

Quiz 2

Quiz, 8 questions

3/8 points (37%)



Required to pass: 80% or higher

You can retake this quiz up to 3 times every 8 hours.

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1.

What is the variance of the distribution of the average an IID draw of n observations from a population with mean μ and variance σ^2 .



σ/n



$\frac{\sigma^2}{n}$



σ^2



This should not be selected



$2\sigma/\sqrt{n}$



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2.

Suppose that diastolic blood pressures (DBPs) for men aged 35-44 are normally distributed with a mean of 80 (mm Hg) and a standard deviation of 10. About what is the probability that a random 35-44 year old has a DBP less than 70?



16%



32%



This should not be selected

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☐ 8%



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3.

Brain volume for adult women is normally distributed with a mean of about 1,100 cc for women with a standard deviation of 75 cc. What brain volume represents the 95th percentile?

☒ approximately 1247

This should not be selected

☐ approximately 977

☐ approximately 1223

☐ approximately 1175



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4.

Refer to the previous question. Brain volume for adult women is about 1,100 cc for women with a standard deviation of 75 cc. Consider the sample mean of 100 random adult women from this population. What is the 95th percentile of the distribution of that sample mean?

☐ approximately 1110 cc

☐ approximately 1112 cc

☒ approximately 1115 cc

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☐ approximately 1088 cc

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5. ←

You flip a fair coin 5 times, about what's the probability of getting 4 or 5 heads?

☐ 12%

☐ 3%

☐ 6%

☒ 19%

Correct

$$\binom{5}{4}2^{-5} + \binom{5}{5}2^{-5} \approx 19\%$$

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1 pbinom(3, size = 5, prob = 0.5, lower.tail = FALSE)
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1 ## [1] 0.1875
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6.

The respiratory disturbance index (RDI), a measure of sleep disturbance, for a specific population has a mean of 15 (sleep events per hour) and a standard deviation of 10. They are not normally distributed. Give your best estimate of the probability that a sample mean RDI of 100 people is between 14 and 16 events per hour?

☐ 68%

☐ 47.5%



95%



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34%



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7.

Consider a standard uniform density. The mean for this density is .5 and the variance is $1/12$. You sample 1,000 observations from this distribution and take the sample mean, what value would you expect it to be near?

☒ 0.5

Correct

Via the LLN it should be near .5.

☐ 0.10

☐ 0.25

☐ 0.75



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8.

The number of people showing up at a bus stop is assumed to be

Poisson with a mean of 5 people per hour. You watch the bus

stop for 3 hours. About what's the probability of viewing 10 or fewer people?

☒ 0.12

Correct

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1 ppois(10, lambda = 15)
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1 ## [1] 0.185
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☐ 0.06

☐ 0.08

☐ 0.03

