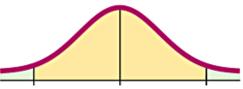


Sampling Distributions and Test Stastics

Parameter	Sampling Distribution	Requirements	Test Statistic
Proportion <i>p</i>	Normal (<i>z</i>)	<i>np</i> ≥ 5 and <i>nq</i> ≥ 5	$z = \frac{\hat{p} - p}{\sqrt{\frac{pq}{n}}}$
Mean µ	t	σ not known and normally distributed population or σ not known and $n > 30$	$t = \frac{\overline{x} - \mu}{\frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}}$
Mean µ	Normal (<i>z</i>)	σ known and normally distributed population or σ known and $n > 30$	$z = \frac{\overline{x} - \mu}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}$
St. dev. σ or variance σ ²	x ²	Strict requirement: normally distributed population	$\boldsymbol{\chi}^2 = \frac{(n-1)\boldsymbol{s}^2}{\sigma^2}$

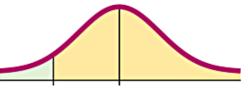
Types of Tests

• **Two-tailed test:** The critical region is in the two extreme regions (tails) under the curve.



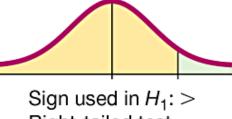
Sign used in H_1 : \neq Two-tailed test

• Left-tailed test: The critical region is in the extreme left region (tail) under the curve.



Sign used in *H*₁: < Left-tailed test

• **Right-tailed test:** The critical region is in the extreme right region (tail) under the curve.



Right-tailed test

