**Hypothesis Testing Proportion** 

**Statistics** 

|           |   | SC       | OC       |
|-----------|---|----------|----------|
| Examples: | Less than <b>13%</b> of drivers text while driving.             | P < 0.13 | P ≥ 0.13 |
|           | At least 55% of college students have Facebook account.         | P ≥0.55  | P < 0.55 |
|           | At most <b>21%</b> of tablets in the market are made by Samsung | P ≤0.21  | P > 0.21 |

**Test Statistics**:  $Z = \frac{\hat{p} - p}{\sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{r}}}$ 

To test population proportion (**P**)

## **Proportion**

## Problem 1.

At  $\alpha = .05$  test that 85% of stat students pass the course. Out of 200 students only 156 students passed the course.



Conclusion: Accept or reject H<sub>0</sub>? Inside CR then reject H<sub>0</sub>

Comment: Accept or reject SC? Reject that 85% of stat students pass the course.

**P-value:** 0.005564 less than  $\alpha = 0.05$  reject Ho



**Problem 2.** At  $\alpha = .10$  test that more than 85% of stat students pass the course. Out of 200 students only 172 students passed the course.

**SC**: P > 0.85 $H_0: P \le 0.85$ Hint: Use H<sub>1</sub> to determine if it is LTT, TTT or RTT test **OC**: **P**  $\leq$  0.85  $H_1: P > 0.85$ Note: P in H<sub>1</sub> is more than, then it is a RTT

When  $\alpha = .10$ , n > 30 and one -tailed test then by using bottom row of page Table 2. **Critical value** = CV = **Z** = **1.282** 



Conclusion: Accept or reject  $H_0$ ? Outside CR then Fail to Reject  $H_0$  or Accept  $H_0$ 

**Comment:** Accept or reject **SC**? Reject that **more than 85%** of stat students pass the course.

P-value:  $0.3960 > \alpha = 0.10$  accept Ho



**Problem 3.** Prior to election day, an opinion poll among registered voters indicate that 433 voters will vote for incumbent President and 367 will not., Can it be claimed at  $\alpha = 0.01$  that incumbent President will win the majoarity of the votes(getting above 50% of the vote)?

**SC**: **P** > 0.50 $H_0: P \le 0.50$ Hint: Use H<sub>1</sub> to determine if it is LTT, TTT or RTT test CV = Z = 2.32 $H_1: P > 0.50$ **OC**: **P**  $\leq$  0.50 Note: P in H<sub>1</sub> is more than, then it is a RTT

When  $\alpha = 0.01$ , n > 30 and one –tailed test then by using bottom row of Table 2.

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**Sample proportion =** 
$$p = 433/800 = .54125$$

Fest Statistics = 
$$z = \frac{\hat{p} - p}{\sqrt{\frac{p(1 - p)}{n}}} = z = \frac{.54125 - .50}{\sqrt{\frac{.50(1 - .50)}{800}}} = 2.33$$
 Very close to CR

Conclusion: Accept or reject  $H_0$ ? Test Statistics is too close to Critical value, so decision is inconclusive

Comment: Accept or reject SC? Inconclusive as who the winner will be.

**P-value:** 0.098 almost the same as  $\alpha = 0.001$  Inconclusive.



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