(X)}{E(X)} = 1 \quad (\text{variance-to-mean ratio}) \quad (VTMR)$$

→ when (n is large, p is close to 0), Binomial (n, p) = Poisson ($n \cdot p$)

Negative Binomial Distribution

$$f_X(x | n, p) = \binom{r+x-1}{x} p^r (1-p)^x \dots$$

MGF:

CONTINUOUS:

Normal (Gaussian) Distribution:

$$X \sim \text{Normal}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

PDF ↴

$$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x-\mu}{\sigma}\right)^2\right]$$

properties:

$$X \sim \text{Normal}(\mu, \sigma^2) \quad E(X) = \mu$$

$$\text{MGF: } \psi_X(t) = \exp\left(\mu t + \frac{\sigma^2 t^2}{2}\right)$$

center of symmetry

$$\begin{matrix} \text{mean} \\ \text{median} \\ \text{mode} \end{matrix} = \mu$$

consequences:

$$\textcircled{1} X \sim \text{Normal}(\mu, \sigma^2) \quad Y = aX + b \quad (a \neq 0) \text{ fixed constants}$$

$$Y \sim \text{Normal}(a\mu + b, a^2 \sigma^2)$$

Normality is preserved under linear transformation

The normal dist. with $\mu=0$ and $\sigma=1$ is called the standard normal dist.

The PDF of $X \sim \text{Normal}(0, 1)$ is

$$\phi_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)$$

$$\text{CDF is } \Phi(x) \triangleq \int_{-\infty}^x \phi_X(t) dt$$

Empirical Rule

$$\text{Part 1: } (\mu \pm \sigma) = 68\%$$

$$\text{Part 2: } (\mu \pm 2\sigma) = 95\%$$

$$\text{Part 3: } (\mu \pm 3\sigma) = 99.7\%$$

$$\text{for data: } z = \frac{y - \bar{y}}{s} = su$$

$$\text{for r.v.'s: } z_i = \frac{Y_i - \mu}{\sigma} = su$$