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ad assignment A21: How great would an observed correlation coefficient r_{xy} have to be in order to be significant on an error level of $\alpha=5\%$ for a sample size $n=14$, i.e. to lead to the rejection of the null hypothesis $H_0: \rho=0,8$ in favor of the alternative hypothesis $H_1: \rho>0,8$?

Answer the question

a) for t_{calc}

b) for z_{calc} (after Fishers z-transform)

$$t_{\text{calc}} := r_{xy} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{n-2}{1-r_{xy}^2}}$$

$$t_{\text{crit}} = 1.7823$$

$$z_{\text{calc}} := z \cdot \sqrt{n-3}$$

$$z_{\text{crit}} = 1.6449$$

r0	0.8	z0	1.09861
r	tcalc	z	zcalc
0.99	7.77618	2.64665	5.13427
0.98	5.22233	2.29756	3.97646
0.97	4.03733	2.0923	3.29568
0.96	3.29914	1.94591	2.81017
0.95	2.7735	1.83178	2.43164
0.94	2.36914	1.73805	2.12077
0.93	2.042	1.65839	1.85657
0.92	1.76777	1.58903	1.62652