

ON THE POWER FUNCTIONS OF THE E^2 -TEST AND THE T^2 -TEST

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1. The general linear hypothesis. Every linear hypothesis about a p -variate normal population or several such populations having common variances and covariances is reducible to the following canonical form [4]: The sample distribution, when nothing whatever has been discarded from the whole sample, being

$$(1) \quad (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}p(m+n)} |\alpha_{ij}|^{\frac{1}{2}(m+n)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^p \alpha_{ij} \sum_{r=1}^m (y_{ir} - \eta_{ir})(y_{jr} - \eta_{jr}) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^p \alpha_{ij} \sum_{s=1}^n z_{is} z_{js} \right\} \Pi \, dy \, dz$$

($n \geq p$),

where the η_{ir} and the α_{ij} are unknown, the hypothesis to be tested is

$$H: \eta_{ir} = 0 \quad (i = 1, \dots, p; r = 1, \dots, n_1, n_1 \leq m).$$

It is clear that the y_{ir} ($i = 1, \dots, p; r = n_1 + 1, \dots, m$) can have no use. Also, the only useful quantities supplied by the set z_{is} are the statistics

$$b_{ij} = \sum_{s=1}^n z_{is} z_{js},$$

because the remaining quantities may be regarded as a set of angles which are independent of y_{ir} and the b_{ij} and which has a known distribution free from any unknown parameter in (1), [2]. After discarding the irrelevant y 's and the angles there results the reduced sample distribution

$$K |\alpha_{ij}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n)} |b_{ij}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n-p-1)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^p \alpha_{ij} \sum_{r=1}^{n_1} (y_{ir} - \eta_{ir})(y_{jr} - \eta_{jr}) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j=1}^p \alpha_{ij} b_{ij} \right\} \Pi \, dy \, db.$$

Hereafter the indices i, j and r shall have the following ranges:

$$i, j = 1, \dots, p, \quad r = 1, \dots, n_1,$$

and the convention that repetition of an index indicates summation will be adopted. Writing

$$a_{ij} = y_{ir} y_{jr}, \quad c_{ij} = a_{ij} + b_{ij},$$

we obtain the distribution of the y_{ir} and the c_{ij} :

$$(2) \quad K |\alpha_{ij}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n_1+n)} |c_{ij} - a_{ij}|^{\frac{1}{2}(n-p-1)} \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} \alpha_{ij} c_{ij} + \alpha_{ij} y_{ir} y_{jr} - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_{ij} \eta_{ir} \eta_{jr} \right) \Pi \, dy \, dc.$$

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