

EC0240 HW Answers for Ch. 9 (Hypothesis Test of a Single Population)

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Q1. $n = 25$, $\alpha = 0.05$.

$H_0: \mu = 100$

$H_1: \mu > 100$

a. $\sigma^2 = 225$. Reject H_0 if $\bar{X} > \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 + z_{\alpha} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 100 + 1.645 \sqrt{\frac{225}{25}}$
 $z_{0.05} = 1.645$

b. $\sigma^2 = 900$ Reject H_0 if $\bar{X} > 100 + 1.645 \sqrt{\frac{900}{25}} = 109.87$

c. $\sigma^2 = 400$ " $\bar{X} > 100 + 1.645 \sqrt{\frac{400}{25}} = 106.58$

d. $\sigma^2 = 600$ " $\bar{X} > 100 + 1.645 \sqrt{\frac{600}{25}} = 108.0588$

Q2. $\sigma^2 = 400$ a. $n = 25$. $z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{70 - 80}{20/\sqrt{25}} = -2.50$

$H_0: \mu = 80$

$H_1: \mu < 80$

p-value = $P(Z < -2.50) = 0.0062$.

$\bar{X}_0 = 70$ (Observed $\bar{X}$)
 Not $\bar{X}_c$ (typo in the question)
 sorry!

b. $n = 16$. $z = \frac{70 - 80}{20/\sqrt{16}} = -2.00$

p-value = $P(Z < -2.00) = 1 - P(Z < 2.00) = 0.0228$

c. $n = 44$. $z = \frac{70 - 80}{20/\sqrt{44}} = -3.32$. $p = P(Z < -3.32) = 1 - P(Z < 3.32) = 0.0004$

d. $n = 32$. $z = \frac{70 - 80}{20/\sqrt{32}} = -2.83$. $p = P(Z < -2.83) = 1 - P(Z < 2.83) = 0.0023$

Q3. $n = 3$
 $\bar{X} = 48.2$
 $\alpha = 0.1$

$H_0: \mu \geq 50$
 $H_1: \mu < 50$

Reject H_0 if $\bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 - z_{\alpha} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = 50 - 1.28 \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} = 48.72$

Since $\bar{X} = 48.2$,

$\bar{X} = 48.2 < \bar{X}_c = 48.72$ applies, we can reject H_0 .

Q4.

$$H_0: \mu = 100$$

$$H_1: \mu < 100$$

$$n = 36$$

$$\alpha = 0.05$$

$$a. \bar{X} = 106, S = 15$$

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 - t_{n-1, \alpha} \frac{S}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$= 100 - t_{35, 0.05} \frac{15}{\sqrt{36}} = 95.7575$$

$$\text{Since } \bar{X} = 106 > \bar{X}_c = 95.76$$

→ we fail to reject H_0

$$b. \bar{X} = 104, S = 10$$

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = 100 - 1.697 \frac{10}{\sqrt{36}} = 97.17$$

Since $\bar{X} = 104 > \bar{X}_c = 97.17$, we fail to reject H_0 .

$$c. \bar{X} = 95, S = 10$$

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = 100 - 1.697 \frac{10}{\sqrt{36}} = 97.17$$

Since $\bar{X} = 95 < \bar{X}_c = 97.17$, we reject H_0 .

$$d. \bar{X} = 92, S = 18$$

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = 100 - 1.697 \cdot \frac{18}{\sqrt{36}} = 94.909$$

Since $\bar{X} = 92 < \bar{X}_c = 94.909$, we reject H_0 .

$$Q5. n = 172$$

$$\bar{X} = 3.31$$

$$S = 0.7$$

$$\alpha = 0.01$$

$$H_0: \mu \leq 3.0$$

$$H_1: \mu > 3.0$$

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} > \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 + t_{n-1, \alpha} \frac{S}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\text{Since } \bar{X} = 3.31 > \bar{X}_c = 3.124$$

We reject H_0 .

$$= 3 + t_{171, 0.01} \frac{0.7}{\sqrt{172}}$$

$$= 3.124$$

$$Q6. \mu = 78.5$$

$$H_0: \mu = 78.5$$

$$\alpha = 0.1$$

$$\bar{X} = 74.5$$

$$H_1: \mu \neq 78.5$$

$$n = 8$$

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{(72-74.5)^2 + (83-74.5)^2 + (78-74.5)^2 + (65-74.5)^2 + (69-74.5)^2 + (77-74.5)^2 + (81-74.5)^2 + (71-74.5)^2}{7}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{272}{7}} = 6.23$$

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Since $\bar{X} = 74.5$, we can't reject H_0

$$\text{Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 - t_{7, 0.05} \frac{6.23}{\sqrt{8}} \text{ or } \bar{X} > \bar{X}_c = 78.5 + 1.895 \frac{6.23}{\sqrt{8}} = 82.67$$

Q7.

$$\begin{array}{ll} n=15 & H_0: \mu \geq 400 \\ \bar{X} = 381.35 & H_1: \mu < 400 \\ S = 48.60 & \end{array}$$

a. Reject H_0 if $\bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = 400 - t_{14, \alpha} \frac{48.60}{\sqrt{15}}$.

→ since we are not given α , let's approach from different angle.

$$t = \frac{381.35 - 400}{48.60/\sqrt{15}} = -1.486$$

$$p\text{-value} = P(t_p < -1.486)$$

$$= P(t_p > 1.486)$$

between 0.1 and 0.05. α 5% - 10%

We reject H_0 if α is greater than exact p-value which is between 5 & 10%.

if $\alpha = 0.05$,

$$\bar{X}_c = 400 - 1.761 \frac{48.60}{\sqrt{15}} = 377.9$$

$$\bar{X} = 381.35 > \bar{X}_c \rightarrow \text{Fail to reject } H_0$$

if $\alpha = 0.10$

$$\bar{X}_c = 400 - 1.345 \frac{48.60}{\sqrt{15}} = 383.12$$

Since $\bar{X} = 381.35 < \bar{X}_c = 383.12 \rightarrow \text{Reject } H_0$

6. $n=50$.

$$t = \frac{381.35 - 400}{48.60/\sqrt{50}} = -2.713$$

$$p\text{-value} = P(t_p < -2.713) = P(t_p > 2.713) = \text{between } 0.01 \text{ and } 0.005$$

Therefore, the claim can be rejected at lower significance level (0.5 - 1%)

Q8. $H_0: \mu = 5$ $\bar{X}_c = 5.041$
 $H_1: \mu > 5$

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Compute Type II error: β

$$\beta = P(Z < \frac{\bar{X}_c - \mu_1}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}})$$

a. $\mu_1 = 5.10$

$$\beta = P(Z < \frac{5.041 - 5.10}{0.1/\sqrt{16}}) = P(Z < -2.36)$$

Type II error
 $= 1 - P(Z < 2.36) = 1 - 0.9909 = 0.0091$
 $\quad \quad \quad 0.9909$

$1 - \beta = 0.9909$
 power

b. $\mu_1 = 5.03$

$$\beta = P(Z < \frac{5.041 - 5.03}{0.1/\sqrt{16}}) = P(Z < 0.44) = 0.6700$$

$1 - \beta = 0.3300$

c. $\mu_1 = 5.15$

$$\beta = P(Z < \frac{5.041 - 5.15}{0.1/\sqrt{16}}) = P(Z < -4.36) = 0.0000$$

$1 - \beta = 1$

d. $\mu_1 = 5.07$

$$\beta = P(Z < \frac{5.041 - 5.07}{0.1/\sqrt{16}}) = P(Z < -1.16) = 0.3770$$

$1 - \beta = 0.6230$

Q9.

$$H_0: \mu \geq 50$$

$$H_1: \mu < 50$$

$$\alpha = 0.1$$

$$\sigma = 3$$

$$\bar{X} = 48.2$$

$$n = 9$$

$$a) \text{ Reject } H_0 \text{ if } \bar{X} < \bar{X}_c = \mu_0 - Z_{\alpha} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$= 50 - 1.28 \frac{3}{\sqrt{9}}$$

$$= 48.72$$

Since $\bar{X} = 48.2 < \bar{X}_c = 48.72$,
we reject H_0 .

$$b. \mu_1 = 49$$

$$\beta = P\left(Z > \frac{\bar{X}_c - \mu_1}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) = P(Z > -0.28) = P(Z < 0.28)$$

$$= 0.6103.$$

Power of the test.

$$1 - \beta = 0.3897$$

- Q10. a) False. The significance level is the probability of making a Type I error - falsely rejecting the null hypothesis when in fact the null is true.
- b) True
- c) True
- d) False. The power of the test is the ability of the test to correctly reject a false null hypothesis.
- e) False. The rejection region is farther away from the Hypothesized value at the 1% level than it is at the 5% level. Therefore, it is still possible to reject at the 5% level but not at the 1% level.
- f) True
- g) False. The p-value tells the strength of the evidence against the null hypothesis.