

Statistical Analysis section

Two Samples: Tests on Two Means

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Two Samples: Tests on Two Means when variances known

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 = d_0 \quad z = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - d_0}{\sqrt{\sigma_1^2/n_1 + \sigma_2^2/n_2}};$$

σ_1 and σ_2 known

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 < d_0 \quad z < -z_\alpha$$

$$z < -z_\alpha$$

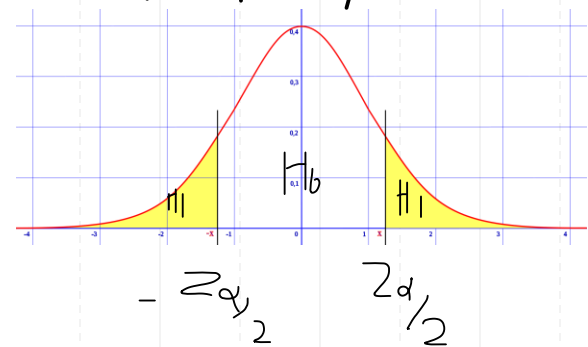
$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 > d_0 \quad z > z_\alpha$$

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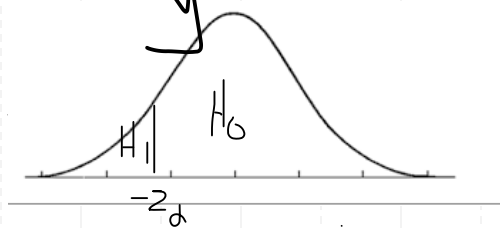
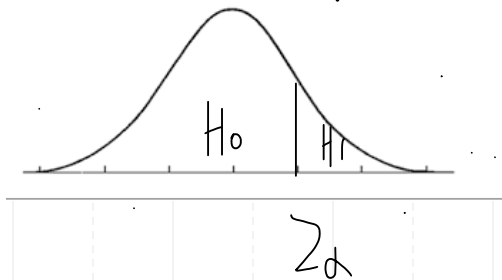
$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq d_0 \quad z < -z_{\alpha/2} \text{ OR } z > z_{\alpha/2}$$

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$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq d_0$$



$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 > d_0$$



$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$$

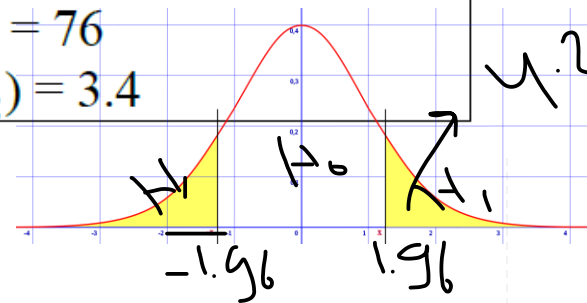
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$$\frac{\alpha}{2} = 0.025$$

10.30 Test $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ against $H_1: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$. Use a 0.05 level of significance (α).

Sample 1	Sample 2
Sample size (n_1) = 25	Sample size (n_2) = 36
Sample mean (\bar{X}_1) = 81	Sample mean (\bar{X}_2) = 76
Population s.d. (σ_1) = 5.2	Population s.d. (σ_2) = 3.4

$$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$$
$$H_1: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$$



Since the variances are known, we obtain $z = \frac{81-76}{\sqrt{5.2^2/25+3.5^2/36}} = \underline{4.22}$. So, $P\text{-value} \approx 0$ and we conclude that $\mu_1 > \mu_2$.

Accept H_1

Two Samples: Tests on Two Means when variances unknown but equal

$$t = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - d_0}{s_p \sqrt{1/n_1 + 1/n_2}}$$

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 = d_0$$

$$v = n_1 + n_2 - 2,$$

$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 \text{ but unknown,}$$

$$s_p^2 = \frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}$$

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 < d_0$$

$$t < -t_\alpha$$

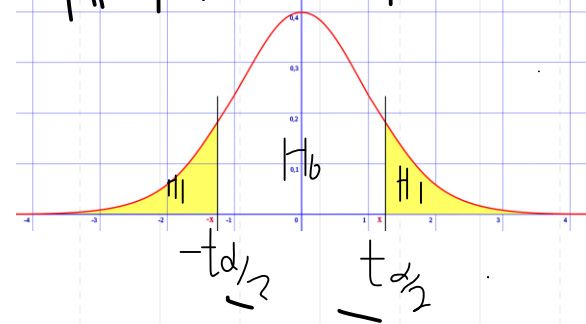
$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 > d_0$$

$$t > t_\alpha$$

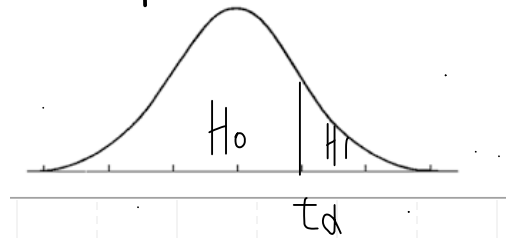
$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq d_0$$

$$t < -t_{\alpha/2} \text{ or } t > t_{\alpha/2}$$

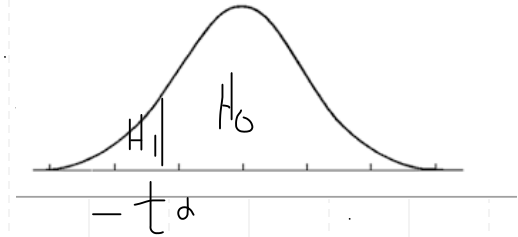
$H_1: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq d_0$



$\mu_1 - \mu_2 > d_0$



$\mu_1 - \mu_2 < d_0$



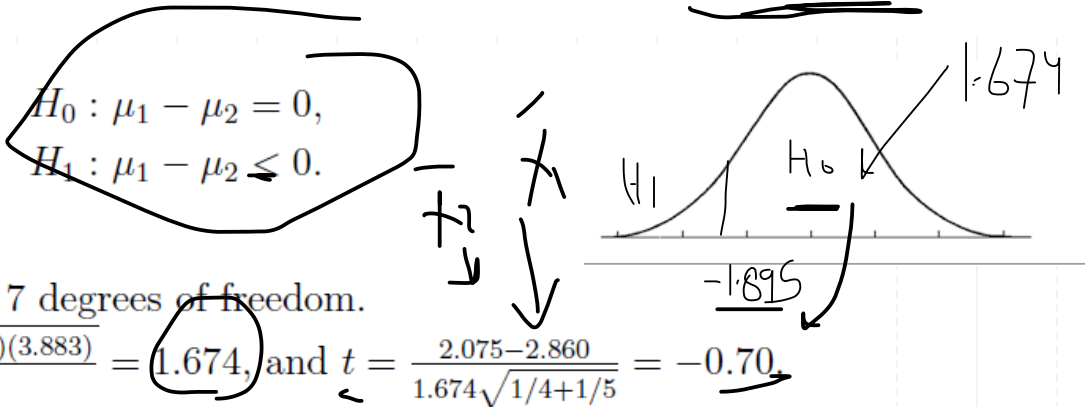
Two Samples: Tests on Two Means when variances unknown but equal

$\mu_2 - \mu_1 = 0$ $\mu_2 - \mu_1 < 0$

10.35 Test $H_0: \mu_2 = \mu_1$ against $H_1: \mu_2 < \mu_1$. Use a 0.05 level of significance (α).

Treatment	2.1	5.3	1.4	4.6	0.9
No Treatment	1.9	0.5	2.8	3.1	

Assume the populations to be approximately normal with **equal variances**.



$H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0,$
 $H_1: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \leq 0.$

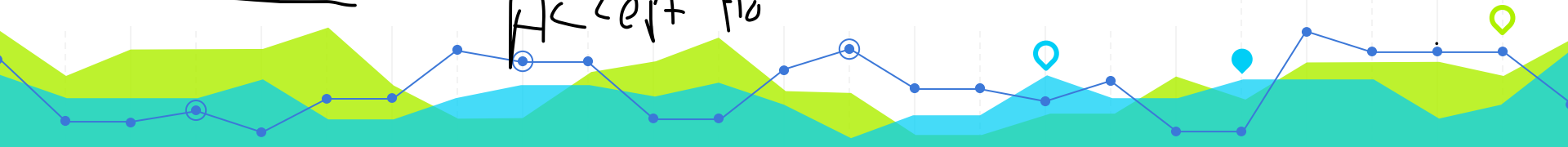
$\alpha = 0.05$

Critical region: $t < -1.895$ with 7 degrees of freedom.

Computation: $s_p = \sqrt{\frac{(3)(1.363) + (4)(3.883)}{7}} = 1.674$, and $t = \frac{2.075 - 2.860}{1.674\sqrt{1/4 + 1/5}} = -0.70$

Decision: Do not reject H_0 .

Accept H_0



Two Samples: Tests on Two Means when variances unknown but unequal

$$t' = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - d_0}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2/n_1 + s_2^2/n_2}{(s_1^2/n_1 + s_2^2/n_2)^2}}}$$

$$v = \frac{(s_1^2/n_1)^2}{n_1 - 1} + \frac{(s_2^2/n_2)^2}{n_2 - 1}$$

$\sigma_1 \neq \sigma_2$ and unknown

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 < d_0$$

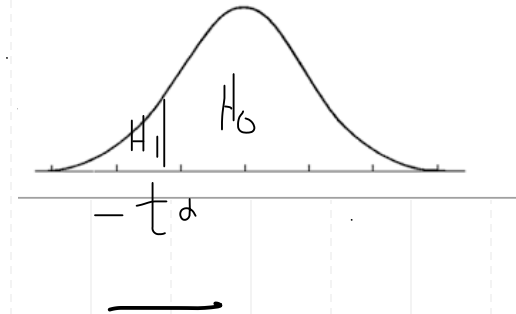
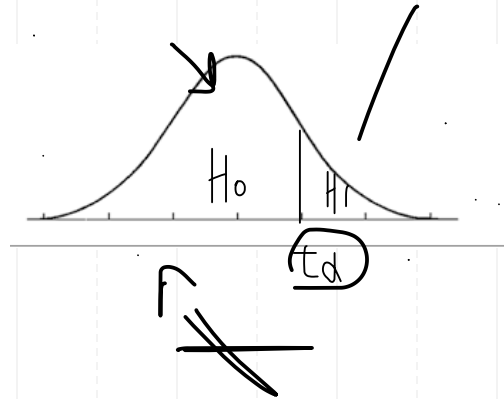
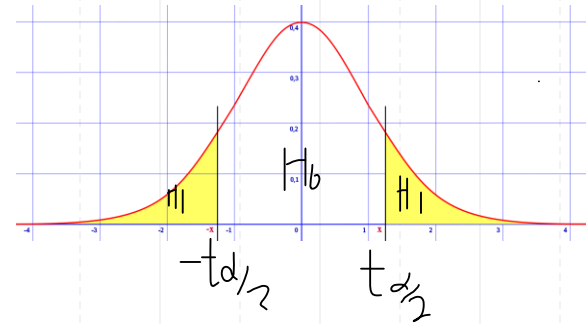
$$t' < -t_\alpha$$

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 > d_0$$

$$t' > t_\alpha$$

$$\mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq d_0$$

$$t' < -t_{\alpha/2} \text{ or } t' > t_{\alpha/2}$$



Two Samples: Tests on Two Means when variances unknown but unequal

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10.39 Test $H_0: \underline{\mu_2} - \underline{\mu_1} = \underline{10}$ against $H_1: \underline{\mu_2} - \underline{\mu_1} \geq 10$. Use $\alpha = 0.1$.

Company 1	102	86	98	109	92		
Company 2	81	165	97	134	92	87	114

Assume the populations to be approximately normal with **unequal variances**.

$$H_0: \mu_{II} - \mu_I = 10,$$

$$H_1: \mu_{II} - \mu_I > 10.$$

$\alpha = 0.1$.

Degrees of freedom is calculated as

$$v = \frac{(78.8/5 + 913.333/7)^2}{(78.8/5)^2/4 + (913.333/7)^2/6} = 7.38,$$

hence we use 7 degrees of freedom with the critical region $t > 1.905$

Computation: $t = \frac{(110 - 97.4) - 10}{\sqrt{78.800/5 + 913.333/7}} = 0.22.$

Decision: Fail to reject H_0 .

Accept H_0

