

1. (a) Distribution of sample means probability distribution of a statistic obtained from a large number of samples drawn from a specific population

(b) Central limit theorem: If you have a population with mean μ and standard deviation σ and take sufficiently large random samples from the population with replacement, then the distribution of the sample means will be approximately normally distributed.

(c) Expected value of M is the average value attained by the random variable.

(d) Standard error of M is a statistical term that measures the accuracy with which a sample distribution represents a population by using standard deviation.

2. $n = 50$ samples

All possible samples = 100 samples

⇒ The mean is more centrally located when more samples are used

⇒ Standard deviation is smaller when more samples are used

⇒ With more samples, the graph of distribution is ~~more~~ ^{more} flatter than when fewer samples are used

3. Measures of variability

S is the sample ^{standard} ~~variance~~ deviation

σ is the population standard deviation

σ_m is the standard error of the mean

M is the sample mean, μ is the population mean and μ_m refers to the mean of the sampling distribution of the mean

4. a) $\mu = 100, \sigma = 20$

$n = 16$

$E(x) = \mu = 100$

Standard error of $\bar{x} = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{20}{\sqrt{16}} = 5$

b) $n = 100$

$E(x) = \mu = 100$

Standard error = $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{20}{\sqrt{100}} = 2$

5. $n = 64$

$\mu = 90$

$\sigma = 32$

Mean = 90

99.75% of the data is distribution within 3 standard deviations of the mean

Standard error = $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{32}{\sqrt{64}} = 4$

6. Sample mean is normally distributed
number of samples should be greater than 30.

7. a) $\sigma = 18$

$\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{18}{\sqrt{4}} = 9$

b) $\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{18}{\sqrt{9}} = 6$

c) $\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{18}{\sqrt{36}} = 3$

8. $n = 36$

$\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$

a) $\sigma = \sigma_m \times \sqrt{n} =$

a) $\sigma = 12 \times \sqrt{36} = 72$

b) $\sigma = 3 \times \sqrt{36} = 18$

c) $\sigma = 2 \times \sqrt{36} = 12$

9. $n = 4$

$\mu = 75$

$\sigma = 10$

$EW = \mu = 75$

$\sigma_m = \sigma/\sqrt{n} = 10/\sqrt{4} = 5$

10. $\mu = 40, \sigma = 12$

a) $\bar{x} = 52, n = 1$

$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{52 - 40}{12/\sqrt{1}} = +1$

b) $\bar{x} = 52, n = 9$

$z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{52 - 40}{12/\sqrt{9}} = 3$

c) $\bar{x} = 52, n = 16$

$z = \frac{52 - 40}{12/\sqrt{16}} = 4$

11. $\mu = 200, \sigma = 9$ (misinterpretation)

$n = 25, M = 220$

$z = \frac{M - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{220 - 200}{9/\sqrt{25}} = 11.11$

12. $n = 64, M = 68$

$\mu = 60$

a) $\sigma = 2$

$z = \frac{68 - 60}{2/\sqrt{64}} = \frac{8}{1/4} = 32$

b) $\sigma = 3$

$z = \frac{68 - 60}{3/\sqrt{64}} = \frac{8}{3/8} = 21.33$

c) $\sigma = 4$

$$z = \frac{68 - 60}{\frac{4}{\sqrt{64}} \cdot \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{8}{\frac{1}{2}} = 16$$

b) $\mu = 85, \sigma = 24$

a) $M = 91, n = 4$

$$z = \frac{M - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{91 - 85}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{4}} \cdot \frac{1}{12}} = \frac{6}{12} = 0.5$$

b) $M = 91, n = 9$

$$z = \frac{91 - 85}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{9}} \cdot \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{6}{8} = 0.75$$

c) $M = 91, n = 16$

$$z = \frac{91 - 85}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{16}} \cdot \frac{1}{6}} = \frac{6}{6} = 1$$

d) $M = 91, n = 36$

$$z = \frac{91 - 85}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{36}} \cdot \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{6}{4} = 1.5$$

14 $\sigma = 24, \mu = 71, M = 63$

a) $n = 9$

$$z = \frac{M - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{63 - 71}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{9}} \cdot \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{-8}{8} = -1$$

$$P(z > -1) = 0.84134$$

(b) $n = 36$

$$z = \frac{63 - 71}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{36}}} = \frac{-8}{4} = -2$$

$$P(z > -2) = 0.97725$$

(c) $n = 64$

$$z = \frac{63 - 71}{\frac{24}{\sqrt{64}}} = \frac{-8}{3} = -2.667$$

$$P(z > -2.667) = 0.99617$$

15 $\mu = 50.2$

$$\sigma = 10$$

$$M = 50$$

$$z = \frac{50 - 50}{10} = \frac{-2}{10} = -0.2$$

$$P(z > -0.2) = 0.57926$$

16. $M = 58, \sigma = 12$

a) $x < 52$

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{52 - 58}{12} = -0.5$$

$$P(x < -0.5) = 0.30854$$

b) $n = 9$

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{32 - 58}{\frac{12}{\sqrt{9}}} = \frac{-6}{4} = -1.5$$

$$P(x < -1.5) = 0.06681$$

(a) $n = 16$

$$Z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{52 - 58}{12/\sqrt{16}} = \frac{-6}{3} = -2$$

$$P(X < -2) = 0.02275$$

12. $\mu = 30$

a) $\sigma = 8$

$M = 32, n = 4$

$$Z = \frac{M - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}} = \frac{32 - 30}{8/\sqrt{4}} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$

$$P(X > 0.5) = 0.30854$$

(b)