

Appendix

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/*
*data:          data set
*label_diff:    name of variable (difference) to evaluate
*test:          Specification of the test
               - 'pratt' for test according to Pratt
               - 'signed' for Wilcoxon's signed rank test
               - 'original' for test based on original data
*round:         specifies the number of decimal places to round on
               (rounding only for the test based on original data)
               optional parameter: DEFAULT=4
*/
%MACRO signedrank(data, label_diff, test, round=4);

data data;
set &data(rename=(&label_diff=obs_diff));
diff_abs=abs(obs_diff);
keep diff_abs obs_diff;
run;

proc sql noprint;
select count(*) into :diff0 from data where diff_abs=0;
select count(*) into :n_all from data;
quit;

*abort if all differences are zero;
%IF &n_all=&diff0 %Then %DO;
   %put NOTE: all differences are zero;
   %RETURN;
%END;

*assigning ranks for nonzero values;
proc rank data=data out=data;
where obs_diff<>0;
var diff_abs;
ranks rank_diff;
run;

*signed ranks;
data data;
set data;
rank_sign=rank_diff*sign(obs_diff);
run;

proc iml;
use data;
*Wilcoxon's signed rank test;
if &test='signed' then do;
   read all var {rank_sign} into d;   *signed ranks;
end;
*Pratts modification of Wilcoxon's signed rank test;
if &test='pratt' then do;
   read all var {rank_sign} into d; *signed ranks;
   d=(abs(d)+&diff0)*sign(d);      *assigning ranks according to Pratts
modification;
end;
*test based on original data;
if &test='original' then do;
   read all var {obs_diff} into d;
   *rounding;
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d=round( (10**&round) *d) ;
end;
*computation of the statistic;
tstat = sum(d#(d>=0)) ;

*shift-algorithm;
start shift(d);
    n=NROW(d);
    *for the shift-algorithm the values in d need to be integer;
    potenz=0;
    do while (sum(d^=int(d)) ^=0);
        d=10*d;
        potenz=potenz+1;
    end;
    ad = abs(d); *absolute values;
    *determine largest common factor;
    ggt=0;
    k = min(ad + (d=0)#max(ad)); *smallest |d| ^= 0;
    do while (ggt = 0 & k>=1);
        if d/k = int(d/k) then ggt=k;
        else k=k-1;
    end;
    *required constants;
    adshort = ad/ggt;
    lng = sum(adshort);
    values = ((0:lng)*ggt)`; *possible values for statistic;
    *algorithm;
    if lng <> 0 then do;
        prob = 1 // j(lng,1,0);
        do k=1 to n;
            if adshort[k] <> 0 then do;
                shift = j(adshort[k],1,0) // prob[1:lng+1-
                                         adshort[k]];
                prob = prob + shift;
            end;
            else prob = 2*prob; *difference can be 0;
        end;
        prob = prob/(2**n);
        *reverse the process which changes the observations/ranks
        to integers (this was needed for the shift algorithm);
        values=values/(10**potenz);
        *resulting distribution (1th column: statistic -- 2nd column:
                               probability);
        dist = values || prob;
    end;
    d=d*10**(-1*potenz);
    return (dist);
finish;

dist=shift(d);

*computation of p-values;
*one-sided;
pvalue_gr=sum(dist[,2]#(dist[,1]>=tstat));
pvalue_less=sum(dist[,2]#(dist[,1]<=tstat));

*two-sided;
tstatOUT=tstat; *output-statistic;
if (&test='signed') then do;
    ew=(&n_all-&diff0)*((&n_all-&diff0)+1)/4;
end;
else if (&test='pratt') then do;
    ew=((&n_all*(&n_all+1)-(&diff0*(&diff0+1)))/4);
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end;
else if (&test='original') then do;
    tstatOUT=tstat/(10**&round);
    ew=sum(abs(d))/2;
end;
if (tstat<ew) then do;

    d=-1*d;
    tstat=sum(d#(d>=0));
end;
lower=ew-(tstat-ew);
pvalue_two=sum(dist[,2]#(dist[,1]<=lower | dist[,1]>=tstat));

*OUTPUT;
label={ 'n'      'n_nonzero'      'statistic'      'pvalue_gr'      'pvalue_less'
,'pvalue_two'};
out= &n_all || &n_all-&diff0 || tstatOUT || pvalue_gr || pvalue_less || 
pvalue_two;

create output from out [colname=label];
append from out;
quit;

data output; set output; test=&test; run;

proc report data=output nowd headline;
column test n n_nonzero statistic pvalue_less pvalue_gr pvalue_two;
define n / display 'n';
define n_nonzero / display 'n (nonzero)';
define statistic / display 'statistic';
define pvalue_less / display 'p-value (less)';
define pvalue_gr / display 'p-value (greater)';
define pvalue_two / display 'p-value (two-sided)';
run;

%MEND;
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