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Quiz #1, Quality control, 2018 Fall [+ 8 points]

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Q1 [+3] Let  $X$  be the number of nonconforming items in  $n=100$  samples and  $p = 0.01$  be the fraction nonconforming. Let  $\hat{p}$  be an unbiased estimator of  $p$ . Calculate

- 1)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.005)$
- 2)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.01)$
- 3)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.025)$

Answer up to 2 digits 0.xx using the approximation below:

round(0.99^(98), 2) = 0.37

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(1) Set  $X \sim \text{Bin}(n=100, p=0.01)$

Let  $\hat{p} = \frac{X}{n} \Rightarrow E(\hat{p}) = \frac{E[X]}{n} = \frac{np}{n} = p$

hence,  $\hat{p}$  is an unbiased estimator of  $p$

(C1)  $|X_i| < A$ , for  $A$  is constant

(C2)  $\sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i^2 \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

(1)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.05) = P(\frac{X}{n} \leq 0.05) = P(X \leq 5)$

$\Rightarrow P(X \leq 5) = \sum_{k=0}^5 \binom{100}{k} (0.01)^k (0.99)^{100-k} = 0.37$  #

(2)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.01) = P(X \leq 1)$

$= \binom{100}{0} (0.01)^0 (0.99)^{100} + \binom{100}{1} (0.01)^1 (0.99)^{99}$   
 $= 0.37 + 0.37 = 0.74$  #

(3)  $P(\hat{p} \leq 0.025) = P(X \leq 2.5)$

$= \binom{100}{0} (0.01)^0 (0.99)^{100} + \binom{100}{1} (0.01)^1 (0.99)^{99}$   
 $+ \binom{100}{2} (0.01)^2 (0.99)^{98} = 0.74 + 0.18$

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Q2. [+5] Let  $X_i, i=1, \dots, n$  be independent random variables with  $X_i = i$  w.p.  $p = 0.92$  # and  $X_i = 0$  w.p.  $1-p$ .

(1) Compute  $\sum_{i=1}^n E[X_i]$

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$\sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n [iP + 0(1-P)] = \sum_{i=1}^n iP = P \sum_{i=1}^n i$

$= P \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  #

(2) Compute  $\sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}[X_i]$

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$\sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n [E(X_i^2) - E(X_i)^2]$

$= \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 P(1-P) = P(1-P) \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = P(1-P) \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$  #

(3) Compute  $E(|X_i - E[X_i]|^3)$ .  $E(|X_i - E[X_i]|^3) = (i - iP)^3 P + (iP)^3 (1-P)$

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$= i^3 (1-P)^3 P + i^3 P^3 (1-P)$

$= i^3 (1-P) P (P^2 + (1-P)^2)$  #

(4) Verify the Liapounov condition

Let  $S_n^{(k)} = \sum_{i=1}^n i^k$

$\approx \frac{n^{k+1}}{k+1} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}[X_i] \right)^3$

$\frac{[(1-P)P(P^2 + (1-P)^2)]^2 \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n i^3 \right]^2}{[P(1-P) \sum_{i=1}^n i^2]^3}$

hence,  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 \approx \frac{n^4}{4}$

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(5) Apply the CLT.

+1 Under the Liapounov condition.

$\frac{E \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i - E[X_i]|^3 \right]}{\left( \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i) \right)^{3/2}} \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

by the CLT

$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i)}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(X_i)}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - P \frac{n(n+1)}{2}}{\sqrt{P(1-P) \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}}} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1)$  #