

Hypothesis Testing of Single mean(b) When population variance ( $\sigma_p$ ) is Unknown

- (i) Population ~~is~~ normal & infinite, Sample Size small  $H_a$  may be one sided or two sided

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_{H_0}}{\sigma_s / \sqrt{n}}$$

where  $\bar{X}$  = Sample mean

$\mu_{H_0}$  = Population mean

$\sigma_s$  = Sample ~~dev~~ Standard deviation

$$\sigma_s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}}$$

$$\text{degree of freedom (df)} = n-1$$

- (ii) Population ~~is~~ normal & finite Sample Size Small  
 $H_a$  may be one sided or two sided

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_{H_0}}{(\sigma_s / \sqrt{n}) \times \sqrt{(N-n)/N-1}}$$

with  $df = (n-1)$

$$\sigma_s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}}$$

(eg) Prices of shares of a company on different days in 2 months were found to be :- Rs

572, 545, 575, 570, 580, 565, 568, 571  
572, 592

Test at 5% level of significance if the price of shares on an average is Rs 575

Ans

$$H_0: \mu = 575$$

$$H_a: \mu \neq 575$$

Since population variance is unknown and sample size is small as the prices of only 10 days are given, hence t-test will be used to solve the problem

$$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_{H_0}}{s_s / \sqrt{n}}$$

Day	x (Price)	(x - $\bar{x}$ )	(x - $\bar{x}$ ) <sup>2</sup>
1	572	-1	1
2	545	-26	676
3	575	+4	16
4	570	-1	1
5	580	+9	81
6	565	-6	36
7	568	-3	9
8	571	0	0
9	572	+1	1
10	592	+21	441

$$[n=10]$$

$$[\Sigma x = 5710]$$

$$[\Sigma (x - \bar{x})^2 = 1262]$$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum X}{n} = \frac{5710}{10} = 571$$

$$\boxed{\bar{X} = 571}$$

$$\sigma_s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1262}{10-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{1262}{9}}$$

$$\sigma_s = 11.84$$

$$t = \frac{571 - 575}{11.84 / \sqrt{10}} = -1.06$$

$H_0$  is two sided hence tabulated value of  $t$  for two sided test at 5% level of significance with  $(10-1) = 9$  degree of freedom is 2.262

$$| \text{calculated } (t) | < | \text{Tabulated } (t) |$$

$$| 1.06 | < (2.262)$$

therefore null hypothesis accepted that the average share price is Rs 575

(eg) (2) Life of a random sample of 10 CFL bulbs out of a pack of 50 bulbs carton shows the following readings:

Item	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Life (000hrs)	3.8	4.5	4.0	4.0	5.3	4.2	3.9	4.5	4.3	5.5

Test at 1% level of significance if the life of bulbs is 4000 hours

Ans (Hint)

Whole process is similar only the difference here is the size of population i.e.  $N = 50$  is given so

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_{H_0}}{(\sigma_s / \sqrt{n}) \times \left[ \sqrt{\frac{(N-n)}{(N-1)}} \right]}$$

will be used

(i) and tabulated value of  $t$  at 1% or (0.01) level of significance with degree of freedom 9 is (3.25) for two sided test

- ③ An ice-cream vendor has an average sale of Rs 500 per day. Due to establishment of a school in the locality he expects the ice cream sale to increase. The sale for the first two weeks after the start of school are as under:-

547, 507, 550, 613, 490, 580, 570, 460, 595,  
585, 530, 526, 549, 570,

Can it be ~~concluded~~ concluded that the ice-cream vendor's sale have increased?  
Test at 5% level of significance.