

AMST  
Lecture 2  
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$n$  = sample size of subjects      sum = #  
 $N$  = total      mean = proportion  
binary: 1/0 yes/no (binary type of dichotomous)  
dichotomous: any other 2 variables

parameter: number that summarizes boundary

An estimate  $\hat{\theta}$  of a parameter  $\theta$  = Statistic

When selecting sample, random <sup>promotes</sup>  $\rightarrow$  similarity  
 $\rightarrow$  mean of sample  $\hat{p}$  and  $p$  in pop.

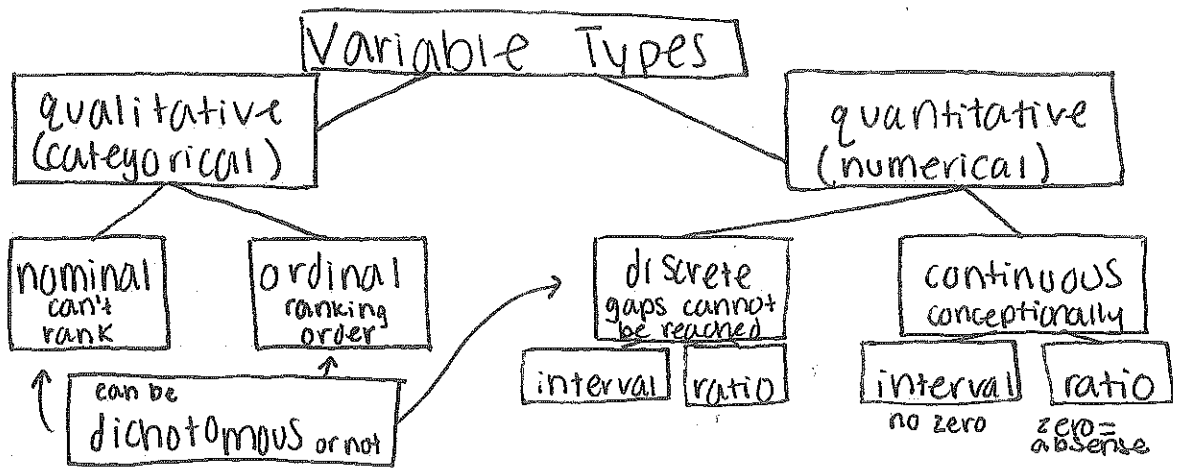
Random sampling: Jerzy Neyman 1927

$y$   $\rightarrow$  common variable  
 $\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} n=201$       mean:  $\bar{y} = \frac{y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_n}{n} = \frac{1}{n}(y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_n)$   
 $y_n$  or  $y_{201}$

Sum Notation:  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i = \bar{y}$   
index of summation      • sum as  $i$  runs  $1 \rightarrow n$

Two ways for random sampling:

- ① independent identically distributed (IID)  
at random w/ replacement
- ② simple random sampling (SRS)  
at random w/o replacement  
more informative, harder math



Note: truly continuous can never be attained

- when using dich binary coding it goes to quar
- time is interval

Variable	Values	Type
eye color	brown, blue	qual, dichotom.
success@ running maze	1 (very slow), 2 (slow), 3 (mod), 4 (fast), 5 (very fast)	qual, ordinal
plant: height	63.2cm, 61.8cm	quan, cont, ratio
# leaves	47, 62	quan, discrete, ratio
growing T for most buds	81.4°F, 79.7°F	quan, cont, interval

1.3

# Graphical Descriptive Methods

ex. Butterfly wing Length

sample observed butterflies

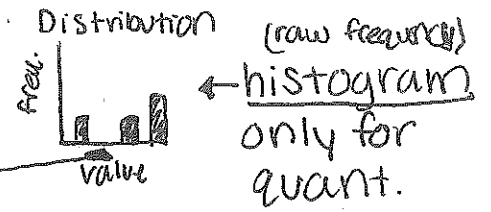
(Y) wing length (cm)

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 = 4.4 \\ y_2 = 3.6 \\ \vdots \\ y_n = 3.9 \end{bmatrix} \quad n=24 \quad \bar{y} =$$

sort data (number smallest  $\rightarrow$  largest values)


value	freq. (raw freq)	count
3.3	1	
3.4	0	
3.6	1	
3.6	2	

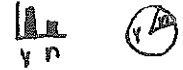
$\Sigma = n$



mode = highest freq.

(if qual, bar or graph)

 bell curve  
normal curve



Histogram bars must touch (or rep absence)