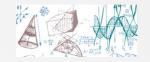




Introduction to probability, statistics and data handling

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Test Results	Reality	
	Pregnant (=1)	Not Pregnant (=0)
Positive (=1)	Number of True Positives (TP)	Number of False Positives (FP)
Negative (=0)	Number of False Negatives (FN)	Number of True Negatives (TN)



What can happen?

- No matter what we do, in real life we are never going to know for certain that we made the right choice or we in fact made one of the errors
- Remember Type I is to **REJECT** the null when it is true and Type II is **NOT TO REJECT** the null when it is false in reality
- Let's start from a generic (and easy) example, then we try to make a number of general statements and we get back to some more examples...
- Say, we are testing (for normal distribution) the following: H_0 : $\mu = 14 \, H_1$: $\mu > 14$
- \square After applying our "procedure" we decided to reject the hypo at significance level $\alpha=0.05$
- ☐ Either of the two happened: **the null is wrong** and we did good or the **null is true** and we made a Type I error



What can happen?

- After applying our "procedure" we decided to accept the hypo at significance level $\alpha=0.05$
- ☐ Either of the two happened: **the null is ok** and we make a good decision or the **null is false** and we made a Type II error
- Is it a bit confusing...? Yes, and we can summarise this using the CONFUSION MATRIX – now you know why we use this name...

Ground truth

	H_0 is false	H_0 is true
Reject	Super	Type I error
Do not reject	Type II error	Super

Conclusions using data

Note, using data we in fact make calculations, the ground truth remains, however, unknown...



A trial example

- ☐/This is a classic example: criminal trial
 - H_0 : not guilty (no crime), H_1 : guilty(criminal)
- In a typical jurisdiction system we have a rule "not guilty until proven otherwise", so we need to have very strong evidences to convict
- Type I: rule guilty when in reality a person is innocent
- Type II: not guilty when a person committed a crime
- Definitely, we want to make sure, that we never convict an innocent person (well, in real life we do...)
- What we can do we should decrease the possibility of making Type I error as much as possible



Significance and power

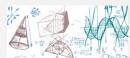
The probability of **Type I error is called the significance level** of the statistical test (we know that already), we write this as

$$P(Type\ I\ error|H_0) = \alpha$$

- Usually we start the test procedure by setting the value of α
- \square /Now, we call the probability of making a Type II error as β
 - There is a complication it is much harder to define this error, it depend on the true value of the testing parameter, the size of the data sample and on the significance level itself!
- ☐ The POWER of a statistical test is the probability of rejecting the null hypothesis when it is false, we write

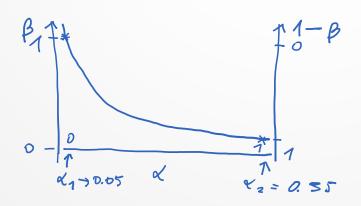
$$\mathcal{R} = 1 - P(Type\ II\ error) = 1 - \beta$$

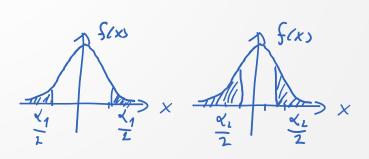
The power depends on β – and we still do not know how to calculate it...



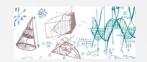
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- \square /There is some intuitive understanding about β .
 - So, why not pick-up some very, very tiny value for the significance? The critical region would be very small, thus we would make almost impossible to reject the null hypo. We also say, that the efficiency of the selection is very high, but the probability of making the Type II error will also be very high (or we say, the purity of the selection is low)
- Conversely, for the large values of α the probability of Type II errors will go down
- Also, from this discussion you should start to understand, that the dependency is not trivial (i.e., it is not just some linear function or such)





Examples!



Let's start calculating something!

Ex. 1 Say, we consider a sampling from a normal distribution with known variance $\sigma=18$, the size of the data sample n=36. Our hypos

$$H_0$$
: $\mu = 40$, H_1 : $\mu < 40$

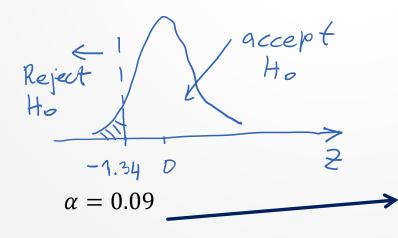
We set the significance of the test: $\alpha = 0.09$ and our test statistics is

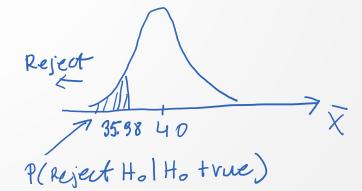
$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}}$$

The critical region

$$\bar{X} = \mu_0 + Z \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 40 + \frac{18}{\sqrt{36}}(-1.34)$$

$$\bar{X} = 35.98$$







Examples!

Now, what if the true mean is $\mu = 33$? What is the Type II error in this case?

$$P(Accept H_0 | \mu = 33)$$

We reject the H_0 hypo if the mean is less than 35.98, so the Type II error will occur with the probability

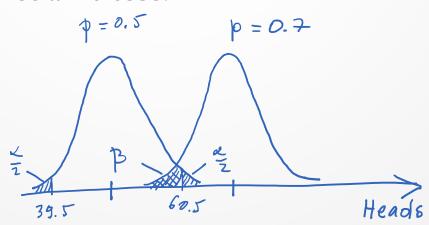
$$P(\bar{X} > 35.98 \mid H_1) = P(\bar{X} > 35.98 \mid \mu = 33)$$

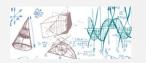
Depends on the sample size and sample size alternative! alternative!

$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}} = \frac{35.98 - 33}{18/6} = \frac{2.98}{3} = 0.99 \to P(Z > 0.99 \mid H_1) = 0.16$$

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- Note, that when we calculate power and probability of the Type II error we use the alternative hypothesis we say the calculations are done under the alternative hypothesis
- **Ex. 2** Let's go back to the example with the coin (last lecture) we mentioned the possibility of accepting it if the true probability of heads is p=0.7. This time we calculate the exact value of the probability of accepting the null hypo (i.e., the coin is fair)
- Our hypos are: H_0 : p = 0.5, H_1 : p = 0.7
- The numbers we worked out: for the sample of **100 tosses**, we accept the null if we get between **39.5 and 60.5 heads**. This gave us, in turn, the significance $\alpha = 0.0358$.





Examples

- The right-hand side distribution represent 100 tosses with the probability of getting head set to 0.7
- Let's work out the probability of the Type II error

$$\mu_1 = np = 100 \cdot 0.7 = 70$$
, $\sigma_1 = \sqrt{npq} = 4.58$

Now, we need to translate the critical points of the null hypo into Z-score for the alternative hypo

$$z_{+/-}^{(1)} = \frac{h_{+/-} - \mu_1}{\sigma_1} \rightarrow z_{+}^{(1)} = \frac{60.5 - 70}{4.58} = -2.07, z_{-}^{(1)} = \dots = -6.66$$

$$\beta = P(-6.66 \le z_1 \le -2.07 | H_1) = 0.019$$

- □ There are slim chances, we accept the null (the coin is fair) when it is loaded with the probability of getting heads 0.7
- There is more to this example... When discussing the C.I. we just picked two values for heads and checked the probability from this we were able to get the significance level we say the decision rule was given



- Mining disasters (more than 10 victims) registered in a country in Europe were studied between 15 Mar 1851 and 22 Mar 1962
- Total of 191 accidents occurred that is a lot...
- □ The first accident after the 15 Mar 1851 occurred 157 days after. Say, we stopped the study after the second accident. We would then obtain a single observation on a R.V. X. For this discussion we assume that it follows the exponential distribution
- We have now an estimate on the mean time interval expected between accidents
- Again it would be really useful to be able to define an interval of confidence for this average time between disasters

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Exponential distribution

- Let's evaluate the C.I. for the mining accidents example
- We assumed that the R.V. T follows the exponential model, we have a single observation of t=157 days
- □ We ask for $C.L. = 100(1 \alpha)\% = 90\%$, $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}\alpha = 0.05$

$$P(T \le t) = 1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\mu}} = 0.05 \to \frac{t}{\mu} = -\ln(0.95) \to \mu_{+} = 3060 \text{ (days)}$$

$$P(T \ge t) = e^{-\frac{t}{\mu}} = 0.05 \to \frac{t}{\mu} = -\ln(0.05) \to \mu_{-} = 52.4 \ (days)$$

As another summary we should stress, that evaluation of the
 C.I. requires: data sample, a model (to evaluate probabilities)
 and the parameter we want to evaluate



Remainder

- \square If σ is not known and is determined based on data:
 - for big samples n > 30 we may estimate σ with a fair accuracy by its unbiased estimator:

$$\sigma \approx S^* = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

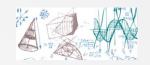
so the two-sided (symetric) interval is:

$$\left(\bar{x} - z(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2})\frac{S^*}{\sqrt{n}}, \ \bar{x} + z(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2})\frac{S^*}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

• if the sample is not too numerous we introduce t RV:

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{S} \sqrt{n - 1} = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{S^*} \sqrt{n} \qquad S^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_i - \bar{X})^2$$

$$\bar{X} - t(1 - \frac{1}{2}\alpha, n - 1)\frac{S}{\sqrt{n-1}} < \mu < \bar{X} + t(1 - \frac{1}{2}\alpha, n - 1)\frac{S}{\sqrt{n-1}}$$



Examples - C.I.

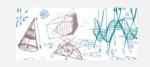
- **Ex. 4** A sample of N = 10 measurements of the diameter of a ball bearing gave a mean $\bar{d} = 10.731 \ cm$ and a standard deviation $s = 0.147 \ cm$. Find (a) 95% and (b) 99% c.i. for the actual diameter.
 - a) In this case the confidence interval is given by: $C.I. = \bar{X} \pm t_{0.975} \frac{S}{\sqrt{N-1}}$. And since the sample size N=10, the number of degrees of freedom is: v=10-1=9:

$$C.I._{0.975}^{(d)} = 10.731 \pm 2.26 \frac{0.147}{\sqrt{9}} = 10.731 \pm 0.11 cm$$

b) Now, the 99% confidence interval: $t_{c(0.995)} = 3.25$ for v = 10 - 1 = 9:

$$C.I._{0.995}^{(d)} = 10.731 \pm 3.25 \frac{0.147}{\sqrt{9}} = 10.731 \pm 0.159 cm$$

Note the precision of the measurement – we use a very accurate device (but that makes perfect sense – ball bearing may be a critical component of an aircraft engine).



Sample variance

If $\{X_1, X_2, \dots X_n\}$ denote R.Vs for a random sample of size n, the R.V. giving the variance of the sample (the sample variance) is defined as:

$$S^{2} = \frac{1}{n} [(X_{1} - \bar{X})^{2} + (X_{2} - \bar{X})^{2} + \dots + (X_{n} - \bar{X})^{2}]$$

- We already know, that $E[\bar{X}] = \mu$, is this the same for $E[S^2] = \sigma^2$?
 - A little digression whenever the expected value of a statistics is
 equal to the corresponding population parameter, we call this statistics an unbiased estimator. Its value is then an unbiased estimate of the respective parameter
- Unfortunately, it can be proved that for the sample variance, we have some bias: n-1

$$E[S^2] = \mu_{S^2} = \frac{n-1}{n}\sigma^2$$

However, an unbiased variance estimator $\hat{\sigma}^2$, based on data, is easy to find:

$$\hat{S}^2 \equiv \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{n}{n-1} S^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \left[(X_1 - \overline{X})^2 + (X_2 - \overline{X})^2 + \dots + (X_n - \overline{X})^2 \right]$$

for large samples the diffrenece between S^2 and \hat{S}^2 is small. S^2 is unbiased for normal variance,



Sampling dist. of variances (lab)

With such unbiased estimator, we have:

$$E[\hat{S}^2] = \sigma^2$$

- In order to create the sampling distribution of variances we do exactly the same as for the SDoM, we take all the possible samples of size n, that can be drawn from a population and calculate their variances
- One change is, that instead of looking directly at the distribution of the sample variance, we look at the R.V.:

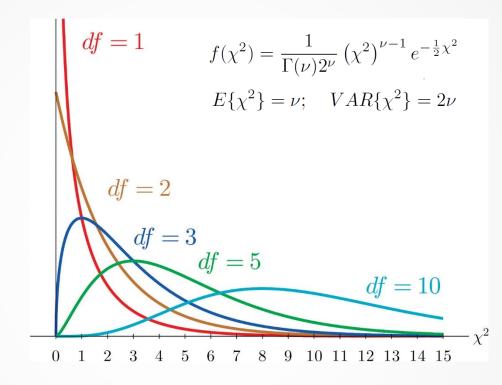
$$\chi^{2} \equiv \frac{nS^{2}}{\sigma^{2}} = \frac{(n-1)\hat{S}^{2}}{\sigma^{2}} = \frac{(X_{1} - \bar{X})^{2} + (X_{2} - \bar{X})^{2} + \dots + (X_{n} - \bar{X})^{2}}{\sigma^{2}}$$

new RV: χ^2 = (coefficient) x sum of random variables) what is the μ and σ of this new RV?

Theorem 6. If a random samples of size n are taken from a population having a normal distribution, than the sampling variable $\frac{nS^2}{\sigma^2}$ has a χ^2 distribution with n-1 degrees of freedom



χ^2 distribution (lab)



- This is another very popular distribution in Statistics!
- The mathematical formula describing it is quite complex, again we are going to use tabulated values when solving problems!



C.I. for the variance

- Imagine that a company is delivering composite fibres for aircraft wings. In that case a great care should be taken to produce fibres that do not vary too much in tensile strength (expressed in kg)
- A sample of 10 fibres were taken and tested, the results were as follow $\bar{x} = 150.72 \ kg$ and $s^2 = 37.75 \ kg^2$. Our mission is to find a confidence interval for the variance
- We assume that the parent distribution of the fibre strength is normal, thus the sampling distribution of variance should follow the $\chi^2(\nu=n-1)$ distribution

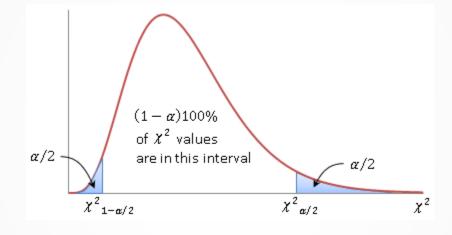
$$\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(\nu = n-1)$$

The χ^2 is a family of curves and for increasing number of degrees of freedom it is getting more and more symmetric



C.I. for the variance

Again, the game is to find critical points using a given model (in this case the chi-squared)



$$P\left(\chi_{c-}^2 \le \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\sigma^2} \le \chi_{c+}^2\right) = 1 - \alpha \to \chi_{c-}^2 = q_{\frac{1}{2}\alpha}, \chi_{c+}^2 = q_{1-\frac{1}{2}\alpha}$$

$$P\left(\frac{(n-1)S^2}{\chi_{c+}^2} \le \sigma^2 \le \frac{(n-1)S^2}{\chi_{c-}^2}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$C.I._{100\cdot(1-\alpha)\%}^{\chi^{2}(v)} = \left(\frac{(n-1)S^{2}}{\chi_{c+}^{2}}, \frac{(n-1)S^{2}}{\chi_{c-}^{2}}\right)$$



C.I. for the variance

- Getting back to the fibre strength example, we are searching for $C.I._{90\%}^{\chi^2(9)}$, the critical points (from tables) $\chi_{5\%}^2=3.325$ and $\chi_{95\%}^2=16.919$ for $\chi^2(\nu=9)$ distribution
- Our probability statement then is

$$P\left(3.325 \le \frac{9s^2}{\sigma^2} \le 16.919\right) = 0.9$$

$$C.I._{90\%}^{\chi^{2}(9)} = \left(\frac{(n-1)S^{2}}{\chi_{c+}^{2}}, \frac{(n-1)S^{2}}{\chi_{c-}^{2}}\right) = \left(\frac{9s^{2}}{16.919}, \frac{9s^{2}}{3.325}\right)$$
$$= (0.53s^{2}, 2.71s^{2}) = \cdots$$

For the timer example, this would give us

$$C.I._{90\%}^{\chi^2(10)} = \left(\frac{10 \cdot 3.12}{18.307}, \frac{10 \cdot 3.12}{3.247}\right) = (1.70, 9.38)$$



Examples – C.I.

$$\chi_{0.025}^2 \le \frac{(n-1)\widehat{S}^2}{\sigma^2} \le \chi_{0.975}^2$$

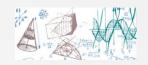
- **Ex. 7** The standard deviation of heights of 16 male students chosen at random in a school of 1000 male students yielded: $s = 5.9 \, cm$. Find (a) 95% and (b) 99% c.i. of the standard deviation for all male students at this school. Assume that height is normally distributed.
 - □ The critical values in this case are: $S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.975}}$ and $S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.025}}$.
 - \square From a table for v = 15:

$$\chi^2_{0.975} = 27.5 \rightarrow \chi_{0.975} = 5.24$$
 and $\chi^2_{0.025} = 6.26 \rightarrow \chi_{0.975} = 2.50$

$$C.I._{0.975}^{(s)} = S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.025}} < s < S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.975}} = 4.9 < s < 9.4 cm$$

☐ The 99% c.i.:

$$C.I._{0.975}^{(s)} = S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.005}} < s < S \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\chi_{0.995}} = 4.1 < s < 11.0 cm$$



χ^2 for fitting

- $\sqrt{\chi^2}$ distribution should be always associated with a RV which describes the dispersion of the square of the deviations of a an RV around a fixed point.
- \square Now: what if the point is the "TRUE" expected value of X, i.e. μ_X ?

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(X_i - E\{X\})^2}{\sigma^2} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(X_i - \mu_X)^2}{\sigma^2}$$

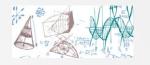
has a χ^2 distribution with $\nu = n$ (!) degrees of freedom

One can use this to determine wheather the data fit a particular distribution.

the test distribution is χ^2 distribution with a test statistic for goodness-of-fit test:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_k \frac{(O_k - E_k)^2}{E_k}$$

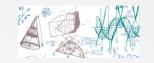
 E_k - TRUE value, for instance from theory or expected based on other very precise measurements



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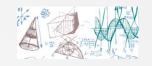
$$\bar{X}_1 \to N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma_1}{\sqrt{n_1}}\right) \qquad \bar{X}_2 \to N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma_2}{\sqrt{n_2}}\right)$$

$$\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 \rightarrow N(0, \sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2))$$

$$(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) \rightarrow N(0, \sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2))$$

$$\sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_2}}$$

$$Z = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_{\bar{X}_1} - \mu_{\bar{X}_2})}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_2}}}$$



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$$\mu_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2} = 0, \sigma_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2} = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_2}} = \sqrt{\frac{64}{40} + \frac{49}{50}} = 1.606$$

$$Z = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_{\bar{X}_1} - \mu_{\bar{X}_2})}{\sigma_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}} = \frac{74 - 78}{1.606} = -2.49$$

$$z_{1,2} = \pm 1.96 \rightarrow H_0$$
 vejected @ 5%

p-value: $P(Z \le -2.49) + P(Z \ge 2.49) = 0.0128$

we can use z-scores for normal distribution (big sample)



Examples - C.I.

- **Ex. 6** A sample of 150 brand A light bulbs showed a mean lifetime of 1400 hours and a standard dev. of 120 h. A sample of 200 brand B light bulbs showed the corresponding values of 1200 h and 80 h. Find (a) 95% and (b) 99% *C.I.* for the difference of the mean life-times of the populations of brands A and B.
 - (a) The confidence interval for the difference in means can be written as:

$$\bar{L}_A - \bar{L}_B \pm z_c \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_A^2}{n_A} + \frac{\sigma_B^2}{n_B}} = 1400 - 1200 \pm 1.96 \sqrt{\frac{120^2}{150} + \frac{80^2}{100}} = 200 \pm 24.8 \ h$$

We can be 95% confident that the difference in population means lies between 175 and 225 h

b) And for the 99% C.I.:



- \square What whould be a change if σ is unknown?
- The test statitstics is the same: the difference of means

$$\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 \rightarrow N(0, \sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2))$$

but now $\sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2)$ is estimated:

$$\sigma(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) \to \sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}} \qquad \qquad s_1^2 = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} (X_i - \bar{X}_i)^2 \frac{1}{n_1}$$

$$s_1^2 = \frac{1}{n_1} \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \frac{1}{n_1}$$

and test startistic is t-score:

$$t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_{\bar{X}_1} - \mu_{\bar{X}_2})}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}}$$

$$v = \frac{\left(\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}\right)^2}{\frac{1}{n_1 - 1} \frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2 - 1} \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}$$

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and we need to use t-Student distribution with ν degrees of freedom



☐ How we can compare two independent Population Proportion?

- There are a few assumptions that must be fullfilled:
 - samples should be random and independent
 - number of successes >5

This enables using the normal dist, approximation.

The pooled proportion RV:

the difference:

$$P = \frac{x_A + x_B}{n_A + n_B}$$

$$\Delta_P = P_A' - P_B' \qquad \Delta_P \to N(0, \sigma_\Delta)$$

$$\sigma_{\Delta} = \sqrt{P(1-P)\left(\frac{1}{n_A} + \frac{1}{n_B}\right)}$$

and test statistics (z-score):

$$H_0$$
: $P_A = P_B$, so $\Delta_P = 0$
 H_a : $P_A \neq P_B$, so $\Delta_P \neq 0$

$$Z = \frac{(P_A' - P_B') - (P_A - P_B)}{\sqrt{P(1 - P)\left(\frac{1}{n_A} + \frac{1}{n_B}\right)}}$$



Differences of means: Population Proportion

Example: Two types of valves are being tested to determine if there is a difference in pressure tolerances. Fifteen out of a random sample of 100 of Valve A cracked under 4,500 psi. Six out of a random sample of 100 of Valve B cracked under 4,500 psi. Test at a 5% level of significance.

$$P = \frac{x_A + x_B}{n_A + n_B} = \frac{15 + 6}{100 + 100} = 0.105$$
 $P'_A = \frac{15}{100}$ $P'_B = \frac{6}{100}$

The difference:
$$\Delta_P = P_A' - P_B' = 0.21$$

$$\Delta_P \to N(0, \sigma_{\Delta})$$

$$\sigma_{\Delta} = \sqrt{P(1-P)\left(\frac{1}{n_A} + \frac{1}{n_B}\right)} \qquad Z = \frac{(P_A' - P_B') - (P_A - P_B)}{\sqrt{P(1-P)\left(\frac{1}{n_A} + \frac{1}{n_B}\right)}}$$

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