

Math 5090, Assignment 7: Chapter 14, Exercises 11, 13, 15, 16.

11. (a) The $B - A$ differences are $-3, 10, -10, 8, -25, -2, -17, -3, -2, -2$. The sample mean and variance are $\bar{x} = -4.6$ and $s^2 = 110.711$. To test $H_0 : \mu_D = 0$ vs. $H_a : \mu_D < 0$, we use the test statistic $(\bar{x} - 0)/(s/\sqrt{10}) = -1.38249$. The critical value is $-t_{0.90}(9) = -1.383$. The observed value is not less than the critical value, so we cannot reject H_0 at the $\alpha = 0.10$ level, but it is very close.

(b) We consider only the signs of the differences. 8 are negative, 2 are positive. The number of negative signs under H_0 is $\text{BIN}(10, 1/2)$, and we reject H_0 in favor of the alternative if this number is too large. The p -value is $P(\text{BIN}(10, 1/2) \geq 8) = 1 - P(\text{BIN}(10, 1/2) \leq 7) = 1 - 0.9453 = 0.0547$. This is less than 0.10, so we reject H_0 at the $\alpha = 0.10$ level.

13. (a) Note that the lambs are dieting to gain weight, not lose it. The weight differences (I - II) are $14, 12, -6, 15, -2, 18, 14, 17, 14, 17, -7, -3$. There are 8 positive signs (out of 12). We reject H_0 in favor of the alternative if this number is too large. The p -value is $P(\text{BIN}(12, 1/2) \geq 8) = 1 - P(\text{BIN}(12, 1/2) \leq 7) = 1 - 0.8062 = 0.1938$. We do not reject H_0 at the $\alpha = 0.10$ level.

(b) The absolute differences are $14, 12, 6, 15, 2, 18, 14, 17, 14, 17, 7, 3$. The ranks are $7, 5, 3, 9, 1, 12, 7, 10.5, 7, 10.5, 4, 2$, where we replace ties by average ranks. The sum of the ranks of negative differences is $3 + 1 + 4 + 2 = 10$. This is less than or equal to 21, the critical value for significance level $\alpha = 0.10$, so we reject H_0 .

Now consider the large-sample test, even though $n = 12$. Under H_0 , mean is $n(n+1)/4 = 39$ and variance is $n(n+1)(2n+1)/24 = 162.5$. Standardize to get $(10 - 39)/\sqrt{162.5} = -2.27495$. This is smaller than -1.282 , so we reject H_0 .

15. (a) If we replace the observations by their ranks among the 20, we get
1-2-47: 7, 3, 13, 1, 10, 5, 2, 11, 4, 6.

10-2-47: 9, 17, 15, 14, 20, 18, 16, 8, 19, 12.

The sum of the x ranks is $W_x = 62$, so $U_x = W_x - 10(10+1)/2 = 62 - 55 = 7$. Reject H_0 if $U_x \leq 27$ or $U_x \geq 100 - 27$ (see Table 13B). We reject H_0 .

Large-sample approximation: Under H_0 , mean is $n^2/2 = 50$ and variance is $n^2(2n+1)/12 = 175$. Standardized statistic is $(7 - 50)/\sqrt{175} = -3.25049$. This is greater in absolute value than 1.645, so we reject H_0 .

(b) Differences (second - first) are $38, 324, 8, 418, 184, 326, 316, -52, 383, 237$. Absolute differences are $38, 324, 8, 418, 184, 326, 316, 52, 383, 237$. The sole negative term has rank 3 among the absolute values, so the Wilcoxon statistic is $T = 3$. Reject H_0 in favor of the two-sided alternative if $T \leq c$ or $T \geq 55 - c$, where c is chosen to give size $\alpha \leq 0.10$. From Table 12, we find that $c = 10$, so we reject H_0 .

16. We use the Mann-Whitney test. Replacing observations by ranks in the combined sample, we get

Tester 1: 7, 9, 14, 5, 4, 2, 10, 6, 1, 3.

Tester 2: 15, 12, 13, 16, 11, 8, 18, 17, 19.

Thus, $W_x = 7 + 9 + 14 + 5 + 4 + 2 + 10 + 6 + 1 + 3 = 61$, so $U_x = W_x - (10)(10 + 1)/2 = 61 - 55 = 6$. The critical region for a two-sided test is, by Table 12, $U_x \leq 24$ or $U_x \geq 90 - 24$. We reject H_0 .