

## Agenda

Look at the Distribution  
of the Colors of  $M \frac{1}{3} M's$

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An e-mail was sent to the  
Company that makes

$M \frac{1}{3} M's$

asking about the color distribution

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We're going to take a sample to try and find evidence against this claim.

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You'll each be given  
a small handful to count.  
We'll combine all as our sample data.

	your counts		%
6	$\begin{matrix} 2^5 & 3 & 6 & 8 & 10 & 8 \\ 5 & 7 & 6 & 8 & 10 & 8 \end{matrix}$	= 60	Brown
1	$\begin{matrix} 5^4 & 5 & 8 & 4 & 6 \\ 9 & 5 & 9 & 3 & 6 \end{matrix}$	= 61	Yellow
14	$\begin{matrix} 5 & 10 & 15 & 7 & 8 & 7 \\ 9 & 5 & 11 & 11 & 11 & 11 \end{matrix}$	= 102	Orange
9	$\begin{matrix} 2^1 & 4 & 7 & 3 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 & 4 & 7 & 4 \end{matrix}$	= 55	Green
3	$\begin{matrix} 9 & 9 & 10 & 12 & 7 & 11 \\ 8 & 4 & 11 & 9 & 11 & 11 \end{matrix}$	= 93	Blue
6	$\begin{matrix} 3^1 & 5 & 2 & 9 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 & 6 & 1 & 3 \end{matrix}$	= 42	Red
		<u>419</u>	

	Claimed	Sample $\hat{P}$
Brown	13%	
Yellow	14%	
Orange	20%	
Green	16%	
Blue	24%	
Red	13%	

Sometimes the observed is greater than the expected; sometimes it is less.



How will we compare?

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With the  
Chi-Square Test for  
Goodness of Fit  
(informally)

**Which color M&M is the most common?**



The company that makes milk chocolate M&M's claims the following distribution: 13% Brown, 14% Yellow, 20% Orange, 16% Green, 24% Blue, and 13% Red. Is this true?

1. Observed values: Brown: \_\_\_\_\_ Yellow: \_\_\_\_\_ Orange: \_\_\_\_\_ Green: \_\_\_\_\_ Blue: \_\_\_\_\_ Red: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Total number of M&M's: 419

2. As a class, write down hypotheses for a significance test.

H<sub>0</sub>: The company's claimed distribution is true

H<sub>a</sub>: The claimed color distrib. is not true

3. Let's suppose that M&M's claimed distribution is correct. If they are correct, how many of each color would we expect to get in our sample.

Expected values: Brown: 54.47 Yellow: 58.66 Orange: 83.8 Green: 67.04 Blue: 100.56 Red: 54.47  
 13% ● 14% ● 20% ● 16% ● 24% ● 13% ●

13% of 419

Use the table to calculate the test statistic.

$$\frac{(L_1 - L_2)^2}{L_2}$$

	Observed	Expected	(Observed - Expected)	(Observed - Expected) <sup>2</sup>	$\frac{(\text{Observed} - \text{Expected})^2}{\text{Expected}}$
Brown	66	54.47	11.53	132.9409	2.44
Yellow	61	58.66	2.34	5.4756	0.093
Orange	102	83.8	18.2	331.24	↓
Green	55	67.04	-12.04	144.9616	
Blue	93	100.56	-7.56	57.699	
Red	42	54.47	-12.47	155.500	

Add up all the numbers in the last column. This is our test statistic: 12.07

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(O - E)^2}{E}$$

4. What value would we get for the test statistic if our sample was very close to what is expected? Explain.

It would be close to 0  
 $\chi^2$

5. What value would we get for the test statistic if our sample was very far from what is expected? Explain.

It would be large

ESSENTIAL QUESTION *How do we perform significance tests for distributions of categorical variables and for relationships between categorical variables?*

## The Chi-Square Test for Goodness of Fit

is a significance test that can help determine if a distribution of a claimed population

[Company claimed 13" Brown, 14" Yellow, 20" orange, etc] differs from a sample distribution.

# The Big Picture: Where Chapter 11 Fits

## **Chapter 11: Inference for Distributions of Categorical Data**

11.1 Chi-Square Tests for Goodness of Fit	2 Days
11.2 Inference for Two-way Tables	2 Days
Review, FRAPPY, and Test	2 Days

which puts the Ch. 11 test on  
next Friday, Feb 21st

## Chapter 11: The Big Ideas

- Chi-square tests are about categorical variables
- Three types of chi-square tests
  - **Goodness of Fit:** Distribution of 1 categorical variable in 1 population
  - **Homogeneity:** Distribution of 1 categorical variable for 2 or more populations/treatments
  - **Independence:** Relationship between 2 categorical variables in 1 population

No Confidence intervals this chapter

## How To Pronounce ?

Walking into a room full of statisticians and referring to the "chai" square test statistic will result in immediate loss of credibility.

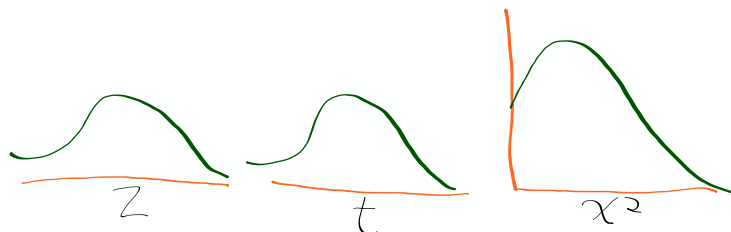
["chai" should only be used when ordering a drink at Starbucks.]

Please help your biology teachers with this one!

Chi-Square tests are similar to other tests.

- Four Step process
- Need to check conditions

but there are differences



today:

- ✓ STATE appropriate hypotheses and COMPUTE the expected counts and chi-square test statistic for a chi-square test for goodness of fit.
- ✓ STATE and CHECK the Random, 10%, and Large Counts conditions for performing a chi-square test for goodness of fit.
- ✓ CALCULATE the degrees of freedom and  $P$ -value for a chi-square test for goodness of fit.

## Stating Hypotheses

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**$H_0$** : The distribution of color in the large bag of M&M'S Milk Chocolate Candies **is the same as** the claimed distribution.

**$H_a$** : The distribution of color in the large bag of M&M'S Milk Chocolate Candies **is not the same as** the claimed distribution.





In this chapter, there will be no two-sided tests. :)

The **alternative hypothesis** will always be "the null hypothesis is not correct"

We can also write the hypotheses in symbols.

$H_0: p_{\text{brown}} = 0.125, p_{\text{red}} = 0.125, p_{\text{yellow}} = 0.125, p_{\text{green}} = 0.125, p_{\text{orange}} = 0.25, p_{\text{blue}} = 0.25$  ●

$H_a$ : At least two of the  $p_i$ 's are incorrect

where  $p_{\text{color}}$  = the true proportion of M&M'S Milk Chocolate Candies in the large bag of that color

A third way to write hypotheses:

**$H_0$ :** The company's claimed distribution of color is correct for this bag of M&M's.

**$H_a$ :** The company's claimed distribution of color is incorrect for this bag of M&M's.



**CAUTION:**

Don't state the alternative hypothesis in a way that suggests that all the proportions in the hypothesized distribution are wrong.

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 claimed prob. of each category  $\rightarrow$   $p_i$   
 sample size  $\rightarrow$   $n$

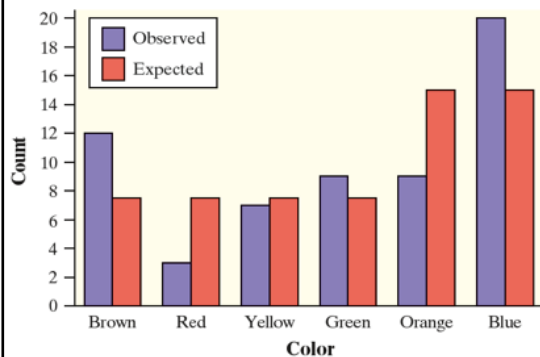
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## AP Exam Tip

Don't round the expected counts!  
 (just because you think they should  
 be integers)

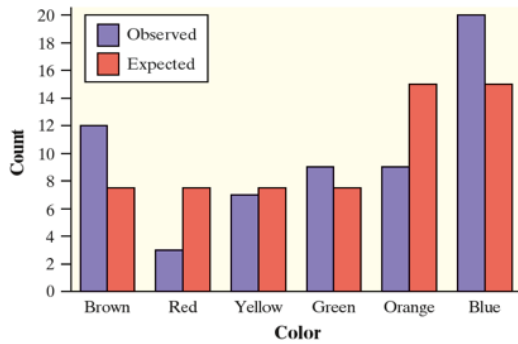
- it's the average number of observations in a given category in many many random samples.

### Comparing Observed and Expected Counts: The Chi-Square Test Statistic



Color	Observed	Expected
Brown	12	7.5
Red	3	7.5
Yellow	7	7.5
Green	9	7.5
Orange	9	15.0
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$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n}$$

## Why divide by the expected count?

We are interested in how far away the observed count is from the expected

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↑ always include summation symbol.

Observed counts, not observed proportions

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A typical calculation, by hand, look like this:

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For Jerome's data, we add six terms—one for each color category:

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$$= 2.7 + 2.7 + 0.03 + 0.30 + 2.4 + 1.67$$

$$= 9.8$$

always positive!



## The Chi-Square Distributions and $P$ -Values

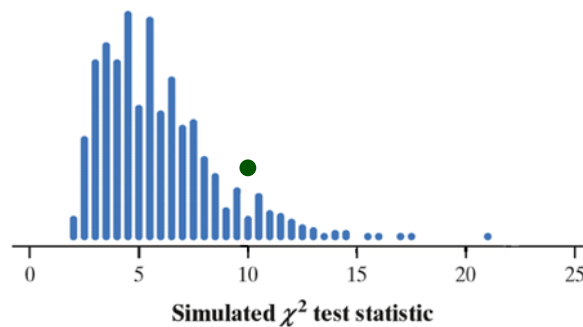
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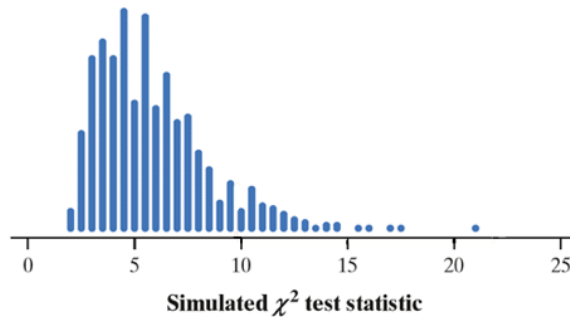
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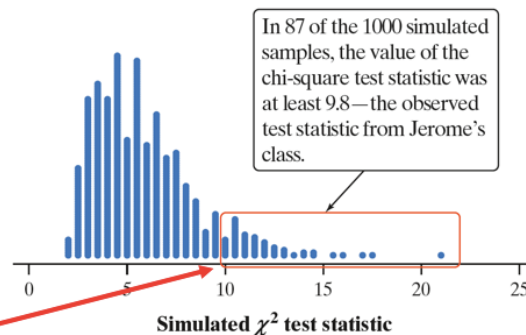
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Our estimated  $P$ -value is  
 $87/1000 = 0.087$



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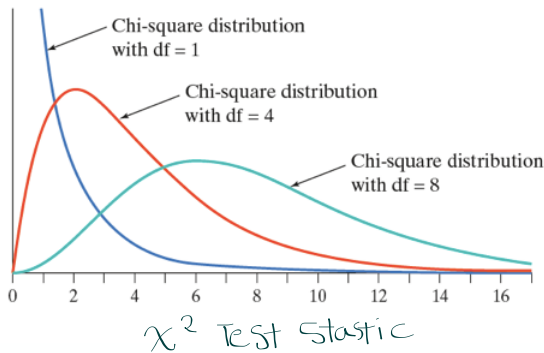
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A **chi-square distribution** is defined by a density curve that takes only nonnegative values and is skewed to the right. A particular chi-square distribution is specified by its degrees of freedom.



- As the degrees of freedom (df) increase, the density curves become less skewed.
- The mean of a particular chi-square distribution is equal to its degrees of freedom.
- For  $df > 2$ , the mode (peak) of the chi-square density curve is at  $df - 2$ .

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normalcdf

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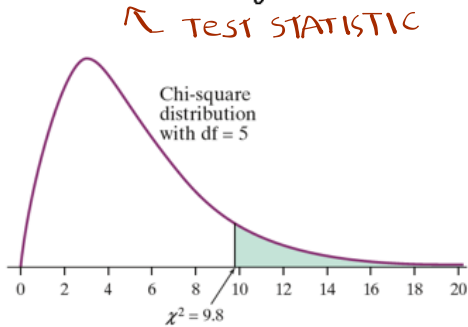
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↑ not  
on all calculators

find table C

There are 6 color categories for M&M's® Milk Chocolate Candies, so  $df = 6 - 1 = 5$ .

The  $P$ -value is the probability of getting a  $\chi^2$  value of as large as or larger than 9.8 when  $H_0$  is true.



	$P$		
$df$	.15	.10	.05
4	6.74	7.78	9.49
5	8.12	9.24	11.07
6	9.45	10.64	12.59

The  $P$ -value for a test based on Jerome's data is between 0.05 and 0.10.

### Conditions for Performing a Chi-Square Test for Goodness of Fit

**Random:** The data come from a random sample from the population of interest.

**10%:** When sampling without replacement,  $n < 0.10N$ .

**Large Counts:** All *expected* counts are at least 5.

↖ Add to your notes

## Why Check

Random:

So... we can generalize to the appropriate population

10% :

So... sampling without replacement is ok.

Large Counts :

So... so the sampling distribution is approximately a chi-square distribution and we can use  $\chi^2$  to find a P-Value

A chi-square density curve is a good model for the sampling distribution of the chi-square statistic but only when the sample size is large enough that the expected counts are all at least 5

[similar to Large Counts Condition] for  $\hat{p}$

ie

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Test is valid only

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$\uparrow$  Large Counts Condition

without rounding

Check

Your

Understanding



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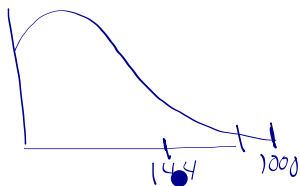
$$\chi^2 = \frac{(12-15)^2}{15} + \dots + \frac{(15-15)^2}{15} = 14.4$$

(d) Which degrees of freedom should you use?

6 groups  $df = 6 - 1 = 5$

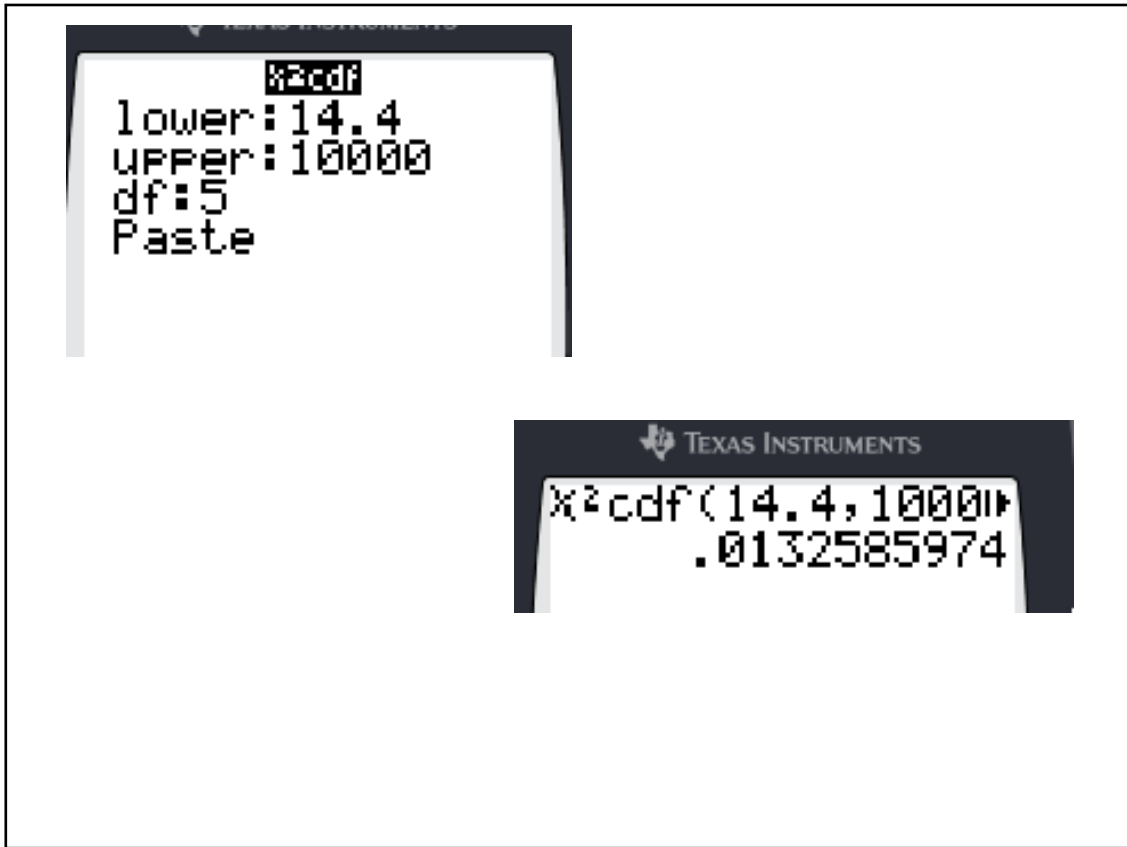
(e) Use table C to find the p-value. What conclusion would you make?

from Table C  $\rightarrow$  P-Value is in between  
 0.01 and 0.02



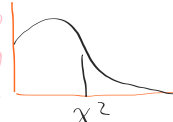
This is convincing  
 evidence.

calculator  $\rightarrow \chi^2_{cdf} \left( \begin{matrix} 14.4 & 1000 & 5 \\ \text{Lower} & \text{upper} & df \end{matrix} \right) = .013$



it's a significance test

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<p><math>H_0</math> ● The claimed distribution is true</p> <p><i>context</i> <math>H_a</math> ● The claimed distribution is <u>not</u> true</p> <p>Expected values = <math>P_i \cdot n</math></p> <p>prob. of each category → <math>P_i</math></p> <p>sample size → <math>n</math></p>	<p>Chi-Square Statistic</p> $\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E}$ <p><math>df = \# \text{ of categories} - 1</math></p> <p>P-value → Table C or</p> <p><math>\chi^2_{cdf}(\text{Lower}, \text{Upper}, df)</math></p> 
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TEST is valid only if expected counts are  $\geq 5$  without rounding

See your  
Ch. 10 Test

**11.1**....1, 3, 5, 7, 26

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