CS626: Speech, NLP and Web

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1-slide recap of week of 7th Oct Bias: < S, L, T, C, R > Stereotyping Overgeneralized Opinionated **Bias Bias types Physical Abilities** Linguistic Regional **Tribal/Ethnic/Historical Occupational Religious** Modern Aae **Gender/Sexuality Various Internet** Caste/Sub-caste **Subcultures**

Role of probability: the bridge problem- deterministic (conservative, liberal); probabilistic

How to read the Z-score Table

A Practical Problem

 A bridge is being built. The weight it can tolerate has a distribution with μ =400 and σ =40. A car that goes on the bridge has weight distribution given by $\mu=3$ and $\sigma=0.3$. We want the probability of damage to the bridge to be less than 0.1. How many cars can we allow to go on the bridge?

We want

What no. of cars will cause the damage probability to exceed 0.1?

Probability[(W_{total}-W_{tolerance})>0] > 0.1
LHS is a function of N

 W_{total} is normal by CLT, with $\mu=3N$ and $\sigma^2=0.09N$

Convert to Standard Normal Form

 $\frac{(W_{total} - W_{tolerance}) - (3N - 400)}{\sqrt{0.09N + 1600}}$ $Z \equiv$

We want this event...

$$(W_{total} - W_{tolerance}) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(W_{total} - W_{tolerance}) - (3N - 400)}{\sqrt{0.09N + 1600}} > \frac{-(3N - 400)}{\sqrt{0.09N + 1600}}$$
$$\Rightarrow z > \frac{-(3N - 400)}{\sqrt{0.09N + 1600}}$$

When will this Probability exceed 0.1

$$P\left(z > \frac{-(3N - 400)}{\sqrt{0.09N + 1600}}\right) > 0.1$$

Solving this gives N <= 117

How?

V=1.29

Standard Normal Probabilities



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-3.4	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0003	.0002
-3.3	.0005	.0005	.0005	.0004	.0004	.0004	.0004	.0004	.0004	.0003
-3.2	.0007	.0007	.0006	.0006	.0006	.0006	.0006	.0005	.0005	.0005
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-3.0	.0013	.0013	.0013	.0012	.0012	.0011	.0011	.0011	.0010	.0010
-2.9	.0019	.0018	.0018	.0017	.0016	.0016	.0015	.0015	.0014	.0014
-2.8	.0026	.0025	.0024	.0023	.0023	.0022	.0021	.0021	.0020	.0019
-2.7	.0035	.0034	.0033	.0032	.0031	.0030	.0029	.0028	.0027	.0026
-2.6	.0047	.0045	.0044	.0043	.0041	.0040	.0039	.0038	.0037	.0036
-2.5	.0062	.0060	.0059	.0057	.0055	.0054	.0052	.0051	.0049	.0048
-2.4	.0082	.0080	.0078	.0075	.0073	.0071	.0069	.0068	.0066	.0064
-2.3	.0107	.0104	.0102	.0099	.0096	.0094	.0091	.0089	.0087	.0084
-2.2	.0139	.0136	.0132	.0129	.0125	.0122	.0119	.0116	.0113	.0110
-2.1	.0179	.0174	.0170	.0166	.0162	.0158	.0154	.0150	.0146	.0143
-2.0	.0228	.0222	.0217	.0212	.0207	.0202	.0197	.0192	.0188	.0183
-1.9	.0287	.0281	.0274	.0268	.0262	.0256	.0250	.0244	.0239	.0233
-1.8	.0359	.0351	.0344	.0336	.0329	.0322	.0314	.0307	.0301	.0294
-1.7	.0446	.0436	.0427	.0418	.0409	.0401	.0392	.0384	.0375	.0367
-1.6	.0548	.0537	.0526	.0516	.0505	.0495	.0485	.0475	.0465	.0455
-1.5	.0668	.0655	.0643	.0630	.0618	.0606	.0594	.0582	.0571	.0559
-1.4	.0808	.0793	.0778	.0764	.0749	.0735	.0721	.0708	.0694	.0681
-1.3	.0968	.0951	.0934	.0918	.0901	.0885	.0869	.0853	.0838	.0823
-1.2	.1151	.1131	.1112	.1093	.1075	.1056	.1038	.1020	.1003	.0985
-1.1	.1357	.1335	.1314	.1292	.1271	.1251	.1230	.1210	.1190	.1170
-1.0	.1587	.1562	.1539	.1515	.1492	.1469	.1446	.1423	.1401	.1379
-0.9	.1841	.1814	.1788	.1762	.1736	.1711	.1685	.1660	.1635	.1611
-0.8	.2119	.2090	.2061	.2033	.2005	.1977	.1949	.1922	.1894	.1867
-0.7	.2420	.2389	.2358	.2327	.2296	.2266	.2236	.2206	.2177	.2148
-0.6	.2743	.2709	.2676	.2643	.2611	.2578	.2546	.2514	.2483	.2451
-0.5	.3085	.3050	.3015	.2981	.2946	.2912	.2877	.2843	.2810	.2776
-0.4	.3446	.3409	.3372	.3336	.3300	.3264	.3228	.3192	.3156	.3121
-0.3	.3821	.3783	.3745	.3707	.3669	.3632	.3594	.3557	.3520	.3483
-0.2	.4207	.4168	.4129	.4090	.4052	.4013	.3974	.3936	.3897	.3859
-0.1	.4602	.4562	.4522	.4483	.4443	.4404	.4364	.4325	.4286	.4247
-0.0	.5000	.4960	.4920	.4880	.4840	.4801	.4761	.4721	.4681	.4641



Standard Normal Probabilities

Table entry for z is the area under the standard normal curve to the left of z.

2	.00	.01	.02	.03	.04	.05	.06	.07	.08	.09
0.0	.5000	.5040	.5080	.5120	.5160	.5199	.5239	.5279	.5319	.5359
0.1	,5398	.5438	.5478	.5517	.5557	.5596	.5636	.5675	.5714	.5753
0.2	.5793	.5832	.5871	.5910	.5948	.5987	.6026	.6064	.6103	.6141
0.3	.6179	.6217	.6255	.6293	.6331	.6368	.6406	.6443	.6480	.6517
0.4	.6554	.6591	.6628	.6664	.6700	.6736	.6772	.6808	.6844	.6879
0.5	.6915	.6950	.6985	.7019	.7054	.7088	.7123	.7157	.7190	.7224
0.6	,7257	.7291	.7324	.7357	.7389	.7422	.7454	.7486	.7517	.7549
0.7	.7580	7611	.7642	.7673	.7704	.7734	.7764	.7794	.7823	.7852
0.8	.7881	7910	.7939	.7967	.7995	.8023	.8051	.8078	.8106	.8133
0.9	.8159	.8186	.8212	.8238	.8264	.8289	.8315	.8340	.8365	.8389
1.0	.8413	.8438	.8461	.8485	.8508	.8531	.8554	.8577	.8599	.8621
1.1	.8643	.8665	.8686	.8708	.8729	.8749	.8770	.8790	.8810	.8830
1.2	.8849	.8869	.8888.	.8907	.8925	.8944	.8962	.8980	.8997	.9015
1.3	.9032	.9049	.9066	.9082	.9099	.9115	.9131	.9147	.9162	.9177
1.4	.9192	.9207	.9222	.9236	.9251	.9265	.9279	.9292	.9306	.9319
1.5	.9332	.9345	.9357	.9370	.9382	.9394	.9406	.9418	.9429	.9441
1.6	.9452	.9463	.9474	.9484	.9495	.9505	.9515	.9525	.9535	.9545
1.7	.9554	.9564	.9573	.9582	.9591	.9599	.9608	.9616	.9625	.9633
1.8	.9641	.9649	.9656	.9664	.9671	.9678	.9686	.9693	.9699	.9706
1.9	.9713	.9719	.9726	.9732	.9738	.9744	.9750	.9756	.9761	.9767
2.0	.9772	.9778	.9783	.9788	.9793	.9798	.9803	.9808	.9812	.9817
2.1	.9821	.9826	.9830	.9834	.9838	.9842	.9846	.9850	.9854	.9857
2.2	.9861	.9864	.9868	.9871	.9875	.9878	.9881	.9884	.9887	.9890
2.3	.9893	.9896	.9898	.9901	.9904	.9906	.9909	.9911	.9913	.9916
2.4	.9918	.9920	.9922	.9925	.9927	.9929	.9931	.9932	.9934	.9936
2.5	.9938	.9940	.9941	.9943	.9945	.9946	.9948	.9949	.9951	.9952
2.6	.9953	.9955	.9956	.9957	.9959	.9960	.9961	.9962	.9963	.9964
2.7	.9965	.9966	.9967	.9968	.9969	.9970	.9971	.9972	.9973	.9974
2.8	.9974	.9975	.9976	.9977	.9977	.9978	.9979	.9979	.9980	.9981
2.9	.9981	.9982	.9982	.9983	.9984	.9984	.9985	.9985	.9986	.9986
3.0	.9987	.9987	.9987	.9988	.9988	.9989	.9989	.9989	.9990	.9990
3.1	.9990	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9992	.9992	.9992	.9992	.9993	.9993
3.2	.9993	.9993	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9995	.9995	.9995
3.3	.9995	.9995	.9995	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9997
3.4	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9998

Get N from...

$1.29 = \frac{-(3N - 400)}{\sqrt{1600 + 0.09N}}$

N=~117

Use the rows and cols in z-score table

The value in any cell gives the area under the standard normal curve from **minus infinity to a** value V of Z

V is obtained by ADDING the column heading for the cell to the decimal part of the row heading of the cell

For example, the value of 0.9015 is obtained for the row:1.2 and col:0.09, i.e., for Z=1.29

Terminology for Test of hypothesis

Terminology

Null and Alternative Hypothesis

 H₀: Null Hypothesis → the hypothesis we want to reject with observation

- H_A or H₁: Alternative Hypothesis → opposite of H₀
- We use the sample statistics, trying to reject H₀

Type I and Type II error

• Type I: incorrectly reject H₀, when it should have been accepted.

 Type II: incorrectly accept H₀ when it should have been rejected.

More on H₀

• The data would be unlikely to occur if the null hypothesis were true.

- In logical form:
 N_H /- ~D
- Where N_H is the proposition "null hypothesis true" and D is the proposition "Data occurs"

Showing the methodology with a "coin toss" example

The setting

 A coin is tossed 100 time; there are 70 Heads

 H₀: coin is unbiased, i.e., p=0.5 (p is the parameter= probability of Head)

• Obviously, the null hypothesis is false

How to show this?

Use normal approximation

 The approximating normal distribution has mean=Np=100 X 0.5= 50 (>5)

 Standard deviation= sqrt[Np(1p)]=sqrt(100 X 0.5 X 0.5)=sqrt(25)=5

• Z=(X-50)/5

X=70

• Z=(70-50)/5=20/5=4



X=70 cntd.

- 4>1.96; falls outside 95% confidence interval
- 4>2.58; falls outside 99% confidence interval



What is the probability of the observation?

- Actual value, P(X=70)= 0.5⁷⁰ X 0.5³⁰
- By Z-score method:
- P(X=70)=P(69.5<=X<=70.5)
- $\Rightarrow P[(69.5-50)/5 < = Z < = (70.5-50)/5]$
- = P(3.9 < = Z < = 4.1)
- $=Z_{4.1}-Z_{3.9}$
- Very small!
- P(X) is called the p-value

Read the Z-score table

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-1.0	.1587	.1562	.1539	.1515	.1492	.1469	.1446	.1423	.1401	.1379
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1.2	.8849	.8869	.8888	.8907	.8925	.8944	.8962	.8980	.8997	.9015
1.3	.9032	.9049	.9066	.9082	.9099	.9115	.9131	.9147	.9162	.9177
1.4	.9192	9207	.9222	.9236	.9251	.9265	.9279	.9292	.9306	.9319
1.5	.9332	.9345	.9357	.9370	.9382	.9394	.9406	.9418	.9429	.9441
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2.6	.9953	.9955	.9956	.9957	.9959	.9960	.9961	.9962	.9963	.9964
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2.8	.9974	.9975	.9976	.9977	.9977	.9978	.9979	.9979	.9980	.9981
2.9	.9981	.9982	.9982	.9983	.9984	.9984	.9985	.9985	.9986	.9986
3.0	.9987	.9987	.9987	.9988	.9988	.9989	.9989	.9989	.9990	.9990
3.1	.9990	.9991	.9991	.9991	.9992	.9992	.9992	.9992	.9993	.9993
3.2	.9993	.9993	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9994	.9995	.9995	.9995
3.3	.9995	.9995	.9995	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9996	.9997
3.4	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	.9997	9997	.9998

X=60

Z=(60-50)/5=10/5=2; can reject for 95%
 CI, but not for 99%



X=55

 Z=(55-50)/5=5/5=1; cannot reject under 95% CI



P-values for X=60

- Actual value, $P(X=60)=0.5^{60} \times 0.5^{40}$
- P(X=55)= 0.5⁵⁵ X 0.5⁴⁵
- By Z-score method:
- P(X=60)=P(59.5<=X<=61.5)
- →*P*[(59.5-50)/5<=*Z*<=(60.5-50)/5]
- =P(1.9 < =Z < =2.1)
- $=Z_{2.1}-Z_{1.9}$
- =0.9821-0.9713=0.0108=0.01<0.05

P-values for X=55

- Actual value, P(X=55)= 0.5⁵⁵ X 0.5⁴⁵
- By Z-score method:
- P(X=55)=P(54.5<=X<=55.5)
- $\rightarrow P[(54.5-50)/5 < = Z < = (55.5-50)/5]$
- =P(0.9 < =Z < =1.1)
- $=Z_{1.1}-Z_{0.9}$
- =0.8643-0.8159=0.04 approx

Hypothesis testing through triangulation



Digression: Hypothesis Testing in Logic

Using Predicate Calculus

Himalayan Club example

- Introduction through an example (Zohar Manna, 1974):
 - Problem: A, B and C belong to the Himalayan club. Every member in the club is either a mountain climber or a skier or both. A likes whatever B dislikes and dislikes whatever B likes. A likes rain and snow. No mountain climber likes rain. Every skier likes snow. *Is there a member who is a mountain climber and not a skier?*
- Given knowledge has:
 - Facts
 - Rules

Example contd.

- Let *mc* denote mountain climber and *sk* denotes skier. Knowledge representation in the given problem is as follows:
 - 1. member(A)
 - 2. member(B)
 - 3. member(C)
 - 4. $\forall x [member(x) \rightarrow (mc(x) \lor sk(x))]$
 - 5. $\forall x[mc(x) \rightarrow \sim like(x, rain)]$
 - 6. $\forall x[sk(x) \rightarrow like(x, snow)]$
 - 7. $\forall x[like(B, x) \rightarrow \sim like(A, x)]$
 - 8. $\forall x [\sim like(B, x) \rightarrow like(A, x)]$
 - 9. like(A, rain)
 - 10. like(A, snow)
 - **11.** Question: $\exists x [member(x) \land mc(x) \land \neg sk(x)]$
- We have to infer the 11th expression from the given 10.
- Done through Resolution Refutation.

Club example: Inferencing

- 1. member(A)
- 2. *member(B)*
- 3. *member(C)*
- 4. $\forall x[member(x) \rightarrow (mc(x) \lor sk(x))]$
 - Can be written as - $\sim member(x) [member(x) \rightarrow (mc(x) \lor sk(x))]$
- 5. $\forall x[sk(x) \rightarrow lk(x, snow)]$ - $\sim sk(x) \lor lk(x, snow)$
- 6. $\forall x[mc(x) \rightarrow \sim lk(x, rain)]$

 $\sim mc(x) \lor \sim lk(x, rain)$

7. $\forall x[like(A, x) \rightarrow ~lk(B, x)]$

$$\sim like(A, x) \lor \sim lk(B, x)$$

8.
$$\forall x [\sim lk(A, x) \rightarrow lk(B, x)] \\ lk(A, x) \lor lk(B, x)$$

9. lk(A, rain)

10. lk(A, snow)

- 11. $\exists x [member(x) \land mc(x) \land \sim sk(x)]$
- Negate- $\forall x [\sim member(x) \lor \sim mc(x) \lor sk(x)]$

- Now standardize the variables apart which results in the following
 member(A)
- 2. *member(B)*
- 3. *member(C)*
- 4. ~ member(x_1) \lor mc(x_1) \lor sk(x_1)
- 5. ~ $sk(x_2) \lor lk(x_2, snow)$
- 6. ~ $mc(x_3) \lor \sim lk(x_3, rain)$
- 7. ~ $like(A, x_4) \lor \sim lk(B, x_4)$
- 8. $lk(A, x_5) \vee lk(B, x_5)$
- 9. *lk*(*A*, *rain*)
- 10. lk(A, snow)
- 11. ~ member(x_6) \lor ~ $mc(x_6) \lor$ $sk(x_6)$



Null Hypothesis: H₀

 H₀: The club does NOT have any member that is a mountain climber (MC) and not a skier (SK)

Key question: Under H₀, is the observation valid?

 In other words: is the hypothesis consistent with the data?

Methodology

• If Hypothesis not consistent with data, hypothesis must be rejected

Data cannot be rejected

• Data is GOLD!
Data for Himalayan Club Example

- (1) A, B and C belong to the Himalayan club.
- (2) Every member in the club is either a mountain climber or a skier or both.
- (3) A likes whatever B dislikes and
- (4) dislikes whatever B likes.
- (5) A likes rain and snow.
- (6) No mountain climber likes rain.
- (7) Every skier likes snow

Null Hypothesis for Himalayan Club Example

- H₀: There is NOT a single member who is a mountain climber and not a skier
- H₀ inconsistent with data

- So must be rejected
- Methodology: Logical Inferencing-Resolution-Refutation

Interval Estimate

Sample Mean and Population Mean

- $X_1, X_2, X_3, ..., X_n$ is a sample from a normal distribution having unknown mean μ and known variance σ^2 .
- Maximum likelihood point estimator of μ is \underline{n}

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i}{n}$$

\overline{X}

- We know that \overline{X} is normally distributed with mean μ and known standard deviation σ/\sqrt{n}
- So the following is standard normal distribution:



95% confidence interval



A Manufacturing situation

Suppose that a machine part manufacturer has made parts with the dimensions as given below:

(a) 9 pieces of the machine part
(b) dimensions are respectively
5, 8.5, 12, 15, 7, 9, 7.5, 6.5, 10.5

Suppose somehow it is known that IF the parts could be measured on the whole population sample by sample, the variance of the measurement of dimensions would be 4

(artificial? Yes, but useful for concept building)

95% confidence interval for μ

5+8.5+12+15+7+9+7.5+6.5+10.5=81 $\overline{X}=81/9=9$

It follows that under the assumption that the values are independent, a 95% confidence interval for μ is [9-1.96.(2/3), 9+1.96.(2/3)] =(7.6, 10.31)

Interpretation of the observation

Based on the (a) observation (9 samples) (b) knowledge obtained somehow that variance is 4

We reach the 95% confidence interval as (7.69, 10.31)

Qualitatively

 If the manufacturer says, "I can ensure a part dim of 15", we cannot trust!!

 If the maker says, "I assure dim of 10", we CAN trust

• Trust with 95% confidence

Two sided and one sided confidence intervals

What we saw is 2 sided confidence interval

• Similarly, one sided upper and lower confidence intervals

95% one sided intervals

• Upper

$$\left(\bar{X}-1.645\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}},\infty\right)$$

• Lower

$$\left(-\infty, \bar{X} + 1.645 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

Type I and Type II error

Type I: incorrectly reject H₀, when it should have been accepted. H₀ is actually true in the population

 Type II: incorrectly accept H₀ when it should have been rejected. H₀ is actually false in the population.

Type-I and Type-II errors: Always wrt Null Hypothesis H₀

as per data	ACCEPT	REJECT
actual		
TRUE	No Error	Type- I error (false – ve)
FALSE	Type-II Error (false +ve)	No Error

More on H₀

- Data: (a) All men are mortal, (b)
 Shakespeare is a man
- **H**₀: Shakespeare is not mortal

Contradiction: Shakespeare is not a man

• **Conclusion**: Reject H₀

A useful table

test-type (col)			
VS.	Two-Tail	1 sided to +inf	1 sided from -inf
Confidence Interval (significance level)			
90% (0.10)	(- and +) 1.65	-1.28 to +inf	-inf to +1.28
95% (0.05)	(- and +) 1.96	-1.65 to +inf	-inf to +1.65
99% (0.01)	(- and +) 2.58	-2.33 to +inf	-inf to 2.33

2 sided 95% confidence interval



95% 1-sided confidence interval (from –inf)



z-score

95% 1-sided confidence interval (to +inf)



z-score

Illustration

Problem Statement: bottling of fluid

 A factory has a machine that- the factory claims- dispenses 80mL of fluid in a bottle. This needs to be tested. A sample of 40 bottles is taken. The average amount of fluid is 78mL with standard deviation of 2.5. Verify the factory's claim.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zJ8e_wAWUzE

Essential elements (1/n)

- Examine the problem carefully, read the problem statement again and again, discuss the issues threadbare
- 1. Formulate H₀
- 2. Formulate H_A
- 3. Decide confidence interval (usually 90, 95 or 99%)→ this automatically fixes the significance level (0.10, 0.05 or 0.01)

This sets the rule of the game, cannot change going forward !!

Essential elements (2/n)

- From H₀ and H_A, decide 2-sided or 1 sided test
 - 2 sided for '=' or ' \neq '
 - 1 sided for '>=' or '=<'</p>
 - Upper (right) for '>='
 - Lower (left) for '=<'

Essential elements (3/n)

- Decide Z-test/T-test/F-test/ChiSquare test
- If Z-test, Z_c (critical value)=
 +- 1.65 for 90% confidence interval, + 1.28 for upper 90% confidence interval, - 1.28 for lower 90% confidence interval

+- 1.96 for 95% confidence interval, +1.65 for upper 95% confidence interval, -1.65 for lower 95% confidence interval

+-2 58 for 99% confidence interval +2 33 for upper

2 sided 95% confidence interval



1-sided confidence interval (upper/right)



1-sided confidence interval (lower/left)



Essential elements (4/n)

• Under H0, determine test statistic from the data called OBSERVED

- For Z-test, Z_o (observed)
- If Zo is inside the "REJECT" region, reject H₀
- Else cannot reject H₀

Back to Illustration: bottling of fluid

- Claimed population mean, µ=80
- n=40, sample mean, μ_{obs} =78, sample standard deviation, σ_{obs} =2.5
- H₀: µ=80
- H_A: 3 options
 - $-\mu \neq 80$ (2-tailed or 2-sided test)
 - $-\mu >= 80$ (1-tailed Upper)
 - $-\mu <= 80$ (1-tailed Lower)

2 sided 95% confidence interval



2-tailed analysis



• Falls in rejection region

2 sided 95% confidence interval



Z-test based observation (2-tailed)

- -5<-1.96
- We reject the null hypothesis
- The claim that the machine fills bottles with 80mL fluid is rejected based on the evidence

99% confidence interval

-5 still in rejection region

• -5.0 < -2.58

 So for 99% confidence interval also the hypothesis is rejected

90% confidence interval

-5 still in rejection region

• -5.0 < -1.28

 So for 90% confidence interval also the hypothesis is rejected
Another problem on HT

Problem statement

An NLP tool is built, which given a corpus of sentences, identifies the nouns and tags them as 1 and the rest of the words as 0. For example, given the sentence "Mumbai is a big city", the tags produced are "Mumbai_1 is_0 a_0 big_0 city 1". It is required to assess if the tool is doing anything better than random guessing.

Binomial Distribution

Given that p is the probability of success, i.e., getting the correct tag, the probability of getting K correct tags in a corpus sample of N words can be modelled as a binominal distribution and its value is equal to ${}_{N}C_{K}p^{K}(1-p)^{N-K}$, where ${}_{N}C_{K}$ indicates N choose K

Mean and S.D. of Binomial Distribution

The mean and the standard deviation of the binomial distribution are respectively, *Np* and *sqrt[Np(1-p)]*

Normal approx. to Binomial

Now, it is known that binomial distribution can be approximated by normal distribution. The conditions for this are *Np>5* and *N(1-p)>5* Statement with 95% confidence

The NLP tool is given a corpus of 100 words (consider punctuations also as words). The range of values of K (from part A) should lie in the range from _____ to for us to be able to state that "the tool is doing random guessing with no preference for correct vs. incorrect tag, and I am 95% confident in my statement".

Ans: from 41 to 59, both inclusive

Justification

- mean=100 X 0.5=50,
- standard deviation=sqrt(100 X 0.5 X
 0.5)=5
- Z=(X-50)/5

Putting Z=-1.96 and +1.96 and taking the ceiling of lower value and floor of the upper value, we get the answer.