

# Week 13 Bibliography Exercise

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## 1 Introduction

Learning inferential statistics is fun (Fisher, 1937). While we do not do a lot of experiments in sociology, many of our techniques were pioneered in experimental settings. Fisher's (1937) work on experiments is particularly notable. His seminal work includes discussions of the null hypothesis (Fisher, 1937, pp. 15–17). He inspired later work by other pioneering statisticians including Jon Tukey (McGill, Tukey, and Larsen, 1978; Tukey, 1962).

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