

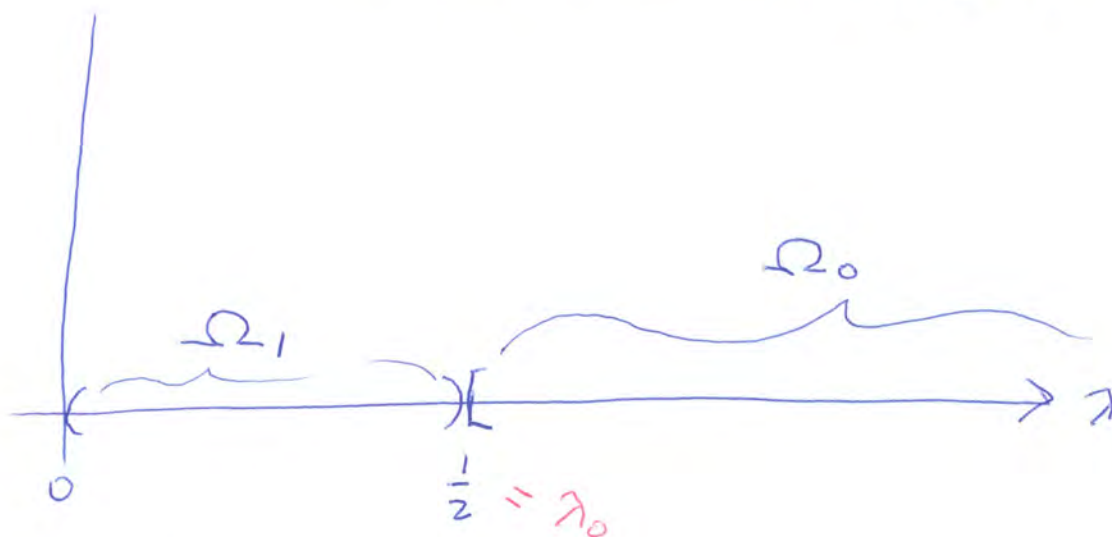
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Last week was reading week

Model for surgery wait times:

$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exponential}(\lambda)$   $H_0: \lambda \geq \frac{1}{2}$  vs  $H_1: \lambda < \frac{1}{2}$



Found  $\bar{X}_n \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha = n, \lambda' = n\lambda)$

Reject  $H_0$  when  $\bar{X}_n \geq k$

Want test with significance level  $\alpha$ .

~~Need to find k so that~~

Find  $k$  so that  $\max_{\lambda \in \Omega_0} P_\lambda(\bar{X}_n \geq k) = \alpha$

Maximize  $P_\lambda(\bar{X}_n \geq k)$  over  $\Omega_0 = [\lambda_0, \infty)$

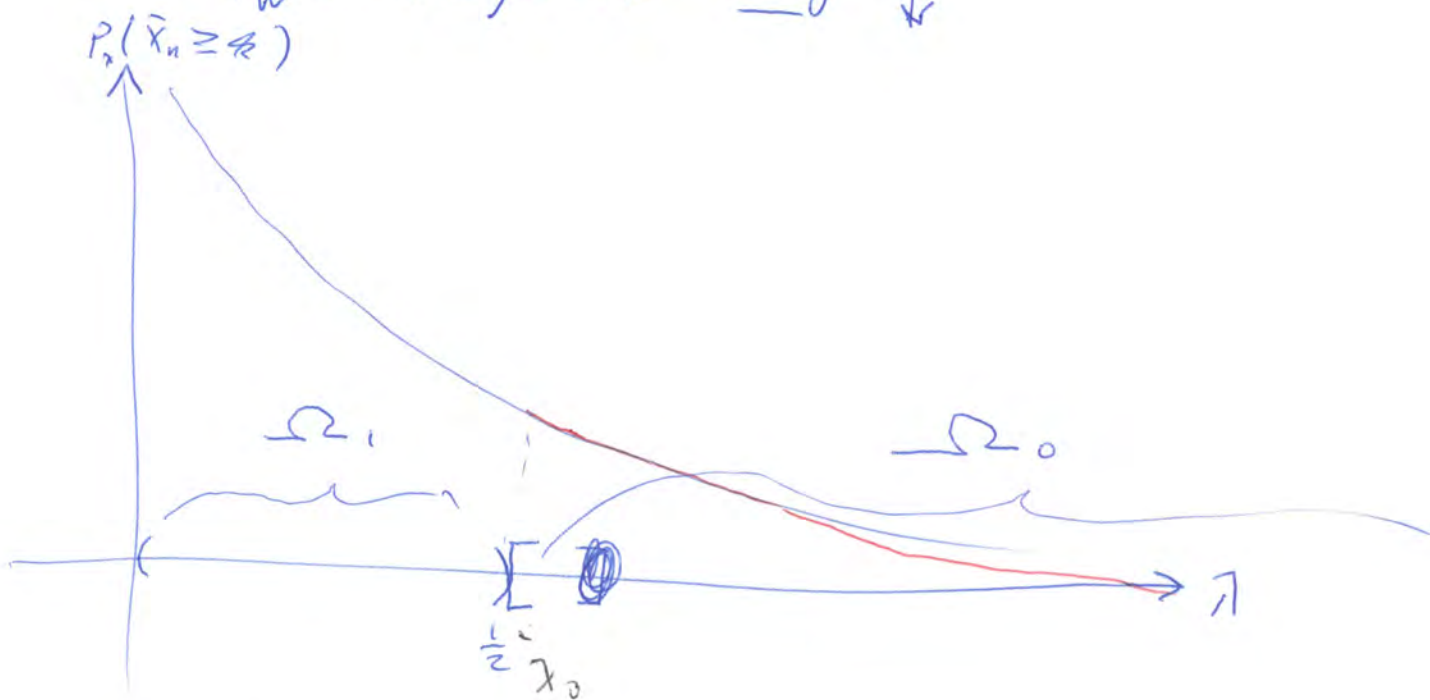
Since  $\bar{X}_n \sim \text{Gamma}(\alpha=n, \lambda n)$

$$P_\lambda(\bar{X}_n \geq k) = \int_k^\infty \frac{(n\lambda)^n}{\Gamma(n)} e^{-n\lambda x} x^{n-1} dx$$

$$= \overset{\text{Last time}}{\dots} = 1 - F_w(n\lambda k), \text{ where } w \sim G(n, 1)$$

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda} P_\lambda(\bar{X}_n \geq k) = \frac{d}{d\lambda} [1 - F_w(n\lambda k)]$$

$$= -f_w(n\lambda k) \cdot nk \quad \underline{\text{neg}} \downarrow$$



max over  $\Omega_0$  at  $\lambda = \lambda_0 = \frac{1}{2}$

Comments

- This is why boundary point was in  $\Omega_0$
- With  $H_0: \lambda = \lambda_0 = \frac{1}{2}$  vs  $H_1: \lambda < \lambda_0$
- Nicer if  $\Omega_0 \cup \Omega_1 = \Omega$

Def A hypothesis (null or alternative) that completely specifies the distribution of the sample data is called a SIMPLE  $H_0$ . Otherwise, COMPOSITE. (12)

Anyway Need  $P_{\lambda_0}(\bar{X}_n \geq t) = \alpha$   
Consider

$$M_{\bar{X}_n}(t) = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\lambda_0 n}\right)^{-n} \quad \text{and}$$

$$M_Y(t) = (1 - 2t)^{-\frac{r}{2}} \quad \chi^2 \text{ MGF}$$

Let  $Y = 2n\lambda_0\bar{X}_n$  will be test statistic

$$M_Y(t) = \cancel{M_{\bar{X}_n}} M_{2n\lambda_0\bar{X}_n}(t) = M_{\bar{X}_n}(2n\lambda_0 t)$$

$$= \left(1 - \frac{2n\lambda_0 t}{\lambda_0}\right)^{-\frac{2n}{2}}$$

$$= (1 - 2t)^{-\frac{2n}{2}} \quad \text{MGF of } \chi^2(2n)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\lambda_0}(\bar{X}_n \geq k) &= P_{\lambda_0}(2n\lambda_0 \bar{X}_n \geq 2n\lambda_0 k) \\
 &= P_{\lambda_0}(Y \geq \underbrace{2n\lambda_0 k}_{\text{Set} = \chi^2_{1-\alpha}(2n)})
 \end{aligned}$$



Decision Rule Reject  $H_0$  if

$$Y = 2n\lambda_0 \bar{X}_n \geq \chi^2_{1-\alpha}(2n)$$

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Model  $X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\lambda)$

$H_0: \lambda \geq \lambda_0$  vs  $H_1: \lambda < \lambda_0$

Test statistic:  $Y = 2n\lambda_0 \bar{X}_n \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} \chi^2(2n)$

Decision Rule Reject  $H_0$  if  $Y \geq \chi^2_{1-\alpha}(2n)$

Give the critical value(s).

under the null hypothesis, when  $H_0$  is true



Example  $n=29$ ,  $\bar{x}=2.5$ ,  $s^2=3.6$

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~~Give~~ Calculate the test statistic; show a little work. The answer is a number.

$$Y = 2n\lambda_0\bar{x} = 2 \times 29 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2.5 = 72.5$$

~~What~~ Give the critical value(s). Your answer is one number or two numbers. at  $\alpha=0.05$

$$df = 2 \times 29 = 58$$

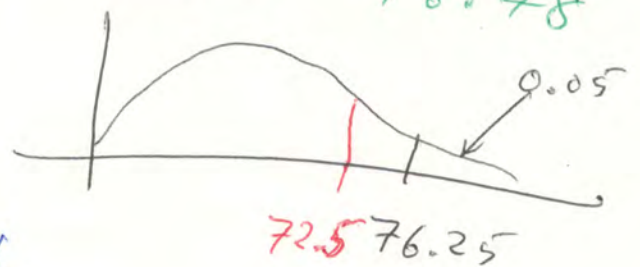
<u>df</u>	<u><math>\chi^2_{0.95}</math></u>
50	67.5
60	79.08

Interpolation  $\swarrow$  80%

$$67.5 + 0.8(79.08 - 67.5) = 76.25$$

Exact value is 76.78

$$Y = 72.5 < 76.25$$



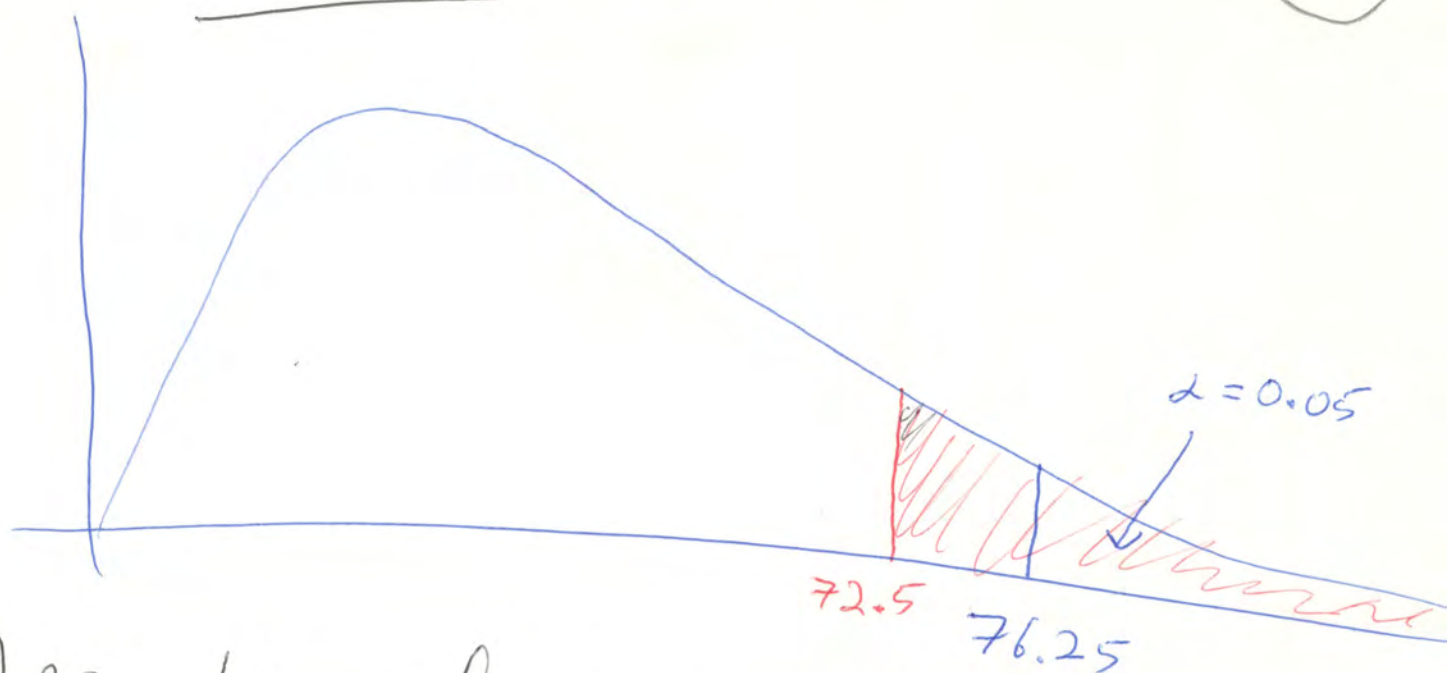
Decision: Don't Reject  $H_0$

Conclusion: Pick one  $\lambda \geq \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$

Is there evidence that the hospital is violating the regulation? **No**

## P-values

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Area beyond the observed test statistic, in direction of  $H_1$ ,

is the <sup>Def</sup> smallest sig level at which  $H_0$  could be rejected.

## P-value

Probability of getting results as surprising or more surprising than the results we have observed, if  $H_0$  is true.

Reject  $H_0$  iff  $p < \alpha$ .

Call the results "statistically significant"



$$p\text{-value} = 1 - F(y | \lambda = \lambda_0)$$

$$= 1 - F_{\gamma}(72.5 | \lambda = \frac{1}{2})$$

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~~$$1 - p_{\text{gamma}}(72.5)$$~~

$$1 - p_{\text{chisq}}(72.5, df = 58)$$

$$= 1 - 0.905 = 0.095 > 0.05$$

## Side excursion

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Test statistic  $T$ , Reject  $H_0$  for large values of  $T$   $T \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} F_0$

p-value  $P = 1 - F_0(T)$

Is a random variable.

Find distribution of p-values when  $H_0$  is true.

Note  $0 \leq P \leq 1$

For  $0 < x < 1$   $f_p(x) =$

$$\frac{d}{dx} P(P \leq x) = \frac{d}{dx} P(1 - F_0(T) \leq x)$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} P(F_0(T) \geq 1 - x) = \frac{d}{dx} P(F_0^{-1}(F_0(T))$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} P(T \geq F_0^{-1}(1-x)) \stackrel{\text{---}}{=} F_0^{-1}(1-x)$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} (1 - P(T < F_0^{-1}(1-x)))$$

$$= - \frac{d}{dx} F_0(F_0^{-1}(1-x)) = - \frac{d}{dx} (1-x)$$

$$\frac{dx}{dx} = 1 \quad \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \quad \text{UNIFORM}$$





# Back to expected wait time

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Another possible test statistic

Wait times  $X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\lambda)$

Mandate is  $E(X_i) = \mu = \frac{1}{\lambda} \leq 2$

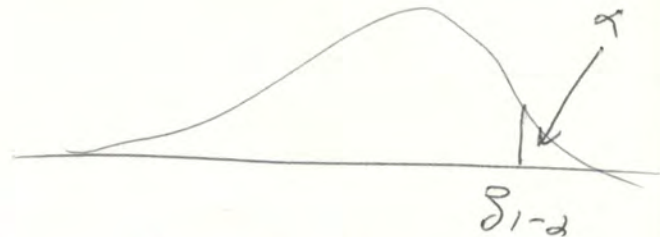
Still like to Reject  $H_0$  if  $\bar{X}_n \geq 2$

Test Statistic

$$Z_n = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu_0)}{\frac{1}{\lambda_n}} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} N(0,1) \quad \text{By CLT}$$

$H_0: \mu \leq \mu_0$  vs  $H_1: \mu > 2$   
Decision rule

Reject if  $Z_n > z_{1-\alpha}$



Give two critical values for  $\alpha = 0.05$  1.96  
 $\alpha = 0.01$  2.577

Which  $z$ -test

If you believe exponential model,

$$E(X_i) = \frac{1}{\lambda} \quad \frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\bar{x}}$$

$$\text{Var}(X_i) = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \quad \frac{1}{\sigma_n^2} = \bar{x}^2$$

$$a) Z_n = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu_0)}{\sigma_n} \xrightarrow{d} Z \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$b) Z_n = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - \mu_0)}{s_n} \xrightarrow{d} Z \sim N(0, 1)$$

b is better if you're not sure of exponential model

If you are sure, probably  $Y = 2n\lambda_0 \bar{X}_n$  is better.

Compute  $\rightarrow$  test statistic on data  
 $n = 29, \bar{x} = 2.5, s^2 = 3.6$

$$1) Y = 2n\lambda_0 \bar{x} = 72.25, p = 0.095$$

$$a) Z_n = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X}_n - 2)}{\sigma_n} = 1.077$$



$$b) Z_n = \frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{x} - 2)}{s} = 1.42, p = 0.0778$$

If  $H_0: \mu = 2 \Leftrightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2}$  is true

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What's  $P(Z_n > 1.645)$  For test (b)

Suppose  $S^2$  exactly equals  $\sigma^2$  (impossible)

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{\lambda^2} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 4 \quad \sigma = 2$$

$$P(Z \geq z_{1-\alpha}) = P\left(\frac{\sqrt{n}(\bar{X} - 2)}{2} > 1.645\right)$$

$$= \dots P(\bar{X} > 2.611)$$

$$= 1 - \text{pgamma}(2.611, \alpha=n, \lambda_0 * n)$$

$$= 1 - 0.941$$

$$= 0.059$$