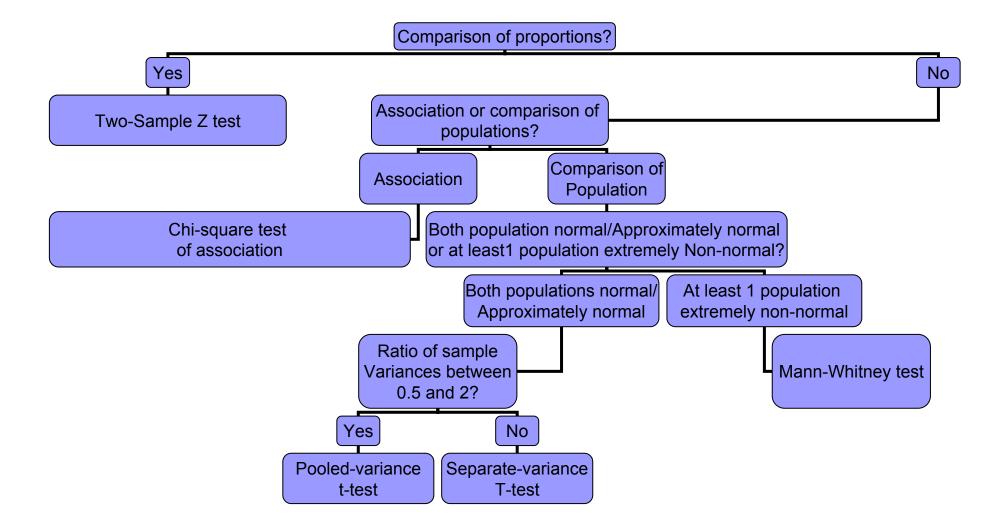
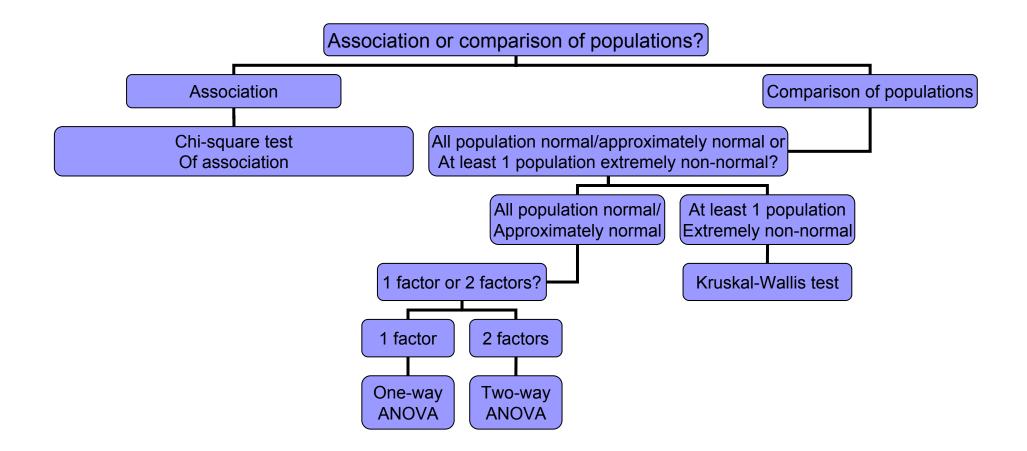
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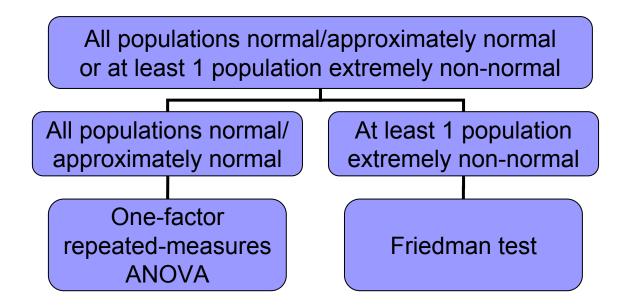
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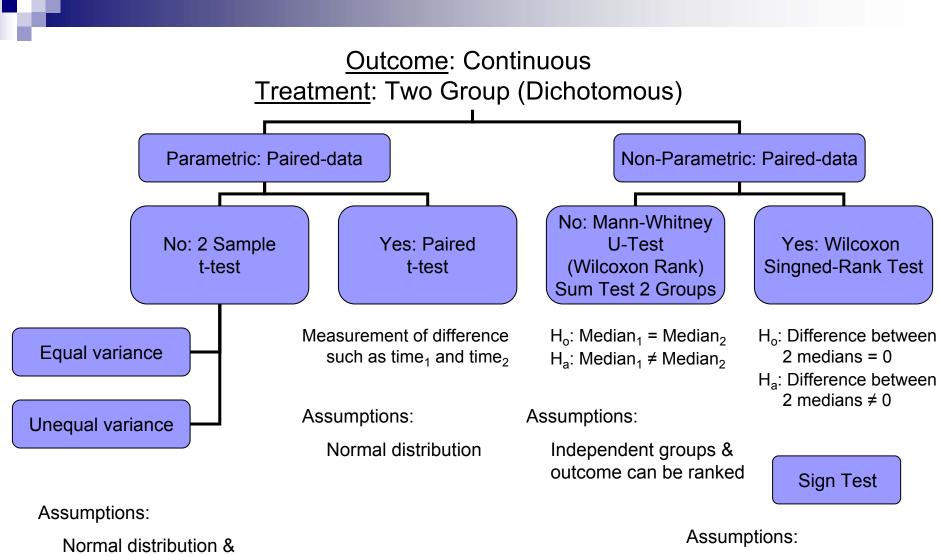
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STATISTICAL PROCEDURES FOR THREE OR MORE SAMPLES OF REPEATED MEASUREMENTS

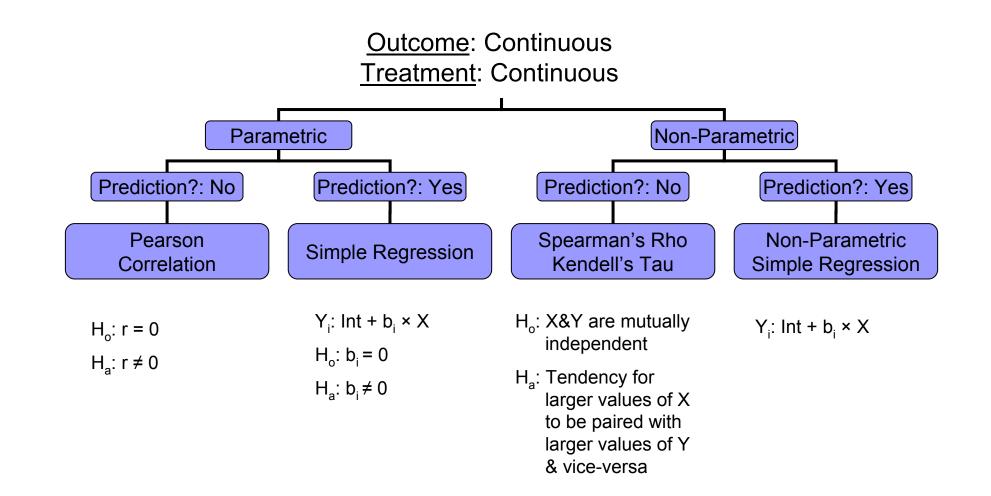


Classification by an outcome (dependent variable) vs. a treatment (independent variable)

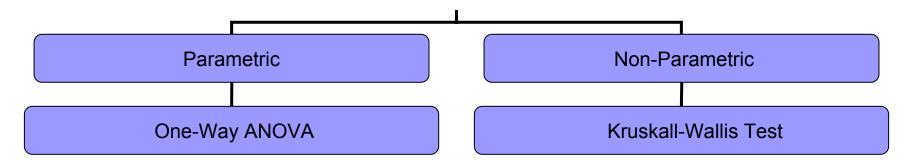


Independent groups & outcome can be ranked

Normal distribution & independence of groups



<u>Outcome</u>: Continuous <u>Treatment</u>: > 3 Groups



K groups

 $H_{o}: \mu_{1} = \mu_{2} = \dots = \mu_{k}$

H_a: At least one of the means is different from one of the other means

Test with overall F-Test

Assumptions:

- Independent, normal distribution & group variances are equal
- If overall F-Test is significant, then use multiple comparisons procedures to identify pairwise differences

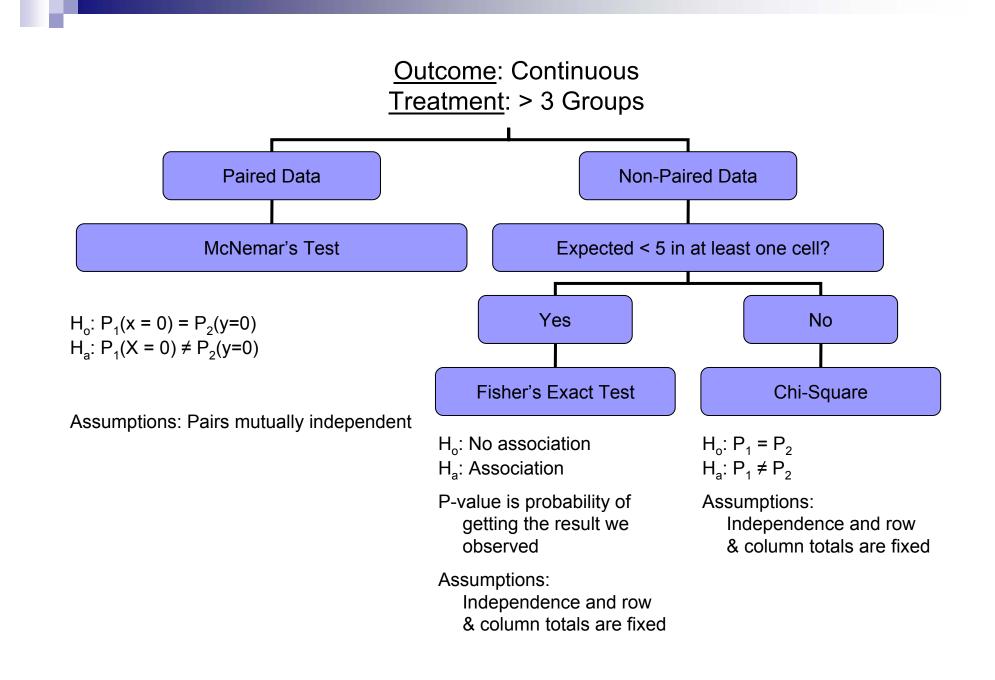
K groups

- H_o : Median₁ = ... = Median_k
- H_a: At least one of the medians is different from one of the other medians

Test with X

Assumptions:

- Independent observations, data can be ranked
- If overall X is significant, it can be difficult to do multiple comparisons
- Solution: Do one-way ANOVA on ranks of data



<u>Outcome</u>: Ordinal (Dichotomous) <u>Treatment</u>: 2 Groups (Dichotomous)

Mann Whitney U-Test

outcome: Continuous; Treatment: 2 groups

Kruskall Wallis Test

Outcome: Continuous; Treatment: > 3 groups

Spearman's Rho

Outcome: Continuous; Treatment: Continuous

Treatment: Ordinal

Spearman's Rho

Chi-Square Test for Trend

Outcome: Nominal

Treatment: Nominal

Chi-Square

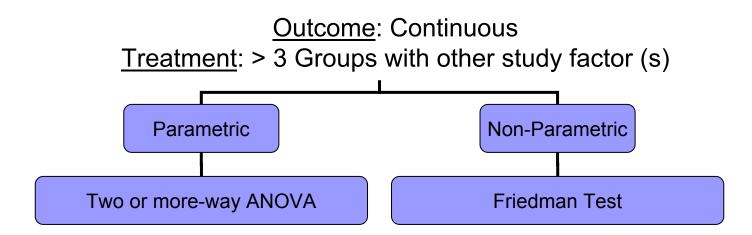
Treatment: 2 or more groups

Chi-Square

Treatment: Ordinal

Chi-Square Test for Trend

One outcome with several study factors including treatment (risk, potential confounding, or prognostic in nature



K groups for each of the study factors (i) including treatment

 $H_{o}: \mu_{1i} = ... = \mu_{ki}$

H_a: At least one of the means is different from one of the other means adjusting for other i factors in the model

Test with overall F-Test

Assumptions:

- Independent, normal distribution & group variances are equal
- If the interaction term of the study factors is significant, the significance of the other terms in the model would be invalid

K groups for each of the two study factors (treatment and another study factor)

For each of the two factors:

- $H_o: Median_{1i} = \dots = Median_{ki}$
- H_a: At least one of the medians is different from one of the other medians

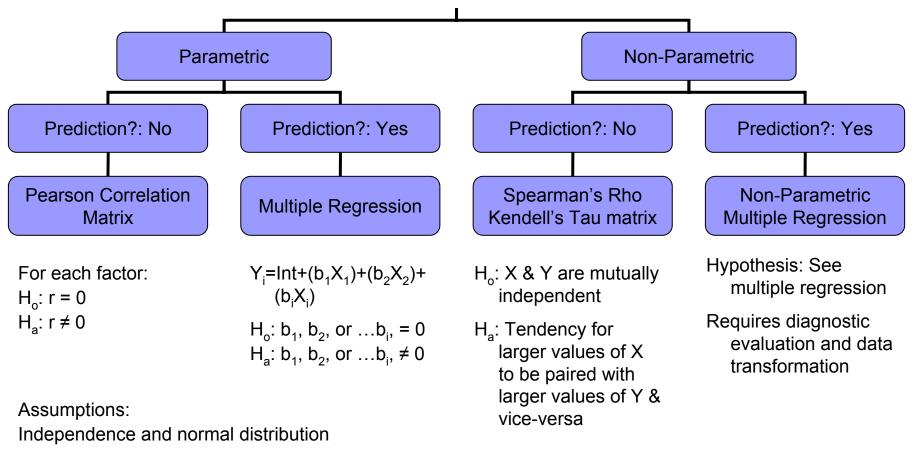
Assumptions:

Independent observations & data can be ranked

If overall X is significant, it can be difficult ot do multiple comparisons

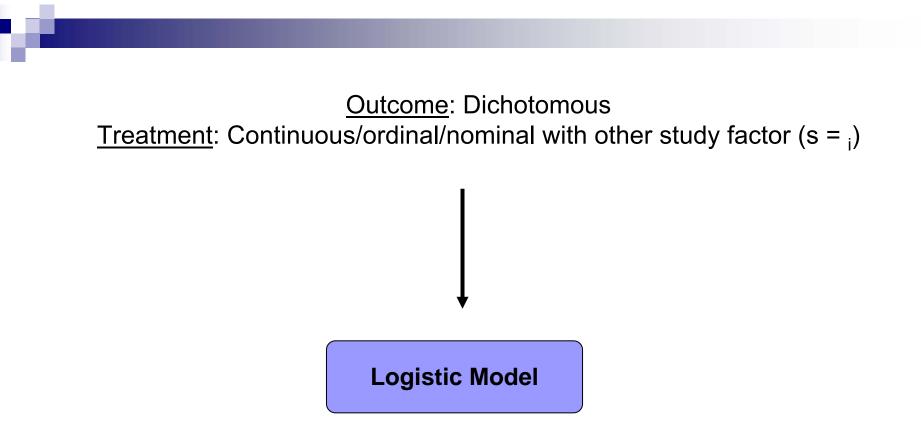
Solution: Do two-way ANOVA on ranked data

<u>Outcome</u>: Continuous <u>Treatment</u>: Continuous with other study factor (s = $_i$)

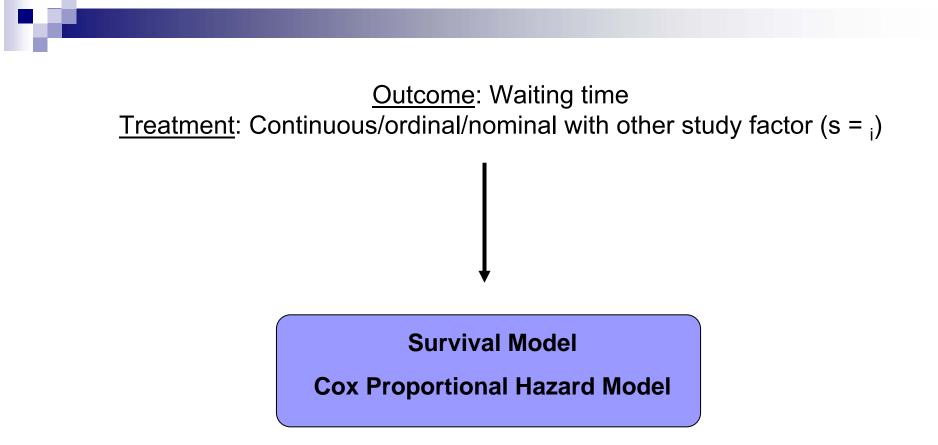


Check for multicoliniarity among study factors

Assumptions: Random sample and data can be ranked



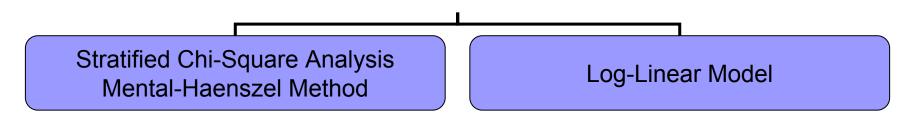
Magnitude of the effect is measured by odds ratio of each of the study factors including the treatment



Magnitude of the effect/survival is measured by Proportional hazard odds ratio of each of the study factors including the treatment

<u>Outcome</u>: Dichotomous

Treatment: Dichotomous with other factors that are categorical or nominal



Magnitude of the effect is measured by odds ratio of each of the study factors including the treatment