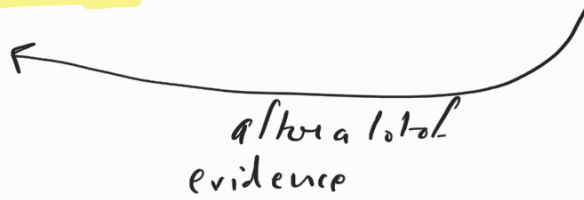


THEORY

HYPOTHESIS



$$\mu > 7$$

NULL HYPOTHESIS H_0 : claim to be tested

ALTERNATE HYPOTHESIS H_A : alternative claim that you are considering

THE SKEPTIC WILL NOT ABANDON H_0

UNLESS the evidence is STRONGLY
in favour of H_A .

p-value = $P(\text{observed a more extreme outcome} \mid H_0 \text{ is true})$

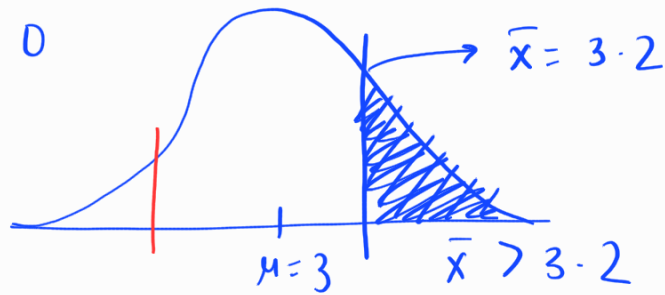
$$H_0 = \mu \geq 7$$

α = significance level (1%, 5%, 10%)

$$p\text{-value: } P(\bar{x} > 3.2 \mid H_0: \mu = 3)$$

$$\bar{x} \sim N(\mu = 3, SE = 0.246)$$

$$n = 50$$



$$z\text{ value at } \bar{x} = 3.2 \text{ when } \bar{x} \sim N(3, 0.246)$$

$$= \frac{3.2 - 3}{0.246}$$

$$\approx 0.81$$

$$\text{p-value: for } z > 0.81, p(z > 0.81) = \underline{0.209}$$

for $p = 0.209$, there is a 20.9% chance that $\bar{x} > 3.2$

$$\alpha = 15\%, \quad \alpha = 30\%$$

$$\alpha = 20\%$$

$$p(\bar{x} > 3.2 \text{ OR } \bar{x} < 2.8 \mid \mu = 3)$$

$$= [-0.209, 0.209]$$

$$= p(z > 0.81) + p(z < -0.81)$$

$$= 2 \times p(z > 0.81)$$

$$= 0.418 \text{ or } 41.8\%$$

$$\alpha = 50\%$$

$$\alpha = 30\%$$



(Truth)

H_0 is True

H_A is True

fail to reject H_0 rejected H_0

fail to reject H_0	rejected H_0
✓	X
X	✓

→ type 1 error

→ type 2 error