

INTRODUCTORY STATISTICS, 6/E

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NOTATION The following notation is used on this card:

n = sample size	σ = population stdev
\bar{x} = sample mean	d = paired difference
s = sample stdev	\hat{p} = sample proportion
Q_j = j th quartile	p = population proportion
N = population size	O = observed frequency
μ = population mean	E = expected frequency

CHAPTER 3 Descriptive Measures

- Sample mean: $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x}{n}$

- Range: Range = Max – Min

- Sample standard deviation:

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum(x - \bar{x})^2}{n - 1}} \quad \text{or} \quad s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2/n}{n - 1}}$$

- Interquartile range: IQR = $Q_3 - Q_1$

- Lower limit = $Q_1 - 1.5 \cdot \text{IQR}$, Upper limit = $Q_3 + 1.5 \cdot \text{IQR}$

- Population mean (mean of a variable): $\mu = \frac{\sum x}{N}$

- Population standard deviation (standard deviation of a variable):

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum(x - \mu)^2}{N}} \quad \text{or} \quad \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2}{N} - \mu^2}$$

- Standardized variable: $z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$

CHAPTER 4 Probability Concepts

- Probability for equally likely outcomes:

$$P(E) = \frac{f}{N},$$

where f denotes the number of ways event E can occur and N denotes the total number of outcomes possible.

- Special addition rule:

$$P(A \text{ or } B \text{ or } C \text{ or } \dots) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C) + \dots$$

(A, B, C, \dots mutually exclusive)

- Complementation rule: $P(E) = 1 - P(\text{not } E)$

- General addition rule: $P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \& B)$

- Conditional probability rule: $P(B | A) = \frac{P(A \& B)}{P(A)}$

- General multiplication rule: $P(A \& B) = P(A) \cdot P(B | A)$

- Special multiplication rule:

$$P(A \& B \& C \& \dots) = P(A) \cdot P(B) \cdot P(C) \dots$$

(A, B, C, \dots independent)

- Rule of total probability:

$$P(B) = \sum_{j=1}^k P(A_j) \cdot P(B | A_j)$$

(A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k mutually exclusive and exhaustive)

- Bayes's rule:

$$P(A_i | B) = \frac{P(A_i) \cdot P(B | A_i)}{\sum_{j=1}^k P(A_j) \cdot P(B | A_j)}$$

(A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k mutually exclusive and exhaustive)

- Factorial: $k! = k(k - 1) \dots 2 \cdot 1$

- Permutations rule: ${}_m P_r = \frac{m!}{(m - r)!}$

- Special permutations rule: ${}_m P_m = m!$

- Combinations rule: ${}_m C_r = \frac{m!}{r!(m - r)!}$

- Number of possible samples: ${}_N C_n = \frac{N!}{n!(N - n)!}$

CHAPTER 5 Discrete Random Variables

- Mean of a discrete random variable X : $\mu = \sum x P(X = x)$

- Standard deviation of a discrete random variable X :

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sum(x - \mu)^2 P(X = x)} \quad \text{or} \quad \sigma = \sqrt{\sum x^2 P(X = x) - \mu^2}$$

- Factorial: $k! = k(k - 1) \dots 2 \cdot 1$

- Binomial coefficient: $\binom{n}{x} = \frac{n!}{x!(n - x)!}$

- Binomial probability formula:

$$P(X = x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1 - p)^{n - x},$$

where n denotes the number of trials and p denotes the success probability.

- Mean of a binomial random variable: $\mu = np$

- Standard deviation of a binomial random variable: $\sigma = \sqrt{np(1 - p)}$

- Poisson probability formula: $P(X = x) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^x}{x!}$

- Mean of a Poisson random variable: $\mu = \lambda$

- Standard deviation of a Poisson random variable: $\sigma = \sqrt{\lambda}$

CHAPTER 7 The Sampling Distribution of the Sample Mean

- Mean of the variable \bar{x} : $\mu_{\bar{x}} = \mu$

- Standard deviation of the variable \bar{x} : $\sigma_{\bar{x}} = \sigma/\sqrt{n}$

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CHAPTER 8 Confidence Intervals for One Population Mean

- Standardized version of the variable \bar{x} :

$$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$$

- z -interval for μ (σ known, normal population or large sample):

$$\bar{x} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

- Margin of error for the estimate of μ : $E = z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

- Sample size for estimating μ :

$$n = \left(\frac{z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sigma}{E} \right)^2,$$

rounded up to the nearest whole number.

- Studentized version of the variable \bar{x} :

$$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s/\sqrt{n}}$$

- t -interval for μ (σ unknown, normal population or large sample):

$$\bar{x} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

with $df = n - 1$.

CHAPTER 9 Hypothesis Tests for One Population Mean

- z -test statistic for $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ (σ known, normal population or large sample):

$$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$$

- t -test statistic for $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ (σ unknown, normal population or large sample):

$$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{s/\sqrt{n}}$$

with $df = n - 1$.

- Wilcoxon signed-rank test statistic for $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ (symmetric population):

W = sum of the positive ranks

CHAPTER 10 Inferences for Two Population Means

- Pooled sample standard deviation:

$$s_p = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}$$

- Pooled t -test statistic for $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ (independent samples, normal populations or large samples, and equal population standard deviations):

$$t = \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2}{s_p \sqrt{(1/n_1) + (1/n_2)}}$$

with $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$.

- Pooled t -interval for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ (independent samples, normal populations or large samples, and equal population standard deviations):

$$(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot s_p \sqrt{(1/n_1) + (1/n_2)}$$

with $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$.

- Degrees of freedom for nonpooled- t procedures:

$$\Delta = \frac{[(s_1^2/n_1) + (s_2^2/n_2)]^2}{\frac{(s_1^2/n_1)^2}{n_1 - 1} + \frac{(s_2^2/n_2)^2}{n_2 - 1}},$$

rounded down to the nearest integer.

- Nonpooled t -test statistic for $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ (independent samples, and normal populations or large samples):

$$t = \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2}{\sqrt{(s_1^2/n_1) + (s_2^2/n_2)}}$$

with $df = \Delta$.

- Nonpooled t -interval for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ (independent samples, and normal populations or large samples):

$$(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{(s_1^2/n_1) + (s_2^2/n_2)}$$

with $df = \Delta$.

- Mann-Whitney test statistic for $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ (independent samples and same-shape populations):

M = sum of the ranks for sample data from Population 1

- Paired t -test statistic for $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ (paired sample, and normal differences or large sample):

$$t = \frac{\bar{d}}{s_d/\sqrt{n}}$$

with $df = n - 1$.

- Paired t -interval for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ (paired sample, and normal differences or large sample):

$$\bar{d} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{s_d}{\sqrt{n}}$$

with $df = n - 1$.

- Paired Wilcoxon signed-rank test statistic for $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ (paired sample and symmetric differences):

W = sum of the positive ranks

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CHAPTER 11 Inferences for Population Standard Deviations

- χ^2 -test statistic for $H_0: \sigma = \sigma_0$ (normal population):

$$\chi^2 = \frac{n-1}{\sigma_0^2} s^2$$

with $df = n - 1$.

- χ^2 -interval for σ (normal population):

$$\sqrt{\frac{n-1}{\chi_{\alpha/2}^2}} \cdot s \quad \text{to} \quad \sqrt{\frac{n-1}{\chi_{1-\alpha/2}^2}} \cdot s$$

with $df = n - 1$.

- F -test statistic for $H_0: \sigma_1 = \sigma_2$ (independent samples and normal populations):

$$F = s_1^2/s_2^2$$

with $df = (n_1 - 1, n_2 - 1)$.

- F -interval for σ_1/σ_2 (independent samples and normal populations):

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{F_{\alpha/2}}} \cdot \frac{s_1}{s_2} \quad \text{to} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{F_{1-\alpha/2}}} \cdot \frac{s_1}{s_2}$$

with $df = (n_1 - 1, n_2 - 1)$.

CHAPTER 12 Inferences for Population Proportions

- Sample proportion:

$$\hat{p} = \frac{x}{n},$$

where x denotes the number of members in the sample that have the specified attribute.

- One-sample z -interval for p :

$$\hat{p} \pm z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})/n}$$

(Assumption: both x and $n - x$ are 5 or greater)

- Margin of error for the estimate of p :

$$E = z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})/n}$$

- Sample size for estimating p :

$$n = 0.25 \left(\frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{E} \right)^2 \quad \text{or} \quad n = \hat{p}_g(1-\hat{p}_g) \left(\frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{E} \right)^2$$

rounded up to the nearest whole number (g = “educated guess”)

- One-sample z -test statistic for $H_0: p = p_0$:

$$z = \frac{\hat{p} - p_0}{\sqrt{p_0(1-p_0)/n}}$$

(Assumption: both np_0 and $n(1-p_0)$ are 5 or greater)

- Pooled sample proportion: $\hat{p}_p = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{n_1 + n_2}$

- Two-sample z -test statistic for $H_0: p_1 = p_2$:

$$z = \frac{\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2}{\sqrt{\hat{p}_p(1-\hat{p}_p)\sqrt{(1/n_1) + (1/n_2)}}}$$

(Assumptions: independent samples; $x_1, n_1 - x_1, x_2, n_2 - x_2$ are all 5 or greater)

- Two-sample z -interval for $p_1 - p_2$:

$$(\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2) \pm z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{\hat{p}_1(1-\hat{p}_1)/n_1 + \hat{p}_2(1-\hat{p}_2)/n_2}$$

(Assumptions: independent samples; $x_1, n_1 - x_1, x_2, n_2 - x_2$ are all 5 or greater)

- Margin of error for the estimate of $p_1 - p_2$:

$$E = z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \sqrt{\hat{p}_1(1-\hat{p}_1)/n_1 + \hat{p}_2(1-\hat{p}_2)/n_2}$$

- Sample size for estimating $p_1 - p_2$:

$$n_1 = n_2 = 0.5 \left(\frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{E} \right)^2$$

or

$$n_1 = n_2 = \left(\hat{p}_{1g}(1-\hat{p}_{1g}) + \hat{p}_{2g}(1-\hat{p}_{2g}) \right) \left(\frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{E} \right)^2$$

rounded up to the nearest whole number (g = “educated guess”)

CHAPTER 13 Chi-Square Procedures

- Expected frequencies for a chi-square goodness-of-fit test:

$$E = np$$

- Test statistic for a chi-square goodness-of-fit test:

$$\chi^2 = \sum (O - E)^2/E$$

with $df = k - 1$, where k is the number of possible values for the variable under consideration.

- Expected frequencies for a chi-square independence test:

$$E = \frac{R \cdot C}{n}$$

where R = row total and C = column total.

- Test statistic for a chi-square independence test:

$$\chi^2 = \sum (O - E)^2/E$$

with $df = (r - 1)(c - 1)$, where r and c are the number of possible values for the two variables under consideration.

CHAPTER 14 Descriptive Methods in Regression and Correlation

- S_{xx} , S_{xy} , and S_{yy} :

$$S_{xx} = \sum (x - \bar{x})^2 = \sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2/n$$

$$S_{xy} = \sum (x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y}) = \sum xy - (\sum x)(\sum y)/n$$

$$S_{yy} = \sum (y - \bar{y})^2 = \sum y^2 - (\sum y)^2/n$$

- Regression equation: $\hat{y} = b_0 + b_1x$, where

$$b_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}} \quad \text{and} \quad b_0 = \frac{1}{n} (\sum y - b_1 \sum x) = \bar{y} - b_1 \bar{x}$$

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- Total sum of squares: $SST = \Sigma(y - \bar{y})^2 = S_{yy}$
- Regression sum of squares: $SSR = \Sigma(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2 = S_{xy}^2/S_{xx}$
- Error sum of squares: $SSE = \Sigma(y - \hat{y})^2 = S_{yy} - S_{xy}^2/S_{xx}$
- Regression identity: $SST = SSR + SSE$
- Coefficient of determination: $r^2 = \frac{SSR}{SST}$
- Linear correlation coefficient:

$$r = \frac{\frac{1}{n-1} \Sigma(x - \bar{x})(y - \bar{y})}{s_x s_y} \quad \text{or} \quad r = \frac{S_{xy}}{\sqrt{S_{xx} S_{yy}}}$$

CHAPTER 15 Inferential Methods in Regression and Correlation

- Population regression equation: $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x$
- Standard error of the estimate: $s_e = \sqrt{\frac{SSE}{n-2}}$
- Test statistic for $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$:

$$t = \frac{b_1}{s_e / \sqrt{S_{xx}}}$$

with $df = n - 2$.

- Confidence interval for β_1 :

$$b_1 \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{s_e}{\sqrt{S_{xx}}}$$

with $df = n - 2$.

- Confidence interval for the conditional mean of the response variable corresponding to x_p :

$$\hat{y}_p \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot s_e \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x_p - \Sigma x/n)^2}{S_{xx}}}$$

with $df = n - 2$.

- Prediction interval for an observed value of the response variable corresponding to x_p :

$$\hat{y}_p \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot s_e \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x_p - \Sigma x/n)^2}{S_{xx}}}$$

with $df = n - 2$.

- Test statistic for $H_0: \rho = 0$:

$$t = \frac{r}{\sqrt{\frac{1-r^2}{n-2}}}$$

with $df = n - 2$.

- Test statistic for a correlation test for normality:

$$R_p = \frac{\Sigma xw}{\sqrt{S_{xx} \Sigma w^2}}$$

where x and w denote observations of the variable and the corresponding normal scores, respectively.

CHAPTER 16 Analysis of Variance (ANOVA)

- Notation in one-way ANOVA:

k = number of populations

n = total number of observations

\bar{x} = mean of all n observations

n_j = size of sample from Population j

\bar{x}_j = mean of sample from Population j

s_j^2 = variance of sample from Population j

T_j = sum of sample data from Population j

- Defining formulas for sums of squares in one-way ANOVA:

$$SST = \Sigma(x - \bar{x})^2$$

$$SSTR = \Sigma n_j (\bar{x}_j - \bar{x})^2$$

$$SSE = \Sigma (n_j - 1) s_j^2$$

- One-way ANOVA identity: $SST = SSTR + SSE$

- Computing formulas for sums of squares in one-way ANOVA:

$$SST = \Sigma x^2 - (\Sigma x)^2/n$$

$$SSTR = \Sigma (T_j^2/n_j) - (\Sigma x)^2/n$$

$$SSE = SST - SSTR$$

- Mean squares in one-way ANOVA:

$$MSTR = \frac{SSTR}{k-1}, \quad MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-k}$$

- Test statistic for one-way ANOVA (independent samples, normal populations, and equal population standard deviations):

$$F = \frac{MSTR}{MSE}$$

with $df = (k - 1, n - k)$.

- Confidence interval for $\mu_i - \mu_j$ in the Tukey multiple-comparison method (independent samples, normal populations, and equal population standard deviations):

$$(\bar{x}_i - \bar{x}_j) \pm \frac{q_\alpha}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot s \sqrt{(1/n_i) + (1/n_j)},$$

where $s = \sqrt{MSE}$ and q_α is obtained for a q -curve with parameters k and $n - k$.

- Test statistic for a Kruskal–Wallis test (independent samples, same-shape populations, all sample sizes 5 or greater):

$$H = \frac{SSTR}{SST/(n-1)} \quad \text{or} \quad H = \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{j=1}^k \frac{R_j^2}{n_j} - 3(n+1),$$

where $SSTR$ and SST are computed for the ranks of the data, and R_j denotes the sum of the ranks for the sample data from Population j . H is approximately chi-square with $df = k - 1$.