

## Topics Covered Aligned with Chapters in CourseKata Statistics

1. Probability
  - a. Law of large numbers (chapters 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11)
  - b. Sampling with and without replacement (2, 3)
  - c. Contingency tables (2, 3, 4)
2. Research methods
  - a. Sampling (2, 3, 4)
  - b. Measurement: categorical v. quantitative variables (2)
  - c. Organizing data (2)
  - d. Research design: correlational v. experimental (4)
  - e. Correlation, causality, and confounding (4, 7, 8, 11)
3. Descriptive statistics
  - a. Univariate visualizations: histograms, box plots, bar graphs (3)
  - b. Bivariate visualizations: frequency tables, faceted histograms, scatterplots, bar graphs, box plots (4)
  - c. Summary statistics:
    - i. center (mean, median, mode) (3, 5)
    - ii. shape (skew, normal, uniform, multimodal) (3, 5)
    - iii. spread (standard deviation, sums of squares, variance) (3, 5, 6)
    - iv. five number summary (3)
    - v. regression, correlation coefficient (8)
  - d. Quantitative and categorical predictors; quantitative outcomes (2)
  - e. Z score (6)
4. Inferential statistics and sampling distributions
  - a. Mathematical distributions
    - i. Probability under mathematical distributions (6, 9, 10, 11)
    - ii. Central limit theorem (9)
    - iii. normal/Z distribution, t distribution, F distribution (6, 9, 10, 11)
  - b. Computational techniques
    - i. Simulation (2, 4, 6, 9, 10, 11)
    - ii. Bootstrapping (3, 9, 10, 11)
    - iii. Randomization (4, 9, 10, 11)
  - c. Hypothesis testing
    - i. t-test (11)
    - ii. ANOVA (7, 8, 11)
    - iii. Regression (8, 11)
    - iv. Type I and Type II error (4, 10, 11)
    - v. Concepts of power and effect size (10, 11)
  - d. Confidence intervals (10)
5. Organizing concepts (throughout textbook)
  - a. Modeling:  $DATA = MODEL + ERROR$
  - b. General linear model; GLM notation
  - c. Data analysis using R

6. We currently do not cover: paired t tests, Chi-square tests, probability rules, multiple regression, factorial/multivariate ANOVA (our recent paper in Journal of Statistics and Data Science Education includes evidence that students who learn with CourseKata materials have intuitions that prepare them to *transfer* to multivariate models by the end of the course: <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/10691898.2020.1844106>)