

• Test on ~~the~~ population variance when population mean is known.

To test  $H_0: \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$   
 against  $H_1: \sigma^2 > \sigma_0^2$   
 $\sigma^2 < \sigma_0^2$   
 $\sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$

Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$   
 $\mu$  known  
 $\sigma^2$  unknown.

The unbiased estimate of  $\sigma^2$  is  

$$s_0^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2$$

So the test statistic will be based on  $s_0^2$ .  
 Intuitively, a large value of  $\frac{s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2}$  will lead us to the rejection of hypothesis,  $H_0$ .

Now,  $X_i \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2 \sim \chi^2(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (X_i - \mu)^2 \sim \sigma^2 \cdot \chi^2(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum (X_i - \mu)^2 \sim \chi^2(n)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n)$$

$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are i.i.d. r.v. so  $\left(\frac{X_i - \mu}{\sigma}\right)^2$ 's are all independent for  $i=1(1)n$

We reject hypothesis if

point  $c$  will be  $\frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} > c$  where the cut off point  $c$  will be  $\frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2}$  calculated from size condition.

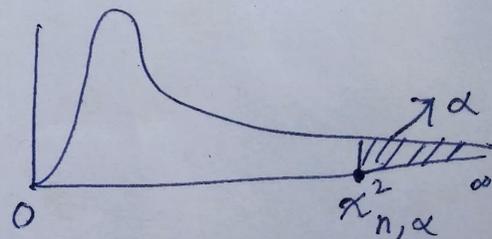
$$P_{H_0} \left[ \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} > c \right] = \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \chi_{n, \alpha}^2$$

$\Rightarrow$  reject  $H_0$  if

$$\frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} > \chi_{n, \alpha}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow s_0^2 > \frac{\sigma_0^2}{n} \chi_{n, \alpha}^2$$



$$\text{Power} = P \left[ \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} > \chi_{n, \alpha}^2 \mid H_0 \text{ true} \right]$$

$$= P \left[ \frac{n s_0^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{\sigma_0^2} > \chi_{n, \alpha}^2 \right]$$

$$= P \left[ \chi^2 > \frac{\sigma_0^2}{\sigma^2} \chi_{n, \alpha}^2 \right]$$

Now, if  $H_1: \sigma^2 < \sigma_0^2$

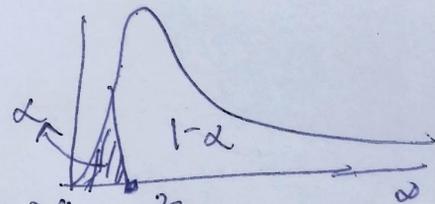
Test statistic  $\frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_n^2$

But the rejection will be towards the left tail. Lesser the value of  $s_0^2$  as compared with  $\sigma^2$  under  $H_0$ , lesser will be the ratio, value of test statistic, thereby rejecting  $H_0$ .

**Remember**  $\chi^2$  is a positively skewed (not symmetric) distribution,  $0 < \chi^2 < \infty$ .

So we reject  $H_0$  if

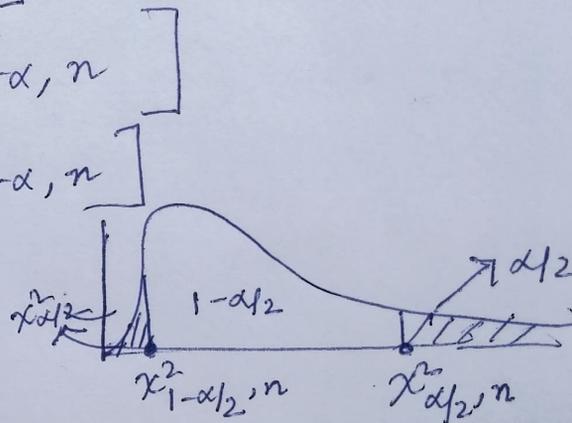
$$\chi^2 = \chi_{\text{cal}}^2 = \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} < \chi_{1-\alpha, n}^2$$



$$\text{Power} = \Pr \left[ \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma_0^2} < \chi_{1-\alpha, n}^2 \mid H_1 \right] \Rightarrow s_0^2 < \frac{\sigma_0^2}{n} \chi_{1-\alpha, n}^2$$

$$= \Pr \left[ \frac{n s_0^2}{\sigma^2} \cdot \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma_0^2} < \chi_{1-\alpha, n}^2 \right]$$

$$= \Pr \left[ \chi^2 < \frac{\sigma_0^2}{\sigma^2} \cdot \chi_{1-\alpha, n}^2 \right]$$



Case III  $H_1: \sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$

We reject  $H_0$  if

$$\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 > \chi_{\alpha/2, n}^2 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 < \chi_{1-\alpha/2, n}^2$$

You can find power accordingly.

Test on  $\sigma^2$  when  $\mu$  is not known.

$H_0: \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$

$H_1: \sigma^2 > \sigma_0^2$

Test statistic will be changed

is unbiased estimate of  $\sigma^2$ .  
So, the test statistic  $\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2} = \chi_{n-1}^2$

$$\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 = \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma_0^2}$$

We reject  $H_0$ , if  $\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 > \chi_{n-1, \alpha}^2$

For  $H_1: \sigma^2 < \sigma_0^2$ ,  $\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 < \chi_{1-\alpha, n-1}^2$

For  $H_1: \sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$ ,  $\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 > \chi_{\alpha/2, n-1}^2$  or  $\chi_{\text{cal}}^2 < \chi_{1-\alpha/2, n-1}^2$

