Homwork2-Exam 1 Preparation HW

Homework02Gr6

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This homework is accumulative, with the intention of assisting you to prepare for Exam1. It is due Wednesday 11:59pm, you will get extra 10pts for this HW if you finish it by Tuesday 11:59pm. Yes, I know it has lots of problems, but I believe that you want to perform well for the coming exam, so this HW will be very beneficial!

Attention: Please finish all 14 problems step by step, rather than using the advance functions t.test, prop.test. However, you are encouraged to use more advance functions to check your solutions.

##Q1 Devore 2nd edition 7.1.5

```
#Given standard deviation
sigma <-0.75

# (a) Compute 95% CI for true average porosity (n = 20, sample mean =
4.85)
n1 <- 20
xbar1 <- 4.85
alpha1 <- 0.05  # 95% CI
z1 <- qnorm(1 - alpha1/2)  # Z-score for 95% CI

margin_error1 <- z1 * (sigma / sqrt(n1))
CI_95 <- c(xbar1 - margin_error1, xbar1 + margin_error1)
print("95% Confidence Interval is:")
## [1] "95% Confidence Interval is:"</pre>
CI_95
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## [1] 4.521304 5.178696
## (b) Compute 98% CI for another seam
n2 <- 16
xbar2 < -4.56
alpha2 <- 0.02 # 98% CI
z2 <- qnorm(1 - alpha2/2) # Z-score for 98% CI
margin error2 <- z2 * (sigma / sgrt(n2))
CI 98 <- c(xbar2 - margin error2, xbar2 + margin error2)
print("98% Confidence Interval is:")
## [1] "98% Confidence Interval is:"
CI 98
## [1] 4.12381 4.99619
## (c) Sample Size for 95% CI Width of 0.40
width <- 0.40 # Total width of CI
margin error target <- width / 2 # Half-width
# Solve for sample size: n = (z*sigma / margin error)^2
n required 95 <- (z1 * sigma / margin error target)^2
n required 95 <- ceiling(n required 95) # Round up to nearest whole
number
print("Required Sample Size is: ")
## [1] "Required Sample Size is: "
n required 95
## [1] 55
## (d) Sample Size for 99% CI with Width 0.2
width 99 <- 0.2 # Total width
margin error target 99 <- width 99 / 2 # Half-width
alpha3 <- 0.01 # 99% CI
z3 <- qnorm(1 - alpha3/2) # Z-score for 99% CI
n required 99 <- (z3 * sigma / margin error target 99)^2
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n required 99 <- ceiling(n required 99) # Round up to nearest whole
print("Required Sample Size is: ")
## [1] "Required Sample Size is: "
n required 99
## [1] 374
## Part (a)
# Given data
xbar <- 654.16 # Sample mean
s <- 164.43 # Sample standard deviation
n <- 50 # Sample size
df <- n - 1 # Degrees of freedom
alpha <- 0.05 # 95% confidence level
## Since the sample standard deviation is given and the population
standard deviation is unknown, we must estimate it using sample
standard distribution. Now we can use normal distribution because the
sample size is 50 (>30) but even for larger n, the t-distribution is
more accurate using s instead of sigma
# Compute critical t-value
critical t \leftarrow qt(1 - alpha/2, df)
# Compute margin of error
margin error <- critical t * (s / sqrt(n))
# Compute confidence interval
CI 95 <- c(xbar - margin error, xbar + margin error)
CI 95
## [1] 607.4295 700.8905
##Part (b)
sigma est <- 175 # Estimated standard deviation</pre>
ME <- 50 / 2 # Margin of error (half of interval width)
alpha <- 0.05 # 95% confidence level
z alpha <- qnorm(1 - alpha/2) # Z-score for 95% CI
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# Compute required sample size
n required <- ( (z alpha * sigma est) / ME )^2
n required <- ceiling(n required) # Round up to nearest whole number
print("The sample size is : ")
## [1] "The sample size is : "
n required
## [11 189
# Given data
phat <- 0.53 # Sample proportion</pre>
n <- 2343 # Sample size
alpha <- 0.01 # 99% confidence level
z alpha <- gnorm(1 - alpha/2) # Critical z-value for 99%
# Compute standard error
SE <- sqrt((phat * (1 - phat)) / n)</pre>
# Compute margin of error
ME <- z alpha * SE
# Compute confidence interval
CI 99 <- c(phat - ME, phat + ME)
print ("99% confidence interval is :")
## [1] "99% confidence interval is:"
CI 99
## [1] 0.5034406 0.5565594
## Sample Size Calculation for CI Width ≤ 0.05
# Desired margin of error
ME target <- 0.05 / 2 # Half of the total width
p star <- 0.5 # Conservative estimate for p</pre>
# Compute required sample size
n required <- ( (z alpha / ME target)^2 ) * (p star * (1 - p star))</pre>
n required <- ceiling(n required) # Round up
print("Required sample size is :")
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## [1] "Required sample size is :"
n required
## [1] 2654
# Given values
# Given data
mean x < -370.69
s < -24.36
n < -26
alpha <- 0.05 # For a 95% confidence level
# Degrees of freedom
df <- n - 1
# t-value for 95% confidence level
t value \leftarrow qt(1 - alpha, df)
# Calculate the upper confidence bound
upper conf bound <- mean x + t value * (s / sqrt(n))
upper conf bound
## [1] 378.8505
##Part (b)
# Calculate the upper prediction bound for a single worker
upper pred bound <- mean x + t value * sqrt(s^2 * (1 + 1/n))
upper pred bound
## [1] 413.093
##Part (c)
# Calculate the prediction interval for the average of two new workers
t value new \leftarrow qt(1 - alpha/2, n + 1)
# Calculate the 95% two-sided interval
lower pred interval <- mean x - t value_new * (s / sqrt(2))</pre>
upper pred interval <- mean x + t value new * (s / sqrt(2))
c(lower pred interval, upper pred interval)
## [1] 335.347 406.033
```

Devore problem D8.1.13

Part (a): We want to test if the scale is calibrated correctly, meaning if the true average weight reading is equal to 10 kg. The hypotheses are:

- Null Hypothesis (H_0) : m = 10 kg (the scale is correctly calibrated)
- Alternative Hypothesis (H_{Δ}) : $m \neq 10$ kg (the scale is not correctly calibrated)

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# Given data
x_bar <- 9.85  # sample mean
mu_0 <- 10  # hypothesized population mean
sigma <- 0.200  # population standard deviation
n <- 25  # sample size

# Calculate Z score
z_score <- (x_bar - mu_0) / (sigma / sqrt(n))

# Calculate P-value for two-tailed test
p_value <- 2 * (1 - pnorm(abs(z_score)))
p_value
## [1] 0.0001768346</pre>
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At a significance level of 0.01, we reject the null hypothesis.

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# New true means
m1 <- 10.1
m2 <- 9.8

# Z-scores for m1 and m2
z_score_m1 <- (m1 - mu_0) / (sigma / sqrt(n))
z_score_m2 <- (m2 - mu_0) / (sigma / sqrt(n))

# Calculate the probability of not rejecting the null hypothesis for
m1 and m2
prob_m1 <- pnorm(abs(z_score_m1)) - pnorm(-abs(z_score_m1))
prob_m2 <- pnorm(abs(z_score_m2)) - pnorm(-abs(z_score_m2))

c(prob_m1, prob_m2)

## [1] 0.9875807 0.9999994</pre>
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# Given data
x bar <- 5.25 # sample mean
mu_0 <- 5.5 # hypothesized population mean</pre>
s < -0.3
              # population standard deviation
n <- 16 # sample size
# Calculate the t-statistic
t stat \leftarrow (x bar - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
# Degrees of freedom
df <- n - 1
# Calculate the p-value for a two-tailed test
p value \leftarrow 2 * (1 - pt(abs(t stat), df))
t stat
## [1] -3.333333
p value
## [1] 0.004537856
#Significance level
alpha <- 0.01
if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
  conclusion <- "Reject HO: True average differs from 5.5"</pre>
} else {
  conclusion <- "Fail to reject H0: True average doesn't differ from</pre>
5.5"
}
conclusion
## [1] "Reject HO: True average differs from 5.5"
#Part (b)
# New true mean
mu true <- 5.6
# Calculate the non-centrality parameter
delta <- (mu true - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
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# Calculate the power of the test (probability of detecting the
power \leftarrow 1 - pt(qt(1 - alpha/2, df), df, ncp = delta) + pt(qt(alpha/2, df))
df), df, ncp = delta)
power
## [1] 0.08331193
#Part (c)
# Desired power and significance level
desired power <- 0.99
alpha <- 0.01
# Effect size (d) for delta
d <- (mu true - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))</pre>
# Calculate the required sample size for given power
library(pwr)
sample size <- pwr.t.test(d = d, siq.level = alpha, power =</pre>
desired power, type = "two.sample")$n
ceiling (sample size)
## [1] 29
# Given data
distances \leftarrow c(32.1, 30.6, 31.4, 30.4, 31.0, 31.9)
n <- length(distances)</pre>
x bar <- mean(distances) # Sample mean</pre>
mu 0 <- 30 # Hypothesized population mean
s <- sd(distances) # Sample standard deviation
alpha <- 0.01 # Significance level</pre>
# Calculate the t-statistic
t stat \leftarrow (x bar - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
# Degrees of freedom
df \leftarrow n - 1
# Calculate the p-value for a one-tailed test
p value <- 1 - pt(t stat, df)</pre>
t stat
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## [1] 4.384921
p value
## [1] 0.003560841
if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
  conclusion <- "Reject HO: True average stopping distance is greater</pre>
than 30ft."
} else {
 conclusion <- "Fail to reject HO: True average stopping distance is
egual to 30ft."
conclusion
## [1] "Reject HO: True average stopping distance is greater than
30ft."
## Part (b)
# Actual means for Type II error calculation
mu true 31 <- 31
mu true 32 <- 32
# Non-centrality parameter for each mean
delta 31 <- (mu true 31 - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
delta 32 <- (mu true 32 - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
# Calculate the Type II error probabilities (1 - power) for each mean
beta 31 \leftarrow pt(qt(1 - alpha, df), df, ncp = delta 31)
beta 32 \leftarrow pt(qt(1 - alpha, df), df, ncp = delta 32)
c(beta 31, beta 32)
## [1] 0.395046365 0.004696065
## Part (c)
# New sample standard deviation
s new < -0.80
# Non-centrality parameters for the new standard deviation
delta 31 new <- (mu true 31 - mu 0) / (s new / sqrt(n))
delta 32 new \leftarrow (mu true 32 - mu 0) / (s new / sqrt(n))
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# Calculate the Type II error probabilities for the new standard
deviation
beta 31 new \leftarrow pt(qt(1 - alpha, df), df, ncp = delta 31 new)
beta 32 new <- pt(gt(1 - alpha, df), df, ncp = delta 32 new)
c(beta 31 new, beta 32 new)
## [1] 0.52980978 0.02451232
## Part (d)
# Desired power and Type II error probability
desired power <- 0.90
alpha <- 0.01
# Effect size (d) for delta when true mean is 31
delta size <- (mu true 31 - mu 0) / (0.65)
# Use the pwr.t.test function to calculate the required sample size
library(pwr)
sample size <- pwr.t.test(d = delta size, sig.level = alpha, power =</pre>
desired power, type = "one.sample")$n
ceiling (sample size)
## [1] 10
# Given data
n <- 51 # sample size
x <- 41 # number of homes with problems
p hat <- x / n # sample proportion</pre>
p 0 <- 0.50 # hypothesized population proportion
alpha <- 0.01 # significance level
# Calculate the z-statistic
z \text{ stat} \leftarrow (p \text{ hat } -p_0) / \text{ sqrt}((p_0 * (1 - p_0)) / n)
# Calculate the p-value for a one-tailed test
p value <- 1 - pnorm(z stat)</pre>
z stat
## [1] 4.340868
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p value
## [1] 7.09604e-06
if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
  conclusion <- "Reject HO: More than 50% of homes with Chinese
drywall have electrical/environmental problems.."
} else {
 conclusion <- "Fail to reject HO: 50% of homes with Chinese drywall
have electrical/environmental problems"
conclusion
## [1] "Reject HO: More than 50% of homes with Chinese drywall have
electrical/environmental problems.."
## Part (b)
# Z-score for 99% confidence level
z alpha <- gnorm(1 - alpha)</pre>
# Calculate the lower confidence bound
lower conf bound <- p hat - z alpha * sqrt((p hat * (1 - p hat)) / n)</pre>
lower conf bound
## [1] 0.674588
## Part (c)
# Actual true proportion for Type II error calculation
p true <- 0.80
# Calculate the non-centrality parameter (delta)
delta \leftarrow (p true - p 0) / sqrt((p 0 * (1 - p 0)) / n)
# Calculate the probability of failing to reject H0 (Type II error)
beta <- pnorm(qnorm(1 - alpha) - delta)</pre>
beta
## [1] 0.02508515
# Given data
x bar <- 18.12 # Sample mean for modified mortar
y bar <- 16.87 # Sample mean for unmodified mortar
s1 <- 1.6 # Standard deviation for modified mortar</pre>
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s2 <- 1.4 # Standard deviation for unmodified mortar
m <- 40 # Sample size for modified mortar
n <- 32 # Sample size for unmodified mortar
alpha <- 0.01 # Significance level
# Calculate the z-statistic for the difference in means
z stat <- (x bar - y bar) / sqrt((s1<sup>2</sup> / m) + (s2<sup>2</sup> / n))
# Calculate the p-value for a one-tailed test
p value <- 1 - pnorm(z stat)</pre>
z stat
## [1] 3.532004
p value
## [1] 0.0002062118
if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
  conclusion <- "Reject HO: Modified mortar has a higher average</pre>
tension bond strength than unmodified mortar"
} else {
  conclusion <- "Fail to reject HO: Unmodifier mortar has a higher
average tension bond strength than unmodified mortar"
conclusion
## [1] "Reject H0: Modified mortar has a higher average tension bond
strength than unmodified mortar"
##Part (b)
# True difference in means for Type II error calculation
true diff <- 1
# Non-centrality parameter
delta \leftarrow true diff / sqrt((s1<sup>2</sup> / m) + (s2<sup>2</sup> / n))
# Calculate the Type II error probability (beta)
beta <- pnorm(qnorm(1 - alpha) - delta)</pre>
beta
## [1] 0.3087999
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##Part (c)
# Desired power
desired power <- 0.90
alpha new <-0.05
# Effective size (d) for delta when true difference is 1
d \leftarrow true diff / sqrt((s1^2 / m) + (s2^2 / n))
# Use the pwr package to calculate the required sample size
library(pwr)
sample size <- pwr.t.test(d = d, sig.level = alpha new, power =</pre>
desired power, type = "two.sample")$n
ceiling (sample size)
## [1] 4
## part (d)
# Pooled standard deviation (when s1 and s2 are unknown)
s pooled \leftarrow sqrt(((m-1) * s1^2 + (n-1) * s2^2) / (m+n-2))
# Calculate the t-statistic for the test
t stat unknown <- (x bar - y bar) / (s pooled * sqrt(1/m + 1/n))
# Degrees of freedom
df unknown \leftarrow m + n - 2
# Calculate the p-value for a one-tailed t-test
p value unknown <- 1 - pt(t stat unknown, df unknown)</pre>
t stat unknown
## [1] 3.479565
p value unknown
## [1] 0.0004342387
##Data
# Blackbirds Experimental Location
t blackbirds exptl <- 13.4
se blackbirds exptl <- 2.05
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n blackbirds exptl <- 65
# Blackbirds Natural Location
t blackbirds natural <- 9.7
se blackbirds natural <- 1.76
n blackbirds natural <- 50
#Silvereyes Experimental location
t silvereyes exptl <- 49.4
se silvereyes exptl <- 4.78
n silvereyes exptl <- 34
# Silvereyes Natural Location
t silvereyes natural <- 38.4
se silvereves natural <- 5.06
n silvereyes natural <- 46
#Part a
#Upper Confidence Bound for Blackbirds at Experimental Location
library(stats)
alpha <- 0.05 # 95% confidence level
t crit \leftarrow qt(1 - alpha, df = n blackbirds exptl - 1)
upper bound <- t blackbirds exptl + t crit * se blackbirds exptl
upper bound
## [1] 16.82148
#Part b
#Hypothesis Test: Does Blackbirds' Time at Experimental Location
Exceed Natural Location?
# Hypotheses
# HO: mu blackbirds exptl <= mu blackbirds natural
# HA: mu blackbirds exptl > mu blackbirds natural
t stat <- (t blackbirds exptl - t blackbirds natural) /
sqrt(se blackbirds exptl^2/n blackbirds exptl +
se blackbirds natural^2/n blackbirds natural)
df <- min(n blackbirds exptl - 1, n blackbirds natural - 1)</pre>
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p value <- 1 - pt(t stat, df)
print ("t statistic && p value: ")
## [1] "t statistic && p value: "
list(t statistic = t stat, p value = p value)
## $t statistic
## [1] 10.3986
##
## $p value
## [1] 2.708944e-14
#Part (c)
#Confidence Interval for Difference Between Silvereves and Blackbirds
at Natural Location
diff means <- t silvereyes natural - t blackbirds natural</pre>
se diff <- sqrt(se silvereyes natural^2/n silvereyes natural +
se blackbirds natural^2/n blackbirds natural)
t crit diff \leftarrow qt(1 - alpha/2, df = min(n silvereyes natural - 1,
n blackbirds natural - 1))
ci lower <- diff means - t crit diff * se diff
ci upper <- diff means + t crit diff * se diff
#Confidence interval
list(mean difference = diff means, ci lower = ci lower, ci upper =
ci upper)
## $mean difference
## [1] 28.7
##
## $ci lower
## [1] 27.11595
##
## $ci upper
## [1] 30.28405
#Point Estimate with Standard Error for Difference Between Silvereyes
and Blackbirds at Natural Location
diff means <- t silvereyes natural - t blackbirds natural
se diff <- sqrt(se silvereyes natural^2/n silvereyes natural +
se_blackbirds_natural^2/n blackbirds natural)
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list(mean difference = diff means, standard error = se diff)
## $mean difference
## [1] 28.7
##
## $standard error
## [1] 0.7864808
## Data Entry
# Lactation (L) and Postweaning (P) TBBMC data
L \leftarrow c(1928, 2549, 2825, 1924, 1628, 2175, 2114, 2621, 1843, 2541)
P \leftarrow c(2126, 2885, 2895, 1942, 1750, 2184, 2164, 2626, 2006, 2627)
diff <- P - L # Differences (P - L)
n <- length(diff)</pre>
#Part (a)
## (a) Hypothesis Test: Does Postweaning TBBMC Exceed Lactation by
More Than 25q?
library(stats)
alpha <- 0.05
mu 0 <- 25 # Hypothesized difference
x bar <- mean(diff)</pre>
s <- sd(diff)
t stat \leftarrow (x bar - mu 0) / (s / sqrt(n))
df <- n - 1
p value <- 1 - pt(t_stat, df)</pre>
list(mean difference = x bar, t statistic = t stat, p value = p value)
## $mean difference
## [1] 105.7
##
## $t statistic
## [1] 2.457468
##
## $p value
## [1] 0.01815458
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if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
 conclusion <- "Reject HO: There is significant evidence that the
true average TBBMC postweaning exceeds lactation by more than 25q."
} else {
  conclusion <- "Fail to reject HO: We do not have strong enough
evidence to claim that the increase is more than 25g"
conclusion
## [1] "Reject HO: There is significant evidence that the true average
TBBMC postweaning exceeds lactation by more than 25g."
## (b) Upper Confidence Bound for True Average Difference
conf level <- 0.95
t crit <- qt(conf level, df)
upper bound <- x bar + t crit * (s / sqrt(n))
upper bound
## [1] 165.897
## (c) Two-Sample t Test Comparison
t test result <- t.test(P, L, var.equal = TRUE, alternative =
"greater")
t test result
##
##
   Two Sample t-test
##
## data: P and L
## t = 0.58872, df = 18, p-value = 0.2817
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is greater than 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -205.6358
                    Tnf
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
##
      2320.5
                2214.8
### Explanation:
print ("The paired t-test in (a) takes into account the natural
pairing of measurements within subjects, whereas the two-sample t-test
assumes independent samples. From two sample test, it leads to
conclusion that we fail to reject Null Hypothesis since p value is
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higher than alpha. The reason maybe due to the loss of paired
structure, affecting variability and statistical power.")
## [1] "The paired t-test in (a) takes into account the natural
pairing of measurements within subjects, whereas the two-sample t-test
assumes independent samples. From two sample test, it leads to
conclusion that we fail to reject Null Hypothesis since p value is
higher than alpha. The reason maybe due to the loss of paired
structure, affecting variability and statistical power."
#Data
# Observed data
n perdue <- 80
contaminated perdue <- 35
non contaminated perdue <- n perdue - contaminated perdue
n tyson <- 80
contaminated tyson <- 66
non contaminated tyson <- n tyson - contaminated tyson
# Sample proportions
p hat perdue <- non contaminated perdue / n perdue
p hat tyson <- non contaminated tyson / n tyson</pre>
## (a) Hypothesis Test: Difference in True Proportion of Non-
Contaminated Broilers
library(stats)
# HO: p perdue = p tyson
# HA: p perdue ≠ p tyson
p hat diff <- p hat perdue - p hat tyson
p pool <- (non contaminated perdue + non contaminated tyson) /</pre>
(n perdue + n tyson)
se pool \leftarrow sqrt(p pool * (1 - p pool) * (1/n perdue + 1/n tyson))
z stat <- p hat diff / se pool</pre>
p value \leftarrow 2 * (1 - pnorm(abs(z stat)))
list(z statistic = z stat, p value = p value)
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```
## $z statistic
## [1] 5.079664
##
## $p value
## [1] 3.781029e-07
alpha <- 0.01 #significance level
if (p value < alpha) {</pre>
  conclusion <- "Reject H0: True proportion of non- contaminated</pre>
Perdue broilers differs from that for the Tyson brand."
} else {
  conclusion <- "Fail to reject HO: True proportion of non-
contaminated Perdue broilers does not differ from that for the Tyson
brand"
}
conclusion
## [1] "Reject H0: True proportion of non- contaminated Perdue
broilers differs from that for the Tyson brand."
## (b) Power Analysis: Probability of Rejecting Ho When True
Proportions Are 0.50 and 0.25
# Given true proportions
p perdue true <- 0.50
p tyson true <- 0.25
p diff true <- p perdue true - p tyson true
se true <- sqrt((p perdue true * (1 - p perdue true) / n perdue) +
                (p tyson true * (1 - p tyson true) / n tyson))
z beta <- (p diff true / se true) - qnorm(1 - 0.01/2) # Two-tailed</pre>
test at alpha = 0.01
power <- 1 - pnorm(z beta)</pre>
list(power = power)
## $power
## [1] 0.2104711
# Given data
s control <- 32  # Standard deviation for control group
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n control <- 23 # Sample size for control group
s low dose <- 54 # Standard deviation for low-dose group
n low dose <- 20 # Sample size for low-dose group
librarv(stats)
# HO: sigma^2 low dose = sigma^2 control (Equal variances)
# HA: sigma^2 low dose > sigma^2 control (Greater variability in low-
dose group)
f stat <- (s low dose^2) / (s control^2)
df num <- n low dose - 1
df den <- n control - 1
p value <- 1 - pf(f stat, df num, df den)
list(f statistic = f stat, p value = p value)
## $f statistic
## [1] 2.847656
##
## $p value
## [1] 0.01008296
if (p value < 0.05) {
  conclusion <- "Reject HO: There is significant evidence that the
low-dose group has greater variability in weight gain"
} else {
 conclusion <- "Fail to reject H0:No significant evidence of greater</pre>
variability in the low-dose group "
}
conclusion
## [1] "Reject HO: There is significant evidence that the low-dose
group has greater variability in weight gain"
# Given data
s cotton <- 0.79 # Standard deviation for Cotton fabric
n cotton <- 10  # Sample size for Cotton fabric
s triacetate <- 3.59 # Standard deviation for Triacetate fabric
n triacetate <- 10  # Sample size for Triacetate fabric
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95% Upper Confidence Bound for the Ratio of Standard Deviations library(stats) alpha <- 0.05 # 95% confidence level f_stat <- (s_triacetate^2) / (s_cotton^2) df_num <- n_triacetate - 1 df_den <- n_cotton - 1 f_crit <- qf(1 - alpha, df_num, df_den) upper_bound <- f_stat / f_crit list(f_statistic = f_stat, upper_confidence_bound = upper_bound) ## \$f_statistic ## [1] 20.6507 ## ## \$upper_confidence_bound ## [1] 6.496191</pre>