

## Solutions to Tutorial 10

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7.54 This is the large sample setting.

(a) The alternative hypothesis is the result we intend to establish.

1. *Null hypothesis*  $H_0 : \mu = 2.0$

*Alternative hypothesis*  $H_1 : \mu < 2.0$

2. *Level of significance:*  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

3. *Criterion:* Using a normal approximation for the distribution of the sample mean, we reject the null hypothesis when

$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}} < -z_\alpha.$$

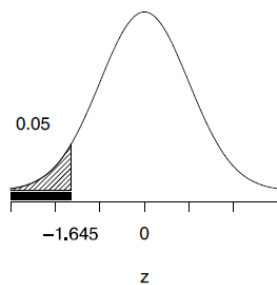
Since  $\alpha = .05$  and  $z_{.05} = 1.645$ , the null hypothesis must be rejected if  $Z < -1.645$ .

4. *Calculations:*  $\mu_0 = 2.0$ ,  $\bar{x} = 1.865$ ,  $s = 1.250$  and  $n = 52$  so

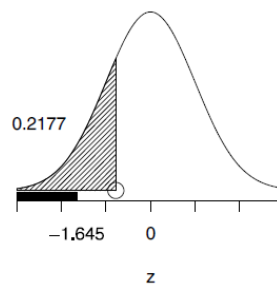
$$Z = \frac{1.865 - 2.0}{1.250/\sqrt{52}} = -0.78$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $-0.78 > -1.645$ , the null hypothesis that  $\mu = 2.0$  is not rejected at level .05. The P-value =  $P[Z < -0.78] = .218$  confirms that the evidence against the null hypothesis,  $\mu = 2.0$ , is absent.

(b) We could have failed to reject the null hypothesis when the mean labor time used is less than 2.0 hours.



(a) Rejection Region



(b) P-value for Exercise 7.54

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(a) The alternative hypothesis is the result we intend to establish.

1. *Null hypothesis*  $H_0 : \mu = 3.6$

*Alternative hypothesis*  $H_1 : \mu < 3.6$

2. *Level of significance:*  $\alpha = 0.025$ .

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3. *Criterion:* Using a normal approximation for the distribution of the sample mean, we reject the null hypothesis when

$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}} < -z_{\alpha}.$$

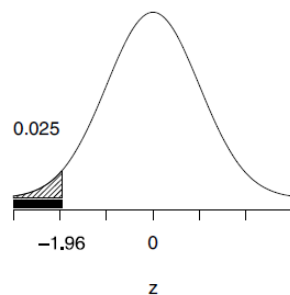
Since  $z_{.025} = 1.96$ , the null hypothesis must be rejected if  $Z < -1.96$ .

4. *Calculations:* The observed  $\bar{x} = 2.467$ ,  $s = 3.057$  and  $n = 45$ . Since  $\mu_0 = 3.6$ ,

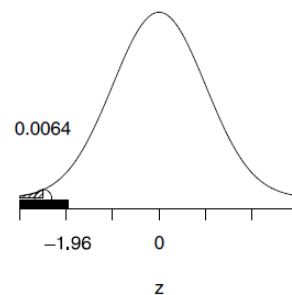
$$Z = \frac{2.467 - 3.6}{3.057/\sqrt{45}} = -2.49$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $-2.49 < -1.96$ , we reject the null hypothesis that  $\mu = 3.6$  at level .025. The P-value =  $P[Z < -2.49] = .006$  confirms that the evidence against the null hypothesis,  $\mu = 3.6$ , is somewhat strong.

- (b) We could have rejected the null hypothesis that the mean number of unremovable defects is 3.6 and falsely concluded that it is less.



(a) Rejection Region



(b) P-value for Exercise 7.55

7.57 This is the small sample setting.

- (a) The alternative hypothesis is the result we intend to establish concerning the key performance indicator.

1. *Null hypothesis*  $H_0 : \mu = 107$

*Alternative hypothesis*  $H_1 : \mu \neq 107$

2. *Level of significance:*  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

3. *Criterion:* The population is normal and the sample size is small so we use the test statistic

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}}$$

Since  $t_{\alpha/2} = t_{.025} = 2.306$ , for  $n - 1 = 9 - 1 = 8$  degrees of freedom, the null hypothesis must be rejected if  $t < -2.306$  or  $t > 2.306$ .

4. *Calculations:*  $\mu_0 = 107$  and we find that  $\bar{x} = 114.0$  and  $s = 8.34$  so

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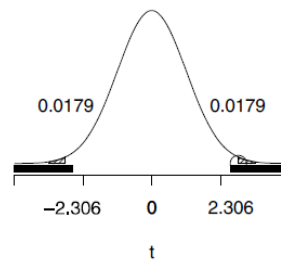
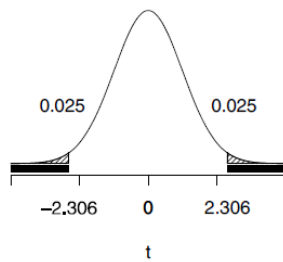
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$$t = \frac{114.0 - 107}{8.34/\sqrt{9}} = 2.52$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $2.52 > 2.306$ , we reject the null hypothesis that  $\mu = 107$  at level .025.

The P-value =  $P[t < -2.52] + P[t > 2.52] = .036$  confirms that the evidence against the null hypothesis,  $\mu = 107$ , is somewhat strong.

(b) We could have rejected the null hypothesis that the mean key performance indicator is 107 and falsely concluded that it is different from 107.



- 7.59 1. *Null hypothesis*  $H_0 : \mu = 1.3$   
*Alternative hypothesis*  $H_1 : \mu > 1.3$

2. *Level of significance:*  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

3. *Criterion:* We Use the large sample normal approximation for the distribution of the sample mean and reject the null hypothesis when

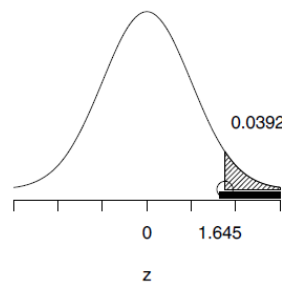
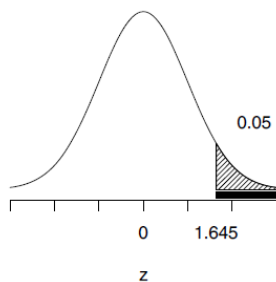
$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}} > z_{\alpha}.$$

Since  $\alpha = .05$  and  $z_{.05} = 1.645$ , the null hypothesis must be rejected if  $Z > 1.645$ .

4. *Calculations:*  $\mu_0 = 1.3$ ,  $\bar{x} = 1.4707$ ,  $s = 0.5235$ , and  $n = 35$

$$Z = \frac{1.4707 - 1.3}{0.5235/\sqrt{29}} = 1.76$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $1.76 > 1.645$ , the null hypothesis that  $\mu = 1.3$  is rejected. at level .05. The P-value =  $P[Z > 1.76] = .039$  as shown in the figure. The evidence against the null hypothesis,  $\mu = 1.3$ , is moderately strong.



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7.60 1. Null hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = 1000$

Alternative hypothesis  $H_1 : \mu > 1000$

2. Level of significance:  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

3. Criterion: Since the sample is large, we will use the normal approximation to the distribution of the mean substituting  $S$  for  $\sigma$ . We reject the null hypothesis when

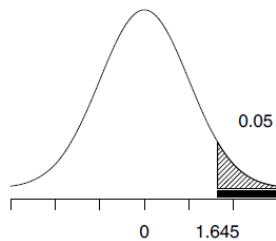
$$Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}} > z_{\alpha}.$$

Since  $\alpha = .05$  and  $z_{.05} = 1.645$ , the null hypothesis must be rejected if  $Z > 1.645$ .

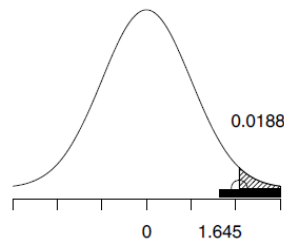
4. Calculations:  $\mu_0 = 1000$ ,  $\bar{x} = 1038$ ,  $s = 146$ , and  $n = 64$

$$Z = \frac{1038 - 1000}{146/\sqrt{64}} = 2.08$$

5. Decision: Because  $2.08 > 1.645$ , the null hypothesis that  $\mu = 1000$  is rejected. at level .05. The P-value =  $P[Z > 2.08] = .019$  as shown in the figure. The evidence against the null hypothesis,  $\mu = 1000$ , is quite strong.



(a) Rejection region



(b) P-value for Exercise 7.60

7.61 1. Null hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = 30.0$

Alternative hypothesis  $H_1 : \mu \neq 30.0$

2. Level of significance:  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

3. Criterion: Since the sample is small, we can not use the normal approximation. If it is reasonable to assume that the data are from a distribution that is nearly normal, we can use the  $t$  statistic

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}}$$

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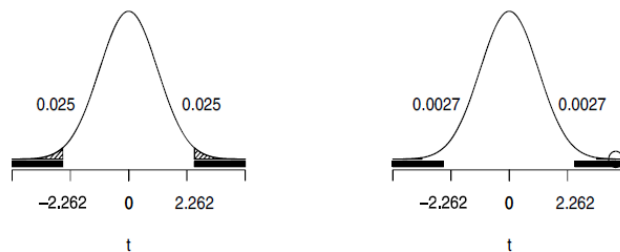
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Since the alternative hypothesis is two-sided, the critical region is defined by  $t < -t_{.025}$  or  $t > t_{.025}$  where  $t_{.025}$  with 9 degrees of freedom is 2.262.

4. *Calculations:*  $\mu_0 = 30.0$ ,  $\bar{x} = 30.91$ ,  $s = .778$ , and  $n = 10$  so

$$t = \frac{30.91 - 30.0}{.778/\sqrt{10}} = 3.652$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $3.652 > 2.262$ , we reject the null hypothesis at the .05 level of significance and conclude that the mean thickness of paper is different from 30.0mm. A computer calculation gives the The P-value =  $P[t < -3.652] + P[t > 3.652] = .0054$  in the figure.



(a) Rejection region      (b) P-value for Exercise 7.61

- 7.63 1. *Null hypothesis*  $H_0 : \mu = 14.0$   
*Alternative hypothesis*  $H_1 : \mu \neq 14.0$

2. *Level of significance:*  $\alpha = 0.05$ .
3. *Criterion:* Assuming the population is normal, we can use the  $t$  statistic.

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{S/\sqrt{n}}$$

Since the alternative hypothesis is two-sided, the critical region is defined by  $t < -t_{.025}$  or  $t > t_{.025}$  where  $t_{.025}$  with 4 degrees of freedom is 2.776.

4. *Calculations:* In this case,  $\mu_0 = 14.0$ ,  $n = 5$ ,  $\bar{x} = 14.4$  and  $s = .158$  so

$$t = \frac{14.4 - 14.0}{.158/\sqrt{5}} = 5.66.$$

5. *Decision:* Because  $5.66 > 2.776$ , we reject the null hypothesis in favor of the alternative hypothesis  $\mu \neq 14.0$  at the .05 level of significance. From the  $t$ -table, the  $P$ -value is less than .005. A computer program gives the  $P$ -value 0.0048 in the figure.

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- 7.66 (a) The value 320 nm is outside of the 95 % confidence interval. Consequently, at level  $\alpha = 0.05$ , we reject the null hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = 320$  in favor of the two-sided alternative.
- (b) The value 310 nm lies inside the 95 % confidence interval. Consequently, at level  $\alpha = 0.05$ , we fail to reject the null hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = 320$ .
- (c) If  $\alpha = 0.02$  the confidence interval would be centered at the same value but would be even wider. Therefore the value 310 nm also lies inside the 98 % confidence interval. At level  $\alpha = 0.02$ , we fail to reject the null hypothesis  $H_0 : \mu = 320$ .