

Cluster sampling with PPS

Jobs example continued

After creating a cumulative range to go with the data, we select four random numbers between 0 and 99. They are 22, 35, 58, and 65, so we select companies 1, 2, 5, and 7. Here are the calculations:

Company	employees	new jobs	\bar{y}_i	$M\bar{y}_i$
1	30	2.0	$2/30 = .0667$	6.67
2	10	.7	$.7/10 = .07$	7.0
5	5	.4	$.4/5 = .08$	8.0
7	5	.4	$.4/5 = .08$	8.0

Then

$$\hat{\tau}_{pps} = \frac{M}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{y}_i = \frac{100}{4} [.2967] = 7.42 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n M\bar{y}_i$$

To calculate $\hat{V}(\hat{\tau}_{pps})$, use $\hat{\mu}_{pps} = \frac{1}{M}\hat{\tau}_{pps}$ and $\sum(\bar{y}_i - \hat{\mu}_{pps})^2 = .000142$:

$$\hat{V}(\hat{\tau}_{pps}) = \frac{M^2}{n(n-1)} \sum(\bar{y}_i - \hat{\mu}_{pps})^2 = \frac{100^2}{4(3)} (.000142) = .118$$

So the bound is $B = .688$. Note that

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{V}(\hat{\tau}_{pps}) &= \frac{M^2}{n(n-1)} \sum(\bar{y}_i - \hat{\mu}_{pps})^2 = \frac{1}{n} \left[\frac{\sum(M\bar{y}_i - M\hat{\mu}_{pps})^2}{n-1} \right] = \frac{1}{n} \left[\frac{\sum(\hat{\tau}_i - \hat{\tau}_{pps})^2}{n-1} \right] \\ &= \frac{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\tau}}^2}{n} \end{aligned}$$