

14th December, 2022

DSML: CC Maths

Probability 10 - Confidence Intervals.

- Recap:
- (a) Probability theory.
 - (b) Bayes' theorem.
 - (c) Combinatorics.
 - (d) Descriptive statistics.
 - (e) Binomial Distribution.
 - (f) Gaussian Distribution.
 - (g) Poisson Distribution.
 - (h) Geometric Distribution.
 - (i) Exponential Distribution.

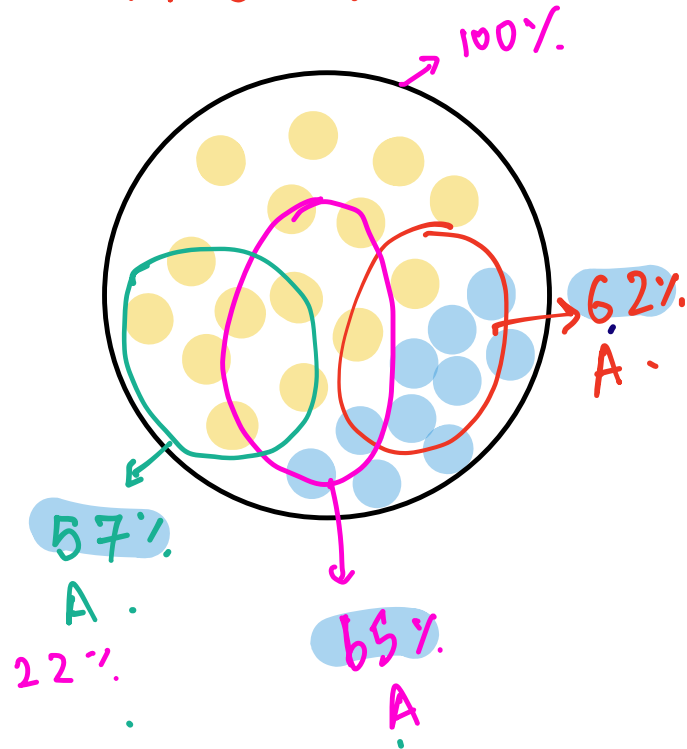
Class starts

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9:05 p.m.

- Today:
- (a) Confidence Intervals.
 - (b) log-normal Distribution.

Opinion poll



Ground truth: We don't know these.

Candidate A : 60% support.

Candidate B : 40% support.

How to determine the true support for the candidates?

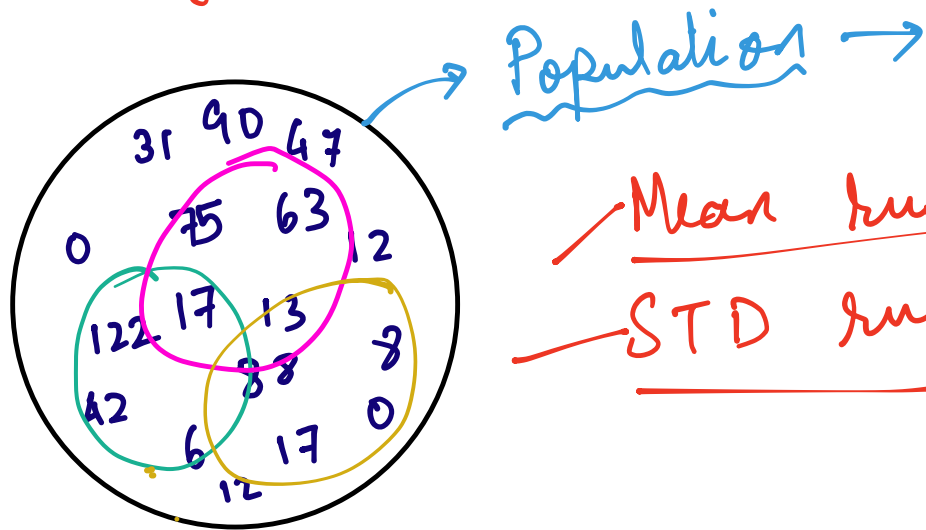
* Not practical to ask everyone.

→ Sampling.

* How to make sure that the sample actually reflects the truth? → Choose a large sample!

→ More samples → More accuracy
→ More cost! Tradeoff.

Sekwag's Runs



Mean runs : 33.77

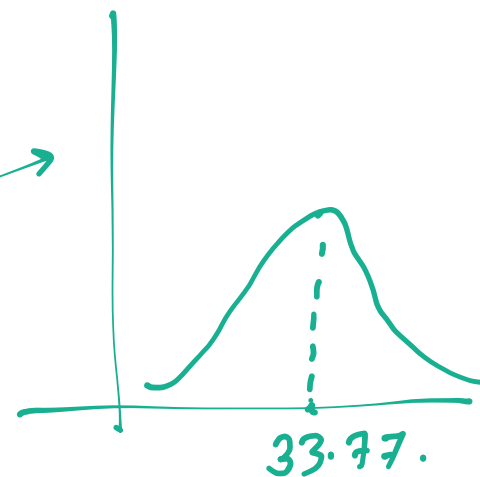
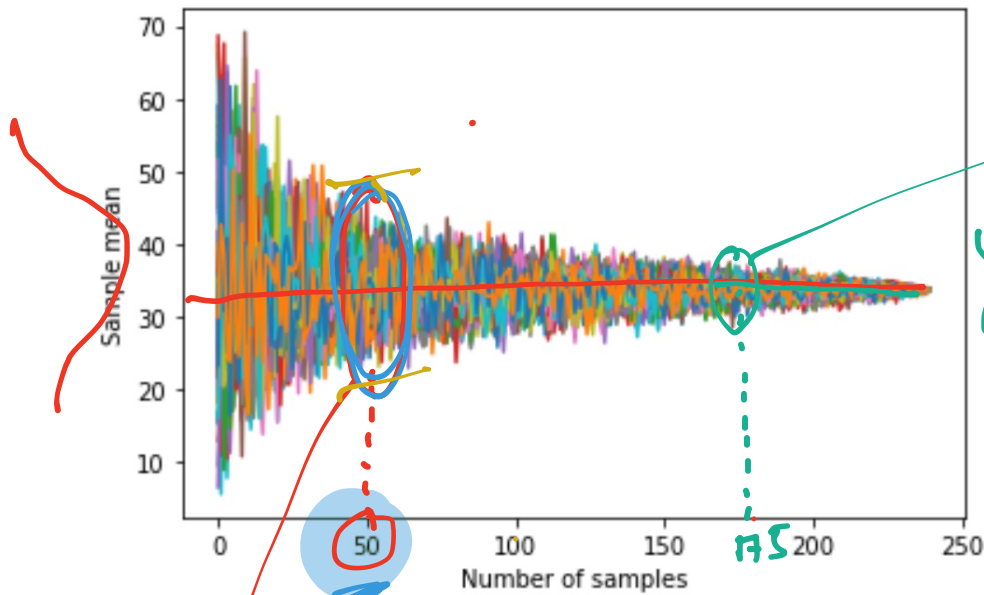
STD runs : 34.81

$N_1 = 14.6$
 $N_2 = 84.6$
 $N_3 = 45.4$

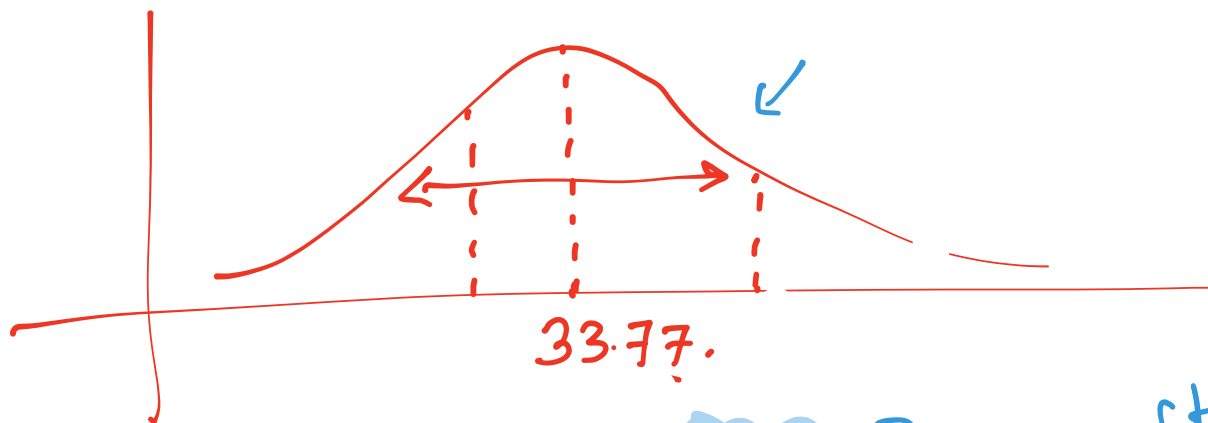
Sample means.

$\sigma_1 = 12.84$
 $\sigma_2 = 53.36$
 $\sigma_3 = 34.26$

Sample std.

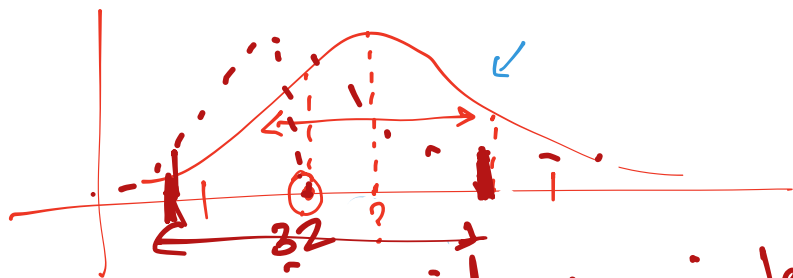


Std. dev: $\frac{34.81}{\sqrt{175}}$



Std. dev: $\frac{34.81}{\sqrt{50}}$ } → standard error.

Standard error: If we know the population standard deviation $\rightarrow \sigma$; then the standard error is defined as $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$, where n is the sample size.

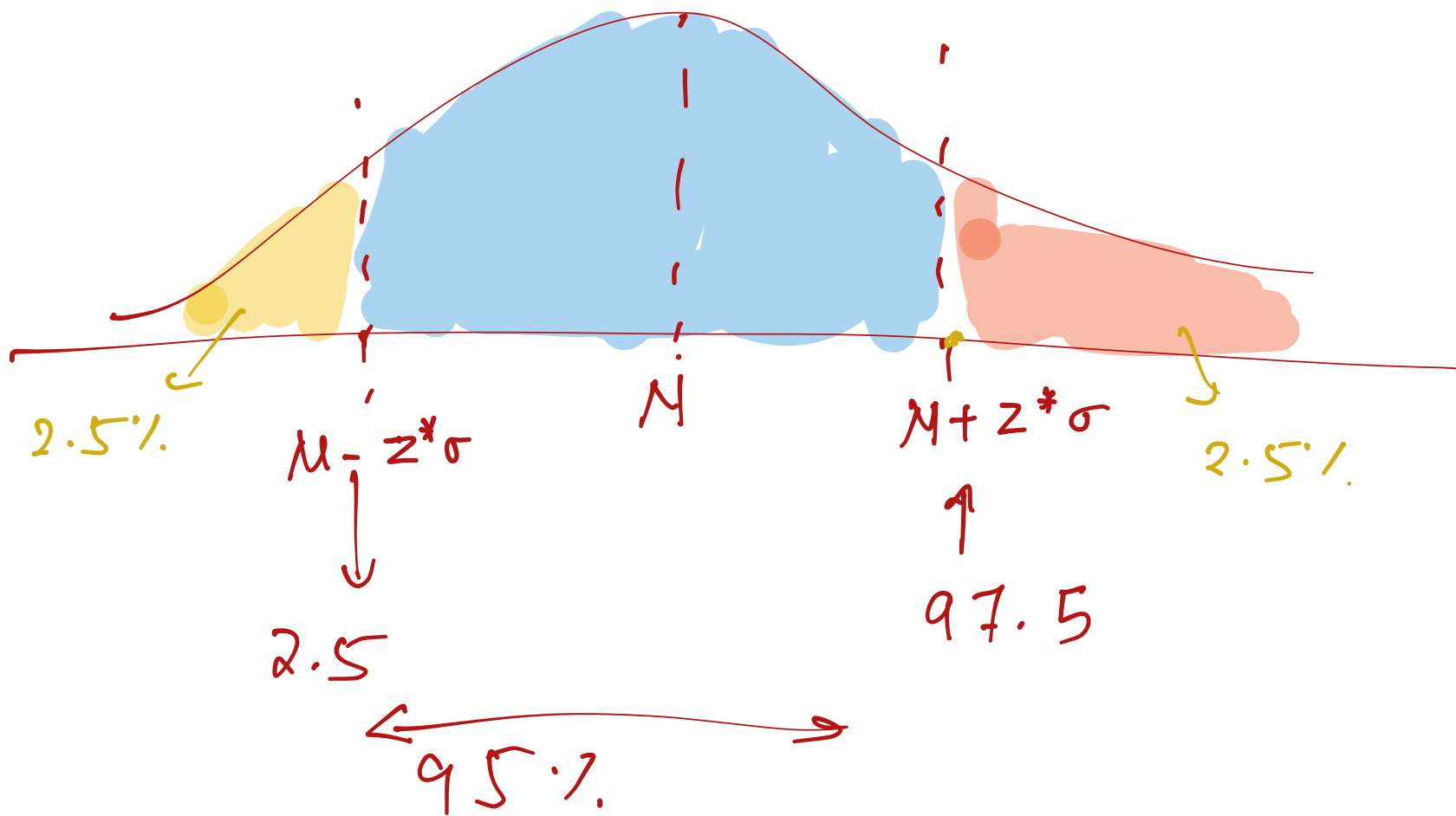


My confidence interval is defined as:

$$\left[32 - z^* \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}, 32 + z^* \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \right] \quad \text{How to choose } z?$$

- * I want μ of population.
- * I collected a sample of size n , and got \bar{x} for that sample.

Z - z-score.



$$Z = -1.96$$

$$Z = \underline{1.96}$$

Confidence Intervals



SDE-2 Salary

You want to know what is the average salary of all SDE-2

Survey 1 Results of a small survey is here



Survey 2 Results of another small survey has also come



Both surveys have the same mean/average

In which are you more confident? Survey 1

Let us quantify this confidence

Bootstrapping → Confidence Interval.

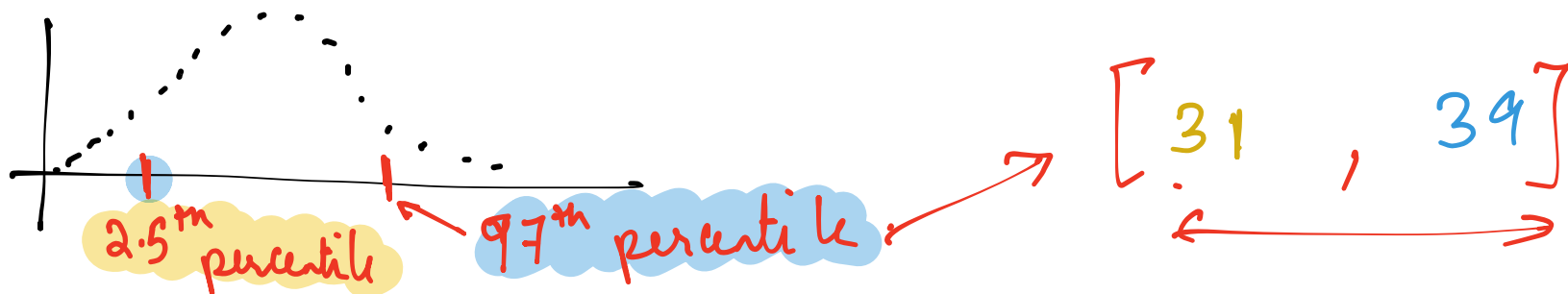
Survey 1

→ $[3.5, 3.6, 3.3, 3.7, 3.4, 3.5] = 6$

Bootstrapped : $[3.3, 3.5, 3.7, 3.3, 3.3, 3.4]$.

\bar{x}_1
 \bar{x}_2
 \bar{x}_3

10,000 times.



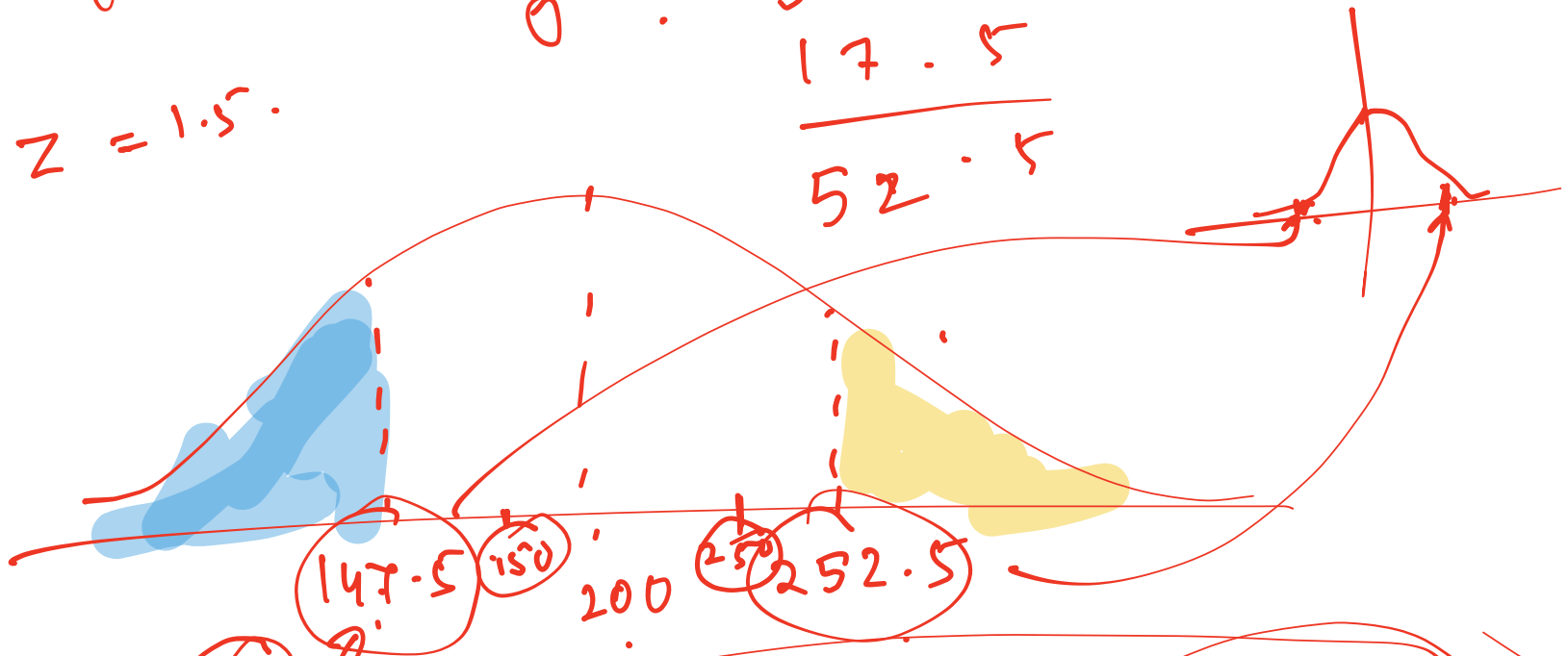
Gaussian: $\mu: 200$

$\sigma: 35$
 17.5

 52.5

normc

$$Z = 1.5$$



$$1 - \text{norm.cdf}(252.5) + \text{norm.cdf}(147.5)$$

$$1 - \text{norm}$$

$$Z = \frac{252.5 - 200}{35} = 1.5$$

$$|X - \mu| > 1.5 \sigma.$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{|X - \mu|}{\sigma} > 1.5$$

$$\underbrace{\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} < -1.5}, \quad \underbrace{\frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} > 1.5}.$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \rightarrow X_1 & , & \rightarrow X_2 . \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 E[X_1] = \mu_1 & & E[X_2] = \mu_2
 \end{array}
 \quad
 E[X] = \sum x \cdot P(X_1 = x)$$

$\sigma_1 \qquad \qquad \sigma_2 \qquad \qquad \mu_1 + \mu_2 .$

$$(X_1 + X_2) = Y$$

$$E[X_1 + X_2] = E[Y].$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \downarrow \\
 \sum \left(x_1 \cdot P[X_1 = x_1] + x_2 \cdot P[X_2 = x_2] \right) \\
 \underbrace{\hspace{1cm}} \\
 E[X_1] + E[X_2].
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X_1 & , & X_2 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \sigma_1 & & \sigma_2 . \end{array}$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = \text{Var}(X_1)$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = E[X_1^2] - (E[X_1])^2$$

$$\sigma_2^2 = E[X_2^2] - (E[X_2])^2$$

$$\sigma(X_1 + X_2)?$$

$$\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2) = \underbrace{E[(X_1 + X_2)^2]}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ E[X_1^2] + E[X_2^2] + 2E[X_1 X_2]}} - \underbrace{(E[X_1 + X_2])^2}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ (\mu_1 + \mu_2)^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & E[X_1^2 + X_2^2 + 2X_1X_2] \\ & E[X_1^2] + E[X_2^2] + 2E[X_1X_2] \Rightarrow (\mu_1^2 + \mu_2^2 + 2\mu_1\mu_2) \end{aligned}$$

If X_1 and X_2 are independent, then

$$E[X_1 \cdot X_2] = E[X_1] \cdot E[X_2]$$

$$E[X_1^2] + E[X_2^2] + 2 \cdot E[X_1 \cdot X_2] = (\mu_1^2 + \mu_2^2 + 2\mu_1\mu_2)$$

↳ applying independence

$$2 \cdot E[X_1] \cdot E[X_2]$$

$$2 \cdot \mu_1 \cdot \mu_2$$

$$\underbrace{(E[X_1^2] - \mu_1^2)}_{\sigma_1^2} + \underbrace{(E[X_2^2] - \mu_2^2)}_{\sigma_2^2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2) = \underline{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2} \rightarrow$$

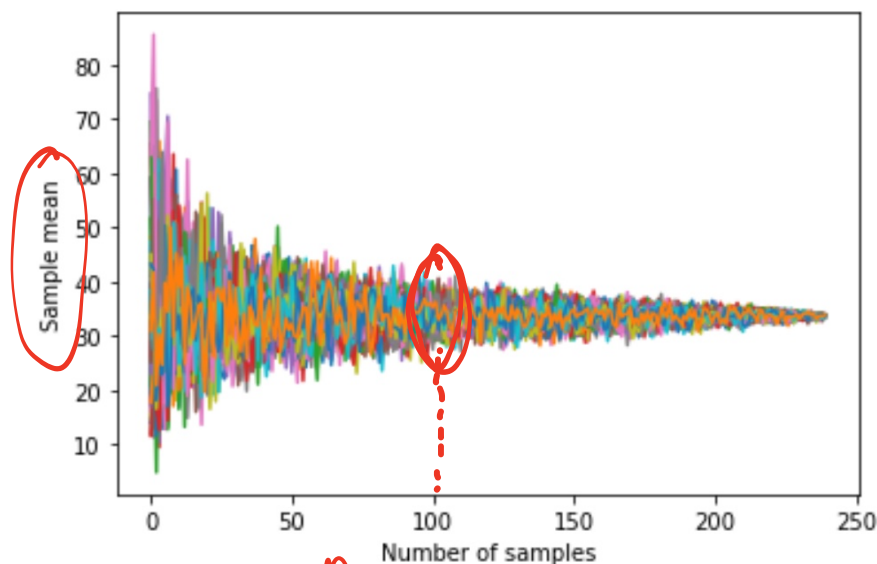
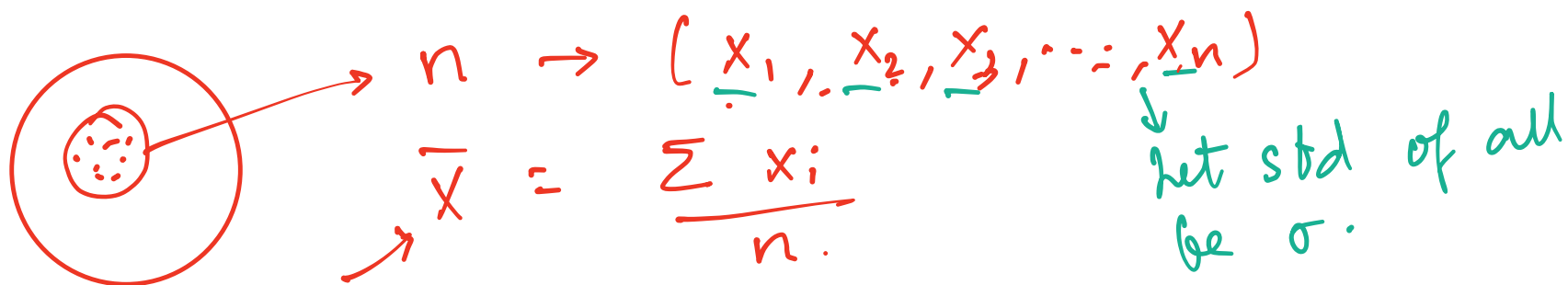
$$\text{Var}(X_1) = \sigma_1^2$$

$$\text{Then, } \text{Var}(c \cdot X_1) = \underbrace{c^2 \cdot \sigma_1^2}$$

$$\underline{\text{Var}(X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n)}$$

$$= \text{Var}(X_1) + \text{Var}(X_2) + \text{Var}(X_3) + \dots$$

$$= \sigma + \sigma + \sigma + \sigma + \dots \text{ n times}$$



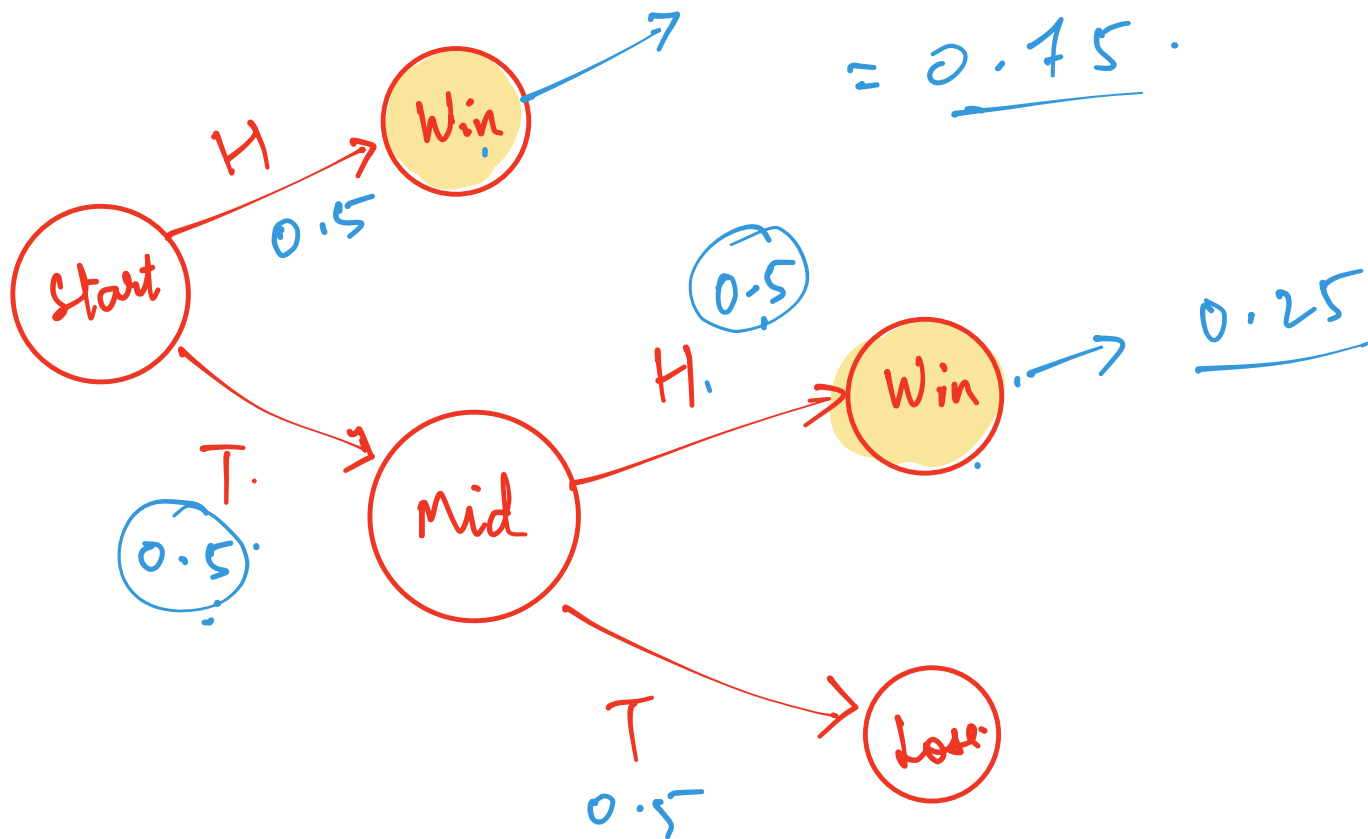
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(\bar{x}) &= \text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{n} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \cdot \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{n^2} \times n \sigma^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}
 \end{aligned}$$

Std: $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

H \rightarrow 1\$ \rightarrow

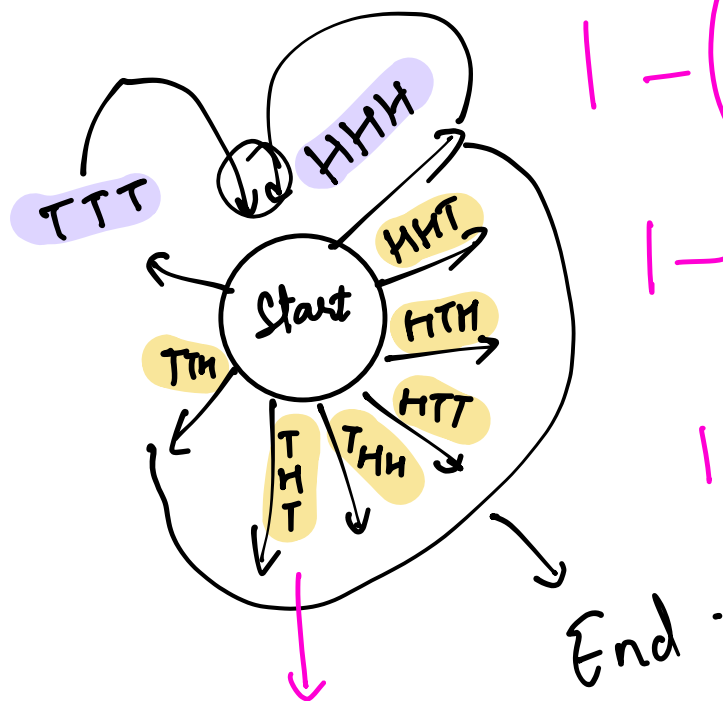
T \rightarrow 2\$ \rightarrow H.

$$0.5 + \underline{0.25} \\ = \underline{0.75}.$$



$$\underline{P(H)} = \underline{1/4}.$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$$



$$1 - (P[TTT] + P[HHH])$$

$$1 - \left(\frac{3^3}{4^3} + \frac{1^3}{4^3} \right)$$

$$1 - \left(\frac{28}{64} \right)$$

$$\downarrow 0.5625.$$

$$P(T) = \frac{3}{4}.$$