

Assignment - 5

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A car company believes that the percentage of resident in city ABC that owns a vehicle is 60% or less. A sales manager disagrees with this. He conducts a hypothesis testing survey of 250 resident and found that 170 responded 'yes' to owning a vehicle.

- State the null & alternate hypothesis.
- At 10% significance level is the ~~enough~~ enough evidence to support the idea that vehicle ownership in city ABC is 60% or less.

Ans

a) (Null hypothesis) $H_0: P_0 \leq 60\%$

(Alternate Hypothesis) $= H_1: P_1 > 60\%$

$$q_0 = 1 - p_0 = 1 - 0.6 = 0.4 = 40\%$$

$$n = 250$$

$$x = 170$$

$$\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n} = \frac{170}{250}$$

$$= 0.68$$

Z-test with proportion -

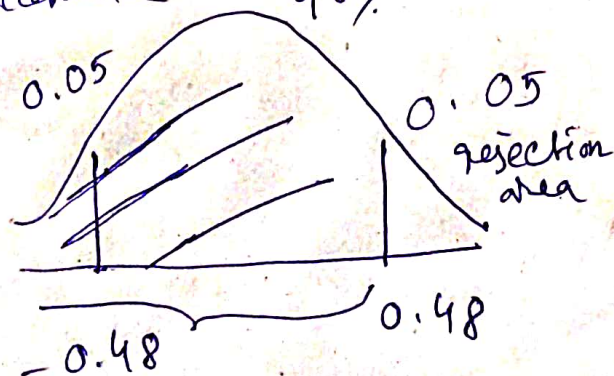
$$\begin{aligned}
 Z_{\text{test}} &= \frac{\hat{p} - p_0}{\sqrt{\frac{p_0 q_0}{n}}} \\
 &= \frac{0.68 - 0.6}{\sqrt{\frac{0.6 \times 0.4}{250}}} \\
 &= \frac{.08}{\sqrt{\frac{0.6 \times 0.4}{250}}} \\
 &= \frac{.08}{\sqrt{0.00096}} \\
 &= \frac{.08}{0.030} = 2.66
 \end{aligned}$$

Significance level = 10 %

So $\alpha = .1$

$\frac{1 - .1}{2} = .9$

acceptance area 90%



Conclusion - $2.66 > 0.48$ So we need to reject the null hypothesis.