

BTS Airline On Time Performance Data – Stagelength and Gate-to-Gate Velocity

- 1) Generate Histogram of Stagelength for flights FROM Your Airport
 - a. Histogram instructions:
 - i. Y-Axis: # flights per time period investigated (e.g. month)
 - ii. X-Axis: Stagelength in 250 nm increments (i.e. 0, 250, 500, 750 ,3000)
 - b. Convert the histogram to Probability Density Function (PDF)
 - i. Y-Axis: % flights per time period investigated (e.g. month)
 - ii. X-Axis: Stagelength in 250 nm increments (i.e. 0, 250, 500, 750 ,3000)
 - c. What is mean Stagelength
 - d. What is median Stagelength
 - e. What is Standard Deviation for Stagelength
 - f. Is the distribution Normal? How can you test for normality?
- 2) Generate a Histogram of Gate-to-Gate Velocity for flights TO Your Airport
 - a. Histogram Instructions
 - i. Y-Axis: # flights per time period investigated (e.g. month)
 - ii. X-Axis: Gate-to-Gate Velocity in 50 know increments (i.e. 0, 50, 100, 150,500)
 - b. What is mean
 - c. What is the median
 - d. What is Standard Deviation
 - e. Is the distribution Normal
- 3) Generate a Histogram of Gate-to-Gate Velocity for flights FROM Your Airport
 - a. Histogram Instructions
 - i. Y-Axis: # flights per time period investigated (e.g. month)
 - ii. X-Axis: Gate-to-Gate Velocity in 50 know increments (i.e. 0, 50, 100, 150,500)
 - b. What is mean
 - c. What is the median
 - d. What is Standard Deviation
 - e. Is the distribution Normal
- 4) Compare the Histogram for Gate-to-Gate Velocity for flights TO Your Airport with flights FROM Your Airport
 - a. Write a Null Hypothesis
 - b. Perform a t-Test (or a paired t-Test by OD or Stagelength or direction of flight (i.e. east-west or north-south). Is the Null Hypothesis accepted/rejected?
 - c. (if there is a difference) what could explain the difference