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Finding correlation between multiple variables; Using the 1 Proportion test; Graphically presenting the 1 Proportion test; Using the Power and Sample Size tool for a 1 Proportion test; Testing two population proportions with the 2 Proportions test; Using the Power and Sample Size tool for a 2 Proportions test; Using the Assistant menu to run a 2 Proportions test; Finding the sample size to estimate a mean to a given margin of error; Using Cross tabulation and Chi-Square

Using equivalence tests to prove zero difference between the mean and a target  
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Chapter 5: Regression and Modeling the Relationship between X and Y

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## Sommario/riassunto

This practical cookbook covers a broad range of topics in an easy-to-understand manner. Step-by-step instructions guide you through even the most complicated of tools in Minitab. This book is great for anyone who is familiar with statistics and who wants to learn how Minitab works. Whilst you do not need to be an expert in all areas of statistics, you should understand the basics of the chapters you are interested in.

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