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Statistics - CA2. (10385771)

Q1) Using the dataset - CA2, testing if the proportion of males is equal to proportion of female.

$$\text{Step 1: } H_0: P_m = P_f = 0.5 \text{ reqd.}$$

$$H_a: P_m \neq P_f \neq 0.5 \text{ reqd.}$$

Where, P_m - prop. of male
 P_f - prop. of female.

from our dataset, we can see that, $n = 27$

Step 2: Assuming $\alpha = 0.05$

Step 3: finding t-Value.

$$t\text{-Value} = \frac{\hat{p} - p_0}{\sqrt{\frac{p_0(1-p_0)}{n}}}$$

$$\text{where, } \hat{p} = \frac{\text{no. of males}}{n} = \frac{14}{27}$$

$$\therefore \hat{p} = 0.5185$$

$$\text{and } p_0 = 0.5$$

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$$t\text{-Value} = (0.5185 - 0.50) / \sqrt{0.5(1-0.5)/27}$$
$$= 0.0185 / \sqrt{0.5(0.5)/27}$$

$$\therefore t\text{-Value} = 0.1922$$

Step 4 : Finding C-Value.

$$C\text{-Value} = Z_{\alpha/2} \quad (\text{Since the population is two-tail})$$

$$\therefore C\text{-Value} = Z_{0.025}$$

$$\therefore C\text{-Value} = 1.96 \quad (\text{from } z\text{-table})$$

Step 5 : Decision making:

$$\text{Since, } t\text{-Value} < C\text{-Value,}$$
$$(0.1922) < 1.96$$

We accept H_0 (i.e., $P_0 = 0.5$; $P_m = P_f$)

So, the proportion of males is equal to the proportion of females.

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Q3) Given: $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{10} \sim \text{Bin}(5, p)$

where, $n = 5$

a) Finding likelihood function:

$$L(p | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{10}) = \prod_{i=1}^{10} \binom{5}{x_i} p^{x_i} \cdot (1-p)^{5-x_i}$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^{10} \binom{5}{x_i} \cdot p^{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i} \cdot (1-p)^{50 - \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i}$$

b) Conjugate prior:

$$p(p) = \frac{p^{(\alpha-1)} \cdot (1-p)^{(\beta-1)}}{\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) \Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}}$$

Since the denominator of the above equation is independent of p , we are neglecting it.

$$\therefore p(p) = p^{(\alpha-1)} \cdot (1-p)^{(\beta-1)}$$

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c) Posterior distribution of p :

$$p(p|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{10}) = \text{Beta}(\alpha', \beta')$$

$$p(p|x_1, \dots, x_{10}) \propto p(p) \times L(p|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{10})$$

$$\propto p^{(\alpha-1)} \cdot (1-p)^{(\beta-1)} \times \left[\prod_{i=1}^{10} \binom{5}{x_i} \cdot p^{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i} \cdot (1-p)^{50 - \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i} \right]$$

$$p(p|x_1, \dots, x_{10}) \propto p^{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + \alpha} \cdot (1-p)^{\beta - \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + 49}$$

We are neglecting the $\left(\prod_{i=1}^{10} \binom{5}{x_i} \right)$ as it's independent of p .

from the above eqn, we can see the α' & β'

$$\alpha' = \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + \alpha \quad ; \quad \beta' = \beta - \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + 50$$

d) Computing minimum Bayesian risk estimator:

$$E(p|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{10}) = \frac{\alpha'}{\alpha' + \beta'}$$

$$\therefore E(p|x_1, \dots, x_{10}) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + \alpha}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + \alpha + \beta - \sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + 50} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} x_i + \alpha}{\alpha + \beta + 50}$$