

Lecture 7

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CLT: x_1, \dots, x_n , i.i.d. (R.S)

$$Z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

\bar{x}	s	\hat{p}	\dots	$\hat{\theta}$	Statistic	
\Downarrow	\Downarrow	\Downarrow		\Downarrow	\Downarrow	point estimation
μ	σ	p		θ	parameter	

Interval Estimation:

$$\bar{x} = 120$$

I am 95% confident that the gas price would be within 110 and 130. mid point $\bar{x} = 120$
 (110, 130) 95% Confidence Interval

A $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval for the population mean μ is a random interval (L, U) with the property that:

$$P(L \leq \mu \leq U) = 1 - \alpha \approx 95\%$$

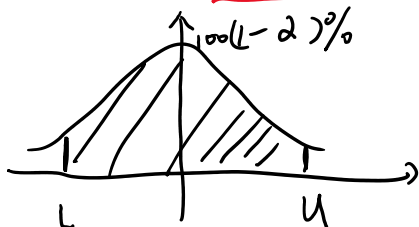
$$\alpha = 5\%$$

$$\alpha = 10\%$$

$$1 - \alpha = 90\%$$

$\begin{cases} 1 - \alpha = \text{confidence coefficient.} \\ \alpha = \text{significance level.} \end{cases}$

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$$Pr(L \leq \bar{x} \leq U) = 1 - \alpha$$

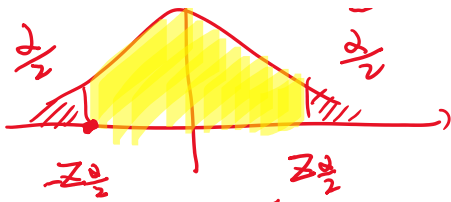
$$\Leftrightarrow Pr\left(\frac{L - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{U - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\Leftrightarrow Pr\left(\frac{L - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} \leq Z \leq \frac{U - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$



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critical value. (for z only).

$$\Leftrightarrow P(-z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \leq Z \leq z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}) = 1 - \alpha$$

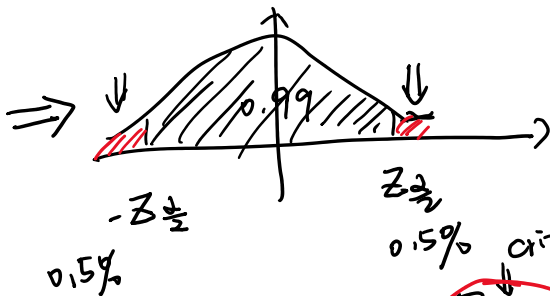
100(1- α)% CI: $(\underbrace{\mu}_{\bar{x}} - z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}, \underbrace{\mu}_{\bar{x}} + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}})$
for μ

$$(\bar{x} - z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}, \bar{x} + z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}})$$

σ known

Example:

A sample of 106 healthy adults gave a mean body temperature of $\bar{x} = 98.2$ F. Suppose that σ is known to be 0.62 F. Estimate the mean body temperature of them using a 99% C.I..

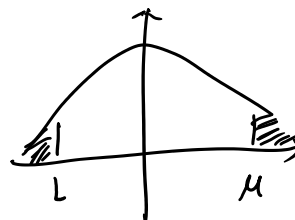


$$\begin{cases} \alpha = 0.01 \\ -z_{\frac{0.01}{2}} = -z_{0.005} \\ z_{\frac{0.01}{2}} = z_{0.005} \end{cases}$$

0.5% critical value
 $z_{0.005} = ? \quad 2.575$

$$P(Z \leq -z_{0.005}) = 0.005$$

Two sides CI	Z - C.I. Critical Value	α
90%	$z_{0.05} = 1.645$	10%
95%	$z_{0.025} = 1.96$	5%
99%	$z_{0.005} = 2.575$	1%



$$\mu \in (98.2 - 2.575 \cdot \frac{0.6}{\sqrt{106}}, 98.2 + 2.575 \cdot \frac{0.6}{\sqrt{106}}) = 99\% \text{ CI}$$

$$\mu \in (98.2 - 2.575 \cdot \frac{0.00}{\sqrt{106}}, 98.2 + 2.575 \cdot \frac{0.00}{\sqrt{106}}) = (98.2, 98.2) \\ = (98.04, 98.36)$$

Determine the sample size:

μ is around 170

$$\bar{x} \pm z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} \quad \text{Marginal Error} \quad ME = z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$$

8.4 Large Sample C.I. for proportion.

$$0 < p < 1$$

Recall X is the number of "success" in independent Bernoulli trials with size n .

p is the probability of success.

Then a $100(1-\alpha)\%$ CI for p

$$\text{is } \hat{p} = \frac{X}{n}$$

$$\hat{p} \pm z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$

ME

Example: A random sample of 80 Canadians. 25 are left-handed. Find a 95% CI for the proportion of Canadians that are left-handed.

$$n = 80, \quad X = 25, \quad \hat{p} = \frac{25}{80}$$

$$95\% \quad z_{\frac{0.05}{2}} = 1.96$$

$$\hat{p} \pm z_{\frac{0.05}{2}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}} \\ = \frac{25}{80} \pm 1.96 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\frac{25}{80}(1-\frac{25}{80})}{80}}$$

$$= (0.2109, 0.4107)$$

Example: How many people would have to be sampled to estimate this proportion accurate within 3% with a 99% CI.

$$\pm 0.03$$

$$ME = 0.03 = \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{2.575^2 \cdot \hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{0.03^2}$$

$$Z_{\frac{0.01}{2}} = 2.575$$

$$\hat{p} = \frac{25}{80}$$

$$ME = Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$

$$n = \frac{Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 \hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{ME^2}$$

Case ①

What if \hat{p} is unknown.

$$\hat{p}(1-\hat{p}) \leq \left[\frac{\hat{p} + (1-\hat{p})}{2} \right]^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$ab \leq \left(\frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 \Leftrightarrow 4ab \leq a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \geq 0$$

$$n \leq \frac{1}{4} \frac{Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2}{ME^2}$$

Blackboard notes:

Example: How many students should be sampled if we want to estimate the class average μ accurate to within 3 marks with a 98% CI. Assume $\sigma = 16.17$

$$\therefore n = \frac{Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}}^2 \sigma^2}{ME^2} = 157.72 \approx 158$$

Example: A researcher collects a sample of size 57 and produces the following C.I. for $\mu = (68.5858, 74.2505)$. The population standard deviation is known to be 10.4122. What's the level of confidence?

$$ME = Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{74.2505 - 68.5858}{2}$$

$$\therefore Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} = 2.05$$

$$\therefore \Phi(2.05) = 1 - \frac{\alpha}{2} \Rightarrow \alpha = 0.0404$$

$$\Rightarrow 100(1 - \alpha) = 95.96\%$$

Large Sample CI for μ :

when σ is unknown but n is Large.

$$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}} \text{ is approximately } N(0, 1)$$

\therefore The CI becomes

$$\bar{X} \pm Z_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

8.2 C.I. for the mean of a normal distribution.

σ unknown and small sample size.

Result: Let X_1, \dots, X_n be a r.s. from a normal distribution with unknown μ and σ^2 .

Then

$\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}$ has a t distribution with $n-1$ degree of freedom.

100(1- α)% CI for μ is:

$$\bar{x} \pm t_{n-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Example:

10 students with mean score $\bar{x} = 78$
and $s = 12.63$. Find a 99% CI for the
class average.

$$78 \pm t_{9, 0.05} \frac{12.63}{\sqrt{10}}$$

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3.250

Test 2