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## **Variable Distribution Type Tests (Gaussian)**

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# Variable Distribution Type Tests

- Shapiro-Wilk Test
- D'Agostino's  $k^2$  Test
- Anderson-Darling Test

# Shapiro-Wilk Test

Tests whether a data sample has a Gaussian distribution/normal distribution.

## **Assumptions**

Observations in each sample are independent and identically distributed (iid).

## **Interpretation**

- $H_0$ : The sample has a Gaussian/normal distribution.
- $H_a$ : The sample does not have a Gaussian/normal distribution.

# D'Agostino's $k^2$ Test

Tests whether a data sample has a Gaussian distribution/normal distribution.

## Assumptions

Observations in each sample are independent and identically distributed (iid).

## Interpretation

- $H_0$ : The sample has a Gaussian/normal distribution.
- $H_a$ : The sample does not have a Gaussian/normal distribution.

## Remember

- If Data Is Gaussian:
  - Use Parametric Statistical Methods
- Else:
  - Use Nonparametric Statistical Methods

## **Variable Relationship Tests (correlation)**

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# Variable Relationship Tests

- Pearson's Correlation
- Coefficient
- Spearman's Rank Correlation
- Kendall's Rank Correlation
- Chi-Squared Test

# Correlation Test

Correlation Measures whether greater values of one variable correspond to greater values in the other. Scaled to always lie between  $\pm 1$  .

- Correlation is Positive when the values increase together.
- Correlation is Negative when one value decreases as the other increases.
- A correlation is assumed to be linear.
- 1 is a perfect positive correlation
- 0 is no correlation (the values don't seem linked at all)
- -1 is a perfect negative correlation



# Correlation Methods

- **Pearson's Correlation Test:**  
assumes the data is normally distributed and measures linear correlation.
- **Spearman's Correlation Test:**  
does not assume normality and measures non-linear correlation.
- **Kendall's Correlation Test:**  
similarly does not assume normality and measures non-linear correlation, but it less commonly used.

## Difference Between Pearson's and Spearman's

### Pearson's Test

Parametric Correlation

Linear relationship

Continuous variables

Proportional change

### Spearman's Test

Non-parametric

Non-linear relationship

continuous or ordinal variables

Change not at constant rate

# Pearson's Correlation Coefficient

Tests whether two samples have a linear relationship.

## Assumptions

- Observations in each sample are independent and identically distributed (iid).
- Observations in each sample are normally distributed.
- Observations in each sample have the same variance.

## Interpretation

- $H_0$ : There is a relationship between two variables
- $H_a$ : There is no relationship between two variables

# Spearman's Rank Correlation Test

Tests whether two samples have a monotonic relationship.

## Assumptions

- Observations in each sample are independent and identically distributed (iid).
- Observations in each sample can be ranked.

## Interpretation

- **H0 hypothesis:**  
There is is relationship between variable 1 and variable 2
- **H1 hypothesis:**  
There is no relationship between variable 1 and variable 2

# Kendall's Rank Correlation Test

## Assumptions

- Observations in each sample are independent and identically distributed (iid).
- Observations in each sample can be ranked.

## Interpretation

- **H0 hypothesis:**

There is is relationship between variable 1 and variable 2

- **H1 hypothesis:**

There is no relationship between variable 1 and variable 2

## Chi-Squared Test (Con..)

- The Chi-square test of independence tests if there is a significant relationship between two categorical variables. The test is comparing the observed observations to the expected observations.
- The data is usually displayed in a cross-tabulation format with each row representing a category for one variable and each column representing a category for another variable.
- Chi-square test of independence is an omnibus test. Meaning it tests the data as a whole. This means that one will not be able to tell which levels (categories) of the variables are responsible for the relationship if the Chi-square table is larger than  $2 \times 2$ .
- If the test is larger than  $2 \times 2$ , it requires post hoc testing. If this doesn't make much sense right now, don't worry. Further explanation will be provided when we start working with the data.

# Chi-Squared Test (Con..)

## Assumptions

- It should be two categorical variables(e.g; Gender)
- Each variables should have at least two groups(e.g; Gender = Female or Male)
- There should be independence of observations(between and within subjects)
- Large sample size
  - The expected frequencies should be at least 1 for each cell.
  - The expected frequencies for the majority(80%) of the cells should be at least 5.

If the sample size is small, we have to use **Fisher's Exact Test**

**Fisher's Exact Test** is similar to Chi-squared test, but it is used for small-sized samples.

# Chi-Squared Test

## Interpretation

- The  $H_0$  (Null Hypothesis): There is a relationship between variable one and variable two.
- The  $H_a$  (Alternative Hypothesis): There is no relationship between variable 1 and variable 2.



# Contingency Table

Contingency table is a table with at least two rows and two columns(2x2) and its use to present categorical data in terms of frequency counts.

Thank You

