

**STATISTICS****SECTION II****Part B****Question 6**

**Spend about 25 minutes on this part of the exam.**

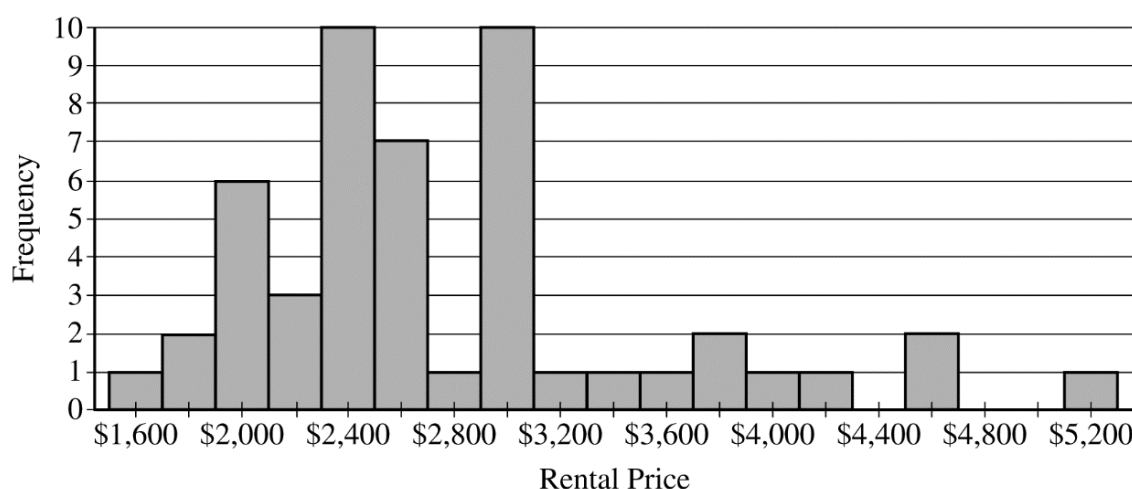
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**Directions:** Show all your work. Indicate clearly the methods you use, because you will be scored on the correctness of your methods as well as on the accuracy and completeness of your results and explanations.

6. Emma is moving to a large city and is investigating typical monthly rental prices of available one-bedroom apartments. She obtained a random sample of rental prices for 50 one-bedroom apartments taken from a Web site where people voluntarily list available apartments.

(a) Describe the population for which it is appropriate for Emma to generalize the results from her sample.

The distribution of the 50 rental prices of the available apartments is shown in the following histogram.



- (b) Emma wants to estimate the typical rental price of a one-bedroom apartment in the city. Based on the distribution shown, what is a disadvantage of using the mean rather than the median as an estimate of the typical rental price?
- (c) Instead of using the sample median as the point estimate for the population median, Emma wants to use an interval estimate. However, computing an interval estimate requires knowing the sampling distribution of the sample median for samples of size 50. Emma has one point, her sample median, in that sampling distribution. Using information about rental prices that are available on the Web site, describe how someone could develop a theoretical sampling distribution of the sample median for samples of size 50.

Because Emma does not have the resources to develop the theoretical sampling distribution, she estimates the sampling distribution of the sample median using a process called bootstrapping. In the bootstrapping process, a computer program performs the following steps.

- Take a random sample, with replacement, of size 50 from the original sample.
- Calculate and record the median of the sample.
- Repeat the process to obtain a total of 15,000 medians.

Emma ran the bootstrap process, and the following frequency table is the bootstrap distribution showing her results of generating 15,000 medians.

| Bootstrap Distribution of Medians |           |         |           |         |           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| Median                            | Frequency | Median  | Frequency | Median  | Frequency |
| 2,345                             | 1         | 2,585   | 1         | 2,825   | 247       |
| 2,390                             | 13        | 2,587.5 | 171       | 2,837.5 | 7         |
| 2,395                             | 18        | 2,600   | 22        | 2,847.5 | 1         |
| 2,400                             | 56        | 2,612.5 | 1,190     | 2,872.5 | 317       |
| 2,445                             | 4         | 2,625   | 174       | 2,885   | 10        |
| 2,447.5                           | 56        | 2,672.5 | 5         | 2,950   | 700       |
| 2,450                             | 55        | 2,675   | 1,924     | 2,962.5 | 93        |
| 2,475                             | 3         | 2,687.5 | 1,341     | 2,972.5 | 6         |
| 2,495                             | 66        | 2,700   | 2,825     | 2,975   | 65        |
| 2,497.5                           | 136       | 2,735   | 35        | 2,985   | 12        |
| 2,500                             | 1,899     | 2,747.5 | 619       | 2,987.5 | 1         |
| 2,522.5                           | 2         | 2,750   | 2         | 2,995   | 6         |
| 2,525                             | 945       | 2,795   | 278       | 3,000   | 2         |
| 2,550                             | 1,673     | 2,812.5 | 16        | 3,062.5 | 3         |

The bootstrap distribution provides an approximation of the sampling distribution of the sample median. A confidence interval for the median can be constructed using a percentage of the values in the middle of the bootstrap distribution.

(d) Use the frequency table to find the following.

(i) Value of the 5th percentile:

(ii) Value of the 95th percentile:

(e) Find the percentage of bootstrap medians in the table that are equal to or between the values found in part (d).

(f) Use your values from parts (d) and (e) to construct and interpret a confidence interval for the median rental price.

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Probability

Table entry for  $z$  is the probability lying below  $z$ .

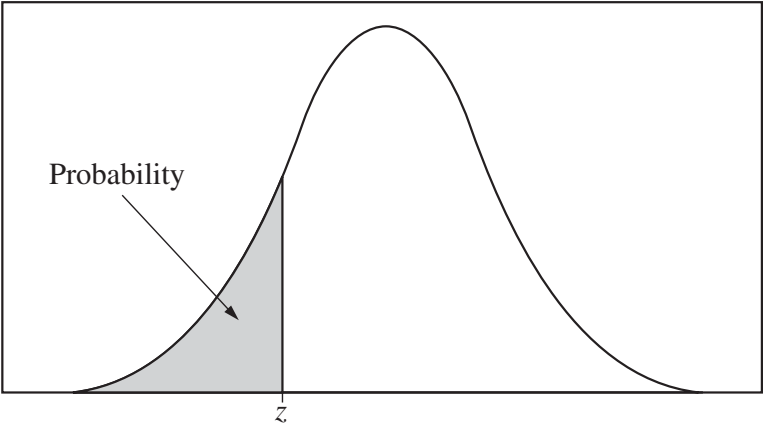


Table A    Standard normal probabilities

| $z$  | .00   | .01   | .02   | .03   | .04   | .05   | .06   | .07   | .08   | .09   |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| −3.4 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0002 |
| −3.3 | .0005 | .0005 | .0005 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0003 |
| −3.2 | .0007 | .0007 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0005 | .0005 | .0005 |
| −3.1 | .0010 | .0009 | .0009 | .0009 | .0008 | .0008 | .0008 | .0008 | .0007 | .0007 |
| −3.0 | .0013 | .0013 | .0013 | .0012 | .0012 | .0011 | .0011 | .0011 | .0010 | .0010 |
| −2.9 | .0019 | .0018 | .0018 | .0017 | .0016 | .0016 | .0015 | .0015 | .0014 | .0014 |
| −2.8 | .0026 | .0025 | .0024 | .0023 | .0023 | .0022 | .0021 | .0021 | .0020 | .0019 |
| −2.7 | .0035 | .0034 | .0033 | .0032 | .0031 | .0030 | .0029 | .0028 | .0027 | .0026 |
| −2.6 | .0047 | .0045 | .0044 | .0043 | .0041 | .0040 | .0039 | .0038 | .0037 | .0036 |
| −2.5 | .0062 | .0060 | .0059 | .0057 | .0055 | .0054 | .0052 | .0051 | .0049 | .0048 |
| −2.4 | .0082 | .0080 | .0078 | .0075 | .0073 | .0071 | .0069 | .0068 | .0066 | .0064 |
| −2.3 | .0107 | .0104 | .0102 | .0099 | .0096 | .0094 | .0091 | .0089 | .0087 | .0084 |
| −2.2 | .0139 | .0136 | .0132 | .0129 | .0125 | .0122 | .0119 | .0116 | .0113 | .0110 |
| −2.1 | .0179 | .0174 | .0170 | .0166 | .0162 | .0158 | .0154 | .0150 | .0146 | .0143 |
| −2.0 | .0228 | .0222 | .0217 | .0212 | .0207 | .0202 | .0197 | .0192 | .0188 | .0183 |
| −1.9 | .0287 | .0281 | .0274 | .0268 | .0262 | .0256 | .0250 | .0244 | .0239 | .0233 |
| −1.8 | .0359 | .0351 | .0344 | .0336 | .0329 | .0322 | .0314 | .0307 | .0301 | .0294 |
| −1.7 | .0446 | .0436 | .0427 | .0418 | .0409 | .0401 | .0392 | .0384 | .0375 | .0367 |
| −1.6 | .0548 | .0537 | .0526 | .0516 | .0505 | .0495 | .0485 | .0475 | .0465 | .0455 |
| −1.5 | .0668 | .0655 | .0643 | .0630 | .0618 | .0606 | .0594 | .0582 | .0571 | .0559 |
| −1.4 | .0808 | .0793 | .0778 | .0764 | .0749 | .0735 | .0721 | .0708 | .0694 | .0681 |
| −1.3 | .0968 | .0951 | .0934 | .0918 | .0901 | .0885 | .0869 | .0853 | .0838 | .0823 |
| −1.2 | .1151 | .1131 | .1112 | .1093 | .1075 | .1056 | .1038 | .1020 | .1003 | .0985 |
| −1.1 | .1357 | .1335 | .1314 | .1292 | .1271 | .1251 | .1230 | .1210 | .1190 | .1170 |
| −1.0 | .1587 | .1562 | .1539 | .1515 | .1492 | .1469 | .1446 | .1423 | .1401 | .1379 |
| −0.9 | .1841 | .1814 | .1788 | .1762 | .1736 | .1711 | .1685 | .1660 | .1635 | .1611 |
| −0.8 | .2119 | .2090 | .2061 | .2033 | .2005 | .1977 | .1949 | .1922 | .1894 | .1867 |
| −0.7 | .2420 | .2389 | .2358 | .2327 | .2296 | .2266 | .2236 | .2206 | .2177 | .2148 |
| −0.6 | .2743 | .2709 | .2676 | .2643 | .2611 | .2578 | .2546 | .2514 | .2483 | .2451 |
| −0.5 | .3085 | .3050 | .3015 | .2981 | .2946 | .2912 | .2877 | .2843 | .2810 | .2776 |
| −0.4 | .3446 | .3409 | .3372 | .3336 | .3300 | .3264 | .3228 | .3192 | .3156 | .3121 |
| −0.3 | .3821 | .3783 | .3745 | .3707 | .3669 | .3632 | .3594 | .3557 | .3520 | .3483 |
| −0.2 | .4207 | .4168 | .4129 | .4090 | .4052 | .4013 | .3974 | .3936 | .3897 | .3859 |
| −0.1 | .4602 | .4562 | .4522 | .4483 | .4443 | .4404 | .4364 | .4325 | .4286 | .4247 |
| −0.0 | .5000 | .4960 | .4920 | .4880 | .4840 | .4801 | .4761 | .4721 | .4681 | .4641 |

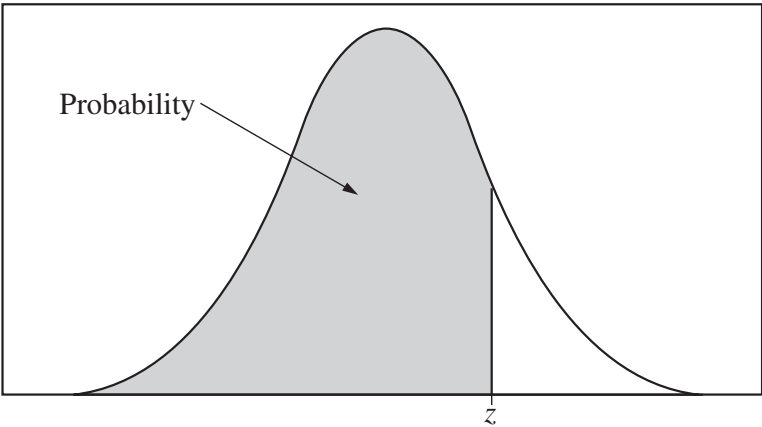


Table entry for  $z$  is the probability lying below  $z$ .

Table A (Continued)

| $z$ | .00   | .01   | .02   | .03   | .04   | .05   | .06   | .07   | .08   | .09   |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0.0 | .5000 | .5040 | .5080 | .5120 | .5160 | .5199 | .5239 | .5279 | .5319 | .5359 |
| 0.1 | .5398 | .5438 | .5478 | .5517 | .5557 | .5596 | .5636 | .5675 | .5714 | .5753 |
| 0.2 | .5793 | .5832 | .5871 | .5910 | .5948 | .5987 | .6026 | .6064 | .6103 | .6141 |
| 0.3 | .6179 | .6217 | .6255 | .6293 | .6331 | .6368 | .6406 | .6443 | .6480 | .6517 |
| 0.4 | .6554 | .6591 | .6628 | .6664 | .6700 | .6736 | .6772 | .6808 | .6844 | .6879 |
| 0.5 | .6915 | .6950 | .6985 | .7019 | .7054 | .7088 | .7123 | .7157 | .7190 | .7224 |
| 0.6 | .7257 | .7291 | .7324 | .7357 | .7389 | .7422 | .7454 | .7486 | .7517 | .7549 |
| 0.7 | .7580 | .7611 | .7642 | .7673 | .7704 | .7734 | .7764 | .7794 | .7823 | .7852 |
| 0.8 | .7881 | .7910 | .7939 | .7967 | .7995 | .8023 | .8051 | .8078 | .8106 | .8133 |
| 0.9 | .8159 | .8186 | .8212 | .8238 | .8264 | .8289 | .8315 | .8340 | .8365 | .8389 |
| 1.0 | .8413 | .8438 | .8461 | .8485 | .8508 | .8531 | .8554 | .8577 | .8599 | .8621 |
| 1.1 | .8643 | .8665 | .8686 | .8708 | .8729 | .8749 | .8770 | .8790 | .8810 | .8830 |
| 1.2 | .8849 | .8869 | .8888 | .8907 | .8925 | .8944 | .8962 | .8980 | .8997 | .9015 |
| 1.3 | .9032 | .9049 | .9066 | .9082 | .9099 | .9115 | .9131 | .9147 | .9162 | .9177 |
| 1.4 | .9192 | .9207 | .9222 | .9236 | .9251 | .9265 | .9279 | .9292 | .9306 | .9319 |
| 1.5 | .9332 | .9345 | .9357 | .9370 | .9382 | .9394 | .9406 | .9418 | .9429 | .9441 |
| 1.6 | .9452 | .9463 | .9474 | .9484 | .9495 | .9505 | .9515 | .9525 | .9535 | .9545 |
| 1.7 | .9554 | .9564 | .9573 | .9582 | .9591 | .9599 | .9608 | .9616 | .9625 | .9633 |
| 1.8 | .9641 | .9649 | .9656 | .9664 | .9671 | .9678 | .9686 | .9693 | .9699 | .9706 |
| 1.9 | .9713 | .9719 | .9726 | .9732 | .9738 | .9744 | .9750 | .9756 | .9761 | .9767 |
| 2.0 | .9772 | .9778 | .9783 | .9788 | .9793 | .9798 | .9803 | .9808 | .9812 | .9817 |
| 2.1 | .9821 | .9826 | .9830 | .9834 | .9838 | .9842 | .9846 | .9850 | .9854 | .9857 |
| 2.2 | .9861 | .9864 | .9868 | .9871 | .9875 | .9878 | .9881 | .9884 | .9887 | .9890 |
| 2.3 | .9893 | .9896 | .9898 | .9901 | .9904 | .9906 | .9909 | .9911 | .9913 | .9916 |
| 2.4 | .9918 | .9920 | .9922 | .9925 | .9927 | .9929 | .9931 | .9932 | .9934 | .9936 |
| 2.5 | .9938 | .9940 | .9941 | .9943 | .9945 | .9946 | .9948 | .9949 | .9951 | .9952 |
| 2.6 | .9953 | .9955 | .9956 | .9957 | .9959 | .9960 | .9961 | .9962 | .9963 | .9964 |
| 2.7 | .9965 | .9966 | .9967 | .9968 | .9969 | .9970 | .9971 | .9972 | .9973 | .9974 |
| 2.8 | .9974 | .9975 | .9976 | .9977 | .9977 | .9978 | .9979 | .9979 | .9980 | .9981 |
| 2.9 | .9981 | .9982 | .9982 | .9983 | .9984 | .9984 | .9985 | .9985 | .9986 | .9986 |
| 3.0 | .9987 | .9987 | .9987 | .9988 | .9988 | .9989 | .9989 | .9989 | .9990 | .9990 |
| 3.1 | .9990 | .9991 | .9991 | .9991 | .9992 | .9992 | .9992 | .9992 | .9993 | .9993 |
| 3.2 | .9993 | .9993 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9995 | .9995 | .9995 |
| 3.3 | .9995 | .9995 | .9995 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9997 |
| 3.4 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9998 |

Table entry for  $p$  and  $C$  is the point  $t^*$  with probability  $p$  lying above it and probability  $C$  lying between  $-t^*$  and  $t^*$ .

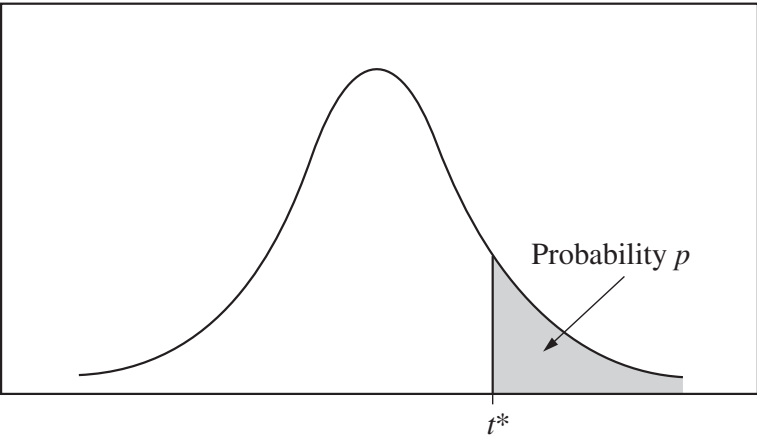


Table B  $t$  distribution critical values

| df                                                    | Tail probability $p$ |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                                       | .25                  | .20   | .15   | .10   | .05   | .025  | .02   | .01   | .005  | .0025 | .001  | .0005 |
| 1                                                     | 1.000                | 1.376 | 1.963 | 3.078 | 6.314 | 12.71 | 15.89 | 31.82 | 63.66 | 127.3 | 318.3 | 636.6 |
| 2                                                     | .816                 | 1.061 | 1.386 | 1.886 | 2.920 | 4.303 | 4.849 | 6.965 | 9.925 | 14.09 | 22.33 | 31.60 |
| 3                                                     | .765                 | .978  | 1.250 | 1.638 | 2.353 | 3.182 | 3.482 | 4.541 | 5.841 | 7.453 | 10.21 | 12.92 |
| 4                                                     | .741                 | .941  | 1.190 | 1.533 | 2.132 | 2.776 | 2.999 | 3.747 | 4.604 | 5.598 | 7.173 | 8.610 |
| 5                                                     | .727                 | .920  | 1.156 | 1.476 | 2.015 | 2.571 | 2.757 | 3.365 | 4.032 | 4.773 | 5.893 | 6.869 |
| 6                                                     | .718                 | .906  | 1.134 | 1.440 | 1.943 | 2.447 | 2.612 | 3.143 | 3.707 | 4.317 | 5.208 | 5.959 |
| 7                                                     | .711                 | .896  | 1.119 | 1.415 | 1.895 | 2.365 | 2.517 | 2.998 | 3.499 | 4.029 | 4.785 | 5.408 |
| 8                                                     | .706                 | .889  | 1.108 | 1.397 | 1.860 | 2.306 | 2.449 | 2.896 | 3.355 | 3.833 | 4.501 | 5.041 |
| 9                                                     | .703                 | .883  | 1.100 | 1.383 | 1.833 | 2.262 | 2.398 | 2.821 | 3.250 | 3.690 | 4.297 | 4.781 |
| 10                                                    | .700                 | .879  | 1.093 | 1.372 | 1.812 | 2.228 | 2.359 | 2.764 | 3.169 | 3.581 | 4.144 | 4.587 |
| 11                                                    | .697                 | .876  | 1.088 | 1.363 | 1.796 | 2.201 | 2.328 | 2.718 | 3.106 | 3.497 | 4.025 | 4.437 |
| 12                                                    | .695                 | .873  | 1.083 | 1.356 | 1.782 | 2.179 | 2.303 | 2.681 | 3.055 | 3.428 | 3.930 | 4.318 |
| 13                                                    | .694                 | .870  | 1.079 | 1.350 | 1.771 | 2.160 | 2.282 | 2.650 | 3.012 | 3.372 | 3.852 | 4.221 |
| 14                                                    | .692                 | .868  | 1.076 | 1.345 | 1.761 | 2.145 | 2.264 | 2.624 | 2.977 | 3.326 | 3.787 | 4.140 |
| 15                                                    | .691                 | .866  | 1.074 | 1.341 | 1.753 | 2.131 | 2.249 | 2.602 | 2.947 | 3.286 | 3.733 | 4.073 |
| 16                                                    | .690                 | .865  | 1.071 | 1.337 | 1.746 | 2.120 | 2.235 | 2.583 | 2.921 | 3.252 | 3.686 | 4.015 |
| 17                                                    | .689                 | .863  | 1.069 | 1.333 | 1.740 | 2.110 | 2.224 | 2.567 | 2.898 | 3.222 | 3.646 | 3.965 |
| 18                                                    | .688                 | .862  | 1.067 | 1.330 | 1.734 | 2.101 | 2.214 | 2.552 | 2.878 | 3.197 | 3.611 | 3.922 |
| 19                                                    | .688                 | .861  | 1.066 | 1.328 | 1.729 | 2.093 | 2.205 | 2.539 | 2.861 | 3.174 | 3.579 | 3.883 |
| 20                                                    | .687                 | .860  | 1.064 | 1.325 | 1.725 | 2.086 | 2.197 | 2.528 | 2.845 | 3.153 | 3.552 | 3.850 |
| 21                                                    | .686                 | .859  | 1.063 | 1.323 | 1.721 | 2.080 | 2.189 | 2.518 | 2.831 | 3.135 | 3.527 | 3.819 |
| 22                                                    | .686                 | .858  | 1.061 | 1.321 | 1.717 | 2.074 | 2.183 | 2.508 | 2.819 | 3.119 | 3.505 | 3.792 |
| 23                                                    | .685                 | .858  | 1.060 | 1.319 | 1.714 | 2.069 | 2.177 | 2.500 | 2.807 | 3.104 | 3.485 | 3.768 |
| 24                                                    | .685                 | .857  | 1.059 | 1.318 | 1.711 | 2.064 | 2.172 | 2.492 | 2.797 | 3.091 | 3.467 | 3.745 |
| 25                                                    | .684                 | .856  | 1.058 | 1.316 | 1.708 | 2.060 | 2.167 | 2.485 | 2.787 | 3.078 | 3.450 | 3.725 |
| 26                                                    | .684                 | .856  | 1.058 | 1.315 | 1.706 | 2.056 | 2.162 | 2.479 | 2.779 | 3.067 | 3.435 | 3.707 |
| 27                                                    | .684                 | .855  | 1.057 | 1.314 | 1.703 | 2.052 | 2.158 | 2.473 | 2.771 | 3.057 | 3.421 | 3.690 |
| 28                                                    | .683                 | .855  | 1.056 | 1.313 | 1.701 | 2.048 | 2.154 | 2.467 | 2.763 | 3.047 | 3.408 | 3.674 |
| 29                                                    | .683                 | .854  | 1.055 | 1.311 | 1.699 | 2.045 | 2.150 | 2.462 | 2.756 | 3.038 | 3.396 | 3.659 |
| 30                                                    | .683                 | .854  | 1.055 | 1.310 | 1.697 | 2.042 | 2.147 | 2.457 | 2.750 | 3.030 | 3.385 | 3.646 |
| 40                                                    | .681                 | .851  | 1.050 | 1.303 | 1.684 | 2.021 | 2.123 | 2.423 | 2.704 | 2.971 | 3.307 | 3.551 |
| 50                                                    | .679                 | .849  | 1.047 | 1.299 | 1.676 | 2.009 | 2.109 | 2.403 | 2.678 | 2.937 | 3.261 | 3.496 |
| 60                                                    | .679                 | .848  | 1.045 | 1.296 | 1.671 | 2.000 | 2.099 | 2.390 | 2.660 | 2.915 | 3.232 | 3.460 |
| 80                                                    | .678                 | .846  | 1.043 | 1.292 | 1.664 | 1.990 | 2.088 | 2.374 | 2.639 | 2.887 | 3.195 | 3.416 |
| 100                                                   | .677                 | .845  | 1.042 | 1.290 | 1.660 | 1.984 | 2.081 | 2.364 | 2.626 | 2.871 | 3.174 | 3.390 |
| 1000                                                  | .675                 | .842  | 1.037 | 1.282 | 1.646 | 1.962 | 2.056 | 2.330 | 2.581 | 2.813 | 3.098 | 3.300 |
| $\infty$                                              | .674                 | .841  | 1.036 | 1.282 | 1.645 | 1.960 | 2.054 | 2.326 | 2.576 | 2.807 | 3.091 | 3.291 |
| 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 95% 96% 98% 99% 99.5% 99.8% 99.9% |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Confidence level $C$                                  |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |

Table entry for  $p$  is the point ( $\chi^2$ ) with probability  $p$  lying above it.

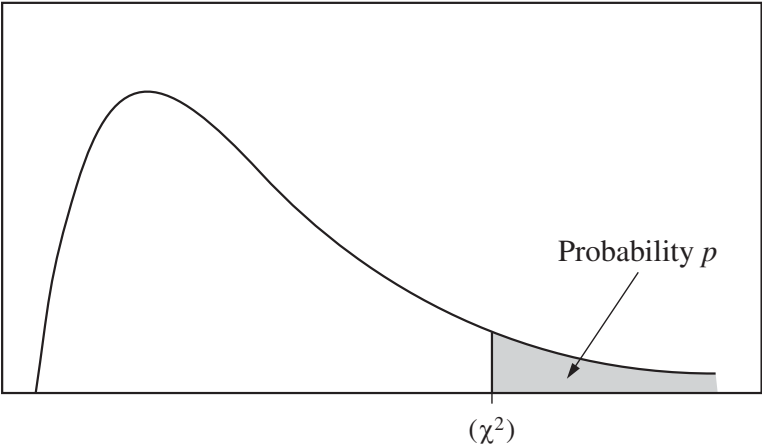


Table C  $\chi^2$  critical values

| df  | Tail probability $p$ |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|     | .25                  | .20   | .15   | .10   | .05   | .025  | .02   | .01   | .005  | .0025 | .001  | .0005 |
| 1   | 1.32                 | 1.64  | 2.07  | 2.71  | 3.84  | 5.02  | 5.41  | 6.63  | 7.88  | 9.14  | 10.83 | 12.12 |
| 2   | 2.77                 | 3.22  | 3.79  | 4.61  | 5.99  | 7.38  | 7.82  | 9.21  | 10.60 | 11.98 | 13.82 | 15.20 |
| 3   | 4.11                 | 4.64  | 5.32  | 6.25  | 7.81  | 9.35  | 9.84  | 11.34 | 12.84 | 14.32 | 16.27 | 17.73 |
| 4   | 5.39                 | 5.99  | 6.74  | 7.78  | 9.49  | 11.14 | 11.67 | 13.28 | 14.86 | 16.42 | 18.47 | 20.00 |
| 5   | 6.63                 | 7.29  | 8.12  | 9.24  | 11.07 | 12.83 | 13.39 | 15.09 | 16.75 | 18.39 | 20.51 | 22.11 |
| 6   | 7.84                 | 8.56  | 9.45  | 10.64 | 12.59 | 14.45 | 15.03 | 16.81 | 18.55 | 20.25 | 22.46 | 24.10 |
| 7   | 9.04                 | 9.80  | 10.75 | 12.02 | 14.07 | 16.01 | 16.62 | 18.48 | 20.28 | 22.04 | 24.32 | 26.02 |
| 8   | 10.22                | 11.03 | 12.03 | 13.36 | 15.51 | 17.53 | 18.17 | 20.09 | 21.95 | 23.77 | 26.12 | 27.87 |
| 9   | 11.39                | 12.24 | 13.29 | 14.68 | 16.92 | 19.02 | 19.68 | 21.67 | 23.59 | 25.46 | 27.88 | 29.67 |
| 10  | 12.55                | 13.44 | 14.53 | 15.99 | 18.31 | 20.48 | 21.16 | 23.21 | 25.19 | 27.11 | 29.59 | 31.42 |
| 11  | 13.70                | 14.63 | 15.77 | 17.28 | 19.68 | 21.92 | 22.62 | 24.72 | 26.76 | 28.73 | 31.26 | 33.14 |
| 12  | 14.85                | 15.81 | 16.99 | 18.55 | 21.03 | 23.34 | 24.05 | 26.22 | 28.30 | 30.32 | 32.91 | 34.82 |
| 13  | 15.98                | 16.98 | 18.20 | 19.81 | 22.36 | 24.74 | 25.47 | 27.69 | 29.82 | 31.88 | 34.53 | 36.48 |
| 14  | 17.12                | 18.15 | 19.41 | 21.06 | 23.68 | 26.12 | 26.87 | 29.14 | 31.32 | 33.43 | 36.12 | 38.11 |
| 15  | 18.25                | 19.31 | 20.60 | 22.31 | 25.00 | 27.49 | 28.26 | 30.58 | 32.80 | 34.95 | 37.70 | 39.72 |
| 16  | 19.37                | 20.47 | 21.79 | 23.54 | 26.30 | 28.85 | 29.63 | 32.00 | 34.27 | 36.46 | 39.25 | 41.31 |
| 17  | 20.49                | 21.61 | 22.98 | 24.77 | 27.59 | 30.19 | 31.00 | 33.41 | 35.72 | 37.95 | 40.79 | 42.88 |
| 18  | 21.60                | 22.76 | 24.16 | 25.99 | 28.87 | 31.53 | 32.35 | 34.81 | 37.16 | 39.42 | 42.31 | 44.43 |
| 19  | 22.72                | 23.90 | 25.33 | 27.20 | 30.14 | 32.85 | 33.69 | 36.19 | 38.58 | 40.88 | 43.82 | 45.97 |
| 20  | 23.83                | 25.04 | 26.50 | 28.41 | 31.41 | 34.17 | 35.02 | 37.57 | 40.00 | 42.34 | 45.31 | 47.50 |
| 21  | 24.93                | 26.17 | 27.66 | 29.62 | 32.67 | 35.48 | 36.34 | 38.93 | 41.40 | 43.78 | 46.80 | 49.01 |
| 22  | 26.04                | 27.30 | 28.82 | 30.81 | 33.92 | 36.78 | 37.66 | 40.29 | 42.80 | 45.20 | 48.27 | 50.51 |
| 23  | 27.14                | 28.43 | 29.98 | 32.01 | 35.17 | 38.08 | 38.97 | 41.64 | 44.18 | 46.62 | 49.73 | 52.00 |
| 24  | 28.24                | 29.55 | 31.13 | 33.20 | 36.42 | 39.36 | 40.27 | 42.98 | 45.56 | 48.03 | 51.18 | 53.48 |
| 25  | 29.34                | 30.68 | 32.28 | 34.38 | 37.65 | 40.65 | 41.57 | 44.31 | 46.93 | 49.44 | 52.62 | 54.95 |
| 26  | 30.43                | 31.79 | 33.43 | 35.56 | 38.89 | 41.92 | 42.86 | 45.64 | 48.29 | 50.83 | 54.05 | 56.41 |
| 27  | 31.53                | 32.91 | 34.57 | 36.74 | 40.11 | 43.19 | 44.14 | 46.96 | 49.64 | 52.22 | 55.48 | 57.86 |
| 28  | 32.62                | 34.03 | 35.71 | 37.92 | 41.34 | 44.46 | 45.42 | 48.28 | 50.99 | 53.59 | 56.89 | 59.30 |
| 29  | 33.71                | 35.14 | 36.85 | 39.09 | 42.56 | 45.72 | 46.69 | 49.59 | 52.34 | 54.97 | 58.30 | 60.73 |
| 30  | 34.80                | 36.25 | 37.99 | 40.26 | 43.77 | 46.98 | 47.96 | 50.89 | 53.67 | 56.33 | 59.70 | 62.16 |
| 40  | 45.62                | 47.27 | 49.24 | 51.81 | 55.76 | 59.34 | 60.44 | 63.69 | 66.77 | 69.70 | 73.40 | 76.09 |
| 50  | 56.33                | 58.16 | 60.35 | 63.17 | 67.50 | 71.42 | 72.61 | 76.15 | 79.49 | 82.66 | 86.66 | 89.56 |
| 60  | 66.98                | 68.97 | 71.34 | 74.40 | 79.08 | 83.30 | 84.58 | 88.38 | 91.95 | 95.34 | 99.61 | 102.7 |
| 80  | 88.13                | 90.41 | 93.11 | 96.58 | 101.9 | 106.6 | 108.1 | 112.3 | 116.3 | 120.1 | 124.8 | 128.3 |
| 100 | 109.1                | 111.7 | 114.7 | 118.5 | 124.3 | 129.6 | 131.1 | 135.8 | 140.2 | 144.3 | 149.4 | 153.2 |

2. An environmental science teacher at a high school with a large population of students wanted to estimate the proportion of students at the school who regularly recycle plastic bottles. The teacher selected a random sample of students at the school to survey. Each selected student went into the teacher's office, one at a time, and was asked to respond yes or no to the following question.

Do you regularly recycle plastic bottles?

Based on the responses, a 95 percent confidence interval for the proportion of all students at the school who would respond yes to the question was calculated as  $(0.584, 0.816)$ .

- (a) How many students were in the sample selected by the environmental science teacher?
- (b) Given the method used by the environmental science teacher to collect the responses, explain how bias might have been introduced and describe how the bias might affect the point estimate of the proportion of all students at the school who would respond yes to the question.
- (c) The statistics teacher at the high school was concerned about the potential bias in the survey. To obtain a potentially less biased estimate of the proportion, the statistics teacher used an alternate method for collecting student responses. A random sample of 300 students was selected, and each student was given the following instructions on how to respond to the question.
- In private, flip a fair coin.
  - If heads, you must respond no, regardless of whether you regularly recycle.
  - If tails, please truthfully respond yes or no.
- (i) What is the expected number of students from the sample of 300 who would be required to respond no because the coin flip resulted in heads?
- (ii) The results of the sample showed that 213 of the 300 selected students responded no. Based on the results of the sample, give a point estimate for the proportion of all students at the high school who would respond yes to the question.

## STATISTICS

## SECTION II

## Part B

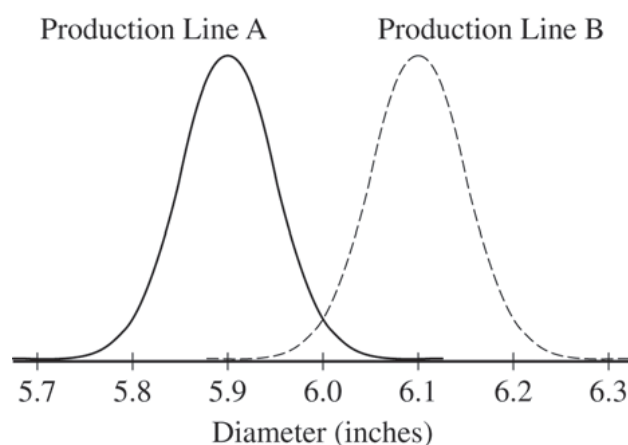
## Question 6

Spend about 25 minutes on this part of the exam.

Percent of Section II score—25

**Directions:** Show all your work. Indicate clearly the methods you use, because you will be scored on the correctness of your methods as well as on the accuracy and completeness of your results and explanations.

6. Corn tortillas are made at a large facility that produces 100,000 tortillas per day on each of its two production lines. The distribution of the diameters of the tortillas produced on production line A is approximately normal with mean 5.9 inches, and the distribution of the diameters of the tortillas produced on production line B is approximately normal with mean 6.1 inches. The figure below shows the distributions of diameters for the two production lines.



The tortillas produced at the factory are advertised as having a diameter of 6 inches. For the purpose of quality control, a sample of 200 tortillas is selected and the diameters are measured. From the sample of 200 tortillas, the manager of the facility wants to estimate the mean diameter, in inches, of the 200,000 tortillas produced on a given day. Two sampling methods have been proposed.

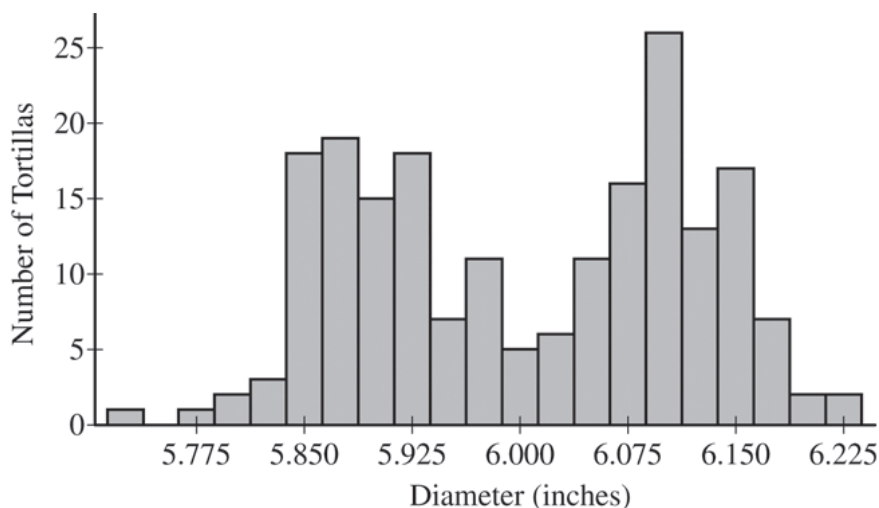
Method 1: Take a random sample of 200 tortillas from the 200,000 tortillas produced on a given day. Measure the diameter of each selected tortilla.

Method 2: Randomly select one of the two production lines on a given day. Take a random sample of 200 tortillas from the 100,000 tortillas produced by the selected production line. Measure the diameter of each selected tortilla.

- (a) Will a sample obtained using Method 2 be representative of the population of all tortillas made that day, with respect to the diameters of the tortillas? Explain why or why not.



- (b) The figure below is a histogram of 200 diameters obtained by using one of the two sampling methods described. Considering the shape of the histogram, explain which method, Method 1 or Method 2, was most likely used to obtain a such a sample.



- (c) Which of the two sampling methods, Method 1 or Method 2, will result in less variability in the diameters of the 200 tortillas in the sample on a given day? Explain.

Each day, the distribution of the 200,000 tortillas made that day has mean diameter 6 inches with standard deviation 0.11 inch.

- (d) For samples of size 200 taken from one day's production, describe the sampling distribution of the sample mean diameter for samples that are obtained using Method 1.
- (e) Suppose that one of the two sampling methods will be selected and used every day for one year (365 days). The sample mean of the 200 diameters will be recorded each day. Which of the two methods will result in less variability in the distribution of the 365 sample means? Explain.
- (f) A government inspector will visit the facility on June 22 to observe the sampling and to determine if the factory is in compliance with the advertised mean diameter of 6 inches. The manager knows that, with both sampling methods, the sample mean is an unbiased estimator of the population mean. However, the manager is unsure which method is more likely to produce a sample mean that is close to 6 inches on the day of sampling. Based on your previous answers, which of the two sampling methods, Method 1 or Method 2, is more likely to produce a sample mean close to 6 inches? Explain.

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**END OF EXAM**

Probability

Table entry for  $z$  is the probability lying below  $z$ .

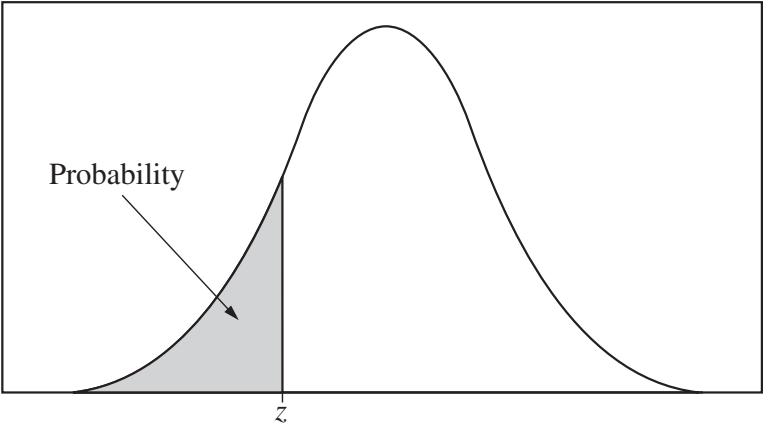


Table A    Standard normal probabilities

| $z$  | .00   | .01   | .02   | .03   | .04   | .05   | .06   | .07   | .08   | .09   |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| −3.4 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0003 | .0002 |
| −3.3 | .0005 | .0005 | .0005 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0004 | .0003 |
| −3.2 | .0007 | .0007 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0006 | .0005 | .0005 | .0005 |
| −3.1 | .0010 | .0009 | .0009 | .0009 | .0008 | .0008 | .0008 | .0008 | .0007 | .0007 |
| −3.0 | .0013 | .0013 | .0013 | .0012 | .0012 | .0011 | .0011 | .0011 | .0010 | .0010 |
| −2.9 | .0019 | .0018 | .0018 | .0017 | .0016 | .0016 | .0015 | .0015 | .0014 | .0014 |
| −2.8 | .0026 | .0025 | .0024 | .0023 | .0023 | .0022 | .0021 | .0021 | .0020 | .0019 |
| −2.7 | .0035 | .0034 | .0033 | .0032 | .0031 | .0030 | .0029 | .0028 | .0027 | .0026 |
| −2.6 | .0047 | .0045 | .0044 | .0043 | .0041 | .0040 | .0039 | .0038 | .0037 | .0036 |
| −2.5 | .0062 | .0060 | .0059 | .0057 | .0055 | .0054 | .0052 | .0051 | .0049 | .0048 |
| −2.4 | .0082 | .0080 | .0078 | .0075 | .0073 | .0071 | .0069 | .0068 | .0066 | .0064 |
| −2.3 | .0107 | .0104 | .0102 | .0099 | .0096 | .0094 | .0091 | .0089 | .0087 | .0084 |
| −2.2 | .0139 | .0136 | .0132 | .0129 | .0125 | .0122 | .0119 | .0116 | .0113 | .0110 |
| −2.1 | .0179 | .0174 | .0170 | .0166 | .0162 | .0158 | .0154 | .0150 | .0146 | .0143 |
| −2.0 | .0228 | .0222 | .0217 | .0212 | .0207 | .0202 | .0197 | .0192 | .0188 | .0183 |
| −1.9 | .0287 | .0281 | .0274 | .0268 | .0262 | .0256 | .0250 | .0244 | .0239 | .0233 |
| −1.8 | .0359 | .0351 | .0344 | .0336 | .0329 | .0322 | .0314 | .0307 | .0301 | .0294 |
| −1.7 | .0446 | .0436 | .0427 | .0418 | .0409 | .0401 | .0392 | .0384 | .0375 | .0367 |
| −1.6 | .0548 | .0537 | .0526 | .0516 | .0505 | .0495 | .0485 | .0475 | .0465 | .0455 |
| −1.5 | .0668 | .0655 | .0643 | .0630 | .0618 | .0606 | .0594 | .0582 | .0571 | .0559 |
| −1.4 | .0808 | .0793 | .0778 | .0764 | .0749 | .0735 | .0721 | .0708 | .0694 | .0681 |
| −1.3 | .0968 | .0951 | .0934 | .0918 | .0901 | .0885 | .0869 | .0853 | .0838 | .0823 |
| −1.2 | .1151 | .1131 | .1112 | .1093 | .1075 | .1056 | .1038 | .1020 | .1003 | .0985 |
| −1.1 | .1357 | .1335 | .1314 | .1292 | .1271 | .1251 | .1230 | .1210 | .1190 | .1170 |
| −1.0 | .1587 | .1562 | .1539 | .1515 | .1492 | .1469 | .1446 | .1423 | .1401 | .1379 |
| −0.9 | .1841 | .1814 | .1788 | .1762 | .1736 | .1711 | .1685 | .1660 | .1635 | .1611 |
| −0.8 | .2119 | .2090 | .2061 | .2033 | .2005 | .1977 | .1949 | .1922 | .1894 | .1867 |
| −0.7 | .2420 | .2389 | .2358 | .2327 | .2296 | .2266 | .2236 | .2206 | .2177 | .2148 |
| −0.6 | .2743 | .2709 | .2676 | .2643 | .2611 | .2578 | .2546 | .2514 | .2483 | .2451 |
| −0.5 | .3085 | .3050 | .3015 | .2981 | .2946 | .2912 | .2877 | .2843 | .2810 | .2776 |
| −0.4 | .3446 | .3409 | .3372 | .3336 | .3300 | .3264 | .3228 | .3192 | .3156 | .3121 |
| −0.3 | .3821 | .3783 | .3745 | .3707 | .3669 | .3632 | .3594 | .3557 | .3520 | .3483 |
| −0.2 | .4207 | .4168 | .4129 | .4090 | .4052 | .4013 | .3974 | .3936 | .3897 | .3859 |
| −0.1 | .4602 | .4562 | .4522 | .4483 | .4443 | .4404 | .4364 | .4325 | .4286 | .4247 |
| −0.0 | .5000 | .4960 | .4920 | .4880 | .4840 | .4801 | .4761 | .4721 | .4681 | .4641 |

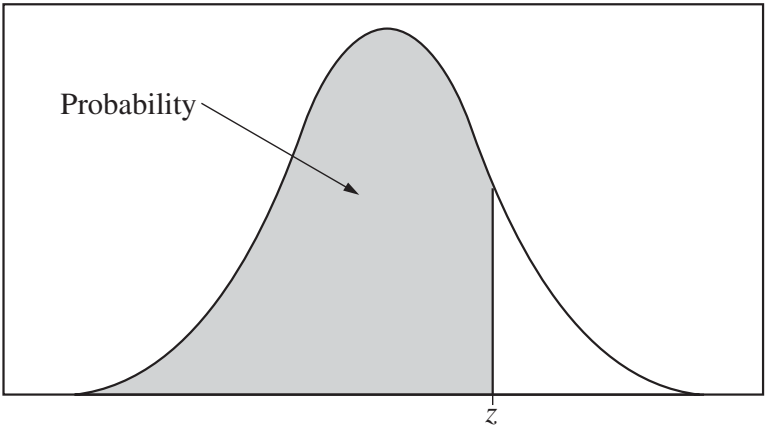


Table entry for  $z$  is the probability lying below  $z$ .

Table A (Continued)

| $z$ | .00   | .01   | .02   | .03   | .04   | .05   | .06   | .07   | .08   | .09   |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0.0 | .5000 | .5040 | .5080 | .5120 | .5160 | .5199 | .5239 | .5279 | .5319 | .5359 |
| 0.1 | .5398 | .5438 | .5478 | .5517 | .5557 | .5596 | .5636 | .5675 | .5714 | .5753 |
| 0.2 | .5793 | .5832 | .5871 | .5910 | .5948 | .5987 | .6026 | .6064 | .6103 | .6141 |
| 0.3 | .6179 | .6217 | .6255 | .6293 | .6331 | .6368 | .6406 | .6443 | .6480 | .6517 |
| 0.4 | .6554 | .6591 | .6628 | .6664 | .6700 | .6736 | .6772 | .6808 | .6844 | .6879 |
| 0.5 | .6915 | .6950 | .6985 | .7019 | .7054 | .7088 | .7123 | .7157 | .7190 | .7224 |
| 0.6 | .7257 | .7291 | .7324 | .7357 | .7389 | .7422 | .7454 | .7486 | .7517 | .7549 |
| 0.7 | .7580 | .7611 | .7642 | .7673 | .7704 | .7734 | .7764 | .7794 | .7823 | .7852 |
| 0.8 | .7881 | .7910 | .7939 | .7967 | .7995 | .8023 | .8051 | .8078 | .8106 | .8133 |
| 0.9 | .8159 | .8186 | .8212 | .8238 | .8264 | .8289 | .8315 | .8340 | .8365 | .8389 |
| 1.0 | .8413 | .8438 | .8461 | .8485 | .8508 | .8531 | .8554 | .8577 | .8599 | .8621 |
| 1.1 | .8643 | .8665 | .8686 | .8708 | .8729 | .8749 | .8770 | .8790 | .8810 | .8830 |
| 1.2 | .8849 | .8869 | .8888 | .8907 | .8925 | .8944 | .8962 | .8980 | .8997 | .9015 |
| 1.3 | .9032 | .9049 | .9066 | .9082 | .9099 | .9115 | .9131 | .9147 | .9162 | .9177 |
| 1.4 | .9192 | .9207 | .9222 | .9236 | .9251 | .9265 | .9279 | .9292 | .9306 | .9319 |
| 1.5 | .9332 | .9345 | .9357 | .9370 | .9382 | .9394 | .9406 | .9418 | .9429 | .9441 |
| 1.6 | .9452 | .9463 | .9474 | .9484 | .9495 | .9505 | .9515 | .9525 | .9535 | .9545 |
| 1.7 | .9554 | .9564 | .9573 | .9582 | .9591 | .9599 | .9608 | .9616 | .9625 | .9633 |
| 1.8 | .9641 | .9649 | .9656 | .9664 | .9671 | .9678 | .9686 | .9693 | .9699 | .9706 |
| 1.9 | .9713 | .9719 | .9726 | .9732 | .9738 | .9744 | .9750 | .9756 | .9761 | .9767 |
| 2.0 | .9772 | .9778 | .9783 | .9788 | .9793 | .9798 | .9803 | .9808 | .9812 | .9817 |
| 2.1 | .9821 | .9826 | .9830 | .9834 | .9838 | .9842 | .9846 | .9850 | .9854 | .9857 |
| 2.2 | .9861 | .9864 | .9868 | .9871 | .9875 | .9878 | .9881 | .9884 | .9887 | .9890 |
| 2.3 | .9893 | .9896 | .9898 | .9901 | .9904 | .9906 | .9909 | .9911 | .9913 | .9916 |
| 2.4 | .9918 | .9920 | .9922 | .9925 | .9927 | .9929 | .9931 | .9932 | .9934 | .9936 |
| 2.5 | .9938 | .9940 | .9941 | .9943 | .9945 | .9946 | .9948 | .9949 | .9951 | .9952 |
| 2.6 | .9953 | .9955 | .9956 | .9957 | .9959 | .9960 | .9961 | .9962 | .9963 | .9964 |
| 2.7 | .9965 | .9966 | .9967 | .9968 | .9969 | .9970 | .9971 | .9972 | .9973 | .9974 |
| 2.8 | .9974 | .9975 | .9976 | .9977 | .9977 | .9978 | .9979 | .9979 | .9980 | .9981 |
| 2.9 | .9981 | .9982 | .9982 | .9983 | .9984 | .9984 | .9985 | .9985 | .9986 | .9986 |
| 3.0 | .9987 | .9987 | .9987 | .9988 | .9988 | .9989 | .9989 | .9989 | .9990 | .9990 |
| 3.1 | .9990 | .9991 | .9991 | .9991 | .9992 | .9992 | .9992 | .9992 | .9993 | .9993 |
| 3.2 | .9993 | .9993 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9994 | .9995 | .9995 | .9995 |
| 3.3 | .9995 | .9995 | .9995 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9996 | .9997 |
| 3.4 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9997 | .9998 |

Table entry for  $p$  and  $C$  is the point  $t^*$  with probability  $p$  lying above it and probability  $C$  lying between  $-t^*$  and  $t^*$ .

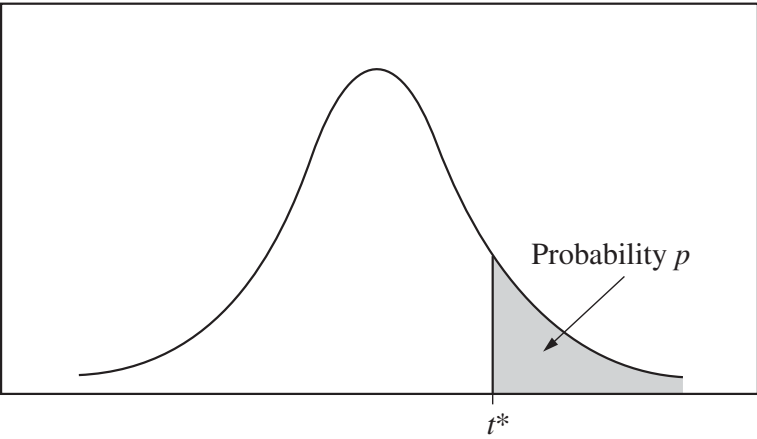


Table B  $t$  distribution critical values

| df                   | Tail probability $p$ |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|----------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                      | .25                  | .20   | .15   | .10   | .05   | .025  | .02   | .01   | .005  | .0025 | .001  | .0005 |
| 1                    | 1.000                | 1.376 | 1.963 | 3.078 | 6.314 | 12.71 | 15.89 | 31.82 | 63.66 | 127.3 | 318.3 | 636.6 |
| 2                    | .816                 | 1.061 | 1.386 | 1.886 | 2.920 | 4.303 | 4.849 | 6.965 | 9.925 | 14.09 | 22.33 | 31.60 |
| 3                    | .765                 | .978  | 1.250 | 1.638 | 2.353 | 3.182 | 3.482 | 4.541 | 5.841 | 7.453 | 10.21 | 12.92 |
| 4                    | .741                 | .941  | 1.190 | 1.533 | 2.132 | 2.776 | 2.999 | 3.747 | 4.604 | 5.598 | 7.173 | 8.610 |
| 5                    | .727                 | .920  | 1.156 | 1.476 | 2.015 | 2.571 | 2.757 | 3.365 | 4.032 | 4.773 | 5.893 | 6.869 |
| 6                    | .718                 | .906  | 1.134 | 1.440 | 1.943 | 2.447 | 2.612 | 3.143 | 3.707 | 4.317 | 5.208 | 5.959 |
| 7                    | .711                 | .896  | 1.119 | 1.415 | 1.895 | 2.365 | 2.517 | 2.998 | 3.499 | 4.029 | 4.785 | 5.408 |
| 8                    | .706                 | .889  | 1.108 | 1.397 | 1.860 | 2.306 | 2.449 | 2.896 | 3.355 | 3.833 | 4.501 | 5.041 |
| 9                    | .703                 | .883  | 1.100 | 1.383 | 1.833 | 2.262 | 2.398 | 2.821 | 3.250 | 3.690 | 4.297 | 4.781 |
| 10                   | .700                 | .879  | 1.093 | 1.372 | 1.812 | 2.228 | 2.359 | 2.764 | 3.169 | 3.581 | 4.144 | 4.587 |
| 11                   | .697                 | .876  | 1.088 | 1.363 | 1.796 | 2.201 | 2.328 | 2.718 | 3.106 | 3.497 | 4.025 | 4.437 |
| 12                   | .695                 | .873  | 1.083 | 1.356 | 1.782 | 2.179 | 2.303 | 2.681 | 3.055 | 3.428 | 3.930 | 4.318 |
| 13                   | .694                 | .870  | 1.079 | 1.350 | 1.771 | 2.160 | 2.282 | 2.650 | 3.012 | 3.372 | 3.852 | 4.221 |
| 14                   | .692                 | .868  | 1.076 | 1.345 | 1.761 | 2.145 | 2.264 | 2.624 | 2.977 | 3.326 | 3.787 | 4.140 |
| 15                   | .691                 | .866  | 1.074 | 1.341 | 1.753 | 2.131 | 2.249 | 2.602 | 2.947 | 3.286 | 3.733 | 4.073 |
| 16                   | .690                 | .865  | 1.071 | 1.337 | 1.746 | 2.120 | 2.235 | 2.583 | 2.921 | 3.252 | 3.686 | 4.015 |
| 17                   | .689                 | .863  | 1.069 | 1.333 | 1.740 | 2.110 | 2.224 | 2.567 | 2.898 | 3.222 | 3.646 | 3.965 |
| 18                   | .688                 | .862  | 1.067 | 1.330 | 1.734 | 2.101 | 2.214 | 2.552 | 2.878 | 3.197 | 3.611 | 3.922 |
| 19                   | .688                 | .861  | 1.066 | 1.328 | 1.729 | 2.093 | 2.205 | 2.539 | 2.861 | 3.174 | 3.579 | 3.883 |
| 20                   | .687                 | .860  | 1.064 | 1.325 | 1.725 | 2.086 | 2.197 | 2.528 | 2.845 | 3.153 | 3.552 | 3.850 |
| 21                   | .686                 | .859  | 1.063 | 1.323 | 1.721 | 2.080 | 2.189 | 2.518 | 2.831 | 3.135 | 3.527 | 3.819 |
| 22                   | .686                 | .858  | 1.061 | 1.321 | 1.717 | 2.074 | 2.183 | 2.508 | 2.819 | 3.119 | 3.505 | 3.792 |
| 23                   | .685                 | .858  | 1.060 | 1.319 | 1.714 | 2.069 | 2.177 | 2.500 | 2.807 | 3.104 | 3.485 | 3.768 |
| 24                   | .685                 | .857  | 1.059 | 1.318 | 1.711 | 2.064 | 2.172 | 2.492 | 2.797 | 3.091 | 3.467 | 3.745 |
| 25                   | .684                 | .856  | 1.058 | 1.316 | 1.708 | 2.060 | 2.167 | 2.485 | 2.787 | 3.078 | 3.450 | 3.725 |
| 26                   | .684                 | .856  | 1.058 | 1.315 | 1.706 | 2.056 | 2.162 | 2.479 | 2.779 | 3.067 | 3.435 | 3.707 |
| 27                   | .684                 | .855  | 1.057 | 1.314 | 1.703 | 2.052 | 2.158 | 2.473 | 2.771 | 3.057 | 3.421 | 3.690 |
| 28                   | .683                 | .855  | 1.056 | 1.313 | 1.701 | 2.048 | 2.154 | 2.467 | 2.763 | 3.047 | 3.408 | 3.674 |
| 29                   | .683                 | .854  | 1.055 | 1.311 | 1.699 | 2.045 | 2.150 | 2.462 | 2.756 | 3.038 | 3.396 | 3.659 |
| 30                   | .683                 | .854  | 1.055 | 1.310 | 1.697 | 2.042 | 2.147 | 2.457 | 2.750 | 3.030 | 3.385 | 3.646 |
| 40                   | .681                 | .851  | 1.050 | 1.303 | 1.684 | 2.021 | 2.123 | 2.423 | 2.704 | 2.971 | 3.307 | 3.551 |
| 50                   | .679                 | .849  | 1.047 | 1.299 | 1.676 | 2.009 | 2.109 | 2.403 | 2.678 | 2.937 | 3.261 | 3.496 |
| 60                   | .679                 | .848  | 1.045 | 1.296 | 1.671 | 2.000 | 2.099 | 2.390 | 2.660 | 2.915 | 3.232 | 3.460 |
| 80                   | .678                 | .846  | 1.043 | 1.292 | 1.664 | 1.990 | 2.088 | 2.374 | 2.639 | 2.887 | 3.195 | 3.416 |
| 100                  | .677                 | .845  | 1.042 | 1.290 | 1.660 | 1.984 | 2.081 | 2.364 | 2.626 | 2.871 | 3.174 | 3.390 |
| 1000                 | .675                 | .842  | 1.037 | 1.282 | 1.646 | 1.962 | 2.056 | 2.330 | 2.581 | 2.813 | 3.098 | 3.300 |
| $\infty$             | .674                 | .841  | 1.036 | 1.282 | 1.645 | 1.960 | 2.054 | 2.326 | 2.576 | 2.807 | 3.091 | 3.291 |
| Confidence level $C$ |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                      | 50%                  | 60%   | 70%   | 80%   | 90%   | 95%   | 96%   | 98%   | 99%   | 99.5% | 99.8% | 99.9% |

Table entry for  $p$  is the point ( $\chi^2$ ) with probability  $p$  lying above it.

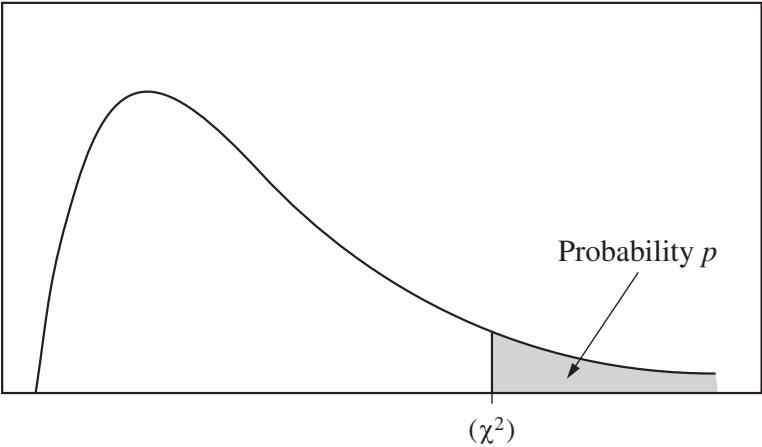


Table C  $\chi^2$  critical values

| df  | Tail probability $p$ |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|     | .25                  | .20   | .15   | .10   | .05   | .025  | .02   | .01   | .005  | .0025 | .001  | .0005 |
| 1   | 1.32                 | 1.64  | 2.07  | 2.71  | 3.84  | 5.02  | 5.41  | 6.63  | 7.88  | 9.14  | 10.83 | 12.12 |
| 2   | 2.77                 | 3.22  | 3.79  | 4.61  | 5.99  | 7.38  | 7.82  | 9.21  | 10.60 | 11.98 | 13.82 | 15.20 |
| 3   | 4.11                 | 4.64  | 5.32  | 6.25  | 7.81  | 9.35  | 9.84  | 11.34 | 12.84 | 14.32 | 16.27 | 17.73 |
| 4   | 5.39                 | 5.99  | 6.74  | 7.78  | 9.49  | 11.14 | 11.67 | 13.28 | 14.86 | 16.42 | 18.47 | 20.00 |
| 5   | 6.63                 | 7.29  | 8.12  | 9.24  | 11.07 | 12.83 | 13.39 | 15.09 | 16.75 | 18.39 | 20.51 | 22.11 |
| 6   | 7.84                 | 8.56  | 9.45  | 10.64 | 12.59 | 14.45 | 15.03 | 16.81 | 18.55 | 20.25 | 22.46 | 24.10 |
| 7   | 9.04                 | 9.80  | 10.75 | 12.02 | 14.07 | 16.01 | 16.62 | 18.48 | 20.28 | 22.04 | 24.32 | 26.02 |
| 8   | 10.22                | 11.03 | 12.03 | 13.36 | 15.51 | 17.53 | 18.17 | 20.09 | 21.95 | 23.77 | 26.12 | 27.87 |
| 9   | 11.39                | 12.24 | 13.29 | 14.68 | 16.92 | 19.02 | 19.68 | 21.67 | 23.59 | 25.46 | 27.88 | 29.67 |
| 10  | 12.55                | 13.44 | 14.53 | 15.99 | 18.31 | 20.48 | 21.16 | 23.21 | 25.19 | 27.11 | 29.59 | 31.42 |
| 11  | 13.70                | 14.63 | 15.77 | 17.28 | 19.68 | 21.92 | 22.62 | 24.72 | 26.76 | 28.73 | 31.26 | 33.14 |
| 12  | 14.85                | 15.81 | 16.99 | 18.55 | 21.03 | 23.34 | 24.05 | 26.22 | 28.30 | 30.32 | 32.91 | 34.82 |
| 13  | 15.98                | 16.98 | 18.20 | 19.81 | 22.36 | 24.74 | 25.47 | 27.69 | 29.82 | 31.88 | 34.53 | 36.48 |
| 14  | 17.12                | 18.15 | 19.41 | 21.06 | 23.68 | 26.12 | 26.87 | 29.14 | 31.32 | 33.43 | 36.12 | 38.11 |
| 15  | 18.25                | 19.31 | 20.60 | 22.31 | 25.00 | 27.49 | 28.26 | 30.58 | 32.80 | 34.95 | 37.70 | 39.72 |
| 16  | 19.37                | 20.47 | 21.79 | 23.54 | 26.30 | 28.85 | 29.63 | 32.00 | 34.27 | 36.46 | 39.25 | 41.31 |
| 17  | 20.49                | 21.61 | 22.98 | 24.77 | 27.59 | 30.19 | 31.00 | 33.41 | 35.72 | 37.95 | 40.79 | 42.88 |
| 18  | 21.60                | 22.76 | 24.16 | 25.99 | 28.87 | 31.53 | 32.35 | 34.81 | 37.16 | 39.42 | 42.31 | 44.43 |
| 19  | 22.72                | 23.90 | 25.33 | 27.20 | 30.14 | 32.85 | 33.69 | 36.19 | 38.58 | 40.88 | 43.82 | 45.97 |
| 20  | 23.83                | 25.04 | 26.50 | 28.41 | 31.41 | 34.17 | 35.02 | 37.57 | 40.00 | 42.34 | 45.31 | 47.50 |
| 21  | 24.93                | 26.17 | 27.66 | 29.62 | 32.67 | 35.48 | 36.34 | 38.93 | 41.40 | 43.78 | 46.80 | 49.01 |
| 22  | 26.04                | 27.30 | 28.82 | 30.81 | 33.92 | 36.78 | 37.66 | 40.29 | 42.80 | 45.20 | 48.27 | 50.51 |
| 23  | 27.14                | 28.43 | 29.98 | 32.01 | 35.17 | 38.08 | 38.97 | 41.64 | 44.18 | 46.62 | 49.73 | 52.00 |
| 24  | 28.24                | 29.55 | 31.13 | 33.20 | 36.42 | 39.36 | 40.27 | 42.98 | 45.56 | 48.03 | 51.18 | 53.48 |
| 25  | 29.34                | 30.68 | 32.28 | 34.38 | 37.65 | 40.65 | 41.57 | 44.31 | 46.93 | 49.44 | 52.62 | 54.95 |
| 26  | 30.43                | 31.79 | 33.43 | 35.56 | 38.89 | 41.92 | 42.86 | 45.64 | 48.29 | 50.83 | 54.05 | 56.41 |
| 27  | 31.53                | 32.91 | 34.57 | 36.74 | 40.11 | 43.19 | 44.14 | 46.96 | 49.64 | 52.22 | 55.48 | 57.86 |
| 28  | 32.62                | 34.03 | 35.71 | 37.92 | 41.34 | 44.46 | 45.42 | 48.28 | 50.99 | 53.59 | 56.89 | 59.30 |
| 29  | 33.71                | 35.14 | 36.85 | 39.09 | 42.56 | 45.72 | 46.69 | 49.59 | 52.34 | 54.97 | 58.30 | 60.73 |
| 30  | 34.80                | 36.25 | 37.99 | 40.26 | 43.77 | 46.98 | 47.96 | 50.89 | 53.67 | 56.33 | 59.70 | 62.16 |
| 40  | 45.62                | 47.27 | 49.24 | 51.81 | 55.76 | 59.34 | 60.44 | 63.69 | 66.77 | 69.70 | 73.40 | 76.09 |
| 50  | 56.33                | 58.16 | 60.35 | 63.17 | 67.50 | 71.42 | 72.61 | 76.15 | 79.49 | 82.66 | 86.66 | 89.56 |
| 60  | 66.98                | 68.97 | 71.34 | 74.40 | 79.08 | 83.30 | 84.58 | 88.38 | 91.95 | 95.34 | 99.61 | 102.7 |
| 80  | 88.13                | 90.41 | 93.11 | 96.58 | 101.9 | 106.6 | 108.1 | 112.3 | 116.3 | 120.1 | 124.8 | 128.3 |
| 100 | 109.1                | 111.7 | 114.7 | 118.5 | 124.3 | 129.6 | 131.1 | 135.8 | 140.2 | 144.3 | 149.4 | 153.2 |