

A battery manufacturer claims that their batteries last at least 500 hours on average. A quality control analyst believes that the actual average life of the batteries is less than 500 hours.

To test this claim, the analyst selects a random sample of 36 batteries, and finds that the sample mean lifetime is 485 hours, with a sample standard deviation of 20 hours.

At a 5% level of significance, test the analyst's claim using the p-value method. Assume battery lifetimes are approximately normally distributed.

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null hypothesis (H_0): $\mu = 500$ alternate hypothesis (H_1): $\mu < 500$

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import scipy.stats as stats
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sample_mean=485
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population_mean=500
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n=36
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level_of_significance=0.05
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sample_sd = 20
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df=df = n - 1
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t_test=(sample_mean-population_mean)/(sample_sd/n**0.5)
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t_test
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↩ -4.5
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p_value=0.000033975
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if p_value<level_of_significance:
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    print("reject null hypothesis")
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else:
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    print("accept null hypothesis")
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```
↩ reject null hypothesis
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