

# Chi-Squared Tests 

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## Announcements

- Make sure to sign up for an oral exam
- Due Tues, Dec 5th at 5pm:
- Extra Credit Lecture Quiz
- P-Set 9
- RSVP for the ggparty by end of today: bit.ly/ggpartyf23


## Goals for Today

- Comparing models
- What didn't we cover?
- Chi-squared tests
- Wrap-up


## Multiple Linear Regression

Linear regression is a flexible class of models that allow for:

- Both quantitative and categorical explanatory variables.
- Multiple explanatory variables.
- Curved relationships between the response variable and the explanatory variable.
- BUT the response variable is quantitative.

How do I pick the BEST model?

## Comparing Models

Suppose I built 4 different models to predict the price of a Saratoga Springs house. Which is best?

```
library(mosaicData)
2 mod1 <- lm(price ~ centralAir, data = SaratogaHouses)
3 mod2 <- lm(price ~ centralAir + waterfront, data = SaratogaHouses)
mod3 <- lm(price ~ centralAir + waterfront + age + livingArea + bathrooms, data = SaratogaHouses)
5mod4 <- lm(price ~ centralAir + waterfront + age + livingArea + bathrooms + sewer, data = SaratogaHouses)
```

- Big question! Take Stat 139: Linear Models to learn systematic model selection techniques.
- We will explore one approach. (But there are many possible approaches!)


## Comparing Models

Suppose I built 4 different model. Which is best?

- Pick the best model based on some measure of quality.

Measure of quality: $R^{2}$ (Coefficient of Determination)
$R^{2}=$ Percent of total variation in y explained by the model

$$
=1-\frac{\sum(y-\hat{y})^{2}}{\sum(y-\bar{y})^{2}}
$$

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## And in Week 6, we said:

Guiding Principle: Occam's Razor for Modeling
"All other things being equal, simpler models are to be preferred over complex ones." ModernDive

## Comparing Models with the Adjusted $R^{2}$

New Measure of quality: Adjusted $R^{2}$ (Coefficient of Determination)

$$
\operatorname{adj} R^{2}=1-\frac{\sum(y-\hat{y})^{2}}{\sum(y-\bar{y})^{2}}\left(\frac{n-1}{n-p-1}\right)
$$

where $p$ is the number of explanatory variables in the model.

- Now we will penalize larger models.
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## What data structures have we not tackled in Stat 100?

## What Else?

Which data structures/variable types are we missing in this table?

| Response | Explanatory | Numerical_Quantity | Parameter | Statistic |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| quantitative | - | mean | $\mu$ | $\bar{x}$ |
| categorical | - | proportion | $p$ | $\hat{p}$ |
| quantitative | categorical | difference in means | $\mu_{1}-\mu_{2}$ | $\bar{x}_{1}-\bar{x}_{2}$ |
| categorical | categorical | difference in <br> proportions | $p_{1}-p_{2}$ | $\hat{p}_{1}-\hat{p}_{2}$ |
| quantitative | quantitative | correlation | $\rho$ | $r$ |
| quantitative | mix | model coefficients | $\beta_{i} \mathrm{~S}$ | $\hat{\beta}_{i} \mathrm{~S}$ |

## Inference for Categorical Variables

Consider the situation where:

- Response variable: categorical
- Explanatory variable: categorical
- Parameter of interest: $p_{1}-p_{2}$
- This parameter of interest only makes sense if both variables only have two categories.

It is time to learn how to study the relationship between two categorical variables when at least one has more than two categories.

## Hypotheses

$H_{o}$ : The two variables are independent.
$H_{a}$ : The two variables are dependent.

## Example

Near-sightedness typically develops during the childhood years. Quinn, Shin, Maguire, and Stone (1999) explored whether there is a relationship between the type of light children were exposed to and their eye health based on questionnaires filled out by the children's parents at a university pediatric ophthalmology clinic.

```
library(tidyverse)
library(infer)
# Import data
eye_data <- read_csv("data/eye_lighting.csv")
# Contingency table
eye_data %>%
    count(Lighting, Eye)
# A tibble: 9 x 3
Lighting Eye n
<chr> <chr> <int>
1 dark Far 40
2 dark Near 18
3 dark Normal 114
4 \text { night Far 39}
5 \text { night Near 78}
6 \text { night Normal 115}
7 room Far 12
8 room Near 41
9 room Normal 22
```


## Eyesight Example

Does there appear to be a relationship/dependence?

```
ggplot(data = eye_data,
    mapping = aes(x = Lighting,
        fill = Eye)) +
    geom_bar(position = "fill")
```



## Test Statistic

Need a test statistic!

- Won't be a single sample statistic.
- Needs to measure the discrepancy between the observed sample and the sample we'd expect to see if $H_{o}$ (no relationship) were true.
- Would be nice if its null distribution could be approximated by a known probability model.


## Sample Result Tables

Observed Sample Table

```
table(eye_data$Eye, eye_data$Lighting) %>%
    addmargins() %>%
    kable(format = "html")
```

|  | dark | night | room | Sum |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | 40 | 39 | 12 | 91 |
| Near | 18 | 78 | 41 | 137 |
| Normal | 114 | 115 | 22 | 251 |
| Sum | 172 | 232 | 75 | 479 |

## Expected Sample Table

Question: If $H_{o}$ were correct, is this the table that we'd expect to see?

|  | dark | night | room | Sum |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | 53 | 53 | 53 | 159 |
| Near | 53 | 53 | 53 | 159 |
| Normal | 53 | 53 | 53 | 159 |
| Sum | 159 | 159 | 159 | 477 |

## Sample Result Tables

Observed Sample Table
table(eye_data\$Eye, eye_data\$Lighting) \%>\% addmargins() \%>\%
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## Expected Sample Table

Question: If $H_{o}$ were correct, what table would we expect to see?
Want a $H_{o}$ table that respects the overall eye condition proportions:

$$
\begin{gathered}
\hat{p}_{\text {far }}=91 / 479 \\
\hat{p}_{\text {nor }}=251 / 479 \\
\hat{p}_{\text {nea }}=137 / 479
\end{gathered}
$$

## Sample Result Tables

Observed Sample Table
1 table(eye_data\$Eye, eye_data\$Lighting) $\%>\%$
2 addmargins() \% $>\%$
3 kable(format $=$ "html")

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|  | dark | night | room | Sum |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | $(91 / 479) 172$ | $(91 / 479) 232$ | $(91 / 479) 75$ | 91 |
| Near | $(137 / 479) 172$ | $(137 / 479) 232$ | $(137 / 479) 75$ | 137 |
| Normal | $(251 / 479) 172$ | $(251 / 479) 232$ | $(251 / 479) 75$ | 251 |
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Still have the same totals but distributed the values differently within the table

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Question: If $H_{o}$ were correct, what table would we expect to see?

|  | dark | night | room | Sum |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | 32.7 | 44.1 | 14.2 | 91.0 |
| Near | 49.2 | 66.4 | 21.5 | 137.1 |
| Normal | 90.1 | 121.6 | 39.3 | 251.0 |
| Sum | 172.0 | 232.1 | 75.0 | 479.1 |

## Expected Table

How does this table represent $H_{o}$ ?

|  | dark | night | room | Sum |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | 32.68 | 44.08 | 14.25 | 91.01 |
| Near | 49.19 | 66.35 | 21.45 | 136.99 |
| Normal | 90.13 | 121.57 | 39.30 | $251.0 C$ |
| Sum | 172.00 | 232.00 | 75.00 | $479.0 C$ |

## Test Statistic

Want the test statistic to quantify the difference between the observed table and the expected table.

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For each cell: Compute a Z-score!

$$
\begin{aligned}
\text { Z-score } & =\frac{\text { stat }- \text { mean }}{\text { SE }} \\
& =\frac{\text { observed - expected }}{\sqrt{\text { expected }}}
\end{aligned}
$$

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|  | dark | night | room |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Far | 1.28 | -0.76 | -0.60 |
| Near | -4.45 | 1.43 | 4.22 |
| Normal | 2.51 | -0.60 | -2.76 |

## Test Statistic

## Test Statistic Formula:

$$
\chi^{2}=\sum\left(\frac{\text { observed - expected }}{\sqrt{\text { expected }}}\right)^{2}
$$

```
library(infer)
#Compute Chi-square test stat
test_stat <- eye_data %>%
    specify(Eye ~ Lighting) %>%
    calculate(stat = "Chisq")
test_stat
```

Response: Eye (factor)
Explanatory: Lighting (factor)
\# A tibble: $1 \times 1$
stat
<dbl>
156.5

## Questions:

1. Is a test statistic unusual if it is a large number or a small number?
2. Is 56.5 unusual under $H_{o}$ ?

## Generating the Null Distribution

```
# Construct null distribution
null_dist <- eye_data %>%
specify(Eye ~ Lighting) %>%
hypothesize(null = "independence") %>%
generate(reps = 1000, type = "permute") %>%
calculate(stat = "Chisq")
visualize(null_dist)
```

Simulation-Based Null Distribution


## The Null Distribution

## Key Observations about the distribution:

Smallest possible value?
Shape?
Is our observed test statistic of 56.5 unusual?

Simulation-Based Null Distribution


## The P-value

1 \# Compute p-value
null dist \%>\%
get_pvalue(obs_stat = test_stat, direction = "greater")

```
# A tibble: 1 < 1
    p_value
        <dbl>
1
0
```


## Approximating the Null Distribution

If there are at least 5 observations in each cell, then

$$
\text { test statistic } \sim \chi^{2}(d f=(k-1)(j-1))
$$

where $k$ is the number of categories in the response variable and $j$ is the number of categories in the explanatory variable.
The $d f$ controls the center and spread of the distribution.

## The Chi-Squared Test

1 chisq.test(table(eye_data\$Eye, eye_data\$Lighting))

Pearson's Chi-squared test
data: table(eye_data\$Eye, eye_data\$Lighting)
X -squared $=56.513, \mathrm{df}=4$, p -value $=1.565 \mathrm{e}-11$

- Conclusions?
- Causal link between room lighting at bedtime and eye conditions?
- Decisions, decisions...


## (Some of the) Course Learning Objectives

- Learn how to analyze data in R.

- Master creating graphs with ggplot2.
- Apply data wrangling operations with dplyr.
- Translate a research problem into a set of relevant questions that can be answered with data.
- Reflect on how sample design structures impact potential conclusions.
- Appropriately apply and draw inferences from a statistical model, including quantifying and interpreting the uncertainty in model estimates.
- Develop a reproducible workflow using R Quarto documents.


## Checklist of Remaining Stat 100 Items

A Sign up for an oral exam slot.
$\checkmark$ Finish P-Set 9 by 5pm on Tuesday.
Complete the Extra Credit Lecture Quiz by 5 pm on Tuesday.
? Come by office hours with any questions while studying for the final exam.
!! Complete the oral exam on Dec 13th or 14th and the in-class on Dec 15th at 9am noon.

Attend the ggparty on Thursday at noon in SC 316.

IIl Consider what other stats classes to take now that I am $25 \%$ of the way to a stats secondary.

* Add a calendar note to email Prof McConville on 12/4/33 to show her I still know how to interpret a p-value.


## Thanks for a wonderful semester!

