

Bayesian :

BF_{10} gives the likelihood ratio of rejecting the null in favour of the alternative,
so if much greater than 1, then reject H_0 . If only slightly larger than 1, then review CI.

You start with the likelihood distribution, and the prior belief updates the likelihood to the posterior.

This means that the posterior distribution is always in the middle of the likelihood and prior distributions

If you have a uniform prior belief (all values are equally likely), then the posterior equals the likelihood.

For the beta – binomial posterior distribution, the prior distribution parameters (a,b) are pseudocounts,
i.e. a = best guess of number of 1's and b = best guess of number of 0's

prior $\left(\theta = \frac{X}{n}\right)$: beta(a,b) or beta (α , β)

likelihood (X out of n trials) : binomial(X, n)

posterior $\left(\theta = \frac{X + \alpha}{\alpha + \beta + n}\right)$: beta($X + \alpha$, $\beta + (n - X)$)

prior : Beta(1,1)

likelihood : Binomial($X = 28$, $n = 127$)

posterior : Beta(29, 100)

$p > 0.5$??

Prior distribution is uniform \Rightarrow likelihood is equal to the posterior

$\Rightarrow \frac{29}{129} \approx 0.22$ (median) and sample size is large (sharp slope), so $\mathbb{P}(p > 0.5) \approx 0$

