

Panel 1

Difference of Means

$$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$$

$$H_a: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$$

$$z_0 \text{ or } t_0 \quad \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 - \overset{=0}{(\mu_1 - \mu_2)}}{S} \quad , \quad S = \sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}$$

(comp. small) nptd

$$\text{Decide: } p = 2P(Z > |z_0|) < 0.05, \quad n_1 > 30, n_2 > 30$$

$$df = n_1 + n_2 - 2, \quad t_{\text{over}} \text{ col: } t_a \quad \text{if } |t_0| > t_a \Rightarrow \text{reject } H_0$$

Answer: Reject H_0

Inconclusive

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Panel 2

$$\underline{\underline{Ex:}} \quad \text{Sample I: } n_1 = 110, \quad \bar{X}_1 = 17.8, \quad s_1 = 4.91$$

$$n_2 = 140, \quad \bar{X}_2 = 14.1, \quad s_2 = 5.25$$

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$$t_{z_0} = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{S} = \frac{17.8 - 14.1}{2.04} \quad , \quad S = \sqrt{\frac{4.91^2}{11} + \frac{5.25^2}{14}}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{1.81}} = z_0, \quad p = 2P(Z > 1.81) = 2 \cdot 0.03572 = \underline{\underline{0.07144}}$$

$$df = 11 + 14 - 2 = 23 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} t_a = 2.069 \\ t_{\text{over}} = \end{array} \right\} \quad \text{If } t_0 > t_a, \quad 1.81 < \cancel{2.069}$$

Inconclusive

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Panel 3

Proportions

So far our procedures (tests + conf. intervals) work only for numerical variables!

What if I have categorical variables?

Ex Do you have health insurance
use the proportion of people with health insur.

As a Canadian, are you for or against Quebec's independence?

use proportions of people for independence.

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Panel 4

Coincidence experiment with 2 outcomes
success = 1, failure = 0

Ex person with insurance = S

person for Quebec indep. = S

heads in a coin toss = S

Let π be the probability of success: $\pi = P(X=S)$

To estimate π , conduct exp. N times and use proportion of S.

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Panel 5

Fact: The std. dev. is $\sigma = \sqrt{\pi(1-\pi)}$

Confidence Intervals $n \geq 30$

Recall: $\bar{x} \pm M \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$, $M = 1.645$ or 1.96 or 2.57

Thus: $\bar{x} - M \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi(1-\pi)}}{\sqrt{n}}$ to $\bar{x} + M \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi(1-\pi)}}{\sqrt{n}}$

Ex: A 2006 Florida poll asked: Is it okay to create laws restricting access to guns. Ask 1200 voters, 396 say "yes". Want confidence interval for π (Yes = success)

Panel 6

π is between $\bar{x} \pm M \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} =$

$\bar{x} + M \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$ / 95%

$\bar{x} = \frac{396}{1200} = \underline{0.33}$ (When in doubt $M = 1.96$)

$1.96 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi(1-\pi)}}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{1.96 \cdot \sqrt{0.33 \cdot (1-0.33)}}{1200} = \underline{0.0136} \cdot 1.96 = \underline{0.0266}$

From $0.33 - 0.0266 = \underline{0.3034}$

to $0.33 + 0.0266 = \underline{0.3566}$