

Math 216 - Exam 1 Solutions
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1. Paired Data $\Rightarrow$ use Wilcoxon Signed Rank

(a)

Test Stat	-10	-8	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4	6	8	10
Prob	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/16$

(b)

Test Stat	-10	-9	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0
Prob	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/8$	$1/16$	$1/16$	$1/16$

(c) The results will NOT depend on which of the two statistics is used to conduct the test. The value of the test statistic will change, but the p-values will remain the same.

2. Matched Pairs $\Rightarrow$ use Wilcoxon signed rank Test.

(a) Let $z_i = \text{Control}_i - \text{Test}_i$
and $\theta = \text{median of the population for the differences.}$
The point and interval estimators for θ are based on the Walsh averages of the differences.

$$\hat{\theta} = \text{median} \left\{ \frac{z_i + z_j}{2}, 1 \leq i \leq j \leq 14 \right\} = 368$$

94.8% CI is (91, 1421) Stat > Nonpar > 1-Sample Wilcoxon.

(b) Reducing faults $\Rightarrow H_0: \theta = 0$ vs $H_1: \theta > 0$

(c) The C.I. in part (a) should not be used to test the hypotheses in part (b). C.I.'s can be used to test hypotheses, but a C.I. is needed to conduct a one-tailed test.

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3. The A.R.E. is the ratio of sample sizes necessary to get the same power with two different tests. Since $E(W, t) = 3$, this means that we would need approximately 3 times as many observations with the t -test to achieve the same power as the Wilcoxon rank sum test for exponential populations.

$$\left(\frac{n_t}{n_W} > 1 \Rightarrow n_t > n_W \Rightarrow \text{Wilcoxon Rank sum test is better for exponential populations.} \right.$$

4. Let p = proportion of artists that are left-handed.

(a) $H_0: p = .10$ vs $H_1: p > .10$

- (b) Upper tailed test $\Rightarrow$ Find a lower C.B.

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{p} - z_{\alpha} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}} \\ (7) \quad = \frac{18}{150} - 1.6449 \sqrt{\frac{\frac{18}{150} \left(\frac{132}{150} \right)}{150}} = .12 - .0436 = .0764 \end{aligned}$$

A 95% LCB for p is
 $(.0764, 1]$

- (3) Since $p_0 = .10$ is in the 95% LCB for p , the null hypothesis cannot be rejected. i.e., we do not have statistically significant evidence that artists are more likely to be left-handed.

(c) Test Stat: $B = 18$ $B^* = \frac{18 - 150(.1)}{\sqrt{150(.1)(.9)}} = \frac{18 - 15}{3.6742} = .8165$

p -value: $P_0(B \geq 18) = 1 - P_0(B \leq 17)$ $P_0(Z \geq .8165) = .2071$

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- (5) (a) Assume: Distances are mutually indep & come from a population that is continuous and symmetric about θ .

$$H_0: \theta = 450 \quad \text{vs.} \quad H_1: \theta > 450$$

8 Test Stat: $T^+ = 95.5$

p-value: .081

5. Conclusion: At any reasonable significance level ($\alpha = .05, .03, .02, \text{ or } .01$) we can't reject H_0 . i.e., we do not have statistically significant evidence that the new ~~sign~~^{design} improves visibility.

(b) $\hat{\theta} = \text{median} \left\{ \frac{z_i + z_j}{2} \mid 1 \leq i \leq j \leq 16 \right\}$ where z_i 's are distances
= 490

(6) (a) $H_0: \kappa_{OT} = \kappa_{ACID}$ vs $H_1: \kappa_{OT} > \kappa_{ACID}$.

OR: $OT = ACID + \Delta$ $H_0: \Delta = 0$ vs $H_1: \Delta > 0$

$W = 129$ p-value = .0378

At $\alpha = .05$ level, we reject H_0 and conclude that the OT tends to produce larger odontoblasts.

- (b) All $m \times n = 10 \times 10 = 100$ differences $\{y_j - x_i\}$ were computed and sorted. Then, the null distribution of the Wilcoxon rank sum statistic was used to find the position constant (how many positions to count up from the bottom & down from the top).

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5. (b) $1 - \alpha = .936 \Rightarrow \alpha = .064 \Rightarrow \alpha/2 = .032$

$$C_{.064} = \frac{10(2(10) + 10 + 1)}{2} + 1 - W_{.032}$$

↖ Table A.6

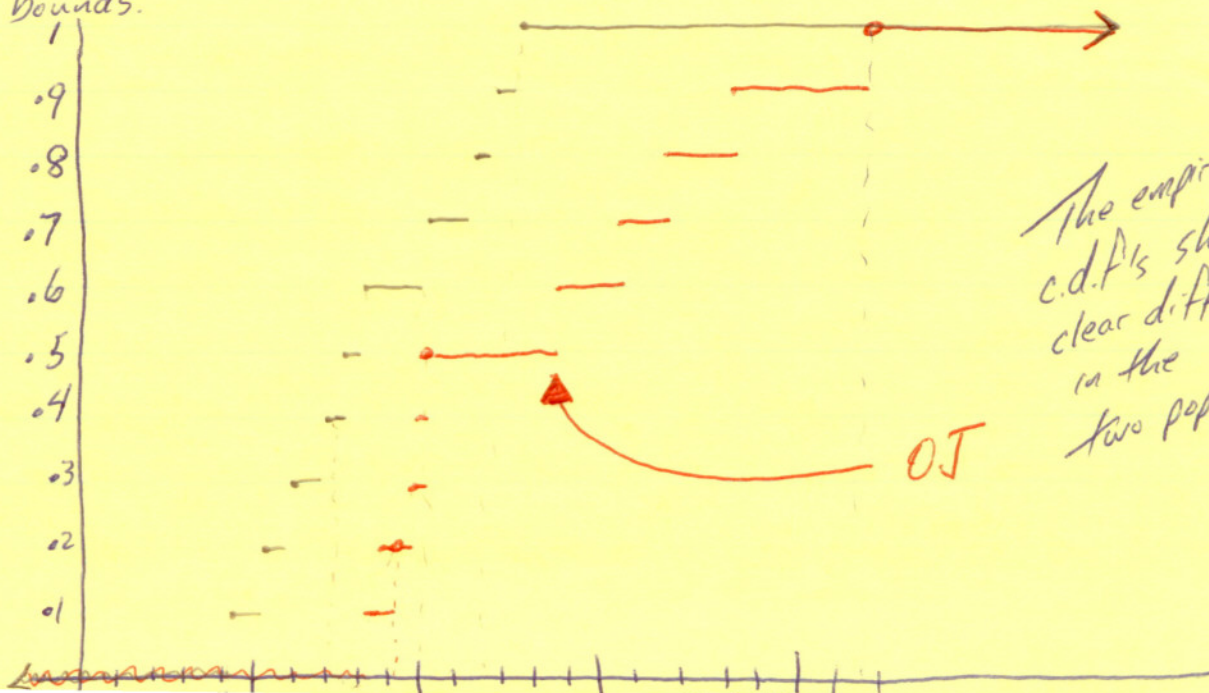
$$= 155 + 1 - 130 = 26$$

93.6% CI is $(\bar{Y}^{(26)}, \bar{Y}^{(100+1-26)}) \equiv (\bar{Y}^{(26)}, \bar{Y}^{(75)})$
 $\equiv (-.1, 9.1)$

(c) The null hypothesis in part (a) was rejected ~~because~~ because the one sided p-value is below the significance level of $\alpha = .06$. A 93.6% C.I. is equivalent to an $\alpha = 1 - .936 = .064$ level two-sided test. The duality between inferences for one sided tests ~~in~~ and those based on intervals only holds for confidence bounds.

(d)

- AAcid



The empirical c.d.f.s show clear differences in the two populations