

Statistics Study Sheet

:: Key Terms ::

- statistic – numerical descriptive of sample
- parameter – numerical descriptive of population
- expected value – what we expect the mean to be
- confidence interval – the # in $\mu \pm \#$ that a certain percentage of data is certain to fall within this range
- margin of error – general formula $(\text{invNorm} * (0.5 + \{\text{CONFIDENCE INTERVAL} / 2\}) \times (\mu / \sqrt{n})$

:: Symbols ::

- n – number of trials
- p – probability of success
- q – probability of failure (used in binomial probabilities)
- r – # of successes (used in binomial probabilities)
- \bar{x} – mean (statistic)
- μ – mean (parameter)
- s^2 – variance (statistic)
- σ^2 – variance (parameter)
- s – standard deviation (statistic)
- σ – standard deviation (parameter)
- \hat{p} – proportion (statistic)
- p – proportion (parameter)

:: Methods ::

- A. one list of data – use List → 1-var stats. You can get the mean, median, mode, quarters, and std-dev
- B. two lists of related data (x,y) – use 1-var stats, but pass L_1 , L_2 as the argument
- C. Binomial Distribution – use $\text{binomcdf}(n,p,r)$
 $\sqrt{npq} = \sigma$ and $\mu = np$
- D. Normal distribution $\mu=0$, and $\sigma=1$
 use z-values to manipulate data
 $\text{invNorm}(\text{z-score}, \mu, \sigma) = \text{x-value}$
- E. Distribution of means. If not normal or unknown, $n > 30$ must be true
 new $\sigma = (\text{regular } \sigma) / (\sqrt{n})$
- F. Matrix (a chart) use X^2 test (chi-squared test)
- G. Two lists – use ANOVA test

:: Problem Solving Checklist ::

1. Which formula should you use? (Consult study sheets)
2. are you finding t-value or z-score?
3. Is the test one tailed or two tailed?

:: Syntax Help ::

normalpdf(#)-gives the probability of that EXACT number occurring

normalcdf(lower limit, upper limit, mean, std-dev)

invNorm(area on the left, mean, sigma)

binompdf(n,p,r) – probability of r occurring

binomcdf(n,p,r) – sum of probabilities from 0 to r

tcdf(lower, upper, degrees of freedom)

invT(area, degrees of freedom)

*NOTE – Don't blindly trust the calculator, always check to make sure the answer makes sense!

:: Extra ::

Chebyshev formula gives us % of data within k std-devs IFF $k > 1$

% data = $1 - (1/k^2)$

Note – a number greater than 2.5std-devs away from the mean is a rare event, an outlier

Normal distribution

68% within 1σ

95% within 2σ

99.7 within 3σ

Confidence Interval Formulas

All confidence intervals are of the form

Point Estimate $\pm E$ where E = Maximal Margin of Error

Parameter	Point Estimate	E	Assumptions
μ	\bar{x}	$z_c \sigma_{\bar{x}}$	σ known \bar{x} 's normal
μ	\bar{x}	$t_c \cdot \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$ $df = n - 1$	σ unknown \bar{x} 's normal
p	$\hat{p} = \frac{r}{n}$	$z_c \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}\hat{q}}{n}}$	$n\hat{p} > 5$ $n\hat{q} > 5$
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$z_c \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}}$	σ_1, σ_2 known $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$t_c \sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}$ $df = \text{MIN}(n_1 - 1, n_2 - 1)$	σ_1, σ_2 unknown and assumed unequal $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$t_c s \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}$ $s = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}$ $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$	σ_1, σ_2 unknown and assumed equal $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
μ_d	\bar{d}	$t_c \cdot \frac{s_d}{\sqrt{n}}$ $df = n - 1$	d 's normal DRS
$p_1 - p_2$	$\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2$	$z_c \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}_1\hat{q}_1}{n_1} + \frac{\hat{p}_2\hat{q}_2}{n_2}}$	$n_1\hat{p}_1 > 5$ $n_1\hat{q}_1 > 5$ $n_2\hat{p}_2 > 5$ $n_2\hat{q}_2 > 5$

Hypothesis Tests

All test statistics are of the form

$$\frac{\text{Point Estimate} - \text{Parameter}}{\text{Standard Error}}$$

Parameter	Point Estimate	Test Statistic	Assumptions
μ	\bar{x}	$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma_{\bar{x}}}$	σ known \bar{x} 's normal
μ	\bar{x}	$t = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{s / \sqrt{n}}$ $df = n - 1$	σ unknown \bar{x} 's normal
p	$\hat{p} = \frac{r}{n}$	$z = \frac{\hat{p} - p}{\sqrt{\frac{pq}{n}}}$	$np > 5$ $nq > 5$
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$z = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\sigma_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{\sigma_2^2}{n_2}}}$	σ_1, σ_2 known $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$t = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}}$ $df = \text{MIN}(n_1 - 1, n_2 - 1)$	σ_1, σ_2 unknown and assumed unequal $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
$\mu_1 - \mu_2$	$\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	$t = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{s \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2}}}$ $s = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}{n_1 + n_2 - 2}}$ $df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$	σ_1, σ_2 unknown and assumed equal $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$'s normal IRS
μ_d	\bar{d}	$t = \frac{\bar{d} - \mu_d}{s_d / \sqrt{n}}$ $df = n - 1$	d 's normal DRS
$p_1 - p_2$	$\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2$	$z = \frac{(\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2) - (p_1 - p_2)}{\sqrt{\frac{\bar{p}\bar{q}}{n_1} + \frac{\bar{p}\bar{q}}{n_2}}}$ $\bar{p} = \frac{r_1 + r_2}{n_1 + n_2}$	$n_1 \bar{p} > 5$ $n_1 \bar{q} > 5$ $n_2 \bar{p} > 5$ $n_2 \bar{q} > 5$