

Statistics
Lecture 25



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Testing Claims:

claim could be about

- 1) Population Proportion P
- 2) Population Mean μ
- 3) Population Standard deviation σ

I claim that 5% of all students are left-handed
 $P = .05$

I claim that the mean age of all students is
at most 30 Yrs. $\mu \leq 30$

I claim that standard deviation of scores of
all math exams is at least 10.
 $\sigma \geq 10$

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Why do we need to test a claim?

It is simply to determine its validity.

If claim is valid \Rightarrow we support it.

If claim is invalid \Rightarrow we reject it.

Possible errors:

- 1) we reject a valid claim.
- 2) we support an invalid claim.

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Testing Methods:

- 1) Traditional Method
 - 2) P-value Method
- we only use these two methods.

3) Confidence Interval Method

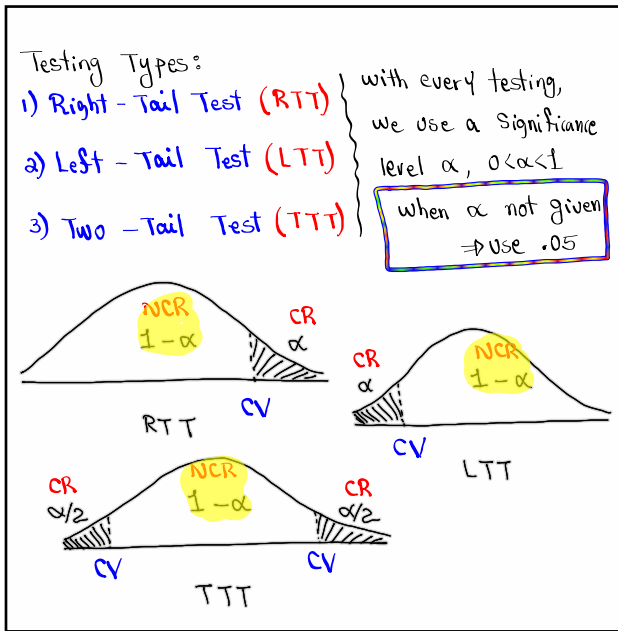
Regardless of the method, final conclusion should be the same.

Final Conclusion:

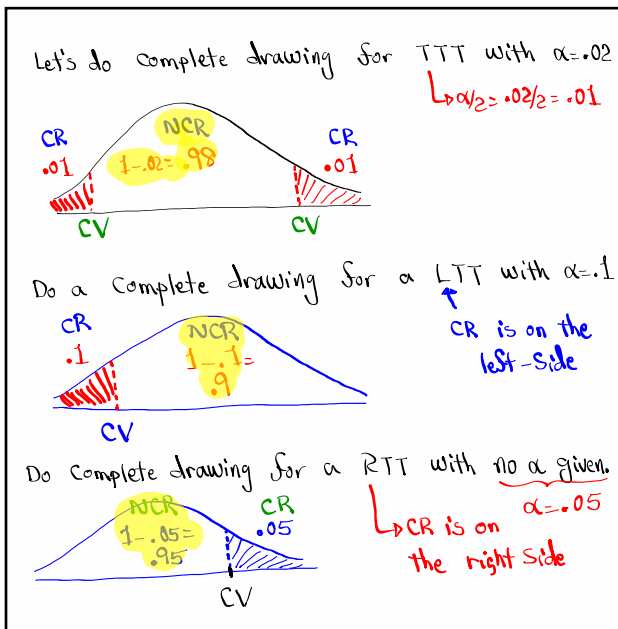
- 1) must be made about the claim
- 2) Reject the claim OR Fail-to-Reject the claim
 "when claim is invalid" "when claim is valid"

claim Action	Valid	Invalid
Reject	Error	Not error
Support	not error	Error

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$H_0: =$ $H_0: \geq$ $H_0: <$
 $H_1: \neq$ $H_1: <$ $H_1: >$
 TTT LTT RTT

$P(H_0 \text{ Valid}) = 1 - \alpha = P(H_1 \text{ Invalid})$
 $P(H_0 \text{ Invalid}) = \alpha = P(H_1 \text{ Valid})$

Four - Possible outcomes for H_0 :

Conclusion \ Reality	H_0 Valid	H_0 Invalid
Support H_0	Right Decision	wrong Decision Type II error
Reject H_0	wrong Decision Type I error	Right Decision

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I claim that 5% of all students are left-handed.
 $P = .05$
 H_0
 $H_0: P = .05$ claim
 $H_1: P \neq .05$ TTT

I claim the mean age of all students is below 30 yrs.
 $\mu < 30$
 No = sign
 $H_0: \mu \geq 30$
 $H_1: \mu < 30$ claim, LTT

I claim the standard deviation of scores of all math exams is at most 10.
 $\sigma \leq 10$ claim
 $H_0: \sigma \leq 10$
 $H_1: \sigma > 10$ RTT
 because of = sign
 H_0

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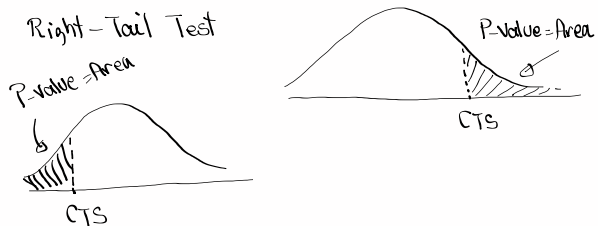
P-Value:

Assuming H_0 is valid, P-value is the Prob. of getting a value of Computed Test Statistic that is at least as extreme as the one obtained from Sample.

P-value is the Prob that H_0 would be rejected and H_1 would be supported.

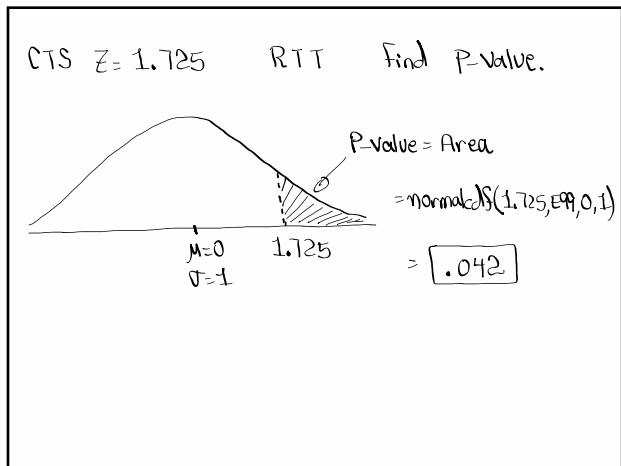
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P-value is the area of tail marked by CTS. If it is a Two-Tail Test, multiply that area by 2.

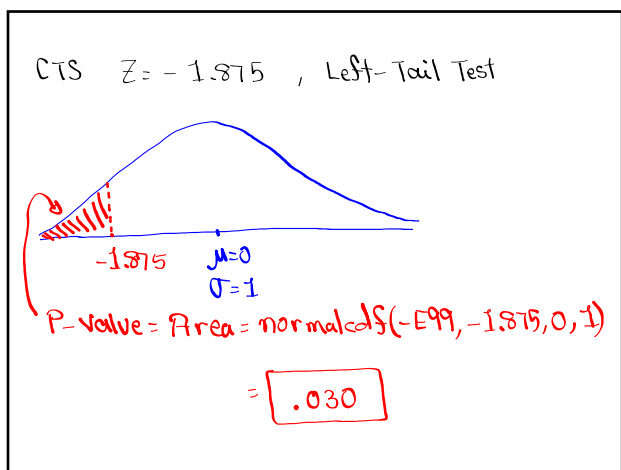


for Two-Tail Test
Find the area of the tail
Multiply by 2.

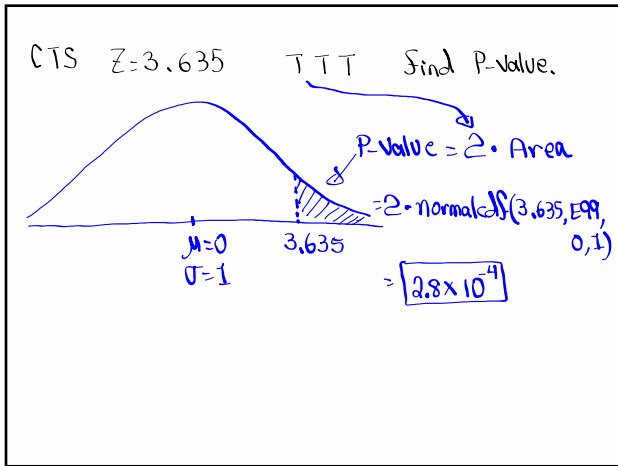
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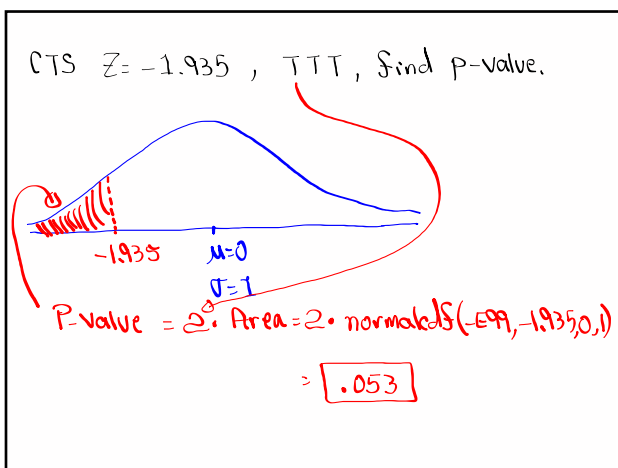
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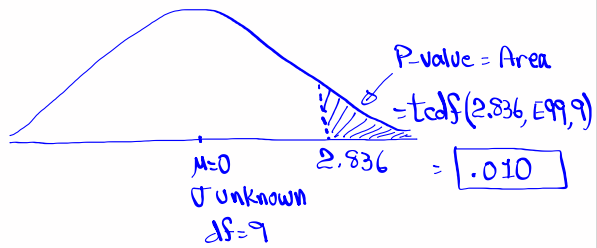


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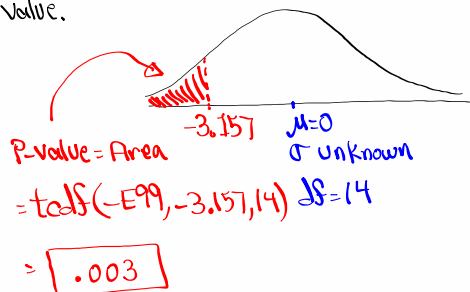
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CTS $t = 2.836$, $df = 9$, RTT, Find P-value



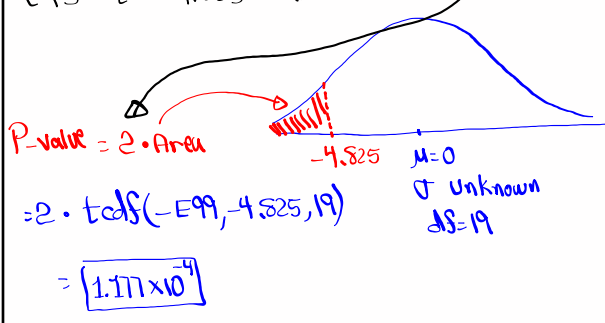
CTS $t = -3.157$, $df = 14$, LTT

Find P-value.

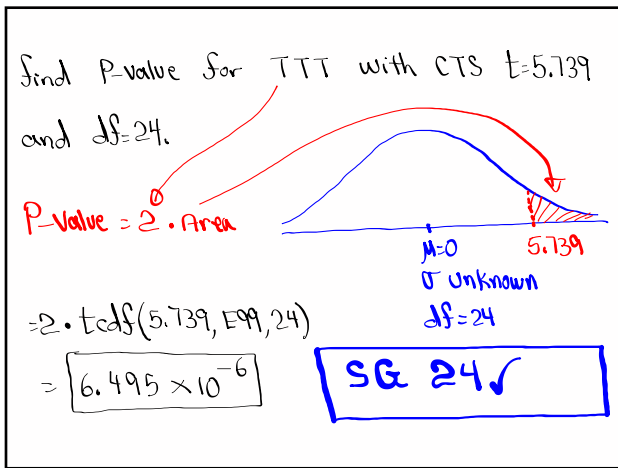


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Find P-value for a TTT with
 CTS $t = -4.825$ and $df = 19$.



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