

Assignment 6: Testing Covid Hypothesis

Objective

To get understanding and hands-on practice in formulating and testing hypotheses by means of statistical instruments.

To get skills in solving Data Science tasks in multifeatured environment:

- working with real data set,
- pre-processing it in MS Excel,
- analyzing it in a programming language, like Python, and
- sharing the results in Peergrade.

Tasks

Test the following null hypothesis: Covid infection spreads randomly and similarly in big Danish cities such as Copenhagen and Aarhus.

Recommendations:

1. Download the file `municipality_cases.xlsx` from our Github repo.
2. Copy the columns Copenhagen and Aarhus or any other two or more columns in another tab.
3. Create diagrams to compare the values visually.
4. Process the data in both Excel and Python or another programming language.
 - a. Compute t-value for both data sets.
 - b. Select p-value and degrees of freedom for the test.
 - c. Make t-test using the t-table.
5. Share the result with us on Peergrade.

For t-test, use thee instructions below.

<p>t-Test</p> <p>For each set compute</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> mean \bar{X}<input type="checkbox"/> std deviation - S<input type="checkbox"/> variance $V = S^2$<input type="checkbox"/> t-value	<p>Calculation of t-value</p> $t - value = \frac{signal}{noise}$ $signal = \bar{X}_c - \bar{X}_a $ $noise = \sqrt{\frac{V_c}{n_c} + \frac{V_a}{n_a}}$ $V_c = S_c^2 \quad V_a = S_a^2$
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