Summary Statistics

- summary of a data frame
 summary(mtcars)
- or the logarithmic summary
 summary(log(mtcars))

cor(log(mtcars))

- you can also extract specific stats for a column in a df mean(mtcars\$mpg)
 median(mtcars\$mpg)
 max(mtcars\$mpg)
 min(mtcars\$mpg)
- we can check for correlations in the data frame cor(mtcars)

scatterplot matrix for every combination possible pairs(iris)

library(lattice)
splom(iris)

(More on lattice plotting in the course "Graphs in R")

- we can extract a subset of a dataset and store it as object

head(iris)

mysubset = subset(iris, Species =="setosa")

mysubset

- exclude a certain column

mysubset[-2]

we can even get an ordered (increasing) vector with the index positions

order(iris\$Sepal.Length)



Repetition of data types

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numeric = c(4.5,7.9,3.6) integer = c(3,5,9) character = c("versicolor", "setosa", "virginica") ordinal = c("good", "intermediate", "bad") frame = data.frame(numeric,integer,ordinal,character) frame
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Statistical Packages in R

- stats contains all the basic statistical functions of the Base package
- nortest for tests of normality
- multcomp for inference in parametric models
- mutoss for multiple testing procedures
- agricolae with Duncan test and Scheffe adjustment
- coin for inference in permutations
- DTK for Dunnett Tukey Kramer

Inferential Statistics with R

- Z Test - Proportions Test for big parametric populations (n > 30)

? prop.test

```
set.seed(2489)
ourdata = rnorm(1000, mean=600, sd=80)
hist(ourdata)
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- we want to test if 50% of "ourdata" is greater than 700
- H0: equal proportion 50/50 of data greater and smaller 700
- at first we need to create an object that sorts for counts greater 700 sortedobject<- ifelse(ourdata >700, "yes", "no") table(sortedobject)

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totalnumber = 1000
yes = 102
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prop.test(x=yes, n=totalnumber, alternative="two.sided")

- this tells us that there is no equal distribution (yes vs no) of >700
- there is also an estimated probability of yes of approx. 0.1

1 sided test is also possible

- here we are stating H0 that the prob >700 is greater than 0.5
 prop.test(x=yes, n=totalnumber, alternative="less")
- here we are stating H0 that the prob >700 is smaller than 0.5
 prop.test(x=yes, n=totalnumber, alternative="greater")
- lets create an object of our Testmytest = prop.test(x=yes, n=totalnumber, alternative="two.sided")
- data we can extract from our object names(mytest)mytest\$estimate
 - this tells us that the probability >700 is approx 10%
 - if we would have a small sample we could also use the prop.test
 - but correct=T should be used
 - alternatively for small n t.test is an option

Tests for normal distribution

- let's get the dataset
- we are again using the ourdata normal vector

set.seed(2489)

ourdata = rnorm(1000, mean=600, sd=80)

hist(ourdata)

qqnorm(ourdata)

and we can also use a uniform data vector

set.seed(2489)

ouruniformdata = runif(1000)

hist(ouruniformdata)

qqnorm(ouruniformdata)

- H0 of the two tests = normality of the dataset



1. Shapiro Wilk Test

? shapiro.test

shapiro.test(ourdata)

shapiro.test(ouruniformdata) # dataset max 5K observations

- you can also extract a column from a dataset

shapiro.test(iris\$Sepal.Length)

2. Anderson Darling Test

library(nortest) # get the nortest library

?ad.test

ad.test(ourdata)

ad.test(ouruniformdata)

Exercise: Test for normality

- Dataset = diamonds, library = ggplot2
- Get familiar with the diamonds dataset. What does the column depth tell us?
- Perform at least 2 graphical tests for normality
- Get familiar with the package nortest and perform at least 3 different tests for normality.

Solution

library(ggplot2)

head(diamonds)

attach(diamonds)

qqnorm(depth) # looks too curvy for normal distr

hist(depth) # hist looks also not normal

depthsmall = sample(depth, 5000) # sampling to get a vector fitted for shapiro

Base package

shapiro.test(depthsmall) # Shapiro Wilk test from base pack

Nortest = Tests for normality

library(nortest) # Pack contains several useful normality tests

cvm.test(depth) # Cramer von Mises Test, since AD gives NAs for that high significance

lillie.test(depth) # Kolmogorov Smirnov

sf.test(depthsmall) # Shapiro Francia

pearson.test(depth) # Pearson normality test

1 sample T test (for population means)

- normally distributed data, 1 variable

? t.test

hist(ourdata)

- we need to specify, x, mu, alternative and if needed the confidence level
- here we are stating H0: mean is 300 or higher

t.test(x=ourdata, mu=300, alternative="less", conf.level=0.95)

- H0: mean is 300 or smaller

t.test(x=ourdata, mu=300, alternative="greater", conf.level=0.95)

- 2 sided test default
- here we are stating H0: mean is equal to 300

t.test(x=ourdata, mu=300, alternative="two.sided", conf.level=0.95)

2 sample independent t test (Welch Test)

- parametric, 2 sample or population means can be compared
- numeric outcome variable Y vs categorical explanatory variable X
 (2 levels e.g. yes vs no)

head(mtcars)

- am is our 2 level categorical variable (although it is factorized)

attach(mtcars)

- visual orientation

boxplot(data=mtcars, wt~am)

- H0: mean wt am1 = mean wt am0
- two sided
- independent : paired=F

t.test(mtcars\$wt~mtcars\$am, alt="two.sided", conf=0.95, mu=0, paired=F, var.equal=F)

most of this arguments are not mandatory



t.test(mtcars\$wt~mtcars\$am)

- an alternative way to write it without the tilde
- t.test(mtcars\$wt[mtcars\$am==0], mtcars\$wt[mtcars\$am==1])
 - how to find out if to assume equal variance:
 - you can check the boxplot, do the levene Test or check that variance

var(mtcars\$wt[mtcars\$am==0]); var(mtcars\$wt[mtcars\$am==1])

- in this case the var is not equal
- Paired T Test for means of 2 dependent or paired populations (same length)
- the same command can be used but: paired=T

Exercises: 2 sample T Test

- dataset = ships, library = MASS
- get familiar with the dataset ships
- we are interested in the relationship of period and incidents
- use an appropriate graphical tool to show that relationship
- use a T test to compare the incidents in the 2 periods (code it in 2 different ways)
- are there significant differences in period?



Solution

library(MASS)

? ships

attach(ships)

head(ships)

boxplot(incidents ~ period)

t.test(incidents ~ period)

t.test(incidents[period==60], incidents[period==75])

Mann Whitney U test - Wilcoxon Rank Sum test

- non-parametric (non normal distribution)
- to examine the difference in median of 2 independent populations
- like the 2 sample independent T test
- numeric outcome variable Y vs categorical explanatory variable X
 (2 levels e.g. yes vs no)

?wilcox.test

- for out example lets again use the same dataset: mtcars

wilcox.test(mtcars\$wt~mtcars\$am, mu=0, alt="two.sided",

conf.int=T, conf.level=0.95,

paired=F, correct=T, exact=F)

- correct for continuity correction of p value, exact=exact p value

Wilcoxon Signed rank test does the exact same thing as a paired T Test but

- it is non parametric,
- Wilcox.test can be used like before, just change paired=T

ANOVA

- for normally distributed and independent data sets
- we can use it to compare the means of different groups

head(iris) attach(iris)

let's check if our grouping variable is a factor is.factor(Species)

 let's check the levels of it levels(Species)

for a first visual impression
 boxplot(Sepal.Length~Species)

let's get the means for all groups
 by(Sepal.Length, Species, mean)

F test - one way test (for normally distributed and independent data, nID)

- this is a simpler test with shorter output oneway.test(Sepal.Length~Species)
- the command for ANOVA is aov
 myANOVA <- aov(Sepal.Length~Species, data=iris)
 myANOVA

summary(myANOVA)

attributes(myANOVA)

- post hoc tests to adjust p value for T1 error
- Tukey test for pairwise comparison and same group size
 TukeyHSD(myANOVA)
- to plot the 95% CI level
 plot(TukeyHSD(myANOVA)) # as we can see all groups differ (> 0)

- coefficients

coefficients(myANOVA)

- that means Virginica is 1.58 bigger than the reference (setosa)

Levene Test

- used to compare the variances of different groups (homoscedasticity)
- similar application as aov

library(car)

leveneTest(Sepal.Length, Species, data=iris, center="mean")

 in this case since there is a significant p value we can assume var is unequal



Exericse ANOVA

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set.seed(234)

myobject = data.frame(group=rep(c("a","b","c"),10),

numeric=c(rnorm(5,5),6:15, rep(c(1,20,98),5)))
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- Create the object myobject as stated above. There are 3 groups in it and every group has
- 10 observations in the column numeric
- get 3 different visual impressions of this data (hint! jitter, boxpl, violin could work)
- perform an ANOVA and do at least 2 post hoc tests (tests for multiple comparison!)
- hint: think about ways of adjusting p values (multiplicity!)
- what is the problem if you would not adjust for p values in this post hoc tests?
- which test would you choose if myobject would not be normally distributed?
- perform a non-parametric test instead of ANOVA

Solution

levels(myobject\$group)

- simple boxplot in baseboxplot(data=myobject, numeric~group)
- violin plot gets a better view on the distribution of the data
 library(lattice)
 bwplot(data=myobject, numeric~group, panel=panel.violin)
- jitter plot displays all the points individually
 library(ggplot2)
 qplot(data=myobject, formula=y~x, x=group, y=numeric, geom="jitter")
 myanova=aov(data=myobject, numeric~group)

summary(myanova)

TukeyHSD(myanova)
plot(TukeyHSD(myanova))
coefficients(myanova)

- pairwise t test with adjusted p value as an alternative post hoc test pairwise.t.test(x=myobject\$numeric, g=myobject\$group, p.adj="BH")

library(DTK)

- Tukey Kramer test

TK.test(x=myobject\$numeric, f=myobject\$group)

- we need those post hoc tests to adjust the p values otherwise the T1 error rate
- would be inflated (higher than significance level 0.05)

kruskal.test(data=myobject, numeric~group)

Kruskal Wallis test

- for non-normally distributed data non parametric
- equivalent to ANOVA

kruskal.test(data=iris, Sepal.Length~Species)

Chi Square of independence test – parametric

- to test the independence of 2 categorical variables

attach(mtcars)

- we are now going to test if there is a correlation between vs and am

?chisq.test

- contingency table

table(am,vs)

- first visual impression

barplot((table(am,vs)), beside=T)

- the test itself



chisq.test(table(am,vs)) # test for independence (H0)

Fishers exact test - does the same thing for non-parametrics

?fisher.test

fisher.test(table(am,vs))

Exercise Chi Squared Test

- data = bacteria, library = MASS
- get familiar with the dataset and get a contingency table of y and treatment group
- get a visual impression of the data
- check for independence with a suitable test

Solution

library(MASS)

?bacteria

head(bacteria)

attach(bacteria)

table(y, trt)

barplot((table(y,trt)), beside=T)



chisq.test(table(y, trt))

- independence can be rejected

Correlations

Pearson correlation coefficient - 2 numeric variables, linear coefficient, parametric

Spearman rank correlation coefficient - 2 numeric variables, monotonic coefficient, non-parametric

Kendall rank correlation coefficient - x-y concordance of pairs, non-parametric

?cor.test

plot(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width)

cor(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width, method="pearson") # pearson is default,
x y order does not matter

cor(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width, method="spearman")



cor(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width, method="kendall")

- for a more specific output
 cor.test(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width, method="pearson")
- to get the covariance
 cov(Sepal.Length, Sepal.Width)
- we can get a correlation matrix
 cor(iris[,1:4]) # the character column Species must be excluded