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Hypothesis Testing for Population Proportion
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Requirements:
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Random sample

n*p > = 10 ; n *q <= 10

n is sample size

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho (contains equal sign) and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic

$$Zt = p_hat - p / sqrt((p * q) / n)$$

p_hat - sample proportion of success

p and q are hypothetical values (success and failure)

q = 1 - p

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-critical value with corresponding alpha from Z-table

Step 5: Interpret results:

If Z-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject Ho and accept Ho

If the Z-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

P-value method (Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, H₀ (contains equal sign) and H₁

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic

$$Zt = p hat - p / sqrt((p * q) / n)$$

p hat - sample proportion of success

p and q are hypothetical values (success and failure)

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-test statistic

P-value is: 1 - Area (Fail to Rejection Region); P-value is the area in the Tail;

If we have two tails we need to multiply by 2

Step 5: Interpret results:

If P-value <= alpha => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If P-value > alpha => Fail to Reject H₀; We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing with Two Proportions: Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing)

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic:

 $Zt = (p1_hat - p2_hat) - (p1 - p2) / sqrt(p_hat_total * (1 - p_hat_total) * (1/n1 + 1/n2))$

p1 - p2 is hypothetical difference p_hat_total is (X1 + X2) / (n1 + n2)

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-critical value with corresponding alpha from Z-table

Step 5: Interpret results:

If Z-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the Z-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing for Population Mean. Population standard deviation is known

Requirements:

Random sample

Population standard deviation is known

n > 30 or Population is normally distributed

n is sample size

(If n <30 we use T distribution)

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho (contains equal sign) and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic:

 $Zt = X_bar - \mu / \sigma / sqrt(n)$

X bar - sample mean

μ - population hypothetical mean

σ - population standard deviation

n - sample size

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-critical value with corresponding alpha from Z-table

Step 5: Interpret results:

If Z-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the Z-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

P-value method (Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho (contains equal sign) and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic

 $Zt = X_bar - \mu_0 / \sigma / sqrt(n)$

X_bar - sample mean

μ₀ - population hypothetical mean

σ - population standard deviation

n - sample size

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-test statistic

P-value is: 1 - Area (Fail to Rejection Region); P-value is the area in the Tail;

If we have two tails we need to multiply by 2

Step 5: Interpret results:

If P-value <= alpha => Reject Ho and accept Ho

If P-value > alpha => Fail to Reject H₀; We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing with Two Means.

Populations are independent and standard deviations σ 1, σ 2 are known

Requirements:

Random sample

Population standard deviation is known

n > 30 or Population is normally distributed

n is sample size

(If n <30 we use T distribution)

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic:

Zt = (X1 bar - X2 bar) - D₀ / sqrt(((σ 1 * σ 1) / n₁) + ((σ 2 * σ 2) /n₂))

Do - Hypothetical difference

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put Z-critical value with corresponding alpha from Z-table

Step 5: Interpret results:

If Z-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the Z-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing with Two Means.

Populations are independent and standard deviations σ 1, σ 2 are unknown or n <= 30

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate T-test statistic:

 $Tt = (X1_bar - X2_bar) - D_0 / sqrt(((s1*s1) / n1) + ((s2*s2) / n2))$

Do - Hypothetical difference

s1 and s2 - sample standard deviation

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put T-critical value with corresponding alpha from T-table and DF

Degree of Freedom = n1 + n2 - 2

Step 5: Interpret results:

If T-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the T-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing with Two Means. Paired data

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate T-test statistic:

 $Tt = (X1_bar - X2_bar) - D_0 / s_d / sqrt(n)$

Do - Hypothetical difference

Sd - standard deviation difference; S1-S2 or σ 1 - σ 2 (and then we have Z-test statistic)

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put T-critical value with corresponding alpha from T-table and DF

Degree of Freedom = n1 + n2 - 2

Step 5: Interpret results:

If T-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the T-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing for Population Mean. Population Standard Deviation is unknown

Requirements:

Random sample

Population standard deviation is unknown

n > 30 or Population is normally distributed n is sample size

(If n <30 we use T distribution too)

Traditional Method (Non-Bayesian Testing):

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho (contains equal sign) and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Z-test statistic:

 $Tt = X bar - \mu / s / sqrt(n)$

X_bar - sample mean

μ - population hypothetical mean

s - sample standard deviation

n - sample size

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail

On the picture put T-critical value with corresponding alpha from T-table

Step 5: Interpret results:

If T-test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁

If the T-test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing for Variance and Standard Deviation Chi-squared distribution

Traditional Method:

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, Ho (contains equal sign) and H1

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Test statistic:

$$X^2 = (n - 1) (s * s) / (\sigma * \sigma)$$

Step 4*: Draw a picture: according to H₁ it is left-tail, right-tail or two-tail; Keep in mind that distribution starts from Zero and it's only Right-Skewed

On the picture put Chi-squared critical value with corresponding alpha and DF

Be careful if it is left-squaded (1 - alpha) and after that look in the table Step 5: Interpret results:

If Test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject Ho and accept Ho

If the Test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing for Comparing Two Variances - Two independent Samples F- distribution

Step 1: Define Claim and Opposite, H₀ (contains equal sign) and H₁

Step 2: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 3: Calculate Test statistic:

F = variance(larger) / variance(smaller)

Step 4*: Draw a picture: it is always upper-tailed

On the picture put F-critical value which is based on DF of these two samples and alpha, which is calculated with calculator (or in Python)

Step 5: Interpret results:

If Test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁
If the Test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Hypothesis Testing: Chi-Square Test

It helps us to understand the relationship between two categorical variables: grade level, sex, age group, year. Chi-Square test involve the frequency of events; the count; Expected Vs Observed categorical distribution

Example - determine if this die is a fair or not with 95% certainty; 600 trials for the next 6 days;

Example - a school principal expected that students will be absent equally during the 5-day school week;

Step 1: Construct two tables: Observed vs Expected value

Step 2: Define Claim and Opposite, H₀ (contains equal sign) and H₁

Step 3: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 4: Calculate Test statistic:

Chi-Squared = sum((Observed - Expected)² / Expected)

Step 5: Draw a picture:

Keep in mind that distribution starts from Zero and it's only Right-Skewed On the picture put Chi-Squared critical value which is based on DF(n - 1) and alpha, which is calculated with calculator (or with Python)

Step 6: Interpret results:

If Test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H₀ and accept H₁ if the Test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H₁

Test of Independence Using Chi-Square Distribution

(watch the video again in your playlist)

Example: Is the average number of studying hours depend on the type of student;

Step 1: Construct two tables: Observed vs Expected value (E.V = Rowtotal * Coltotal / N)

Step 2: Define Claim and Opposite, H₀ (contains equal sign) and H₁

Step 3: Define significance level (alpha)

Step 4: Calculate Test statistic:

Chi-Squared = sum((Observed - Expected)² / Expected)

Step 5: Draw a picture:

Keep in mind that distribution starts from Zero and it's only Right-Skewed On the picture put Chi-Squared critical value which is based on DF(n - 1) and alpha, which is calculated with calculator (or with Python)

Step 6: Interpret results:

If Test statistic is in Rejection Region => Reject H_0 and accept H_1 if the Test statistic is in the Fail to Rejection Region => We know nothing! There is not enough evidence to accept H_1