

Stochastic Processes II (FP-7.5)

Solution Set 3

Problem 3.1 (Problem 6.2 in Shanmugan)

Solution:

The observed random variable Y is the number of "heads" showing up by tossing the coin eight times.

- Pdf of Y under both hypotheses:

$$\begin{aligned}H_0: \quad P[Y = n|H_0] &= \binom{8}{n} p_0^n (1 - p_0)^{8-n} \quad \text{with } p_0 = 0.5 \\H_1: \quad P[Y = n|H_1] &= \binom{8}{n} p_1^n (1 - p_1)^{8-n} \quad \text{with } p_1 = 0.4\end{aligned}$$

- Likelihood ratio:

$$\begin{aligned}L(n) &= \frac{P[Y = n|H_1]}{P[Y = n|H_0]} \\&= \frac{p_1^n (1 - p_1)^{8-n}}{p_0^n (1 - p_0)^{8-n}} \\&= \left(\frac{p_1}{p_0}\right)^n \left(\frac{1 - p_0}{1 - p_1}\right)^n \left(\frac{1 - p_1}{1 - p_0}\right)^8 \\L(n) &= \left(\frac{p_1}{p_0} \cdot \frac{1 - p_0}{1 - p_1}\right)^n \left(\frac{1 - p_1}{1 - p_0}\right)^8\end{aligned}$$

- Log-likelihood ratio:

$$\begin{aligned}l(n) &= \ln[L(n)] \\&= n \cdot \left[\ln \frac{1 - p_0}{p_0} - \ln \frac{1 - p_1}{p_1} \right] + 8 \ln \left(\frac{1 - p_1}{1 - p_0} \right)\end{aligned}$$

- MAP decision rule:

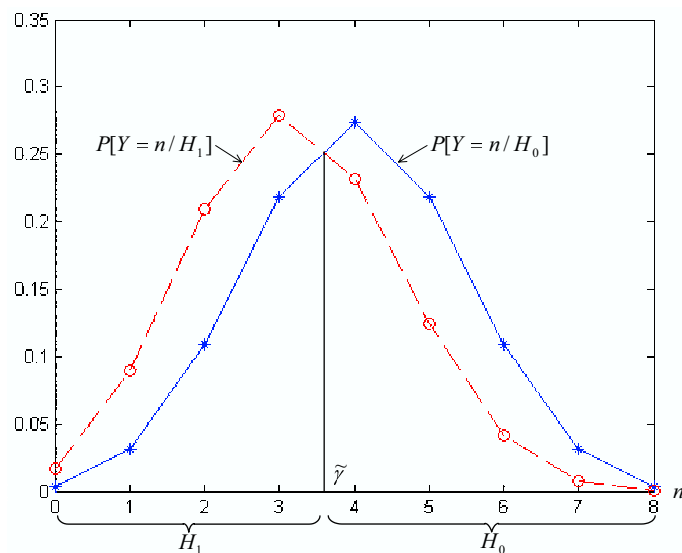
$$\begin{aligned}P[H_0] &= P[H_1] = \frac{1}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \gamma &= \frac{P[H_0]}{P[H_1]} = 1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& l(n) \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \ln \gamma \\
n \cdot \underbrace{\left[\ln \frac{1-p_0}{p_0} - \ln \frac{1-p_1}{p_1} \right]}_{=0} + 8 \ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{1-p_0} \right) & \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} 0 \\
n \cdot \ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{p_1} \right) & \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} 8 \cdot \ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{1-p_0} \right) \\
n & \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} 8 \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{1-p_0} \right)}{\ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{p_1} \right)}}_{=\tilde{\gamma}}
\end{aligned}$$

Evaluation of the threshold $\tilde{\gamma}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\tilde{\gamma} &= 8 \cdot \frac{\ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{1-p_0} \right)}{\ln \left(\frac{1-p_1}{p_1} \right)} \\
&= 8 \cdot \frac{\ln \left(\frac{0.6}{0.5} \right)}{\ln \left(\frac{0.6}{0.4} \right)} \\
&= 8 \cdot \frac{\ln 1.2}{\ln 1.5} \\
&\approx 3.6
\end{aligned}$$

$$n \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} 8 \cdot \frac{\ln 1.2}{\ln 1.5}$$



- Probability of incorrect decision P_e :

$$\begin{aligned}P_e &= P[D = H_1|H_0] \cdot P[H_0] + P[D = H_0|H_1] \cdot P[H_1] \\ &= 0.5 \cdot \{P[D = H_1|H_0] + P[D = H_0|H_1]\}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}P[D = H_1|H_0] &= P[Y < 3.6|H_0] \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^3 \binom{8}{n} p_0^n (1 - p_0)^{8-n} \\ &\approx 0.3633\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}P[D = H_0|H_1] &= P[Y > 3.6|H_1] \\ &= \sum_{n=4}^8 \binom{8}{n} p_1^n (1 - p_1)^{8-n} \\ &\approx 0.4059\end{aligned}$$

$$P_e \approx 0.5 \cdot (0.3633 + 0.4059)$$

$$P_e \approx 0.3846$$

Problem 3.2 (Problem 6.8 in Shanmugan)

Solution:

- Signal model:

$$Y = x + W$$

where

$$x = \begin{cases} 1 & ; H_0 \\ -1 & ; H_1 \end{cases}$$

$$W \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1).$$

- Pdf of Y under H_0 and H_1 :

$$f(y|H_0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(y-1)^2\right\}$$

$$f(y|H_1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(y+1)^2\right\}$$

- Log-likelihood ratio:

$$\begin{aligned} l(y) &= \ln \frac{f(y|H_1)}{f(y|H_0)} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}(y+1)^2 + \frac{1}{2}(y-1)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}[(y-1)^2 - (y+1)^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}[y^2 - 2y + 1 - y^2 - 2y - 1] \end{aligned}$$

$$l(y) = -2y$$

a. MAP decision rule:

$$\begin{aligned} l(y) &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \ln\left(\frac{P[H_0]}{P[H_1]}\right) \\ -2y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \ln\left(\frac{1/3}{2/3}\right) \\ -2y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} -\ln 2 \\ y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\gtrless}} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \ln 2}_{=\tilde{\gamma}_{\text{MAP}}} \approx 0.35 \end{aligned}$$

b. Bayes decision rule:

$$\begin{aligned}
l(y) &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\geq}} \ln\left(\frac{P[H_0](C_{10} - C_{00})}{P[H_1](C_{01} - C_{11})}\right) \\
-2y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\geq}} \ln\left(\frac{\frac{1}{3}(1-0)}{\frac{2}{3}(6-0)}\right) \\
-2y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\geq}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{12}\right) \\
-2y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\geq}} -\ln 12 \\
y &\underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{\geq}} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \ln 12}_{=\tilde{\gamma}_B} \approx 1.2425
\end{aligned}$$

Value of \bar{C}_{\min} :

$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{C}_{\min} &= 1 \cdot \underbrace{P[D = H_1 | H_0]}_{P_f} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + 6 \cdot \underbrace{P[D = H_0 | H_1]}_{P_m} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \\
&= \frac{1}{3}[P_f + 12P_m]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P_f &= P[Y < \tilde{\gamma}_B | H_0] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\tilde{\gamma}_B} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(y-1)^2\right) dy \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\tilde{\gamma}_B-1} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}z^2\right) dz \\
&= 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\tilde{\gamma}_B-1}^{+\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}z^2\right) dz \\
&= 1 - Q(\tilde{\gamma}_B - 1) \\
&= 1 - Q\left(\frac{\ln 12}{2} - 1\right) \\
&\approx 1 - Q(0.24) \\
&\approx 0.5958.
\end{aligned}$$

In the above expressions, $Q(u)$ is the Q-function $Q(u) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_u^{+\infty} \exp(-\frac{u^2}{2}) du$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_m &= P[Y > \tilde{\gamma}_B | H_1] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\tilde{\gamma}_B}^{\infty} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(y+1)^2) dy \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{\tilde{\gamma}_B+1}^{\infty} \exp(-\frac{1}{2}z^2) dz \\
 &= Q(\tilde{\gamma}_B + 1) \\
 &= Q(\frac{\ln 12}{2} + 1) \\
 &\approx Q(2.24) \\
 &\approx 0.0125
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{C}_{\min} &= \frac{1}{3}(P_f + 12 \cdot P_m) \\
 &= \frac{1}{3}[0.5958 + 12 \cdot 0.0125] \\
 \bar{C}_{\min} &\approx 0.2485
 \end{aligned}$$

