

Example 6:

Let X have a Binomial distribution with the number of trials $n = 15$ and with probability of “success” p . We wish to test $H_0: p = 0.30$ vs. $H_1: p \neq 0.30$.

Recall that $\hat{p} = \frac{X}{n}$ is the maximum likelihood estimator of p .

a) Find the values of $\Lambda(x) = \frac{L(p_0 = 0.30; x)}{L(\hat{p}; x)}$ for $x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 14, 15$.

Reject H_0 if

$$\Lambda = \frac{L(p_0)}{L(\hat{p})} = \frac{\binom{n}{X} (p_0)^X (1-p_0)^{n-X}}{\binom{n}{X} \left(\frac{X}{n}\right)^X \left(1-\frac{X}{n}\right)^{n-X}} = \frac{(np_0)^X (n-np_0)^{n-X}}{(X)^X (n-X)^{n-X}} \leq k$$

EXCEL:

$$\Lambda(x) = ((15 \cdot 0.30)^x \cdot (15 \cdot 0.30)^{(15-x)}) / (x^x \cdot (15-x)^{(15-x)})$$

$x = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 14,$

$$\Lambda(x) = 0.70^{15} \quad x = 0,$$

$$\Lambda(x) = 0.30^{15} \quad x = 15.$$

OR

$$= \text{BINOMDIST}(x, 15, 0.30, 0) / \text{BINOMDIST}(x, 15, x/15, 0)$$

If H_0 is true, “in the perfect world” $X = 15 \times 0.30 = 4.5$.

Note that Λ takes its largest values “around” 4.5.

x	$\Lambda(k)$	$P(X = x)$	
0	0.004748	0.004748	0.004747562 left tail
1	0.080181	0.03052	0.0352676
2	0.315183	0.09156	0.126827715
3	0.679783	0.17004	0.296867928
4	0.960225	0.218623	
5	0.961846	0.20613	
6	0.71267	0.147236	0.27837856
7	0.399573	0.08113	0.131142573
8	0.171245	0.03477	0.05001254
9	0.056099	0.01159	0.015242526
10	0.013907	0.00298	0.003652521
11	0.00255	0.000581	0.000672234
12	0.000332	8.29E-05	9.16587E-05
13	2.82E-05	8.2E-06	8.71935E-06
14	1.32E-06	5.02E-07	5.16561E-07
15	1.43E-08	1.43E-08	1.43489E-08 right tail

b) Likelihood Ratio Test: Reject H_0 if $\Lambda(x) \leq k$.

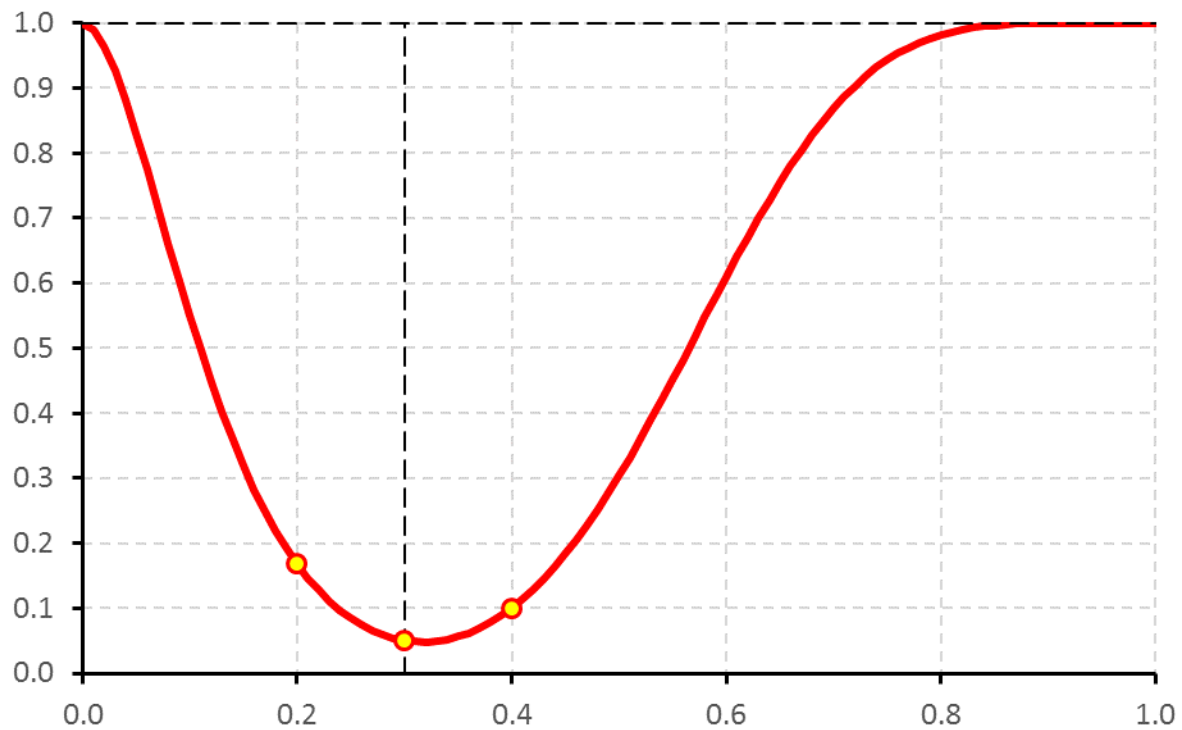
Let $k = 0.15$. Find

- (i) the significance level,
- (ii) power when $p = 0.20$,
- (iii) power when $p = 0.40$

for the corresponding rejection region.

If $k = 0.15$, then $\Lambda \leq k \Leftrightarrow X \leq 1 \text{ or } X \geq 9$

- (i) significance level = $0.035 + 0.015 = \mathbf{0.050}$.
- (ii) Power($p = 0.20$) = $0.167 + 0.001 = \mathbf{0.168}$.
- (iii) Power($p = 0.40$) = $0.005 + 0.095 = \mathbf{0.100}$.



c) Suppose we observe $X = 7$. Find the p-value of this test.

$$\Lambda(7) = 0.399573.$$

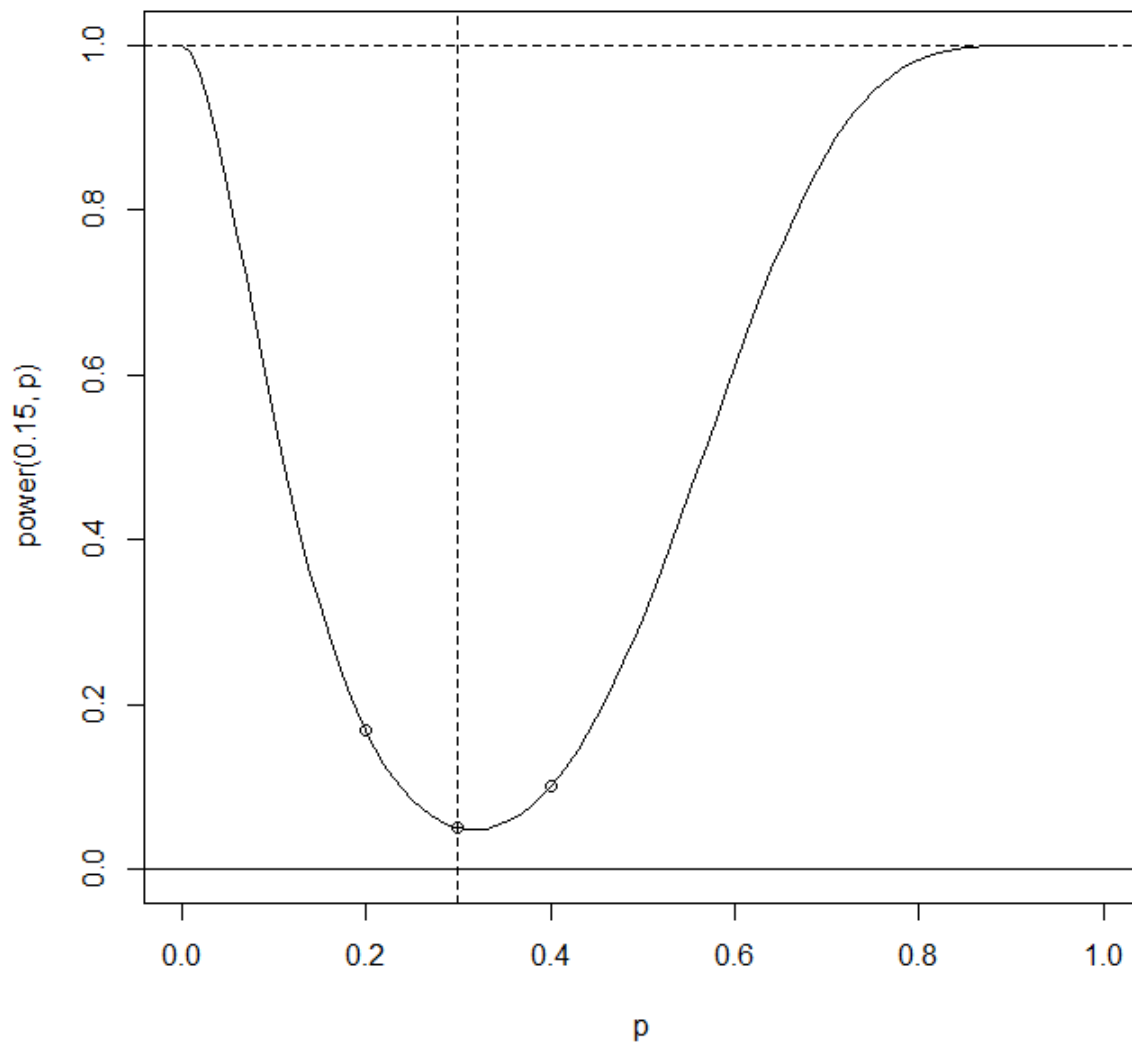
as extreme or more extreme $\Leftrightarrow \Lambda \leq 0.399573 \Leftrightarrow X \leq 2 \text{ or } X \geq 7$

$$\text{p-value} = 0.127 + 0.131 = \mathbf{0.258}.$$

OR

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> x = 0:15
> x
[1] 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
> probHo = dbinom(x,15,0.3)
> probHo
[1] 4.747562e-03 3.052004e-02 9.156011e-02 1.700402e-01 2.186231e-01
[6] 2.061304e-01 1.472360e-01 8.113003e-02 3.477001e-02 1.159000e-02
[11] 2.980287e-03 5.805754e-04 8.293934e-05 8.202792e-06 5.022117e-07
[16] 1.434891e-08
> Lambda = probHo/dbinom(x,15,x/15)
> Lambda
[1] 4.747562e-03 8.018077e-02 3.151827e-01 6.797832e-01 9.602246e-01
[6] 9.618460e-01 7.126703e-01 3.995727e-01 1.712454e-01 5.609941e-02
[11] 1.390662e-02 2.549972e-03 3.315731e-04 2.823694e-05 1.319386e-06
[16] 1.434891e-08
>
> power = function(k,p) {
+ pw = 0
+ for (i in 0:15) {
+   if (Lambda[i+1]<=k) {pw = pw + dbinom(i,15,p)}
+ }
+ pw
+ }
> power(0.15,0.30)
[1] 0.05051013
> power(0.15,0.20)
[1] 0.1679108
> power(0.15,0.40)
[1] 0.1002194
>
> pvalue = function(x) {
+ pv = 0
+ for (i in 0:15) {
+   if (Lambda[i+1]<=Lambda[x+1]) {pv = pv + probHo[i+1]}
+ }
+ pv
+ }
> pvalue(7)
[1] 0.2579703
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> p = seq(0,1, by=0.01)
> plot(p,power(0.15,p), type="l", xlim=c(0,1), ylim=c(0,1))
> abline(h=0)
> abline(h=1, lty=2)
> abline(v=0.3, lty=2)
> points(0.30,power(0.15,0.30))
> points(0.20,power(0.15,0.20))
> points(0.40,power(0.15,0.40))
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Example 7:

Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n be a random sample of size n from a Geometric(p) distribution. That is,

$$p_X(k) = p \cdot (1-p)^{k-1}, \quad k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Consider $H_0: p = p_0$ vs. $H_1: p \neq p_0$

Recall $\hat{p} = 1/\bar{X} = n / \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$.

Reject H_0 if $\Lambda = \frac{L(p_0)}{L(\hat{p})} \leq k$

$$\Lambda = \frac{L(p_0)}{L(\hat{p})} = \frac{(1-p_0)^{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - n} (p_0)^n}{\left(1 - \frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}\right)^{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - n} \left(\frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}\right)^n} \quad \text{if } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i > n,$$

$$\Lambda = \frac{L(p_0)}{L(\hat{p})} = \frac{(p_0)^n}{1} = (p_0)^n \quad \text{if } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = n.$$

Suppose $n = 5, p_0 = 0.30$.

If H_0 is true, “in the perfect world” $\sum_{i=1}^n X_i = \frac{5}{0.30} \approx 16.66667$.

Note that Λ takes its largest values “around” 16.66667.

	n	Po				
	5	0.3				
ΣX_i						
y		$\Lambda(y)$	$P(\Sigma X_i = y)$			left tail
5		0.00243	0.00243		0.00243	
6		0.025396	0.008505		0.010935	
7		0.078447	0.017861		0.028796	
8		0.165732	0.029172		0.057968	
9		0.282547	0.040841		0.098809	
10		0.418212	0.05146		0.150268	
11		0.559444	0.060036		0.210305	
12		0.693316	0.06604		0.276345	
13		0.809253	0.069342		0.345686	
14		0.900012	0.070112			
15		0.961846	0.06871			
16		0.994111	0.065587			
17		0.998595	0.061214			
18		0.978751	0.056035			
19		0.938977	0.050431			right tail
20		0.884011	0.044716		0.282224	
21		0.818484	0.039126		0.237508	
22		0.746604	0.033833		0.198381	
23		0.67198	0.028946		0.164549	
24		0.597545	0.024528		0.135603	
25		0.525554	0.020603		0.111075	
26		0.457633	0.017169		0.090472	
27		0.394853	0.014204		0.073302	
28		0.337828	0.011672		0.059099	
29		0.286801	0.009532		0.047427	
30		0.241738	0.00774		0.037895	
31		0.2024	0.006252		0.030155	
32		0.168415	0.005024		0.023903	
33		0.139327	0.004019		0.018879	
34		0.114641	0.003202		0.01486	
35		0.093852	0.00254		0.011658	
36		0.076467	0.002007		0.009118	
37		0.062024	0.001581		0.00711	
38		0.050097	0.001241		0.005529	
39		0.040302	0.000971		0.004289	
40		0.0323	0.000757		0.003318	

If $k = 0.30$, then

$$\Lambda \leq k \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \leq 9 \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \geq 29$$

$$\text{significance level} = 0.098809 + 0.047427 = 0.146236.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.20) = 0.019581 + 0.314887 = 0.334468.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.40) = 0.266568 + 0.003195 = 0.269763.$$

If $k = 0.20$, then

$$\Lambda \leq k \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \leq 8 \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \geq 32$$

$$\text{significance level} = 0.057968 + 0.023903 = 0.081871.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.20) = 0.010406 + 0.228729 = 0.239135.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.40) = 0.173670 + 0.001031 = 0.174701.$$

If $k = 0.15$, then

$$\Lambda \leq k \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \leq 7 \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \geq 33$$

$$\text{significance level} = 0.028796 + 0.018879 = 0.047675.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.20) = 0.004672 + 0.204384 = 0.209056.$$

$$\text{Power}(p = 0.40) = 0.096256 + 0.000702 = 0.096958.$$

$$\text{Suppose we observe } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = 35. \quad \Lambda(35) = 0.093852.$$

$$\text{as extreme or more extreme} \Leftrightarrow \Lambda \leq 0.093852 \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \leq 7 \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \geq 35$$

$$\text{p-value} = 0.028796 + 0.011658 = 0.040454.$$

$$\text{Suppose we observe } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = 12. \quad \Lambda(12) = 0.693316.$$

$$\text{as extreme or more extreme} \Leftrightarrow \Lambda \leq 0.693316 \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \leq 12 \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \geq 23$$

$$\text{p-value} = 0.276345 + 0.164549 = 0.440894.$$