

### PR 3

- c1) What is inferential statistics?
- inferential statistics is a branch of statistics that use a random sample of data taken from a population to describe and make inference about the population it allows for drawing conclusion that extend beyond the immediate data alone such as testing hypothesis testing estimate population

- c2) what is hypothesis testing?
- Hypothesis testing is a statistical method used to determine if there is enough evidence in a sample of data to infer that a certain condition is true for the entire population its main components are the null hypothesis the alternative hypothesis the test statistic the p-value and the decision rule

Formula :-

$$T = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}}$$

$\bar{x}$  = sample mean

$\mu$  = population mean

s = sample standard deviation

n = sample size

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \cancel{13} & \cancel{25} & \cancel{41} & 27.035 - 27 \\ \cancel{13} & \cancel{25} & \cancel{41} & 4.4 / \sqrt{1000} \\ T = 13.68 & & & \end{array}$$

Q3 Explain confidence interval and critical value?

→ confidence interval gives a range in which the true population mean is likely

We are 95% confident the true mean lies inside this range.

Formula

$$CI = \bar{x} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \times SE$$

$$CI = 26.8 \pm 1.984 \times 0.45$$

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We are 95% confident that the true average BMI lies between 25.91 and 27.61

Critical value is a point of a scale of a test statistic beyond which we reject the null hypothesis defining the boundary of the rejection

Formula:

$$t_{\alpha/2, n-1}$$

$$t_{0.025, 99} = 1.984$$

This is the cut off value

If your calculated t-statistic is greater than 1.984 the result is significant

Define p-value?

The p-value is the probability of observing a test statistic as extreme or more than the one observed in the sample assuming that the null hypothesis is true.

Differentiate type I and type II Errors?

Type I Errors

\* Rejecting a true null hypothesis.

\* Controlled by significance level

Ex. medical test

test say positive but person is actually healthy

Ex. court case

innocent person declared guilty

Type II Errors

\* Accepting a false null hypothesis

\* Reduced by increasing sample size

Ex. medical test

test say negative but person is actually sick

Ex. court case

Guilty person declared innocent

Q 6 Brief description of z-test, t-test, chi-square test, and Anova test  
⇒ z-test : used to compare means if the population variance is known & the sample size is large ( $n > 30$ )

t-test : used to compare means if the population variance is unknown & the sample size is small ( $n < 30$ )

chi-square test : used to determine if there is a statistically significant association between two categorical variables.

Anova Test : used to compare the mean of three or more independent groups to determine if at least one group mean is significantly different from the others.

2.9 what is covariance?

⇒ covariance is a measure of the joint variability between two random variables. A positive covariance indicates that the variables tend to move in the same direction while a negative covariance indicates they tend to move in opposite directions. It is an unstandardized measure, making its magnitude difficult to interpret.

What is correlation?

Correlation is a standardized measure of the linear relationship between two variables ranging from -1 to +1. It indicates both the strength and direction of the linear association where a value of +1 is a perfect positive correlation and -1 is a perfect negative correlation.