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| mean   | quantitative variables, typical score                      |
| median | skewed distribution, want central score, ordinal variables |
| mode   | categorical variables, most common score                   |

interquartile range: divide at median, then find medians of those groups

IQR = Q3-Q1

$$s = \frac{\sqrt{\sum(x_i - \bar{x})^2}}{N-1} \text{ standard deviation.}$$

If adding a constant, mean will add constant, SD will not change

If multiplying by a constant, mean will multiply, SD will multiply

$$z_i = \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})}{s} \text{ z-transformation.}$$

**For a normal distribution:**

68% within 1 SD

95% within 2 SD

99.7% within 3 SD

$P(E \text{ or } F) = P(E) + P(F) - P(E \text{ and } F)$  [except if mutually exclusive]

$$P(A|C) = \frac{P(A \text{ and } C)}{P(C)}$$

$P(E \text{ and } F) = P(F) \cdot P(E|F)$

**Bayes' Theorem:**  $P(F|E) = \frac{P(E|F)}{P(E)}$

$\sum p_i \cdot \text{value}(i)$  expected value. \*don't forget to sum over all possible outcomes

**Central limit theorem:** Sum of many independent random variables tends to be randomly distributed.

**For percentiles:**

1.  $z(x)$  is the point at which  $2(100 - x) = 100 - \text{area}(x)$ ; that is,  $\text{area}(x) = 2x - 100$
2. Transform back to raw score by multiplying  $z$  by SD and adding mean.

**Normal quantile plot**

Concave up means positive skew

Concave down means negative skew

$${}^n C_r = \frac{N!}{k!(N-k)!}$$

**In a binomial experiment,**

$$\mu = np$$

$$\sigma^2 = npq$$

$$q = 1 - p$$

**For any combination of random variables,**

$$z = x + y$$

$$\sigma^2 z = \sigma^2_x + \sigma^2_y$$

$$\mu_z = \mu_x + \mu_y$$

$$E(z) = E(x) + E(y)$$

Standard error of the mean  $\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{N}}$

**T-testing.**

$$t = \frac{m - \mu}{s/\sqrt{N}}. \text{ If this } t < t_{\text{crit}}, \text{ then not statistically significant.}$$

Confidence intervals

(for binomial experiments)

$$95\% \text{ CI} = p' \pm 1.96 * \sigma_p$$

(for continuous random variables)

$$95\% \text{ CI} = m \pm 1.96 * \text{SEM}$$