

SECTION C

5. (a) A drug company is interested in assessing the research question: is the proportion of patients who are cured with drug A different from the natural recovery rate of 50%? The regulatory requirement is for a 95% confidence interval width for the estimate of population proportion to be no more than 4%. The company takes a sample of 1000 individuals treated with drug A, and records that 475 of them were cured. They also record a number of other characteristics of the patients for use in future hypothesis tests. They then perform a one-tailed t-test for the null hypothesis that the population proportion is less than or equal to 0.50. They use a significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.
- (i) Following the approach of the drug company as described above, calculate the test statistic for this hypothesis test.
 - (ii) Critically evaluate the drug companies approach to answering their research question.
- (b) A number of graphical methods exist for the assessment of a simple linear model. Choose THREE (3) of these and for each one
- (i) describe the method's purpose and draw an example of a graph that would not indicate issues with the model.
 - (ii) draw an example of a graph that would indicate possible issues with the model.
 - (iii) For each of your graphs in (b)(ii) explain why a simple linear model might produce a graph with such an appearance.

[33 marks]

6. (a) Suppose we model the time until the next phone call as an exponential random variable. If the chance of my getting a call during the next hour is 0.5. What is the probability that I will get a call during the next two hours?
- (b) Mike and Tom are playing a game. Suppose the score is tied and a player wins the game when they get two points ahead of the other. Suppose the probability that Mike wins a point is p , and each point is assumed to be independent. What is the probability that Mike wins the game?
- (c) Consider two events A and B with $0 < \mathbb{P}(A) < 1$ and $0 < \mathbb{P}(B) < 1$.
- (i) Suppose A and B are disjoint events. Can they be independent? Justify your answer.
- (ii) Suppose $A \subset B$. Can they be independent?
- (d) At Trinity College Dublin, 4% of men are over 200 pounds in weight and 1% of women are over 200 pounds. Women account for 60% of the total student population, and men account for 40%. If a randomly selected student is over 200 pounds in weight, what is the probability that the student is a woman?
- (e) Suppose a random integer N is picked from 1 to 3 with the three possibilities being equally likely. Another integer M is then randomly picked from N to 3 with the $4 - N$ possibilities being equally likely. What is the probability that M will be 3?

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Linear Algebra

- The cross product of two vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 is defined by

$$\mathbf{x} \times \mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2 \\ x_3 y_1 - x_1 y_3 \\ x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

where \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} are elements in \mathbb{R}^3 .

- Given a point P (with coordinates (p_1, p_2, p_3)) in a plane and a vector \mathbf{n} in \mathbb{R}^3 that is normal to the plane, the implicit equation of the plane is

$$n_1(x - p_1) + n_2(y - p_2) + n_3(z - p_3) = 0.$$

- Given a point P with coordinates (p_1, p_2, p_3) in a plane and two vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} that lie in the plane, the parametric equation of the plane is

$$\begin{aligned} x &= p_1 + u_1 s + v_1 t \\ y &= p_2 + u_2 s + v_2 t \\ z &= p_3 + u_3 s + v_3 t \end{aligned}$$

where $-\infty < s < \infty$ and $-\infty < t < \infty$.

- Given a point P with coordinates (p_1, p_2, p_3) on a line and a vector \mathbf{u} that is parallel to the line, the implicit equation of the line is given by the symmetric equations

$$\frac{x - p_1}{u_1} = \frac{y - p_2}{u_2} = \frac{z - p_3}{u_3}$$

- Given a point P with coordinates (p_1, p_2, p_3) on a line and a vector \mathbf{u} that is parallel to the line, the parametric equation of the line is

$$\begin{aligned} x &= p_1 + u_1 t \\ y &= p_2 + u_2 t \\ z &= p_3 + u_3 t \end{aligned}$$

where $-\infty < t < \infty$.

- Orthogonal projection of \mathbf{u} on \mathbf{a} :

$$\text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}} \mathbf{u} = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{\|\mathbf{a}\|^2} \mathbf{a}$$

Vector component of \mathbf{u} orthogonal to \mathbf{a} :

$$\mathbf{u} - \text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}} \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u} - \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{a}}{\|\mathbf{a}\|^2} \mathbf{a}$$

Calculus

Differentiation

$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
x^n	nx^{n-1}
$\ln x$	$\frac{1}{x}$
e^x	e^x
e^{ax}	ae^{ax}
a^x	$a^x \ln a$
$\cos x$	$-\sin x$
$\sin x$	$\cos x$
$\tan x$	$\sec^2 x$
$\cos^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}}$
$\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}}$
$\tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$	$\frac{a}{a^2 + x^2}$

Product Rule for Differentiation

$$y = uv, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$$

Quotient Rule for Differentiation

$$y = \frac{u}{v}, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$$

Chain Rule for Differentiation

$$y = u(v(x)), \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du}{dv} \frac{dv}{dx}$$

Integration

Constants of integration omitted.

$f(x)$	$\int f'(x)$
$x^n, (n \neq -1)$	$\frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$
$\frac{1}{x}$	$\ln x$
e^x	e^x
e^{ax}	$\frac{1}{a} e^{ax}$
$a^x (a > 0)$	$\frac{a^x}{\ln a}$
$\cos x$	$\sin x$
$\sin x$	$-\cos x$
$\tan x$	$\ln \sec x $
$\cos^2 x$	$\frac{1}{2} \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x \right)$
$\sin^2 x$	$\frac{1}{2} \left(x - \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x \right)$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} (a > 0)$	$\sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$
$\frac{1}{x^2 + a^2} (a > 0)$	$\frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$
$\frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}$	$\frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}$	$\ln \left \frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}{a} \right $
$\frac{1}{a^2 - x^2}$	$\frac{1}{2a} \ln \left \frac{a+x}{a-x} \right $
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}$	$\ln \left \frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}{a} \right $

Integration by parts

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

Tautologies

1. $P \vee \neg P$ Law of the excluded middle
2. $\neg(P \wedge \neg P)$ Law of non-contradiction
3. $\neg\neg P \leftrightarrow P$ Law of double negation
4. $(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow P$ Basis for simplification
5. $(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow Q$ Basis for simplification
6. $P \rightarrow P \vee Q$ Basis for addition
7. $Q \rightarrow P \vee Q$ Basis for addition
8. $Q \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$
9. $\neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$
10. $[P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)] \rightarrow Q$ Modus ponens
11. $[\neg Q \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)] \rightarrow \neg P$ Modus tollens
12. $\neg P \wedge (P \vee Q) \rightarrow Q$
13. $P \rightarrow [Q \rightarrow (P \wedge Q)]$
14. $[(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)] \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$ Transitivity of implications
15. $(P \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow [(P \vee R) \rightarrow (Q \vee R)]$
16. $(P \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow [(P \wedge R) \rightarrow (Q \wedge R)]$
17. $[(P \leftrightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow R)] \rightarrow (P \leftrightarrow R)$ Transitivity of equivalences
18. $\neg(P \wedge Q) \leftrightarrow \neg P \vee \neg Q$ De Morgan's law
19. $\neg(P \vee Q) \leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q$ De Morgan's law
20. $\neg(P \rightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow P \wedge \neg Q$
21. $(P \rightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee Q)$
22. $(P \leftrightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow [(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow P)]$
23. $(P \leftrightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow [(P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg Q \wedge \neg P)]$
24. $(P \rightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P)$ Law of contraposition (The contrapositive)
25. $[(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (P \rightarrow R)] \leftrightarrow [P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R)]$
26. $[(P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \vee Q) \rightarrow R]$ Basis for proof by cases
27. $[P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow R]$
28. $(P \rightarrow Q \wedge \neg Q) \leftrightarrow \neg P$ Basis for indirect proofs
29. $[(P \wedge (Q \vee R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R)]$ Law of distributivity
30. $[(P \vee (Q \wedge R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R)]$ Law of distributivity
31. $(P \wedge Q) \leftrightarrow (Q \wedge P)$ Law of commutativity
32. $(P \vee Q) \leftrightarrow (Q \vee P)$ Law of commutativity
33. $[(P \vee (Q \vee R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \vee Q) \vee R]$ Law of associativity
34. $[(P \wedge (Q \wedge R)] \leftrightarrow [(P \wedge Q) \wedge R]$ Law of associativity

Inference Rules

1 Rules of inference involving no quantifiers

- 1) **Propositional Consequence (PC):** In a proof, any statement that is a propositional consequence of previous steps in the proof can be asserted.
- 2) **Modus Ponens:** In a proof containing both P and $P \rightarrow Q$, the statement Q can be asserted.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} P \\ P \rightarrow Q \end{array}}{\therefore Q}$$

- 3) **Conditional Proof/Direct Proof:** Assume P . If Q can be proven from the assumption P , then the implication $P \rightarrow Q$ can be asserted.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} \text{Assume } P \\ \text{Intermediate steps} \\ Q \end{array}}{\therefore P \rightarrow Q}$$

- 4) **Indirect Proof/Proof by Contradiction/Reductio ad Absurdum:** Assume $\neg P$ and prove ANY contradiction, then P holds.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} \text{Assume } \neg P \\ \text{Intermediate steps} \\ \text{Any contradiction} \end{array}}{\therefore P}$$

- 5) **Proof by Cases:** $Q \vee R$ is one of the steps of the proof. $Q \rightarrow P$ and $R \rightarrow P$ are also steps in the proof. Then P can be asserted.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} Q \vee R \\ \text{Assume } Q \\ \text{Intermediate steps} \\ P \text{ (end of case 1)} \\ \text{Assume } R \\ \text{Intermediate steps} \\ P \text{ (end of case 2)} \end{array}}{\therefore P}$$

- 6) **Biconditional Rule:** If the implications $P \rightarrow Q$ and $Q \rightarrow P$ appear in the course of the proof, then $P \leftrightarrow Q$ can be asserted.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} P \rightarrow Q \\ Q \rightarrow P \end{array}}{\therefore P \leftrightarrow Q}$$

- 7) **Substitution:** Let $S(P)$ be a statement containing P as a sub-statement. Let $S(P/Q)$ denote a statement that results from $S(P)$ by replacing one or more occurrences of the statement P by the statement Q . From $P \rightarrow Q$ and $S(P)$, $S(P/Q)$ can be asserted provided no free variables of P or Q become quantified in $S(P)$ or $S(P/Q)$.

$$\frac{P \leftrightarrow Q \quad S(P)}{\therefore S(P/Q)}$$

- 8) **Conjunction:** If statements P and Q appear as steps in the proof, the compound statement $P \wedge Q$ can be asserted.

$$\frac{P \quad Q}{\therefore P \wedge Q}$$

- 9) **Modus Tollens:** If $P \rightarrow Q$ and $\neg Q$ are both steps in the proof, then $\neg P$ can be asserted.

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q \quad \neg Q}{\therefore \neg P}$$

- 10) **Contrapositive Conditional Proof:** If the assumption $\neg Q$ leads to the conclusion $\neg P$, then the implication $P \rightarrow Q$ can be asserted.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} \text{Assume } \neg Q \\ \text{Intermediate steps} \\ \neg P \end{array}}{\therefore P \rightarrow Q}$$

2 Rules of inference involving quantifiers

- 11) **De Morgan's Laws for Quantifiers (Axioms):**

- (a) $\neg(\forall x P(x)) \leftrightarrow \exists x \neg P(x);$
 (b) $\neg(\exists x P(x)) \leftrightarrow \forall x \neg P(x);$

- 12) **Universal Specification Axiom (US):** If the domain of the variable is not empty, $\forall x P(x) \rightarrow P(t)$ can be asserted, where t is an object in the domain and P is a statement depending upon one free variable.
- 13) **Universal Generalization Rule of Inference (UG):** If $P(x)$ can be proven, where x is a free variable representing an arbitrary element of a certain domain, $\forall x P(x)$ can be asserted.
- 14) **Existential Specification Rule of Inference (ES):** If a step of the form $\exists x P(x)$ appears in the proof, $P(c)$ can be asserted, where c is a constant symbol.
- 15) **Existential Generalization Axiom (EG):** $P(t) \rightarrow \exists x P(x)$ can be asserted, if t is an object in the domain of x (assumed not empty).