

Statistics for Computer Science

Assignment 2

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Exercise 3

1. Write down the formula for likelihood function of Poisson distribution.

The formula for the Poisson probability mass function is:

$$P(x, \lambda) = \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^x}{x!}$$

In Poisson distribution, the parameter of interest is λ . Having sequence of X_n , the probability of observing the sequence X_n will be the product of probabilities of each of them.

Therefore, the kernel of likelihood function of Poisson distribution is:

$$L(\lambda|X) = \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{\lambda^{X_i} e^{-\lambda}}{X_i!}$$

2. Write down the formula for log-likelihood function of Poisson distribution.

The formula for log-likelihood function of Poisson distribution is obtained by using natural logarithm on the likelihood function of Poisson distribution.

Therefore, the kernel of log-likelihood function of Poisson distribution is:

$$l(\lambda|X) = \ln \left(\prod_{i=1}^N \frac{\lambda^{X_i} e^{-\lambda}}{X_i!} \right)$$

$$l(\lambda|X) = \sum_{i=1}^N X_i \ln \lambda - N \lambda$$

3. Write down the likelihood equation and work out the exact formula for $\hat{\lambda}$.

$$L(\lambda) = \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{e^{-\lambda} \lambda^{x_i}}{x_i!} = e^{-N\lambda} \frac{\lambda^{\sum_{i=1}^N x_i}}{\prod_{i=1}^N x_i!}$$

$$\ln L(\lambda) = -N\lambda + \sum_{i=1}^N x_i \ln(\lambda) - \ln \left(\prod_{i=1}^N x_i! \right)$$

$$\frac{d \ln L(\lambda)}{d\lambda} = -N + \sum_{i=1}^N x_i \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N x_i}{N}$$

4. Create your own R-function for calculating the value of log-likelihood function of Poisson distribution.

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1 #set up x according to exercise description
2 x <- c(117, 109, 109, 89, 120, 88, 99, 103, 109, 91, 107, 101, 109, 117,
        96, 95, 129, 96, 105, 98)
3
4 #n number of observation
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5 n <- 20
6
7 #the function will take 2 parameters lambda and x
8 #lambda is mean
9 #x is the sequence of observed values
10 #finally it will return the value of log-likelihood of Poisson
    distribution
11 poi.log.likelihood <- function(lambda, x){
12   n <- length(x) #n is number of observations
13   log.like <- sum(x) * log(lambda) - n * lambda
14   return(-log.like)
15 }
16
17 #call function poi.log.likelihood
18 #passing 2 variable lambda(mean) and x
19 #store return value in variable ans.poi.log.like
20 ans.poi.log.like <- poi.log.likelihood(mean(x), x)

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The value of log-likelihood function of Poisson distribution is **-7612.856** .

5. Using function optimize() find $\hat{\lambda}$. Compare it to the estimate you get from the exact formula.

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21 #this function will take 2 parameters x and n
22 #x is the sequence of observed values
23 #n is number of observation
24 #finally it will return lambda hat
25 lambda.hat <- function(x, n){
26   return(sum(x)/n)
27 }
28
29 #call function lambda.hat
30 #passing 2 variables x and n
31 #store value of estimate lambda in ans.lambda.hat
32 ans.lambda.hat <- lambda.hat(x, n)
33
34 #using optimize function to obtain lambda hat
35 #the optimize function take the log-likelihood of Poisson distribution
    to optimize with the given interval
36 #optimize function will return maximum and objective value
37 #in this case we interest in the value of maximum
38 lambda.hat.est <- optimize(f = poi.log.likelihood, interval = c(88, 129)
    , maximum = T, x = x)$maximum

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The exact value of $\hat{\lambda}$ is **104.35** and the estimate value of $\hat{\lambda}$ is **128.9999**.

Using function optimize the value of $\hat{\lambda}$ is greater than using the exact formula

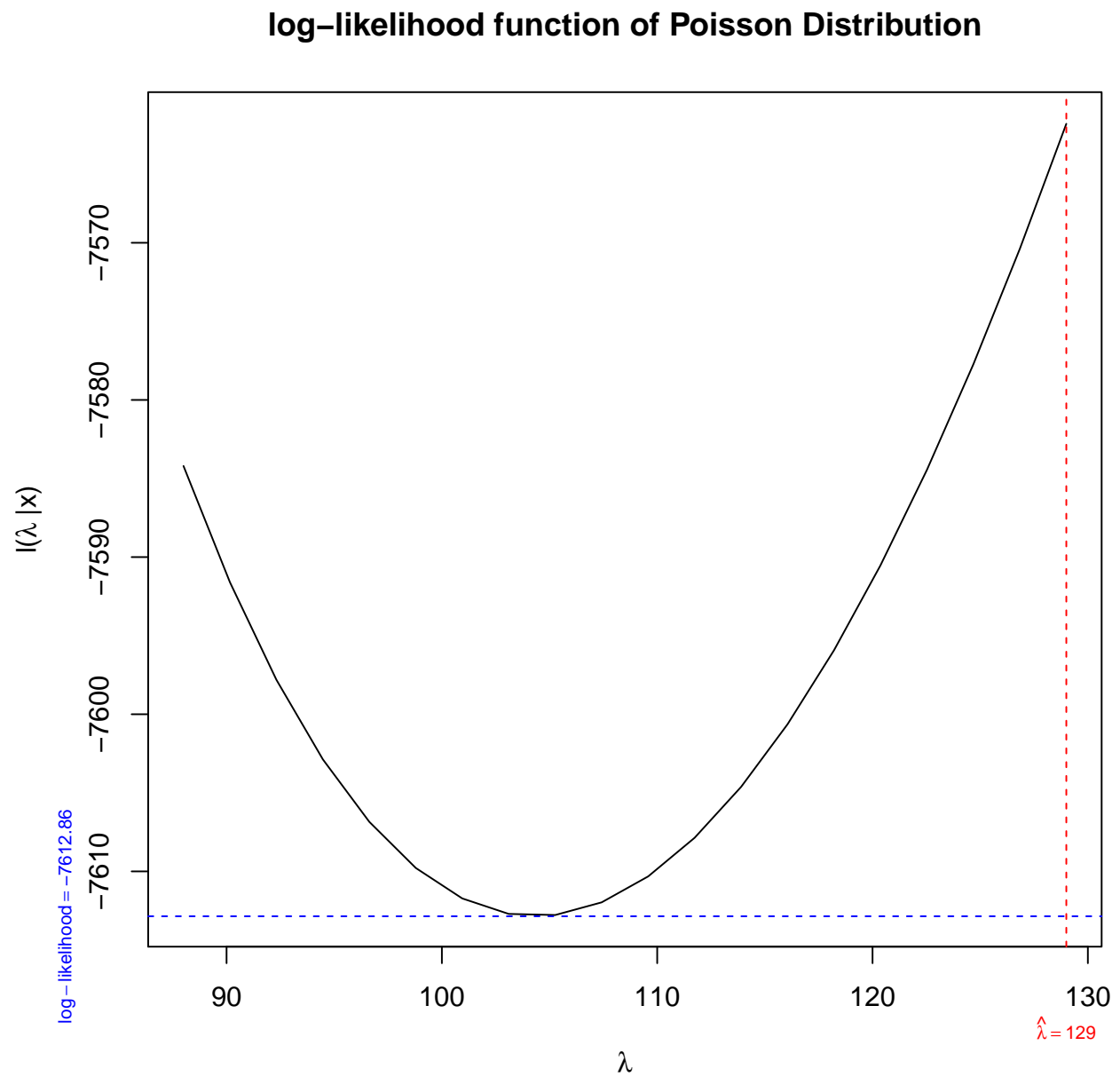
6. Plot the log-likelihood function, highlight the maximum and denote the maximum likelihood estimate in plot margin.

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39 #create sequence of lambda for x-axis from min(x) to max(x)
40 lambda.seq <- seq(from=min(x), to=max(x), length=20)

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41
42 #prepare value for y-axis using function apply
43 l.lambda <- apply(X = as.matrix(lambda.seq), MARGIN = 1, FUN = poi.log.
    likelihood, x=x)
44
45 #generate plot for log-likelihood function of poisson distribution
46 plot(lambda.seq, l.lambda, type = 'l', main="log-likelihood function of
    Poisson Distribution", xlab = bquote(lambda), ylab =bquote(paste('l('
    , lambda, ' |x)'))))
47
48 #set value of lambda estimation on vertical line
49 abline(v = lambda.hat.est, col = 'red', lty =2)
50
51 #set value of log-likelihood on horizontal line
52 abline(h = ans.poi.log.like, col = 'blue', lty = 2)
53
54 #use mtext to set symbol and value of lambda estimation on x-axis
55 mtext(bquote(hat(lambda) == .(round(lambda.hat.est, 2))), side = 1, line
    = 2,
56       at = lambda.hat.est, cex = 0.7, col = 'red')
57
58 #use mtext to set symbol and value of log-likelihood on y-axis
59 mtext(bquote(log-likelihood == .(round(ans.poi.log.like, 2))), side = 2,
    line = 2,
60       at = ans.poi.log.like, cex = 0.7, col = 'blue')
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Exercise 4

1. Write down the null and the alternative hypotheses in mathematical form.

Null hypothesis— $H_0 : \rho = \rho_0$

Alternative hypothesis— $H_1 : \rho \neq \rho_0$,

where $\rho_0 = 0$

2. Calculate the value of test statistic.

```

61 #set working directory
62 setwd(getwd())
63
64 #read data from file txt
65 body <- read.table(file = 'body-measurements.txt', header = T)
66
67 #get only body height of female
68 body.f.height <- body[body$sex == 'f', 'body.H']
69
70 #get only neck of female
71 body.f.neck <- body[body$sex == 'f', 'neck.C']
72
73 #na.omit will clean data that have NA value
74 body.f.height <- na.omit(body.f.height)
75 body.f.neck <- na.omit(body.f.neck)
76
77 #get length of the data
78 n.x <- length(body.f.height)
79 n.y <- length(body.f.neck)
80 n <- n.x <- n.y
81
82 #value of rho from null hypothesis
83 rho0 <- 0
84
85 #significant level
86 alpha <- 0.05
87
88 #calculate the estimate of rho using function cor()
89 #passing vector of body.f.height and body.f.neck
90 rho.est <- cor(body.f.height, body.f.neck, method = c("pearson", "
    kendall", "spearman"))
91
92 #calculate ZR using Fisher Z -variable
93 ZR <- 1/2 * log((1+ rho.est)/(1- rho.est))
94
95 #calculate the value of xi
96 xi <- 1/2 * log((1+ rho0)/(1-rho0))
97
98 #calculate the value of test statistics
99 zW <- sqrt(n -3)*(ZR - xi)
100 # round(zW, 5) => 1.39395

```

Result: $z_w = 1.39395$

3. Calculate the critical region and make your decision.

```

101 #calculate critical value using qnorm for lower bound
102 z.CR.1 <- qnorm(alpha/2, lower.tail = T)

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103 # round(z.CR.l, 5) => -1.95996
104
105 #calculate critical value using qnorm for upper bound
106 z.CR.u <-qnorm(alpha/2, lower.tail = F)
107 # round(z.CR.u, 5) => 1.95996

```

Result: $W = (-\infty, -1.95996) \cup (1.95996, \infty)$

The test statistic $zw = 1.39395$ does not belong to the critical region. Therefore H_0 is not rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

4. Calculate the p-value and make your decision.

```

108 #calculate the p-value using test statistic value and pnorm()
109 p.val.zW <- 2 * (1 - pnorm(abs(zW)))
110 # round(p.val.zW, 5) => 0.16333

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Result: $p\text{-value} = 0.16333$

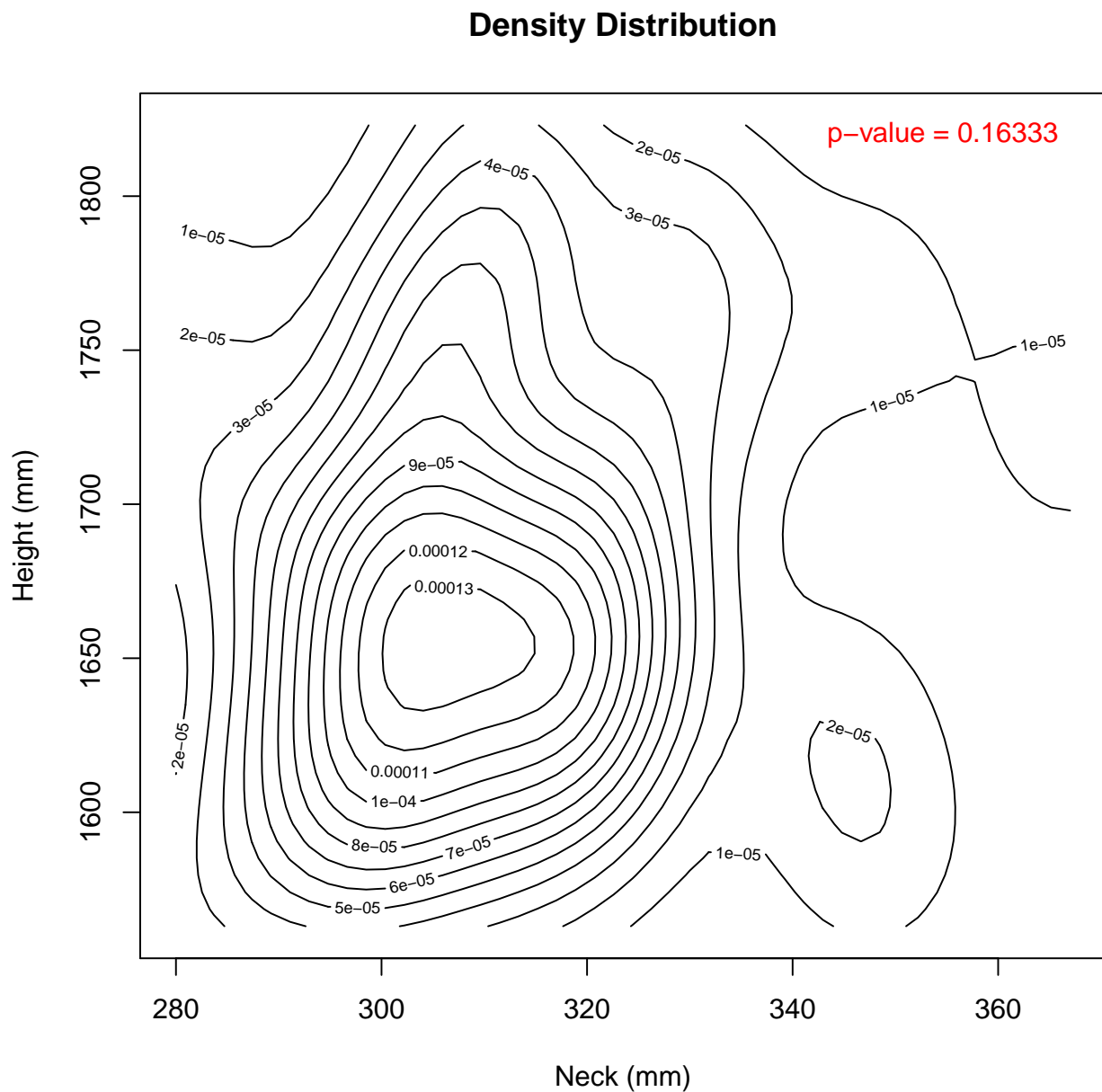
The p-value is **0.16333** which is greater than significance level $\alpha = 0.05$. Therefore H_0 is not rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

5. Plot the density of the distribution, that the test statistic follows, and visualise the p-value.

```

111 #create plot for bivariate distribution
112
113 #create data frame for body neck and height
114 df <- data.frame(body.f.neck, body.f.height)
115
116 #load library called MASS to use function kde2d
117 library(MASS)
118
119 #call function kde2d to generate density of body neck and height
120 body_density <- kde2d(df$body.f.neck, df$body.f.height, n=n)
121
122 #plot bivariate distribution
123 plot1 <- contour(body_density, xlab='Neck (mm)', ylab= 'Height (mm)',
124                 main='Density Distribution')
125
126 #add text showing p-value on top right of the plot
127 text(x = 355, y = 1820, labels = "p-value = 0.16333 ", xpd = NA, col = 'red')

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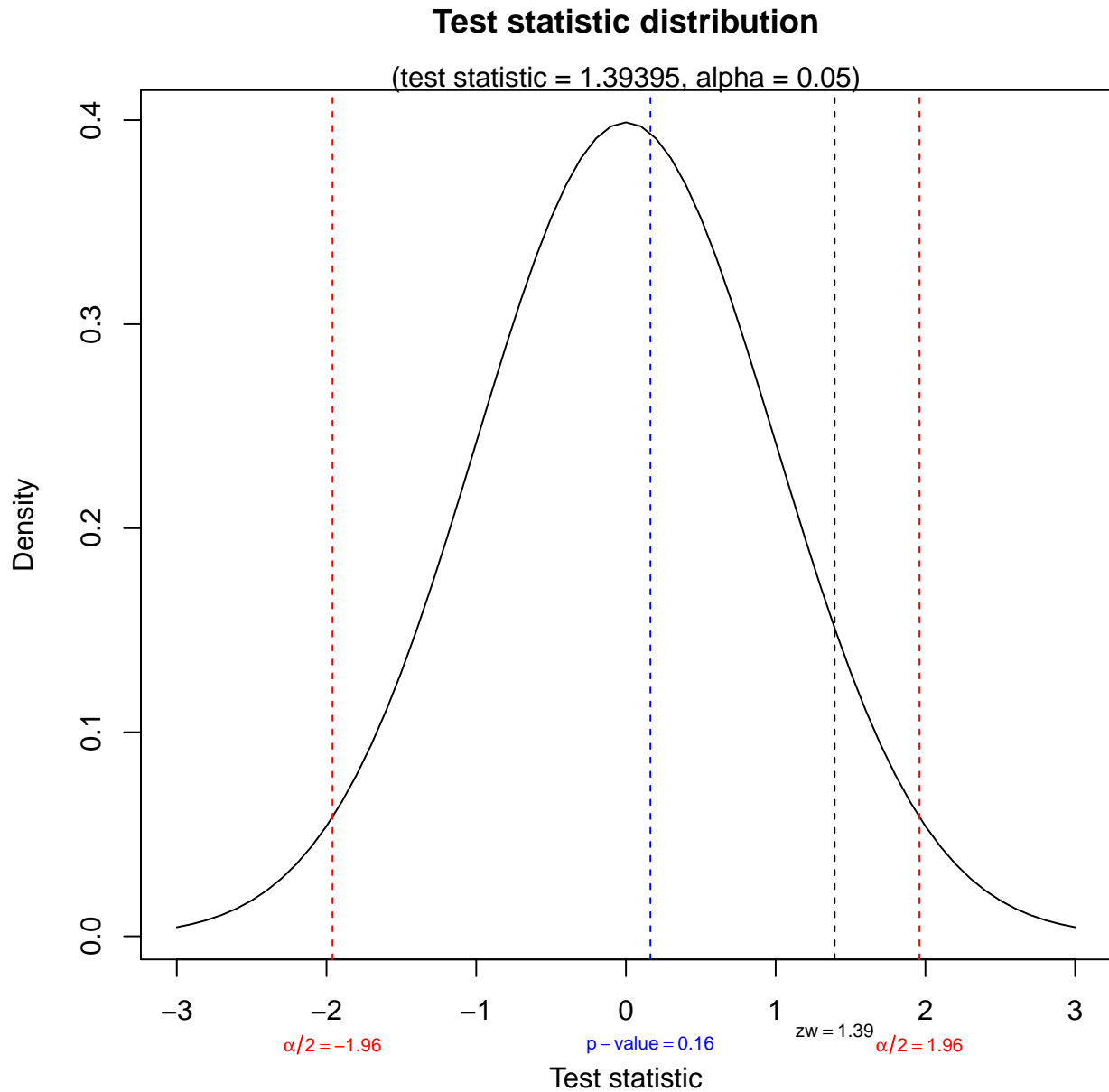
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127 #create another plot based on test statistics density distribution
128
129 #set sequence of test statistic from -3 to 3
130 zw.seq <- seq(-3,3, by = .1)
131
132 #using dnorm to create density distribution
133 dvalues <- dnorm(zw.seq)
134
135 #plot the test statistic
136 plot2 <- plot(zw.seq, dvalues, type = 'l', xlab='Test statistic', ylab =
      'Density', main = 'Test statistic distribution')
137

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138 #add text under main title
139 text(x = 0, y = 0.42, labels = '(test statistic = 1.39395, alpha = 0.05)
    ', col = 'black', xpd= NA)
140
141 #add vertical line for test statistic value and text
142 abline(v = zW, col = 'black', lty =2)
143 mtext(bquote(zw == .(round(zW, 2))), side = 1, line = 1.5,
144       at = zW, cex = 0.7, col = 'black')
145
146 #add vertical line for lower bound critical region and text
147 abline(v = z.CR.l, col = 'red', lty =2)
148 mtext(bquote(alpha/2 == .(round(z.CR.l, 2))), side = 1, line = 2,
149       at = z.CR.l, cex = 0.7, col = 'red')
150
151 #add vertical line for upper bound critical region and text
152 abline(v = z.CR.u, col = 'red', lty =2)
153 mtext(bquote(alpha/2 == .(round(z.CR.u, 2))), side = 1, line = 2,
154       at = z.CR.u, cex = 0.7, col = 'red')
155
156 #add vertical line for p-value and text
157 abline(v = p.val.zW, col = 'blue', lty =2)
158 mtext(bquote(p-value == .(round(p.val.zW, 2))), side = 1, line = 2,
159       at = p.val.zW, cex = 0.7, col = 'blue')
```



6. Calculate the confidence interval for ρ and make your decision.

```

160 #calculate the confidence interval Uaplha/2 = 1.95996 for lower bound
161 CI.zW.l <- tanh(ZR - 1.95996/sqrt(n-3))
162 # round(CI.zW.l, 5) => -0.08418
163
164 #calculate the confidence interval Uaplha/2 = 1.95996 for upper bound
165 CI.zW.u <- tanh(ZR + 1.95996/sqrt(n-3))
166 # round(CI.zW.u, 5) => 0.46209

```

Result: $CI : (-0.08418, 0.46209)$

$\rho_0 = 0$ belongs to the value of $CI : (-0.08418, 0.46209)$. Therefore H_0 is not rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

7. Interpret your conclusion.

Statistical conclusion:

H_0 is not rejected on a significant level $\alpha = 0.05$, because (1) test statistics does not belong to critical region, (2) $\rho_0 = 0$ belongs to the confidence interval, and (3) p-value is greater than 0.05.

Verbal conclusion:

We are not rejecting null hypothesis that is stated there is no correlation between body height and neck circumference of females.

Exercise 5

1. Write down the null and the alternative hypotheses in mathematical form.

Null hypothesis— $H_0 : p_1 - p_2 = p_0$

Alternative hypothesis— $H_1 : p_1 - p_2 \neq p_0$,

where $p_0 = 0$

2. Calculate the value of test statistic.

```

167 #setup first group data n1: number of product from group 1, x1: number
    of faulty product from group 1
168 n1 <- 200
169 x1 <- 32
170
171 #calculate the estimate probability of group 1
172 p1.est <- x1 / n1
173
174 #setup second group data n2: number of product from group 2, x2: number
    of faulty product from group 2
175 n2 <- 230
176 x2 <- 21
177
178 #calculate the estimate probability of group 2
179 p2.est <- x2 / n2
180
181 #calculate the estimate standard deviation
182 sd.est <- sqrt((p1.est*(1-p1.est))/n1 + (p2.est*(1-p2.est))/n2)
183
184 #value of p from null hypothesis
185 p0 <- 0
186
187 #significant level
188 alpha <- 0.05

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189
190 #calculate the value of test statistics using Wald Test
191 zW.obs <- (p1.est - p2.est - p0)/sd.est
192 # round(zW.obs, 5) => 2.13765

```

Result: $zw = 2.13765$

3. Calculate the critical region and make your decision.

```

193 #calculate the critical region for lower bound
194 z.CR.l <- qnorm(alpha/2, lower.tail = T)
195 # round(z.CR.l, 5) => -1.95996
196
197 #calculate the critical region for upper bound
198 z.CR.u <- qnorm(alpha/2, lower.tail = F)
199 # round(z.CR.u, 5) => 1.95996

```

Result: $W = (-\infty, -1.95996) \cup (1.95996, \infty)$

The test statistic $zw = 2.13765$ belongs to the upper bound critical region. Therefore H_0 is rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

4. Calculate the p-value and make your decision.

```

200 #calculate the p-value using value of test statistic and pnorm()
201 p.val.zW <- 2 * (1 - pnorm(abs(zW.obs)))
202 # round(p.val.zW, 5) => 0.03255

```

Result: $p\text{-value} = 0.03255$

The p-value is **0.03255** which is smaller than significance level $\alpha = 0.05$. Therefore H_0 is rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

5. Calculate the confidence interval and make your decision.

```

203 #calculate the confidence interval for lower bound Ualpha/2 = 1.95996
204 CI.zW.l <- p1.est - p2.est - (1.95996 * sd.est)
205 # round(CI.zW.l, 5) => 0.00571
206
207 #calculate the confidence interval for upper bound Ualpha/2 = 1.95996
208 CI.zW.u <- p1.est - p2.est + (1.95996 * sd.est)
209 # round(CI.zW.u, 5) => 0.13168

```

Result: $CI : (0.00571, 0.13168)$

$p_0 = 0$ does not belong to the value of $CI : (0.00571, 0.13168)$. Therefore H_0 is rejected at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$.

6. Interpret your conclusion.

Statistical conclusion:

H_0 is rejected on a significant level $\alpha = 0.05$, because (1) test statistics belongs to critical region, (2) $p_0 = 0$ does not belong to the confidence interval, and (3) p-value is less than 0.05.

Verbal conclusion:

We are rejecting null hypothesis that the probability of getting a faulty product are the same in both factories.