

standard deviation in a sample: S

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

variance in a sample: S^2

$$S^2 = \left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

> 0

variance in a population: σ^2

$$\sigma^2 = \left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \mu)^2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \mu)^2$$