

Expt No : 12

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Hypothetical using Z-Test

Objective : To test whether the average weight of a person species of birds differs from 150 grams.

Procedure :

1. Null Hypothesis (H_0) : The average weight of the birds is 150 gram.
2. Alternative Hypothesis (H_1) : The average weight of the birds is not 150 gram.
3. Sample : Measure the weights of 30 birds randomly selected from the population.
4. Z-Test : Conduct a Z-Test to compare the sample mean to 150 gram.
5. Decision ~~Test~~ Rule : Use a significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$.

Program:

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import numpy as np
import scipy.stats as stats

sample_data = np.array([152, 148, 151, 149, 147, 153,
                        150, 146, 152, 149, 151, 150, 149, 152,
                        151, 148, 150, 152, 149, 150, 148, 152,
                        151, 150, 149, 152, 148, 151, 150, 153])

population_mean = 150

sample_mean = np.mean(sample_data)

sample_std = np.std(sample_data, ddof=1)

n = len(sample_data)

z_statistic = (sample_mean - population_mean) /
               (sample_std / np.sqrt(n))

p_value = 2 * (1 - stats.norm.cdf(np.abs(z_statistic)))

print(f"Sample mean: {sample_mean:.2f}")
print(f"z-statistic: {z_statistic:.4f}")
print(f"p-value: {p_value:.4f}")

alpha = 0.05

if p_value < alpha:
    print("Reject null hypothesis: The average weight is significantly different from 150 grams.")
else:
    print("Fail to reject the null hypothesis: There is no significant difference in average weight from 150 grams.")
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Output :

Sample Mean: 150.20

Z-Statistic: 0.6406

P-Value: 0.5218

Fail to reject the null hypothesis: There is no significant difference in average weight from 150 grams.

Result:

The calculated Z-statistic is 0.6406 with a p-value of 0.5215. Since the p-value > 0.05 we fail to reject the null hypothesis. Hence there is no significant difference.