

New C_r Inequality ${}_m C_r$ with Unequal Weightage to the Random Variables

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Abstract: In this ${}_m C_r$ inequality we can give unequal weightage to the random variables. As a special case we can get the Classic- C_r inequality if $m=r \geq 1$

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INTRODUCTION

The Classic- C_r inequality in L_r space usually stated as follows:

X and Y are random variables,

If $E|X|^r, E|Y|^r$ is both finite then $E|X+Y|^r$ is also finite.

$$C_r[E|X|^r+E|Y|^r] \geq E|X+Y|^r$$

$$\text{Where } C_r = 2^{r-1} \quad \text{if } r \geq 1 \\ = 1 \quad \text{if } 0 < r < 1$$

where $E|X|^r$ is Expectation of $|X|^r$

The above inequality is limited to give equal weightages to both the random variables as 2^{r-1} if $r \geq 1$. And is limited to give weightages as the powers of two only. In this paper I formulated an inequality to give unequal weightage to the random variables.

${}_m C_r$ inequality in $L_{r,m}$ space stated as follows:

X and Y are random variables,

If $E|X|^r, E|Y|^r$ is both finite then $E|X+Y|^r$ is also finite.

$$(1+m/r)^{r-1} E|X|^r + (1+r/m)^{r-1} E|Y|^r \geq E|X+Y|^r \quad m, r \geq 1$$

$$C_{1,r,m} E|X|^r + C_{2,r,m} E|Y|^r \geq E|X+Y|^r$$

$$\text{Where, } C_{1,r,m} = (1+m/r)^{r-1}$$

$$C_{2,r,m} = (1+r/m)^{r-1}$$

$$C_{1,r,m} / C_{2,r,m} = (m/r)^{r-1}$$

if $m/r < 1$ more weightage to random variable Y

$m/r = 1$ Same weightage to both the Random variables

$m/r > 1$ more weightage to random variable X

The proof follows similar way as **classic C_r inequality** derived but with some more generalized function.

PROOF

Let us consider a more generalized function

$$F(p) = [(mp)^r / m + \{r(1-p)\}^r / r] \quad (1)$$

where $m, r \geq 1$ and $0 < p < 1$

$$F'(p) = r(mp)^{r-1} - r(1-p)^{r-1}$$

Where $F'(p)$ is the first derivative of $F(p)$ with respect p

Let $F'(p)=0$

We get $p^*=r/(r+m)$

After substituting $p^*= r/(r+m)$ in $F''(p)$, We get $F''(p^*)>0$ it means the point $p^*= r/(r+m)$ is an absolute minimum point of the given function. So, the minimum value of the function after substituting minimum point in (1) we get

$$F(p^*) = [mr/(m+r)]^{r-1}$$

$$\text{So, } F(p) \geq [mr/(m+r)]^{r-1}$$

Consider $A=|X|, B=|Y|$

$$p = X/(|X|+|Y|) \text{ Substitute in equation (1)}$$

Then after doing a little bit algebraic manipulations equation (1) boils down to

$$m^{r-1} |X|^r + r^{r-1} |Y|^r \geq (|X|+|Y|)^r [mr/(m+r)]^{r-1} \tag{2}$$

We can modify right side of inequality (2) by using Triangular Inequality of Modulus.

$$\text{We know that } |X+Y| \leq |X|+|Y| \Rightarrow |X+Y|^r \leq (|X|+|Y|)^r$$

Then the equation (2) will change into

$$m^{r-1} |X|^r + r^{r-1} |Y|^r \geq |X+Y|^r [mr/(m+r)]^{r-1}$$

Now take the Expectation on both sides of inequality then

$$m^{r-1} E|X|^r + r^{r-1} E|Y|^r \geq [mr/(m+r)]^{r-1} E|X+Y|^r$$

after rearranging coefficients of Expectations, we get the following form in $L_{r,m}$ space where $m, r \geq 1$

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$$C_{1,r,m} E|X|^r + C_{2,r,m} E|Y|^r \geq E|X+Y|^r$$

$$\text{Where, } C_{1,r,m} = (1+m/r)^{r-1} \quad C_{2,r,m} = (1+r/m)^{r-1}$$

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The special case of mC_r inequality is Classic- C_r inequality if $m=r \geq 1$

$$C_{1,r} = 2^{r-1} = C_{2,r}$$

$$2^{r-1} [E|X|^r + E|Y|^r] \geq E|X+Y|^r.$$

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