

# Analyzing AB Test Result For An eCommerce Website

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## 1 Project Title: Analyzing A/B Test Results for an eCommerce Website.

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#### ## Introduction

A/B tests are very commonly performed by data analysts and data scientists. As a Data Analyst, it's important to spend a good time practicing and working with the difficulties, so as to ensure the necessary skills are mastered. By measuring the impact that the changes have on the metrics, A/B test ensures that the introduced change, that produces positive results, are retained. In simpler terms, you will not be fooled by chance in accepting the alternative, unless the A/B test indicates that the variability is due to the alternative.

Another reason why A/B testing is so important for e-commerce websites is because conversion can directly be measured and could be related to a specific metric such as direct sale, revenue, etc... The testing types can broadly be categorized based on the test area or sector of the web page investigated. The four major categories are :- Call to action button - Pricing, discounts or shipping - Product display - Check out pages.

Some examples of A/B testing adopted in different industries include :- Testing two soil treatments to determine which produces better seed germination (*Natural Sciences*) - Testing two therapies to determine which suppresses cancer more effectively (*Medicine*) - Testing two prices to determine which yields more net profit (*Business / Financial Sectors*). - Testing two web headlines to determine which produces more clicks (*Marketing*). etc...

For this project, an A/B test run by an e-commerce website was provided. The project goal is to perform statistical analysis on the data provided and help the company understand if they should implement the new page, or keep the old page, or perhaps run the experiment longer before making a decision.

Source : \*\* Practical Statistics for Data Scientists\*\* 'Chapter 3: Statistical Experiments and Significance Testing'

#### ## Part I - Probability

\*\* Importing the required libraries.\*\*

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
```

```

import random
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

%matplotlib inline

random.seed(42)

** 1a: Loading and checking the dataset.**

In [2]: # Load the data set
df=pd.read_csv('ab_data.csv')

In [3]: # checking some rows of the dataframe
df.head()

Out[3]:
   user_id  timestamp  group landing_page  converted
0   851104  2017-01-21 22:11:48.556739  control    old_page         0
1   804228  2017-01-12 08:01:45.159739  control    old_page         0
2   661590  2017-01-11 16:55:06.154213  treatment  new_page         0
3   853541  2017-01-08 18:28:03.143765  treatment  new_page         0
4   864975  2017-01-21 01:52:26.210827  control    old_page         1

In [4]: df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 294478 entries, 0 to 294477
Data columns (total 5 columns):
user_id      294478 non-null int64
timestamp    294478 non-null object
group        294478 non-null object
landing_page  294478 non-null object
converted     294478 non-null int64
dtypes: int64(2), object(3)
memory usage: 11.2+ MB

** 1b: Number of rows in the dataset. **

In [5]: df.shape

Out[5]: (294478, 5)

** 1c: The number of unique users in the dataset **

In [6]: # number of unique id
a=df.user_id.nunique()
a

Out[6]: 290584

```

1d: The proportion of users converted.

```
In [7]: #Proportion unique viewer(user id) converted
df1=df.query('converted== 1').count()
P_User_conv=df1/df['converted'].count()
P_User_conv.converted
```

```
Out[7]: 0.11965919355605512
```

\*\* 1e: The number of times the new\_page and treatment don't line up \*\*

```
In [8]: # Number of times the treatment and new page don't line up
df_treat_dif=df[((df['group'] == 'treatment') == (df['landing_page'] == 'new_page')) == False]
#Number of times the control doesn't line up with old page
df_cont_dif=df[((df['group'] == 'control') == (df['landing_page'] == 'old_page')) == False]
a=df_treat_dif.user_id.count()
b=df_cont_dif.user_id.count()
a,b
```

```
Out[8]: (3893, 3893)
```

\*\* 1f: Missing values \*\*

```
In [9]: # checking for null values
df.info()
print('No null values')
```

```
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RangeIndex: 294478 entries, 0 to 294477
Data columns (total 5 columns):
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timestamp        294478 non-null object
group            294478 non-null object
landing_page     294478 non-null object
converted        294478 non-null int64
dtypes: int64(2), object(3)
memory usage: 11.2+ MB
No null values
```

\*\* 2: Checking for inconsistencies like the rows where treatment is not aligned with new\_page or control is not aligned with old\_page \*\*

```
In [10]: # Extract rows having treatment as group
df1=df[df['group'] == 'treatment']
# Extract from df1 where the new page is the landing page
df2=df1[df1['landing_page'] == 'new_page']
```

```
In [11]: # Double Check all of the correct rows were removed - this should be 0
df2[((df2['group'] == 'treatment') == (df2['landing_page'] == 'new_page')) == False].count()
```

Out[11]: 0

```
In [12]: # Extract rows having control as a group
df_ctrl=df[df['group'] == 'control']

# Extract from df1 where the old page as landing page
df_ctrl=df_ctrl[df_ctrl['landing_page'] == 'old_page']
sum(df_ctrl.user_id.duplicated())
```

Out[12]: 0

**\*\*3a:Unique user\_ids in df2\*\***

```
In [13]: # Unique user ids
df2.user_id.nunique()
```

Out[13]: 145310

**\*\*Checking for duplicates\*\***  
**\*\*3b:User\_id repeated\*\***

```
In [14]: # duplicated user id
df2[df2['user_id'].duplicated ()==True]['user_id']
```

Out[14]: 2893      773192  
Name: user\_id, dtype: int64

**\*\*3c:Row information for the repeated user\_id\*\***

```
In [15]: #Row with duplicated data
df2[df2['user_id'].duplicated ()==True]
```

Out[15]:

	user_id	timestamp	group	landing_page	converted
2893	773192	2017-01-14 02:55:59.590927	treatment	new_page	0

**\*\*3d:Removing the duplicate user\_id\*\***

```
In [16]: # drop one of the duplicated row
df2=df2[df2.index != 2893]
```

```
In [17]: #checking if the duplicated row is removed .
sum(df2.user_id.duplicated())
```

Out[17]: 0

```
In [18]: #Extract the correct controlgroup data
df3=df[df['group'] == 'control']
df4=df3[df3['landing_page'] == 'old_page']
```

```
In [72]: df_cleaned= df2.append(df4)
df_cleaned.head(1)
```

```
Out[72]:      user_id      timestamp      group landing_page converted
        2    661590  2017-01-11 16:55:06.154213  treatment    new_page         0
```

**\*\* 4a: Probability of an individual converting regardless of the page view. \*\***

```
In [20]: # total page view
        Total_view =df_cleaned.user_id.count()

        #converted
        Total_converted = df_cleaned.query('converted == 1').count()

        #Probability of being converted
        P_ttl_cnvrtd= Total_converted.user_id/Total_view
        P_ttl_cnvrtd
```

```
Out[20]: 0.11959708724499628
```

**\*\* 4b: The probability viewer converted ,given that an individual was in the control group \*\***

```
In [21]:

        #Total controls
        ctrl_ttl=df4['group'].count()

        # Converted controls
        ctrl_cnvrtd=df4.query('converted==1').count()

        #probability control could be converted
        P_ctrl_cnvrtd= ctrl_cnvrtd / ctrl_ttl
        P_ctrl_cnvrtd['converted']
```

```
Out[21]: 0.1203863045004612
```

**\*\* 4C:The probability viewer converted,given that an individual was in the treatment group \*\***

```
In [22]: #Total treatment
        trmnt_ttl=df2['group'].count()

        # Converted
        trmnt_cnvrtd=df2.query('converted==1').count()

        #probability treatment could be converted
        P_trmnt_ttl_cnvrtd= trmnt_cnvrtd/trmnt_ttl
        P_trmnt_ttl_cnvrtd.converted
```

```
Out[22]: 0.11880806551510564
```

```
In [23]: diffs_obsrvd=P_trmnt_ttl_cnvrted- P_ctrl_cnvrted['converted']
         diffs_obsrvd
```

```
Out[23]: -0.0015782389853555567
```

**\*\* 4d: The probability that an individual received the new page \*\***

```
In [24]: #number of individual landed on new page
         df_treat_new=df2[(df2['group'] == 'treatment') == (df2['landing_page'] == 'new_page')]

         # numbre of individual landed in any page (sum of control and treatment landing page)
         total_landing_page=df_cleaned.landing_page.count()

         # Proportion
         P_land_newpage=df_treat_new/ total_landing_page

         P_land_newpage.landing_page
```

```
Out[24]: 0.5000619442226688
```

**\*\* 4e ## Discussion** The resulting probabilities DO NOT suggest that the new treatment page leads to a higher conversion of viewers. The probability for a viewer who landed on the old page get converted is 12.04% and that of a user viewing the new-page converted is 11.88% . Eventhough both pages has equal (50.01%) chance of being viewed by the user ,the control group has better conversion rate than the new treatment page.\*\*

Furthermore , the treatment page has resulted in a relatively lower probability of conversion (11.88%) as compared to the general probability of any viewer being converted ( which is 11.96%) .Therefore I would say there is no sufficient evidence to conclude that usage of the new treatment page will lead to a more viwer conversion.

**## Part II - A/B Test**

### 1.1.1 Assumption :

**I :Decision made just based only the data provided.**

**\*\* II\*\* : Type I error rate 5%**

**\*\* III \*\* : under the null hypothesis,  $p_{new}$  and  $p_{old}$  both have "true" success rates equal to the converted success rate regardless of page view that is  $p_{new}$  and  $p_{old}$  are equal.**

**\*\* IV\*\* : Under the null hypothesis,  $p_{new}$  and  $p_{old}$  , are equal to the convert rate in the ab\_data.csv regardless of the page view .**

**\*\*\*\* 1: Hypothesis \*\*\*\***

- Null Hypothesis (Ho): new page conversion rate is worse than or equal to old page.
- Alternative Hypothesis (H1) : the new page conversion rate is better than the old page.

$$H_0 : CTR_{new} \leq CTR_{old}$$

$$H_1 : CTR_{new} > CTR_{old}$$

$$H_0 : CTR_{new} - CTR_{old} \leq 0$$

$$H_1 : CTR_{new} - CTR_{old} > 0$$

**\*\* 2a: The convert rate for  $p_{new}$  under the null \*\***

```
In [25]: #Convert rate for treatment covered/ total page view
df_trtmnt=df_cleaned[df_cleaned['group']=='treatment']
total_trtmnt=df_trtmnt.count()
convrtd_trtmnt = df_trtmnt[df_trtmnt['converted'] == 1].count()
P_new_cnvrtd=convrtd_trtmnt/total_trtmnt
Pnew=P_new_cnvrtd.group
Pnew
```

Out[25]: 0.11880806551510564

**\*\* 2b:The convert rate for  $p_{old}$  under the null \*\*.**

```
In [26]: #under the null Pnew and Pold are equal
Pold=Pnew
```

```
In [27]: # observed difference in click through rate
p_diff_obsrtd_null = Pnew - Pold

p_diff_obsrtd_null
```

Out[27]: 0.0

**\*\* 2c:\*\*  $n_{new}$**

```
In [28]: n_new=df2.nunique ()
n_new=n_new.user_id
n_new
```

Out[28]: 145310

**\*\* 2d: \*\*  $n_{old}$**

```
In [29]: n_old=df4.nunique ()
n_old=n_old.user_id
n_old
```

Out[29]: 145274

**\*\* 2e: Simulating  $n_{new}$  transactions with a convert rate of  $p_{new}$  under the null. Store these  $n_{new}$  1's and 0's in new\_page\_converted \*\***

```
In [30]: new_converted_smltn = np.random.binomial(1,Pnew ,n_new)
Pnew_smltn=new_converted_smltn.mean()
Pnew_smltn
```

```
Out[30]: 0.1194756038813571
```

```
** 2f : Simulating  $n_{old}$  transactions with a convert rate of  $p_{old}$  under the null.  
Store these  $n_{old}$  1's and 0's in old_page_converted . **
```

```
In [31]: old_converted_smltn = np.random.binomial(1,Pold ,n_old )  
        Pold_smltn=old_converted_smltn.mean()  
        Pold_smltn
```

```
Out[31]: 0.11894076021862136
```

```
** 2g: Calculate the  $p_{new} - p_{old}$  for simulated values **.
```

```
In [32]: P_diff_smltn_obsrvd = Pnew_smltn - Pold_smltn  
        P_diff_smltn_obsrvd
```

```
Out[32]: 0.0005348436627357345
```

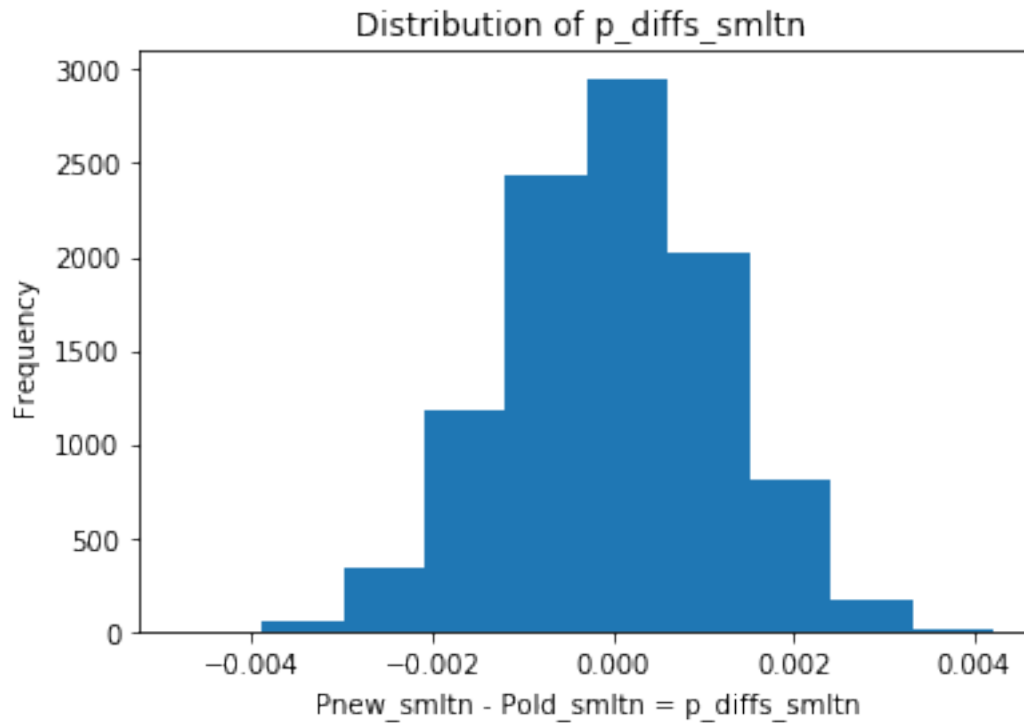
```
** 2h :Simulating 10,000  $p_{new} - p_{old}$  values and storing all 10,000 values in a  
numpy array called p_diffs **.
```

```
In [33]: #treatment sample  
        Pnew_converted_smltd = np.random.binomial(n_new, Pnew,10000 )/n_new  
  
        #control sample  
        Pold_converted_smltd = np.random.binomial(n_old,Pold ,10000 ) / n_old  
  
        # append the P value differece  
        p_diffs_smltn = Pnew_converted_smltd - Pold_converted_smltd
```

```
** 2i:Histogram of the p_diffs **
```

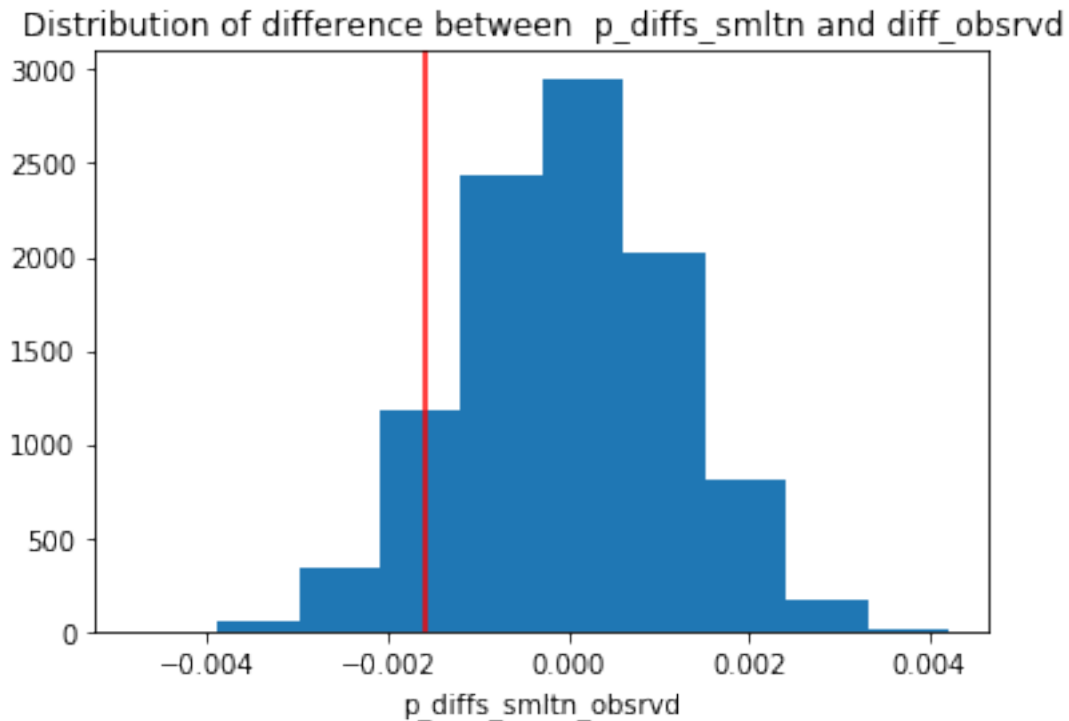
```
In [34]: #ploting histogram for p_diffs  
        plt.hist(p_diffs_smltn)  
        plt.title ('Distribution of p_diffs_smltn ');  
        plt.xlabel('Pnew_smltn - Pold_smltn = p_diffs_smltn')  
        plt.ylabel('Frequency ');
```





**\*\* 2j :Proportion of the p\_diffs that are greater than the actual difference observed in ab\_data.csv\*\***

```
In [35]: #Plotting p_diffs and observed difference .
plt.hist(p_diffs_smltn)
plt.title ('Distribution of difference between p_diffs_smltn and diff_obsrvd');
plt.xlabel('p_diffs_smltn_obsrvd')
plt.axvline(x=diffs_obsrvd ,color='r');
```



```
In [36]: #Calculating P value .
P_value=(p_diffs_smltn > diffs_obsrvd).mean()
P_value
```

```
Out[36]: 0.9088
```

**\*\* 2k: ## Discussion** The p value is 0.9065 which can be considered as a larger p value (since its greater than 0.05). Large p value indicates weak evidence against the null hypothesis.\*\*

**Therefore , based on the A/B simulation test performed , we CAN NOT reject the null hypothesis. This means that we are not able to conclude with enough evidence that there is significant difference between the treatment (the new page) and the control (the old page ), interms of converting a page viewer.**

**\*\* 2l : Utilizing Built-in functions to equate and compare with the simulation result, and see if the built-in code yield similar results\*\***

```
In [37]: import statsmodels.api as sm
convert_old = ctrl_cnvrtd.converted
convert_new = trmnt_cnvrtd.converted
total_new=trmnt_ttl
total_old=ctrl_ttl
```

C:\ProgramFiles\ANACONDA\lib\site-packages\statsmodels\compat\pandas.py:56: FutureWarning: The from pandas.core import datetools

**\*\* 2m: Using stats.proportions\_ztest to compute test statistic and p-value \*\*.**

```
In [38]: # Calculating the z score
import statsmodels.api as sm
a=z_score,p_value=sm.stats.proportions_ztest(
    [convert_new,convert_old], [total_new,total_old], alternative='larger')
a
```

Out[38]: (-1.3109241984234394, 0.9050583127590245)

```
In [39]: from scipy.stats import norm
norm.cdf(z_score)
```

Out[39]: 0.09494168724097551

```
In [40]: # critical value at 95% confidence interval
norm.ppf(1-(0.05/2))
```

Out[40]: 1.959963984540054

```
In [41]: a=df_cleaned[df_cleaned['landing_page']== 'new_page']
b=df1[df1['converted']==1]
c=df_cleaned[df_cleaned['landing_page']== 'old_page']
d=df3[df3['converted']==1]
#new page View ,converted new page ,old page view , converted old page
a.shape,b.shape,c.shape , d.shape
```

Out[41]: ((145310, 5), (17514, 5), (145274, 5), (17723, 5))

**\*\* 2n : ## Discussion** Since the z-score of  $-1.3109241984234394$  exceeds the critical value of  $-1.959963984540054$ , we CAN NOT reject the null hypothesis since the difference between the two proportions is almost near to zero. The P value from the Z-test score is also consistent with the P value obtained from simulation.\*\*

**\*\* The treatment or the new landing page conversion rate  $(17,264 / \$ 145,310)$  IS NOT statistically different; or even we can say , its not better than the control or the old landing page conversion rate  $(17,489 / \$ 145,274)$ . There is no sufficient evidence which suggests that in long-term performance of the control and treatment page, to be different from one another.\*\***

**The built-in functions has the same result that indicating that there is no sufficient evidence to conclude that the usage of the new treatment page will lead to more conversion.**

### ## Part III - A REGRESSION APPROACH

**\*\* 1a:** Since the each row under investigation is catagorical , the most appropriate regression method that should be adopted in this case is Multi Linear or Logestic Regression \*\*

The choice of the regression methodologies is based on :

**\*\* i: Outcome \*\***

In linear regression, the outcome (dependent variable) is continuous. It can have any one of an infinite number of possible values.

In logistic regression, the outcome (dependent variable) has only a limited number of possible values.

**\*\* ii : The dependent variable \*\***

Logistic regression is used when the response variable is categorical in nature. For instance, yes/no, true/false, red/green/blue, 1st/2nd/3rd/4th, etc.

Linear regression is used when your response variable is continuous. For instance, weight, height, number of hours, etc.

**\*\* iii : Equation \*\***

Linear regression gives an equation which is of the form  $Y = mX + C$ , means equation with degree 1.

However, logistic regression gives an equation which is of the form  $Y = \frac{e^X}{1 + e^{-X}}$

**\*\* iv : Coefficient interpretation \*\***

In linear regression, the coefficient interpretation of independent variables are quite straightforward (i.e. holding all other variables constant, with a unit increase in this variable, the dependent variable is expected to increase/decrease by xxx).

However, in logistic regression, depends on the family (binomial, Poisson, etc.) and link (log, logit, inverse-log, etc.) you use, the interpretation is different.

**\*\* iv : Error minimization technique \*\***

Linear regression uses ordinary least squares method to minimise the errors and arrive at a best possible fit, while logistic regression uses maximum likelihood method to arrive at the solution.

Linear regression is usually solved by minimizing the least squares error of the model to the data, therefore large errors are penalized quadratically.

Logistic regression is just the opposite. Using the logistic loss function causes large errors to be penalized to an asymptotically constant.

**\*\* 1b: Creating dummy variables for landing pages \*\***

In [50]: *#create dummy variable*

```
df_dummy=pd.get_dummies(df_cleaned,columns=['landing_page'],prefix='dummy')
df_dummy.head(1)
```

```
Out [50]:
```

	user_id	timestamp	group	converted	dummy_new_page	\
2	661590	2017-01-11 16:55:06.154213	treatment	0		1
					dummy_old_page	
2					0	

In [51]: *# drop columns*

```
# only 1 dummy variable required since we have 2 catagories of the variable .
columns = ['user_id','timestamp','group','dummy_old_page' ]
# Drop all other columns except the convert and dummy variable
df_dummy.drop(columns, inplace=True, axis=1)
```

**\*\* 1c:** Using statsmodels to fit the regression model to check if there is a significant difference in conversion based on the page a customer receives. **\*\***

```
In [52]: # work around for summary error kept receiving .
from scipy import stats
stats.chisqprob = lambda chisq, df: stats.chi2.sf(chisq, df)

# fitting the logestic regression
df_dummy['interecept']=1
log_mod=sm.Logit(df_dummy['converted'], df_dummy [['interecept','dummy_new_page']])
results =log_mod.fit()
results.summary()
```

Optimization terminated successfully.  
Current function value: 0.366118  
Iterations 6

**Out [52]:** <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>

```
"""
                                Logit Regression Results
=====
Dep. Variable:                converted    No. Observations:                290584
Model:                        Logit       Df Residuals:                  290582
Method:                        MLE        Df Model:                      1
Date:                         Fri, 09 Mar 2018    Pseudo R-squ.:                8.077e-06
Time:                         10:27:13    Log-Likelihood:               -1.0639e+05
converged:                     True        LL-Null:                     -1.0639e+05
                                      LLR p-value:                0.1899
=====
              coef    std err          z      P>|z|      [0.025      0.975]
-----
interecept    -1.9888      0.008   -246.669      0.000     -2.005     -1.973
dummy_new_page -0.0150      0.011    -1.311      0.190     -0.037      0.007
=====
"""
```

**1d ### Discussion**

The Lofistic regression model could be summurized as follows:

**Intercept Coefficient = -0.9888**

**new\_page coefficient(slope) = -0.0150**

**\*\*The regression line equation is "y=-0.9888 - 0.015\*x"\*\***

**We can say for every user landed on the new page (in other ways who has recieved the treatment ), the conversion rate decrease by 0.015.**

**\*\* 1e \*\***

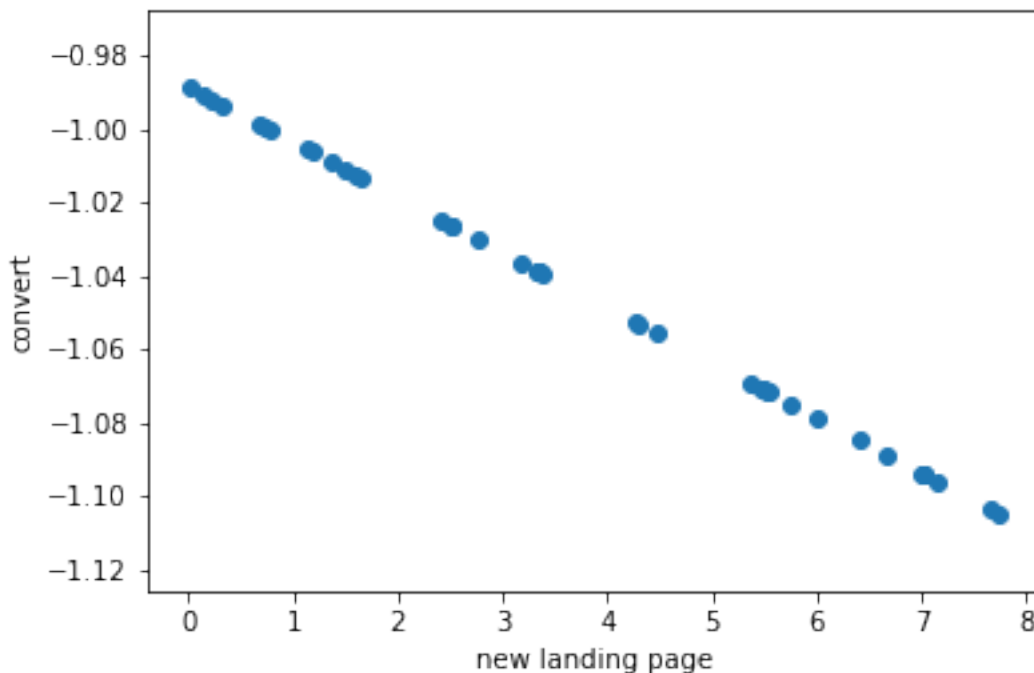
p values of the particular variable is useful to predict its response to the hypothesis . In this eCommerce web page test data ,the p value for the intercept is 0.000 and that of the new page is 0.190.

The p value for the intercept is zero, which makes the null hypothesis much more statistically significant than that of its counterpart the Alternative hypothesis .

\*\* The P value from the logistic regression is different from A/B test result because logistic regression is a two way test for significance while the A/B is one way test .\*\*

\*\* The above Case can be graphically represented as follows :\*\*

```
In [53]: # standard deviations are smoothed out
rng=np.random.RandomState(1)
x=8*rng.rand(40)
y=-.9888-0.015*x
plt.scatter(x,y)
plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (5,5);
plt.xlabel('new landing page')
plt.ylabel('convert');
```



### 1.1.2 If regression is used for prediction

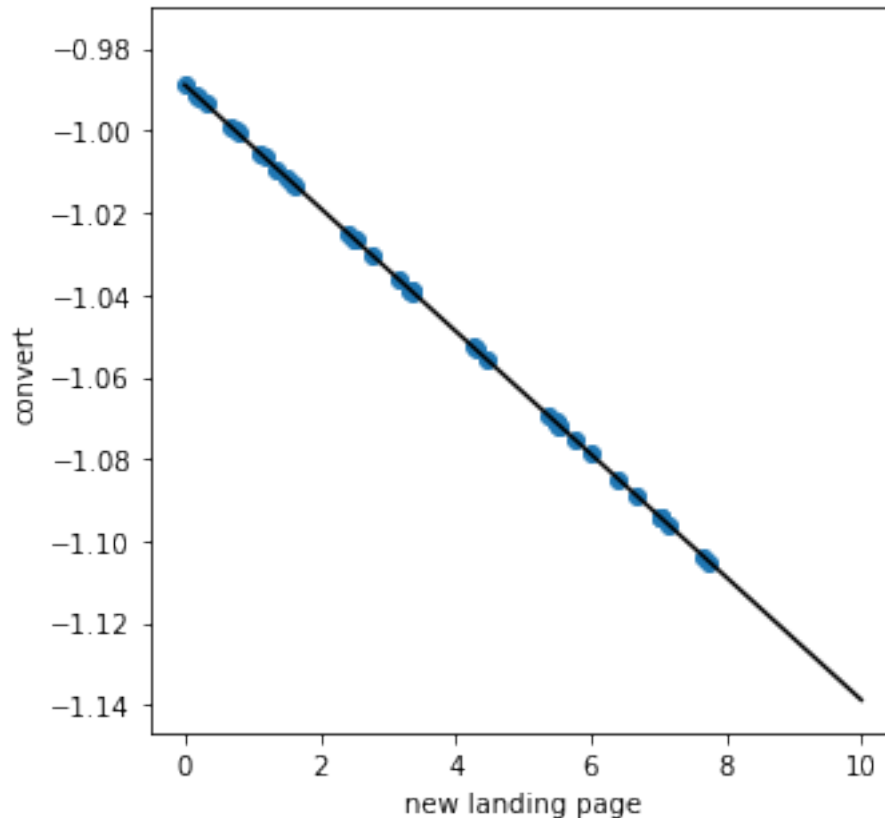
```
In [54]: from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
model=LinearRegression (fit_intercept=True )
```

```

model.fit (x[:,np.newaxis],y)
xfit=np.linspace(0,10,100,500)

yfit=model.predict (xfit[:,np.newaxis])
plt.scatter(x,y)
plt.plot(xfit,yfit, color='black' )
plt.rcParams["figure.figsize"] = (5,5);
plt.xlabel('new landing page')
plt.ylabel('convert');

```



```

In [55]: print("model slope:",model.coef_[0])
          print("Model intercept:", model.intercept_)

```

```

model slope: -0.014999999999999989
Model intercept: -0.9888

```

```

In [60]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
          from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
          from sklearn.metrics import precision_score ,recall_score,accuracy_score, confusion_m

```

```

In [61]: df_dummy.head(1)

```

```
Out[61]:    converted  dummy_new_page  intercept
          2          0          1          1
```

```
In [62]: # split the data into train and test
```

```
X = df_dummy.iloc[:,1:]
```

```
y = df_dummy['converted']
```

```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=.20, random_state=)
```

```
In [63]: log_mod=LogisticRegression()
```

```
log_mod.fit(X_train , y_train)
```

```
y_preds = log_mod.predict (X_test)
```

```
print (precision_score(y_test , y_preds))
```

```
print (recall_score(y_test , y_preds))
```

```
print (accuracy_score ( y_test , y_preds))
```

```
confusion_matrix(y_test ,y_preds)
```

```
0.0
```

```
0.0
```

```
0.8791919748094361
```

```
C:\ProgramFiles\ANACONDA\lib\site-packages\sklearn\metrics\classification.py:1135: UndefinedMetricWarning: Precision is ill-defined: No labeled samples in predicted set
'precision', 'predicted', average, warn_for)
```

```
Out[63]: array([[51096,    0],
               [ 7021,    0]], dtype=int64)
```

The confusion matrix telling us that we have 51096+0 correct predictions and 7021+0 incorrect predictions.

**\*\* 2f: Other factors \*\***

**\*\* Its important to investigate other factors in the regression model as well to throughly understand and examine the significance.\*\***

**\*\* 2g :Investigating if the location(country) that the page has been viewed , has an impact on conversion.\*\***

```
In [98]: #Loading the country data csv
```

```
countries_df = pd.read_csv('countries.csv')
```

```
df_new = countries_df.set_index('user_id').join(df2.set_index('user_id'), how='inner')
```

```
# remove index
```

```
df_new = df_new.rename_axis(None)
```

```
# check the available catagories
```

```
df_new.head()
```

```
Out[98]:
```

	country	timestamp	group	landing_page	converted
928468	US	2017-01-23 14:44:16.387854	treatment	new_page	0
822059	UK	2017-01-16 14:04:14.719771	treatment	new_page	1



710616	UK	2017-01-16 13:14:44.000513	treatment	new_page	0
909908	UK	2017-01-06 20:44:26.334764	treatment	new_page	0
811617	US	2017-01-02 18:42:11.851370	treatment	new_page	1

```
In [99]: ### Create the necessary dummy variables
df_new1=pd.get_dummies(df_new,columns=['landing_page'],prefix='dummy')
df_new_dummy=pd.get_dummies(df_new1,columns=['country'], drop_first=True)

# remove columns

#df_new_dummy = df_new_dummy.rename_axis(None)
df_new_dummy.head(1)
```

```
Out[99]:
```

	timestamp	group	converted	dummy_new_page	\
928468	2017-01-23 14:44:16.387854	treatment	0		1

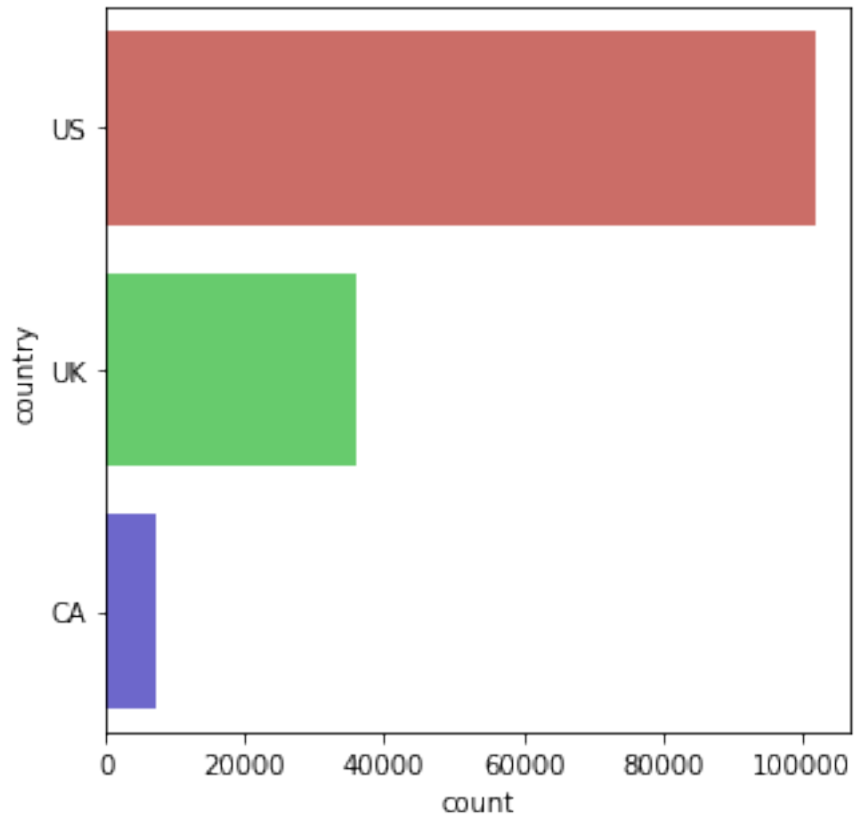
	country_UK	country_US
928468	0	1

```
In [100]: cols = [0,1]
df_new_dummy.drop(df_new_dummy.columns[cols],axis=1,inplace=True)
df_new_dummy.head ()
```

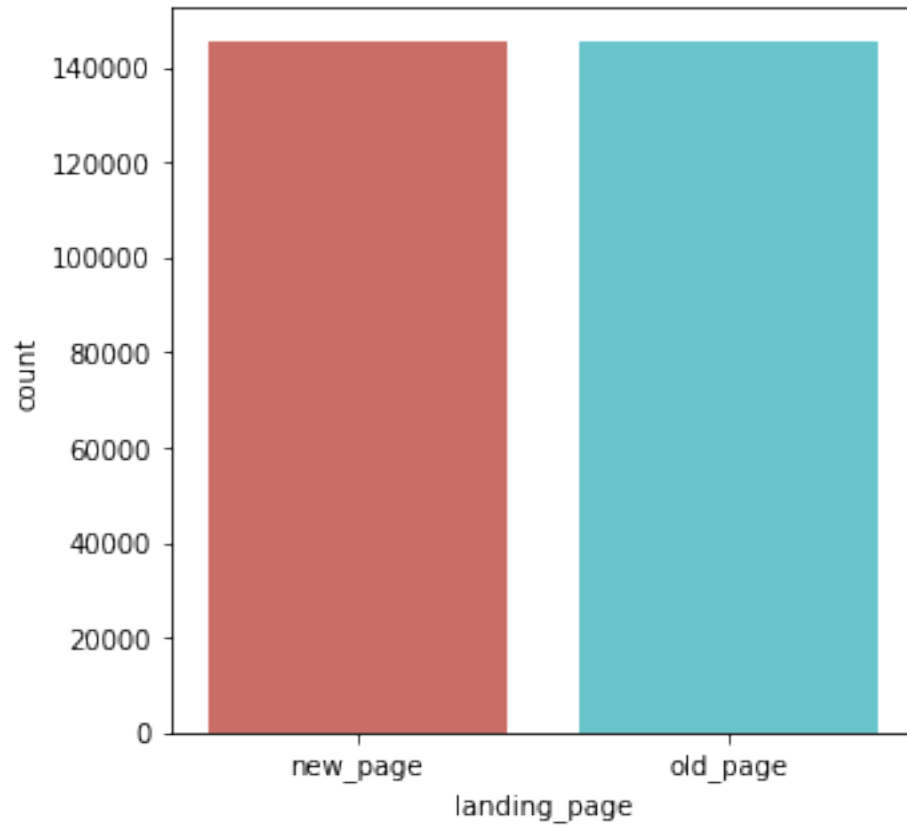
```
Out[100]:
```

	converted	dummy_new_page	country_UK	country_US
928468	0	1	0	1
822059	1	1	1	0
710616	0	1	1	0
909908	0	1	1	0
811617	1	1	0	1

```
In [77]: #Barplot for the independent variable (country )
import seaborn as sns
sns.countplot(y='country',data=df_new, palette='hls')
plt.show()
```



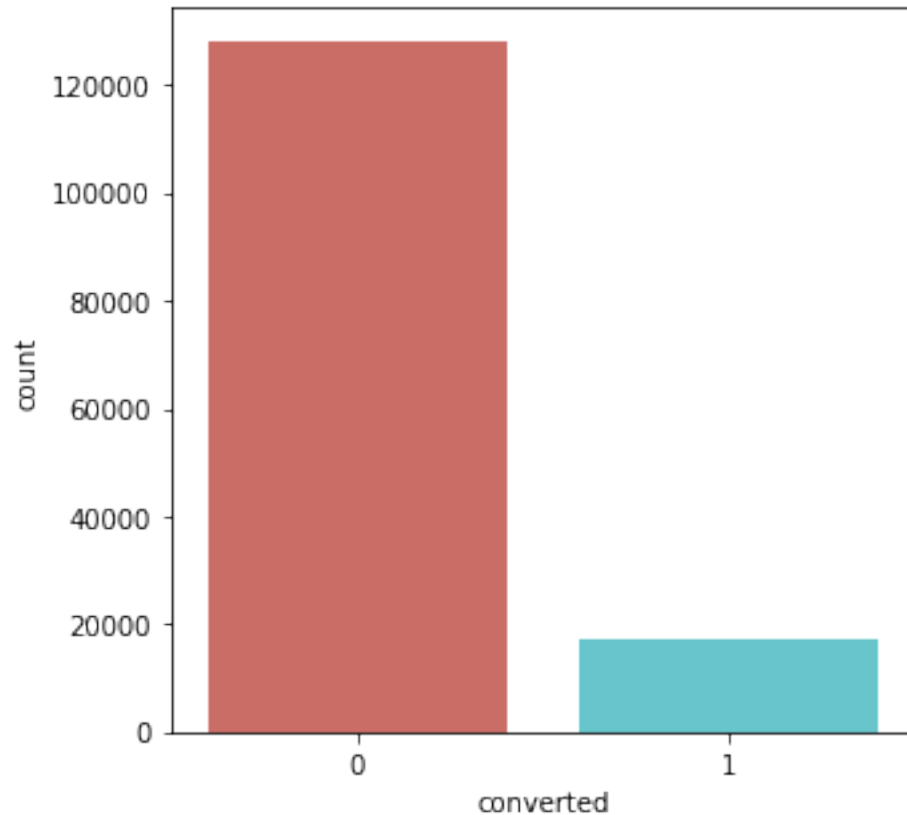
```
In [78]: #Barplot for the independent variable (Landing Page )
sns.countplot(x='landing_page',data=df_cleaned, palette='hls')
plt.show()
```



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In [79]: #(binary: 1, means converted, 0 means not converted)
```

```
#Barplot for the dependent variable
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```
sns.countplot(x='converted',data=df_new_dummy, palette='hls')  
plt.show()
```



```
In [104]: #Fitting the new model
df_new_dummy['interecept']=1
log_mod=sm.Logit(df_new_dummy['converted'], df_new_dummy [['interecept','dummy_new_p
results =log_mod.fit()
results.summary()
```

Optimization terminated successfully.  
Current function value: 0.364535  
Iterations 6

```
Out[104]: <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
"""
```

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                                Logit Regression Results
=====
Dep. Variable:                  converted    No. Observations:                  145310
Model:                            Logit      Df Residuals:                      145308
Method:                           MLE        Df Model:                            1
Date:                            Fri, 09 Mar 2018    Pseudo R-squ.:                    2.409e-05
Time:                            10:51:56      Log-Likelihood:                   -52971.
converged:                        True          LL-Null:                         -52972.
```

	LLR p-value:				0.1101	
	coef	std err	z	P> z	[0.025	0.975]
intercept	-1.0056	7.04e+05	-1.43e-06	1.000	-1.38e+06	1.38e+06
dummy_new_page	-1.0056	7.04e+05	-1.43e-06	1.000	-1.38e+06	1.38e+06
country_UK	0.0299	0.019	1.601	0.109	-0.007	0.066

In [ ]:

\*\* 2h: \*\*

## 1.2 Discussion

\*\* The following interpretations can be inferred from the above regression table :-\*\*

\*\* If the country that the old page is viewed is from Canada(CA), there is 1005.6 % less chance the viewer get converted ,Ceteris paribus . \*\*

\*\* If viewed from UK ,\* 2.99%% \* more viewers can be expected to convert than that of when viewed from CA ,Ceteris paribus.\*\*

\*\*

\*\* Furthermore , if a viewer recieved the treatment (or viewed the new page ),there is 1005.6 % marginal converts than customers who viewed the control group , Ceteris paribus . \*\*

**p value for new page is 1 which essentially rejects the null hypothesis , if all other things held constant .**

**When we look at the p value for the country variables , UK has lower p value (0.109 as compared to CA (1) , indicating statistically less significant influence on the response than page viewed in CA.**

### Key Assumptions

- There is a linear relationship between the converted and the independent variables landing page and country.
- The residuals are normally distributed.
- The independent variables are not highly correlated with each other. This assumption is tested using Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) values.
- Homoscedasticity—that is the variance of error terms are similar across the values of the independent variables.
- No Multicollinearity

## Logestic Regression Model

In [64]: df\_new\_dummy.head(1)

```
Out [64]:      converted  dummy_new_page  country_UK  country_US  interecept
          928468             0             1             0             1             1
```

```
In [65]: from sklearn import preprocessing
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.rc("font", size=14)
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.cross_validation import train_test_split
import seaborn as sns
sns.set(style="white")
sns.set(style="whitegrid", color_codes=True)
```

C:\ProgramFiles\ANACONDA\lib\site-packages\sklearn\cross\_validation.py:41: DeprecationWarning: "This module will be removed in 0.20.", DeprecationWarning)

```
In [66]: df_new1=pd.get_dummies(df_new,columns=['landing_page'],prefix='dummy')
df_new_dummy2=pd.get_dummies(df_new1,columns=['country'], drop_first=True)

# remove columns
columns = ['timestamp','group']
df_new_dummy=pd.get_dummies(df_new1,columns=['country'], drop_first=True)
df_new_dummy2.drop(columns, inplace=True, axis=1)
```

```
In [67]: # split the data into train and test
X = df_new_dummy2.iloc[:,1:]
y = df_new_dummy2.iloc[:,0]

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=.20,random_state=)
```

```
In [68]: #Fit logestic Regression to training set
classifier = LogisticRegression(random_state=0)
classifier.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
Out [68]: LogisticRegression(C=1.0, class_weight=None, dual=False, fit_intercept=True,
intercept_scaling=1, max_iter=100, multi_class='ovr', n_jobs=1,
penalty='l2', random_state=0, solver='liblinear', tol=0.0001,
verbose=0, warm_start=False)
```

```
In [69]: #Predicting the test set results and creating confusion matrix
y_pred = classifier.predict(X_test)
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
confusion_matrix = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
print(confusion_matrix)
```

```
[[25592    0]
 [ 3470    0]]
```

**\*\* The result is telling us that we have 25592+0 correct predictions and 3470+0 incorrect predictions. \*\***

```
In [70]: #Accuracy of logistic regression classifier on test set
print('Accuracy : {:.2f}'.format(classifier.score(X_test, y_test)))
```

Accuracy : 0.88

```
In [71]: #Compute precision, recall, F-measure and support
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.88	1.00	0.94	25592
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	3470
avg / total	0.78	0.88	0.82	29062

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## ## Conclusion

**\*\* In this project , three type of approaches , namely the Probability , A/B Test and Regression analysis, are adopted to investigate the data obtained from eCommerce website A/B test . Simulation ,Z-test and Logistic Regression tests were implemented to examin and appriciate the statitistical significance .\*\***

**\*\* The results obtained from Simulation and Z-test are identical , that there is no sufficient evidence to reject the null hypothesis which states the conversion rate for new page is less than or equal to the conversion rate of the old page .In contrast ,the result from Logistic Regression , however , rejects the null hypothesis and confirms that the new web page has statistically significant influence on conversion .The difference could be attributed to the test type .That is regression considered as two tailed test while the simulation and Z-test tests are one tailed test (where  $p_{new} > p_{old}$ ) .\*\***

**\*\* Practically speaking ,if all other factors assumed constant and the only changes adopted were on the landing page ; based on the observations , the statistical tests and prediction conducted ,I would suggest to expire the experimentation , assimilate the sunken cost and keep utilizing the exisging landing page , until an alternative landing page is developed .\*\***