

$N(\mu, 1)$

eg: Consider $N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ pop'n where σ^2 is known.

To test: $H_0: \mu = \mu_0$ vs $H_1: \mu = \mu_1 [\mu_1 > \mu_0]$

Consider n.s $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ [σ^2 is known]

Compute sample mean \bar{x}

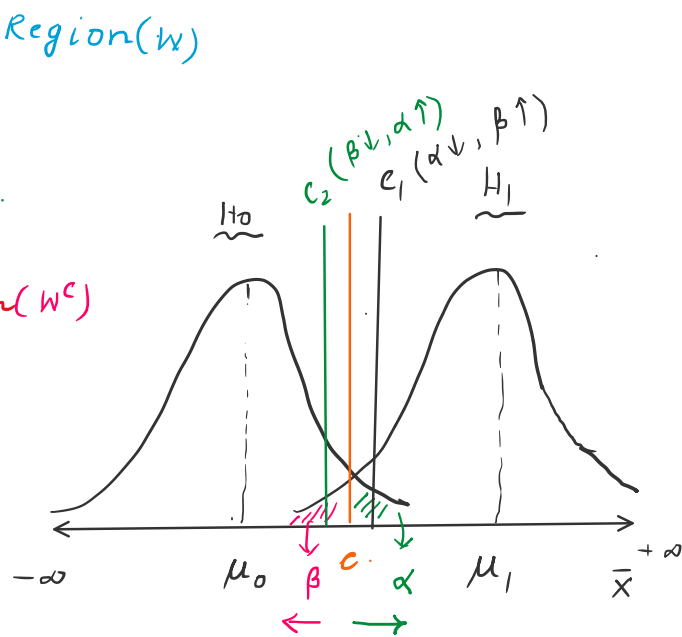
Fix a critical pt 'c'. If $\bar{x} > c \Rightarrow$ Reject H_0 .
 If $\bar{x} < c \Rightarrow$ Accept H_0 . } Testing criteria

2 Possible Errors

Type I Error $\alpha = P[\bar{x} > c | H_0]$

Type II Error $\beta = P[\bar{x} < c | H_1]$

Acceptance Region (W^c)



Here $\bar{x} \sim N(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

Under $H_0: \bar{x} \sim N(\mu_0, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

Under $H_1: \bar{x} \sim N(\mu_1, \frac{\sigma^2}{n})$

We cannot obtain any critical pt 'c' that minimizes both α, β .
 We will fix the level of α at a pre-determined level and then try to minimize β [or max $(1-\beta)$].

Pre-determined level of $\alpha \Rightarrow$ Level of Significance of the Test
 Usually we choose L.O.s as 0.05 (5%) / 0.01 (1%)

Here: $\beta = P[\bar{x} < c | H_1]$ (Accept H_0 when H_0 is false)

$(1-\beta) = P[\bar{x} \geq c | H_1]$ (Rejecting H_0 when H_0 is false)

\Rightarrow Prob of taking ...

$(1-\beta) = P(X \geq c | H_1)$ (Rejecting H_0 when H_0 is false)

\Rightarrow Prob of taking the correct decision from the Test (Power of the Test)

Most Powerful Test (MP Test):

Obj: Keeping ' α ' at a pre-determined level, max $(1-\beta)$.

To test $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$.

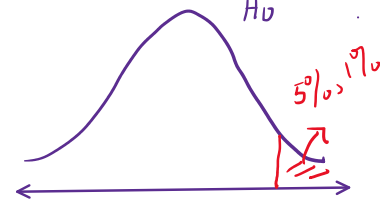
The critical region W is the most powerful critical region of size α if:

$$P(X \in W | H_0) = \alpha = P(X \in W_1 | H_0)$$

$$P(X \in W | H_1) \geq P(X \in W_1 | H_1) \quad \forall W_1$$

power of test under critical region W

power of the test under any other critical region W_1 .



Neyman-Pearson Lemma (NP Lemma):

Let $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} f(x, \theta)$.

To test: $H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$.

$$\therefore \text{Likelihood fn } L(x, \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i, \theta)$$

\therefore If \exists a critical region W and a constant $k > 0$

$$\text{s.t. } \left\{ \frac{L(x, \theta_1)}{L(x, \theta_0)} \geq k \quad \forall x \in W \right\} \& \left\{ \frac{L(x, \theta_1)}{L(x, \theta_0)} < k \quad \forall x \in W^c \right\}$$

Then W is the best critical region for performing the given test.

HW.

Q. Use the NP Lemma to find the best critical region to test:

$H_0: \theta = \theta_0$ vs $H_1: \theta = \theta_1$, [$\theta_1 > \theta_0$] for $N(\theta, \sigma^2)$ popln where σ^2 is known. Hence find the power of the test.

r.s $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\theta, \sigma^2)$ [σ^2 is known].

$$f(x_i, \theta) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x_i - \theta}{\sigma}\right)^2}$$

$$\therefore L(x, \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i, \theta) = \frac{1}{(\sigma\sqrt{2\pi})^n} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \theta)^2}$$

$$NP: \frac{L(x, \theta_1)}{L(x, \theta_0)} \geq K \quad \forall x \in W.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \theta_1)^2}}{e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum (x_i - \theta_0)^2}} \geq K$$