

1. Let X_1, \dots, X_n be iid random variables with density

$$f(x; \theta) = \frac{\exp\{-(x - \theta)\}}{1 + \exp\{-(x - \theta)\}}, -\infty < x < \infty, -\infty < \theta < \infty.$$

- (a) Show the existence and uniqueness of maximum likelihood estimator.
(b) Construct the iterative one-step estimator based on Newton's procedure giving the initial estimator.
2. Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a random sample from the uniform $(0, \theta]$ distribution.

- (a) Find the complete sufficient statistics for θ and show how to compute the unique minimum variance unbiased estimator of

$$g(\theta) = \frac{e^{t\theta} - 1}{t\theta}, t \neq 0,$$

i.e., the mgf of the distribution.

- (b) Find the close form of the unique minimum variance unbiased estimator of $g(\theta)$.
3. (a) Let X be a *single* observation from the density $f(x; \theta) = (2\theta x + 1 - \theta)I_{[0,1]}(x)$, where $-1 \leq \theta \leq 1$. Find the likelihood ratio test with significance level α of $H_0 : \theta = 0$ versus $H_1 : \theta = 1$.
- (b) If $X_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, n$, are observations from the Normal distribution with known variance σ_i^2 , respectively, and X_i 's are mutually independent, construct a test for testing that their means are all equal.