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data <- etruscan
x <- data$width[data$group == "ancient"]

t.test(x, mu = 132.4)
```

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##
## One Sample t-test
##
## data: x
## t = 17.46, df = 83, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 132.4
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 142.4781 145.0695
## sample estimates:
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Note: When doing Tests, say, with `t.test`, **R** is calculating the p -Value, and sometimes also the CI. So, to decide whether to Reject Null or Not, using **R**, you can use the 2nd and 3rd Methods.

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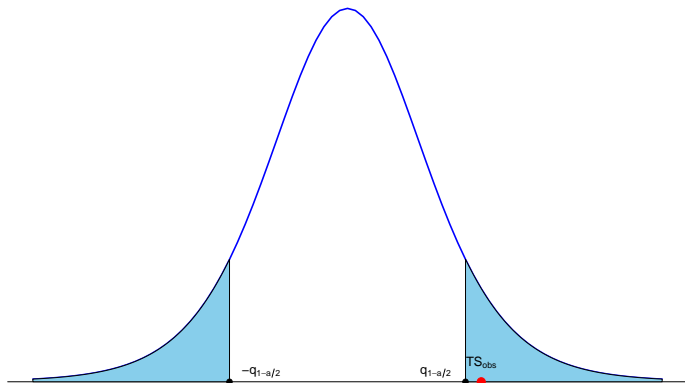
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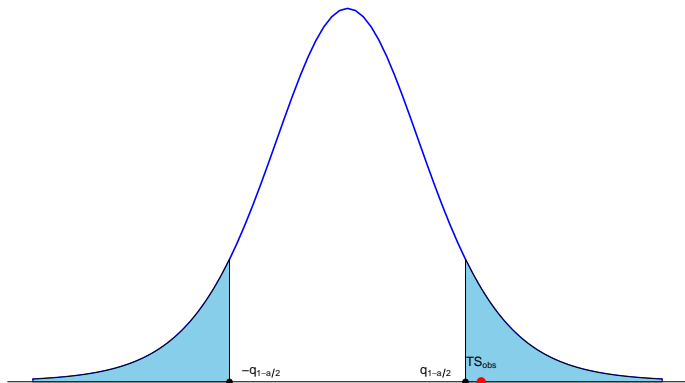
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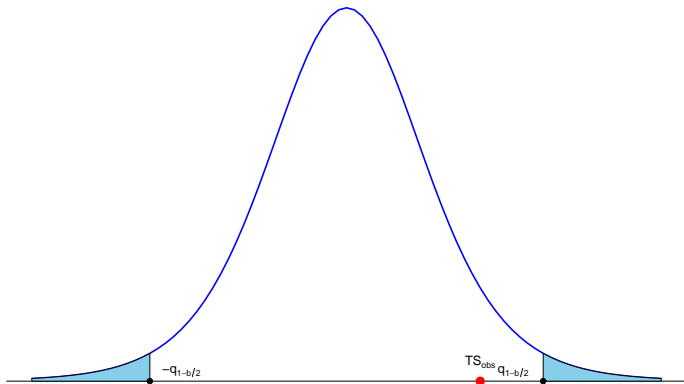
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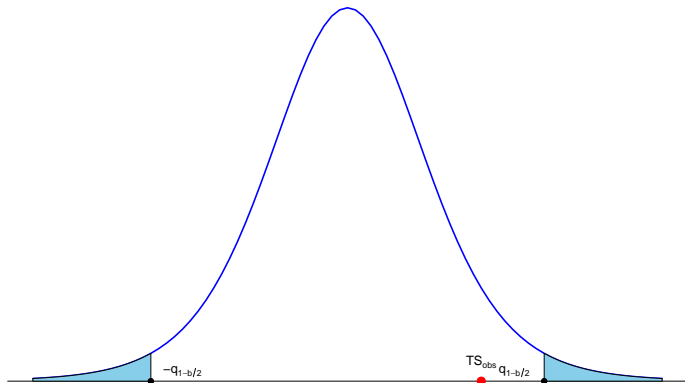
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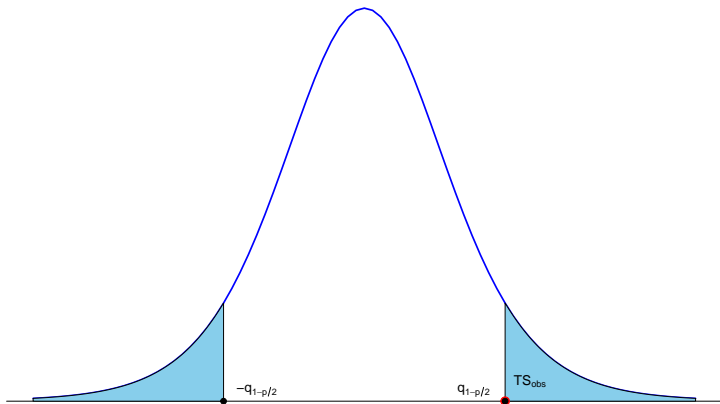
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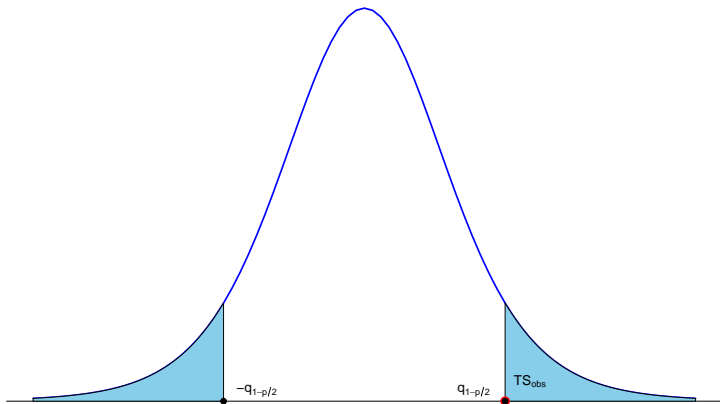
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plot.new()
plot.window(xlim = c(-4, 4), ylim = c(-0.05,0.4))
plot(x,y, type="l",col="blue",lwd=2,xaxt="n",yaxt="n",
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abline(h=0)
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```
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xi2
```

```
## [1] 24.41564
```

```
q <- qchisq(1-0.05, df = length(obsd)-1)
q
```

```
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```

```
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```

```
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```

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```
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```

```
##
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##
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```

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```

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