

Review for Exam 3

Chapter 7 Unpaired continuous data

Chapter 8 Paired continuous data

Chapter 9 Categorical data: proportions confidence intervals

Chapter 10 Categorical data: test statistic and P -value

Tables 6 – 8: Discrete (e.g. a whole number) test statistics

Tables 4, 9: Continuous-valued (e.g. can be any value) test statistics

P -values in every table: If H_0 were true, then P is the likelihood of getting samples *this different* from what was expected/predicted, as described in H_0 , *or even more different*.

For Tables 6 – 9, the P -values given are for the non-directional case. For the directional case, divide the given P -value by 2 to get the directional P -value.

The effects of doubling sample size on test statistics, and the resulting P -values.

Test Table	Change in test statistic	Example
t_s Table 4	New $t_s = \sqrt{2}$ Old t_s	<p>Example 7.2.2</p> <p>Old $t_s = 2.34, df \approx 8 \Rightarrow .04 < P < .05$</p> <p>New $t_s = \frac{(540.8 - 444.2) - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{66.1^2}{12} + \frac{69.6^2}{10}}} \approx 3.31, df \approx 19 \Rightarrow .001 < P < .01$</p>
WMW Table 6	New $U_s = 4$ Old U_s	<p>Table 7.10.2</p> <p>Old $n = 8, n' = 7, U_s = 49.5 \Rightarrow .010 < P < .021$</p> <p>New $n = 16, n' = 14, U_s = 198 \Rightarrow P \ll .0045$</p>
Sign Table 7	New $B_s = 2$ Old B_s	<p>Example 8.4.1</p> <p>Old $n = 11, B_s = 9 \Rightarrow P = .065$</p> <p>New $n = 22, B_s = 18 \Rightarrow P = .004$</p>
Signed Rank Table 8	New $W_s \approx 4$ Old W_s	<p>Example 8.5.1, Table 8.5.3</p> <p>Old $n = 9$ (note: $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 9 = \frac{9 \cdot 10}{2} = 45$) $W_- = 1 + 2 + 3 = 6, W_+ = 4 + \dots + 9 = 39,$ $W_s = 39 \Rightarrow .0390 < P < .0980$</p> <p>New $n = 18$ ($1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 18 = \frac{18 \cdot 19}{2} = 171$) $W_- = 1 + \dots + 6 = 21, W_+ = 7 + \dots + 18 = 150,$ $W_s = 150 \Rightarrow .0100 < P < .0019$</p>
Chi-square Table 9	New $\chi_s^2 = 2$ Old χ_s^2	<p>Table 10.5.3</p> <p>Old $\chi_s^2 = 14.09, df = 4 \Rightarrow .001 < P < .01$</p> <p>New $\chi_s^2 = 28.18, df = 4 \Rightarrow P < .0001$</p>

Confidence intervals shrink/decrease in width as sample size increases.

Example 7.2.2 (from previous page):

Suppose $\alpha = .01$ (so 99% confidence). From previous page:

Original	
t_s	P
2.34	$.04 < P < .05$
Don't reject H_0	

New (with doubled n)	
t_s	P
3.31	$.001 < P < .01$
Reject H_0	

Confidence intervals:

Original: $df \approx 8$, so $t = 3.355$, so

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_1 - \mu_2 &= 540.8 - 444.2 \pm 3.355 \sqrt{\frac{66.1^2}{6} + \frac{69.6^2}{5}} \\ &= 96.6 \pm 3.355(41.195) = 96.6 \pm 138.21\end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$-41.61 < \mu_1 - \mu_2 < 234.81$$

which includes 0, so we do not conclude that $\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq 0$.

New (with doubled n): $df \approx 16$, so $t = 2.921$, so

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_1 - \mu_2 &= 540.8 - 444.2 \pm 2.921 \sqrt{\frac{66.1^2}{12} + \frac{69.6^2}{10}} \\ &= 96.6 \pm 2.921(29.129) = 96.6 \pm 85.06 \\ &\quad \uparrow \approx 41.195/\sqrt{2} \quad \uparrow \approx 138.21/\sqrt{2}\end{aligned}$$

i.e.

$$11.54 < \mu_1 - \mu_2 < 181.66$$

which does not include 0, so we do conclude that $\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq 0$.