

Define  $T = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}}$  t statistic

Realization of  $T$  on  $X_1, \dots, X_n : t^*$  (e.g.  $t^* = 3.71$ )

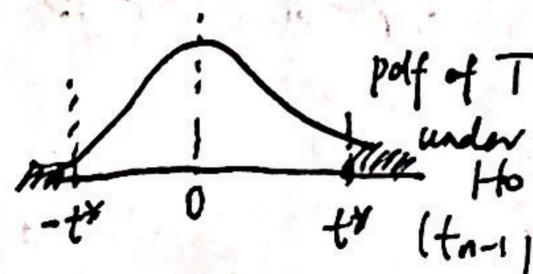
Decision: approach 1: p-value approach: dist of  $T$  under  $H_0$  }  $\Rightarrow$  p-value realization  $t^*$

p-value is a transformation of  $t^*$

$$H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0 \equiv P_{H_0}(|T| \geq |t^*|)$$

$$\text{or } H_1: \mu > \mu_0 \equiv P_{H_0}(T \geq t^*)$$

$$\text{or } H_1: \mu < \mu_0 \equiv P_{H_0}(T \leq t^*)$$



p-value: the prob. that  $T$  takes values 'more extreme' (determined by  $H_1$ ) than  $t^*$  under  $H_0$

Decision: if p-value  $\leq \alpha \Rightarrow$  reject  $H_0$

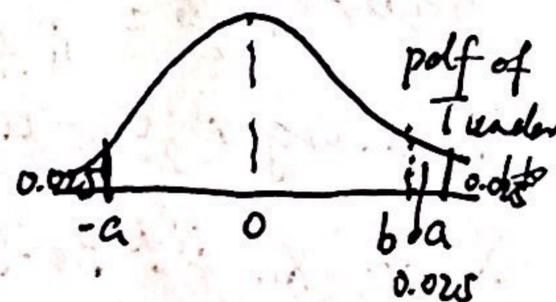
approach 2: rejection region based on  $\alpha$  and the dist of  $T$  under  $H_0$

e.g.  $\alpha = 0.05$

$$H_1: \mu \neq \mu_0 : \text{rejection region } \{T \leq -a\} \cup \{T \geq a\}$$

$$\text{or } H_1: \mu > \mu_0 : \{T \geq b\}$$

$$\text{or } H_1: \mu < \mu_0 : \{T \leq -b\}$$



Decision: if  $t^* \in$  rejection region  $\Rightarrow$  reject  $H_0$

$$\text{Type I error} = P_{H_0}(\text{test rejects } H_0) = P_{H_0}(T \in \text{rejection region})$$

ideal case: rejection region is defined to have prob =  $\alpha$  under  $H_0$   
 $\equiv \alpha$  (significance level)

$$\text{Type II error} = P_{H_1}(\text{test does not reject } H_0) = P_{H_0}(T \notin \text{rejection region}) \equiv \beta$$

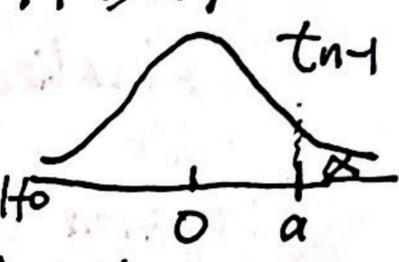
$$\text{power} \equiv 1 - \beta = P_{H_1}(\text{test rejects } H_0) = P_{H_1}(T \in \text{rejection region})$$

computable when alternative hypothesis  $H_1$  is simple, e.g.  $H_1: \mu = \mu_1 \neq \mu_0$   
 Under  $H_0: \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$  vs. Under  $H_1: \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_1}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} \sim t_{n-1}$   
 $\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} = T$  vs.  $T + \frac{\mu_0 - \mu_1}{S_n/\sqrt{n}}$

WLOG, assume  $\mu_1 > \mu_0$ , the rejection region should take the form  $\{T \geq a\}$

Given the sig. level  $\alpha$ , find  $a$  s.t.  $P_{H_0}(T \geq a) = \alpha$

$a$  is the  $(1-\alpha)$  quantile of  $t_{n-1}$ .



test:  $T = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} \Rightarrow$  realization  $t^* = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{if } t^* \geq a, \text{ reject } H_0 \\ \text{o.w.}; \text{ do not reject } H_0 \end{cases}$

Type I error =  $\alpha$

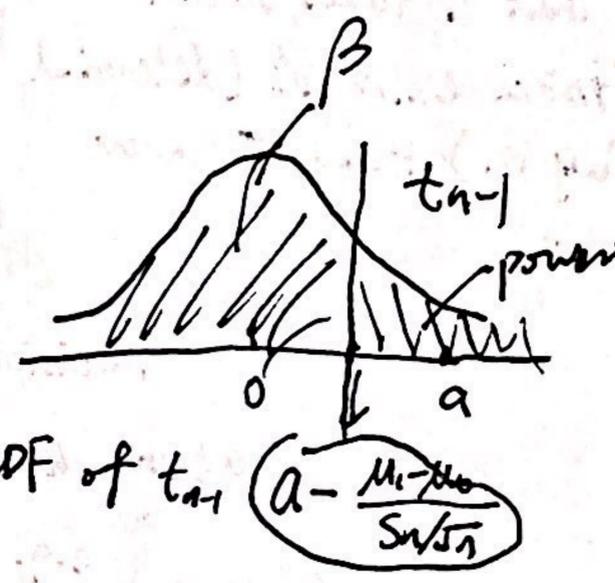
Type II error  $\beta = P_{H_1}(T < a) = P_{H_1}\left(\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} < a\right)$

$\sim t_{n-1}$  under  $H_1$

$= P_{H_1}\left(\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_1}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} + \frac{\mu_1 - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} < a\right)$

$\sim t_{n-1}$  under  $H_1$

$= P_{H_1}\left(\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu_1}{S_n/\sqrt{n}} < a - \frac{\mu_1 - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}}\right)$



$S_n$  is treated as fixed

$= F\left(a - \frac{\mu_1 - \mu_0}{S_n/\sqrt{n}}\right)$  where  $F$  is the CDF of  $t_{n-1}$

power  $1 - \beta = P_{H_1}(T \geq a) = \dots$

The larger  $\mu_1 - \mu_0$  is, the greater the power.

$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Ber}(p)$   $E[X_i] = p = P(X_i = 1)$   $\text{var}[X_i] = p(1-p)$

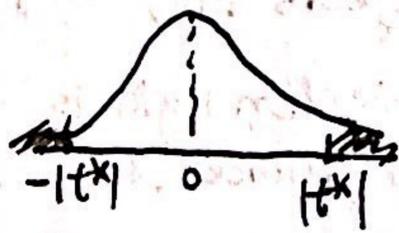
$H_0: p = p_0$  (e.g.  $\frac{1}{2}$ )  $H_1: p \neq p_0$

$\hat{p} = \bar{X}_n$

under  $H_0$ : by CLT  $\hat{p} \stackrel{approx}{\sim} N\left(p_0, \frac{p_0(1-p_0)}{n}\right)$

$T = \frac{\hat{p} - p_0}{\sqrt{\frac{p_0(1-p_0)}{n}}} \stackrel{approx}{\sim} N(0, 1)$  realization  $t^*$

p-value =  $P_{H_0}(|T| \geq |t^*|) = \begin{cases} \text{if } \leq \alpha, \text{ reject } H_0 \\ \text{o.w.}, \text{ do not reject } H_0 \end{cases}$



$H_1: p \neq p_0$

$X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu_X, \sigma_X^2)$ ,  $Y_1, \dots, Y_m \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(\mu_Y, \sigma_Y^2)$

$X_1, \dots, X_n, Y_1, \dots, Y_m$  independent

$H_0: \mu_X = \mu_Y$   $H_1: \mu_X \neq \mu_Y$

$\mu_X - \mu_Y = 0$

Test statistic:  $\hat{\mu}_X - \hat{\mu}_Y = \bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m \sim N(\mu_X - \mu_Y, \frac{\sigma_X^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_Y^2}{m})$

Under  $H_0$ :  $\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m \sim N(0, \frac{\sigma_X^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_Y^2}{m})$

$T = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_X^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_Y^2}{m}}} \sim N(0,1)$  assuming  $\sigma_X^2$  and  $\sigma_Y^2$  are known

realization  $t^*$

p-value =  $\begin{cases} P_{H_0}(|T| \geq |t^*|) & \text{if } H_1: \mu_X \neq \mu_Y \\ P_{H_0}(T \geq t^*) & \text{if } H_1: \mu_X > \mu_Y \\ P_{H_0}(T \leq t^*) & \text{if } H_1: \mu_X < \mu_Y \end{cases}$

Two-sample  $t$  test:  $\sigma_X^2 = \sigma_Y^2$  (additional assumption)

pooled sample variance =  $\frac{(n-1)S_X^2 + (m-1)S_Y^2}{n+m-2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}_n)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^m (Y_i - \bar{Y}_m)^2}{n+m-2}$

Recall:  $\frac{(n-1)S_X^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-1}^2$ ,  $\frac{(m-1)S_Y^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{m-1}^2$ ,  $S_X^2 \perp S_Y^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{(n-1)S_X^2 + (m-1)S_Y^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n+m-2}^2$  (1)

combined w/  $\frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_X^2}{n} + \frac{\sigma_Y^2}{m}}} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} N(0,1)$

$\parallel \sigma_X^2 = \sigma_Y^2$

$\frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} N(0,1)$  (2)

Based on the def of  $t$  distribution

(1) + (2)  $\Rightarrow$   
 $\bar{X}_n \perp S_X^2$   
 $\bar{Y}_m \perp S_Y^2$

$\frac{\frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sigma \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m}}}}{\sqrt{\frac{(n-1)S_X^2 + (m-1)S_Y^2}{\sigma^2} / (n+m-2)}} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} t_{n+m-2}$

$\stackrel{H_0}{\sim} t_{n+m-2}$

$T$  "two-sample  $t$  statistic"

$\frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sqrt{\frac{(n-1)S_X^2 + (m-1)S_Y^2}{n+m-2} (\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m})}} = \frac{\bar{X}_n - \bar{Y}_m}{\sqrt{S_p^2 (\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{m})}} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} t_{n+m-2}$

Neyman - Pearson Lemma:

$$H_0: \theta = \theta_0 \quad \text{vs.} \quad H_1: \theta = \theta_1 \neq \theta_0$$

$X_1, \dots, X_n$  iid ~~are~~  $f_\theta$

$$L(\theta_0) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_{\theta_0}(X_i)$$

$$L(\theta_1) = \prod_{i=1}^n f_{\theta_1}(X_i)$$

The most powerful test statistic:  $\frac{L(\theta_1)}{L(\theta_0)}$

The rejection region is  $\frac{L(\theta_1)}{L(\theta_0)} \geq a$  where  $a$  is a threshold determined by sig. level  $\alpha$  and the dist of  $\frac{L(\theta_1)}{L(\theta_0)}$  under  $H_0$