

1.0 Hypothesis Testing

The Six Steps of Hypothesis Testing

Rejecting or Accepting the Null

Samples and Data

1.1 Parametric Tests for Comparing Two Populations

Testing Equality of Population Means (T Test)

$$\left[\frac{\bar{X} \pm t_{0.025, n-1} s}{\sqrt{n}} \right]$$

Independent Samples with Unequal Population Variances

Independent Samples and Equal Population Variances

Dependent Samples – Matched Pairs

Testing Equality of Population Variances (F Distribution or F Test)

$$\left[\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{\alpha/2, n-1}}, \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{1-\alpha, n-1}} \right]$$

Testing the Equality of Population Proportions

$$[\hat{p} \pm Z_{0.025} \sqrt{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})/n}]$$

1.2 Test for Whether A Series Is Normally Distributed

Test for Normal Distribution (Jarque-Bera Test)

$$SK = \frac{E(X - \mu)^2}{\sigma^3}$$

$$K = \frac{E(X - \mu)^4}{\frac{\sigma^4}{SST}}$$

$$MST = \frac{k-1}{SSE}$$

$$MSE = \frac{n-k}{SSE}$$

1.3 Parametric Test for Comparing Two Or More Populations

Analysis of Variance (ANOVA)

1.4 Nonparametric Tests for Comparing Two Populations

Testing Location with Independent Samples (Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test)

$$Z = \frac{T_1 - E(T_1)}{\sigma_{T_1}} \sim N(0,1)$$

Testing Location with Dependent Variables – Matched Pairs (Sign Test)

1.5 Nonparametric Test for Comparing Two Or More Populations

Kruskal-Wallis Test

1.6 Correlation

Correlation for Quantitative Data (Pearson Correlation Coefficient)

Correlation for Ordinal Data (Spearman Rank Correlation Coefficient)

2.0 Regression

2.1 Simple Regression

Model

Least squares estimators

Time-Series Data

Cross-Section Data

Constant Error Variance/Homoscedasticity

$$\text{var}(\varepsilon_i) = \sigma^2$$

Hypothesis Result

Maximum Sampling Error with Probability $(1 - \alpha)$

$$t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-2} \times \text{se}(\hat{\beta}_j)$$

100(1 - α)% interval estimate/confidence interval for β_j

$$\left[\hat{\beta}_j \pm t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}, n-2} \times \text{se}(\hat{\beta}_j) \right]$$

Log Linear Equation

Log-Log Equation

2.2 Multiple Regression

Model

Checking for Heteroskedasticity

$$e_i = Y_i - \hat{Y}_i = Y_i - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 X_{1i} + \hat{\beta}_2 X_{2i} + \dots + \hat{\beta}_k X_{ki})$$

Goodness of Fit

Testing the Overall Model

Quadratic Models

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_1^2 + \beta_3 X_2 + \beta_4 X_2^2 + \beta_5 X_1 X_2 + \varepsilon$$

$$\frac{dY}{dX_1} = \beta_1 + 2\beta_2 X_1 + \beta_5 X_2 + \varepsilon$$

Hypothesis Testing & Interval Estimation for functions with more than one coefficient

$$\text{var} \left(g(\hat{\beta}_2, \hat{\beta}_3) \right) = \left(\frac{dg}{d\hat{\beta}_2} \right)^2 \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2) + \left(\frac{dg}{d\hat{\beta}_3} \right)^2 \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_3) + 2 \left(\frac{dg}{d\hat{\beta}_2} \right) \left(\frac{dg}{d\hat{\beta}_3} \right) \text{cov}(\hat{\beta}_2, \hat{\beta}_3)$$

$$\left[\left(-\frac{\hat{\beta}_2}{2\hat{\beta}_3} \right) \pm t_{(n-k-1)} \text{se} \left(-\frac{\hat{\beta}_2}{2\hat{\beta}_3} \right) \right]$$

Dummy Variables

Testing Joint Null Hypothesis (Wald F-Test)

Prediction/Forecasting

$$\text{var}(Y_0 - \hat{Y}_0) = \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_0) + X_0^2 \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) + 2X_0 \text{cov}(\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1) + \text{var}(\varepsilon_0)$$

$$\text{var}(Y_0 - \hat{Y}_0) = \text{var}(\varepsilon_0) = \sigma^2$$

$$\text{se}(Y_0 - \hat{Y}_0) = \sqrt{\text{var}(Y_0 - \hat{Y}_0)}$$

$$[\hat{Y}_0 \pm t_{(0.025, n-k-1)} \text{se}(Y_0 - \hat{Y}_0),]$$

Model Choice Issues

3.0 Binary Choice Models

Linear Probability Model

Probit Model

$$\beta_j \frac{1}{n} \sum \phi(I_i)$$

Logit Model

$$\beta_j \frac{1}{n} \sum \left(\frac{\exp\{-I_i\}}{(1 + \exp\{I_i\})^2} \right)$$

4.0 Time Series Regression

Features of Time Series Regressions

Autocorrelations

$$\rho_s = \frac{\text{cov}(Y_t, Y_{t-s})}{\text{var}(Y_t)}$$

Significance of an Autocorrelation

Correlograms

Time-Series Regression Models

Forecasting From an AR(1) Model

$$\hat{Y}_{T+1} = \hat{\delta} + \hat{\theta}_1 Y_T \quad \hat{Y}_{T+j} = \hat{\delta} + \hat{\theta} \hat{Y}_{T+j-1}$$
$$[\hat{Y}_{T+j} \pm t_{0.025, T-2} se(f_j)]$$

AR(1) Model with Trend

$$Y - \mu_Y = \theta_1 (Y_{t-1} - \mu_Y) + \varepsilon_t$$

$$Y_t^* = Y_t - \mu_Y$$

Estimation Strategy

$$\Delta Y_t = \delta + \gamma Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

$$\Delta Y_t = \delta + \gamma Y_{t-1} - \theta_2 \Delta Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

Two Non-Stationary Models

$$Y_t = \delta + Y_{t-1} + \varepsilon_t$$

Multiplier Analysis

$$Y = \alpha + \beta_0 X_t + \beta_1 X_{t-1} + \beta_2 X_{t-2} + \dots + v_t$$

$$\frac{dY_t}{dX_t} = \beta_0 = \hat{\delta}_t$$

$$\frac{dY_t}{dX_{t-s}} = \frac{dY_{t+s}}{dX_t} = \hat{\theta}_1^s \hat{\delta}_s$$

$$\sum \frac{dY_t}{dX_{t-s}} = \sum \beta_s = \hat{\delta}_0 + \hat{\delta}_1 + \dots + \hat{\delta}_s$$

$$\sum \frac{dY_t}{dX_{t-j}} = \sum \beta_j = \frac{\hat{\delta}_0}{1 - \hat{\theta}_1}$$

1.0 Hypothesis Testing

Explain the general framework for using data to make inferences about population parameters

The Six Steps of Hypothesis Testing

1. Set up **null** and **alternative hypotheses**
2. **Test statistic and sampling distribution**
3. Specify **significance level**
4. Define **decision rule**
5. Collect sample, compute **test statistic or p-value**
6. Make **decision** and **conclude**

Rejecting or Accepting the Null

Rejecting the null

- there is not enough evidence to accept the null.

Accepting the null

- **never state the null is true**, simply it is **not false**
- there is not enough evidence to reject the null or
- the evidence from the sample is not compatible with the null

Explain the general framework for using data to make inferences about population parameters

Samples and Data

To learn about **parameters** like μ or p , you use a **sample to make sample statistics** \bar{X} or \hat{p}

- **probability distributions** show how good the samples are as estimates

Comparing Two Populations – A Summary

Parametric Tests for Quantitative (Continuous) Data

Independent Samples	Matched Pairs	Independent Samples	
<p>t-test for equality of means with equal population variances</p> $t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{s_p^2 \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right)}} \sim t_{(n_1+n_2-2)}$	<p>t-test on sample differences</p> $t = \frac{\bar{X}_D}{s_D/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{(n-1)}$ <p>(makes no assumption about population variances)</p>	<p>t-test for equality of means with unequal population variances</p> $t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}} \sim t_{(v)}$	
		<p>F-test for equality of variances</p> $F = \frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2} \sim F_{(n_1-1, n_2-1)}$	

Testing Population Proportions – Categorical Data

Independent Samples	
<p>Testing the equality of two population proportions</p> $Z = \frac{\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2}{\sqrt{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p}) \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right)}} \sim N(0,1)$	<p>Testing a non-zero difference between two population proportions</p> $Z = \frac{(\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2) - D}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}_1(1-\hat{p}_1)}{n_1} + \frac{\hat{p}_2(1-\hat{p}_2)}{n_2}}} \sim N(0,1)$

Nonparametric Tests: Ordinal Data or Quantitative Non-normal Data

Independent samples	Matched Pairs
<p>Wilcoxon rank sum test for locations (or medians)</p> <p>$T =$ sum of ranks</p> $Z = \frac{T - E(T)}{\sigma_T} \sim N(0,1)$ <p>Z for large samples;</p>	<p>Sign test for locations (ordinal data)</p> $Z = \frac{X - 0.5n}{0.5\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0,1)$

1.1 Parametric Tests for Comparing Two Populations

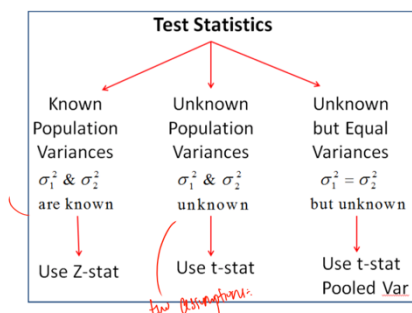
Apply the six hypothesis testing steps to testing a population mean μ
 Test hypotheses for the difference between two means using samples of independent quantitative data

Testing Equality of Population Means (T Test)

$$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$$

$$H_A: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2 \text{ or } \mu_1 < \mu_2 \text{ or } \mu_1 > \mu_2$$

- when $H_A: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$, the test is **two-tailed**
 - p-values on EViews** are always for 2-tail test, must be **halved for 1-tail**
- reject null when $t > \text{critical value}$
- reject null when $p < 1 - \text{significance}$



- population variances are always known

95% interval estimate

$$\left[\bar{X} \pm t_{0.025, n-1} s \right]$$

Two t tests for using independent samples of quantitative (continuous) data to test the equality of population means. One test assumes equal variances; the other does not

Independent Samples with Unequal Population Variances

test statistic

$$t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}} \sim t(v)$$

degrees of freedom

$$df = \frac{\left[\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2} \right]^2}{\frac{\left(\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} \right)^2}{n_1 - 1} + \frac{\left(\frac{s_2^2}{n_2} \right)^2}{n_2 - 1}}$$

Independent Samples and Equal Population Variances

test statistic

$$t = \frac{(\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{s_p^2 \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right)}} \sim t_{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$$