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1. Let X be a sample of size 10 of a population and Y a sample of size 100 of the same population. About the confidence interval for the mean of this samples with the same significance level, it is correct to say:

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- The confidence interval for the mean for the sample X is bigger than the confidence interfal for the mean for the sample Y.
- The confidence interval for the mean for the sample X is smaller than the confidence interfal for the mean for the sample Y.
- The confidence interval for the mean for the sample X is the same than the confidence interfal for the mean for the sample Y.
- O There isn't enough information to answer the question.
 - **⊘** Correct

Correct! By the Central Limit theorem, the mean of X approaches to a normal distribution with standard deviation $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{10}}$ whereas the mean of Y approaches to a normal distribution with standard deviation of $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{100}}$.

2. Suppose you have a sample of 100 heights of individuals from a specific population. For this question, let's assume the standard deviation of the **population** is 1 cm. You have found that the **sample mean** of these 100 individuals is 175cm. Suppose you want to build a confidence interval with 99% of confidence level.

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What expression describes the margin of error for this specific task?

 $\bigcirc \ z_{0.01} \cdot \frac{1}{10}$

- $\bigcirc z_{0.005} \cdot \frac{1}{100}$
- $\bigcirc z_{0.1} \cdot \frac{1}{100}$
 - ✓ Correct

Correct! As you've seen in the lectures, the formula for the margin of error is $z_{\alpha/2} \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$.

3. To calculate one confidence interval for the mean of a population with unknown distribution, what assumptions we must assure (check all that apply)?

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- The sample is a random sample.
 - ✓ Correct

Correct! Under the hood, it is used the Central Limit Theorem to compute the confidence interval, and the CLT only holds for random samples!

- We can only have a confidence interval if the population is known as having a Normal distribution.
 - This should not be selected
 Incorrect. Even though the theory would work for a normal distributed sample and population, this is not necessary.
- If the distribution is not Normal, the sample size must be big enough (usually over 30).
 - **⊘** Correct

Correct! The CLT says that the average sample mean **converges to** a normal distribution. It means that the bigger the sample, the closer it is to a normal, so we must assure that there are enough points for this approprimation be good enough.

The sample must have mean 0 and standard deviation 1.

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- **4.** You have a sample of size 20 from a population with unknown mean and standard deviation. You measured that the **sample mean** $\overline{X}=50$ and the **sample standard deviation** is s=10. A confidence interval of 95% of confidence level is given by:

Hint: $t_{0.025} = 2.093$

- \bigcirc (48.95, 51.05)
- \bigcirc (45.32, 54.68)
- \bigcirc (45.2, 54.8)
- \bigcirc (48.9, 51.1)
 - **⊘** Correct

Correct. Applying the formula $\Big(\overline{X}-t_{\alpha/2}\cdot\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}},\overline{X}+t_{\alpha/2}\cdot\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}\Big)$, you get the result.