

Summary of Hypothesis Tests
(only those covered in CENG / NANO114)

Symbol meanings (note that the actual definition depends on subscripts!)

μ : Population mean

σ : Population standard deviation

s : Sample standard deviation

n : Sample size

N : Global sample size in ANOVA

SS : Sum of squares

r : Sample correlation coefficient

ρ : Population correlation coefficient

MS : Mean squares

Name	Test statistic	Notes
One-sample z-test	$z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Normal population or when $n > 30$ and population standard deviation is known.
One-sample t-test	$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{s_{\bar{X}}}$ $s_{\bar{X}} = \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} = \sqrt{\frac{SS_x}{n(n-1)}}$ $dof = n - 1$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Normal population $n < 30$ and population standard deviation is unknown.
Two-sample t-test (independent)	$t = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{s_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}}$ $s_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2} = \sqrt{\frac{s_p^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_p^2}{n_2}}$ $s_p^2 = \frac{SS_{X_1} + SS_{X_2}}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$ $dof = n_1 + n_2 - 2$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> $n < 30$ and population standard deviation is unknown. Pooled variance estimate assumes X_1 and X_2 have similar population standard deviation. If this assumption is not valid, you can estimate the standard deviations of each population the regular way (same as one sample t-test).
Paired t-test	$t = \frac{\bar{D} - \mu_D}{\frac{s_D}{\sqrt{n}}}$ $dof = n - 1$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> D refers to paired differences

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Correlation Coefficient t -test	$t = \frac{r - \rho}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - r^2}{n - 2}}}$ $dof = n - 2$	
F -test ANOVA (one factor)	$F = \frac{MSTr}{MSE}$ $MSTr = \frac{SSTr}{dof_{tr}}$ $MSE = \frac{SSE}{dof_{error}}$ $dof_{tr} = \frac{N}{n} - 1$ $dof_{error} = N - \frac{N}{n}$ $HSD = q \sqrt{\frac{MSE}{n}}$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Normal population or $n > 30$ and population standard deviation is unknown. • Tukey's HSD test is used when F test results in rejection of null hypothesis
F -test ANOVA (one factor) – repeated measures	$F = \frac{MSTr}{MSE}$ $MSTr = \frac{SSTr}{dof_{tr}}$ $MSE = \frac{SSE}{dof_{error}}$ $dof_{tr} = \frac{N}{n} - 1$ $dof_{error} = N - \frac{N}{n} - (n - 1)$ $HSD = q \sqrt{\frac{MSE}{n}}$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Normal population or $n > 30$ and population standard deviation is unknown. • Tukey's HSD test is used when F test results in rejection of null hypothesis