Formulas Given on the test:

Case	parameter	estimator	standard error	Estimate of standard error	Sampling Distribution
one mean	μ	$\bar{x}$	% <u>n</u>	s/√n	t (n-1)
one prop.	р	$\hat{p}$	$\sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}}$	CI: $\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$	z
				ST: $\sqrt{\frac{p_0(1-p_0)}{n}}$	

## Memorize these Formulas:

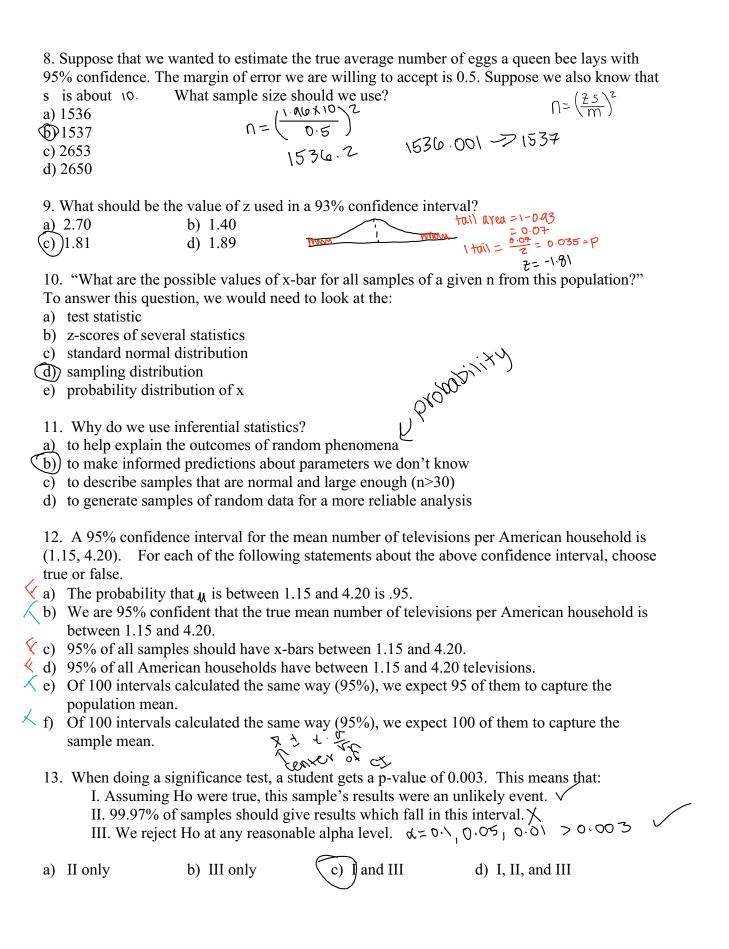
General Format for Confidence Interval: estimator +/- (t or z) est. standard error

General Format of Test Statistic:  $(t \text{ or } z) = \frac{\text{estimator} - \# \text{ from } H_o}{\text{estimate of stderr}}$ 

Determining sample size for estimating proportions and means.

Practice Problems on next page.

	1. You take a random sample from some population and form a 96% confidence interval for the population mean, M Which quantity is guaranteed to be in the interval you form?  a) 0 b) M c) 7 d) .96
	2. Suppose you conduct a significance test for the population proportion and your p-value is 0.184. Given a 0.10 level of significance, which of the following should be your conclusion?  a) accept HO b) accept HA c) Fail to reject HA d) Fail to reject HO e) Reject HO
	3. Decreasing the sample size, while holding the confidence level the same, will do what to the length of your confidence interval?  (a) make it bigger  (b) make it smaller  (c) it will stay the same  (d) cannot be determined from the given information
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	length of your confidence interval?  a) make it bigger  b) make it smaller  c) it will stay the same  d) cannot be determined from the given information
(r	6. Which of the following is a property of the Sampling Distribution of $\sqrt{?}$ ?  a) if you increase your sample size, $\sqrt{x}$ will always get closer to $\sqrt{x}$ the population mean. b) the standard deviation of the sample mean is the same as the standard deviation from the original population $\sqrt{x}$ (c) the mean of the sampling distribution of $\sqrt{x}$ is $\sqrt{x}$ the population mean. d) $\sqrt{x}$ always has a Normal distribution.
	7. Which of the following is true about p-values?  (a) a p-value must be between 0 and 1.  (b) if a p-value is greater than .01 you will never reject HO.  (c) p-values have a N(0,1) distribution  (d) None of the above are true.





- 14. Parameters and statistics...
- a) Are both used to make inferences about  $\overline{\chi}$
- Describe the population and the sample, respectively.
- c) Describe the sample and the population, respectively.
- d) Describe the same group of individuals.
- 15. A waiter believes that his tips from various customers have a slightly right skewed distribution with a mean of 10 dollars and a standard deviation of 2.50 dollars. What is the probability that the average of 35 customers will be more than 13 dollars? n = 35

a) almost 1  $Z = \frac{X - \# H_0}{\sqrt{5}/\sqrt{35}} = \frac{10 - 13}{7.5/\sqrt{35}} = \frac{7.09}{7.09}$   $Z = \frac{X - \# H_0}{\sqrt{5}/\sqrt{35}} = \frac{10 - 13}{7.5/\sqrt{35}} = \frac{10 - 13}{7.5/\sqrt{35}} = \frac{10}{7.09}$   $Z = \frac{10}{5}$   $Z = \frac{10}{5}$   $Z = \frac{10}{5}$   $Z = \frac{10}{5}$ 

Questions 16-19 A certain brand of jelly beans are made so that each package contains about the same number of beans. The filling procedure is not perfect, however. The packages are filled with an average of 375 jelly beans, but the number going into each bag is normally distributed with a standard deviation of 8. Yesterday, Jane went to the store and purchased four of these packages in preparation for a Spring party. Jane was curious, and she counted the number of jelly beans in these packages - her four bags contained an average of 382 jelly beans.

- 16. In the above scenario, which of the following is a parameter?
- a) The average number of jelly beans in Jane's packages, which is 382.
- b) The average number of jelly beans in Jane's packages, which is unknown.
- (c) The average number of jelly beans in all packages made, which is 375.
- d) The average number of jelly beans in all packages made, which is unknown.
- 17. If you went to the store and purchased six bags of this brand of jelly beans, what is the probability that the average number of jelly beans in your bags is less than 373?  $\uparrow \angle 30 \Rightarrow 0.000$ a) .2709
  b) .3085  $\frac{373 375}{5\sqrt{6}} = 0.60$
- c) .4013
- d) .7291

- e R= 0.2709
- 18. Why can we use the Z table to compute the probability in the previous question?
- a) because np>15 and n(1-p) > 15
- b) because n is large in this problem \( \times \)
- (c) because the distribution of jelly beans is Normal
- d) because the average is large
- 19. According to the central limit theorem, what is the standard deviation of the sampling distribution of the sample mean?
- a) The standard deviation of the population
- b) The standard deviation of the sample
- (c)) The standard deviation of the population divided by the square root of the sample size
- d) The standard deviation of the sample divided by the square root of the sample size

Questions 20-23 Researchers are concerned about the impact of students working while they are enrolled in classes, and they'd like to know if students work too much and therefore are spending less time on their classes than they should be. First, the researchers need to find out, on average, how many hours a week students are working. They know from previous studies that the standard deviation of this variable is about 5 hours.

20. A survey of 200 students provides a sample mean of 7.10 hours worked. What is a 95% confidence interval based on this sample?

a) (6.10, 8.10)

(b) (6.41, 7.79)

c) (6.57, 7.63)

d) (7.10, 8.48)

 $=7.1\pm0.60=(6.41,7.70)$ 

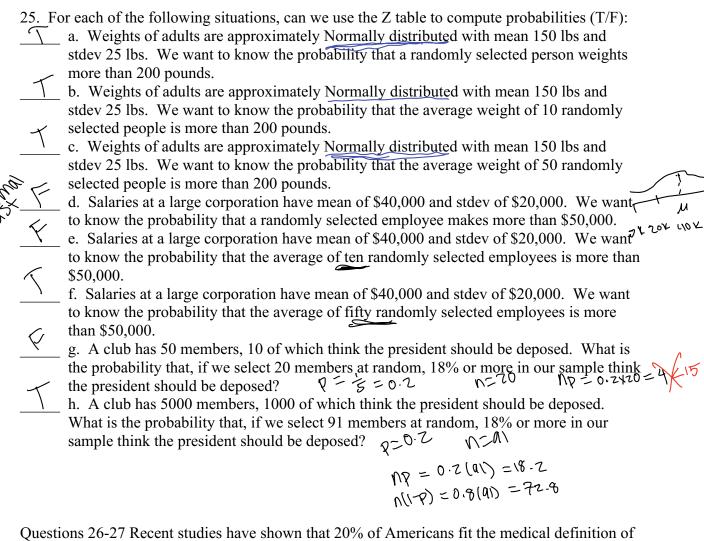
- 21. Suppose that this confidence interval was (6.82, 7.38). Which of these is a valid interpretation of this confidence interval?
- There is a 95% probability that the true average number of hours worked by all UF students is between 6.82 and 7.38 hours.
- There is a 95% probability that a randomly selected student worked between 6.82 and 7.38 hours. (00°(
- We are 95% confident that the average number of hours worked by students in our sample is between 6.82 and 7.38 hours.
- (d) We are 95% confident that the average number of hours worked by all UF students is between 6.82 and 7.38 hours.
  - 22. We have 95% confidence in our interval, instead of 100%, because we need to account for the fact that:
- a) the sample may not be truly random.
- we have a sample, and not the whole population.
  - c) the distribution of hours worked may be skewed
  - d) all of the above
  - study to find a shorter confidence interval. What should they change to ensure they

    \( \times \frac{1}{2} \)

    \( \times \ 23. The researchers are not satisfied with their confidence interval and want to do another dec. Z
  - a) They should increase their confidence level and increase their sample size.
- b) They should increase their confidence level but decrease their sample size.
- (c) They should decrease their confidence level but increase their sample size.
- d) They should decrease their confidence level and decrease their sample size.
- 24. Suppose our p-value is .044. What will our conclusion be at alpha levels of .10, .05, and .01?
- a) We will reject Ho at alpha=.10, but not at alpha=.05
- b) We will reject Ho at alpha=.10 or .05, but not at alpha=.01
  - c) We will reject Ho at alpha=.10, .05, or .01
  - d) We will not reject Ho at alpha=.10, .05, or .01

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obese. A random sample of 100 Americans is selected and the number of obese in the sample is determined.

26. What is the sampling distribution of the sample proportion?

a) 
$$\hat{\rho} \sim N(10, 0.2)$$

b)  $\hat{\rho} \sim N(2, 1.27)$ 

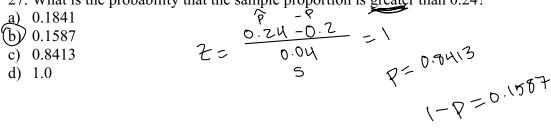
c)  $\hat{\rho} \sim N(0.2, 0.04)$ 

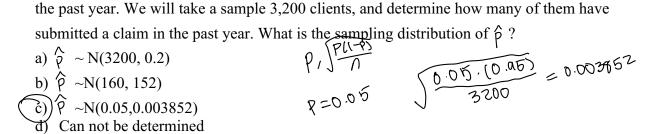
d) Can not be determined

$$(0.2, \sqrt{0.2(0.8)})$$

$$(0.2, 0.04)$$

27. What is the probability that the sample proportion is greater than 0.24?





28. An auto insurance company has 32,000 clients, and 5% of their clients submitted a claim in

Questions 29-30 Suppose 20 donors come to a blood drive. Assume that the blood donors are not related in any way, so that we can consider them independent. The probability that the donor has type-O blood is 0.06, which is constant from donor to donor. Let X = the number of donors that have type-O blood.

29. For a sample of 100 donors, what is the sampling distribution of the sample proportion?

a) 
$$\hat{\rho} \sim \text{Binomial} (100, 0.06)$$
  $P = 0.06$   
b)  $\hat{\rho} \sim \text{Normal} (0.06, 0.0237)$   $N = 0.06 = 0.06$   
c)  $\hat{\rho} \sim \text{Normal} (6, 2.37)$   $N = 0.06 = 0.06$   
d) Can not be determined

30. For a sample of 300 donors, what is the sampling distribution of the sample proportion?

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a) 
$$\hat{p} \sim \text{Binomial}(200, 0.06)$$

b)  $\hat{p} \sim \text{Normal}(12, 3.359)$ 

c)  $\hat{p} \sim \text{Normal}(0.06, 0.013711)$ 

d) Can not be determined

$$p \sim (p + \sqrt{p(1-p)})$$

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31. For the sample of 300 donors, what is the probability that the sample proportion is greater

32. The executives at Sandbachian, Inc. having recently solved their widget crises, have another major problem with one of their products. Many cities are sending complaints that their manhole covers are defective and people are falling into the sewers. Sandbachian, Inc. is pretty sure that only 4% of their manhole covers are defective, but they would like to do a study to confirm this number. They are hoping to construct a 95% confidence interval to get within 0.01 of the true

number. They are noping to construct a 95% confidence interval to get within 0.01 of the true proportion of defective manhole covers. How many manhole covers need to be tested?

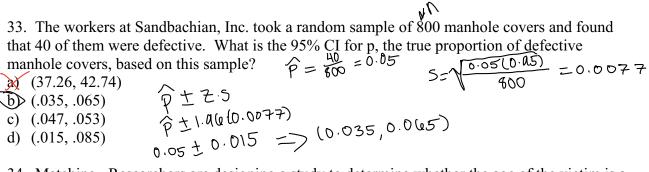
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$$P = 0.04$$

$$Z = 1.00$$

$$Z = 1.00$$

$$N = 0.00$$



34. Matching Researchers are designing a study to determine whether the age of the victim is a factor in reported scams. The researchers are testing to see if more than half of all reported scams victimize the elderly. They randomly sample 350 reported scams over the past 10 years from the Better Business Bureau archives, and note that, for 287of them, the victim is over 65

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- 35. When are p-values negative?
- a) when the test statistic is negative.
- b) when the sample statistic is smaller than the proposed value of the parameter
- c) when the confidence interval includes only negative values
- d) when we fail to reject the null hypothesis
- (e)) never

36. Let x1, x2, ..., x50 be independent observations from a distribution X which is not normal. Suppose it is known that the mean of this distribution is 48 and the standard deviation is 5. What CIT: I~N(M, %) can we say about the sample mean x-bar?

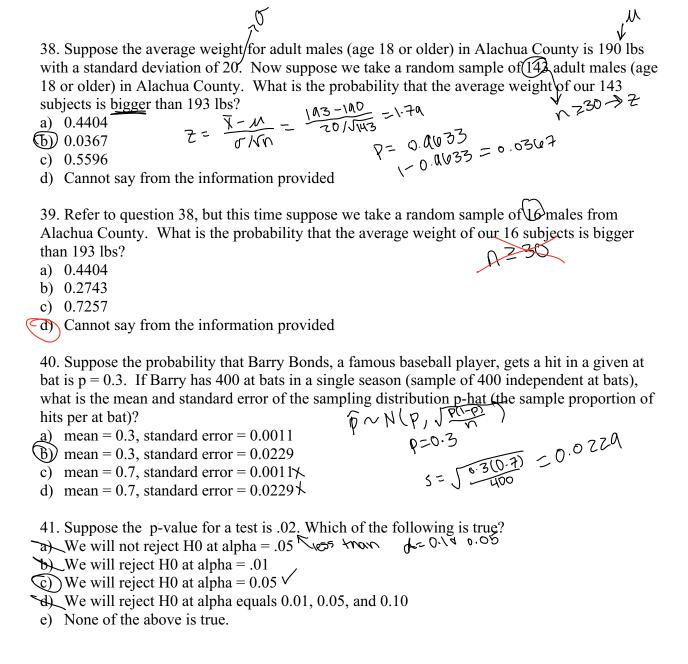
- a x-bar = 48
- b) x-bar is distributed approximately normal with mean 48 and standard error 5 (c) x-bar is distributed approximately normal with mean 48 and standard error  $5/\sqrt{(50)}$
- (x-bar cannot be approximated with the normal distribution since X is not normal
- 37. Suppose that the probability that a UF basketball player, makes a free throw is p = 0.75. Now suppose that he shoots 100 free throws over the course of a basketball season (sample of

Now suppose that he shoots 100 free throws over the course of a basketball season (sample of 100 independent free throws). Find the approximate probability that he makes less than 65% of his free throws during the course of the season.

(a) 0.0104
b) 0.9896
c) 0.409
d) 0.591

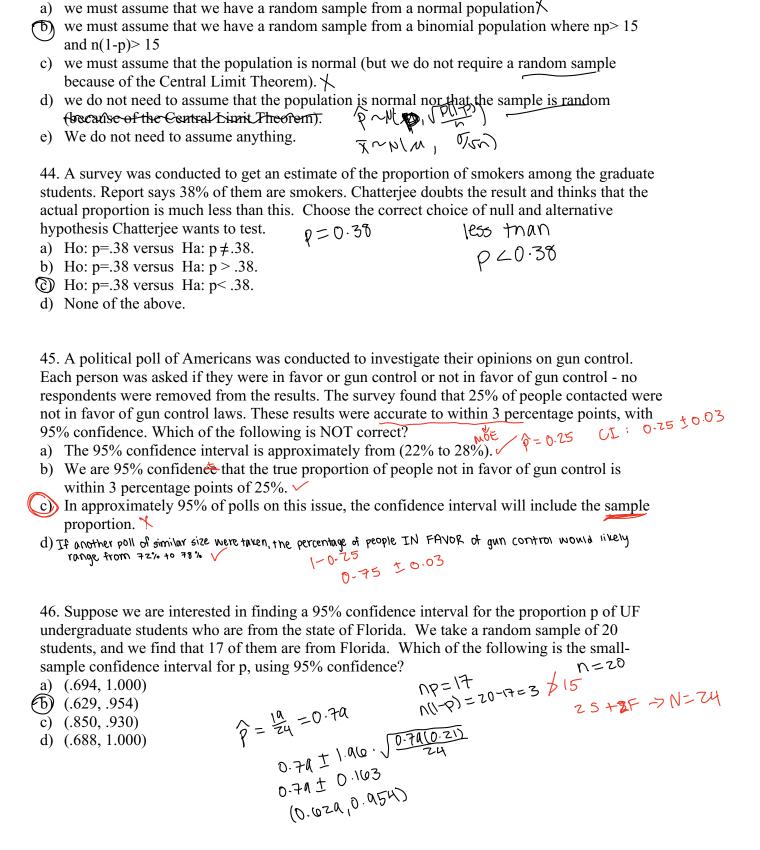
$$\frac{0.05 - 0.75}{0.003} = -7.31 = \frac{0.75(0.25)}{100} = 0.043$$

$$\frac{0.075(0.25)}{100} = 0.004$$



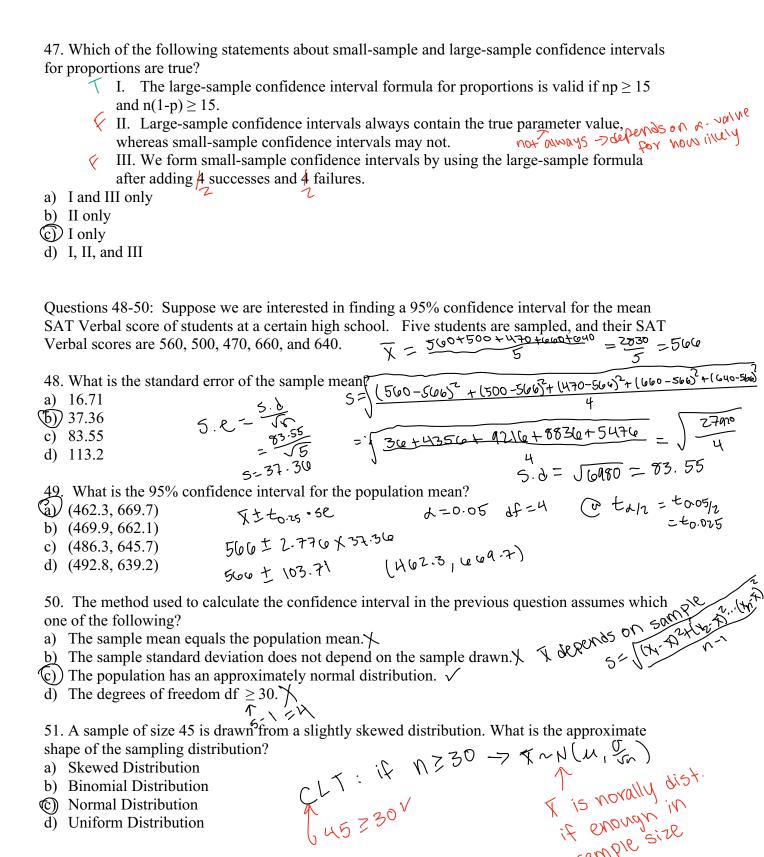
42. A random sample of married people were asked "Would you remarry your spouse if you were given the opportunity for a second time?"; Of the 150 people surveyed, 127 of them said

that they would do so. Find a 95% confidence interval for the proportion of married people who would remarry their spouse.  $\hat{p} = \frac{127}{150} = 0.847 \pm 0.002$ a)  $0.847 \pm 0.002$ b)  $0.847 \pm 0.048$ c)  $0.847 \pm 0.058$ e)  $0.847 \pm 0.013$ O.  $847 \pm 0.058$ e)  $0.847 \pm 0.013$ O.  $847 \pm 0.058$ O.  $847 \pm 0.058$ O.  $847 \pm 0.058$ O.  $847 \pm 0.058$ 



43. You would like to estimate the proportion of "regular users of vitamins" in a large

population. In order to find a confidence interval for the proportion,



Questions 52-53 We know that 65% of all Americans prefer chocolate over vanilla ice cream. Suppose that 1000 people were randomly selected.
52. The standard error of the sample proportion is  a) $0.03567$ b) $0.01508$ c) $0.01798$ d) $0.3785$ $= \sqrt{\frac{\rho(1-\rho)}{0}} = \sqrt{\frac{0.65 \times (0.35)}{1000}} = 0.015$
53. The Sampling Distribution of the sample proportion is  a) Binomial (1000, 0.65)  (CLT: PN(P)  (Normal(10000,0.65))  d) None of the above  CLT: PN(P)  (O.65)  (O.65)  (O.65)
54. What is the probability that our sample will have more than 70% of people prefer chocolate ice cream?  a) 0.9995  b) 0.0005  c) 0.70  d) none of the above $ 7 - P = 0.05 $ $ 7 - 0.005 $ $ 7 - 0.005 $
55. We are doing an experiment where we record the number of heads when we get when we flip an unbiased coin many times. For what sample sizes below would the sampling distribution of the sample proportion be approximately normally distributed?  a) 5 b) 28 c) 50 d) All of the above e) None of the above $ \begin{array}{ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
56. For a test with the null hypothesis Ho: $p = 0.5$ vs. the alternative Ha: $p > 0.5$ , the null hypothesis was not rejected at level alpha=.05. Das wants to perform the same test at level alpha=.025. What will be his conclusion?  a) Reject H0.  b) Fail to Reject H0.  c) No conclusion can be made.  d) Reject Ha.
57. The null hypothesis Ho: p=.5 against the alternative Ha: p>.5 was rejected at level alpha=0.01. Nate wants to know what the test will result at level alpha=0.10. What will be his conclusion?  (A) Reject H0.  (B) Fail to Reject H0.  (C) No conclusion can be made.  (D) No conclusion can be made.  (D) No conclusion can be made.  (E) No conclusion can be made.  (C) No conclusion can be made.
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