

# POWER EXAMPLES

- 1) Single sample *t*-test (assume variance is known) – you can do this in the applet, or Stata, or both

| <b>H<sub>0</sub>:</b> | <b>H<sub>1</sub>:</b> | <b>σ</b> | <b>α</b> | <b>n</b> | <b>1-sided<br/>or 2</b> | <b>Power</b> | <b>Pr(Type II<br/>error)</b> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     | 25       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     | 35       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     | 50       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     | 50       | 2-sided                 |              |                              |
|                       |                       |          |          |          |                         |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=110                 | 15       | 0.05     | 25       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=110                 | 15       | 0.05     | 35       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=110                 | 15       | 0.05     | 50       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=110                 | 15       | 0.05     | 50       | 1-sided -               |              |                              |
|                       |                       |          |          |          |                         |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     | 20       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     | 40       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     | 60       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     | 80       | 1-sided +               |              |                              |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     | 160      | 1-sided +               |              |                              |

- 2) Single sample *t*-test (assume variance is known) minimum required sample size – use Stata's power calculator

| <b>H<sub>0</sub>:</b> | <b>H<sub>1</sub>:</b> | <b>σ</b> | <b>α</b> | <b>n</b> | <b>1-sided<br/>or 2</b> | <b>Power</b> | <b>Pr(Type II<br/>error)</b> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 15       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.90         | 0.10                         |
| μ=100                 | μ=107                 | 15       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| μ=100                 | μ=103                 | 15       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 20       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| μ=100                 | μ=105                 | 20       | 0.05     |          | 1-sided +               | 0.90         | 0.10                         |

- 3) Single sample  $t$ -test (assume variance is known) minimum detectable effect size – use Stata's power calculator

| <b>H<sub>0</sub>:</b> | <b>H<sub>1</sub>:</b> | <b><math>\sigma</math></b> | <b><math>\alpha</math></b> | <b>n</b> | <b>1-sided<br/>or 2</b> | <b>Power</b> | <b>Pr(Type II<br/>error)</b> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|
| $\mu=100$             |                       | 15                         | 0.05                       | 25       | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| $\mu=100$             |                       | 15                         | 0.05                       | 35       | 1-sided +               | 0.90         | 0.10                         |
| $\mu=100$             |                       | 15                         | 0.05                       | 50       | 1-sided +               | 0.80         | 0.20                         |
| $\mu=100$             |                       | 15                         | 0.05                       | 50       | 2-sided                 | 0.80         | 0.20                         |