

# Midterm Review for STAT 423/523

## 1. Sample Means Properties

- Expectation.
- Variance.
- Distribution (Normal case and CLT case)

## 2. MoM Estimator

- Definition.
- Number of equations = Number of parameters.
- Properties of the estimator.

## 3. MLE Estimator

- Definition.
- Likelihood function.
- Maximization through logarithm and differentiation.

## 4. Confidence Intervals

- Definition (Confidence interval, confidence level).
- Normal Confidence interval for mean.
- $t$ -Confidence interval for mean.

## 5. Hypotheses Testing (General)

- Hypotheses.
- Two-sided vs. One-sided tests.
- Test statistic.
- P-value.
- Decision rule.
- Type I and Type II errors.

## 6. One-sample Z-Test / T-Test.

- Hypotheses. (comparing mean to a given value)
- Test statistic. (Z-statistic or T-statistic)
- Decision rule, P-value.
- Relation to confidence interval.
- Assumptions.
- Power and sample size calculation.
- Read output from R program.

## 7. Two-sample T-Test.

- Hypotheses. (comparing means of two populations)
- Types: Equal variance vs. Unequal variance. Paired vs. unpaired.
- Test statistic. (construction of the test statistic)
- Decision rule, P-value.
- Different assumptions.
- Read output from R program.