# (possibly incomplete list of) **Topics Covered from Chapter 4 to 7 and Confidence Intervals**

Chapter 4: Probability

Sample Point, Sample Space, Event

 $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B|A)$ 

how to use these

ComplementMutually Exclusivetheir definitions and how they affect the multiplication rule,<br/>addition rule, and conditional probabilitiesIndependentaddition rule, and conditional probabilities

### Chapter Five: Discrete Random Variables

Random Variable, Discrete Random Variable, Probability Function

Mean (of a discrete random variable)	if given the probability function, how to
Expected Value (of a discrete random variable)	calculate them, and what they tell us
Variance (of a discrete random variable)	about the variable
Standard Deviation (of a discrete random variable)	

Recognize when something follows a binomial distribution, know what the parameters mean, and how and when we would use them. Recognize the formulas for the mean and variance of a binomial distribution.

Factorials and using division to cancel out orderings we aren't concerned with Binomial Coefficient

## Chapters Six: The Normal Distribution

Changing a Normal to a Standard Normal you need to remember  $z = (x - \mu)/\sigma$ Be able to use a normal table to calculate probabilities for a normal random variable. The normal approximation to the binomial, including the continuity correction and how large n needs to be

## Chapter Seven: Sampling Distributions

What a sampling distribution is That the central limit theorem "works better" the larger n is Using the central limit theorem if given the formula

## Confidence Intervals (8.1-8.2, pg. 369-375, pg. 386-392)

Calculating confidence intervals for the population mean and population proportion, interpreting them, and the assumptions needed to trust them.

Using a t-table and how the how a t distribution compares to a normal distribution (pg. 369) How you can calculate the sample size you need to get a certain accuracy from a confidence interval Why we have to use  $\hat{p}$  instead of p in the ± part of the approximate 95% CI for the population proportion

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$
$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B \mid A)$$

$$\mu = \sum x P(x)$$
  
$$\sigma^{2} = \sum (x - \mu)^{2} P(x)$$

$$\binom{n}{x} = \frac{n!}{x!(n-x)!}$$
$$P[X = x] = \binom{n}{x} p^{x} (1-p)^{n-x}$$
$$\mu = np$$

$$\sigma^2 = np(1-p)$$

$$z \approx \frac{\sum x_i - n\mu}{\sqrt{n\sigma}} = \frac{\overline{x} - \mu}{\sigma/\sqrt{n}}$$
$$z \approx \frac{\sum x_i - np}{\sqrt{np(1-p)}} = \frac{\hat{p} - p}{\sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}}}$$

$$\overline{x} \pm \frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\overline{x} \pm \frac{t_{\alpha/2}}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\hat{x} \pm \frac{s_{\alpha/2}}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\hat{p} \pm \frac{z_{\alpha/2}}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}$$