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- 1. problem 13.1.1 of the textbook.
- 2. Let X be a discrete random variable whose p.m.f. is for k = 1, 2, ..., 7,  $P_p(X = k) = p_k$  where  $p = (p_1, p_2, ..., p_7)$  with  $p_k \ge 0$ ,  $\forall k$  and  $\sum p_k = 1$ . Based on observing one X, give THREE different level  $\alpha = 0.05$  tests for testing

 $H_0: p = (0.01, 0.01, 0.02, 0.01, 0.01, 0.01, 0.93) \ v.s.$ 

 $H_1: p = (0.06, 0.05, 0.04, 0.03, 0.02, 0.01, 0.79).$ 

Compute the probability of Type-II error for your tests.

Do the same with level 0.035.

3. Let  $X \sim \text{Gamma}(1, \beta)$ . To test  $H_0: \beta = 1$  v.s.  $H_1: \beta > 1$ , suppose student A uses the non-randomized test

$$\varphi_A(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x > c, \\ 0 & \text{if } x \le c.; \end{cases}$$

and B uses

$$\varphi_B(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x < k, \\ 0 & \text{if } x \ge k.; \end{cases}$$

Find the constants c and k so that both tests have the same size 0.05 and then derive and compare their power functions. Which test is better? Why?

4. Let  $X_1, \ldots, X_n$  be *i.i.d.*  $U(0, \theta)$  r.v.'s and  $X_{(n)} = \max\{X_1, \ldots, X_n\}$ . Also let  $\theta_0, \theta_1$  with  $0 < \theta_0 < \theta_1$  and  $0 < \alpha < 1$  be given constants. For testing  $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$  v.s.  $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$ , Consider the test defined by

$$\varphi_1(x_1,\ldots,x_n) = \varphi_1(x_{(n)}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \theta_0 < x_{(n)}, \\ \alpha & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Show that it is a level  $\alpha$  test and calculate its power.

Now, define another test  $\varphi_2$  as

$$\varphi_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \varphi_2(x_{(n)}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k \leq x_{(n)}, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where k is determined such that  $E_{\theta_0}[\varphi_2(X_{(n)})] = \alpha$ .

Determine the value of k, and show that  $\varphi_2$  has the same power as  $\varphi_1$ 

5. A sample of size 1 is taken from the p.d.f.

$$f(x; \theta) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{\theta^2} (\theta - x) & \text{if } 0 < x < \theta, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Let  $\theta_0$ ,  $\theta_1$  with  $\theta_0 > \theta_1$  be two given constants.

- (a) Find the most powerful (MP) level  $\alpha = 0.05$  test for testing  $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$  v.s.  $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$ . Calculate its power.
- (b) Write out the test in part (a) for the case where  $\theta_0 = 2$  and  $\theta_1 = 1$ .
- 6. Let X be random variable with p.d.f. f whoch can be either  $f_0$  or else  $f_1$ , where  $f_0$  is the p.d.f. of N(0,1) and  $f_1$  is the p.d.f. of Cauchy(0, 1) (i.e.  $f_1(x) = 1/(\pi(1+x^2))$ ,  $x \in R$ ). Find the MP level  $\alpha$  test for testing  $H_0: f = f_0$  v.s.  $H_1: f = f_1$ . Calculate its power.