## Sampling Distribution for Test Statistics

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## Neyman-Pearson Hypothesis Testing

- Neyman-Pearson Hypothesis Testing is specified by
- 1. Statement of Null  $(H_0)$  and Alternative  $(H_a)$  Hypotheses
- 2. Test Statistic
- 3. Critical Region

To determine the appropriate critical region, we need to derive the sampling distribution of the test statistic assuming the null hypothesis is true ("under the null")











































