

Review:

Steps in hypothesis test

1. define two competing models about treatment mean μ :

$$H_0: \mu = *$$

$$H_1: \mu > * \quad (\text{or } \mu < *, \text{ or } \mu \neq *)$$

2. convert observed data (\bar{X}) to a standardized score

$$z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{N}} \quad (\text{if } \sigma \text{ is known})$$

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\hat{\sigma} / \sqrt{N}} \quad (\text{if } \sigma \text{ unknown, estimate with } \hat{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{SS}{N-1}})$$

3. compute probability of observing score (or more extreme) if H_0 is true.

- "p-value" (one tailed / two tailed)

1. if $p < 0.05$, data is rare under H_0 , so H_0 doesn't fit
 - ↳ reject H_0 . \rightarrow there is a significant change

- if $p > 0.05$, data is plausible under H_0 , so H_0 fits OK
 - ↳ fail to reject H_0 . \rightarrow no significant change