## Math 567: Homework 2 January 25, 2016

- 1. The degree to which a statistical model represents the data collected is known as the:
  - A. Fit
- 2. Children can learn a second language faster before the age of 7. Is this statement:
  - D. A one-tailed hypothesis.
- 3. If a psychological test is valid, what does this mean?
  - B. The test measures what it claims to measure
- 4. If my null hypothesis is Dutch people do not dier from English people in height, what is my alternative hypothesis?
  - C. Dutch people differ in height from English people
- 5. When questionnaire scores predict, or correspond with, external measures of the same construct that the questionnaire measures it is said to have:
  - C. Content validity
- 6. A variable manipulated by a researcher is known as:
  - C. A discrete variable.
- 7. What kind of variable is IQ, measured by a standard IQ test?
  - A. Categorical.
- 8. A frequency distribution in which high scores are most frequent (i.e. bars on the graph are highest on the right-hand side) is said to be:
  - D. Negatively skewed.
- 9. A frequency distribution in which there are too few scores at the extremes of the distribution is said to be:

- B. Leptokurtic
- 10. Which of the following is designed to compensate for practice effects?
  - B. Randomization of participants