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- Independent Samples
- Unknown σ_1 and σ_2 but assumed to be unequal
- At **LEAST ONE** of the following is true
 - Both samples are “large”
 - If either sample is small, both populations are normally distributed.

Degrees of Freedom given by

$$df = \frac{\left(\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2} \right)}{\left(\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{s_2^2}{n_2} \right)^2} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{n_1 - 1} + \frac{1}{n_2 - 1}}$$

FORMULAS YOU WILL USE

$$s_{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2} = \sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}} \quad \text{estimator of the standard deviation of } \bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$$

$$(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) \pm t s_{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2} \quad \text{For Confidence Intervals}$$

$$t_o = \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{s_{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2}} \quad \text{The test statistic}$$

p. 456, #34

Assuming that the two populations are normally distributed with unequal and unknown population standard deviation, construct a 99% confidence interval for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ for the following

$$n_1 = 39 \quad \bar{x}_1 = 52.61 \quad s_1 = 3.55$$

$$n_2 = 36 \quad \bar{x}_2 = 43.75 \quad s_2 = 5.40 \quad df = 59$$

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Assuming that the two populations are normally distributed with unequal and unknown population standard deviation, Test at the 1% significance level if the two population means are different.

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