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10.57 A new radar device is being considered for a certain missile defense system. The system is checked by experimenting with aircraft in which a kill or a no kill is simulated. If, in 300 trials, 250 kills occur, accept or reject, at the 0.04 level of significance, the claim that the probability of a kill with the new system does not exceed the 0.8 probability of the existing device.

10.73 A study is conducted to compare the lengths of time required by men and women to assemble a certain product. Past experience indicates that the distribution of times for both men and women is approximately normal but the variance of the times for women is less than that for men. A random sample of times for 11 men and 14 women produced the following data:

Men
 Women

$$n_1 = 11$$
 $n_2 = 14$
 $s_1 = 6.1$
 $s_2 = 5.3$

Test the hypothesis that $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$ against the alternative that $\sigma_1^2 > \sigma_2^2$. Use a P-value in your conclusion.

10.80 The grades in a statistics course for a particular semester were as follows:

Test the hypothesis, at the 0.05 level of significance, that the distribution of grades is uniform.

10.86 In an experiment to study the dependence of hypertension on smoking habits, the following data were taken on 180 individuals:

		Moderate Smokers	
Hypertension	21	36	30
No hypertension	48	26	19

Test the hypothesis that the presence or absence of hypertension is independent of smoking habits. Use a 0.05 level of significance.