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1. Which of the following statements accurately describe a point estimate? Select all that apply.

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☒ A point estimate uses a single value.

 **Correct**

☐ A point estimate estimates a sample statistic.

☐ A point estimate uses a range of values.

☒ A point estimate estimates a population parameter.

 **Correct**

2. What concept describes the likelihood that a particular sampling method will produce a confidence interval that includes the population parameter?

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☐ Point estimate

☐ Sample statistic

☐ Margin of error

☒ Confidence level

 **Correct**

3. A data professional working for a media company is estimating the average amount of time a visitor spends on their website. Based on a sample mean of 4 minutes, they construct the following 95% confidence interval: [3.8, 4.2]. What does 95% refer to?

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☐ The percentage of all possible sample means that fall within the range of the interval

☐ The margin of error

☐ The percentage of data values in the dataset

☒ The success rate of the estimation process

 **Correct**

4. A data analytics team with a clothing manufacturer constructs a confidence interval to help estimate future returns. First, they identify the sample statistic. Then, they choose a confidence level of 95%. According to the four steps to constructing a confidence interval for a proportion, what should they do next?

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☐ Plot a histogram

☐ Choose a confidence level

☒ Find the margin of error

☐ Calculate the interval

 **Correct**

5. A data professional at an electricity utility works on a project involving household demand based on sample data. They want to construct a 95% confidence interval using a sample size of 5,000. However, they are unable to get enough data. So they decide to construct a 95% confidence interval using a sample size of 500. What happens as a result of this smaller sample size?

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☒ The margin of error will increase.

☐ The confidence interval will get narrower.

☐ The population parameter will get larger.

☐ The margin of error will decrease.

✓ Correct

6. A data professional is using `scipy.stats.norm.interval()` in Python to construct a confidence interval. Which of the following pieces of code can they use to choose a confidence level of 99%?

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- ☒ `alpha = 0.99`
- ☐ `std = 0.99`
- ☐ `loc = 0.99`
- ☐ `scale = 0.99`

✓ Correct

7. Fill in the blank: Because there is more uncertainty involved in estimating the standard error, data professionals use the _____ when working with a small sample size.

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- ☐ z-distribution
- ☒ t-distribution
- ☐ normal distribution
- ☐ s-distribution

✓ Correct

8. Which of the following statements accurately describe the graph of the t-distribution? Select all that apply.

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- ☐ It has smaller tails than the standard normal distribution.
- ☒ It has larger tails than the standard normal distribution.

✓ Correct

- ☐ As the sample size decreases, the t-distribution approaches the normal distribution.
- ☒ As the sample size increases, the t-distribution approaches the normal distribution.

✓ Correct