

Module - III

Non-parametric test.

1. One sample test =

→ Adv of non-parametric test =

- * Generally they are easier to do & to understand.
- * Sometimes even formal ordering / ranking is not required.

→ Limitation =

- * They ignore a certain amount of info.
- * They are often not as efficient as parametric test.

The non-parametric test are,

- 1) sign test, wilcoxon matched pair signed rank test, median test, test of randomness, mean-rank test, U test, reciprocal-rank test, etc.

⇒ one sample sign test =

It is applicable when sample is taken from a contin. symmetrical pop. In this case the prob that the sample value is $<$ mean & the prob that a sample value is $>$ mean

are both $1/2$. Suppose we are testing null hypo $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ against the bilateral alternative hypo by using a sample of size n . Each sample value $> \mu_0$ is replaced by + sign & each sample value $< \mu_0$ is replaced by -ve sign. Then we test null hypo that these + & - sign are the values of r.v. having a binomial distrib. with $p = 1/2$. In case any sample value is found to be $= \mu_0$, we simply omit it.

For a small the test is performed by the binomial distrib. For a large sample the normal distrib. is used as an approximation to the binomial distrib.

1) It is desire to test the hypo that the mean value μ of a contin. distrib. is 15 against the alternative hypo $\mu > 15$.

20 obs. were taken & follow -

17	18	16	16	17	19	14	13	19	21
22	11	9	12	14	17	23	18	17	16

You may use $\alpha = 0.05$ as a level of sig.

A) Replacing each value > 15 with + & each value < 15 with - ,

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now the Q is whether 14 + sign

observed in 20 trials. Suppose null hypothesis $p = 1/2$.

We can find for $n=20$, $p=1/2$ the prob of 14 or more success is 0.05.

$$P(X) = nC_x p^x q^{n-x}$$

$$P(X=14) + P(X=15) + P(X=16) + \dots + P(X=20)$$

$$= {}^{20}C_{14} (1/2)^{14} (1/2)^6 + \dots$$

Q) Data given below is for a large industrial

plants -

17	15	20	29	19	18	22	25	27	9
24	20	17	6	24	14	15	23	24	26
19	23	28	19	16	22	24	17	20	13
19	10	23	18	31	13	20	17	24	14

use 1 sample sign test to null hypothesis that plants true avg daily emission of 50 is $\mu = 23.5$. Run against the alternative hypothesis $\mu < 23.5$ run at 0.05 level?

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These are 11 + sign & 29 -ve.

$H_0: p = 1/2$ $H_1: p < 1/2$

$n = 11$ $n = 40$ $p = 1/2$

$$Z = \frac{x - np_0}{\sqrt{np_0(1-p_0)}}$$

$$= \frac{11 - 40 \times 1/2}{\sqrt{40 \times 1/2 (1-1/2)}}$$

$$= -2.85$$

$$|Z| = 2.85$$

Absolute value of computed Z,

$$|Z| = 2.85$$

Table value of Z is 1.645 at

$$\alpha = 0.05$$

cal value is > table value

$\therefore H_0$ is reject.

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