

GPCO 453: Quantitative Methods I

Review: Hypothesis Testing

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TABLE 11.2 SUMMARY OF HYPOTHESIS TESTS ABOUT A POPULATION VARIANCE

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Two Population Variances

| | Upper Tail Test | Two-Tailed Test |
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- ▶ If we do not know p , we use \hat{p} instead:

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