

Notations

In the following, we will use these notations:

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| p_1, p_2 | the success of probabilities for two samples |
| θ | binomial proportion |
| $\hat{\theta}$ | estimation of the binomial proportion |
| ν | random stopping time |
| X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n | first sample of Bernoulli experiments |
| Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_n | second sample of Bernoulli experiments |
| \bar{X}_n | sample mean of the first sample |
| \bar{Y}_n | sample mean of the second sample |
| T | the number of success |
| n | sample size for the first sample |
| m | sample size for the second sample |
| $Z_{\alpha/2}$ | the quantile of standard normal distribution |
| $\varphi(t)$ | characteristic function |
| σ^2 | true variance |
| λ_t | characteristic function of negative binomial distribution |
| α | significant level |
| $1 - \alpha$ | confidence level |
| $Nb(m, p)$ | Negative binomial distribution with parameters m, p |
| $B(n, p)$ | Binomial distribution with parameters n, p |