

1. We have a few ways to control bias
 - a. Corroborating findings with external or independent datasets to minimize the effect of biases in the original dataset
 - b. Increase the number of samples
 - c. Using statistical techniques such as regression analysis to adjust for the influence of confounding variables
2. A confounder is a variable that influences both the dependent variable and independent variable, leading to a spurious association. It can cause a researcher to incorrectly believe that there is a cause-and-effect relationship between the independent and dependent variables.
3. A/B testing is a method to compare two versions of a single variable to determine which version performs better. It involves a controlled experiment with two groups: A (control group) and B (treatment group), to measure the effect of a change or difference between the groups.
4. The Welch t-test is used when comparing the means of two groups that may have different variances and possibly different sample sizes.
5. Null Hypothesis: $H_0: \mu=6$ $H_A: \mu>6$

a.

$$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s / \sqrt{n}}$$

we can use t-test to find the t-statistic

b. .

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from scipy import stats
import numpy as np

# Customer service call time hypothesis test
# Population mean (under H0), sample mean, sample standard deviation, sample size
mu_0 = 6
x_bar = 6.5
s = 1.2
n = 50

# Calculate the t-statistic and p-value for one-sample t-test
t_statistic = (x_bar - mu_0) / (s / np.sqrt(n))
p_value = stats.t.sf(t_statistic, df=n-1) # one-tailed test

(t_statistic, p_value)

(2.946278254943948, 0.0024555744280253798)

# Testing differences in mean scores between groups for math test
# Group A details
mu_a = 75
std_a = 8
n_a = 25

# Group B details
mu_b = 78
std_b = 7
n_b = 30

# Calculate the test statistic and p-value for Welch's t-test
t_statistic_groups, p_value_groups = stats.ttest_ind_from_stats(mean1=mu_a, std1=std_a, nobs1=n_a,
                                                                mean2=mu_b, std2=std_b, nobs2=n_b,
                                                                equal_var=False) # Welch's t-test

(t_statistic_groups, p_value_groups)

(-1.4650132801342768, 0.14941450596390296)
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- c. For question 5 As we can see $p < 0.05$, reject the null hypothesis
- d. For question 6, as we can see $p > 0.05$, fail to reject the null hypothesis