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TITLE OF PAPER:	SAMPLING THEORY
COURSE CODE:	STA 305 / ST 306
TIME ALLOCATED:	TWO (2) HOURS
REQUIREMENTS:	STATISTICAL TABLES AND CALCULATOR
INSTRUCTION:	ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS. THE QUESTIONS CARRY THE MARKS AS INDICATED WITHIN THE PARENTHESIS

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Question 1

(a) At one university there were 807 faculty members and research specialists in the College of Liberal Arts and Science in 1993; the list of faculty and their reported publications for 1992-1993 were available on the computer system. For each faculty member, the number of refereed publications was recorded. This number is not directly available on the database, so the investigator is required to examine each record separately. A frequency table for number of refereed publications is given for an SRS of 50 faculty members.

Refereed publications (y)	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Faculty members (f)	28	4	3	4	4	2	1	0	2	1	1

(i) Estimate the mean number of publications per faculty member and give a standard error for your estimate. (6)

(ii) Estimate the proportion of faculty members with no publications and give a 95% CI for your estimate. (6)

(b) A public opinion researcher has a budget of E20,000 for taking a survey. She knows that 90% of all households have telephones. Telephone interviews cost E10 per household; in-person interviews cost E30 each if all interviews are conducted in person and E40 each if only nonphone households are interviewed in person (because there will be extra travel costs). Assume that the variances in the phone and nonphone strata are similar and that the fixed costs c_0=E5000. How many households should be interviewed in each stratum if households with a phone are contacted by telephone and households without a phone are contacted in person.(8)

Question 2

A researcher selects a simple random sample of 2055 farms from the 75 308 farms in a large region in a developing country, and the number of cattle (y) and the total area under cattle (x) were recorded for each farm. The results were as follows.

Sample total number of cattle, $\sum y_i$	25 751
Sample total area (hectares), $\sum x_i$	62 989

The sum of the squares is $\sum y_i^2 = 2596737$.The total area under cattle in this region is 2 353 365.

(a) Using the mean of the simple random sample, estimate the total number of cattle in the region, and standard error of your estimator. (4)

(b) The researcher seeks your advice on how the supplementary information on the area under cattle in the region might be used to estimate the total number of cattle in the region.

(i) Discuss briefly why either a ratio or regression estimator could be appropriate for these data. Explain how you would decide whether to use a ratio or regression estimator. (3)

(ii) The researcher decides to use a ratio estimator, and asks you to comment on his results compared with those obtained in part (i). You may assume that the ratio estimate of the total number of cattle in the region is 962 055, and its estimated standard error is 14 020.7. Comment on the relative standard errors. If it was suggested to you that the ratio estimate should not be used because it is biased, how would you reply? (5)

(c) Explain how and why stratification and clustering might be useful in such a survey, and what practical problems they could help to overcome. (8)

Question 3

(a) A survey is planned to study family income in a mixed urban and rural population. Discuss any practical difficulties that might arise in defining "income", in defining "family", and in combining information from rural and urban areas. (5)

(b) A survey organisation defines the 'true level of business confidence' for a particular sector of economic activity as the proportion of managing directors of all companies in that sector who expect prospects for their company to improve in the next six months.

In a pilot survey in the light engineering sector, the managing directors of 67 out of a random sample of 125 companies stated that they expected prospects for their company to improve in the next six months.

(i) Using this information, obtain an approximate 95% confidence interval for p, the proportion of companies expecting an improvement. Explain what this confidence interval shows. You may assume that N, the number of companies in this sector, is much larger than 125. (5)

(ii) A business analyst wants to calculate an approximate 95% confidence interval for p. What sample size would be required to produce a 95% confidence interval which has a width of 0.08? (6)

(c) A local radio station carries out regular polls of its listeners on items of current interest. In one such poll listeners were asked to telephone the station and just answer "yes" or "no" to the following questions.

Do you think dogs should be allowed in public places only if on the lead?

The poll was carried out between 8 am and 9 am one morning. At 8:30 am the announcer said the percentage of "yes" vote was 63%. When the poll closed at 9 am he announced that the percentage was 52%. List two problems associated with this method of polling and suggest why each problem might cause misleading conclusion to be drawn. (4)

Question 4

(a) The formula for the variance of the estimator of a population mean based on a stratified (random) sample is

$$V = \sum_{h=1}^{L} W_h^2 \frac{s_h^2}{n_h}(1 - \frac{n_h}{N_h}).$$

Define the terms N_h, S_h, n_h and W_h in the above formula. Explain the conditions under which stratified sampling may be superior to simple random sampling. (4)

(b) The Chief Education Officer for a region wishes to estimate the total number of children who have played truant in the past week (that is, who have been absent from lessons with without good reason). The region is divided into four education authorities (strata) and a random sample of ten schools is taken from each education authority. The results are as follows.

Education authority h	Total number of schools	Number of children who have played truant (y) in schools selected	Sample mean	Sample standard deviation
1	141	4, 8, 10, 0, 1, 4, 0, 12, 1, 0	4.0	4.50
2	471	5, 15, 6, 9, 8, 15, 17, 10, 6, 16	10.7	4.62
3	256	23, 26, 11, 23, 14, 17, 33, 0, 6, 22	17.5	9.92
4	1499	2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 0, 3, 1, 2, 3	2.4	1.17

(i) Estimate the total number of children who have played truant in the past week and obtain an approximate 95% confidence interval for this total. (7)

(ii) The Officer wishes to report estimates of the total number of children who have played truant in the past week for each of the four education authorities, as supporting information. Obtain a point estimate and an approximate 95% confidence interval for this total number for education authority 1. (4)

(iii) The Officer is planning a new survey, and is intending to sample an equal number of schools from each authority in the region. Giving reasons, suggest another allocation method that might be preferred to computer the sample sizes in each authority. Use this method to compute the stratum sample sizes for a sample of 40 schools. (5)

Question 5

(a) A sociologist wants to estimate the average per capita income A in a certain small city. As no list of resident adults is available, she decides that each of the city blocks will be considered one cluster. The clusters are numbered on a city map from 1 to 415, and the experimenter decides she has enough time and money to sample n=25 clusters where every household will be interviewed within the clusters (blocks) chosen. The data on the next table give the number of residents and the total income for each of the 25 blocks sampled.

Cluster i	Number of Residents, M_i	Total Income per Cluster, y_i
1	8	SZL192,000
2	12	SZL242,000
3	4	SZL 84,000
4	5	SZL130,000
5	6	SZL104,000
6	6	SZL 80,000
7	7	SZL150,000
8	5	SZL130,000
9	8	SZL 90,000
10	3	SZL100,000
11	2	SZL170,000
12	6	SZL 86,000
13	5	SZL108,000
14	10	SZL 98,000
15	9	SZL106,000
16	3	SZL100,000
17	6	SZL 64,000
18	5	SZL 44,000
19	5	SZL 90,000
20	4	SZL 74,000
21	6	SZL102,000
22	8	SZL 60,000
23	7	SZL 78,000
24	3	SZL 94,000
25	8	SZL 82,000
	$\sum M_i=151$	$\sum y_i=$SZL2,658,000

Given that M = 2500 residents, use these data to estimate the (unbiased) average per capita income in the city and its associated standard error. (15)

(b) A survey on the 9^{th} graders in Ndunayithiniis intended to determine the proportion intending to go to a four-year college. A preliminary estimate of p=0.55was obtained from a small informal survey. How large must the survey be to provide an estimator with error at most 0.05 with probability at least 99%? (5)

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Useful formulas

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - \bar{y})^2}{n-1} \qquad \sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - \bar{y})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i^2 - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{n}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{srs} = \bar{y} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{srs}) = \left(\frac{N-n}{N}\right)\frac{s^2}{n}$$

$$\hat{\tau}_{srs} = N\hat{\mu}_{srs} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_{srs}) = N^2\hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{srs})$$

$$\hat{p}_{srs} = \sum_{i=1}^{n}\frac{y_i}{n} \qquad \left(\frac{N-n}{N}\right)\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n-1}\left(\frac{N-n}{N}\right)$$

$$\hat{\tau}_{hh} = \frac{1}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\frac{y_i}{p_i} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{hh}) = \frac{1}{n(n-1)}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(\frac{y_i}{p_i} - \hat{\tau}_{hh}\right)^2$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{hh} = \frac{\hat{\tau}_{hh}}{N} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{hh}) = \frac{1}{N^2}\hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_{hh})$$

$$\hat{\tau}_{ht} = \sum_{i=1}^{\nu}\frac{y_i}{\pi_i} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_{ht}) = \sum_{i=1}^{\nu}\left(\frac{1}{\pi_i^2} - \frac{1}{\pi_i}\right)y_i^2 + 2\sum_{i=1}^{\nu}\sum_{j>i}^{\nu}\left(\frac{1}{\pi_i\pi_j} - \frac{1}{\pi_{ij}}\right)y_i y_j$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{ht} = \frac{\hat{\tau}_{ht}}{N} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{ht}) = \frac{1}{N^2}\hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_{ht})$$

$$\hat{r} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{r}) = \left(\frac{N-n}{Nn\mu_x^2}\right)\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - rx_i)^2}{n-1}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_r = r\mu_x \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_r) = \left(\frac{N-n}{Nn}\right)\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - rx_i)^2}{n-1}$$

$$\hat{\tau}_r = Nr\mu_x = r\tau_x \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_r) = \frac{N(N-n)}{n}\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - rx_i)^2}{n-1}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_L = a + b\mu_x \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_L) = \frac{N-n}{Nn(n-2)}\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - a - bx_i)^2$$

$$\hat{\tau}_L = N\mu_L \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_L) = \frac{N(N-n)}{n(n-2)}\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - a - bx_i)^2$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{str} = \sum_{h=1}^{L}\frac{N_h}{N}\bar{y}_h \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{str}) = \frac{1}{N^2}\sum_{h=1}^{L}N_h^2\left(\frac{N_h - n_h}{N_h}\right)\frac{s_h^2}{n_h}$$

$$\hat{\tau}_{str} = N\hat{\mu}_{str} \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\tau}_{str}) = N^2\hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{str})$$

$$\hat{p}_{str} = \sum_{h=1}^{L}\frac{N_h}{N}\hat{p}_h \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{p}_{str}) = \frac{1}{N^2}\sum_{h=1}^{L}N_h^2\left(\frac{N_h - n_h}{N_h}\right)\left(\frac{\hat{p}_h(1-\hat{p}_h)}{n_h - 1}\right)$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{pstr} = \sum_{h=1}^{L}w_h\bar{y}_h \qquad \hat{\mathsf{V}}(\hat{\mu}_{pstr}) = \frac{1}{n}\left(\frac{N-n}{N}\right)\sum_{h=1}^{L}w_h s_h^2 + \frac{1}{n^2}\sum_{h=1}^{L}(1-w_h)s_h^2$$

$$\hat{\tau}_{cl} = \frac{M}{nL}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{L} y_{ij} = \frac{N}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{L} y_{ij} = \frac{N}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i = N\bar{y}$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{cl} = \frac{1}{nL}\sum_{i=1}^{n}\sum_{j=1}^{L} y_{ij} = \frac{1}{nL}\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i = \frac{\bar{y}}{L} = \frac{\hat{\tau}_{cl}}{M}$$

where $\bar{y} = \frac{1}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i = \frac{\hat{\tau}_{cl}}{N}$

$$\hat{V}(\hat{\tau}_{cl}) = N(N-n)\frac{s_u^2}{n} \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{\mu}_{cl}) = \frac{N(N-n)}{M^2}\frac{s_u^2}{n}$$

where $s_u^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i-\bar{y})^2}{n-1}$.

$$\hat{\mu}_1 = \bar{y} = \frac{\hat{\tau}_{cl}}{N} \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{\mu}_1 = \frac{N-n}{N}\frac{s_u^2}{n}$$

The formulas for systematic sampling are the same as those used for one-stage cluster sampling. Change the subscript *cl* to *sys* to denote the fact that data were collected under systematic sampling.

$$\hat{\mu}_{c(a)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} M_i} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{m} \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{\mu}_{c(a)}) = \frac{(N-n)N}{n(n-1)M^2}\sum_{i=1}^{n} M_i^2(\bar{y}-\hat{\mu}_{c(a)})^2$$

$$\hat{\mu}_{c(b)} = \frac{N}{M}\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{n} = \frac{N}{nM}\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{\mu}_{c(b)}) = \frac{(N-n)N}{n(n-1)M^2}\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i-\bar{y})^2 = \frac{(N-n)N}{nM^2}s_u^2$$

$$\hat{p}_c = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} p_i}{n} \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{p}_c) = \left(\frac{N-Nn}{nN}\right)\sum_{i=1}^{n}\frac{(p_i-\hat{p}_c)^2}{n-1} = \left(\frac{1-f}{n}\right)\sum_{i=1}^{n}\frac{(p_i-\hat{p}_c)^2}{n-1}$$

$$\hat{p}_c = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} M_i} \qquad \hat{V}(\hat{p}_c) = \left(\frac{1-f}{n\bar{m}^2}\right)\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i-\hat{p}_c M_i)^2}{n-1}$$

To estimate τ, multiply $\hat{\mu}_{c(\cdot)}$ by M. To get the estimated variances, multiply $\hat{V}(\hat{\mu}_{c(\cdot)})$ by M^2. If M is not known, substitute M with $N\bar{m} = Nm/n$. $\bar{m} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} M_i/n$.

n for μ SRS $\quad n = \dfrac{N\sigma^2}{(N-1)(d^2/z^2)+\sigma^2}$

n for τ SRS $\quad n = \dfrac{N\sigma^2}{(N-1)(d^2/z^2N^2)+\sigma^2}$

n for p SRS $\quad n = \dfrac{Np(1-p)}{(N-1)(d^2/z^2)+p(1-p)}$

n for μ SYS $\quad n = \dfrac{N\sigma^2}{(N-1)(d^2/z^2)+\sigma^2}$

n for τ SYS $\quad n = \dfrac{N\sigma^2}{(N-1)(d^2/z^2N^2)+\sigma^2}$

n for μ STR $\quad n = \dfrac{\sum_{h=1}^{L} N_h^2(\sigma_h^2/w_h)}{N^2(d^2/z^2)+\sum_{h=1}^{L} N_h\sigma_h^2}$

n for τ STR $\quad n = \dfrac{\sum_{h=1}^{L} N_h^2(\sigma_h^2/w_h)}{N^2(d^2/z^2N^2)+\sum_{h=1}^{L} N_h\sigma_h^2}$

where $w_h = \frac{n_h}{n}$.
Allocations for STR μ:

$$n_h = (c - c_0)\left(\frac{N_h\sigma_h/\sqrt{c_h}}{\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k\sqrt{c_k}}\right) \qquad n = \frac{\left(\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k\sqrt{c_k}\right)\left(\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k/\sqrt{c_k}\right)}{N^2(d^2/z^2) + \sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k^2}$$

$$n_h = n\left(\frac{N_h}{N}\right) \qquad n = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k}{N^2(d^2/z^2) + \frac{1}{N}\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k^2}$$

$$n_h = n\left(\frac{N_h\sigma_h}{\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k}\right) \qquad n = \frac{\left(\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k\right)^2}{N^2(d^2/z^2) + \sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sigma_k^2}$$

Allocations for STR τ:

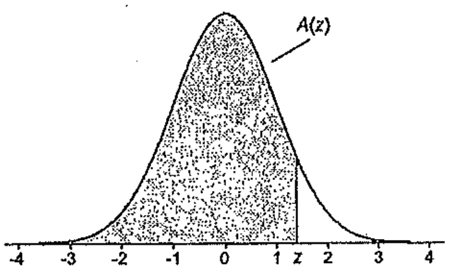
change $N^2(d^2/z^2)$ to $N^2(d^2/z^2N^2)$

Allocations for STR p:

$$n_h = n\left(\frac{N_i\sqrt{p_h(1-p_h)/c_h}}{\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k\sqrt{p_k(1-p_k)/c_k}}\right) \qquad n = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k p_k(1-p_k)/w_k}{N^2(d^2/z^2) + \sum_{k=1}^{L} N_k p_k(1-p_k)}$$

TABLE A.1

Cumulative Standardized Normal Distribution



$A(z)$ is the integral of the standardized normal distribution from $-\infty$ to z (in other words, the area under the curve to the left of z). It gives the probability of a normal random variable not being more than z standard deviations above its mean. Values of z of particular importance:

z	$A(z)$	
1.645	0.9500	Lower limit of right 5% tail
1.960	0.9750	Lower limit of right 2.5% tail
2.326	0.9900	Lower limit of right 1% tail
2.576	0.9950	Lower limit of right 0.5% tail
3.090	0.9990	Lower limit of right 0.1% tail
3.291	0.9995	Lower limit of right 0.05% tail

z	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09
0.0	0.5000	0.5040	0.5080	0.5120	0.5160	0.5199	0.5239	0.5279	0.5319	0.5359
0.1	0.5398	0.5438	0.5478	0.5517	0.5557	0.5596	0.5636	0.5675	0.5714	0.5753
0.2	0.5793	0.5832	0.5871	0.5910	0.5948	0.5987	0.6026	0.6064	0.6103	0.6141
0.3	0.6179	0.6217	0.6255	0.6293	0.6331	0.6368	0.6406	0.6443	0.6480	0.6517
0.4	0.6554	0.6591	0.6628	0.6664	0.6700	0.6736	0.6772	0.6808	0.6844	0.6879
0.5	0.6915	0.6950	0.6985	0.7019	0.7054	0.7088	0.7123	0.7157	0.7190	0.7224
0.6	0.7257	0.7291	0.7324	0.7357	0.7389	0.7422	0.7454	0.7486	0.7517	0.7549
0.7	0.7580	0.7611	0.7642	0.7673	0.7704	0.7734	0.7764	0.7794	0.7823	0.7852
0.8	0.7881	0.7910	0.7939	0.7967	0.7995	0.8023	0.8051	0.8078	0.8106	0.8133
0.9	0.8159	0.8186	0.8212	0.8238	0.8264	0.8289	0.8315	0.8340	0.8365	0.8389
1.0	0.8413	0.8438	0.8461	0.8485	0.8508	0.8531	0.8554	0.8577	0.8599	0.8621
1.1	0.8643	0.8665	0.8686	0.8708	0.8729	0.8749	0.8770	0.8790	0.8810	0.8830
1.2	0.8849	0.8869	0.8888	0.8907	0.8925	0.8944	0.8962	0.8980	0.8997	0.9015
1.3	0.9032	0.9049	0.9066	0.9082	0.9099	0.9115	0.9131	0.9147	0.9162	0.9177
1.4	0.9192	0.9207	0.9222	0.9236	0.9251	0.9265	0.9279	0.9292	0.9306	0.9319
1.5	0.9332	0.9345	0.9357	0.9370	0.9382	0.9394	0.9406	0.9418	0.9429	0.9441
1.6	0.9452	0.9463	0.9474	0.9484	0.9495	0.9505	0.9515	0.9525	0.9535	0.9545
1.7	0.9554	0.9564	0.9573	0.9582	0.9591	0.9599	0.9608	0.9616	0.9625	0.9633
1.8	0.9641	0.9649	0.9656	0.9664	0.9671	0.9678	0.9686	0.9693	0.9699	0.9706
1.9	0.9713	0.9719	0.9726	0.9732	0.9738	0.9744	0.9750	0.9756	0.9761	0.9767
2.0	0.9772	0.9778	0.9783	0.9788	0.9793	0.9798	0.9803	0.9808	0.9812	0.9817
2.1	0.9821	0.9826	0.9830	0.9834	0.9838	0.9842	0.9846	0.9850	0.9854	0.9857
2.2	0.9861	0.9864	0.9868	0.9871	0.9875	0.9878	0.9881	0.9884	0.9887	0.9890
2.3	0.9893	0.9896	0.9898	0.9901	0.9904	0.9906	0.9909	0.9911	0.9913	0.9916
2.4	0.9918	0.9920	0.9922	0.9925	0.9927	0.9929	0.9931	0.9932	0.9934	0.9936
2.5	0.9938	0.9940	0.9941	0.9943	0.9945	0.9946	0.9948	0.9949	0.9951	0.9952
2.6	0.9953	0.9955	0.9956	0.9957	0.9959	0.9960	0.9961	0.9962	0.9963	0.9964
2.7	0.9965	0.9966	0.9967	0.9968	0.9969	0.9970	0.9971	0.9972	0.9973	0.9974
2.8	0.9974	0.9975	0.9976	0.9977	0.9977	0.9978	0.9979	0.9979	0.9980	0.9981
2.9	0.9981	0.9982	0.9982	0.9983	0.9984	0.9984	0.9985	0.9985	0.9986	0.9986
3.0	0.9987	0.9987	0.9987	0.9988	0.9988	0.9989	0.9989	0.9989	0.9990	0.9990
3.1	0.9990	0.9991	0.9991	0.9991	0.9992	0.9992	0.9992	0.9992	0.9993	0.9993
3.2	0.9993	0.9993	0.9994	0.9994	0.9994	0.9994	0.9994	0.9995	0.9995	0.9995
3.3	0.9995	0.9995	0.9995	0.9996	0.9996	0.9996	0.9996	0.9996	0.9996	0.9997
3.4	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9997	0.9998
3.5	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998	0.9998
3.6	0.9998	0.9998	0.9999							

Table A.2

t Distribution: Critical Values of t

		Significance level					
Degrees of freedom	*Two-tailed test:*	10%	5%	2%	1%	0.2%	0.1%
	One-tailed test:	5%	2.5%	1%	0.5%	0.1%	0.05%
1		6.314	12.706	31.821	63.657	318.309	636.619
2		2.920	4.303	6.965	9.925	22.327	31.599
3		2.353	3.182	4.541	5.841	10.215	12.924
4		2.132	2.776	3.747	4.604	7.173	8.610
5		2.015	2.571	3.365	4.032	5.893	6.869
6		1.943	2.447	3.143	3.707	5.208	5.959
7		1.894	2.365	2.998	3.499	4.785	5.408
8		1.860	2.306	2.896	3.355	4.501	5.041
9		1.833	2.262	2.821	3.250	4.297	4.781
10		1.812	2.228	2.764	3.169	4.144	4.587
11		1.796	2.201	2.718	3.106	4.025	4.437
12		1.782	2.179	2.681	3.055	3.930	4.318
13		1.771	2.160	2.650	3.012	3.852	4.221
14		1.761	2.145	2.624	2.977	3.787	4.140
15		1.753	2.131	2.602	2.947	3.733	4.073
16		1.746	2.120	2.583	2.921	3.686	4.015
17		1.740	2.110	2.567	2.898	3.646	3.965
18		1.734	2.101	2.552	2.878	3.610	3.922
19		1.729	2.093	2.539	2.861	3.579	3.883
20		1.725	2.086	2.528	2.845	3.552	3.850
21		1.721	2.080	2.518	2.831	3.527	3.819
22		1.717	2.074	2.508	2.819	3.505	3.792
23		1.714	2.069	2.500	2.807	3.485	3.768
24		1.711	2.064	2.492	2.797	3.467	3.745
25		1.708	2.060	2.485	2.787	3.450	3.725
26		1.706	2.056	2.479	2.779	3.435	3.707
27		1.703	2.052	2.473	2.771	3.421	3.690
28		1.701	2.048	2.467	2.763	3.408	3.674
29		1.699	2.045	2.462	2.756	3.396	3.659
30		1.697	2.042	2.457	2.750	3.385	3.646
32		1.694	2.037	2.449	2.738	3.365	3.622
34		1.691	2.032	2.441	2.728	3.348	3.601
36		1.688	2.028	2.434	2.719	3.333	3.582
38		1.686	2.024	2.429	2.712	3.319	3.566
40		1.684	2.021	2.423	2.704	3.307	3.551
42		1.682	2.018	2.418	2.698	3.296	3.538
44		1.680	2.015	2.414	2.692	3.286	3.526
46		1.679	2.013	2.410	2.687	3.277	3.515
48		1.677	2.011	2.407	2.682	3.269	3.505
50		1.676	2.009	2.403	2.678	3.261	3.496
60		1.671	2.000	2.390	2.660	3.232	3.460
70		1.667	1.994	2.381	2.648	3.211	3.435
80		1.664	1.990	2.374	2.639	3.195	3.416
90		1.662	1.987	2.368	2.632	3.183	3.402
100		1.660	1.984	2.364	2.626	3.174	3.390
120		1.658	1.980	2.358	2.617	3.160	3.373
150		1.655	1.976	2.351	2.609	3.145	3.357
200		1.653	1.972	2.345	2.601	3.131	3.340
300		1.650	1.968	2.339	2.592	3.118	3.323
400		1.649	1.966	2.336	2.588	3.111	3.315
500		1.648	1.965	2.334	2.586	3.107	3.310
600		1.647	1.964	2.333	2.584	3.104	3.307
∞		1.645	1.960	2.326	2.576	3.090	3.291