

Data to be studied or compared	Types (and number) of Variables	Example of Hypotheses (Null and Alternative)	Test Statistic (Z-score, T-score etc and formula)	Large Sample			Small Sample		
				Type of Test	Associated Distribution and parameters	Necessary Conditions	Type of Test	Associated Distribution and parameters	Necessary Conditions
Mean Value	1 numerical variable	$H_0: \mu = 100$ $H_A: \mu \neq 100$	$Z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}}$	Z-test for a mean	Normal Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <math>n &gt; 30</math></li> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ No strong Skew</li> </ul>	T-test for a mean	T-distribution parameter: degrees of freedom (n-1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ Nearly Normal distribution</li> </ul>
Difference of Means (paired data)	2 numerical variables (from each observation)	$H_0: \mu_{diff} = 0$ $H_A: \mu_{diff} \neq 0$	$Z = \frac{\bar{x}_{diff} - 0}{\sigma_{diff} / \sqrt{n}}$	Z -test for a paired difference of means	Normal Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <math>n &gt; 30</math></li> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ No strong Skew</li> </ul>	T-test for a paired difference of means	T-distribution parameter: degrees of freedom (n-1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ Nearly Normal distribution</li> </ul>
Difference of Means (unpaired data)	1 numerical variable, one 2 level categorical variable	$H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$ $H_A: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq 0$	$Z = \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2 - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}}}$	Z -test for difference of means	Normal Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <math>n_1, n_2 &gt; 30</math></li> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ No strong Skew</li> </ul>	T-test for difference of means	T-distribution parameter: degrees of freedom $\min(n_1-1, n_2-1)$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ Nearly Normal distribution</li> </ul>
Comparison of Multiple Means	1 numerical variable, one categorical variable with multiple levels	$H_0$ : All means equal $H_A$ : At least one mean different from others	$F = \frac{MSG}{MSE}$ (Not on exam)	ANOVA	F-distribution parameters: degrees of Freedom Group and degrees of freedom error	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ Nearly Normal distributions</li> <li>▪ Constant Variance</li> </ul>			
Proportion (counts) of data in one of two categories.	1 categorical variable (2 levels)	$H_0: \hat{p} = 0.4$ $H_A: \hat{p} \neq 0.4$	$Z = \frac{p_O - p_E}{\sqrt{\frac{p_E(1-p_E)}{n}}}$ $p_E = \text{Expected Proportion}$	Z-test for a proportion	Normal Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> <li>▪ Expected counts at least 10</li> </ul>	Simulation	Simulated Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Independent Observations</li> </ul>

Difference of two proportions	2 categorical variables (both 2 level)	$H_0: \hat{p} = 0.4$ $H_A: \hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2 \neq 0$	$Z = \frac{(p_1 - p_2) - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n_1} + \frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n_2}}}$ <p>(<math>\hat{p}</math> = pooled proportion, use when testing equality of proportions, otherwise use <math>p_1, p_2</math> respectively)</p> <p>Z-Test for a difference of proportions</p>	Normal Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent observations</li> <li>Expected counts at least 10</li> </ul>	Simulation	Simulated Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent Observations</li> </ul>
Counts of data in more than two categories	1 categorical variable (multiple levels)	$H_0$ : Counts match expected distribution $H_A$ : Counts differ from expected distribution	$\chi = \sum \frac{(obs_i - exp_i)^2}{exp_i}$ <p>Observed and expected counts from distribution.</p> <p>Chi Squared test for goodness of fit.</p>	Chi Squared Distribution Parameter: Degrees of Freedom (# of bins-#of constraints -1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent observations</li> <li>Expected counts at least 5</li> <li>At least 2 degrees of Freedom</li> </ul>	Simulation	Simulated Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent Observations</li> </ul>
Relationship between counts of two different variables	2 categorical variables, at least one of which is multiple levels	$H_0$ : Categorical variables are independent of each other $H_A$ : Categorical variables are dependent, counts vary between rows/columns	$\chi = \sum \frac{(obs_i - exp_i)^2}{exp_i}$ <p>Where the expected value of an entry is <math>\frac{(row\ total) \times (column\ total)}{table\ total}</math></p> <p>Chi squared test for independence</p>	Chi Squared Distribution Parameter: Degrees of Freedom: (#rows -1) * (#cols-1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent observations</li> <li>Expected counts at least 5</li> <li>At least 2 degrees of Freedom</li> </ul>	Simulation	Simulated Distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Independent Observations</li> </ul>
Correlation between two numerical values	2 Numerical Variables	$H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ $H_0: \beta_1 \neq 0$	$\beta_1 = R \frac{s_y}{s_x}$ $R = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$ $\beta_0 = \bar{y} - \beta_1 \bar{x}$ <p>T-score from computer output</p>	T-test for linear regression	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Linear Data</li> <li>Nearly Normal Residuals</li> <li>Constant Variability</li> </ul>			