




# **STAC51 TUT02**




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A large introductory statistics class has students from all levels. 20% of them are first-year students, 40% second-year students, 30% third-year students and the remaining 10% are fourth-year students. We are going to select a random sample of 9 students from this class.

What is the standard deviation of the number of first-year students in the sample?

1.20	32 respondents	48 %	 ✓
Something Else	31 respondents	46 %	
No Answer	4 respondents	6 %	

Based on a sample of 36 patients, a researcher calculated a 95 percent Wald confidence interval for the success rate of a new vaccine for a disease to be (0.6, 0.9). Calculate the **95 percent score confidence interval** for the success rate of this vaccine. You can use the built-in R function. Just report the lower limit of the interval. Round the number to the second decimal place. For example, 2.4756 will be **2.48**.

0.59	29 respondents	43 %	 ✓
Something Else	31 respondents	46 %	
No Answer	7 respondents	10 %	

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- 1) What are the appropriate null hypothesis and alternative hypothesis corresponding to the main question in this study? (1 point)
  
- 2) Compute the likelihood ratio test statistic value (2 points) (show the R codes to compute this test statistic value)
  
- 3) Compute the p-value and make a conclusion based on the p-value (1 point)

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Construct a likelihood-ratio-based 90 percent confidence interval for  $\pi$ .

Submit your R codes (**do not use "binom" package**).

when  $n > 40$ , the "true confidence" or "coverage" level of 95% Clopper Pearson CI is lower than 95%.

True	20 respondents	30 %		
<b>False</b>	45 respondents	<b>67 %</b>		✓
No Answer	2 respondents	3 %		

- . The following data consist of a random sample of 793 individuals who were involved in bicycle accidents during a specified one-year period.

Head Injury	Wearing Helmet		Total
	Yes	No	
Yes	17	218	235
No	130	428	558
Total	147	646	793

- (a) Construct a 90% confidence interval for the difference of proportions, and interpret.  
 (b) Construct a 90% confidence interval for odds ratio, and interpret.  
 (c) Conduct a test of statistical independence. Interpret.

Let's assume that a university consists only two professional schools: Law school and business school and we are interested in studying the association between the two variables  $X$  = "gender" and  $Y$  = "admission decision".  $Z$  = "school" is another variable that might influence the admission decision.  $X$  has two levels: 1 = Male, 2 = Female.  $Y$  has two levels: 1 = accepted, 2 = rejected.  $Z$  has two levels: 1 = law school, 2 = business school. The following are the marginal tables by school and gender,

<b>Law</b>	Accepted	Rejected	Total
Males	10	90	100
Females	100	200	300
Total	110	290	400

<b>Business</b>	Accepted	Rejected	Total
Males	480	120	600
Females	180	20	200
Total	660	140	800

(a) Calculate the crude (Marginal) odds ratio  $\hat{\theta}_{XY}$ . [4 Marks]

(b) Let the conditional odds ratios for the  $k$ th table be  $\hat{\theta}_k = \frac{a_k d_k}{b_k c_k}$ . The Cochran-Mantel-

Haenszel odds ratio is calculated as  $\hat{\theta}_{CMH} = \frac{\sum_k w_k \hat{\theta}_k}{\sum_k w_k} = \frac{\sum_k \frac{a_k d_k}{n_k}}{\sum_k \frac{b_k c_k}{n_k}}$ .

Show that,  $w_k = \frac{b_k c_k}{n_k}$  [3 Marks]

(c) Calculate the Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel odds ratio  $\hat{\theta}_{CMH}$  for the table above [4 Marks]

(d) Calculate the CMH test statistics



If  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are independent Poisson random variable with parameters  $\mu_1$  and  $\mu_2$  respectively. Then find the conditional distribution of  $Y_1$  given  $Y_1 + Y_2 = n$ . That is calculate  $P(Y_1 = k | Y_1 + Y_2 = n)$ . [5 Marks]

If  $Y_1 \sim \text{Bin}(n_1, \pi)$  and  $Y_2 \sim \text{Bin}(n_2, \pi)$  are independent. Then find the conditional distribution of  $Y_1$  given  $Y_1 + Y_2 = m$ . That is calculate  $P(Y_1 = k | Y_1 + Y_2 = m)$ . [5 Marks]