

Chapter 12

Testing Qualitative Data

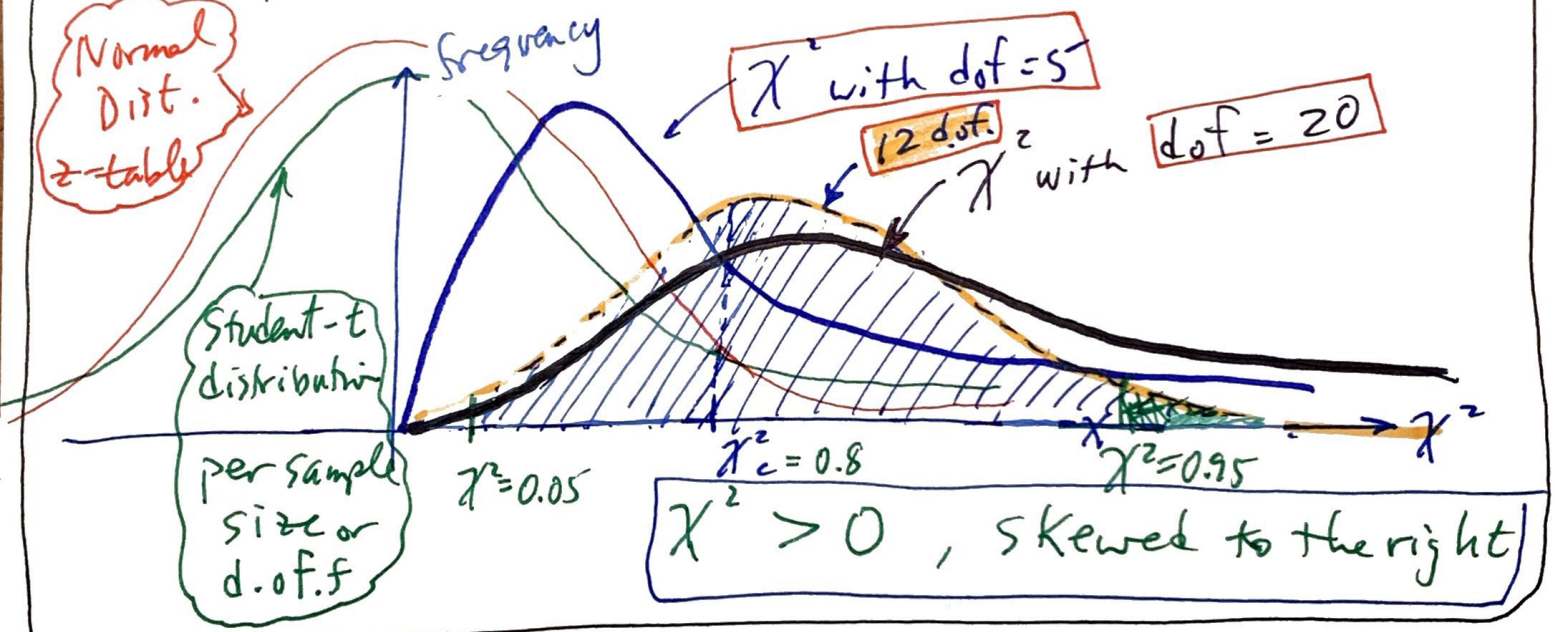
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12.1 Goodness of Fit

In this chapter we will use a new table called the χ^2 table (kigh-squared)

This table is not symmetric. The table relies on degrees of freedom like the t-table. All areas will be to the right.

The probability distribution looks like this



* The χ^2 -table

D.o.F \ area	0.995	0.99	0.975	0.95	0.90	0.05	0.025	0.01	0.005
12				5.226		21.026			

Area to the right of χ_c^2

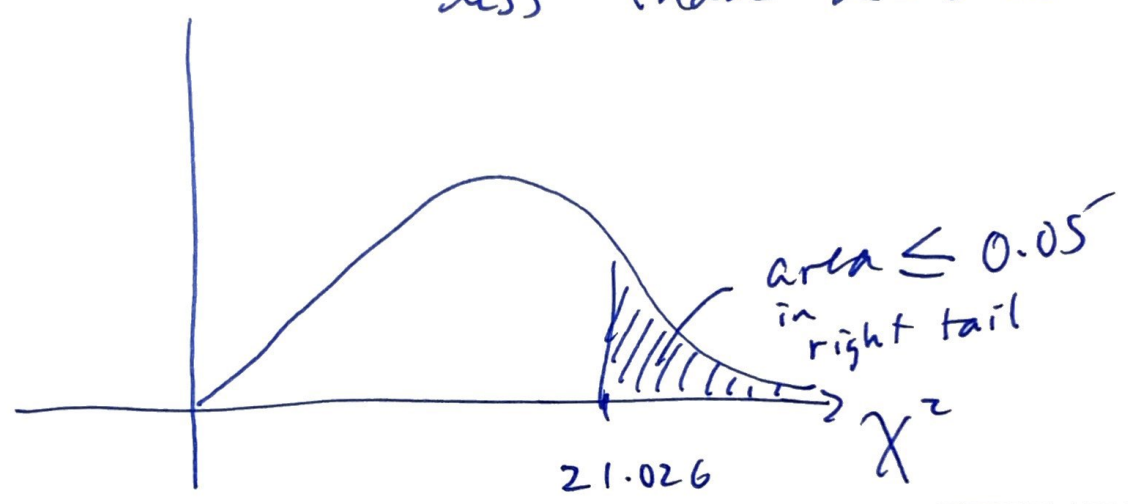
χ_c^2 value

EX

Find the $\alpha = 0.05$ critical value for the χ^2 distribution if dof = 12

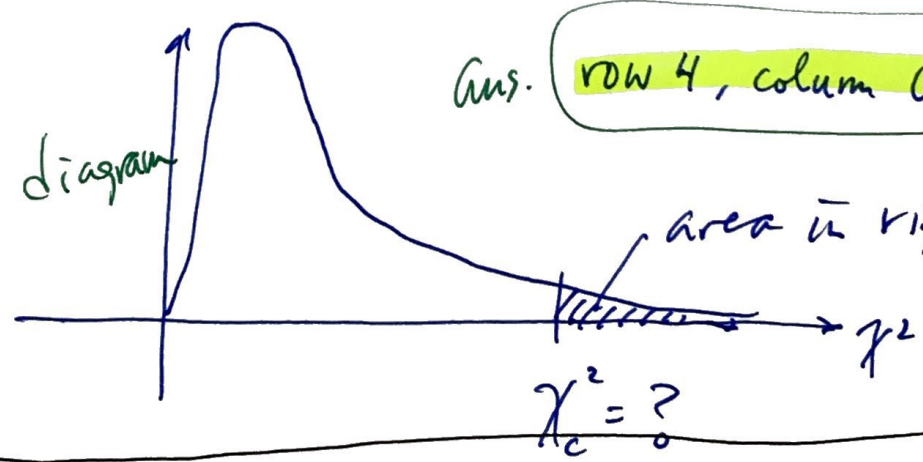


if $\chi^2 > 21.026$ then area to the right is less than $\alpha = 0.05$



EX

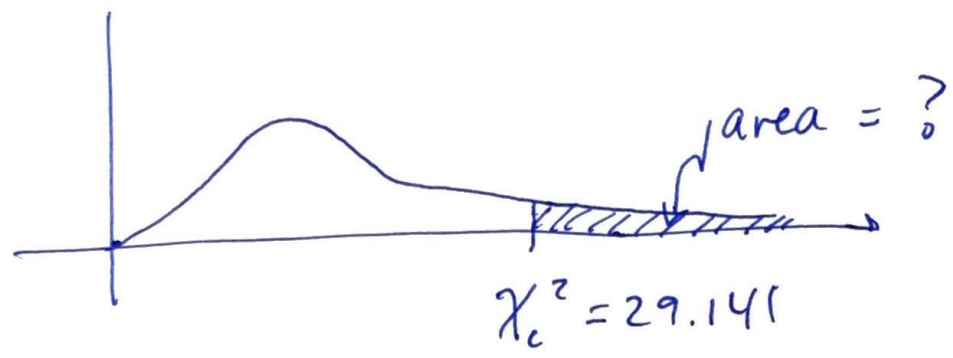
Find the $\alpha = 0.10$ critical value for the chi-squared distribution if the d.o.f. is 4



Ans. row 4, column 0.10 \rightarrow $7.779 = \chi^2_c$

* Reverse look up:

EX Find the area to the right of $\chi^2_c = 29.14$ if we have 14 degrees of f.

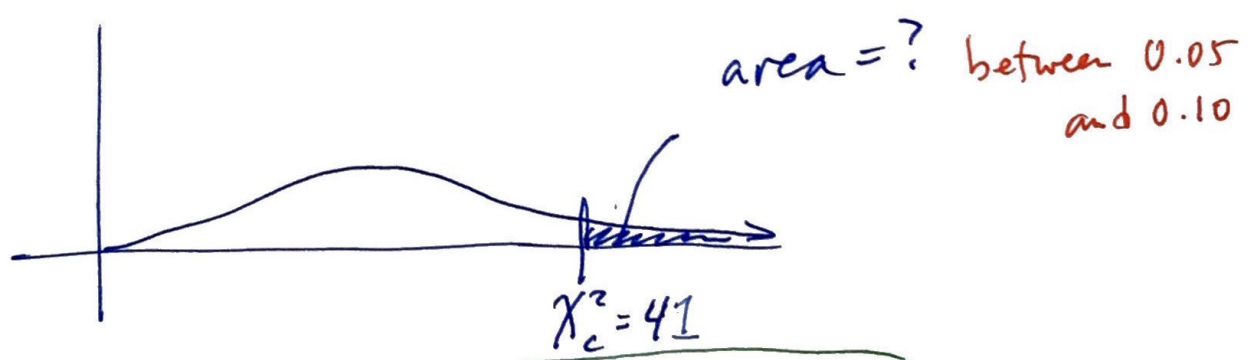


Here we look into the body of the table on row 14:

	$\chi = 0.01$
	29.141

So area to the right of $\chi^2_c = 29.141$ is 0.01

EX Find the area to the right of $\chi^2_c = 41$ if we have 30 d.o.f.



	0.10	0.05	0.025 ...
row 30	40.256	43.773	46.979 ...

↑
41.0

we only have a range

The area to the right of $\chi^2 = 41.0$ is between 0.10 and 0.05

⊗ Goodness-of-Fit Tests

Chpt 9

We want to determine if a coin is fair. We could toss it a number of times and compute \hat{p} , the proportion of heads (two choices)

$$H_0: p = 0.5 \quad ; \quad H_A: p \neq 0.5$$

We can take some data, toss a coin a bunch of times come up with a \hat{p} and perform a single pop Hypothesis Test

Q: How do we test a fair die. There is more than two choices. Possible outcomes is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6.

X	1	2	3	4	5	6	} if <u>die is fair.</u>
P	1/6	1/6	1/6	1/6	1/6	1/6	

• Lets Perform our own test on the die and toss the die 60 times. Lets say Freq. table looks this:

X	1	2	3	4	5	6
Observed values	12	7	14	15	4	8

Q: is the die fair. I.E. are the data different statistical variation OR statistical significance?
we expect on 60 tosses.

X	1	2	3	4	5	6
Expected	10	10	10	10	10	10

Our hypothesis would be come

$$H_0 : P_1 = P_2 = P_3 = P_4 = P_5 = P_6 = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$H_A : P_1 \neq P_2 \neq P_3 \neq P_4 \neq P_5 \neq P_6 \neq \frac{1}{6}$$

Def: **Expected Frequencies**

$$E_1 = n \cdot p_1, E_2 = n \cdot p_2, \dots, E_n = n \cdot p_n$$

thus for our fair die

$$E_1 = (60) \frac{1}{6} = 10, E_2 = (60) \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) = 10 \dots$$

Our tables can be combined to show

	1	2	3	4	5	6 ← k=6
Observed	12	7	14	15	4	8
Expected	10	10	10	10	10	10

Def: **Test Statistic** for a Goodness-of-Fit problem

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{k \text{ Outcomes}} \frac{(\text{Observed}_i - \text{Expected}_i)^2}{E_i}$$

Def: The degree of freedom for the G. of Fit test

$$\text{d. of. freedom} = k - 1$$

k = # of categories

Steps to do for a Goodness-of-fit (6)

0. **Conditions:** each category must have 5 counts

1. State null and alt Hypothesis

• Null, H_0 , specifies the prob. for each category

• The alt, H_A , specifies a deviation from the null.

2. Compute expected frequencies

3. Choose an α , significance level.

4. Compute the test statistic

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{(\sigma_i - \bar{E}_i)^2}{\bar{E}_i}$$

5. Find the critical value from the χ^2 table using the $k-1$ d.o.f.

• If χ^2 is greater than ^(to the right) or equal to the critical value we reject H_0 .

• If χ^2 is less than the critical value we fail to reject

6. State a conclusion.

EX

Use the data of our test to

see if our die is fair:

outcome	"1"	"2"	"3"	"4"	"5"	"6"
observed	12	7	14	15	4	8
Expected	10	10	10	10	10	10

Step 0: Does each outcome have over 5 value?

Ans: No we only see 4 times we rolled a "5"

(But we will proceed knowing this short coming)

Step 1: H_0 : all prob. = $\frac{1}{6}$
 H_A : Some prob. $\neq \frac{1}{6}$

Step 2: Expected Frequencies are shown in the table above.

Step 3: Lets use the std. level of significance $\alpha = 0.05$

Step 4: Test statistic

Category	O	E	O-E	(O-E) ²	$\frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$
1	12	10	2	4	4/10 = 0.4
2	7	10	-3	9	9/10 = 0.9
3	14	10	4	16	16/10 = 1.6
4	15	10	5	25	25/10 = 2.5
5	4	10	-6	36	36/10 = 3.6
6	8	10	-2	4	4/10 = 0.4
					$\Sigma = 9.4$

$\chi^2 = 9.4$

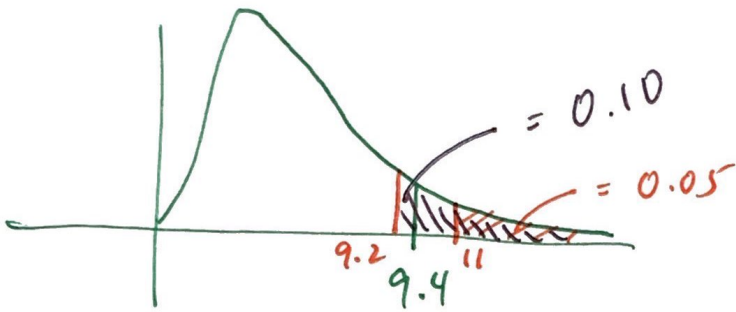


Step 5: Row 6-1 = 5 we see that $\chi^2 = 9.4$ falls between

	0.10	0.05
row 5	9.236	11.071

↑
9.4

our area to the right of $\chi^2 = 9.4$ is between 0.10 and 0.05



• So do we reject our null hypothesis?

Our sig. level was $\alpha = 0.05$.

We exceed that area in both boundaries

$\chi^2 = 9.236$ area > 0.10

$\chi^2 = 11.071$ area > 0.05

Step 6: Conclusion: Since our χ^2 score produced area to the right greater than $\alpha = 0.05$ we fail to reject the null and thus we cannot conclude the die is not fair.

There is not enough evidence to conclude the die is altered.

Step 7: Statdisk:

Step 7 : stat disk → analysis → Goodness of Fit (9)

→ Equal Expected Freq.

• Sig. Level = 0.05 (keep)

• obs. data in col 1

E values

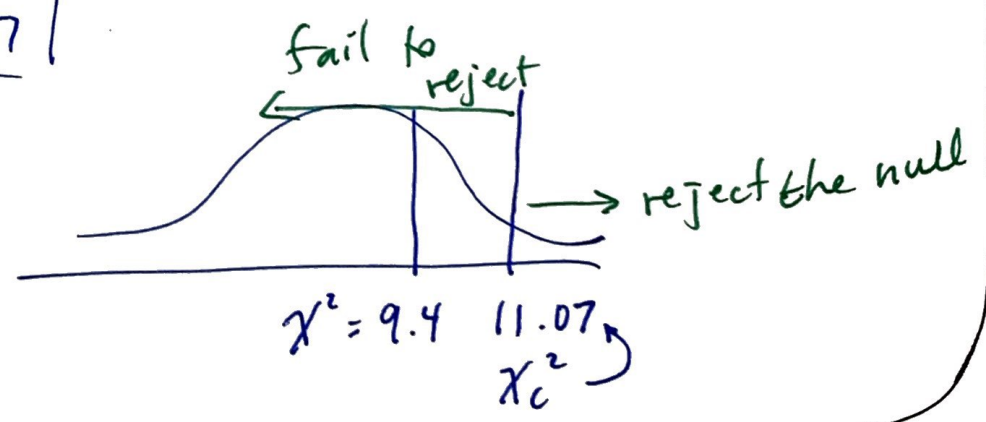
{ Statdisk will realize there are 6 categories and 60 data points thus know Expected outcomes }

Results are: $\chi^2 = 9.40000$ p-value = 0.09413

since p-value is $>$ sig. level of 0.05 we fail to reject

-OR- $\chi^2 = 9.4$ smaller than the associate

$\chi^2_c = 11.07$



⊗ Unequal Expected Outcomes

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EX

A poll shows that of 1155 people the follow results on wether people with higher incomes should be taxed more, less compared to low income people.

Category 2023	Observed	2015-2020
		Historical
Should pay more	218	18.5%
Should pay a little more	497	39.2%
Pay the same	425	41.2%
Pay less	15	1.1%

Q: Can we conclude that the current percentages in these categories have changed from the historical percentage?

Refine Table and convert % to Expected values

	observed	Expected <small>Historical %</small>
① More	218	$1155 \cdot (0.185) = 213.675$
② Little more	497	$1155 \cdot (0.392) = 452.76$
③ Same	425	$1155 \cdot (0.412) = 475.86$
④ Less	15	$1155 \cdot (0.011) = 12.705$

Step 0: we see each observed **category is** > 5 counts

Step 1: $H_0: p_1 = 0.185, p_2 = 0.392, p_3 = 0.412, p_4 = 0.011$
 $H_A: \text{the prob. are not the same}$

Step 3: Told to use $\alpha = 0.05$ $\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(O_i - E_i)^2}{E_i}$

Step 4:

$$\chi^2 = \frac{(218 - 213.675)^2}{213.675} + \frac{(497 - 452.76)^2}{452.76} + \frac{(425 - 475.86)^2}{475.86} + \frac{(15 - 12.705)^2}{12.705}$$

$\chi^2 = 10.261$

Step 5: χ^2 table, row = $4 \text{ cat} - 1 = 3$

	0.025	0.01
row 3	9.348	11.345

| 10.261

the area to the right of $\chi^2 = 10.261$ is between **0.025 and 0.01** \rightarrow

Our α is 0.05 - **so both these limits are below the α** - **Rejected H_0 : 2023 has different %'s**

Step 6: We reject the null hyp. since our p-value is somewhere between 0.025 and 0.01 & is less than the significance level of 0.05. (12)

Step 7: Statdisk:

Analysis → Good. of F. → Unequal cat

- Keep $\alpha = 0.05$
- select \odot proportions
- Choose col 1. for observations and col 2 for proportions

col 1	col 2
218	0.185
497	0.392
425	0.412
15	0.011

Evaluate

Results: 4 cat. 3 D.of.F.

$$\chi^2 = 10.26080$$

Critical χ^2 associated with $\alpha = 0.05$ is 7.81474

{ our χ^2 is beyond 7.8 so reject H_0 }

p-value = 0.01647 We used the table to estimate p-value between 0.025 & 0.01