Data Analysis

6th Semester

School of Applied Mathematical and Physical Sciences

Introduction to Statistics. Introduction to the open-source R environment and language. Descriptive Statistics: Qualitative and categorical variables, graphs in R. Stochastic Simulation: Distributions in R, Goodness of fit tests, Weak law of large numbers, Central limit Theorem. Statistical Inference: Maximum likelihood estimation, Interval estimation, Introduction to hypothesis testing, Confidence intervals and testing statistical hypotheses, for the following cases: (i) the mean of a quantitative variable, (ii) the proportion of "success" of a binary variable, (iii) the difference of two means of a quantitative variable using matched data, (iv) the difference of two proportions of "success" of a binary variable using two independent samples. Regression Analysis: Simple linear models, Correlation coefficient, multiple linear models. Analysis of Variance: One-way and two-way analysis of variance.

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