

Chapter 15

Chi-Squared Tests

A Common Theme...

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我們不知道90人到102人是不是採樣誤差 還是真的支持度有上升

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- If the market shares remain the same, each person in the sample will be
 - A person who prefer A with a probability 45%
 - A person who prefer B with a probability 40%
 - A person who prefer other with a probability 15%

The Multinomial Experiment...

Unlike a binomial experiment which only has two possible outcomes (e.g. heads or tails), a ***multinomial experiment***:

- Consists of a fixed number, **n**, of trials.
- Each trial can have one of **k** outcomes, called cells.
- Each probability **p_i** remains constant.
- Our usual notion of probabilities holds, namely:

$$p_1 + p_2 + \dots + p_k = 1, \text{ and}$$

- Each trial is ***independent*** of the other trials.

在這題裡面 $n = 200$, $k = 3$, 45% like company A 40 % like company B etc

Chi-squared Goodness-of-Fit Test...

We test whether there is sufficient evidence to reject a *specified set* of values for p_i .

To illustrate, our null hypothesis is:

$$H_0: p_1 = a_1, p_2 = a_2, \dots, p_k = a_k$$

where a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k are the values we want to test.

Our research hypothesis is:

H_1 : At least one p_i is not equal to its specified value

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We compare market share *before* and *after* an advertising campaign to see if there is a *difference* (i.e. if the advertising was effective in improving market share). We hypothesize values for the parameters equal to the before-market share. That is,

$$H_0: p_1 = .45, p_2 = .40, p_3 = .15$$

The alternative hypothesis is a denial of the null. That is,

$$H_1: \text{At least one } p_i \text{ is not equal to its specified value}$$

Example 15.1...

Test Statistic

If the null hypothesis is true, we would expect the number of customers selecting brand A, brand B, and other to be 200 times the proportions specified under the null hypothesis. That is,

$$e_1 = 200(.45) = 90$$

$$e_2 = 200(.40) = 80$$

$$e_3 = 200(.15) = 30$$

In general, the *expected frequency* for each cell is given by

$$e_i = np_i$$

This expression is derived from the formula for the expected value of a binomial random variable, introduced in Section 7.4.

Example 15.1...

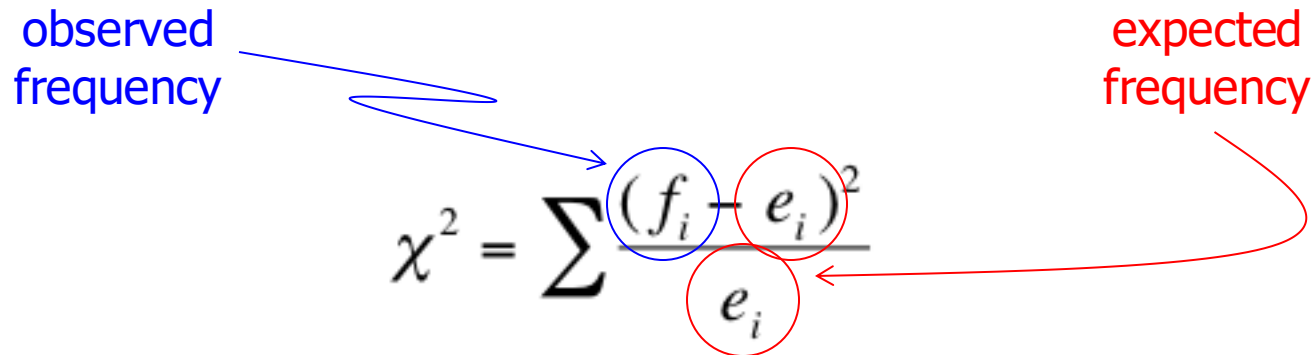
If the expected frequencies and the observed frequencies are quite **different**, we would conclude that **the null hypothesis is false, and we would reject it.**

However, if the expected and observed frequencies are **similar**, we **would not reject the null hypothesis.**

The test statistic measures the similarity of the expected and observed frequencies.

Chi-squared Goodness-of-Fit Test...

Our Chi-squared goodness of fit test statistic is given by:



The diagram shows the formula for the Chi-squared test statistic: $\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(f_i - e_i)^2}{e_i}$. A blue arrow points from the text "observed frequency" to the f_i term in the numerator, which is circled in blue. A red arrow points from the text "expected frequency" to the e_i term in the denominator, which is circled in red. The e_i term in the numerator is also circled in red.

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(f_i - e_i)^2}{e_i}$$

Note: this statistic is *approximately* Chi-squared with $k-1$ degrees of freedom provided the sample size is large. The rejection region is: $\chi^2 > \chi_{\alpha, k-1}^2$

Example 15.1...

COMPUTE

In order to calculate our test statistic, we lay-out the data in a tabular fashion for easier calculation by hand:

Company	Observed Frequency	Expected Frequency	Delta	Summation Component
	f_i	e_i	$(f_i - e_i)$	$(f_i - e_i)^2 / e_i$
A	102	90	12	1.60
B	82	80	2	0.05
Others	16	30	-14	6.53
Total	200	200		8.18

Check that these are equal

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(f_i - e_i)^2}{e_i}$$

Example 15.1...

INTERPRET

Our rejection region is:

$$\chi^2 > \chi_{\alpha, k-1}^2 = \chi_{.05, 3-1}^2 = 5.99147$$

Since our test statistic is 8.18 which is greater than our critical value for Chi-squared, we reject H_0 in favor of H_1 , that is,

“There is sufficient evidence to infer that the proportions have changed since the advertising campaigns were implemented”

Example 15.1...

p-value

	A	B	C
1		Observed	Expected
2		Frequency	Frequency
3	Company A	102	90
4	Company B	82	80
5	Others	16	30
6			
7		p-value:	0.01671136

CHITEST =CHITEST(B3:B5,C3:C5)

CHITEST

Actual_range B3:B5 = {102;82;16}

Expected_range C3:C5 = {90;80;30}

= 0.016711358

Returns the test for independence: the value from the chi-squared distribution for the statistic and the appropriate degrees of freedom.

**=CHITEST(observed frequency,
expected frequency)**

Required Conditions...

In order to use this technique, the sample size must be *large enough* so that the expected value for each cell is 5 or more.
(i.e. $n \times p_i \geq 5$)

If the *expected frequency* is less than five, combine it with other cells to satisfy the condition.

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Example

- Acme Toy Company prints baseball cards. The company claims that 30% of the cards are rookies, 60% veterans but not All-Stars, and 10% are veteran All-Stars.
- Suppose a random sample of 100 cards has 50 rookies, 45 veterans, and 5 All-Stars. Is this consistent with Acme's claim? Use a 0.05 level of significance.

Example

- $X^2=19.58$
- P-value=0.000056

Example

256 visual artists were surveyed to find out their zodiac sign. The results were: Aries (29), Taurus (24), Gemini (22), Cancer (19), Leo (21), Virgo (18), Libra (19), Scorpio (20), Sagittarius (23), Capricorn (18), Aquarius (20), Pisces (23).

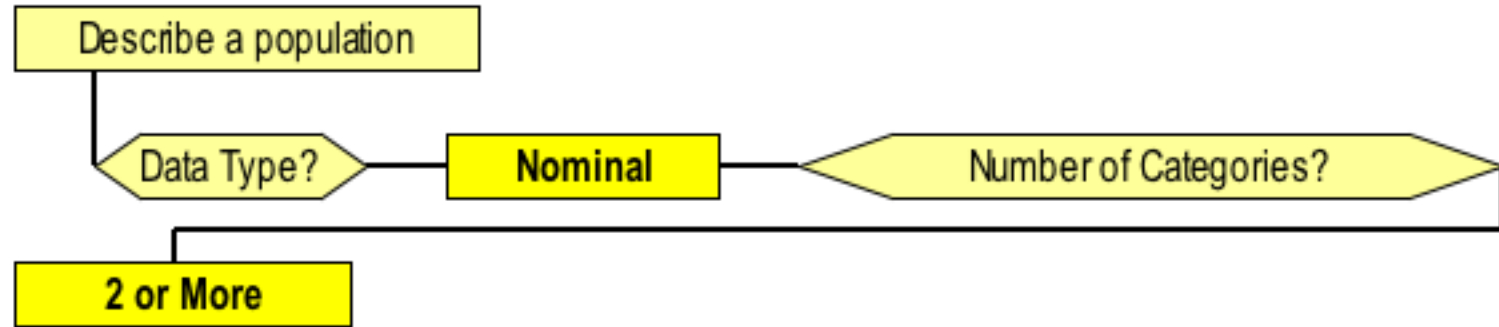
Test the null hypothesis that zodiac signs are evenly distributed across visual artists.

Example

- $X^2=5.094$
- P-value=0.9265

Identifying Factors...

Factors that Identify the Chi-Squared Goodness-of-Fit Test:



Test Statistic:

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(f_i - e_i)^2}{e_i}$$

$$e_i = (n)(p_i)$$

Parameters of interest:

p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k

Required Condition: $e_i \geq 5$

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Example 15.2

As a start he took a random sample of last year's MBA students and recorded the undergraduate degree and the major selected in the graduate program.

The undergraduate degrees were BA, BEng, BBA, and several others.

There are three possible majors for the MBA students, [accounting](#), [finance](#), and [marketing](#). Can the statistician conclude that the undergraduate degree affects the choice of major?

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Chi-squared Test of a Contingency Table

The *Chi-squared test of a contingency table* is used to:

- determine whether there is enough evidence to infer that *two nominal variables are related*, and
- to infer that *differences exist* among two or more populations of nominal variables.

In order to use these techniques, we need to classify the data according to two different criteria.

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Example 15.2

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The data are stored in two columns. The first column consist of integers 1, 2, 3, and 4 representing the undergraduate degree where

1 = BA

2 = BEng

3 = BBA

4 = other

The second column lists the MBA major where

1= Accounting

2 = Finance

3 = Marketing

Example 15.2

IDENTIFY

The problem objective is to determine whether two variables (undergraduate degree and MBA major) are related. Both variables are nominal. Thus, the technique to use is the chi-squared test of a contingency table. The alternative hypotheses specifies what we test. That is,

H_1 : The two variables are **dependent**

The null hypothesis is a denial of the alternative hypothesis.

H_0 : The two variables are **independent**.

Test Statistic

The test statistic is the same as the one used to test proportions in the goodness-of-fit-test. That is, the test statistic is

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(f_i - e_i)^2}{e_i}$$

Note however, that there is a major difference between the two applications. In this one the null does not specify the proportions p_i , from which we compute the expected values e_i , which we need to calculate the χ^2 test statistic. That is, we cannot use

$$e = np_i$$

because we don't know the p_i (they are not specified by the null hypothesis). It is necessary to estimate the p_i from the data.

Example 15.2

The first step is to count the number of students in each of the 12 combinations. The result is called a cross-classification table.

Example 15.2

	MBA Major			
Undergrad Degree	Accounting	Finance	Marketing	Total
BA	31	13	16	60
BEng	8	16	7	31
BBA	12	10	17	39
Other	10	5	7	22
Total	61	44	47	152

Example 15.2

If the null hypothesis is true (Remember we always start with this assumption.) and the two nominal variables are independent, then, for example

$$P(\text{BA and Accounting}) = [P(\text{BA})] [P(\text{Accounting})]$$

Since we don't know the values of $P(\text{BA})$ or $P(\text{Accounting})$

We need to use the data to estimate the probabilities.

Test Statistic

There are 152 students of which 61 who have chosen accounting as their MBA major. Thus, we estimate the probability of accounting as

$$P(\text{Accounting}) \approx \frac{61}{152} = .401$$

Similarly

$$P(\text{BA}) \approx \frac{60}{152} = .395$$

Example 15.2...

If the null hypothesis is true

$$P(\text{BA and Accounting}) = (60/152)(61/152)$$

Now that we have the probability we can calculate the expected value.
That is,

$$\begin{aligned} E(\text{BA and Accounting}) &= 152(60/152)(61/152) \\ &= (60)(61)/152 = 24.08 \end{aligned}$$

We can do the same for the other 11 cells.

Example 15.2

COMPUTE

We can now compare *observed* with *expected* frequencies...

Undergrad Degree	MBA Major					
	Accounting		Finance		Marketing	
BA	31	24.08	13	17.37	16	18.55
BEng	8	12.44	16	8.97	7	9.59
BBA	12	15.65	10	11.29	17	12.06
Other	10	8.83	5	6.37	7	6.80

$$df = (4-1)(3-1)=6$$

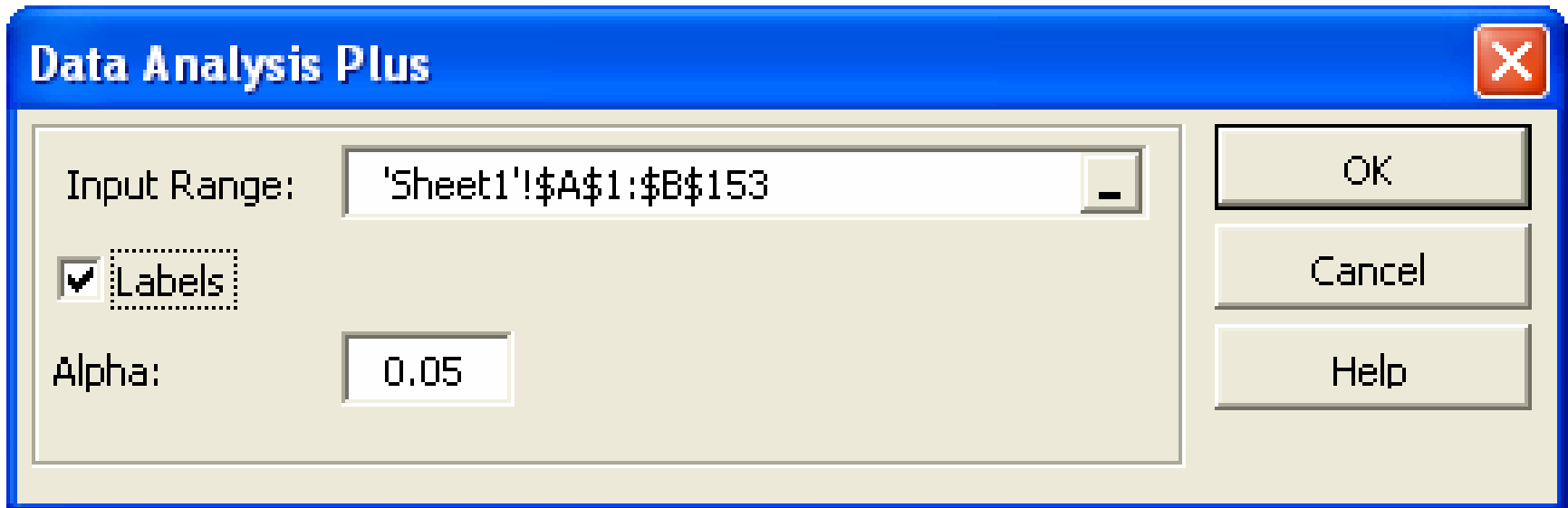
and calculate our test statistic: $d.f = (r-1)*(c-1)$

$$\chi^2 = \frac{(31-24.08)^2}{24.08} + \frac{(13-17.37)^2}{17.37} + \dots + \frac{(7-6.80)^2}{6.80} = 14.70$$

Example 15.2...

COMPUTE

Using Excel : Click Add-Ins, Data Analysis Plus, Contingency Table [if the table has already been prepared] or Contingency Table (Raw Data) [if the table has not been completed]



Data Analysis Plus

Input Range: 'Sheet1'!\$A\$1:\$B\$153

☒ Labels

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Example 15.2...

COMPUTE

The printout below was produced from file Xm15-02 using the Contingency Table (Raw Data) command

	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	Contingency Table					
2						
3		<i>Degree</i>				
4	<i>MBA Major</i>		1	2	3	TOTAL
5		1	31	13	16	60
6		2	8	16	7	31
7		3	12	10	17	39
8		4	10	5	7	22
9		TOTAL	61	44	47	152
10						
11						
12		chi-squared Stat			14.7019	
13		df			6	
14		p-value			0.0227	
15		chi-squared Critical			12.5916	

Example 15.2...

INTERPRET

The p-value is .0227. There is enough evidence to infer that the MBA major and the undergraduate degree are related.

We can also interpret the results of this test in two other ways.

1. There is enough evidence to infer that there are differences in MBA major between the four undergraduate categories.
2. There is enough evidence to infer that there are differences in undergraduate degree between the majors.

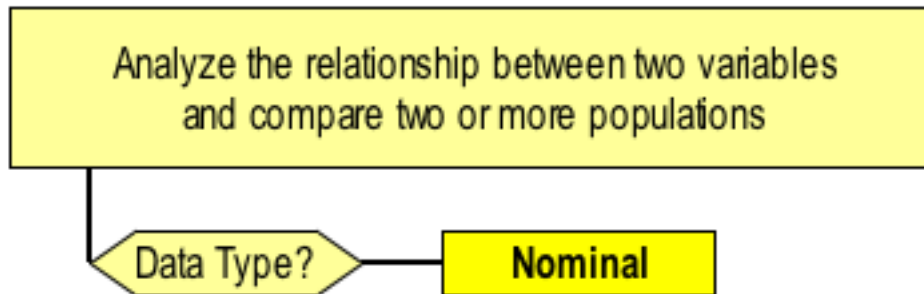
Required Condition – Rule of Five...

In a contingency table where one or more cells have *expected values* of ***less than 5***, we need to combine rows or columns to satisfy the rule of five.

Note: by doing this, the degrees of freedom must be changed as well.

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Parameters of interest:

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Required Condition: $e_i \geq 5$

$$e_{ij} = \frac{\text{Row } i \text{ total} \times \text{Column } j \text{ total}}{\text{Sample size}}$$

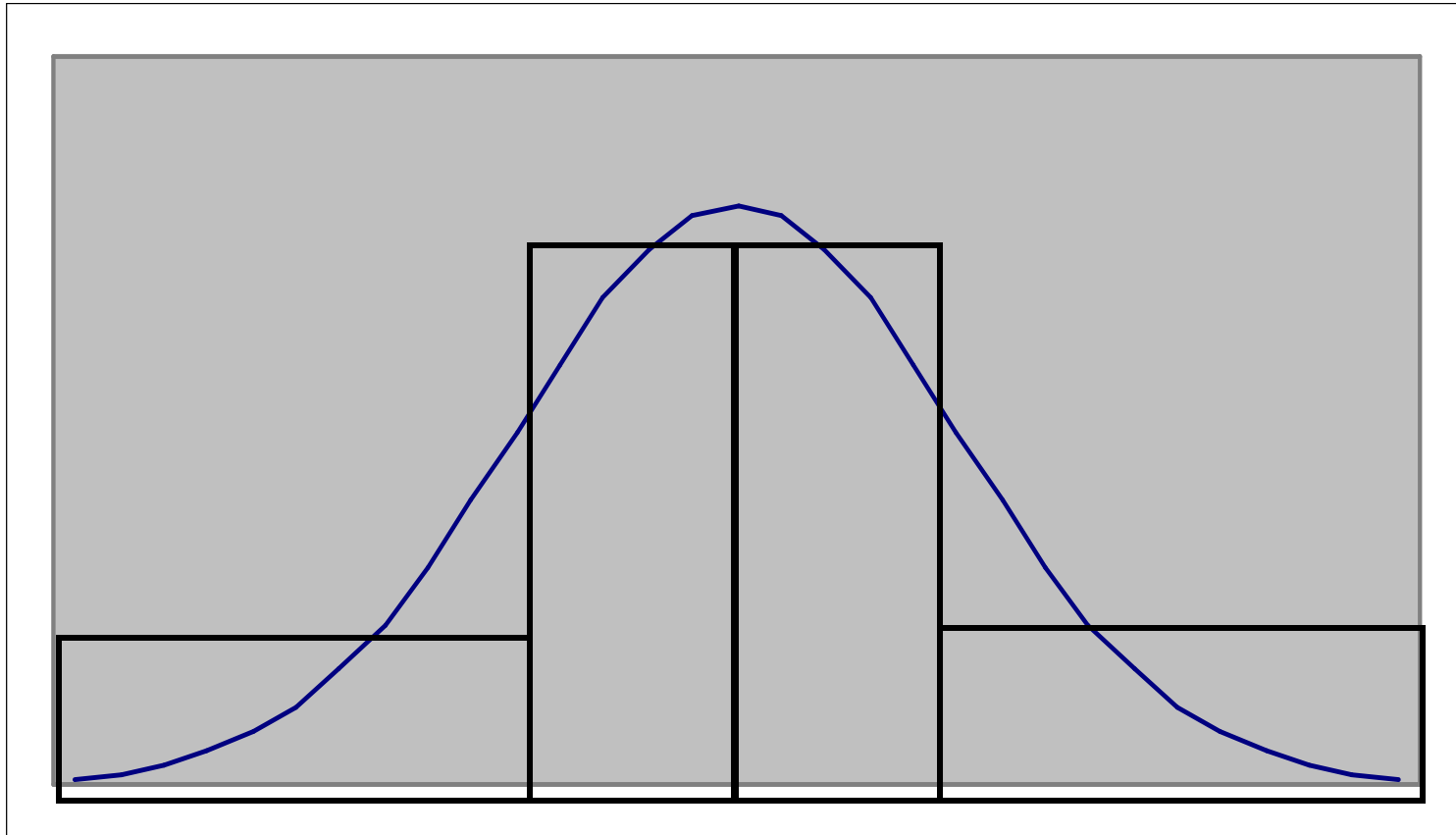
Table 15.1 Statistical Techniques for Nominal Data

<u>Problem Objective</u>	<u>Categories</u>	<u>Statistical Technique</u>
Describe a population	2	z-test of p or the chi-squared goodness-of-fit test
Describe a population	More than 2	Chi-squared goodness-of-fit test
Compare two populations	2	z-test $p_1 - p_2$ or chi-squared test of a contingency table
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- The goodness of fit Chi-squared test can be used to determine if data were drawn from any distribution.
- The general procedure:
 - Hypothesize on the parameter values of the distribution we test (i.e. $\mu = \mu_0$, $\sigma = \sigma_0$ for the normal distribution).
 - For the variable tested X specify disjoint ranges that cover all its possible values.
 - Build a Chi squared statistic that (aggregately) compares the expected frequency under H_0 and the actual frequency of observations that fall in each range.
 - Run a goodness of fit test based on the multinomial experiment.

Chi-Squared test for Normality

- **Testing for normality in Example 12.1**

For a sample size of $n=50$ (see Xm12-01) ,the sample mean was 460.38 with standard error of 38.83.

- Can we infer from the data provided that this sample was drawn from a **normal distribution** with $\mu = 460.38$ and $\sigma = 38.83$? Use 5% significance level.

χ^2 test for normality

Solution

First let us select z values that define each cell (expected frequency > 5 for each cell.)

$$z_1 = -1; P(z < -1) = p_1 = .1587; e_1 = np_1 = 50(.1587) = 7.94$$

$$z_2 = 0; P(-1 < z < 0) = p_2 = .3413; e_2 = np_2 = 50(.3413) = 17.07$$

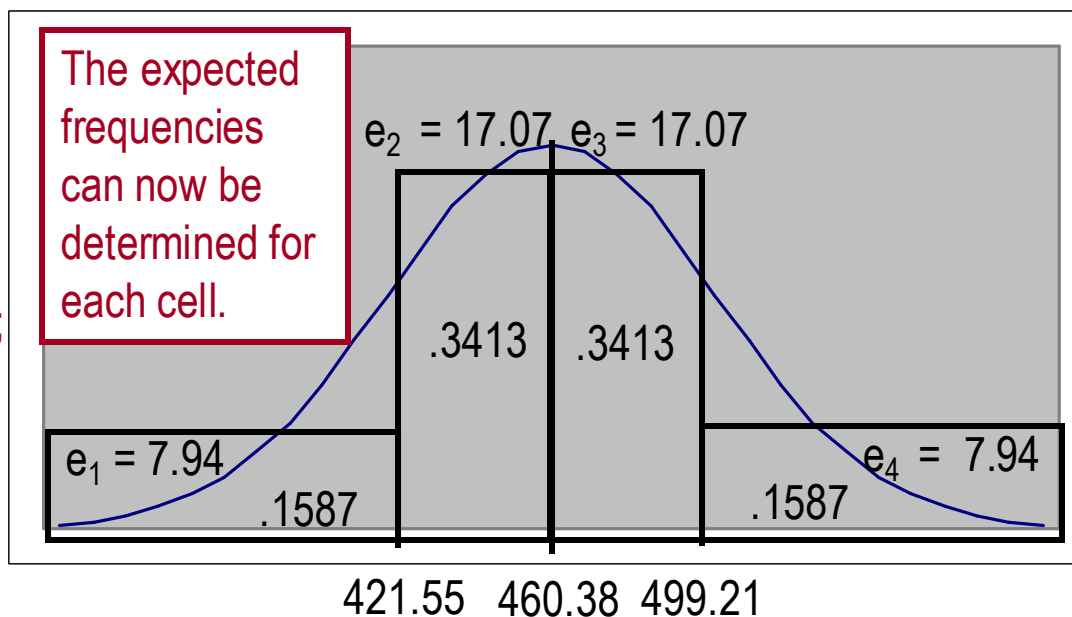
$$z_3 = 1; P(0 < z < 1) = p_3 = .3413; e_3 = 17.07$$

$$P(z > 1) = p_4 = .1587; e_4 = 7.94$$

The cell boundaries are calculated from the corresponding z values under H_0 .

$$z_1 = (x_1 - 460.38)/38.83 = -1;$$
$$x_1 = 421.55$$

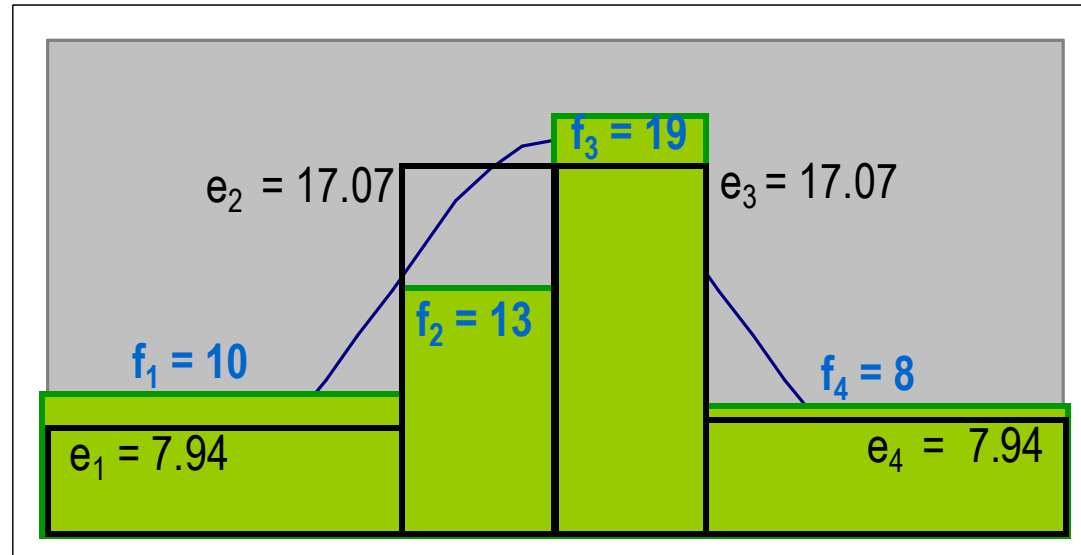
The expected frequencies can now be determined for each cell.



χ^2 test for normality

– The test statistic

$$\chi^2 = \frac{(10 - 7.94)^2}{7.94} + \frac{(13 - 17.07)^2}{17.07} + \frac{(19 - 17.07)^2}{17.07} + \frac{(8 - 7.94)^2}{7.94} = 1.72$$



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- The rejection region

$\chi^2 > \chi_{\alpha, k-1-L}^2$ where L is the number of parameters estimated from the data.

$$\chi_{\alpha, k-3}^2 = \chi_{.05, 4-3}^2 = 3.84146$$

Conclusion: There is insufficient evidence to conclude at 5% significance level that the data are not normally distributed.

Chi-Squared test for Normality

- **Sample size > 220**

- $Z < -2$ 0.0228

- $-2 < Z \leq -1$ 0.1359

- $-1 < Z \leq 0$ 0.3413

- $0 < Z \leq 1$ 0.1359

- $1 < Z \leq 2$ 0.0228

- **Sample size between 80 and 220**

- $Z \leq -1.5$ 0.0668

- $-1.5 < Z \leq -0.5$ 0.2417

- $-0.5 < Z \leq 0.5$ 0.3829

- $0.5 < Z \leq 1.5$ 0.2417

- $Z > 1.5$ 0.0668

Chi-Squared test for Normality

- **Sample size < 80**
 - $Z \leq -1$ 0.1587
 - $-1 < Z \leq 0$ 0.3413
 - $0 < Z \leq 1$ 0.3413
 - $Z > 1$ 0.1587

Example

- The Anger and Heart Disease study
 - A study followed a random sample of 8474 people with normal blood pressure for about four years. All the individuals were free of heart disease at the beginning of the study.
 - Each person took the Spielberger Trait Anger Scale Test, which measures how prone a person is to sudden anger.
 - Researchers also recorded whether each individual developed coronary heart disease (CHD). This includes people who had heart attacks and those who needed medical treatment for heart disease.

Example

- The data
- – CHD: coronary heart disease

	Low Anger	Moderate Anger	High Anger	Total
CHD	53	110	27	190
NO CHD	3057	4621	606	8284
Total	3110	4731	633	8474

- What is the relationship between anger and CHD status?

Example

- The data
 - First, we can eyeball the frequency distribution of the data:

	Low Anger	Moderate Anger	High Anger	Total
CHD	27.9%	57.9%	14.2%	100.0%
NO CHD	36.9%	55.8%	7.3%	100.0%
Total	36.7%	55.8%	7.5%	100.0%

- Does the relationship between anger and CHD status exist?

Example

- The data
 - Or, we can eyeball the frequency distribution of the data in another way:

	Low Anger	Moderate Anger	High Anger	Total
CHD	1.7%	2.3%	4.3%	2.2%
NO CHD	98.3%	97.7%	95.7%	97.8%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

- Does the relationship between anger and CHD status exist?

Example

- Hypothesis

- H_0 : there is no association between anger level and heart disease in the population of people with normal blood pressure
- H_1 : there is an association between anger level and heart disease in the population of people with normal blood pressure

or

- H_0 : anger and heart disease are **independent** in the population of people with normal blood pressure
- H_1 : anger and heart disease are not independent in the population of people with normal blood pressure.

Example

- Analysis
 - Chi-square statistic: $\chi^2 = 16.077$
 - P-value is less than 0.0005
- Conclusion
 - Because the P-value is clearly less than $\alpha = 0.05$, we reject H_0 and conclude that anger level and heart disease are associated in the population of people with normal blood pressure.

Logistic Regression

Why logistic regression?

- There are many important research topics for which the dependent variable is "limited" (i.e., nominal).
- For example: voting, morbidity or mortality, and participation data is not continuous or distributed normally.
- Binary logistic regression is a type of regression analysis where the dependent variable is a dummy variable: coded 0 (did not vote) or 1 (did vote)
 - A special case of multinomial experiment

Logistic Regression

- If using a linear regression...

$$Y = \gamma + \phi X + e ; \text{ where } Y = (0, 1)$$

- e is not normally distributed because Y takes on only two values
- The predicted probabilities can be greater than 1 or less than 0

Example

- Hurricane evacuations

Did you evacuate your home to go someplace safer before Hurricane Dennis (Floyd) hit?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 3 DON'T KNOW
- 4 REFUSED

Example: Data

EVAC	PETS	MOBLHOME	TENURE	EDUC
0	1	0	16	16
0	1	0	26	12
0	1	1	11	13
1	1	1	1	10
1	0	0	5	12
0	0	0	34	12
0	0	0	3	14
0	1	0	3	16
0	1	0	10	12
0	0	0	2	18
0	0	0	2	12
0	1	0	25	16
1	1	1	20	12

Regression results

Dependent Variable: EVAC

<u>Variable</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>t-value</u>
(Constant)	0.190	2.121
PETS	-0.137	-5.296
MOBLHOME	0.337	8.963
TENURE	-0.003	-2.973
EDUC	0.003	0.424
FLOYD	0.198	8.147
R ²	0.145	
F-stat	36.010	

Regression results

Predicted value outside of the supposed [0,1]

Descriptive Statistics

	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
Unstandardized Predicted Value	1070	-.0849	.7602	.242990	.16325
Valid N (listwise)	1070				

Logistic Regression Model

The "logit" model solves these problems:

$$\ln[p/(1-p)] = \alpha + \beta X + e$$

- p is the probability that the event Y occurs, $p(Y=1)$
- $p/(1-p)$ is the "odds ratio"
- $\ln[p/(1-p)]$ is the log odds ratio, or "logit"

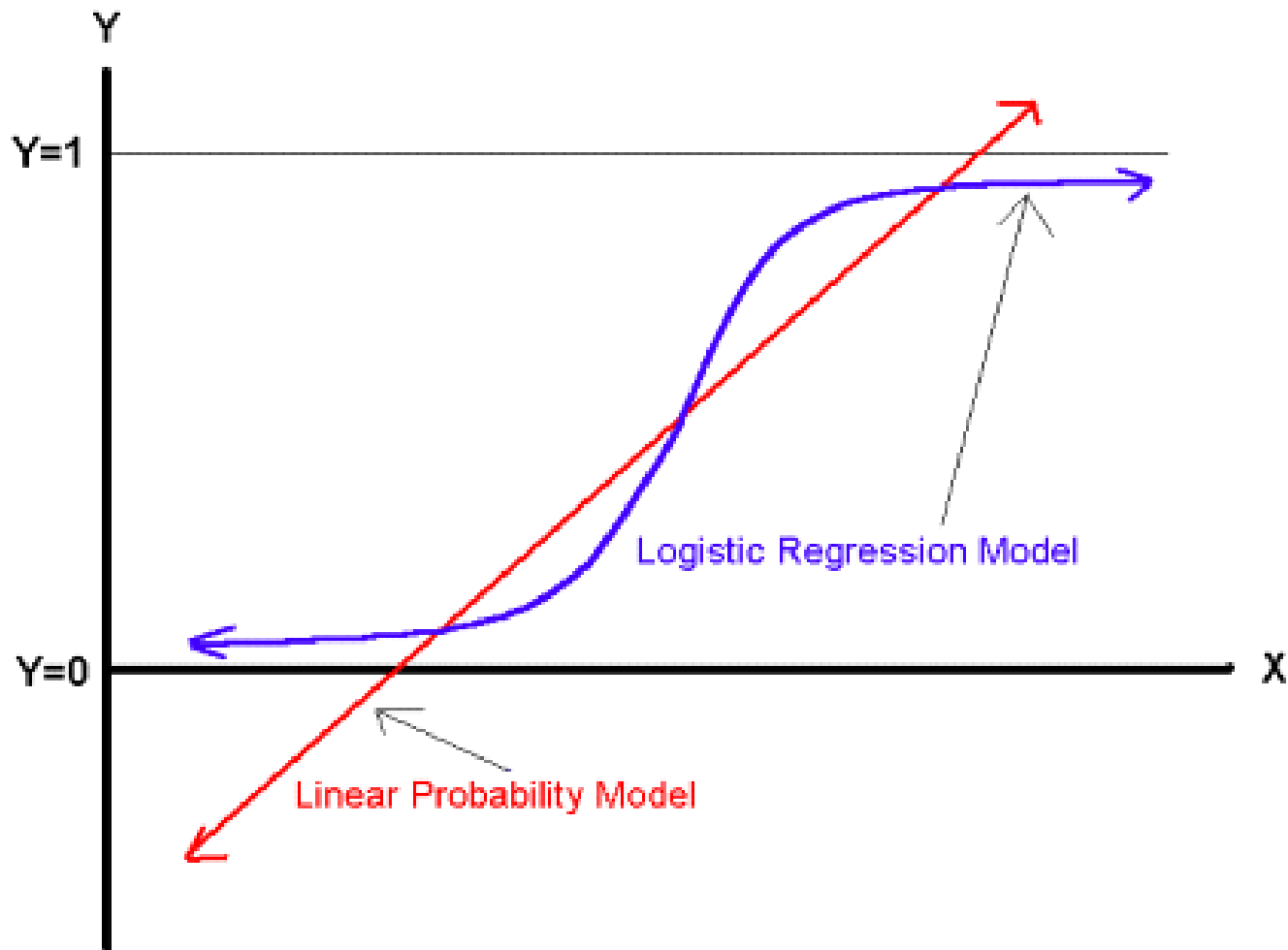
Logistic Regression Model

- The logistic distribution constrains the estimated probabilities to lie between 0 and 1.
- The estimated probability is:

$$p = 1/[1 + \exp(-\alpha - \beta X)]$$

- if you let $\alpha + \beta X = 0$, then $p = .50$
- as $\alpha + \beta X$ gets really big, p approaches 1
- as $\alpha + \beta X$ gets really small, p approaches 0

Comparing the LP and Logit Models



Maximum Likelihood Estimation (MLE)

- MLE is a statistical method for estimating the coefficients of a model.
- The likelihood function (L) measures the probability of observing the particular set of dependent variable values (p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n) that occur in the sample:

$$L = \text{Prob} (p_1 * p_2 * * * p_n)$$

- The higher the L, the higher the probability of observing the ps in the sample.

Maximum Likelihood Estimation (MLE)

- MLE involves finding the coefficients (α, β) that makes the log of the likelihood function ($LL < 0$) as large as possible
- Or, finds the coefficients that make -2 times the log of the likelihood function ($-2LL$) as small as possible
- The maximum likelihood estimates solve the following condition:

$$\{Y - p(Y=1)\}X_i = 0$$

summed over all observations, $i = 1, \dots, n$

Interpreting Coefficients

$$\ln[p/(1-p)] = \alpha + \beta X + e$$

- The slope coefficient (β) is interpreted as the rate of change in the "log odds" as X changes ... not very useful.
- An interpretation of the logit coefficient which is usually more intuitive is the "odds ratio"

Odds ratio

- Since:

$$[p/(1-p)] = \exp(\alpha + \beta X)$$

$\exp(\beta)$ is the effect of the independent variable on the "odds ratio"

Odds ratio (from R output)

<u>Variable</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>Exp(B)</u>	<u>1/Exp(B)</u>
PETS	-0.6593	0.5172	1.933
MOBLHOME	1.5583	4.7508	
TENURE	-0.0198	0.9804	1.020
EDUC	0.0501	1.0514	
Constant	-0.916		

“Households with pets are 1.933 times more likely to evacuate than those without pets.”

test statistics

The Wald statistic for the β coefficient is:

$$\text{Wald} = [\beta / \text{se}_{\beta}]^2$$

which is distributed chi-square with 1 degree of freedom.

Model output

Variable	B	S.E.	Wald	R	Sig	t-value
PETS	-0.6593	0.2012	10.732	-0.1127	0.0011	-3.28
MOBLHOME	1.5583	0.2874	29.39	0.1996	0	5.42
TENURE	-0.0198	0.008	6.1238	-0.0775	0.0133	-2.48
EDUC	0.0501	0.0468	1.1483	0.0000	0.2839	1.07
Constant	-0.916	0.69	1.7624	1	0.1843	-1.33