

STATISTICS WORKSHEET-1

Q1 to Q9 have only one correct answer. Choose the correct option to answer your question.

1. Bernoulli random variables take (only) the values 1 and 0.

- a) True
- b) False

ANS :- a) True

2. Which of the following theorem states that the distribution of averages of iid variables, properly normalized, becomes that of a standard normal as the sample size increases?

- a) Central Limit Theorem
- b) Central Mean Theorem
- c) Centroid Limit Theorem
- d) All of the mentioned

ANS :-a) Central Limit Theorem

3. Which of the following is incorrect with respect to use of Poisson distribution?

- a) Modeling event/time data
- b) Modeling bounded count data
- c) Modeling contingency tables
- d) All of the mentioned

ANS :-b) Modeling bounded count data

4. Point out the correct statement.

- a) The exponent of a normally distributed random variables follows what is called the log- normal distribution
- b) Sums of normally distributed random variables are again normally distributed even if the variables are dependent
- c) The square of a standard normal random variable follows what is called chi-squared distribution

d) All of the mentioned

ANS :-d) All of the mentioned

5. _____ random variables are used to model rates.

a) Empirical

b) Binomial

c) Poisson

d) All of the mentioned

ANS :- c) Poisson

6. 10. Usually replacing the standard error by its estimated value does change the CLT.

a) True

b) False

ANS :-b) False

7. 1. Which of the following testing is concerned with making decisions using data?

a) Probability

b) Hypothesis

c) Causal

d) None of the mentioned

ANS :-b) Hypothesis

8. 4. Normalized data are centered at _____ and have units equal to standard deviations of the original data.

a) 0

b) 5

c) 1

d) 10

ANS :-a) 0

9. Which of the following statement is incorrect with respect to outliers?

- a) Outliers can have varying degrees of influence
- b) Outliers can be the result of spurious or real processes
- c) Outliers cannot conform to the regression relationship
- d) None of the mentioned

ANS :-c) Outliers cannot conform to the regression relationship

Q10 and Q15 are subjective answer type questions, Answer them in your own words briefly.

10. What do you understand by the term Normal Distribution?

ANS :-Normal Distribution is a bell-shaped frequency distribution curve which helps describe all the possible values a random variable can take within a given range with most of the distribution area is in the middle and few are in the tails, at the extremes.

11. How do you handle missing data? What imputation techniques do you recommend?

ANS :-Mean or Median Imputation. When data is missing at random, we can use list-wise or pair-wise deletion of the missing observations.

Multivariate Imputation by Chained Equations (MICE) MICE assumes that the missing data are Missing at Random (MAR).

Random Forest.

12. What is A/B testing?

ANS :- A/B testing, also known as split testing, refers to a randomized experimentation process wherein two or more versions of a variable (web page, page element, etc.) are shown to different segments of website visitors at the same time to determine which version leaves the maximum impact and drives business metrics.

13. Is mean imputation of missing data acceptable practice?

ANS:-It is acceptable when the missing value proportion is not large enough. But, when the missing values are large enough and you impute them with the mean, the standard errors will be lesser than what they actually would have been.

14. What is linear regression in statistics?

ANS:-Linear regression is a statistical method that tries to show a relationship between variables. It looks at different data points and plots a trend line. A simple example of linear regression is finding that the cost of repairing a piece of machinery increases with time.

15. What are the various branches of statistics?

ANS :-The two main branches of statistics are descriptive statistics and inferential statistics. Both of these are employed in scientific analysis of data and both are equally important for the statistics