

Goodness of fit test

The square of the standard normal variate is known as chi-square variate with 1 degree of freedom (d.f.)

$$\text{If } X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2) \text{ then } Z = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$\chi^2 = \left(\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \right)^2 \text{ is a chi square variate with 1 d.f.}$$

In general, If $X_i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$ then

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{X_i - \mu_i}{\sigma_i} \right)^2 \text{ is a chi-square variate with } n \text{ d.f.}$$

→ We have seen many times, the results obtained in samples do not always agree with the theoretical results.

E.g. If we toss a coin (fair coin) 100 times, then we expect 50 heads and 50 tails

$$(\because E(x) = np = 100 \times \frac{1}{2} = 50)$$

But It is not always true in practical situation.

→ To measure the significance of the discrepancy b/w observed (~~theory~~) and expected (~~theoretical~~) frequencies, we use χ^2 -goodness of fit test.

→ If O_i ($i=1, 2, \dots, n$) be the observed frequencies and E_i ($i=1, 2, \dots, n$) be the expected frequencies

$$\text{then } \chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(O_i - E_i)^2}{E_i}$$

where $\sum_{i=1}^n O_i = \sum_{i=1}^n E_i$ follows chi-square distⁿ with

$(n-1)$ d.f.

- If $\chi^2 = 0$ then observed and expected frequencies agree exactly.
- If $\chi^2 > 0$ then they do not agree exactly.
- The larger the value of χ^2 , the greater is the discrepancy b/w the observed and the expected frequencies.

Condition for χ^2 -test

- (1) The sample observations should be independent.
- (2) $\sum_{i=1}^n O_i = \sum_{i=1}^n E_i$
- (3) The total frequency ≥ 50 . i.e. $\sum O_i \geq 50$
- (4) No theoretical (E_i) frequency should be less than 5.

Steps - (1) Define the hypothesis (H_0, H_1)

(2) Calculate E and χ^2

$E = N/p$ where N - Total frequency
 p - Prob.

(3) Conclude the result.

Que The no. of scooter accidents per month in a certain town were as follows:-

12 8 20 2 14 10 15 6 9 4

Are these frequencies in agreement with the belief that accident conditions are same during this 10 month period.

Solⁿ Step I H_0 :- Accident Conditions are same during 10 month period.
 H_1 :- Accident Conditions are not same.

Step II $\Sigma O = 100$
ie. $N = 100$ - Total Frequency.

Months	O	E	$(O-E)^2$	$(O-E)^2/E$
1	12	10	4	0.4
2	8	10	4	0.4
3	20	10	100	10
4	2	10	64	6.4
5	14	10	16	1.6
6	10	10	0	0
7	15	10	25	2.5
8	6	10	16	1.6
9	9	10	1	0.1
10	4	10	36	3.6
	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>		<u>26.6</u>

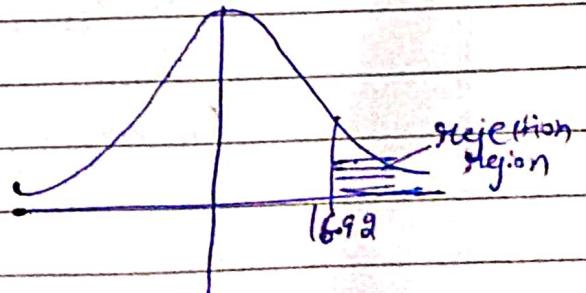
Under H_0 : accidents are uniformly distributed over ~~10~~ the given period.
So $p = \frac{1}{10}$.
 $\therefore E = Np = 100 \times \frac{1}{10} = 10$
 $\therefore \Sigma O = \Sigma E$

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E} = 26.6$$

Step III $d.f = n-1 = 9$
 $\chi^2_{(0.05)} (9 \text{ d.f.}) = 16.92$

$$\chi^2_{\text{Stat}} > \chi^2_{0.05} (9)$$

\Rightarrow reject H_0 .



Que The demand for a particular spare part in a factory was found to be vary from day to day. In a sample study, following information was obtained.

Days	M.	T	W	Th	F	S
No. of parts demanded	1124	1125	1110	1120	1126	1115

Test the hyp. that the no. of parts demanded does not depend on the day of the week.

Solⁿ Step I H_0 : demand does not depend on the day of the week.
 H_1 : It depends on the day of the week.

Step II

$$N = 6720$$

$$p = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$E = Np = \frac{6720}{6} = 1120$$

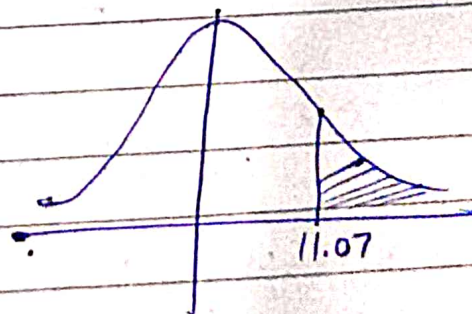
Days	O	E	$(O-E)^2$	$(O-E)^2/E$
M	1124	1120	16	0.014
T	1125	1120	25	0.022
W	1110	1120	100	0.089
Th	1120	1120	0	0
F	1126	1120	36	0.032
S	1115	1120	25	0.022
Total	6720	6720		0.179

$$\chi^2_{Stat} = 0.179$$

$$\chi^2_{(6-1)}(0.05) = 11.07$$

$$\chi^2_{Stat} < \chi^2_{(0.05)}(5)$$

\Rightarrow Do not reject H_0 .



Que A Survey of 800 families with four children each revealed the following distⁿ

no. of boys	0	1	2	3	4
no. of girls	4	3	2	1	0
no. of families	32	178	290	236	64

Is this result consistent with the hypothesis that male and female births are equally probable?

Solⁿ H_0 : equal prob. of male and female births.
 \therefore Prob of male birth $p = \frac{1}{2}$

E $E = N \cdot p$	No. of males	0	E	$(O-E)^2$	$(O-E)/E$
Prob. of x male births in	0	32	50	324	6.48
Family = ${}^4C_x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{4-x}$;	1	178	200	484	2.42
$x=0,1,2,3,4$	2	290	300	100	0.33
	3	236	200	1296	6.48
$P(X=x) = {}^4C_x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4$	4	64	50	196	3.92
		<u>800</u>	<u>800</u>		<u>19.63</u>

$$E = N \cdot p = 800 \times P(x=x)$$

$$= 800 \times \left({}^4C_x\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 = 50 \times \left({}^4C_x\right)$$

$$\chi^2_{\text{Stat}} = 19.63$$

$$\chi^2_{0.05}(4) = 9.48$$

$$\therefore \chi^2_{\text{Stat}} > \chi^2_{0.05}(4)$$

\Rightarrow Reject H_0 .

\Rightarrow Male and female births are not equally probable.

