

More nonparametric tests

Rank sum test

(Wilcoxon, Mann, Whitney)

Alternative to the 2-sample t-test

$$\begin{array}{l} H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 = \tilde{\mu}_2 \quad \left| \quad H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 \leq \tilde{\mu}_2 \quad \left| \quad H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 \geq \tilde{\mu}_2 \right. \\ H_1: \tilde{\mu}_1 \neq \tilde{\mu}_2 \quad \left| \quad H_1: \tilde{\mu}_1 > \tilde{\mu}_2 \quad \left| \quad H_1: \tilde{\mu}_1 < \tilde{\mu}_2 \right. \end{array}$$

① Group 1 must be the sample with the fewest observations

② Rank all observations together, handling ties as before

③ W_1 = sum of ranks from group 1,

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W_2 = sum of ranks from group 2 ②

④ $U_1 = W_1 - \frac{n_1(n_1+1)}{2},$

$$U_2 = W_2 - \frac{n_2(n_2+1)}{2},$$

$$U = \min(U_1, U_2)$$

$$\text{Test stat} = \begin{cases} U_1 & \text{lower 1-sided} \\ U_2 & \text{upper 1-sided} \\ U & \text{2-sided} \end{cases}$$

Use table A.18

Reject H_0 if test stat \leq crit val.

<u>Group 1</u>	<u>Group 2</u>
14.2 (1)	21.3 (11)
18.3 (5)	18.7 (7)
	23.0 (12)
17.2 (4)	17.1 (3)
18.4 (6)	16.8 (2)
20.0 (9)	20.9 (10)
	19.7 (8)

$$H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 \geq \tilde{\mu}_2$$

$$H_1: \tilde{\mu}_1 < \tilde{\mu}_2 \quad \alpha = .05$$

$$w_1 = 25 \quad w_2 = 53$$

$$U_1 = 25 - \frac{5(6)}{2} = 10 = \text{Test stat}$$

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Table A.18 Critical value = 6

Accept H_0 . We failed to show that population 1 has a smaller median.

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Kruskal-Wallis test

Alternative to 1-way ANOVA

$$H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 = \tilde{\mu}_2 = \dots = \tilde{\mu}_k$$

H_1 : Not all of the population medians are equal.

① Rank all observations, handling ties as before

② $n_i = \# \text{ items in group } i$

$R_i = \text{sum of ranks in group } i$

③ Compute

$$H = \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{R_i^2}{n_i} - 3(n+1)$$

④ Compare to a critical value
from χ^2 table with $k-1$ df

Reject H_0 if $H > \text{crit. val.}$

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Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
<u>299</u>	<u>549</u>	<u>849</u>
190 (1)	271 (4)	329 (7)
266 (2)	295 (5)	390 (8)
270 (3)	318 (6)	396 (9)
	402 (11)	399 (10)
	438 (12)	

$$H_0: \tilde{\mu}_1 = \tilde{\mu}_2 = \tilde{\mu}_3$$

H_1 : Not all medians are equal

$$n_1 = 3$$

$$n_2 = 5$$

$$n_3 = 4$$

$$R_1 = 6$$

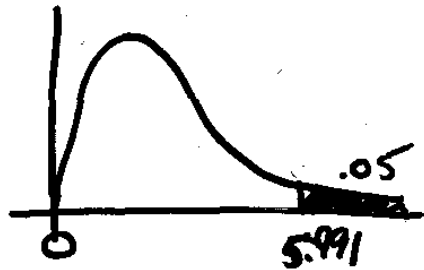
$$R_2 = 38$$

$$R_3 = 34$$

$$H = \frac{12}{12(13)} \left[\frac{6^2}{3} + \frac{38^2}{5} + \frac{34^2}{4} \right] - 3(13)$$

$$H = 6.37$$

From χ^2 table, .05 upper tail,
2df
5.991 is the crit. value



Reject H_0 .

A post hoc analysis is required;
Since H_0 was rejected

You could perform rank-sum tests for
every pair.

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Compare groups 2 + 3

271 (1)	329 (4)
295 (2)	380 (5)
318 (3)	396 (6)
402 (8)	399 (7)
438 (9)	

$$w_1 = 22$$

$$w_2 = 23$$

$$u_2 = 23 - \frac{5(6)}{2}$$

$$= 8$$

$$u_1 = 22 - \frac{4(5)}{2}$$

$$= 12$$

$$u = 8$$

Crit. value = 1 Acc H_0 .

To complete the process, you should
also compare grp1 + 2,
grp1 + 3

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