Categorical Data

Overview

- Categorical data is divided into several groups.
 - -. nominal data
 - -. ordinal data
- Numerical data can be also treated as categorical data by the class



Contingency Table

- Contingency Table
 - The first row and the first column indicate different levels of the two different variables.
 - The other cells show the frequencies of corresponding levels.

Y	level 1	level 2	level 3	Total
level 1	n_{11}	n_{12}	n_{13}	$n_{1.}$
level 2	n_{21}	n_{22}	n_{23}	$n_{2.}$
Total	$n_{.1}$	$n_{.2}$	$n_{.3}$	$n_{\cdot \cdot} = N$



Frequency

- Observed frequency (O_{ij})
 - : The counts for the given levels from the actual data
- Expected frequency (E_{ij})
 - : The expected frequency for the given levels when \mathcal{H}_0 is true



Contingency Table

- Expected Frequency
 - The expected probability at the i th row (P_i)

$$p_{i.} = \frac{n_{i.}}{N}$$

■ The expected probability at the j th column (P_{.j})

$$p_{.j} = \frac{n_{.j}}{N}$$

 $p_{.j} = \frac{n_{.j}}{N}$ • The expected frequency in the cell of the i th row and and the j th column

$$n_{ij} = N \cdot p_{i.} \cdot p_{.j} = \frac{n_{i.} n_{.j}}{N}$$



- Chi-square tests
 - It computes test statistic by comparing the observed frequencies and the expected frequencies in the cells.
 - Test statistic (T)

$$T = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{c} \frac{(O_{ij} - E_{ij})^{2}}{E_{ij}} \sim \chi^{2}_{(r-1)\cdot(c-1)}$$

• O_{ij} : observed frequency, E_{ij} : expected frequency, r: the number of rows, c: the number of columns



Chi-square Tests

- Likelihood ratio tests
 - If n is large enough, G² also follows chi-square distribution
 - Test statistic (T)

$$G^{2} = \sum_{i=1}^{r} \sum_{j=1}^{c} \log(\frac{O_{ij}}{E_{ij}}) \sim \chi^{2}_{(r-1)\cdot(c-1)}$$

• O_{ij} : observed frequency, E_{ij} : expected frequency, r: the number of rows, c: the number of columns



pd.crosstab (index, columns, margins, margins name)

- -. Index: values to group by in the rows
- -. columns: values to group by in the columns
- -. margines = True or False: If true, show the total
- -. margins_name : the names of row and column margins.



Contingency Table

Example

 Summarize 'edu_income9.csv' using contingency table. The row is based on 'education' and column is based on 'income' in the table.



- Example (continue..)
 - Contingency table:

```
In [10]: table1 = pd.crosstab(index = data1['education'], columns = data1['income'],margins=True, margins_name="Total")

Out[10]:

income high low midium Total
education

college 255 81 105 441
high-school 111 65 93 269
middle-school 90 86 114 290

Total 456 232 312 1000
```



Contingency Table

from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency

chi2_contingency (observed)

- -. observed: the contingency table
- -. Returns:
 - (1) chi2: the test statistic
 - (2) p : p-value
 - (3) dof: degrees of freedom
 - (4) expected: the expected frequencies



Example

• With the previous example, test whether the income levels are different by the education at $\alpha = 0.05$.

```
H_0: (p_{college,high}, p_{college,mid}, p_{college,low})
= (p_{high-schoo}, high, p_{high-schoo}, mid, p_{high-school,low})
= (p_{middle-schoo}, high, p_{middle-school,mid}, p_{middle-schoo}, low)
```



Contingency Table

• Example (continue..)

```
In [18]: from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
           chi2, pval, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(table1)
In [19]: print('Test statistic: ',np.round(chi2,4))
    print('p-value :', np.round(pval,6))
    print('Degrees of freedom :', dof)
           print('Expected Freq :', expected)
            Test statistic: 53.6209
           p-value : 0.0
           Degrees of freedom : $ 4
Expected Freq : [[ 201.096
                                              102.312 137.592 441.
             [ 122.664 62.408 83.928 269.
             [ 132.24
                            67.28
                                       90.48
                                                  290.
             [ 456.
                           232.
                                      312.
                                                 1000.
                                                           ]]
```



pd.pivot_table (data, index, columns, values, aggfunc, margins)create a spread-sheet style pivot table

-. data: data-frame

-. index: keys to group by on the pivot table index

-. columns: keys to group by on the pivot table columns

-. values : observed frequencies

-. aggfunc: a list of functions

-. margins =True or False: If true, compute the total



Chi-square Tests

Example

• The table shows the frequencies of the participants in the school festival by the grade. Test whether the proportions are the same by the grade at $\alpha = 0.05$.

	G1	G2	G3	G4	Total
Attend	6	14	13	7	40
Absent	48	32	47	33	160
Total	54	46	60	40	200



Create a dataframe for pivot table



Chi-square Tests

Create a pivot table

```
In [32]: table2 = pd.pivot_table(data2, values=['Observed'], index=['status'], columns=['grade'], aggfunc=np.sum, margins=True, margins_name="Total")

Observed

grade G1 G2 G3 G4 Total

status

Absent 48 32 47 33 160

Attend 6 14 13 7 40

Total 54 46 60 40 200
```



- Example
 - Chi-square test

$$H_0$$
: $p_{G1} = p_{G2} = p_{G3} = p_{G4}$

```
In [34]: chi2, pval, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(table2)
    print('Test statistic: ',np.round(chi2,4))
    print('p-value:', np.round(pval,6))
```

Test statistic: 6.0575 p-value: 0.640789



Chi-square Tests

- Practice
 - The table was made to observe whether there is association between smoking and lung cancer. Test whether the association is valid between smoking and lung cancer at $\alpha=0.05$.

	Smoker	Non-smoker	Total
Lung cancer	117	33	150
Healthy	30	120	150
Total	147	153	300



Fisher's Exact Tests

Overview

■ The observed probability can be computed if (a+b),(c+d),(a+c),(b+d) are fixed in the table.

а	b	a+b
С	d	c+d
a+c	b+d	n

$$p_0 = \frac{(a+b)! \cdot (c+d)! \cdot (a+c)! \cdot (b+d)!}{n! \cdot a! \cdot b! \cdot c! \cdot d!}$$



Fisher's Exact Tests

Overview

- Fisher's exact test is used when the proportion of the cells whose frequencies are less than 5 is $\geq 20\%$ in the table.
- P-value is computed by the sum of probabilities of tables whose probabilities being observed are smaller than the probability of the given table being observed when (a+b),(c+d),(a+c),(b+d) are fixed in the table.
- We can reject H_0 if p-value is smaller than α , and conclude that the two variables are associated.



from scipy.stats import fisher_exact

fisher_exact (observed, alternative)

- -. observed: the 2x2 contingency table without margin
- -. alternative = 'two-sided', 'less' or 'greater'



Fisher's Exact Tests

Example

• Compute the p-value and observed probability.

	Α	В	Total
G1	1	8	9
G2	4	5	. 9
Total	5	13	18



Fisher's Exact Tests

- Example
 - Pivot table



Fisher's Exact Tests

- Example
 - Observed probability

```
In [87]: import math

def observed_prob(table):
    n, p = table.shape
    out1 = 1
    out2 = 1
    tot_n = 0

    for i in range(n):
        tot_n += np.sum(table.iloc[i,:])
        out1 *= math.factorial(np.sum(table.iloc[i,:]))
        for j in range(p):
            out2 *= math.factorial(table.iloc[i,j])

    out2 *= math.factorial(tot_n)
    for j in range(p):
        out1 *= math.factorial(np.sum(table.iloc[:,j]))

    result = out1/out2
    return result

In [88]: print("observed probability is ",np.round(observed_prob(table3),4))
```

observed probability is 0.1324

Fisher's Exact Tests

- Example
 - Compute p-value

```
In [90]: from scipy.stats import fisher_exact
   _, pval = fisher_exact(table3, alternative='two-sided')
   print('p-value is ', round(pval,4))
   p-value is 0.2941
```

