

Quantity of information:

1 octet (byte) (symbol o / B) = 8 bits

Symbol	Binary	Byte
kbyte (kilobit) – kB	2 ¹⁰	1024
Mbyte (megabit) – MB	2 ²⁰	1048576
Gbyte (gigabit) – GB	2 ³⁰	1073741824
Tbyte (terabit) – TB	2 ⁴⁰	1099511627776

DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS

Median:

$$n = \text{odd} \quad \left| \quad n = \text{even} \right.$$

$$Me = x_{\frac{n+1}{2}} \quad \left| \quad Me = \frac{x_{\frac{n}{2}} + x_{\frac{n}{2}+1}}{2} \right.$$

Mean:

Population	Sample
$\mu = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{N}$	$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$

Skewness

$$M_3 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^3}{n}$$

Kurtosis

$$\alpha_4 = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^4}{S^4} - 3$$

Amplitude (Range): R = X_{max} - X_{min}

$$\text{Central value} = \frac{X_{\min} + X_{\max}}{2}$$

Means of deviations:

From the mean	From the median
$R_{\bar{X}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \bar{X} }{n}$	$R_{Me} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - Me }{n}$

Variance:

Population	Sample
$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{N}$	$s^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}$

Standard deviation:

$$s = \sqrt{s^2} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}}$$

Standard error (ES): **Coefficient of variance (CV):**

$ES = \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$	$CV = \frac{s}{\bar{X}}$
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PROBABILITIES

Pr(A) = (number of favourable cases)/(number of possible cases)

Sensibility: Se = Pr(B|A)

where Pr(B) = probability of a positive test; Pr(nonB) = probability of a no positive test; Pr(A) = probability of existence of a certain disease; Pr(nonA) = probability of non existence of a certain disease.

Specificity: Sp = Pr(nonB|nonA)

Positive predictive value: PPV = Pr(A|B)

Negative predictive value: NPV = Pr(nonA|nonB)

False positive rate: FPR = Pr(B|nonA)

False negative rate: FNR = Pr(nonA|B)

Addition rules: Pr(A ∪ B) = Pr(A) + Pr(B) - Pr(A ∩ B)

Addition rule for mutually exclusive events:

$$Pr(A \cup B) = Pr(A) + Pr(B)$$

Multiplication rules: Pr(A ∩ B) = Pr(A) · Pr(B|A)

Multiplication rule for independent events:

$$Pr(A \cap B) = Pr(A) · Pr(B)$$

BAYES Formula:

$$Pr(A|B) = \frac{Pr(B|A) \cdot Pr(A)}{Pr(B|A) \cdot Pr(A) + Pr(B|nonA) \cdot Pr(nonA)}$$

RANDOM VARIABLE

Mean (expected value): $M(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \cdot Pr(X_i)$

Variance: $V(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - M(X))^2 \cdot Pr(X_i)$

Standard deviation: $\sigma(X) = \sqrt{V(X)} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - M(X))^2 \cdot Pr(X_i)}$

BINOMIAL RANDOM VARIABLES

Binomial DISTRIBUTION:

Pr(X = k) = C_n^k p^k q^{n-k} where C_n^k = $\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Mean: M(X) = n · p

Variance: V(X) = n · p · q

Standard deviation: σ(X) = √V(X) = √n · p · q

POISSON RANDOM VARIABLE

X: $\left(e^{-\theta} \cdot \frac{\theta^k}{k!} \right)$ Pr(X = k) = $\frac{e^{-\theta} \cdot \theta^k}{k!}$

e = 2.718281828; θ = n · p (n = sample size, p = probability of the apparition of an event).

CONFIDENCE LEVELS

Mean: $\left[\bar{X} - Z_{\alpha} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}, \bar{X} + Z_{\alpha} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \right]$

Frequency: $\left[f - Z_{\alpha} \sqrt{\frac{f \cdot (1-f)}{n}}, f + Z_{\alpha} \sqrt{\frac{f \cdot (1-f)}{n}} \right]$

PEARSON CORRELATION COEFFICIENT

$$r = \frac{\sum (X - \bar{X})(Y - \bar{Y})}{\sqrt{\sum (X - \bar{X})^2 \sum (Y - \bar{Y})^2}}$$

CHI-SQUARE TEST (χ^2):
$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{r \cdot c} \frac{(f_i^o - f_i^t)^2}{f_i^t}$$

where $\chi^2 = \chi^2$ test statistic; f_i^o = observed frequency; f_i^t = theoretical frequency.

Critical region for $\alpha = 0.05$ is $[3.84, \infty)$.

- If $\chi^2 \in [3.84; \infty)$ H_0 is not accepted with a type I risk of error (α).
- If $\chi^2 \notin [3.84; \infty)$ H_0 is accepted with a type II risk of error (β).

Z TEST FOR PROPORTIONS (comparison of an observed frequency with a theoretical frequency)

$$z = \frac{f - p}{\sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}}}$$
 where p = theoretical frequency (population frequency); f = observed frequency, n = sample size.

Z TEST FOR PROPORTIONS (testing the equality of two proportions)

$$z = \frac{(p_1 - p_2)}{\sqrt{p \cdot (1-p) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}\right)}}, p = \frac{p_1 n_1 + p_2 n_2}{n_1 + n_2}$$

where p_1 = frequency for 1st sample; n_1 = sample size of 1st sample; p_2 = frequency of 2nd sample; n_2 = sample size for 2nd sample.

Z TEST FOR COMPARING OF A SAMPLE MEAN WITH A POPULATION MEAN (equal variances)

$$z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}$$
 where μ = population mean; \bar{X} = sample mean; σ = population standard deviation; n = sample size

Critical region for $\alpha = 0.05$ (two-tailed test): $(-\infty, -1.96] \cup [1.96, \infty)$

RISKS AND ODDS ON 2x2 CONTINGENCY TABLE

	Disease+	Disease -	Total
Test +	AP	FP	= AP+FP
Test -	FN	AN	= FN+AN
Total	= AP+FN	=FP+AN	= AP+FP+FN+AN = n

Name	Formula
False positive rate	=FP/(FP+AN)
False negative rate	=FN/(FN+AP)
Sensibility	=AP/(AP+FN)
Specificity	=AN/(AN+FP)
Accuracy	=(AP+AN)/n
Predictive positive value	=AP/(AP+FP)
Predictive negative value	=AN/(AN+FN)
Relative risk	=AP(FP+AN)/FN(AP+FP)
Odds ratio	=(AP·AN)/(FN·FP)
Attributable risk	=AP/(AP+FP)-FN/(FN+AN)

STUDENT (T) TEST FOR COMPARING A MEAN WITH A KNOWN MEAN (unknown variances)

$$t = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}$$
 where μ = population mean; \bar{X} = sample mean; s = sample standard deviation; n = sample size.

- **Degree of freedom (df):** $df = n - 1$
- **Critical region for $\alpha = 0.05$ (two-tailed test):** $(-\infty, -t_{n-1, 0.025}] \cup [t_{n-1, 0.025}, \infty)$

STUDENT (T) TEST FOR COMPARING TWO MEANS (equal variances)

$$t = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}{s \cdot \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}\right)}}$$
, where $s = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1) \cdot s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1) \cdot s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}$

\bar{X}_1 = mean of 1st sample; n_1 = sample size of 1st sample; s_1^2 = variance of 1st sample; \bar{X}_2 = mean of 2nd sample; n_2 = sample size of 2nd sample; s_2^2 = variance of 2nd sample

STUDENT (T) TEST FOR COMPARING TWO PAIRED MEANS

$$t = \frac{\bar{d}}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}$$
, where $\bar{d} = \frac{d_1 + d_2 + \dots + d_n}{n}$

s = standard deviation of differences; n = sample size

Z TEST FOR COMPARING THE MEANS OF TWO POPULATIONS (KNOWN AND UNEQUAL VARIANCES)

$$z = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}}$$

where \bar{X}_1 = mean of 1st sample; n_1 = sample size of first sample; s_1^2 = variance of first sample; \bar{X}_2 = mean of 2nd sample; n_2 = sample size of 2nd sample; s_2^2 = variance of 2nd sample.

SAMPLE SIZE ESTIMATION: MEAN TESTING (normal distribution) / SAMPLE SIZE ESTIMATION: NO OBJECTIVE PRIOR DATA

$$n = \frac{(z_{1-\alpha} - z_{1-\beta})^2 \sigma^2}{(X - \mu)^2}$$

Critical value two-tailed test: $z_{1-5\%} = 1.960$, $z_{1-\beta(\beta=20\%)} = 0.842$

SAMPLE SIZE ESTIMATION: TEST OF TWO MEANS (normal distribution)

$$n_1 = n_2 = \frac{(z_{1-\alpha/2} - z_{1-\beta})^2 (\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)}{d^2}$$

SAMPLE SIZE ESTIMATION: MEAN (non normal distribution)

$n = \frac{\sigma^2}{\alpha \cdot k^2}$, where k = the difference you want to detect between the sample mean and population mean (a clinical choice)

SAMPLE SIZE ESTIMATION: ON RATES

Central proportion (is not near 0 or 1):

$$n = \left[\frac{z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\pi \cdot (1-\pi)} + z_{1-\beta} \sqrt{p \cdot (1-p)}}{p - \pi} \right]^2$$
, where π = theoretical proportion; p = desired proportion

Extreme proportion (is near 0 or 1):

$$n = \left(\frac{z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\pi} + z_{1-\beta} \sqrt{p}}{p - \pi} \right)^2$$