

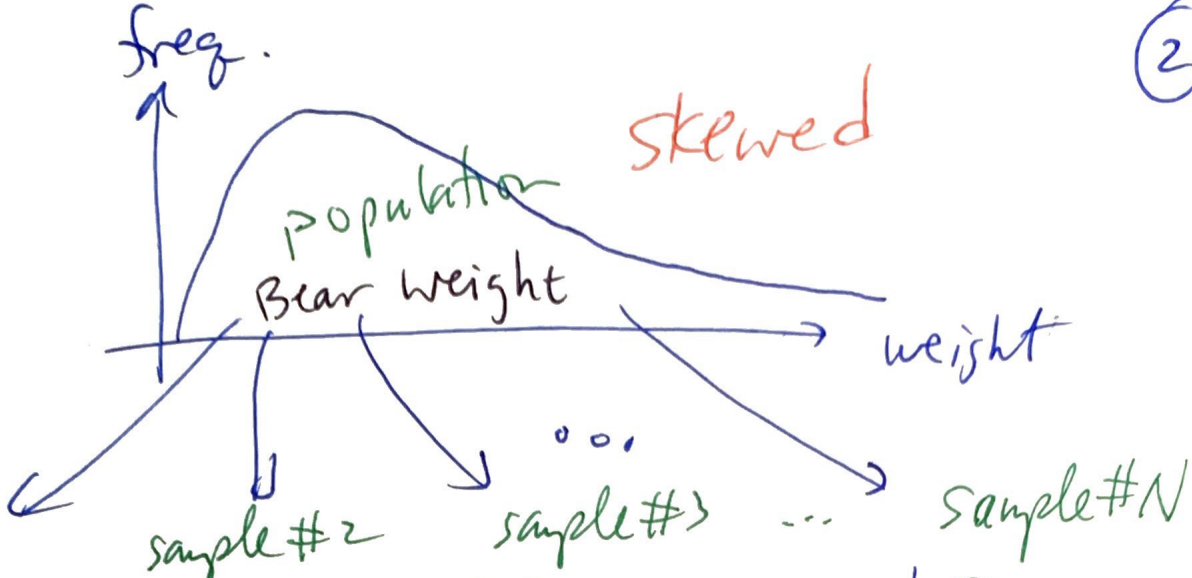
## 7.3 The Central Limit Theorem AND Statistics of "Grouped Means" ①

The class work we just finished contained the following activity

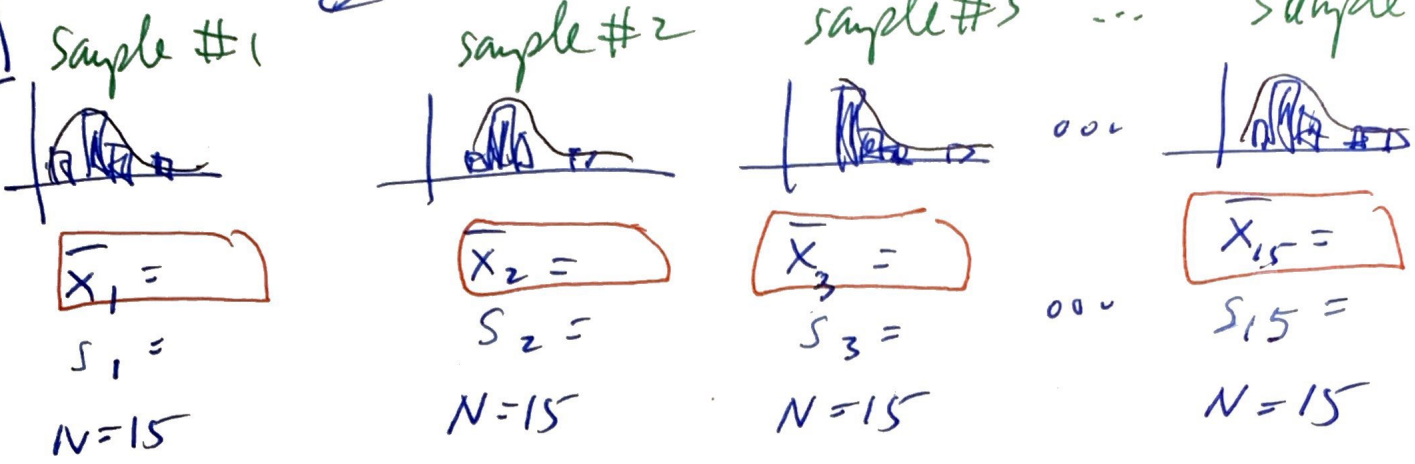
1. Studied "Bear" weight: shape  
we noticed the data is skewed left.
2. Used random.org to tell us how to collect a sample of size  $N=15$ .
3. We selected from the Bear Database those 15 individual bear's weights, and placed them into Statdisk.
4. We analyzed our samples and created a histogram and Box plot. We generally noticed that our sample data was likewise skewed left like the population it came from.
5. Finally, we collected the mean from each student <sup>sample</sup> and placed those into Statdisk. We saw a Normal Distribution of the sample means from the class.

Recap

I



II

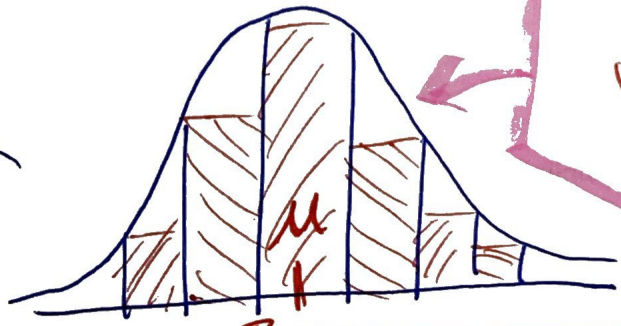


• Frequency Table

$\bar{x}$	Freq
150-169	11
170-189	1111
190-209	1111111111
210-229	1111
230-249	111

III

• Histogram



distribution shape of the mean values of the sample is unimodal and symmetric (N. Dist!!)

model

$$N \left( \mu_{\bar{x}} = \mu_{pop}, \sigma_{\bar{x}} = \frac{\sigma_{pop}}{\sqrt{N}} \right)$$



The Central Limit Thm has (3)  
conditions that must be met:

Independent Samples:

**Independence** • Subjects need to be independent from each other.

**Random** • Data must be randomly gathered.

**10% Condition** • We collect the sample w/o replacement. So the sample must not exceed 10% of the population.

**Sample size based on skewness** • If the population's distribution of the parameter of interest is skewed we need a sample size of  $N \geq 30$  (The less skewed the data a smaller sample size is allowed.)

## ⊗ Application: "Grouped Means" (4)

- This application allows us to describe the attributes of a group of data's mean values

- For a group of sampled data of size  $N$ , the mean value follows, per the CLT thing, the model:  $N(\mu, \sigma/\sqrt{N})$ 
  - ↑ normal dist.
  - ↑ mean
  - ← std. dev.

{ think z-tables }

- We are given the population's mean value AND standard deviation for some parameter (Individual)
- We <sup>then</sup> calculate probabilities for whole groups of data pulled from the population

{ We are only discussing the group's mean value of a parameter, not the individual's parameter }



EX

The national mean SAT score is

500 with a standard deviation of 100.

Q: What can you say for an average class of 20 students SAT scores?

Hint: Use the empirical Rule-of-thumb

- Individuals follow  $N(\mu=500, \sigma=100)$
- Groups of 20 follow  $N(\bar{x}=500, s=\frac{100}{\sqrt{20}})$

\* Assuming we meet the conditions

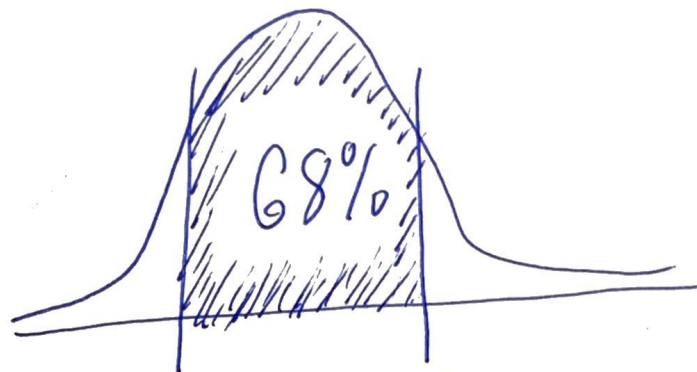
1. Independence: Assume the 20 students come from different H.S.
2. Randomness: Assumed the sample was chosen randomly
3. 10% condition: 20 students form less than 10% of national SAT takers. {we have more than 200 individual in the population}
4. Sample size:  $N=20$  is less than 30 but we assume the Populations distribution shape is unimodal & symmetric.

## EX Continued

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- 68% of groups of sample size 20 will have a mean SAT score between

$$500 \pm \frac{100}{\sqrt{20}}$$



$$500 - \frac{100}{\sqrt{20}}$$

$$= 500 - 22.36$$

$$= \boxed{477.64}$$

$$500 + \frac{100}{\sqrt{20}}$$

$$= 500 + 22.36$$

$$= \boxed{522.36}$$

i.e., 68% of groups of 20 have a group mean value between  $\boxed{478 - 522}$

Likewise 95% of groups of 20 have a group mean value between 456 to 545

NOTE : Individual SAT scores will find 68% of SAT test takers fall between

i.e.,  $500 - 100$  to  $500 + 100$   
 $\boxed{400 \text{ to } 600}$



EX Use the z-tables

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Engineers design a large elevator to hold 40 people

The maximum payload is 8120 lbs.

The National Health Database reports that the weights of men follows a mean of 194 lbs with a std. dev. of 68 lbs.

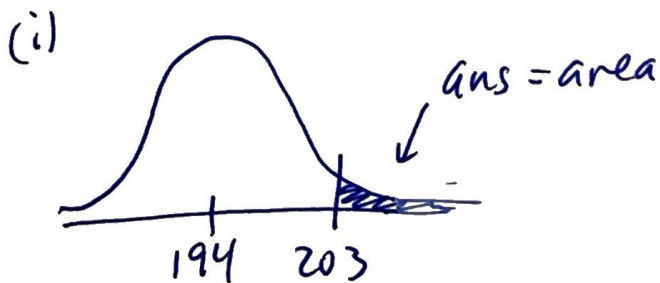
{ for women  $\mu = 164$ ,  $\sigma = 77$  lbs }

(a) If 40 men are on the elevator what is their average weight if indeed their total weight is the 8120 lb max weight?

$$8120 / 40 = \underline{\underline{203 \text{ lbs}}}$$

(b) Now, if a random sample of 40 men ride the elevator, what is the probability the group's mean weight exceeds 203 lbs [8120 lb limit]?

$$\mu_{\bar{x}} = \mu_{\text{pop}} = 194 \text{ lbs}, \sigma_{\bar{x}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{pop}}}{\sqrt{40}} = \frac{68 \text{ lb}}{\sqrt{40}} = \underline{\underline{10.75 \text{ lb}}}$$



(ii)

$$z_{\bar{x}} = \frac{203 - 194}{10.75} = \underline{\underline{0.84}}$$

(iii)

$$\begin{aligned} P(\bar{x} > 203) &= 1 - P(\bar{x} < 203) \\ &= 1 - P(z < 0.84) \\ &= 1 - 0.7995 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{row } 0.8 \\ \text{col } 0.04 \end{array} \right. \\ &= 0.2005 \quad \text{or} \\ &= \underline{\underline{20\% \text{ chance}}} \end{aligned}$$