

# PROBABILITY & STATISTICS

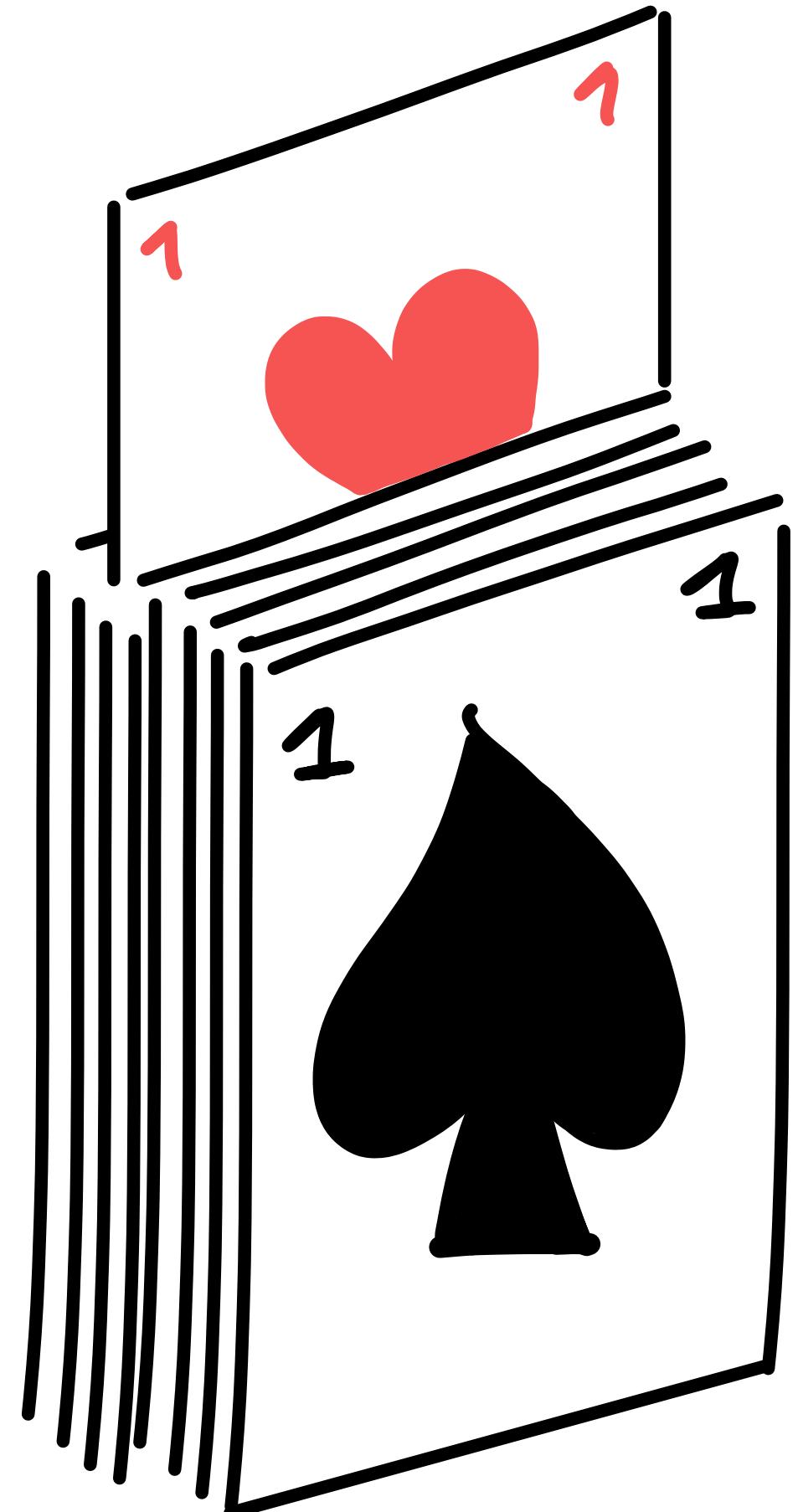
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# PROBABILITY

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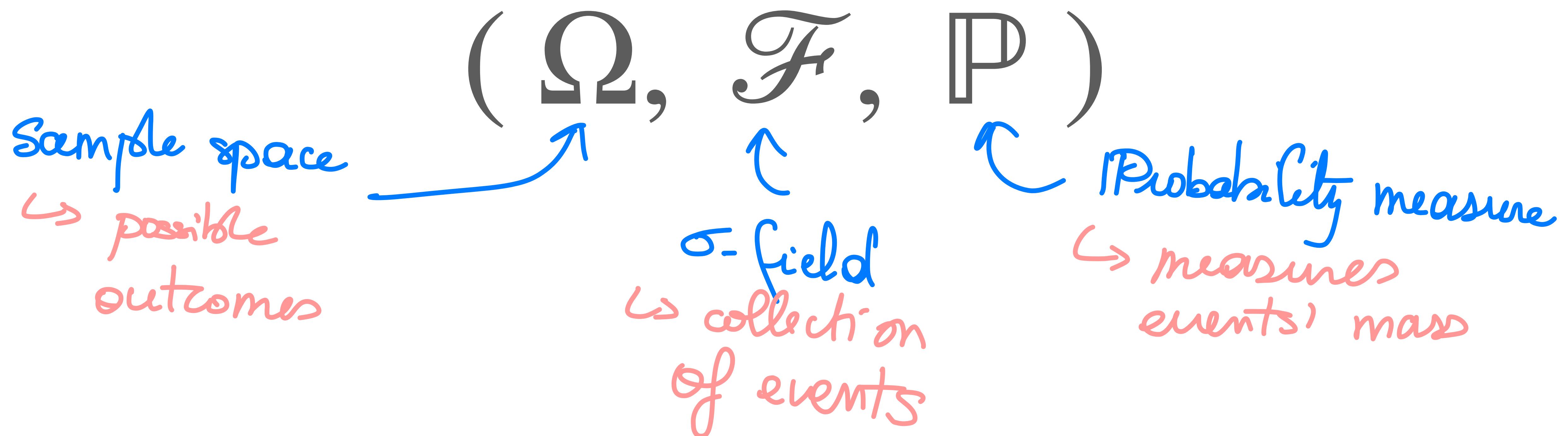


- Probability Space
- Conditional Probability
- Random Variables
- Expectation and Variance
- Gaussian Distribution

# PROBABILITY SPACE

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# SAMPLE SPACE, SIGMA-FIELD AND PROBABILITY MEASURE





## A COIN TOSS

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$$\Omega = \{H, T\} \leftarrow \text{two possible outcomes}$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \{\emptyset, \{H, T\}, \{H\}, \{T\}\}$$

$$P_1 = dU(\{H, T\})$$

fair win

$$P_2(\{H\}) = \frac{3}{4}$$

biased win



## A COIN TOSS

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$$(\Omega, \mathcal{F}, P_2)$$

$$P_2(\emptyset) = 0$$

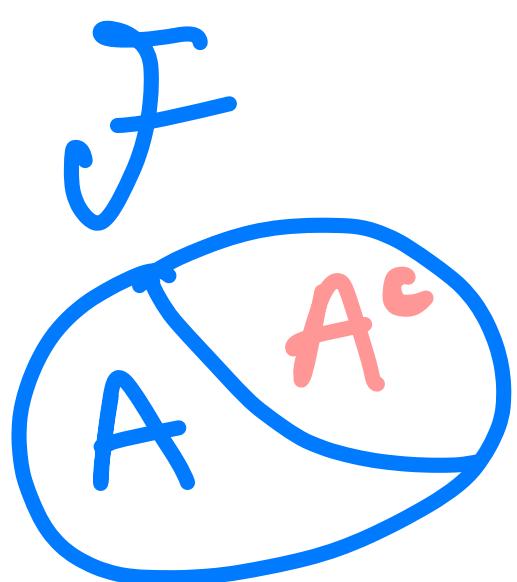
$$P_2(\{T\}) = 1 - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P_2(\{H, T\}) = P(\{H\}) + P(\{T\}) = 1$$

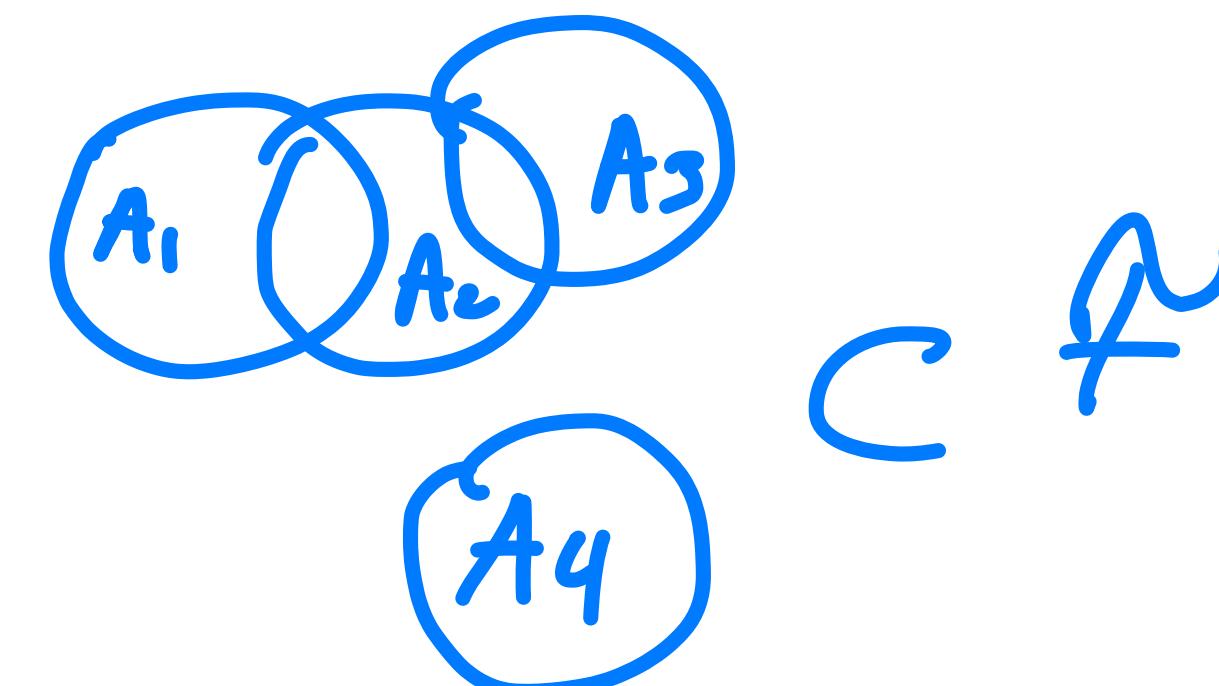
↖ we gets H OR T

# EVENTS COLLECTION

- Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a collection of events, formally, a sigma field.



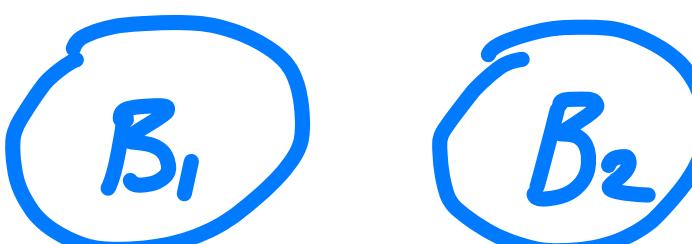
- $\emptyset \in \mathcal{F}$
- $A \in \mathcal{F} \implies A^c \in \mathcal{F}$
- $A_i \in \mathcal{F} \implies \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i \in \mathcal{F}$





# PROBABILITY MEASURE

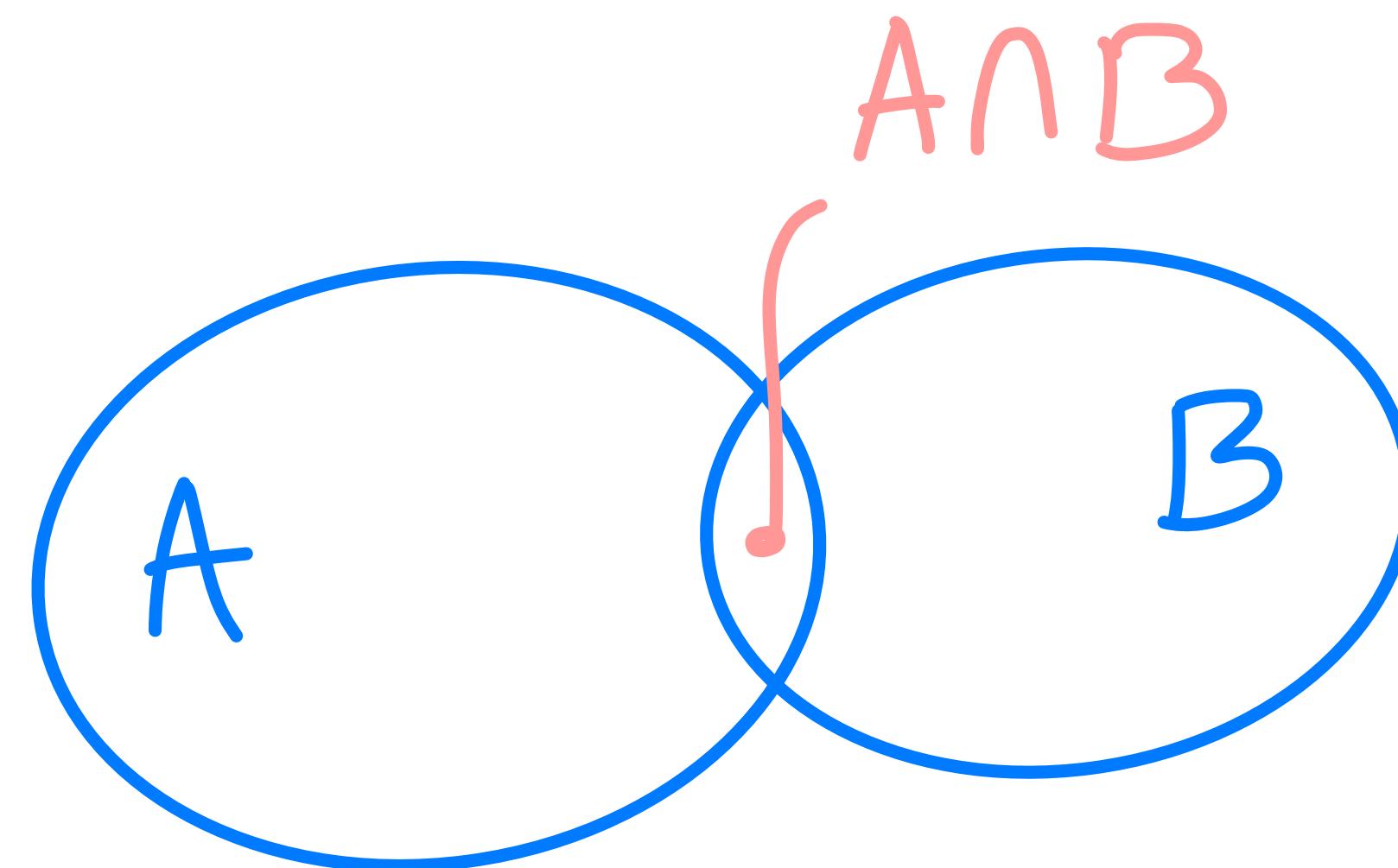
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- Let  $\mathbb{P}$  be a probability measure.
  - $\mathbb{P} : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow [0,1]$
  - $\mathbb{P}(\emptyset) = 0, \mathbb{P}(\Omega) = 1$
  - If the  $B_i$  are disjoint events,  $\mathbb{P}(\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} B_i) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \mathbb{P}(B_i)$ 

# PROBABILITY MEASURE

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$$\mathbb{P}(A \cup B) = \mathbb{P}(A) + \mathbb{P}(B) - \mathbb{P}(A \cap B)$$



# CONDITIONAL PROBABILITY

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## The Monty Hall Show

- You have to choose one box among 9.
- 8 boxes hide a goat. 1 box hides one million \$.





# CONDITIONAL PROBABILITY

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$$\mathbb{P}(A | B) = \frac{\mathbb{P}(A \cap B)}{\mathbb{P}(B)}$$

$$\mathbb{P}(A | B) = \frac{\mathbb{P}(A \cap B)}{\mathbb{P}(B)} = \frac{\overbrace{\mathbb{P}(B \cap A)}}{\mathbb{P}(A)} \cdot \frac{\mathbb{P}(A)}{\mathbb{P}(B)}$$

$\mathbb{P}(B | A)$



# BAYES' RULE

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$$\mathbb{P}(A | B) = \mathbb{P}(B | A) \frac{\mathbb{P}(A)}{\mathbb{P}(B)}$$



# INDEPENDENCE

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- Two events are independent if the occurrence of one does not influence the occurrence of the other one.

$$P(A|B) =$$

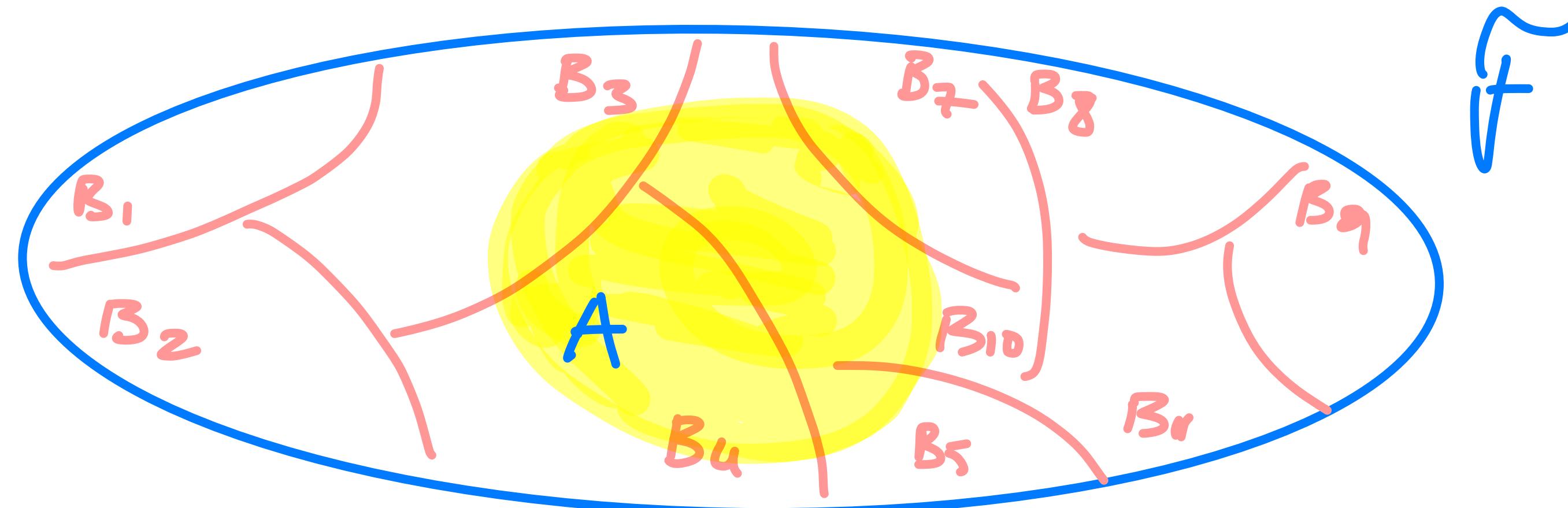
$$\frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= \frac{P(A)P(B)}{P(B)}$$

$$P(A | B) = P(A)$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B)$$

# LAW OF TOTAL PROBABILITIES



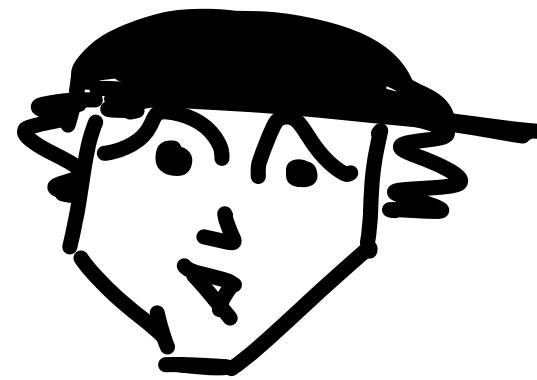
$$\mathbb{P}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{P}(A \cap B_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{P}(A | B_i) \times \mathbb{P}(B_i)$$



## COVID TESTING

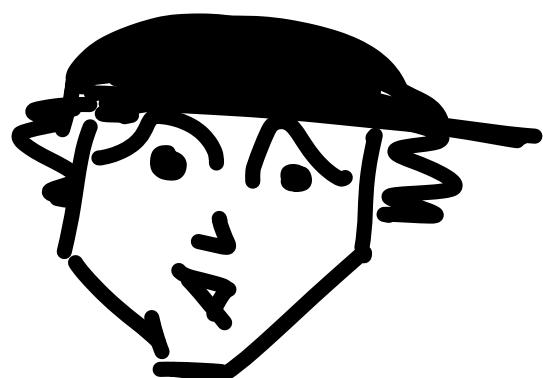
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Interpreting a positive result...



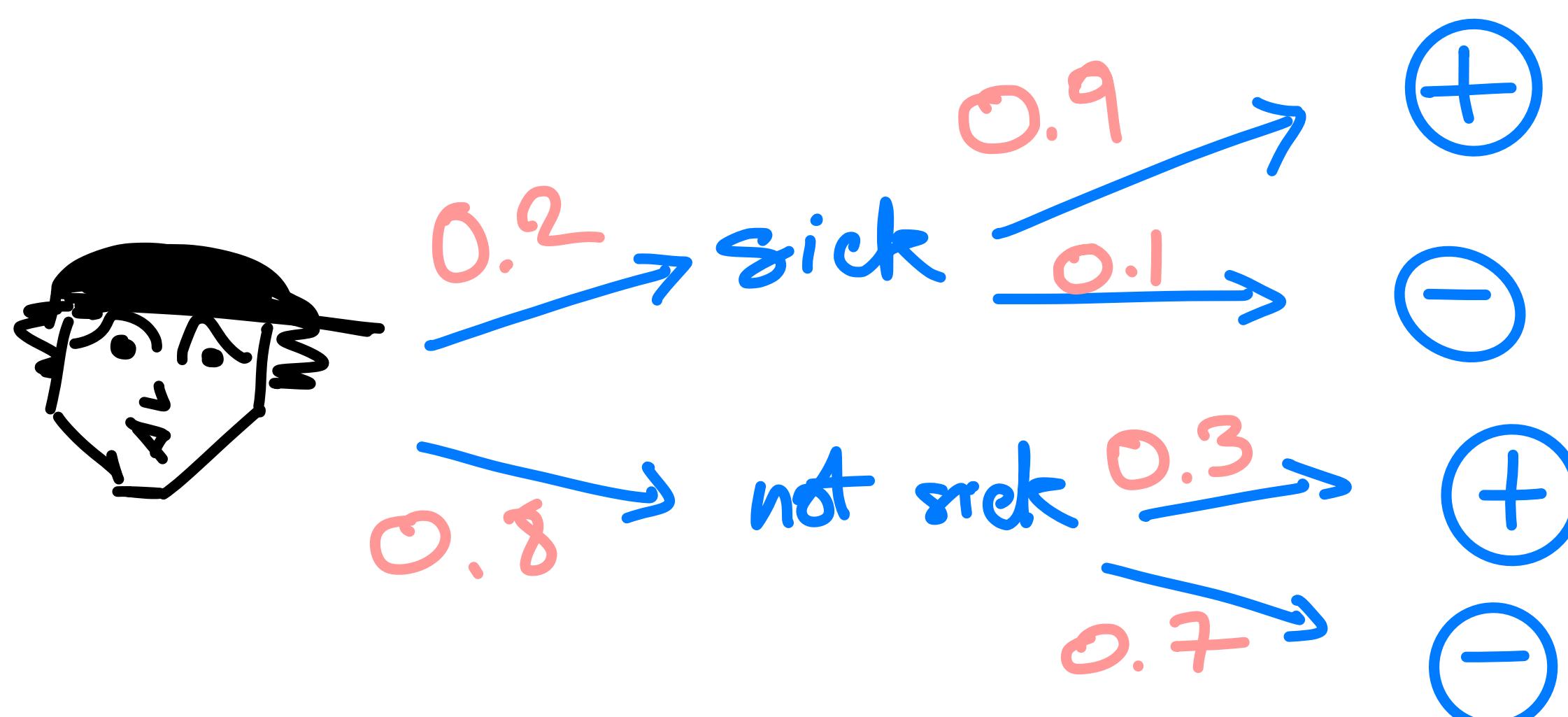
has  $\frac{2}{10}$  chances of being sick ...

The test gives  $\frac{1}{10}$  false negatives  
and  $\frac{1}{3}$  false positives.



tested + . What is the TP that is sick ?

## COVID TESTING



$$P(\text{sick} | \oplus) = P(\oplus | \text{sick}) \frac{P(\text{sick})}{P(\oplus)}$$

Bayes Rule

$$\star P(\oplus | \text{sick}) = 0.9 \quad \star P(\text{sick}) = 0.2$$

$$\star P(\oplus) = P(\oplus | \text{sick}) P(\text{sick})$$

law of  
total probability

$$+ P(\oplus | \text{not sick}) P(\text{not sick})$$

$$P(\text{sick} | \oplus) = \frac{0.9 \times 0.2}{0.9 \times 0.2 + 0.3 \times 0.8} = \frac{18}{42} = \frac{3}{7} = 0.43$$

# RANDOM VARIABLES

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# RANDOM VARIABLES

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- Let  $X$  be a function

- $X : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
- such that  $\{w \mid X(w) \leq c\} \in \mathcal{F}$

*a possible  
outcome*





## ROLL TWO DICES

$$\Omega = \{ (i,j) \in \{1,6\}^2 \}$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \{ \emptyset, \Omega, \{11\}, \{11\}^c, \dots \} = 2^\Omega$$

$P(ij) = 1/36$  ← uniform probability measure

$X(\{i,j\}) = i + j$  ← sum of the die rolls

$Y(\{i,j\}) = \max(i,j)$  ← maximum dice roll



## ROLL TWO DICES

$$P(\{\omega \mid X(\omega) \leq 3\}) = P(\{11, 12, 21\}) = P(11) + P(12) + P(21)$$

" $P(X \leq 3)$ "

disjoint events  
uniform probability  $\rightarrow = 3/36$

$$P(\{\omega \mid Y(\omega) = 6\}) = P(\{\frac{16}{61}, \frac{26}{62}, \frac{36}{63}, \frac{46}{64}, \frac{56}{65}, 66\})$$

" $P(Y = 6)$ " =  $11/36$  (disjoint events + UP)

## ROLL TWO DICES

$$P(X=1) = 0$$

$$11 \quad P(X=2) = 1/36$$

$$12, 21 \quad P(X=3) = 2/36$$

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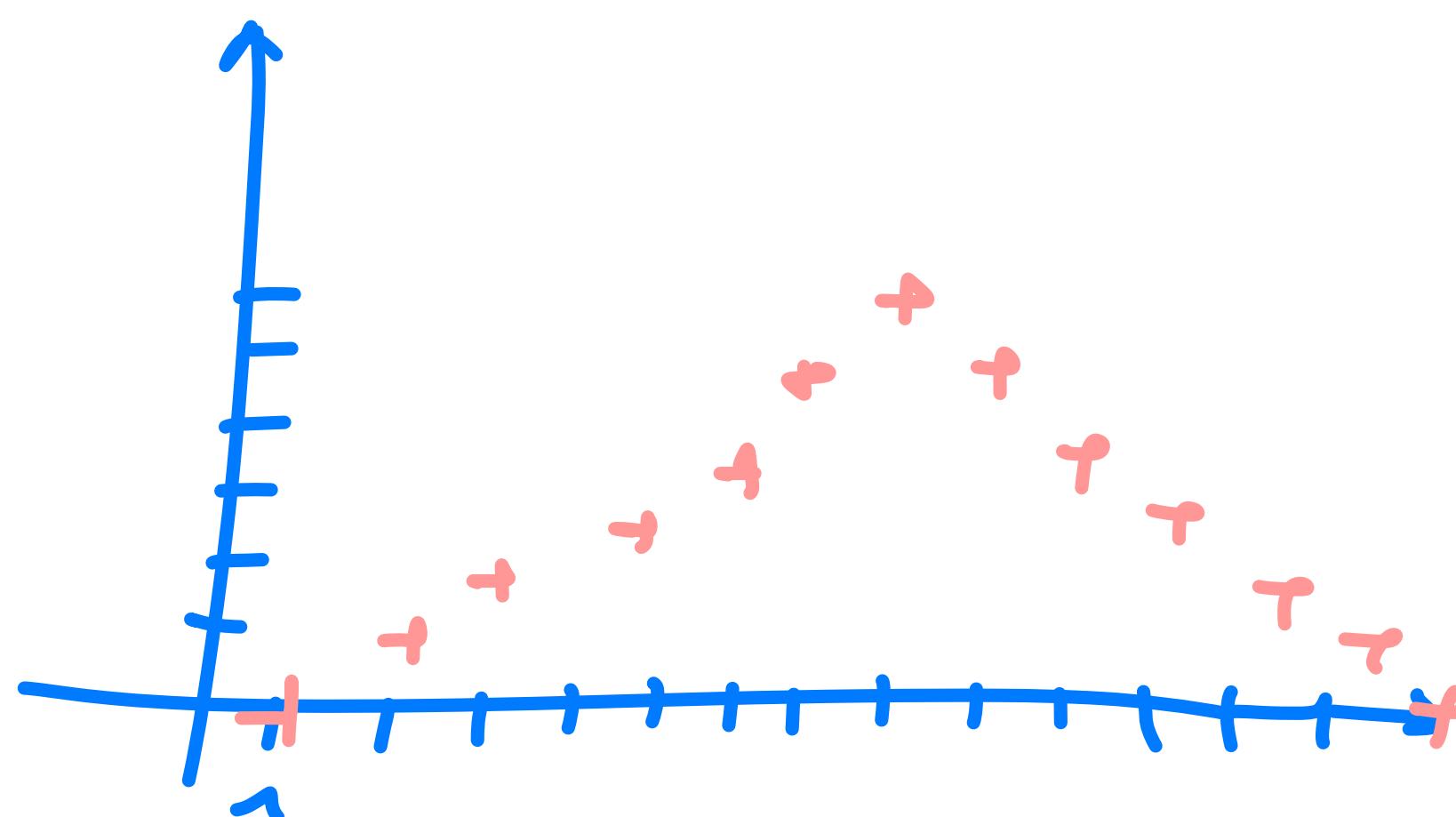
$$16, 25, 36 \quad P(X=7) = 6/36$$

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$$P(X=12) = 1/36$$

$$P(X=k) = \frac{6 - |k-7|}{36} = P_X(k)$$

probability  
law of  $X$





## ROLL TWO DICES

$$P(Y=6) = 1/36$$

15 25 35 45  
55

$$P(Y=5) = 9/36$$

$$P(Y=4) = 7/36$$

$$P(Y=3) = 5/36$$

$$P(Y=2) = 3/36$$

$$P(Y=1) = 1/36$$

$$P(Y=k) = \frac{2k-1}{36} = R_Y(k)$$

probability  
law of  $Y$



# PROBABILITY LAW

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$$\mathbb{P}(\{w \mid X(w) = c\}) = \mathbb{P}(X = c) = \mathbb{P}_X(c)$$

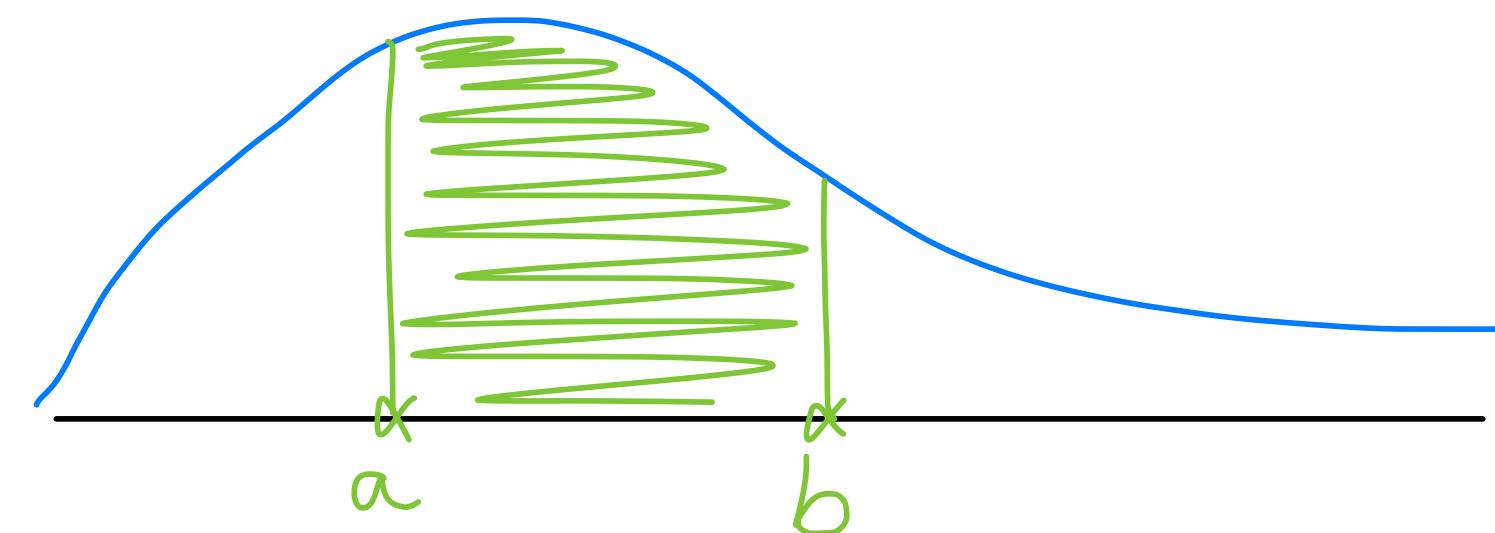
# DISCRETE AND CONTINUOUS RANDOM VARIABLES

- Discrete Random Variable assumes a countable number of distinct values.
- Continuous Random Variable assumes values within intervals.

$$\mathbb{P}(X = x)$$

$x_i$						
$P_i$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{6}$

$$\mathbb{P}(X \leq x) = F_X(x) = \int_{-\infty}^x f_X(t)dt$$



$$P(X = 1) = P(X = 2) = \dots = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(a < X < b)$$



# DISCRETE RANDOM VARIABLES

$$X \sim \text{Ber}(p)$$

$$X \sim \text{Bin}(n, p)$$

$$X \sim \text{Poi}(\lambda)$$

Distribution	Sample Space	Probability Distribution
Bernoulli	{0, 1}	$P(X=1) = p$
Binomial	{1, ..., n}	$P(X=k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$
Poisson	$\mathbb{N}$	$P(X=k) = e^{-\lambda} \frac{\lambda^k}{k!}$



# CONTINUOUS RANDOM VARIABLES

$$X \sim U(a, b)$$

$$X \sim \exp(\lambda)$$

$$X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

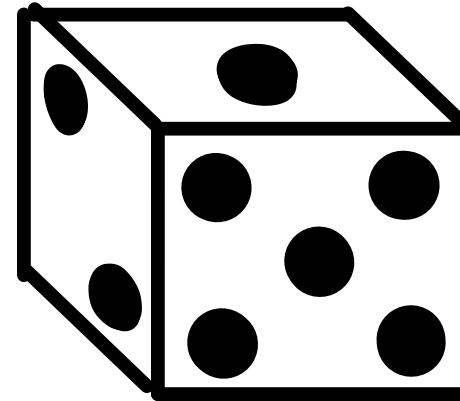
Distribution	Sample Space	Probability Distribution
Uniform	$[a, b]$	$P(X \leq x) = \frac{x-a}{b-a} \mathbb{1}_{\{x \in [a,b]\}}$ $f_X(x) = \frac{\mathbb{1}_{\{x \in [a,b]\}}}{b-a}$
Exponential	$\mathbb{R}^+$	$P(X \leq x) = 1 - e^{-\lambda x}$ $f_X(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$
Gaussian	$\mathbb{R}$	$f_X(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(x-\mu)^2}{\sigma^2}\right)$

# EXPECTATIONS AND VARIANCE

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# EXPECTATION

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- Probability to get 1 is  $1/6$
- Probability to get 2 is  $1/6$
- ...
- Probability to get 6 is  $1/6$

$$E[X] = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 6 \cdot \frac{1}{6} = 3.5$$



# EXPECTATION

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► Discrete Random Variables

$$E[X] = \sum_i^n x_i P(X = x_i)$$

$$E[g(X)] = \sum_i^n g(x_i) P(X = x_i)$$

► Continuous Random Variables

$$E[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f_X(x) dx$$

$$E[g(X)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) f_X(x) dx$$



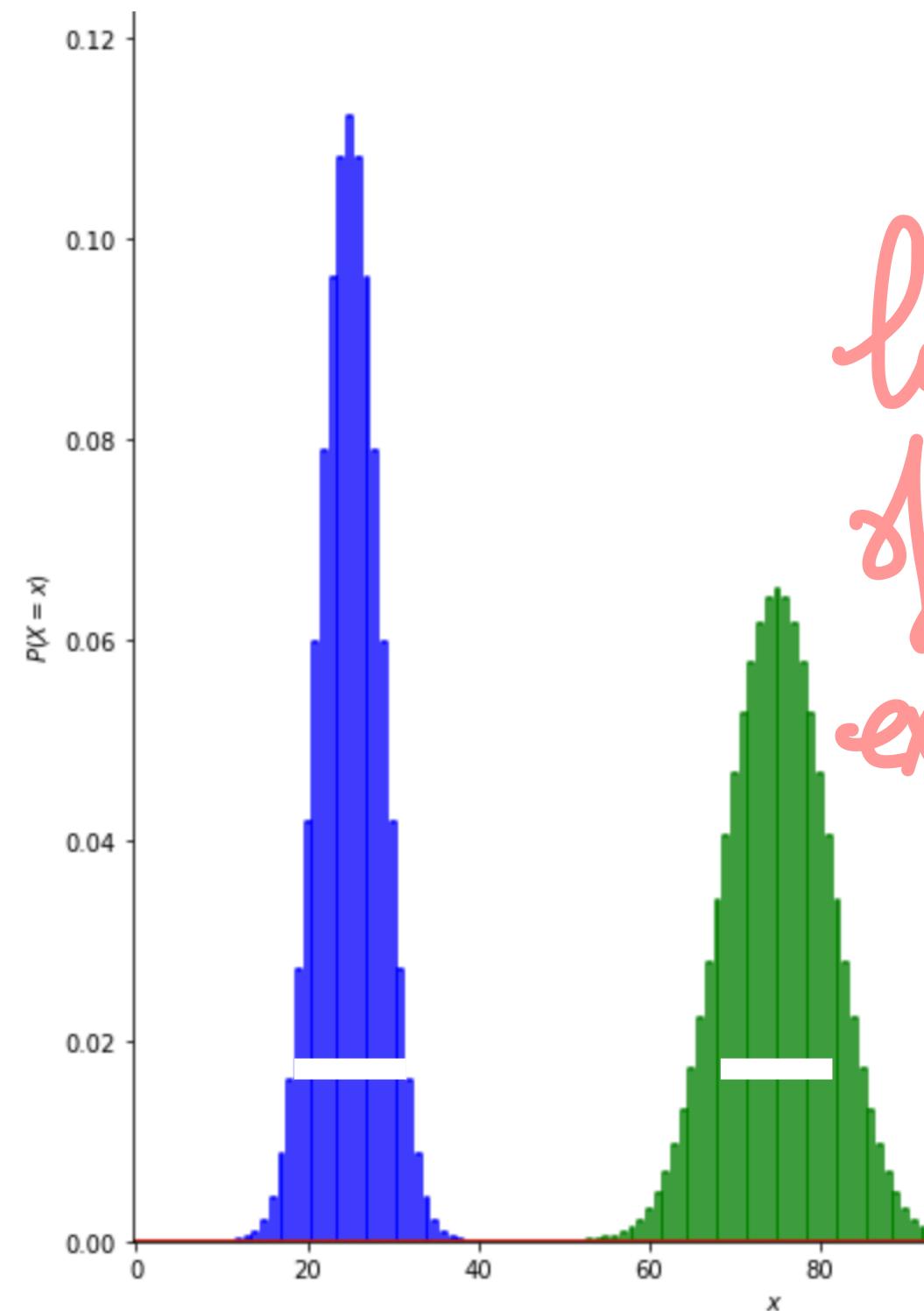
# LINEARITY OF EXPECTATION

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$$W = aX + bY + c$$

$$E[W] = aE[X] + bE[Y] + c$$

## VARIANCE



$$\text{Var}(X) = E[(X - E[X])^2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= E[X^2 - 2X \tilde{E}(X) + \tilde{E}(X)^2] \\ &= E(X^2) - 2 \tilde{E}(X) \tilde{E}(X) + \tilde{E}(X)^2 \\ &= E(X^2) - \tilde{E}(X)^2 \end{aligned}$$

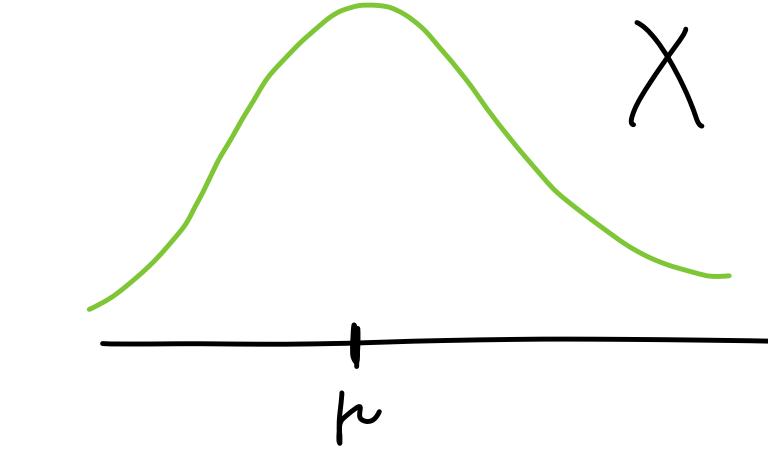
linearity  
of expectation

constant

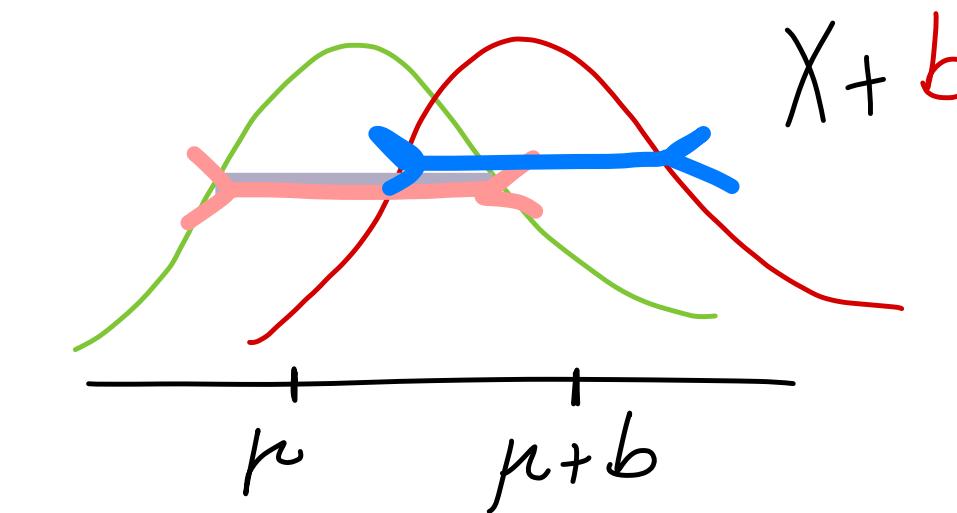
$$SD(X) = \sigma_X = \sqrt{\text{Var}(X)}$$

# VARIANCE

$$W = X + b$$



$$\text{Var}(W) = \text{Var}(X)$$





# VARIANCE

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$$W = X + b$$

$$\text{Var}(W) = a^2 \text{Var}(X)$$

$$\sigma_W = |a| \sigma_X$$



# DISCRETE RANDOM VARIABLES

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Distribution	Expectation	Variance
Bernouilli	$P$	$P(1-P)$
Binomial	$nP$	$nP(1-p)$
Poisson	$\lambda$	$\lambda$



# CONTINUOUS RANDOM VARIABLES

Distribution	Expectation	Variance
Uniform	$\frac{b+a}{2}$	$\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}$
Exponential	$\lambda^{-1}$	$\lambda^{-2}$
Gaussian	$\mu$	$\sigma^2$



# COVARIANCE

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$$Cov(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(Y - E[Y])]$$

$$-1 < corr(X, Y) = \frac{COV(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} < 1$$



# COVARIANCE

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$$W = aX + bY$$

$$\text{Var}(W) = a^2\text{Var}(X) + b^2\text{Var}(Y) + 2ab\text{COV}(X, Y)$$

# GAUSSIAN DISTRIBUTION

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# NORMAL DISTRIBUTION

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- The most frequently occurring distribution
- Symmetric. Bell-shaped curve.
- More likely to take on values close to the mean

$$\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

mean                      variance

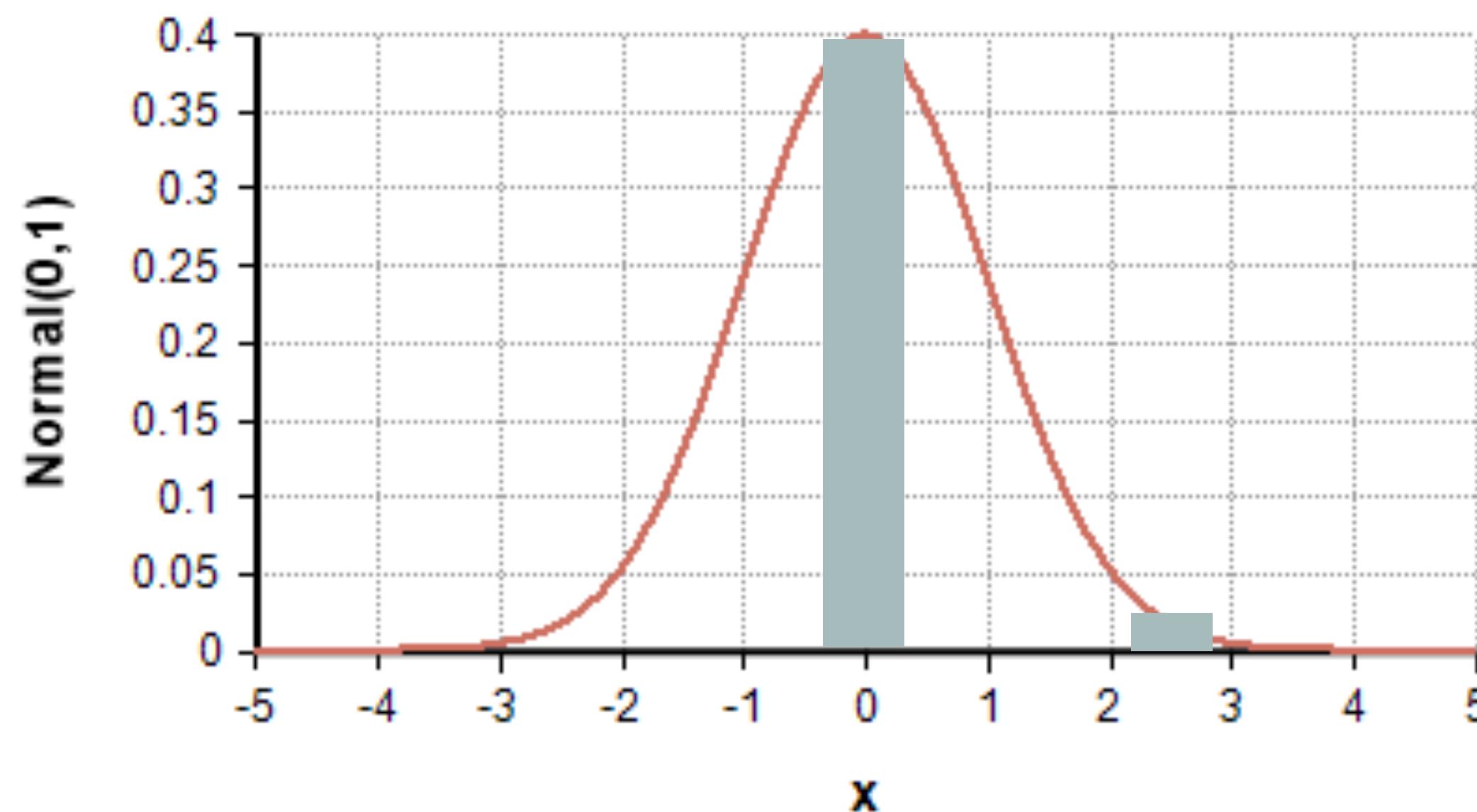
A diagram illustrating the parameters of a normal distribution. The formula  $\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$  is centered. Below it, the word "mean" is written in blue, with a blue arrow pointing to the  $\mu$  in the formula. To the right of the formula, the word "variance" is written in blue, with a blue arrow pointing to the  $\sigma^2$ .



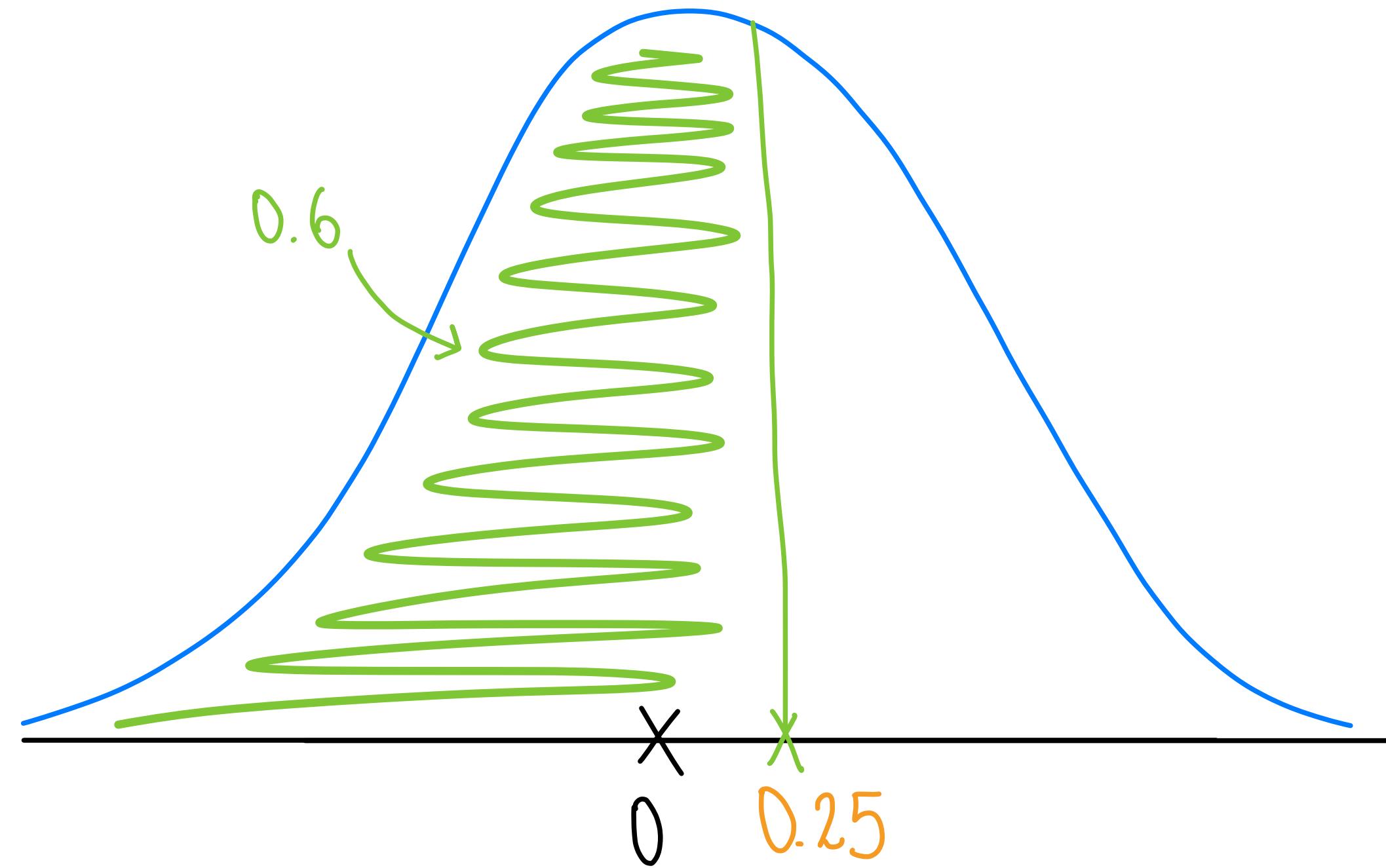
# NORMAL DISTRIBUTION

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►  $Z \sim N(0,1)$



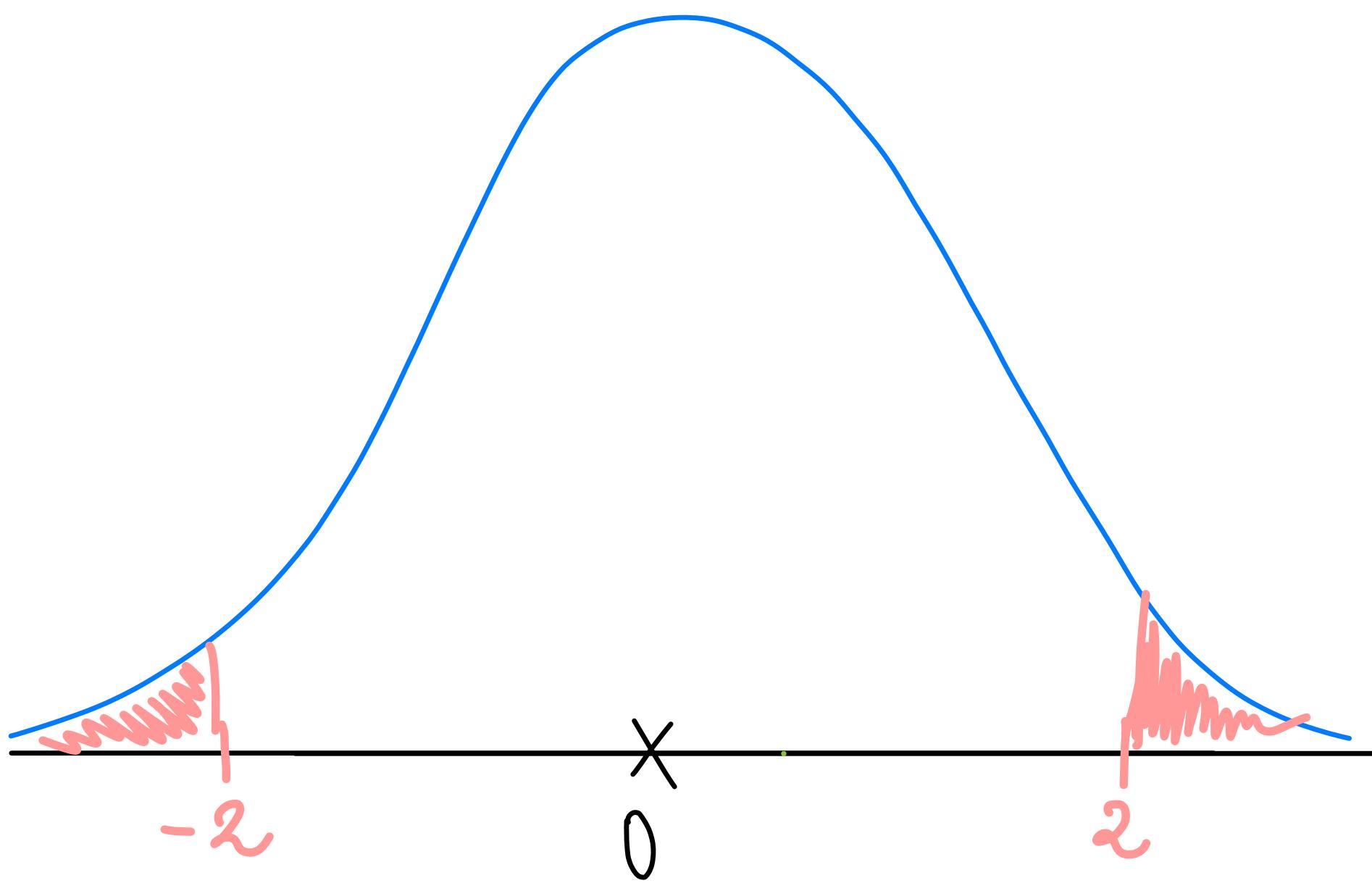
# NORMAL DISTRIBUTION



$$P(Z \leq 0.25) = 0.6$$

# NORMAL DISTRIBUTION

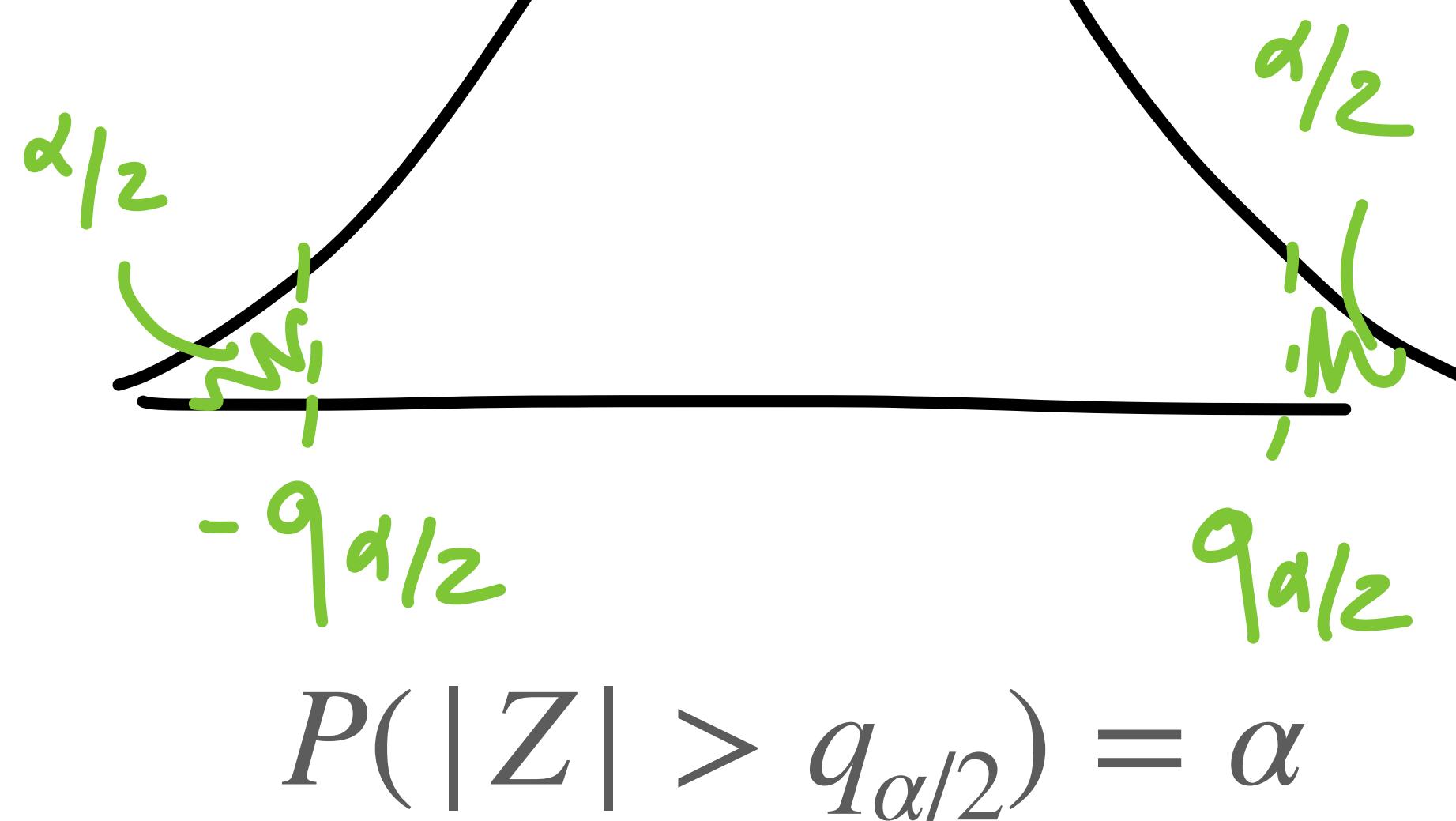
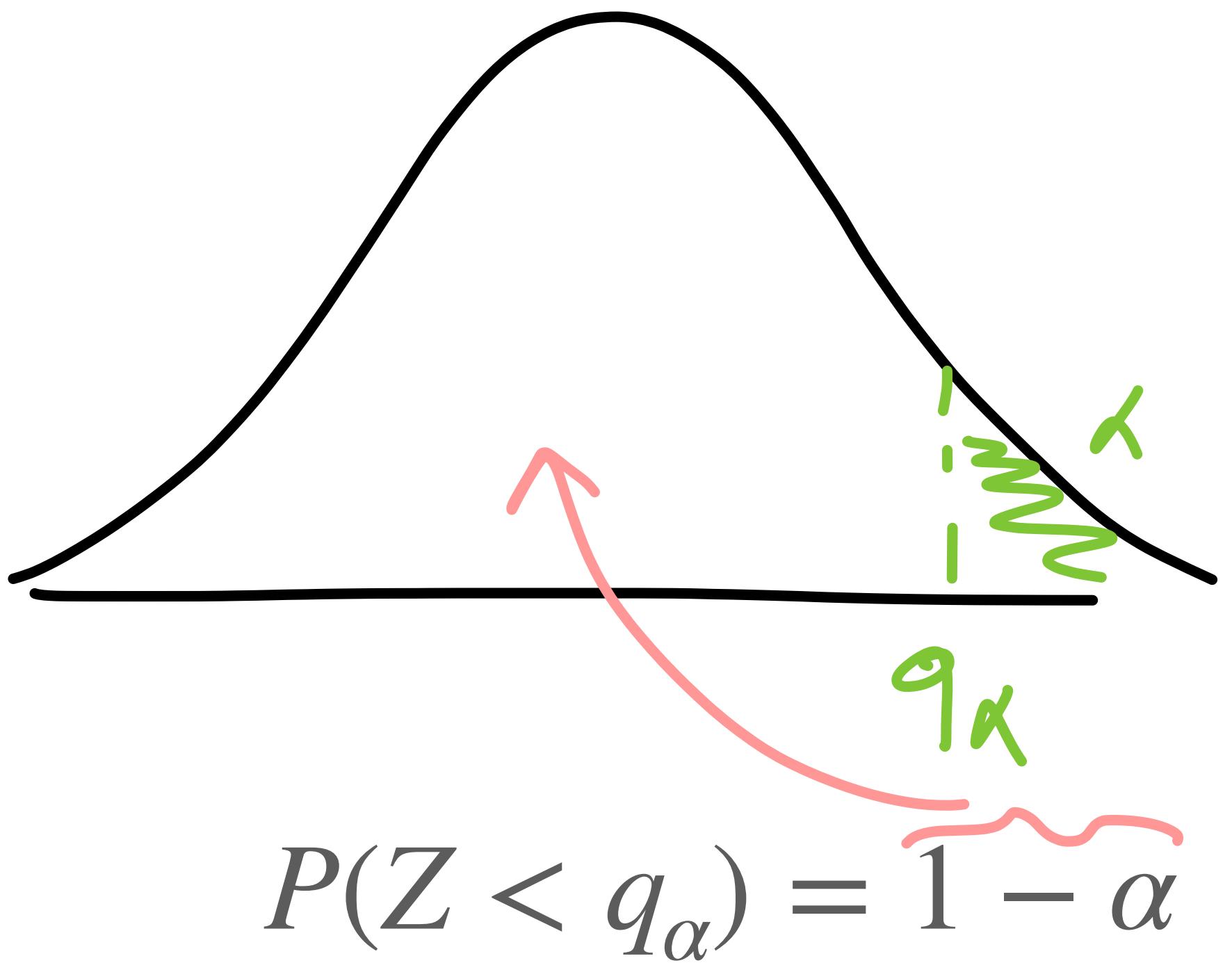
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$$P(Z < -2) = P(Z > 2)$$

$$P(Z > -2) = P(Z < 2)$$

## QUANTILES





# NORMAL DISTRIBUTION

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- $Z \sim N(0,1)$        $X = \sigma Z + \mu$
  - Find  $E[X]$  and  $\text{Var}(X)$
  - $X = \sigma Z + \mu \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$
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- $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$        $Z = (X - \mu)/\sigma = (1/\sigma)X - \mu/\sigma$
  - Find  $E[Z]$  and  $\text{Var}(Z)$
  - $Z = (X - \mu)/\sigma \sim N(0,1)$



# CENTRAL LIMIT THEOREM

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- Let  $X_i$  be n iid random variables.
- Let  $\mu$  and  $\sigma^2$  be the expectation and variances of  $X$ .

## CENTRAL LIMIT THEOREM

$$\sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma} \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{(d)} \mathcal{N}(0,1)$$



## MULTIVARIATE GAUSSIAN

$$X \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(a < X < b) &= P(a-\mu < X-\mu < b-\mu) \\ &= P\left(\frac{a-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{X-\mu}{\sigma} \leq \frac{b-\mu}{\sigma}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$\sigma(0, 1)$

# MULTIVARIATE GAUSSIAN

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} X_1 \\ \vdots \\ X_n \end{pmatrix} \text{ where } X_i \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$$

such that  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $a^T X$  is a Gaussian.

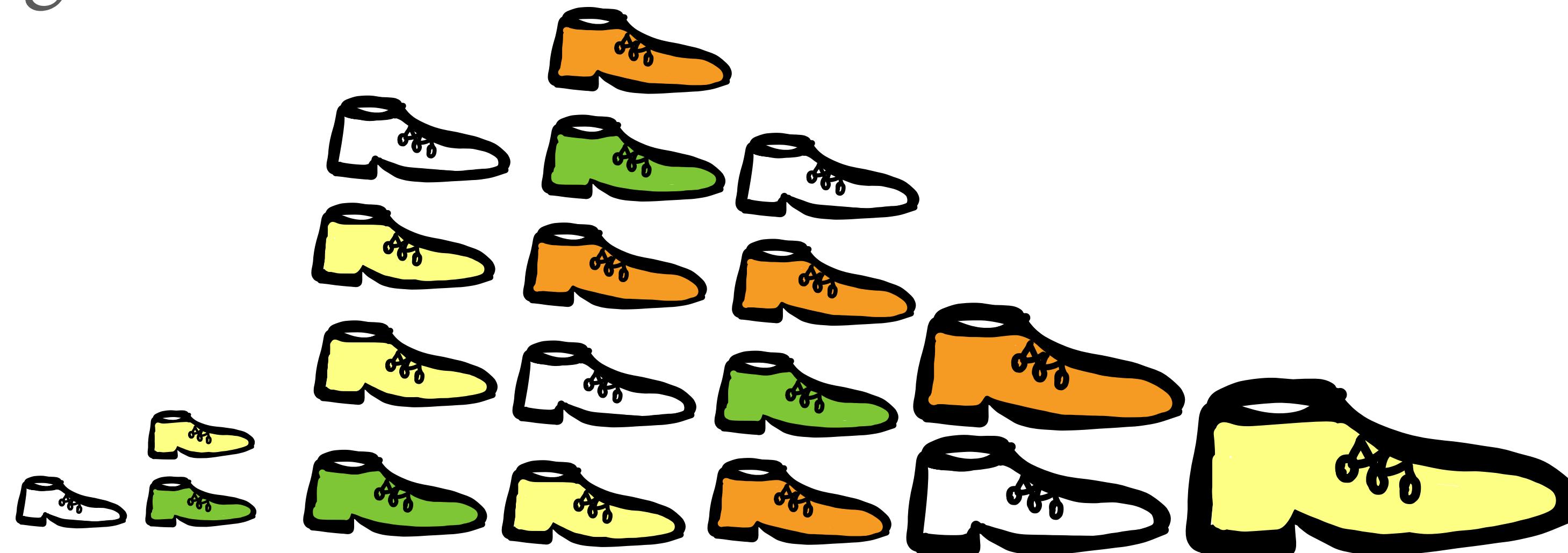
$$\text{cov}(X) = (\text{cov}(X_i, X_j))_{1 \leq i, j \leq n} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{Var}(X_1) & \text{cov}(X_1, X_2) & \dots \\ \vdots & & \\ & \searrow & \text{Var}(X_n) \end{pmatrix}$$

positive-semi definite!

# STATISTICS

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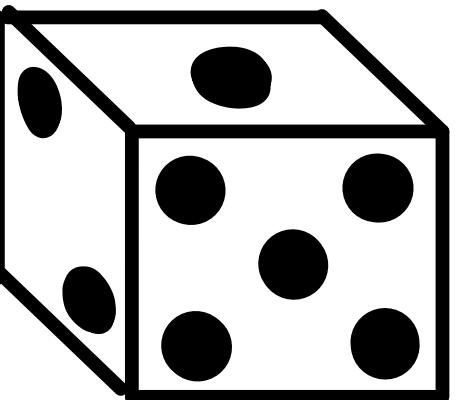
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- Hypotheses testing
- Confidence Intervals
- Linear Regression
- Examples



# ESTIMATION AND ESTIMATORS

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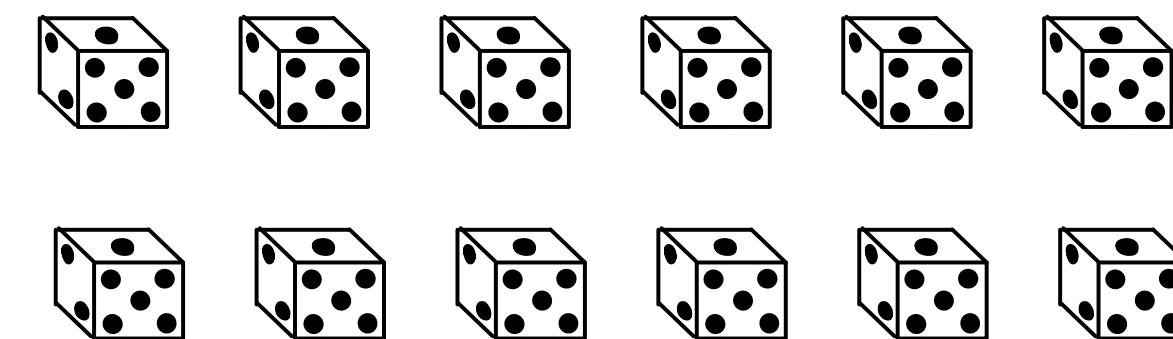
# PROBABILISTIC



- Probability to get 1 is  $1/6$
- Probability to get 2 is  $1/6$
- ...
- Probability to get 6 is  $1/6$

An underlying law  
governs a phenomenon.  
Experiments allow to  
uncover that law.

# EMPIRICAL



- 1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6

# PROBABILISTIC

- Recover the parameters of the distribution, for example the expected value and the variance
- Use the estimators computed empirically
- Test whether the estimator is consistent with a prior hypothesis

# EMPIRICAL

- Conduct an experiment, compute estimators of the quantities of interest.



$$E[X] = \frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n}$$

$$Var(X) = \frac{(X_1 - E[X])^2 + \dots + (X_n - E[X])^2}{n - 1}$$



## PROBABILISTIC

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- X model a phenomenon
- X is characterized by a probability distribution
- $E[X]$  is the expected value, computed from the probability

$$E[X] = \sum_i^n p_i x_i$$

- $\text{Var}(X)$ ,  $\text{COV}(X,Y) \dots$  are computed from the probability

## EMPIRICAL

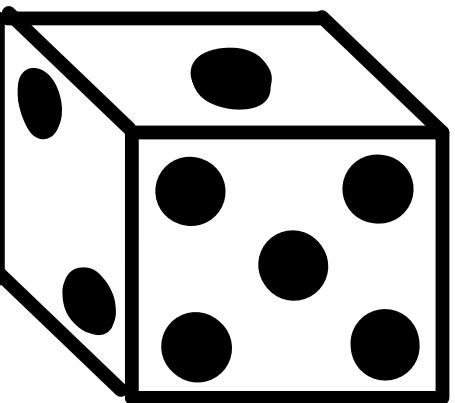
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- $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  describe an experiment
- $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  are characterised by experimental values
- $E[X]$  is the empirical expected value, computed from the data

$$E[X] = \frac{X_1 + \dots + X_n}{n}$$

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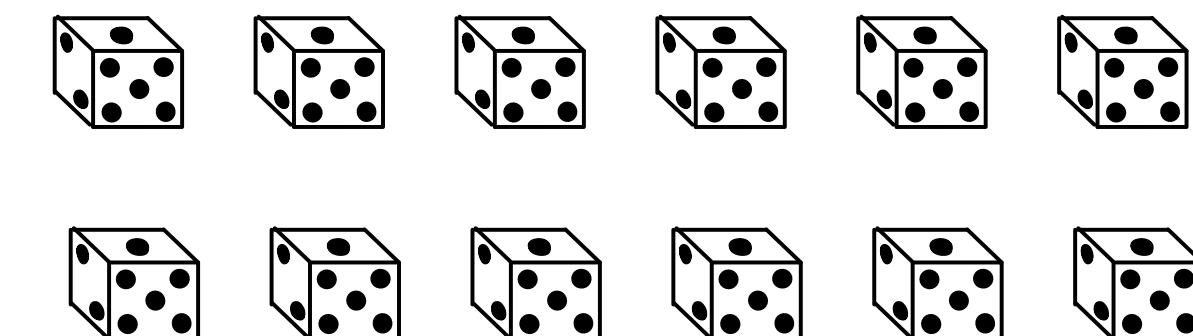
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# EMPIRICAL



- 1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6

$$E[X] = \frac{1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 3 + 4 + 4 + 5 + 5 + 6 + 6 + 6}{12}$$

$$E[X] = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{12} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{12} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 6 \cdot \frac{3}{12} = 3.8$$



# ESTIMATORS

$$(\{0,1\}, (Ber(p))_{p \in [0.2,0.4]})$$

- Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be data points from the experiment.
- Let's define an estimator for  $p$ :

$$\hat{P}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$$

$$E(\hat{P}_n) = E(X_i) = p$$

$\hat{P}_n$  is unbiased

$$Var(\hat{P}_n) = \frac{p(1-p)}{n}$$



# ESTIMATORS

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$$(\mathbb{R}^+, (\mathbb{U}[a, a+1])_{a>0})$$

- Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be data points from the experiment.
- Let's define an estimator for  $a$ :

$$\hat{a}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$$

$$E(\hat{a}_n) = E(X_i) = a + \frac{1}{2}$$

$\hat{a}_n$  is biased

$$Var(\hat{a}_n) = \frac{1}{12n}$$

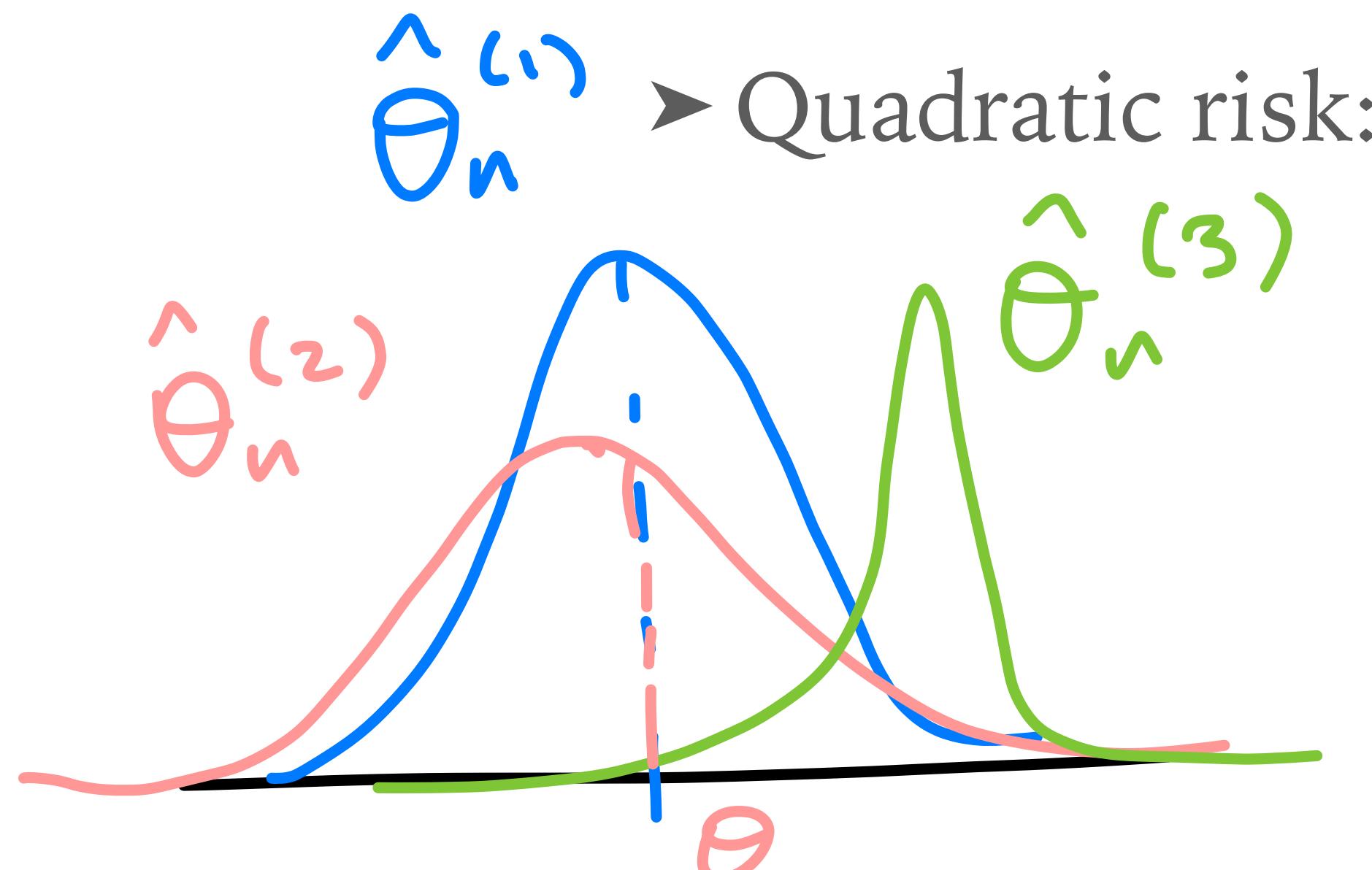
# QUADRATIC RISK

► Estimator's bias:

$$\text{bias} = E[\hat{\theta}_n] - \theta$$

► Estimator's variance:

$$\text{variance} = \text{Var}[\hat{\theta}_n]$$



$$\text{risk} = \text{variance} + \text{bias}^2$$



## EXERCISE

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$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim^{iid} Ber(p)$$

$$\hat{p}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i}{n}$$

$$\hat{p}_n = \frac{X_1 + X_2}{2}$$

$$E(\hat{p}_n) = p$$

$$Var(\hat{p}_n) = \frac{p(1-p)}{n}$$

$$E(\hat{p}_n) = p$$

$$Var(\hat{p}_n) = \frac{p(1-p)}{2}$$

# HYPOTHESIS TESTING

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# HYPOTHESIS TESTING — TATUM'S 3 POINT SHOTS

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- Tatum claims he scores 80% at 3 pts. No more, no less.
- Brown challenges Tatum... They collect data on Tatum shooting 3 pts.
- $n = 400, X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim^{iid} Ber(p)$

$$H_0 : p = 0.8$$

$$H_1 : p \neq 0.8$$



# HYPOTHESIS TESTING — TATUM'S 3 POINT SHOTS

- Let's build an estimator for the test:  $\hat{P}_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{n}$  ← unbiased estimator

- If  $H_0$  is true, then, by the Central Limit Theorem:

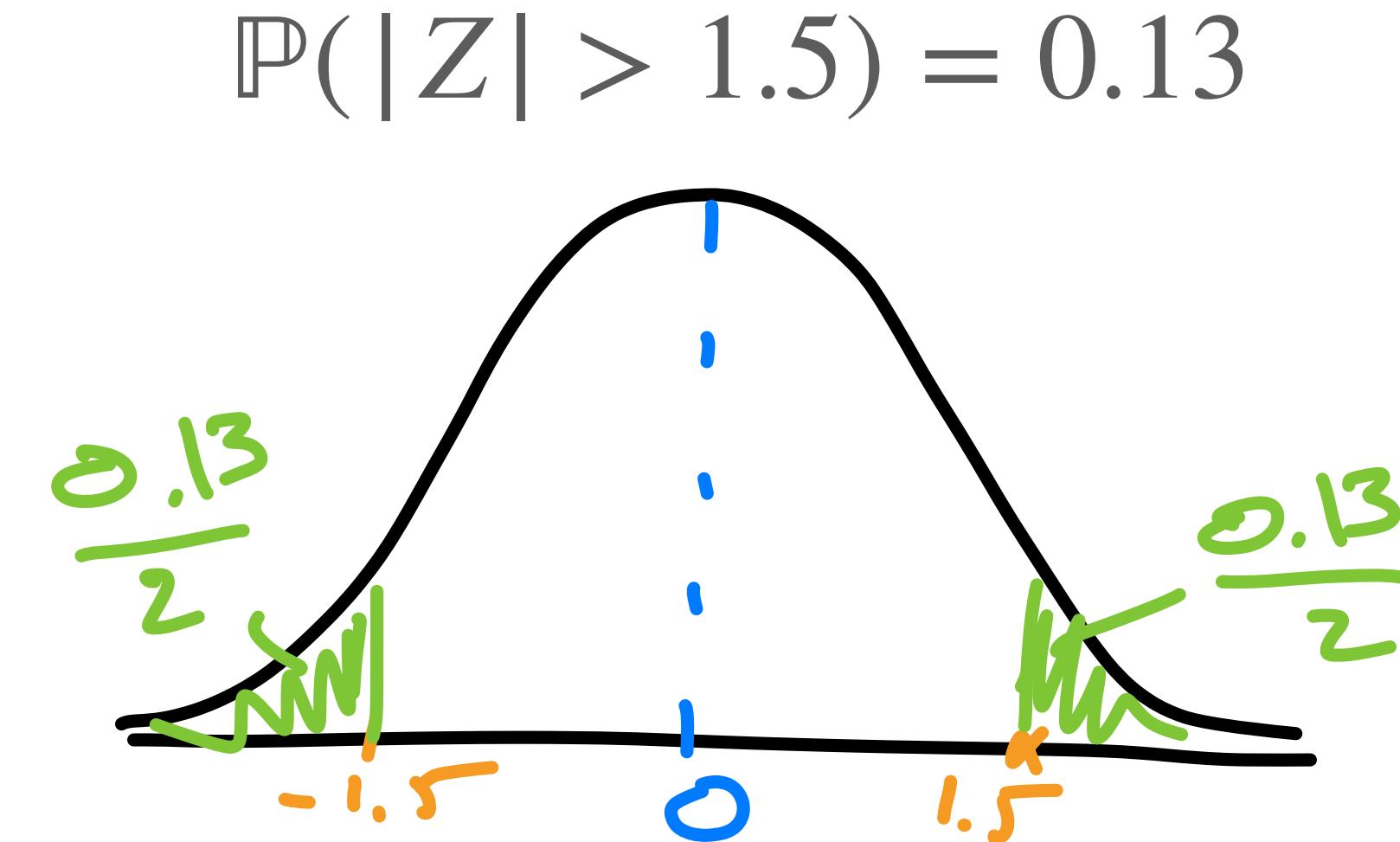
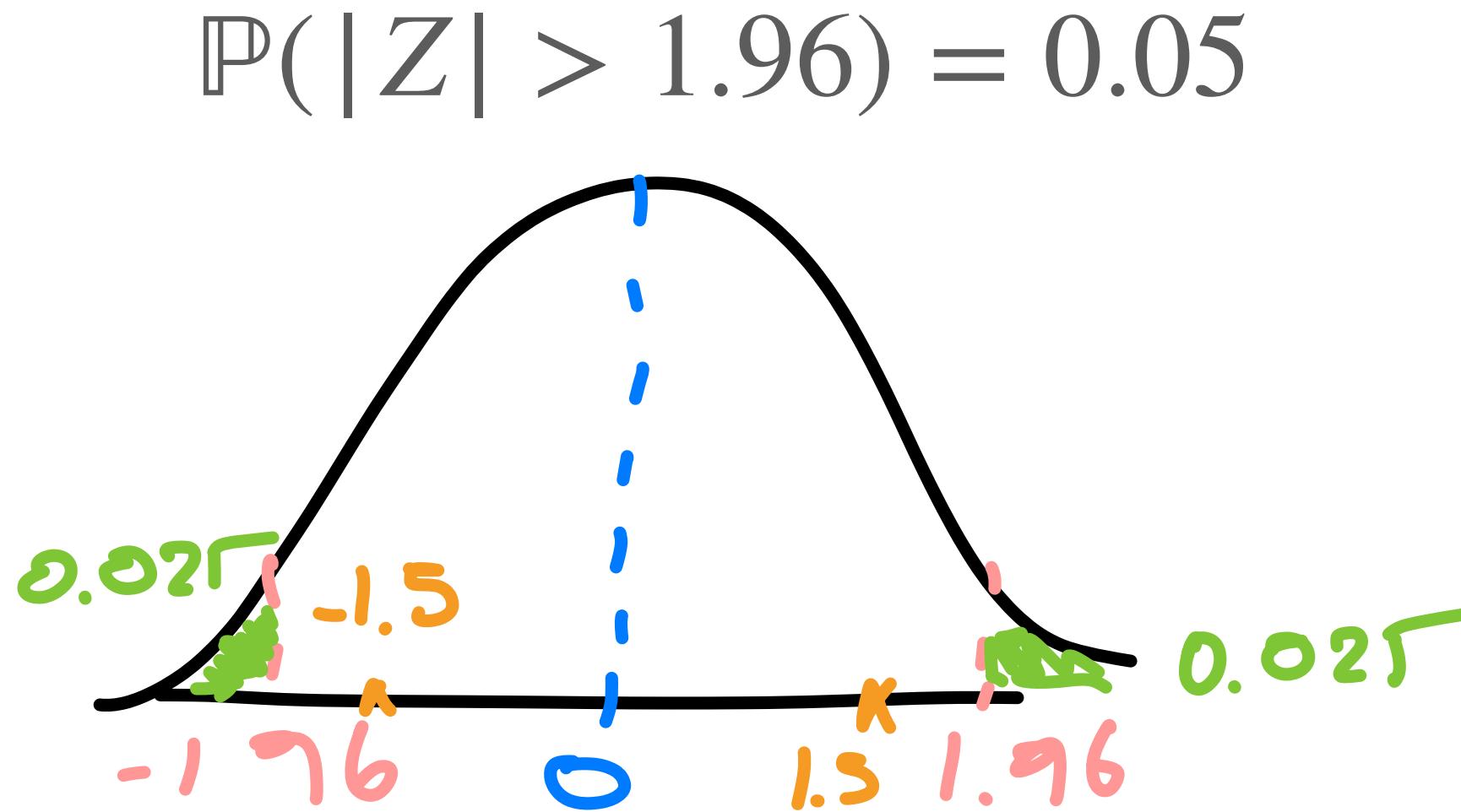
$$\sqrt{n} \frac{\hat{P}_n - 0.8}{\sqrt{0.8 \times 0.2}} \approx \mathcal{N}(0,1)$$

$\rightarrow \sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mathbb{E}(X_i)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X_i)}} \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{} \mathcal{N}(0,1)$

# HYPOTHESIS TESTING — TATUM'S 3 POINT SHOTS

$$\sqrt{n} \frac{\hat{p}_n - 0.8}{\sqrt{0.8 \times 0.2}} = -1.5$$

- Is it a plausible realisation for a Gaussian?

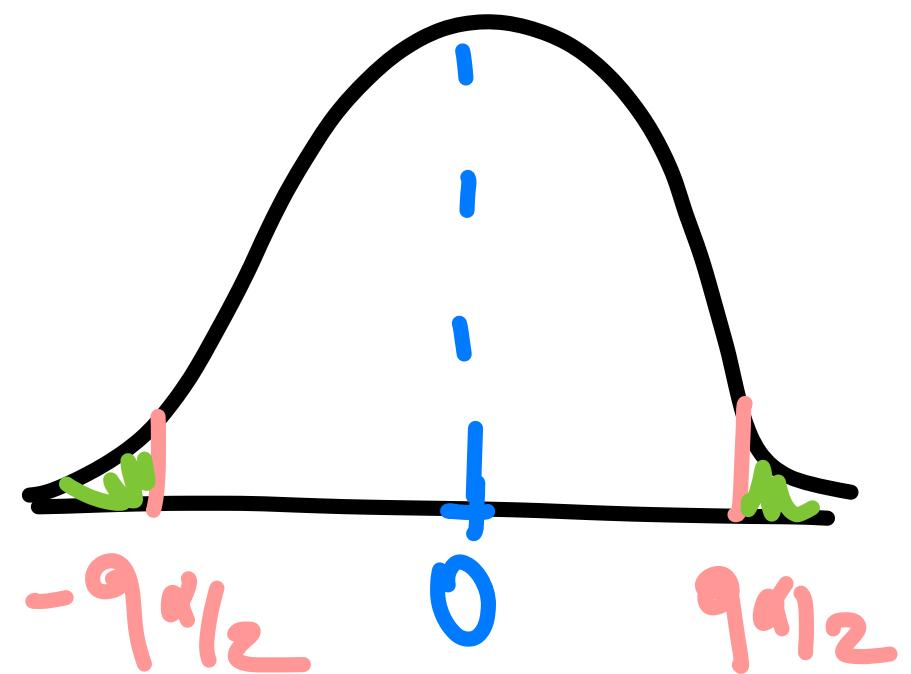


# REJECTION SET

Two-sided test

$$H_0 : \theta = 0.8$$

$$H_1 : \theta \neq 0.8$$



$$z_n^* \in M_n, \quad \left| \sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - 0.8}{\sqrt{0.8 \times 0.2}} \right| > q_{\alpha/2}$$

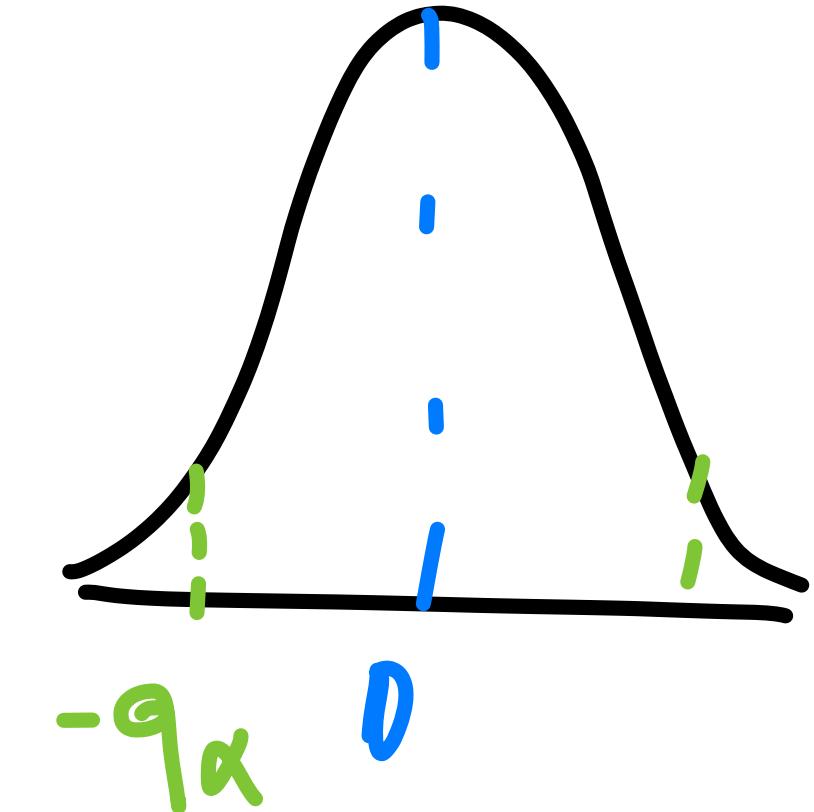
if  $z_n^* \in M_n$ ,  $z_n^*$   
is likely not from  $\rightarrow$  REJECT  
" $H_0$ 's distribution" #o

One-sided test

$$H_0 : \theta \geq 0.8$$

$$H_1 : \theta < 0.8$$

$$z_n^* \in M_n, \quad \sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - 0.8}{\sqrt{0.8 \times 0.2}} < q_\alpha$$



If  $z_n^* < -q_\alpha$ ,  
 $z_n^*$  is unlikely from  $\{$ reject  
" $H_0$ 's distribution" #o

# P-VALUES

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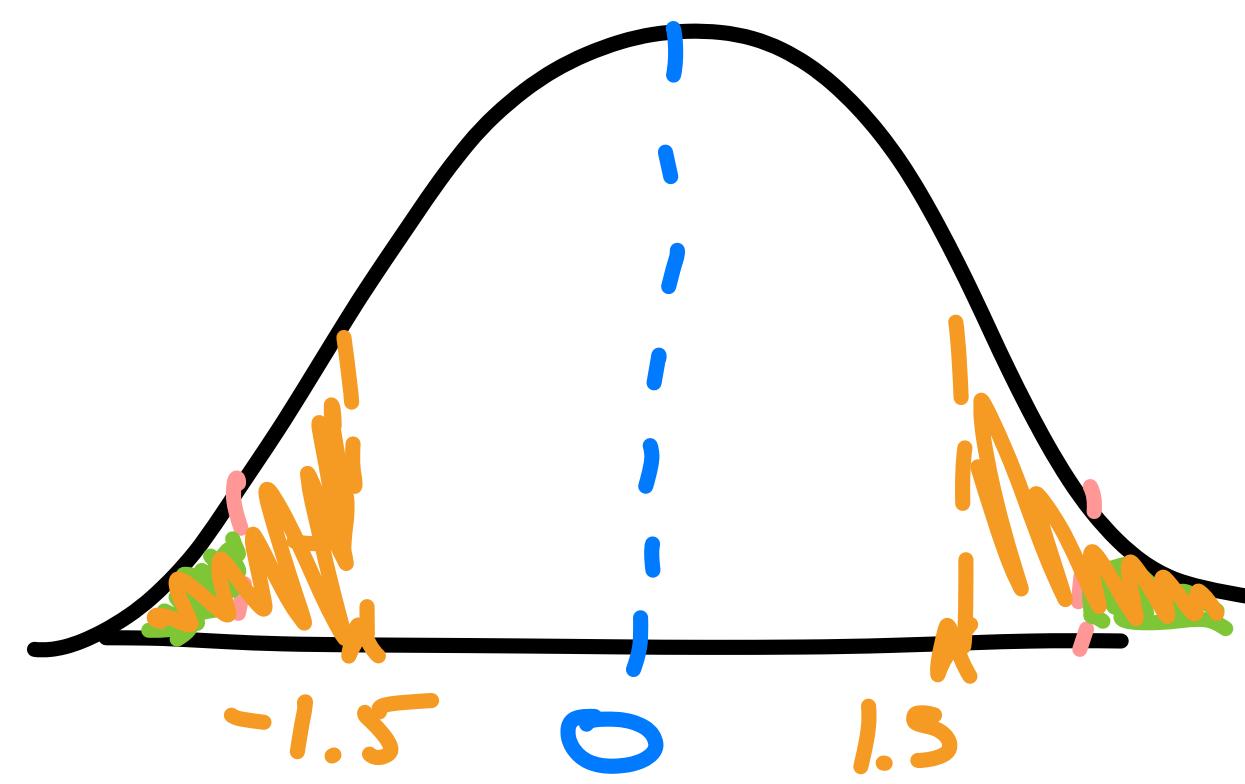
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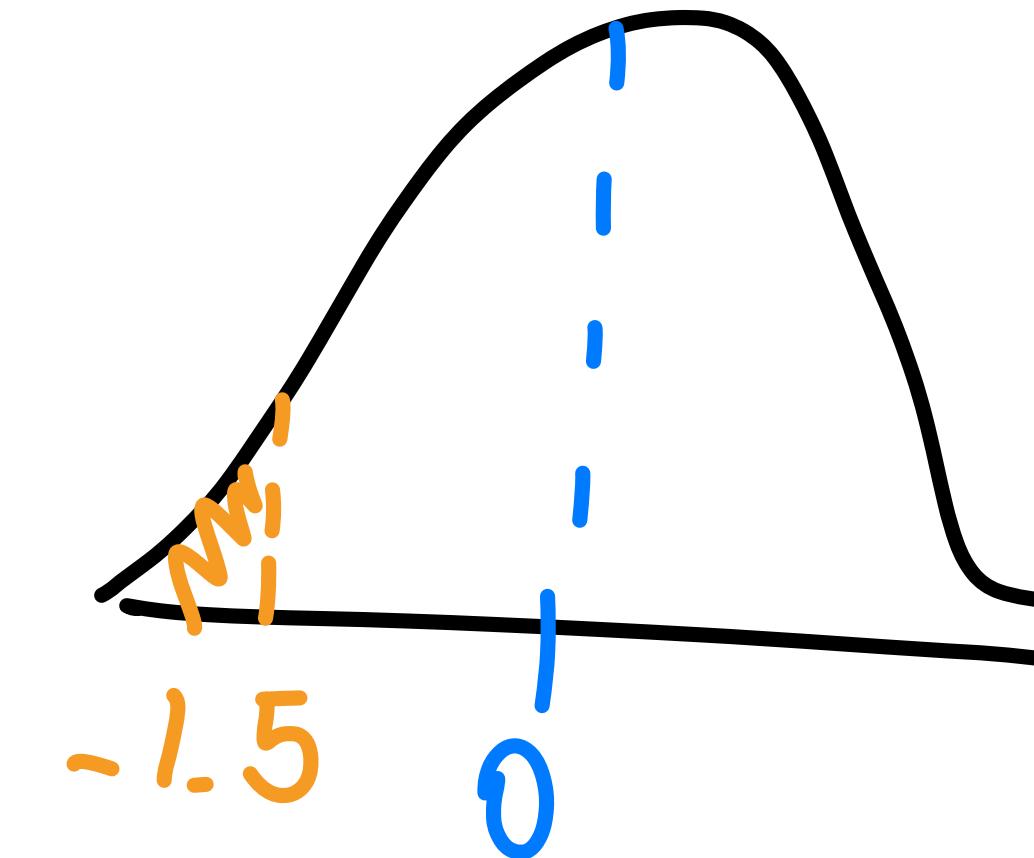
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$$H_1 : \theta < 0.8$$

$$\mathbb{P}(|Z| > z^*)$$



$$\mathbb{P}(Z < z^*)$$





## TYPE 1 AND TYPE 2 ERRORS

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Type 1 error: Reject  $H_0$  when it is true

Type 2 error: Accept  $H_0$  when  $H_1$  is true



# STUDENT TEST

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$$X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n \sim^{iid} \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$\hat{\sigma}^2 ?$

$$\hat{\mu} = \bar{X}_n$$

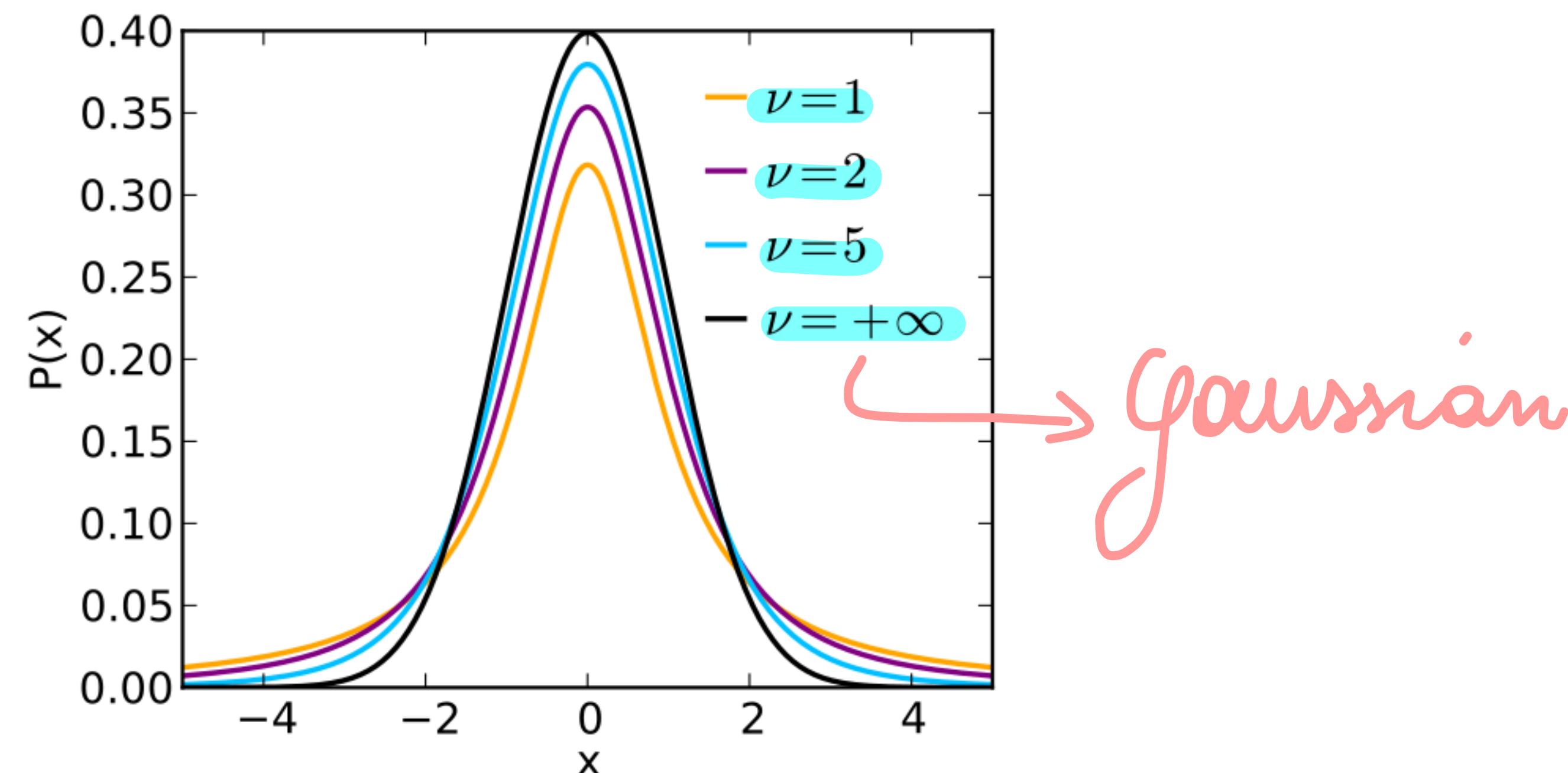
$$\hat{S}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \hat{X}_n)^2}{n - 1}$$

unbiased  
estimator

# STUDENT TEST

$$\sqrt{n} \frac{\hat{X}_n - \mu}{\hat{S}_n} \sim t_{n-1}$$

$$\hat{S}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \hat{X}_n)^2}{n - 1}$$



# CONFIDENCE INTERVAL

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# CONFIDENCE INTERVALS

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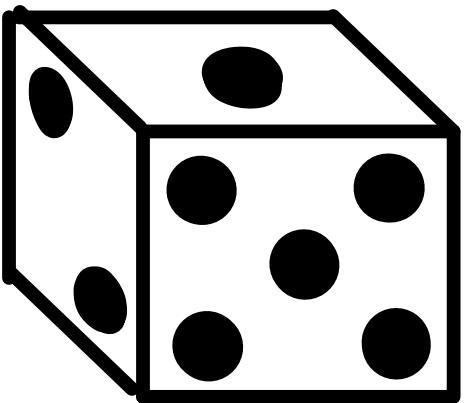


$$\mathbb{P}\left(\left|\sqrt{n}\frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma}\right| < 1.96\right) = 0.95$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\bar{X}_n - \frac{1.96\sigma}{\sqrt{n}} < \mu < \bar{X}_n + \frac{1.96\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}\right) = 0.95$$

# PROBABILISTIC

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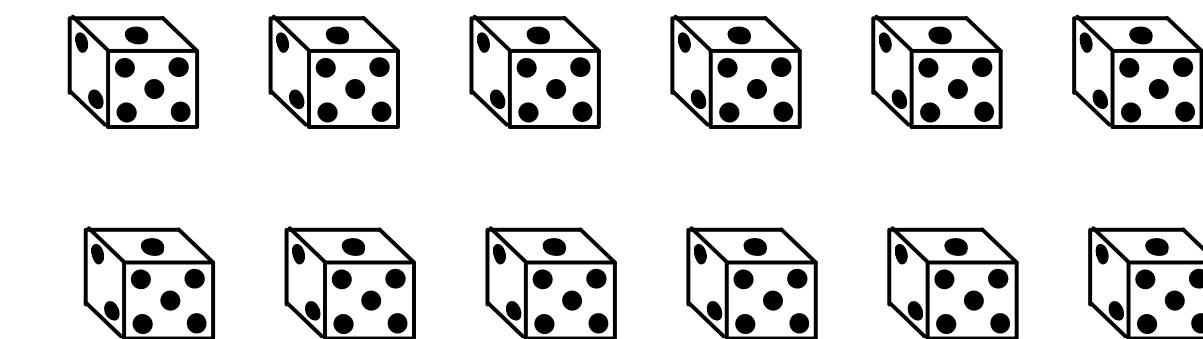


- Probability to get 1 is  $1/6$
- Probability to get 2 is  $1/6$
- ...
- Probability to get 6 is  $1/6$

$$E[X] = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 6 \cdot \frac{1}{6} = 3.5$$

# EMPIRICAL

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- 1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6

$$E[X] = \frac{1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 3 + 4 + 4 + 5 + 5 + 6 + 6 + 6}{12}$$

$$E[X] = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{12} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{12} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 6 \cdot \frac{3}{12} = 3.8$$



# CONFIDENCE INTERVAL

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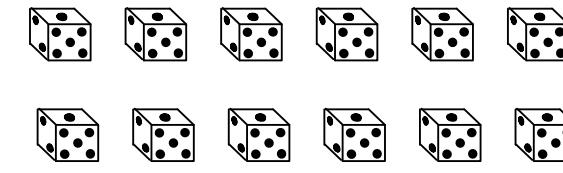
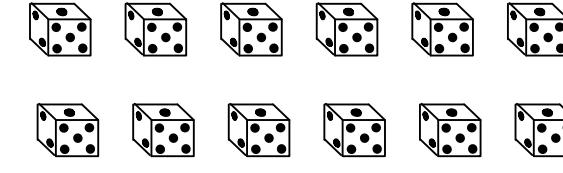
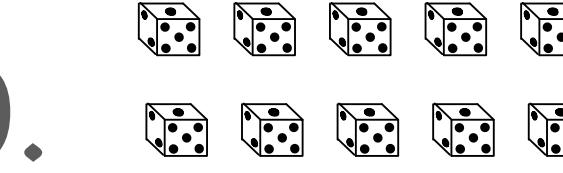
- Empirical result: 3.8
- 95% Confidence Interval

$$CI = \left[ \bar{X}_n - \frac{1.96s}{\sqrt{n}}, \bar{X}_n + \frac{1.96s}{\sqrt{n}} \right]$$

- CI = [2.05, 5.35]
- What does 95% interval mean?

# CONFIDENCE INTERVAL

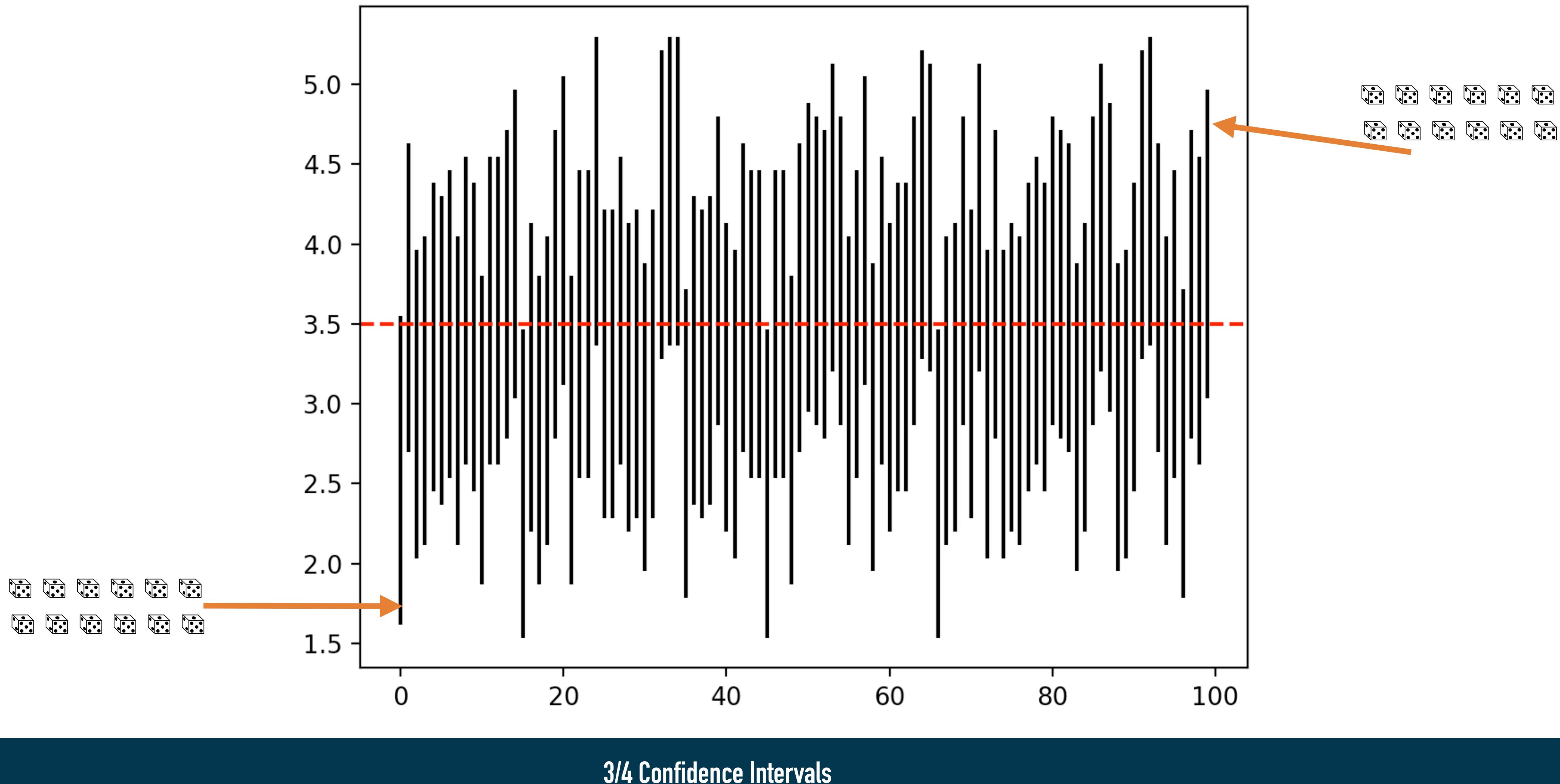
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- I launch 100 times 12 dices
- 1.  I compute  $CI_1$
- 2.  I compute  $CI_2$
- ...
- 100.  I compute  $CI_{100}$
- My TRUE parameter shall be in at least 95 of these 100 CIs.



# CONFIDENCE INTERVAL

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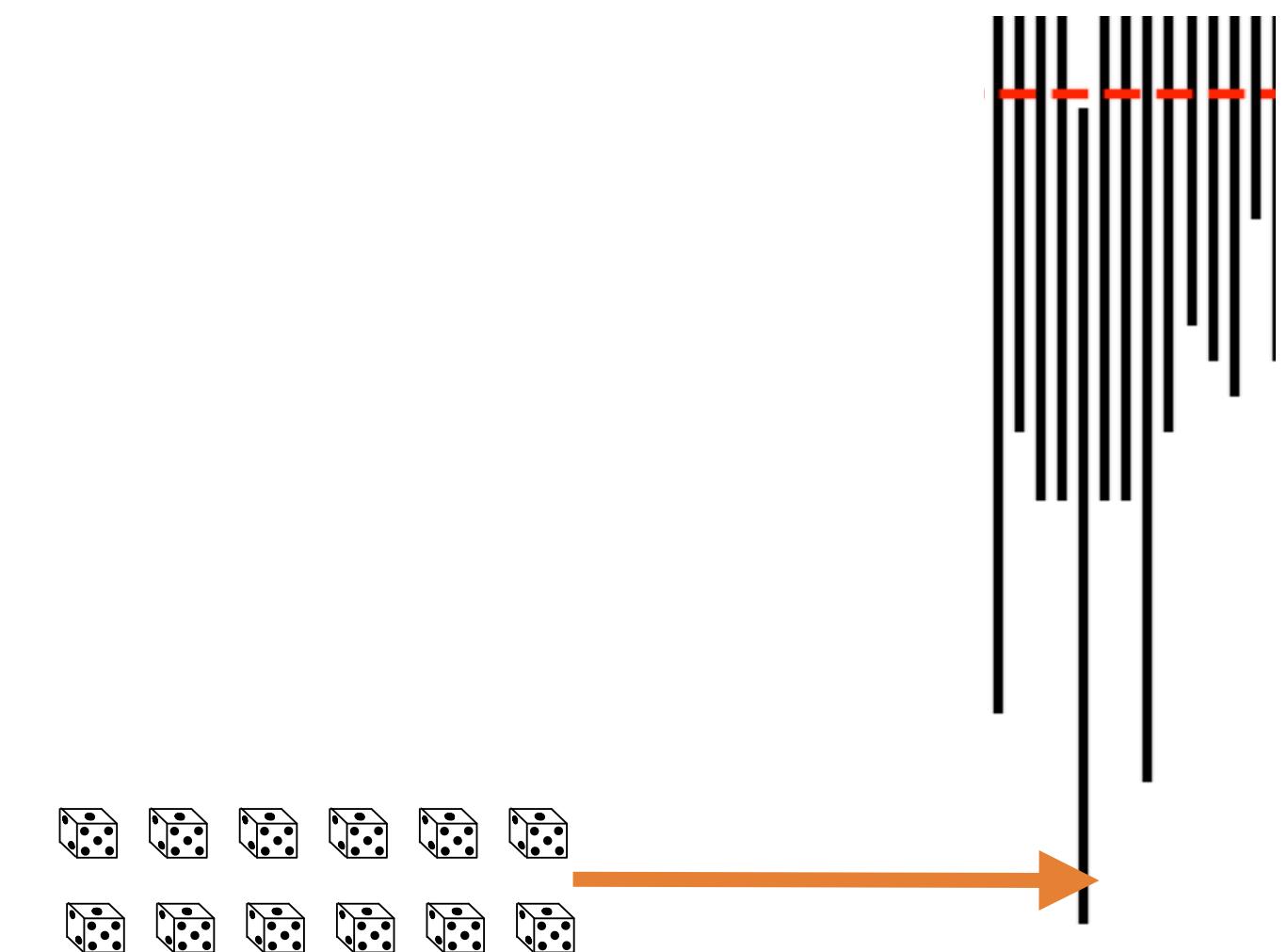




# CONFIDENCE INTERVAL

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- Remember, in real life cases, we do NOT know the TRUE parameter. In fact, the point of the CI is to allow us to estimate this TRUE parameter.
- If the hypothesis is that the TRUE parameter is 3.5, it can be verified looking at the CI.
- There is a 0.05 risk to make an error.





## PROBABILISTIC

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- I reject the null hypothesis if my observation seems implausible, meaning the probability that it is a Gaussian is less than 5%.

## EMPIRICAL

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- I reject the null hypothesis if my observation does not belong to the confidence interval.

# LINEAR REGRESSION

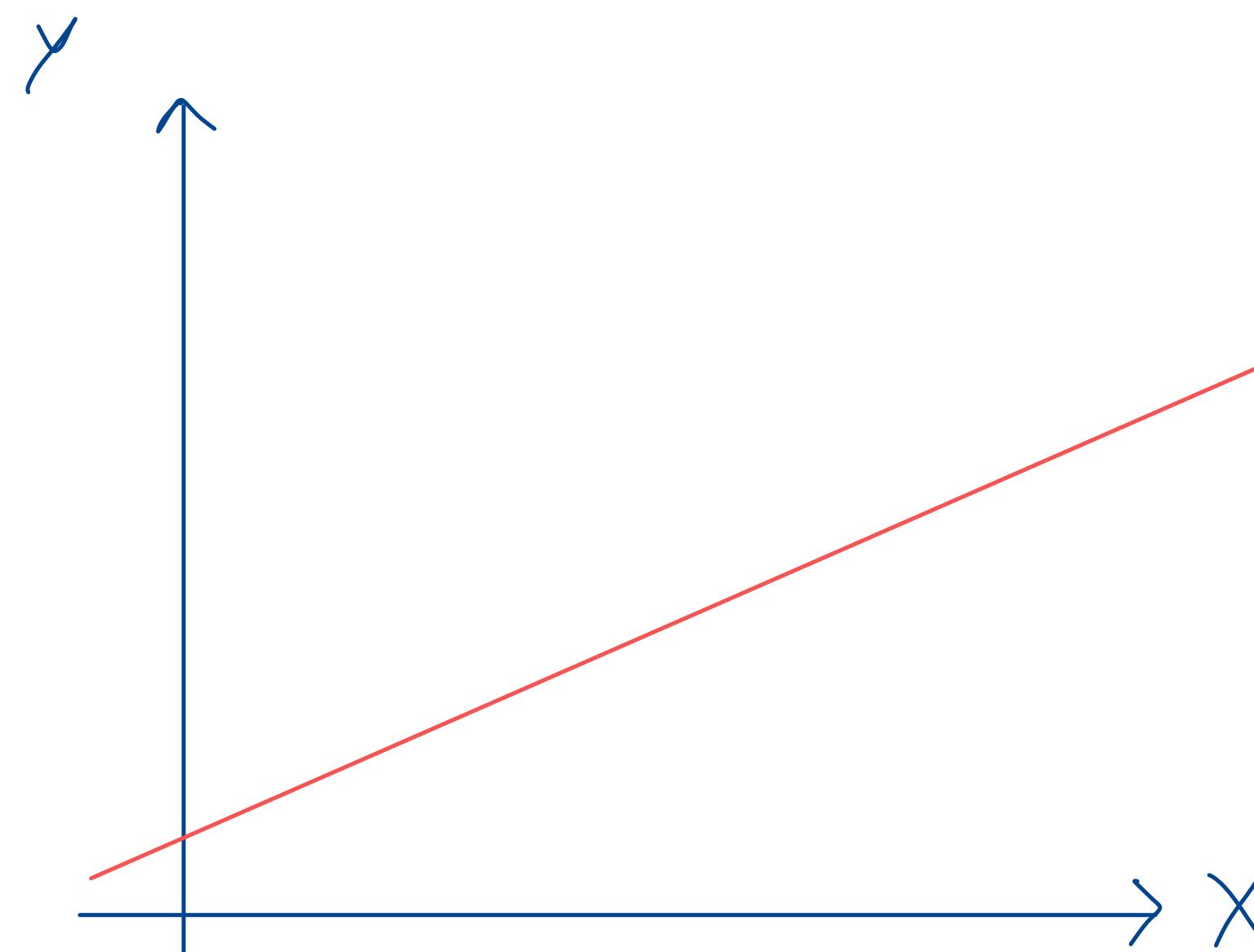
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# SIMPLE REGRESSION ANALYSIS

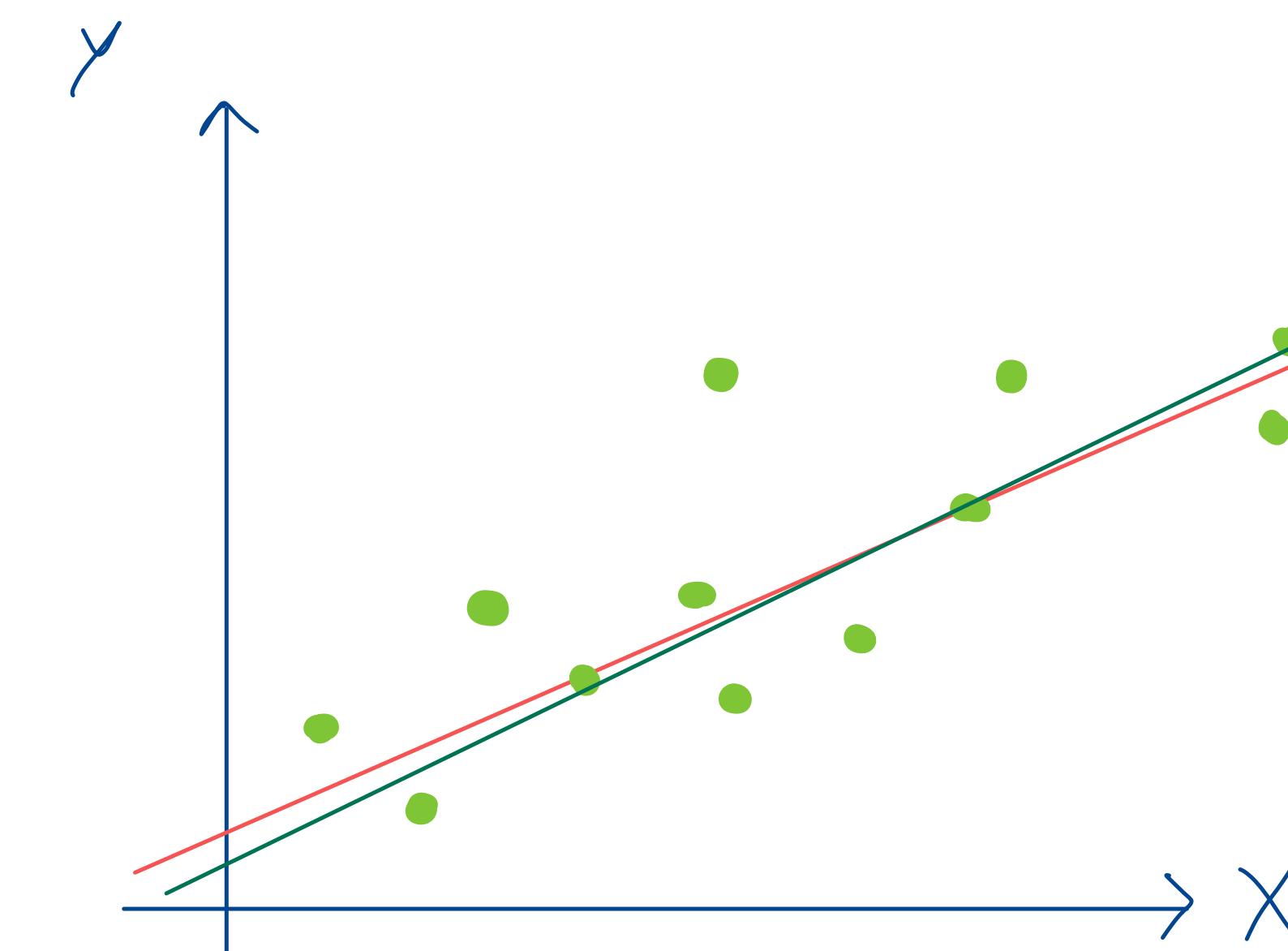
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- Goal: To develop a model that relates two quantities
- x: **Independent** (explanatory) variable; quantity sometimes under managerial control
- Y: **Dependent** variable; quantity to be predicted — magnitude is determined (in large part) by x



$$Y_i = b_0 + b_1 X_i + \epsilon_i$$

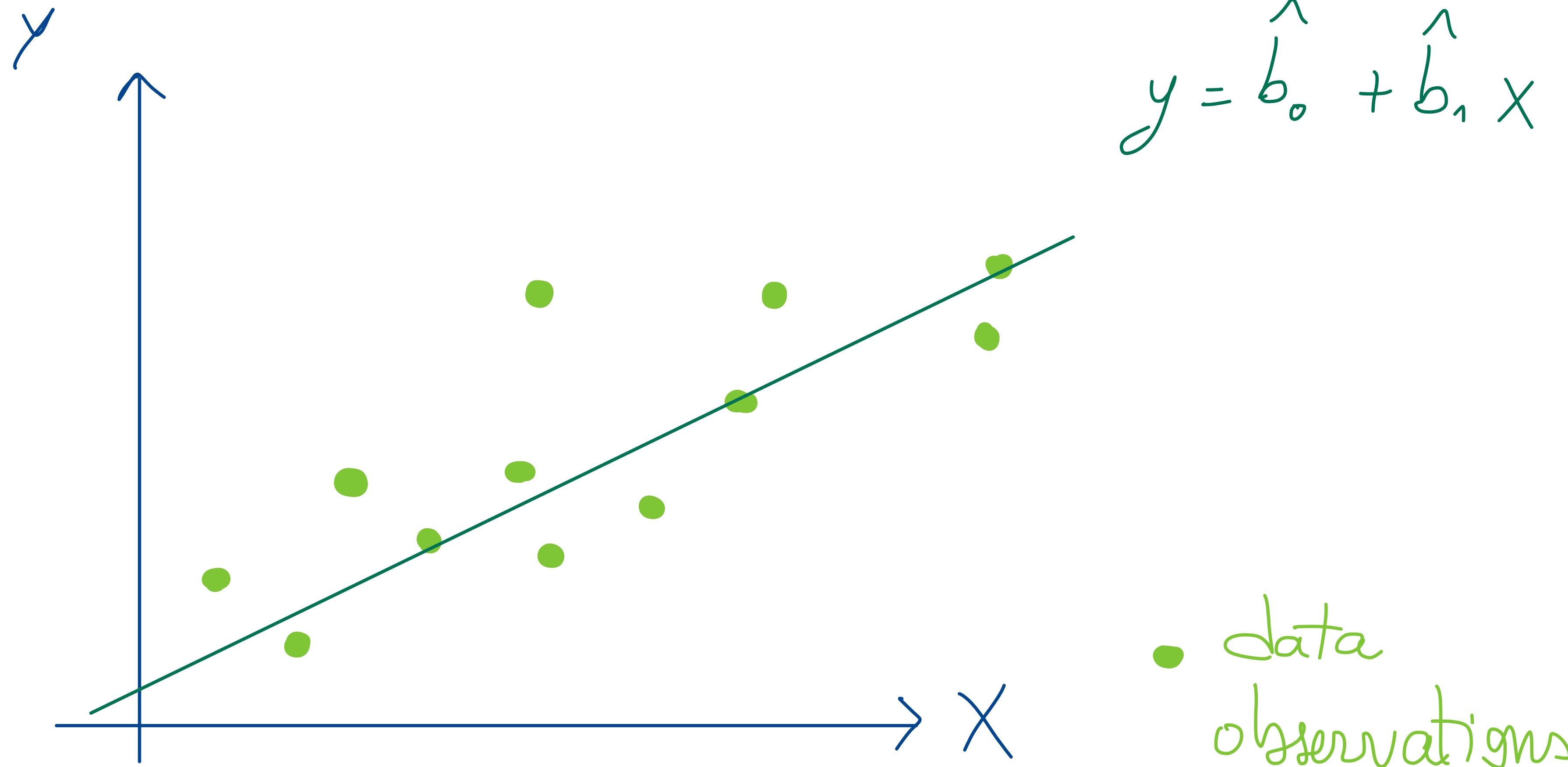
$y = b_0 + b_1 x$   
(true equation)



$$Y_i = \hat{b}_0 + \hat{b}_1 X_i + \hat{\epsilon}_i$$

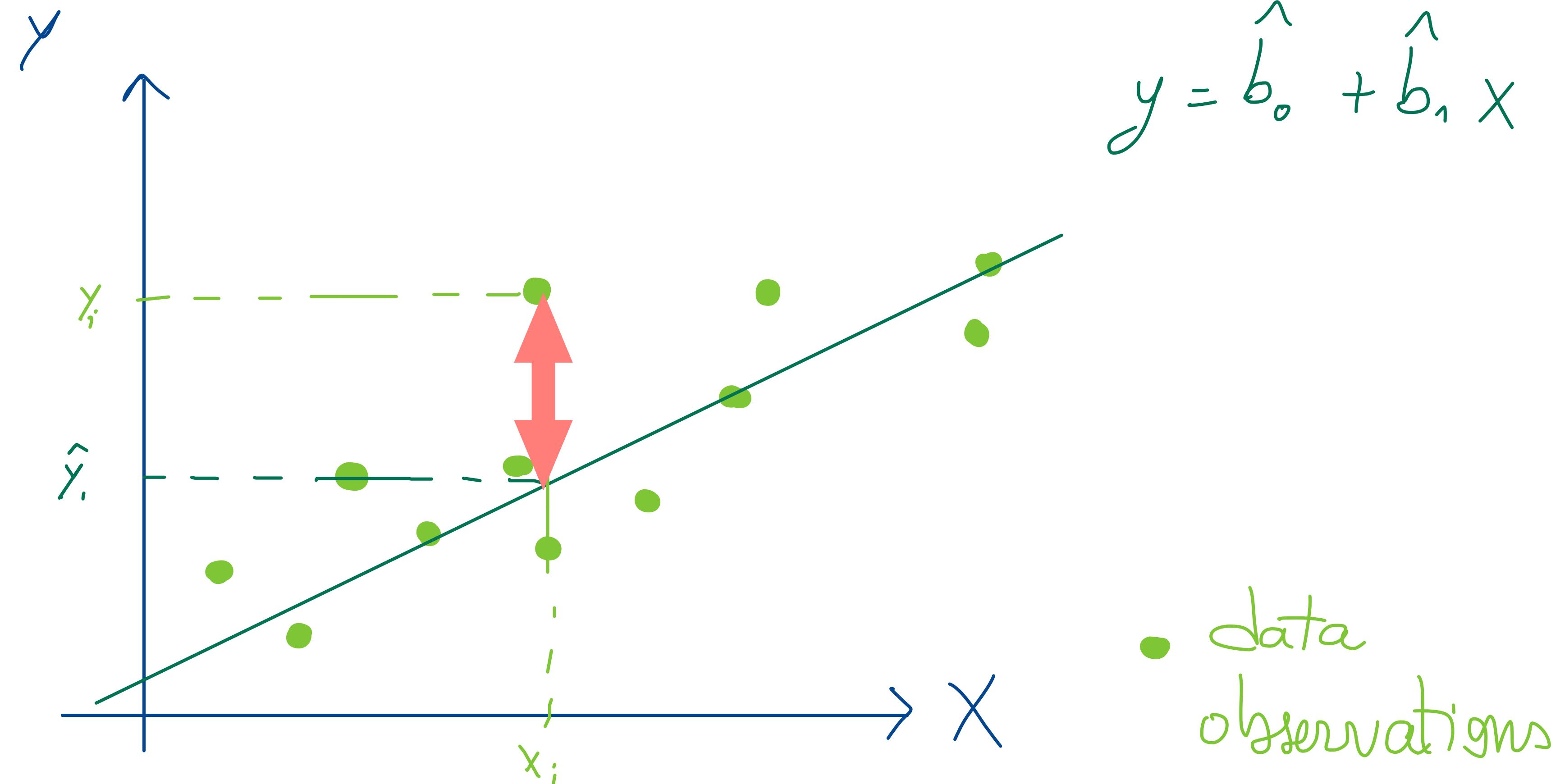
$y = \hat{b}_0 + \hat{b}_1 x$   
(true equation)  
• data observations

# LINEAR REGRESSION



- Estimated values! Hypothesis testing? Confidence interval?

# PARAMETERS ESTIMATION



$$e_i = y_i - \hat{y}_i$$



# PARAMETERS ESTIMATION

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- Residuals

$$e_i = y_i - \hat{y}_i$$

- Sum squared of residuals

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

- Minimize SSE with  $b_0$  and  $b_1$
- Wait... where are  $b_0$  and  $b_1$ ?

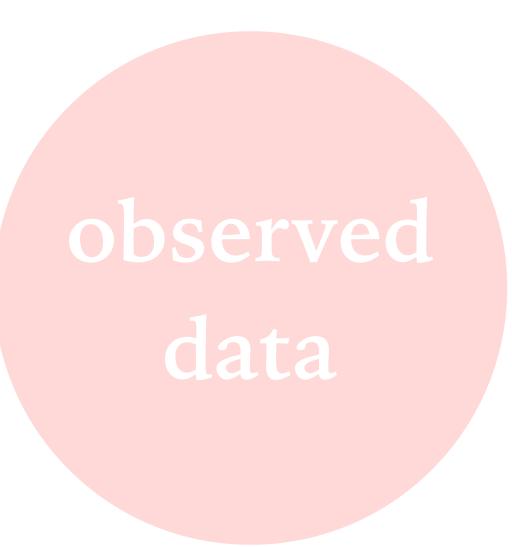
$$\hat{y}_i = b_0 + b_1 x_i$$



# PARAMETERS ESTIMATION

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$$SSE = \sum_i^n (y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)^2$$



observed  
data



# MODEL

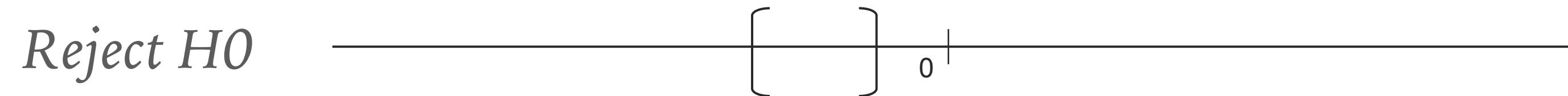
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$$y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_i + \epsilon_i$$

# INTERPRETATION

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- What does it mean for  $b_1$  to be 0?
- Let:  $H_0$  (null hypothesis)  $b_1 = 0$
- How can we reject  $H_0$  based on the data?
- Compute the Confidence Intervals!



# EXAMPLE

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## CANDY BAGS

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- A candy manufacturer at MIT produces Bertie Bott's Every Flavour Beans. Each jelly bag contains candies that ALL have the same flavor (hence color). Further, the manufacturer claims that each bag contains at least 49 candies.
- Among 50 candy bags, the students found that there is between 41 and 55 candies, and 47.76 on average, *with  $\sigma = 4.42$*
- Do you think that the manufacturer's claim is fair?



## CANDY BAGS

$n = 50, X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} X$  with  $E(X) = \mu$

$$\bar{X}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = 47.76 \quad \sigma = 4.42$$

$$\begin{cases} H_0: \mu \geq 49 & \leftarrow \text{claim from manufacturer} \\ H_1: \mu < 49 & \text{one-sided test} \end{cases}$$

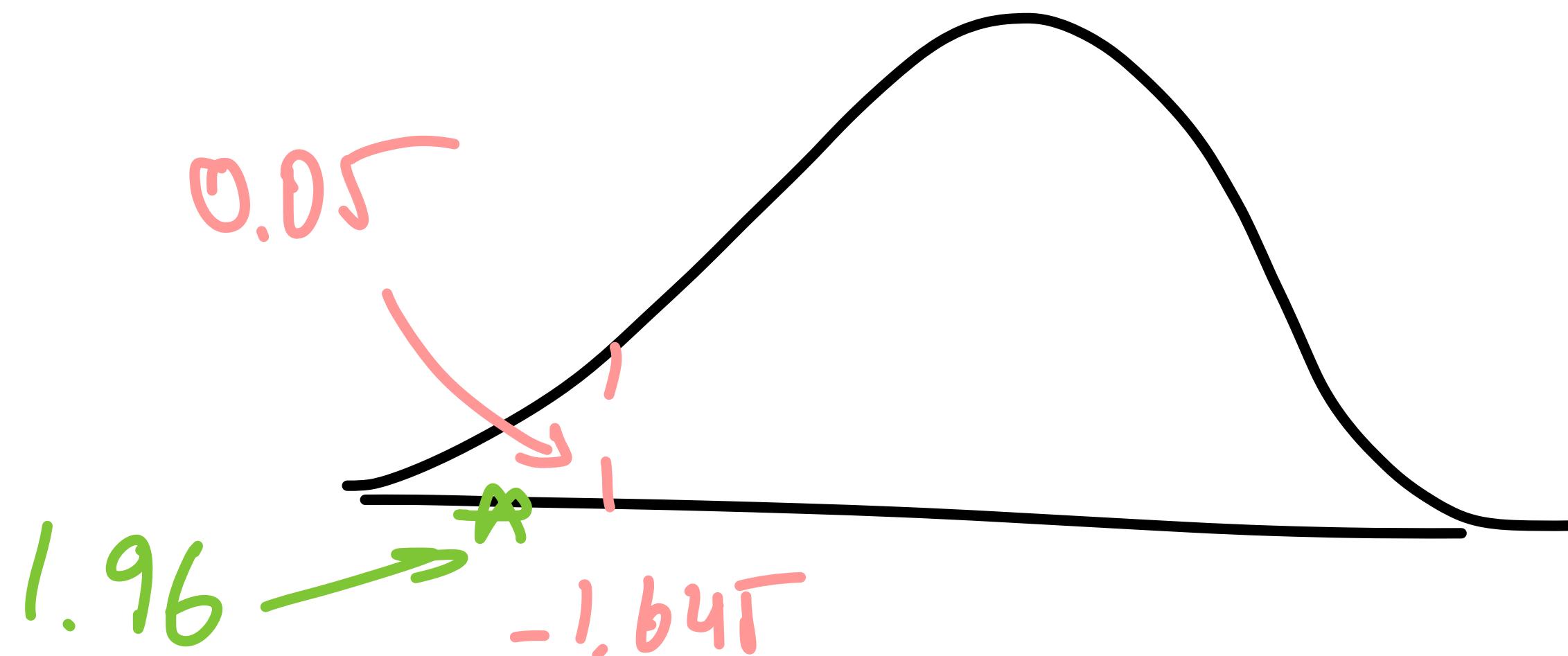
$\uparrow$  alternative possibility

## CANDY BAGS

$$\sqrt{n} \frac{\bar{X}_n - \mu}{\sigma} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\sigma$$

$$= -1.98$$



$$P(z \leq -1.98)$$

$$= 0.024$$

P for a gaussian  
to be more  
extreme than  
the test value



## CANDY BAGS

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The probability that the test value is from the distribution induced by  $H_0$  is less than 5%. We then **REJECT**  $H_0$ .