

Hypothesis test to see whether there is a difference in the conversion rate between the two groups.

$$H_0: \hat{P}_A = \hat{P}_B$$

$$H_1: \hat{P}_A \neq \hat{P}_B$$

Type of Test: Two sample Z-Test with pooled proportion

\hat{P}_A = conversion rate of control group

\hat{P}_B = conversion rate of treatment group

\hat{P} = estimate of proportions

SE = standard error

n_A = number of users in Control group, A

n_B = number of users in Treatment group, B

$$\hat{P} = \frac{\hat{P}_A n_A + \hat{P}_B n_B}{n_A + n_B}$$

$$= \frac{0.0392(24343) + 0.0463(24600)}{24343 + 24600}$$

$$\hat{P} = 0.0428$$

$$Z^* = \frac{(\hat{p}_A - \hat{p}_B)}{\sqrt{\hat{p}^*(1-\hat{p}^*)\left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}\right)}} = \frac{\hat{P}_A - \hat{P}_B}{SE}$$

$$SE = \sqrt{0.0428(1-0.0428)\left(\frac{1}{24343} + \frac{1}{24600}\right)}$$

$$= 0.00183$$

$$Z = (0.0392 - 0.0463) / 0.00183$$

$$= -3.8798 \quad \text{Excel: Norm.s.dist}(-3.6798)$$

$$\text{Therefore, P-value} = 0.000052271$$

$$\text{P-value} = 0.0001$$

$$\text{Significance level } \alpha = 0.05$$

$$\text{Hence, p-value of } 0.0001 < \alpha\text{-value of } 0.05$$

Conclusion: We reject the Null hypothesis that the conversion rate of the control group, A is equal to that of the treatment group, B. We have enough evidence to support the Alternative hypothesis which states that the difference in the conversion rates of the control and treatment group is statistically significant.

95% Confidence interval for the difference in the conversion rate between the treatment and control groups

$$\text{Confidence interval} = \text{Sample statistic} \pm \text{Margin of Error}$$

$$= \text{Sample Statistic} \pm \text{Critical Value} \times \text{Standard Error}$$

$$\text{Sample Statistic, } \hat{P} = \hat{P}_A - \hat{P}_B$$

$$= 0.0392 - 0.0463$$

$$= -0.0071$$

$$\text{Critical Value, } Z_{\alpha/2}$$

$$= 0.05/2$$

$$= Z_{0.025}$$

$$= -1.96$$

Standard Error Unpooled = 0.00183

Confidence interval= $-0.0071 \pm 1.96 \times 0.00183$

$$= -0.0071 \pm 0.0036$$

Confidence Interval: $0.0035 < p < 0.0107$

Conclusion: We are 95% sure that the true conversion rate in the combined population of the control and treatment groups is likely to fall within 0.0035 and 0.0107.

Hypothesis test to see whether there is a difference in the average amount spent per user between the two groups.

$$H_0: \bar{x}_A = \bar{x}_B \quad \bar{x}_A = 3.375 \quad SE = \sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}$$

$$H_1: \bar{x}_A \neq \bar{x}_B \quad \bar{x}_B = 3.391$$

S_1 =sample standard deviation Control group, $A=25.93639$

S_2 =sample standard deviation Treatment group, $B=25.41411$

N_1 =sample size of control group, $A=24343$

N_2 =sample size of Treatment group, $B=24600$

Type of test: Two Sample T test

$$t^* = \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2 - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}}$$

$$\bar{x}_A - \bar{x}_B = -0.016$$

$$SE = 0.2321$$

$$\text{Therefore, } t = -0.016/0.2321$$

$$= -0.0689 \quad \text{Excel}$$

$$P(|t| \geq 0.0689)$$

$$= 0.0527465$$

$$= 1 - 0.0527465$$

$$= 0.472535 \times 2$$

$$= 0.94507$$

P-value = 0.94507 while $\alpha=0.05$ at 95% confidence level

$$0.94507 > 0.05$$

Conclusion: the p-value of 0.945 is not statistically significant, therefore we fail to reject the Null Hypothesis that there is no difference in the mean amount spent per user between the control and treatment groups. We, therefore, do not have enough evidence to support the Alternative hypothesis that the mean amount spent per user between the control and treatment groups are different.

95% confidence interval for the difference in the average amount spent per user between the treatment and control groups.

Confidence Interval = Test Statistic \pm critical value \times standard error

$$= -0.016 \pm 1.96 \times 0.232$$

$$= -0.016 \pm 0.455$$

$$= -0.439 < \mu < 0.471$$

Conclusion: We are 95% sure that the true average amount spent in the combined population of the control and treatment groups is likely to fall within \$-0.439 and \$0.471.

RECOMMENDATION

I recommend launching the banner based on two premises:

- A significant positive difference was observed in the conversion rates between the control and treatment groups. In like manner, there was a positive difference, albeit marginal, in the average amount spent per user between the control and treatment groups.
- Furthermore, hoisting a digital banner on the website constitutes a lightweight expenditure that carries minimal financial risk even if the positive results derived from the experiment are not prolonged. In other words, this risk will have no jeopardizing effect on the business.