

Discussion Notes - week 4

Problem sheet 1

1) Use Bayes' theorem

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{\sum_i P(B|A_i)P(A_i)}$$

$$a) P(r|i) = \frac{P(i|r)P(r)}{P(i|r)P(r) + P(i|e)P(e)}$$

$$= \frac{0.001 \times 0.9999 \overset{\leftarrow 1-10^{-4}}{}}{0.001 \times 0.999 + 0.01 \times 10^{-4}}$$

$$= \underline{0.999 (000899)}$$

$$b) P(e|z) = \frac{P(z|e)P(e)}{P(z|e)P(e) + P(z|r)P(r)}$$

$$= \frac{0.989 \times 0.0001}{0.989 \times 0.0001 + 10^{-5} \cdot (1 - 0.0001)}$$

$$= \underline{0.90818}$$

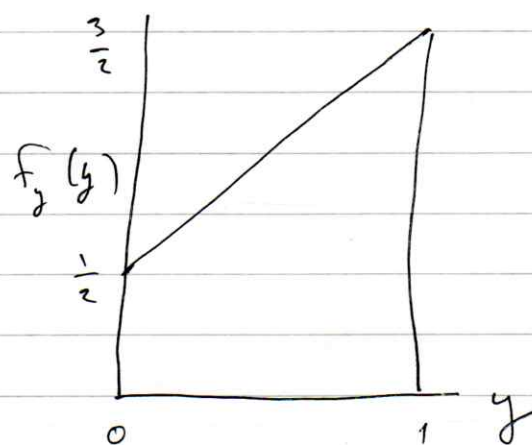
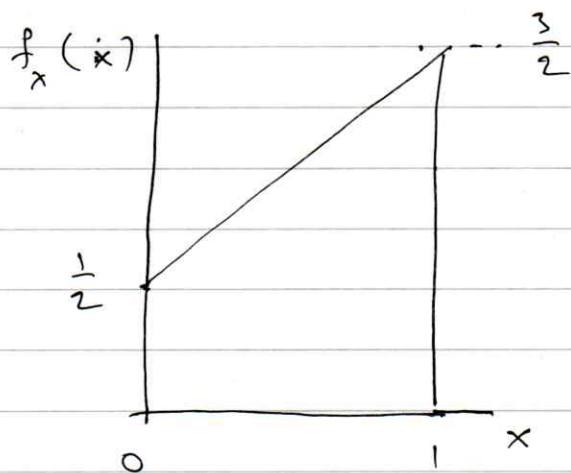
$$2) \quad f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x + y & 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$a) \quad f'_x(x) = \int f(x, y) dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 (x + y) dy$$

$$= \left(xy + \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} + x, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

By symmetry, $f'_y(y) = \frac{1}{2} + y, 0 \leq y \leq 1$



$$f(x, y) = x + y$$

$$\neq f'_x(x) f'_y(y) = \left(\frac{1}{2} + x \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} + y \right)$$

$\Rightarrow x, y$ not independent.

$$2b) \quad f(x|y) = \frac{f(x,y)}{f_y(y)}$$

$$= \frac{x+y}{\frac{1}{2}+y}, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

By symmetry,

$$f(y|x) = \frac{x+y}{\frac{1}{2}+x}, \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1$$

Bayes' thm. says

$$f(x|y) = \frac{f(y|x) f_x(x)}{f_y(y)}$$

Check:

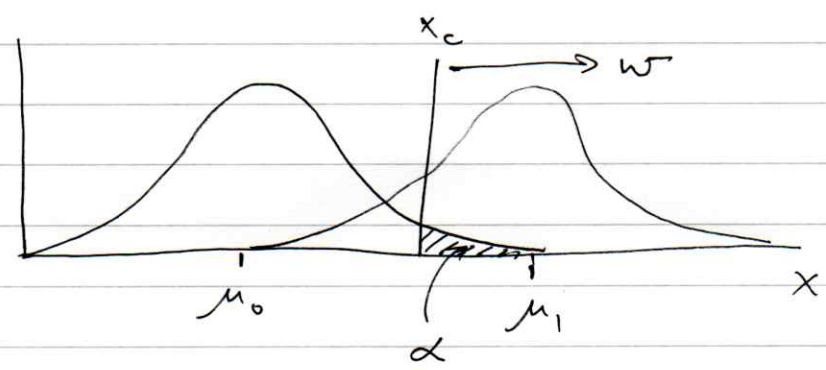
$$\frac{x+y}{\frac{1}{2}+y} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{\frac{x+y}{\frac{1}{2}+x} \cdot (\frac{1}{2}+x)}{\frac{1}{2}+y} \quad \checkmark$$

From Week 4 extra slides

$X \sim \text{Gauss}(\mu, \sigma)$
want to test (arrow pointing to μ)
known (arrow pointing to σ)

$H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ vs. $H_1: \mu > \mu_0$

Take $w = \{x : x \geq x_c\}$



$\alpha = P(x \geq x_c | \mu_0)$

$= \int_{x_c}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu_0)^2}{2\sigma^2}} dx$, let $y = \frac{x-\mu_0}{\sigma}$

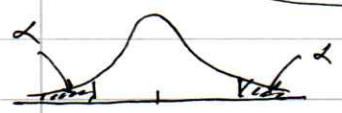
$= \int_{\frac{x_c-\mu_0}{\sigma}}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy$

$= 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{x_c-\mu_0}{\sigma}\right)$

Standard Gauss cumulat. dist.

$\Rightarrow x_c = \mu_0 - \sigma \Phi^{-1}(\alpha) = \mu_0 + \sigma \Phi^{-1}(1-\alpha)$

std. Gauss quantile.



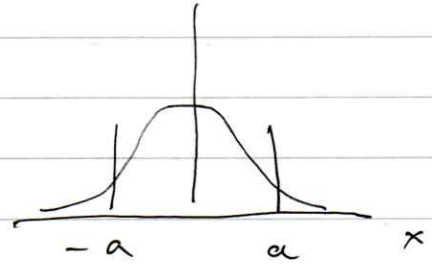
$x_\alpha \quad x_{1-\alpha} \Rightarrow \Phi^{-1}(\alpha) = -\Phi^{-1}(1-\alpha)$

Power $M(\mu) = P(x \geq x_c | \mu)$

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

$$= 1 - \Phi\left(\frac{x_c - \mu}{\sigma}\right)$$

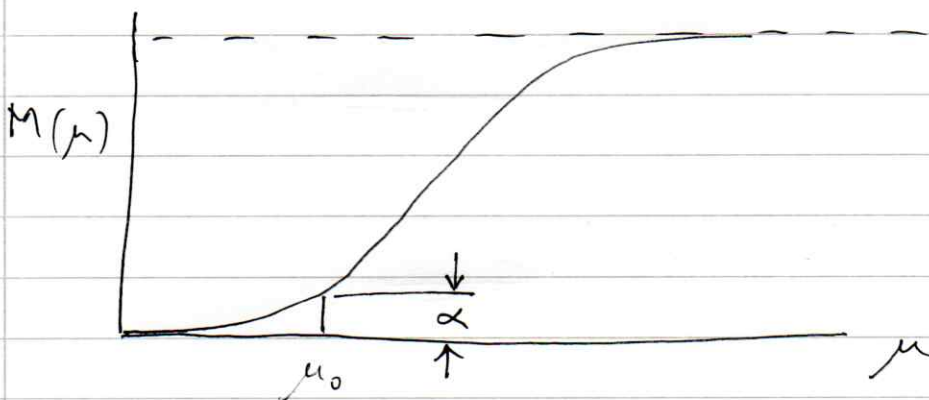
$$= \Phi\left(\frac{\mu - x_c}{\sigma}\right)$$



$$\Phi(-a) = 1 - \Phi(a)$$

$$= \Phi\left(\frac{\mu - \mu_0 - \sigma \Phi^{-1}(1-\alpha)}{\sigma}\right)$$

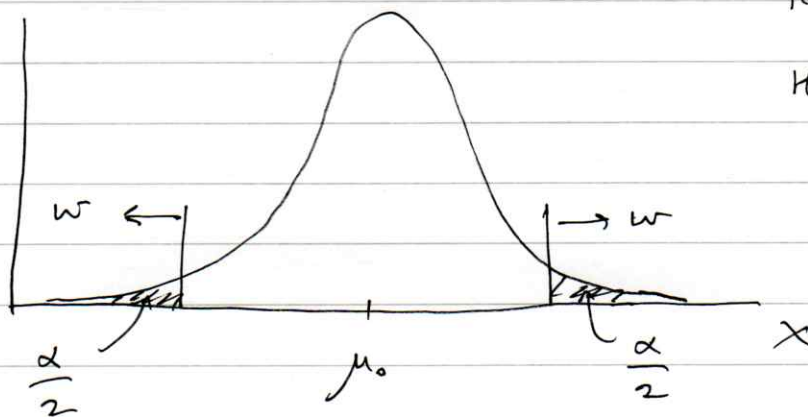
$$= \Phi\left(\frac{\mu - \mu_0}{\sigma} + \Phi^{-1}(\alpha)\right)$$



"Two-sided" test:

We might consider $\mu < \mu_0$ and $\mu > \mu_0$ as equally relevant alternatives.

→ choose two-sided critical region:



$$H_0: \mu = \mu_0$$

$$H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0$$

Two-sided w gives (some) power for both $\mu < \mu_0$ and $\mu > \mu_0$,

but less power for $\mu > \mu_0$ than the original one-sided test.

