

East Los Angeles College
Department of Mathematics
Math 227
Final Exam Study Guide

The following data represents the math lab time (hours) that students spent the week before a final exam.

6, 5, 8, 6, 4, 6, 5, 6

1. Determine the mean. **Tenths**
2. Determine the variance. **Tenths**
3. Determine the standard deviation. **Tenths**
4. Use the 90% confidence level to estimate the margin of error associated with estimating the true mean. **Hundredths**
5. Use the 90% confidence interval to estimate the true mean study time. **Tenths**
6. Use the 90% confidence level to estimate the true variance. **Tenths**
7. Use the 90% confidence level to estimate the true standard deviation. **Tenths**

8. A \$ 40,000 life insurance policy for a 28-year old male costs \$ 1,500 per year. If the probability of a 28-year old male living to see 29 years of age is 0.92, compute the expected value for the insurance policy. **Hundredths**

Professor Snodgrass has a mean of 2.8 students visitors during a typical office hour. In the next office hour, what's the probability there are:

9. No visitors? **Thousandths**
10. One visitor? **Thousandths**
11. Two visitors? **Thousandths**
12. At least one visitor? **Thousandths**
13. No more than three visitors? **Thousandths**
14. In the next 42 minutes of an office hour, what's the probability more than one student visits? **Thousandths**

The lifespan of a laptop is normally distributed with a mean of 8.5 years and a standard deviation of 1.8 years. What percent of laptops last:

15. At least 5 years? **Hundredths**
16. Less than 10 years? **Hundredths**
17. Between 5 and 10 years? **Hundredths**
18. More than 6 years? **Hundredths**
19. What lifespan represents the top 5%? **Tenths**
20. What lifespan represents the 3rd Quartile? **Tenths**

When reviewing health records, a sample of size 250 indicates that 42% of Americans over the age of 45 suffer from type II diabetes. Use the 95% confidence level to:

21. Estimate the margin of error. **Thousandths**
22. To estimate the true proportion. **Thousandths**

US Senators- The following table displays 100 senators of the 112th US congress viewed by political party affiliation and gender.

	Male	Female	Total
Democrat	32	10	42
Republican	48	7	55
Independent	0	3	2
Total	80	20	100

If a person is selected at random, what's the probability the person:

23. is a democrat? **Thousandths**
24. is a republican? **Thousandths**
25. is a non-republican? **Thousandths**
26. democrat or a republican? **Thousandths**
27. Is a republican given that the person is a male? **Thousandths**
28. is a republican given that the person is a female? **Thousandths**
29. If you select two different senators at random, what's the probability both are male republicans? **Thousandths**

The mean age of people who acquire a driver's license is no more than 28 years, as claimed by the DMV. A sample of 85 applicants report a mean age of 25.2 years with a standard deviation of 2.6 years. Use the 1% level of significance to answer the following questions.

30. What is claim?
31. What are the critical value(s)? **Hundredths**
32. What is the test statistic? **Hundredths**
33. What is your decision by testing this hypothesis?

The proportion of students who graduate from college in 4-years is 22%, as claimed as by the US Department of Education. A sample of 480 college students indicate that 98 graduated in 4 years. Use the 10% level of significance to answer the following questions:

34. What is the claim?
35. What are the critical, value(s)? **Hundredths**
36. What is the test statistic? **Hundredths**
37. What is your decision by testing this hypothesis?

The mean amount of money college students spend on coffee during final's week is at least \$ 35.00 as claimed by Professor Snodgrass. A sample of 18 college students report spending a mean of \$ 22.50 with a standard deviation of \$ 3.75. Use the 10% level of significance to answer the following questions:

38. What is the claim?

39. What are the critical value(s)?

40. What is the test statistic?

41. What is your decision by testing this hypothesis?

Answer Sheet

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