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TRUE OR FALSE. Answer with a capital T or F.

(2 points each)

T 1. The width of a confidence interval will decrease when the size of the sample increases if the level of confidence and sample variance remain the same.

T 2. The point estimate for the population parameter is used as the center value in a confidence interval to estimate that population parameter.

T 3. A 95% confidence interval to estimate a population parameter from a large sample is approximately four standard errors wide.

T 4. If the p-value of a hypothesis test is 0.08 then the null hypothesis should be rejected for a maximum allowable error rate of 10%.

F 5. The p-value in a hypothesis test is the error rate we must be willing to tolerate if we do not reject the null hypothesis.

T 6. The p-value of a hypothesis test is the tail area associated with the test statistic.

T 7. If the square of the sum of a data set with 100 observations is 160,000 then the mean of the data set is 4.00.

F 8. The standard errors of point estimates increase in size as the sample size increases.

F 9. For low degrees of freedom the t-distribution has less variance than the standard normal distribution.

F 10. If a 95% confidence interval to estimate the population mean is (2.57, 3.86) then it should be concluded that 95% of the time the population mean is between 2.57 and 3.86.


T 11. If the test statistic value in a Z-hypothesis test is 11 then the null hypothesis would be rejected for any significance level of 1% or less.


F 12. The point estimates we use have good characteristics and are usually equal to the value of the parameter which they estimate.


T 13. In a linear regression situation the intercept and the slope of the regression equation are the parameters.

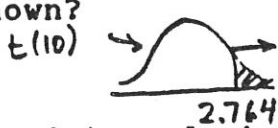
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(3 points each)

2.120 14. What is the value of the number which would be labelled as $t_{.025(16)}$? 

0.01 15. If the rejection region in a two tail hypothesis test based on a large sample is below -2.576 and above 2.576 what is the maximum error rate of rejecting a true null hypothesis which this researcher will tolerate? 

0.0179 16. If the value of a Z-test statistic is 2.1 and the alternative hypothesis reads " $\mu > 44$ " what is the p-value or OSL of this hypothesis test? 

0.02 17. In a two-tail hypothesis test on a population mean what is the p-value or OSL of the hypothesis test if the calculated test statistic based on eleven observations is 2.764 and the population variance is unknown? 

69.13 18. If a 95% confidence interval based on a large sample to estimate a population mean is $(427, 698)$ then what is the value of the standard error of the point estimate for the population mean? Round your answer to two digits past the decimal.

$$\text{WIDTH} = 698 - 427 = 271 = 2B = 2[z_{\alpha/2} S_{\bar{x}}] = 2[1.96 \cdot S_{\bar{x}}] \Rightarrow S_{\bar{x}} = \frac{271}{2(1.96)} = 69.1326$$

The following bivariate data involving X = electrical cost and Y = overhead cost was used to estimate a regression line. The sufficient sums are shown. Use this data to answer questions 19-21.

x	25	73	53	71	27	36	33	46
y	58	184	128	159	64	84	91	103

$$\Sigma x = 364$$

$$\Sigma y = 871$$

$$\Sigma x^2 = 19,034$$

$$\Sigma y^2 = 108,927$$

$$\Sigma xy = 45,448$$

2.35 19. State the numerical value of the least squares estimate of the slope of the regression line. $108.875 - 2.35335(364) = 32.35335$

1.797 20. State the numerical value of the least squares estimate of the y-intercept for the regression line. $\beta_1 = 2.35335$

0.985 21. State the numerical value of the estimated linear correlation. $\beta_0 = 1.797228$

$$r = 0.98548$$

STATE THE ANSWER. State the answer on the line given.

(2 points each)

A marketing firm is interested in comparing two populations. The firm randomly sampled twenty-five observations from each of the populations. Use the results from the two samples to answer questions 22 - 28.

	Sample One	Sample Two
mean	1642	1367
variance	121	196

1,367 22. State the numerical value of the point estimate for the mean of population two. $\bar{X}_2 = \hat{\mu}_2 = 1367$

2.8 23. State the numerical value of the estimated standard error of the point estimate for the mean of population two. $S_{\bar{X}_2} = \frac{S_2}{\sqrt{n_2}} = \frac{\sqrt{196}}{\sqrt{25}} = \frac{14}{5} = 2.8$

11 24. State the numerical value of the point estimate for the standard deviation of population one. $\hat{\sigma}_1 = S_1 = \sqrt{121} = 11$

275 25. State the numerical value of the point estimate for the difference between the means of populations one and two. $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = \bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2 = 1642 - 1367 = 275$

158.5 26. State the numerical value of the pooled variance estimate which would result from these two samples. $S_p^2 = \frac{(n_1-1)S_1^2 + (n_2-1)S_2^2}{n_1+n_2-2} = \frac{24(121) + 24(196)}{48} = 158.5$

3.56 27. State the numerical value of the estimated standard error of the point estimate for the difference between the population means. $S_{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2} = \sqrt{S_p^2 \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right)} = \sqrt{158.5 \left(\frac{1}{25} + \frac{1}{25} \right)} = \sqrt{12.68} = 3.5608$

1.62 28. State the numerical value of the test statistic to test equality of the two population variances. $F = \frac{S_{B.G.}^2}{S_{H_0}^2} = \frac{196}{121} = 1.619834$

Use the following sample of data to answer questions 29 - 34.

(26, 34, 12, 14, 29, 12, 22)

(2 points each)

21.29 29. State the numerical value of the sample mean. $\bar{X} = 21.2857$

3,641 30. State the numerical value of the sum of squares for this sample of data. $\sum X^2 = X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_7^2 = 3,641$

22,201 31. State the numerical value of the square of the sum for this sample of data. $(\sum X)^2 = (X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_7)^2 = (149)^2 = 22,201$

78.24 32. State the numerical value of the sample variance. $S^2 = 78.23809$

22 33. State the numerical value of the sample range. $\text{Range} = \max - \min = 34 - 12 = 22$

22 34. State the numerical value of the sample median. Rank Order: 12 12 14 22 26 29 34

MULTIPLE CHOICE. Answer with a capital letter. (3 points each)

C 35. If the range of a data set is 620 units then a good guess at the standard deviation of the data set is

A. 310

B. 124

C. 155

D. 620

C 36. If a sample of 49 observations produced a point estimate for the mean equal to 32 and a standard error for that estimate equal to 3.7, then the standard deviation of the sample is closest to

A. 82.0

B. 16.81

C. 25.9

D. 640.0

D 37. If a researcher has strong evidence against the null hypothesis in a hypothesis test the p-value of the test could be which of the following values?

A. 0.38

B. 0.98

C. 0.492

D. 0.003

A 38. Which one of the following null hypotheses should be addressed to test the proposition that the X variable in a regression situation does not affect the Y variable?

A. $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ B. $H_0: \beta_1 = 1$ C. $H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_0$ D. $H_0: \beta_1 = \text{slope parameter}$

Assume that a regression line has been fitted to a bivariate data set containing 22 data values. The resulting least squares estimated regression equation appears below. Use this information to answer questions 39 - 42. (3 points each)

$$\hat{y} = 75.0 + 463.15(x)$$

28,790.3 39. What is the estimate of y when x is equal to 62?

$$\hat{y}_{x=62} = 75.0 + 463.15(62) = 28,790.3$$

463.15 40. For every one unit increase in x how much does the value of y increase?

75.0 41. State the numerical value of the least squares estimate of the y-intercept.

3.729 42. If the standard error of the least squares estimate of the slope is 124.2 what is the numerical value of the t-test statistic to test if the slope is equal to zero? Round your answer to two digits past the decimal.

$$S_{\hat{\beta}_1} = 124.2$$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - 0}{S_{\hat{\beta}_1}} = \frac{463.15 - 0}{124.2} = 3.729066023$$