

1. A sample
  - A. Is a part of the population.
  - B. Has more than 30 observations.
  - C. Is usually identified as N.
  - D. All of the above.
  
2. Which of the following is not a reason for sampling?
  - A. The destructive nature of certain tests.
  - B. The physical impossibility of checking all the items in the population.
  - C. The adequacy of sample results.
  - D. All of the above are reasons for sampling.
  
3. Which of the following is not a method of probability sampling?
  - A. Random sampling
  - B. Systematic sampling
  - C. Stratified sampling
  - D. All of the above are methods of probability sampling.
  
4. In a simple random sample
  - A. Every kth item is selected to be in the sample.
  - B. Every item has a chance to be in the sample.
  - C. Every item has the same chance to be in the sample.
  - D. All of the above.
  
5. Suppose a population consisted of 20 items. How many different sample of  $n = 3$  are possible?
  - A. 6840
  - B. 1140
  - C. 20
  - D. 120

6. The difference between the sample mean and the population mean is called the
  - A. Population mean.
  - B. Population standard deviation.
  - C. Standard error of the mean.
  - D. Sampling error.
  
7. The mean of the all the sample means and the population mean will
  - A. Always be equal.
  - B. Always be normally distributed.
  - C. Characterized by the standard error of the mean.
  - D. None of the above.
  
8. To determine the 88 percent level of confidence, the value of  $z$  is
  - A. 1.96
  - B. 1.65
  - C. 1.28
  - D. 1.55
  - E. None of these.
  
9. Suppose we sample from a population of 10,000 items. The sample size should
  - A. Always be at least 10 percent of the population.
  - B. Always be at least 30
  - C. Always be less than 30.
  - D. None of the above.
  
10. The standard error of the mean is
  - A. The standard deviation of the sampling distribution of sample means.
  - B. Always normally distributed.
  - C. Sometimes less than 0.
  - D. None of the above.