Ick, Math! Ensuring Production Quality

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Prevalence

Percentage having some property (relevant)



Recall

- Percentage of relevant docs found
- Defensibility





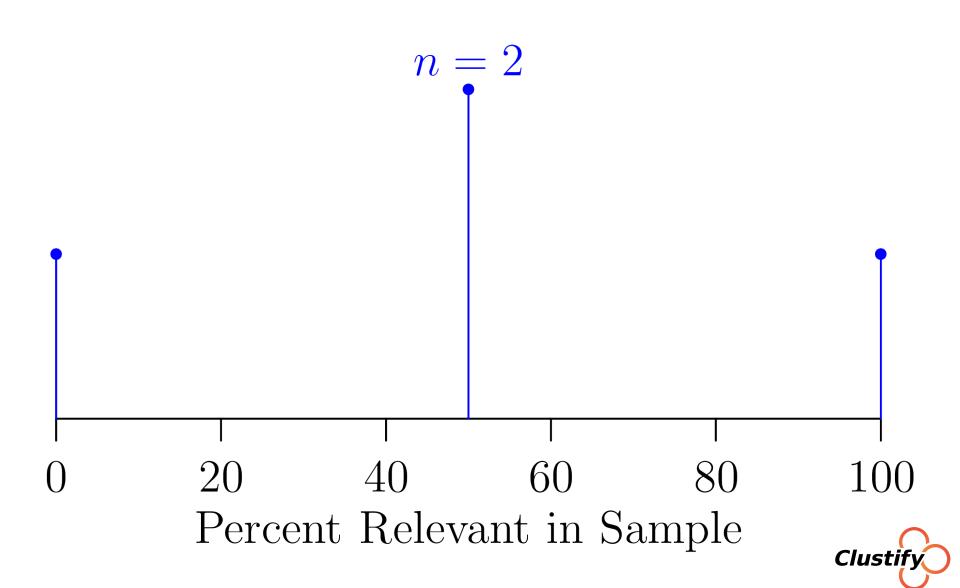
Precision

- Percentage of retrieved docs that are relevant
- Cost (review effort)

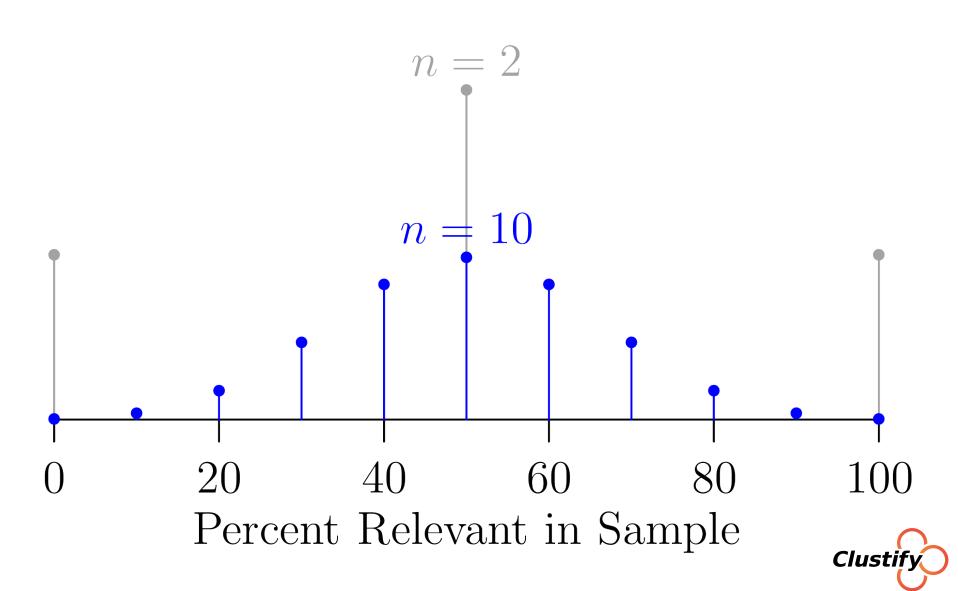




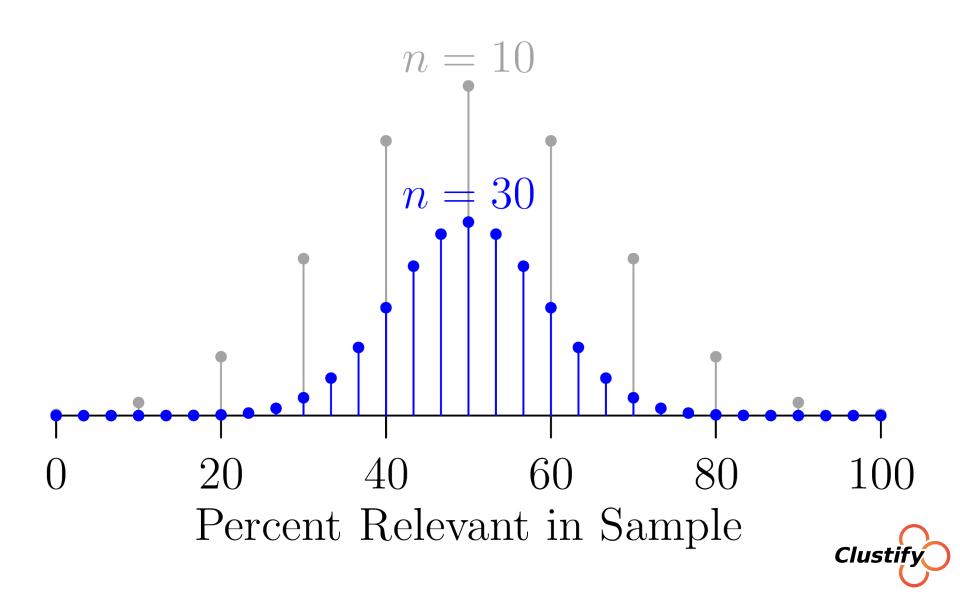
Sample 2 Docs



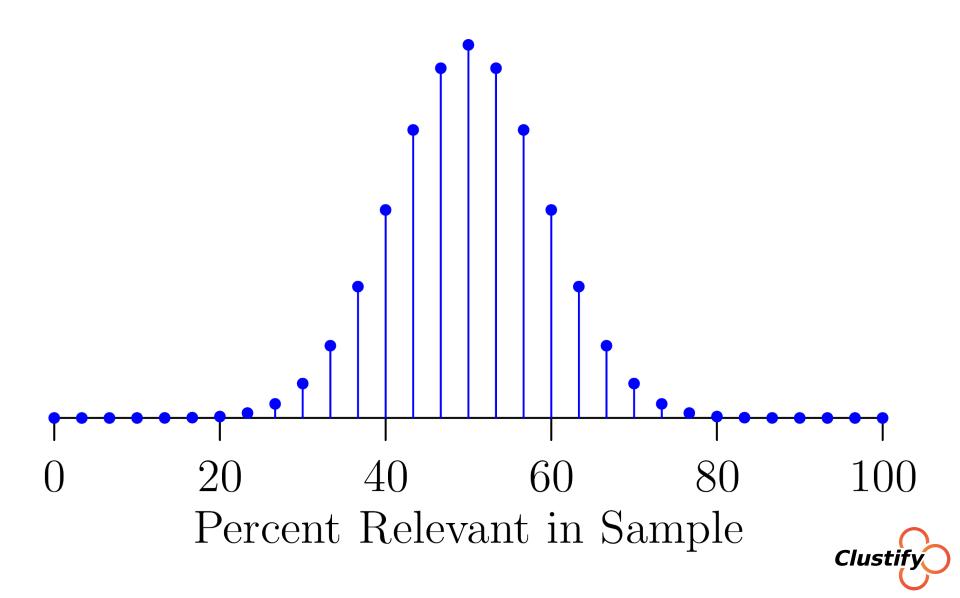
Sample 10 Docs



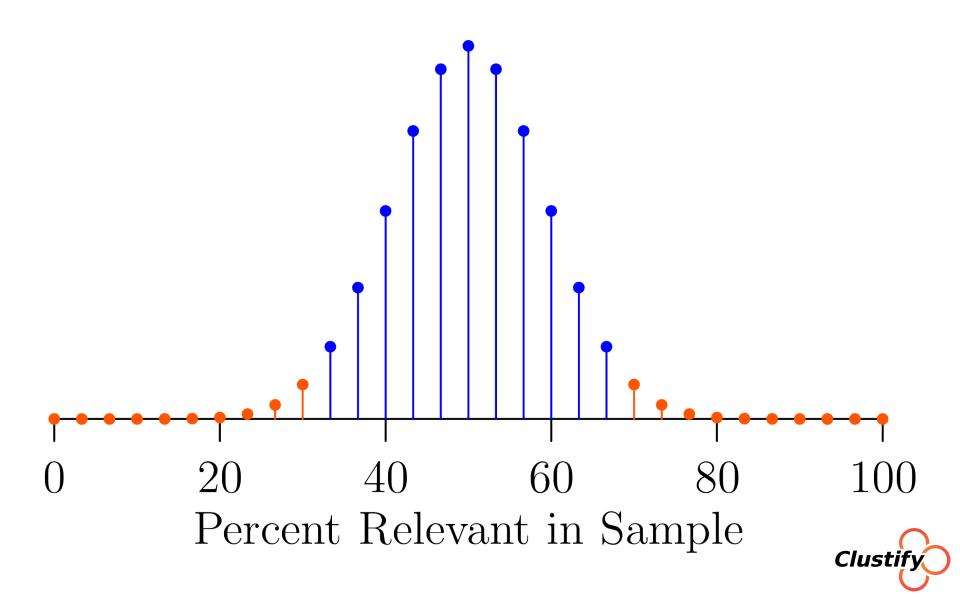
Sample 30 Docs



Anything Is Possible



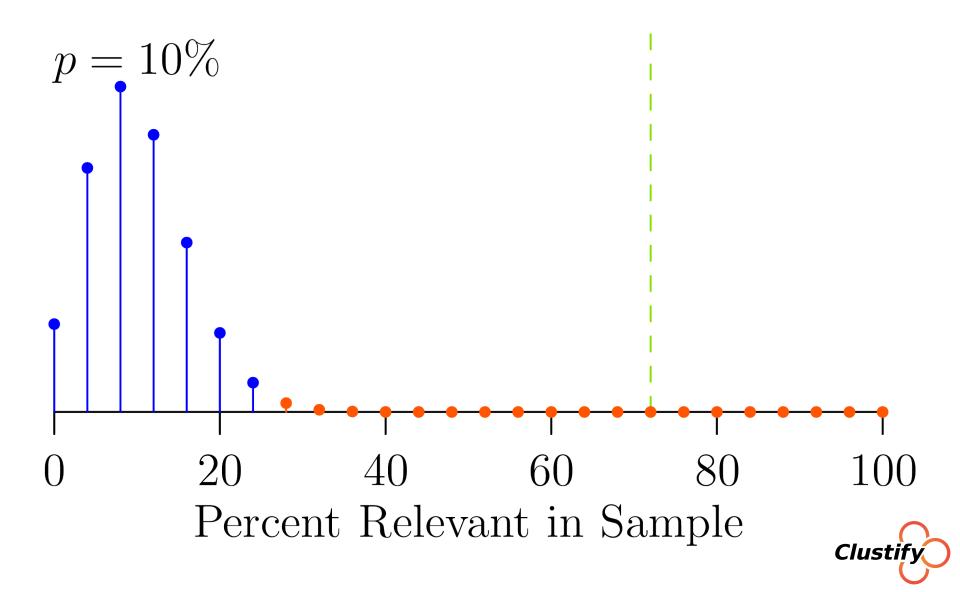
What Is Plausible?

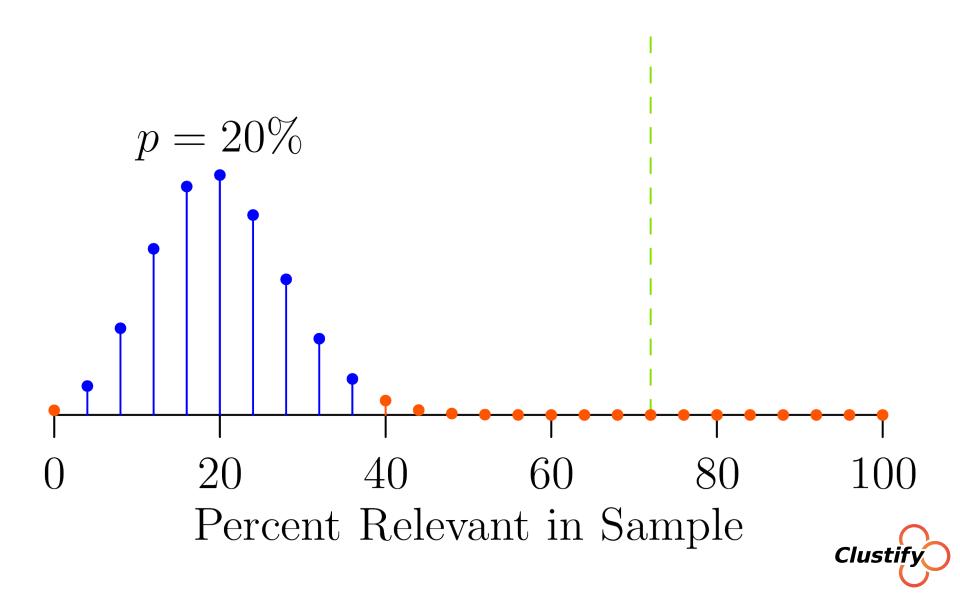


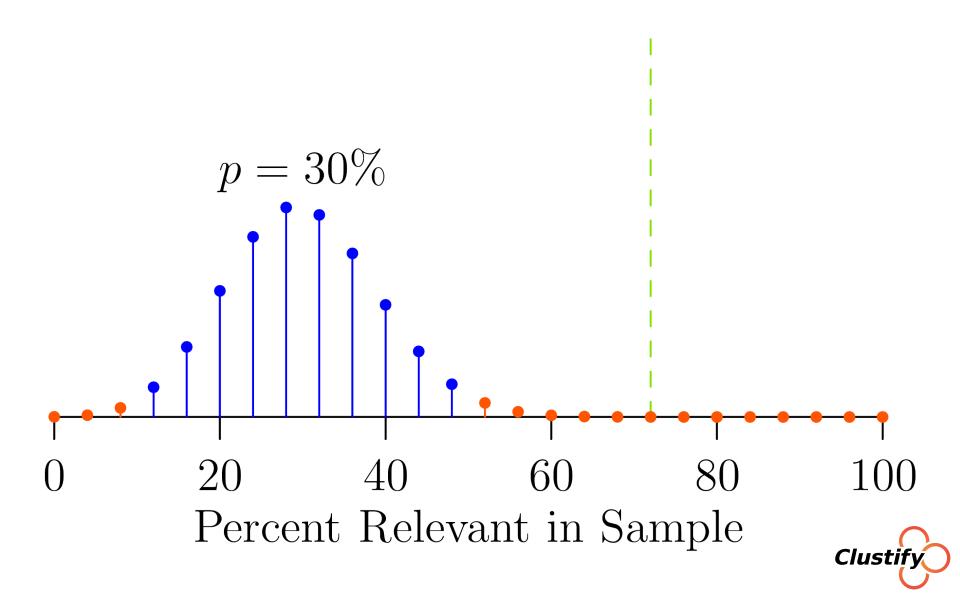
Example of Finding a Confidence Interval

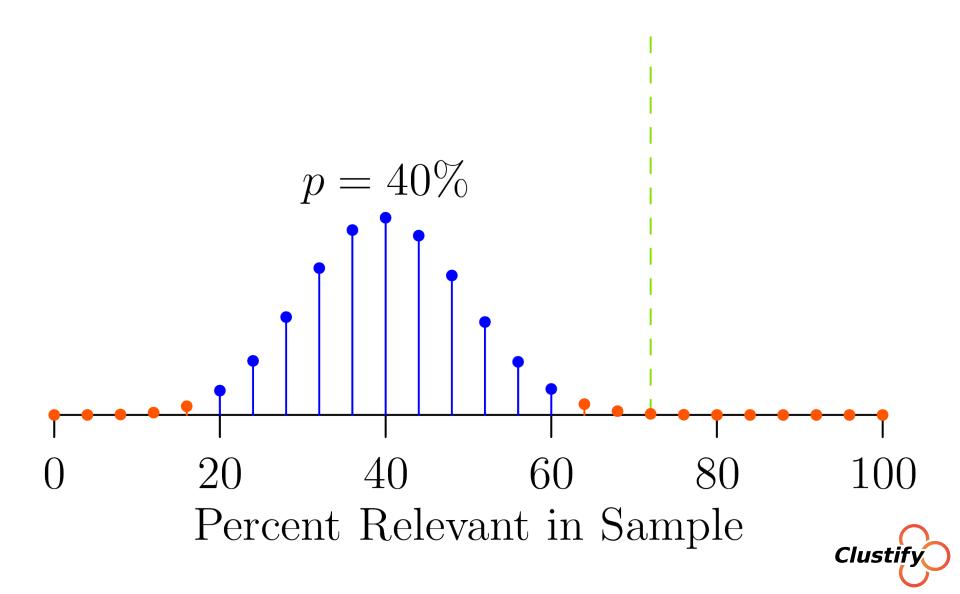
- Sample 25 documents, 18 are relevant
 - 72% of sample is relevant
- What is reasonable prevalence for population?
 - Point estimate is 72%

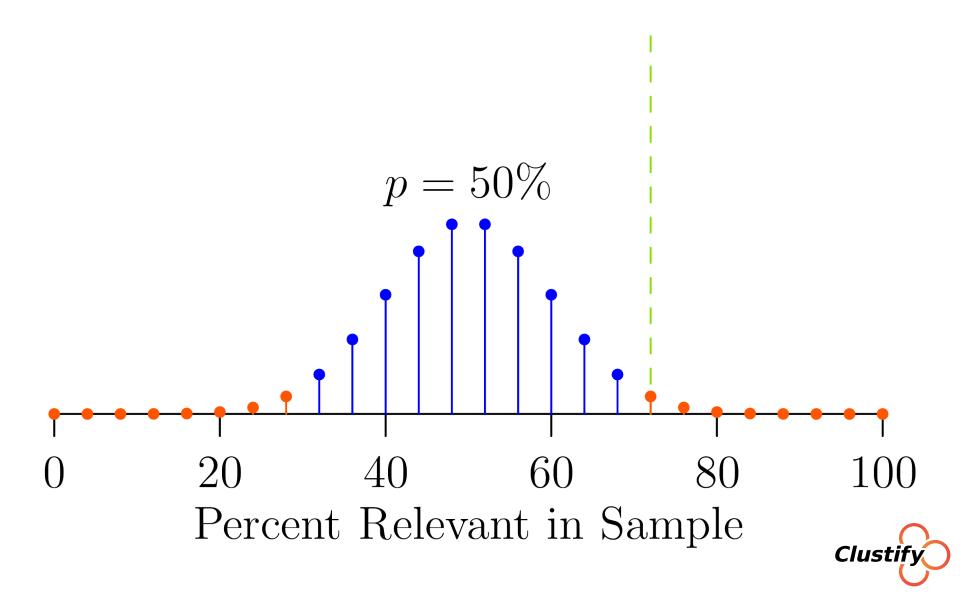


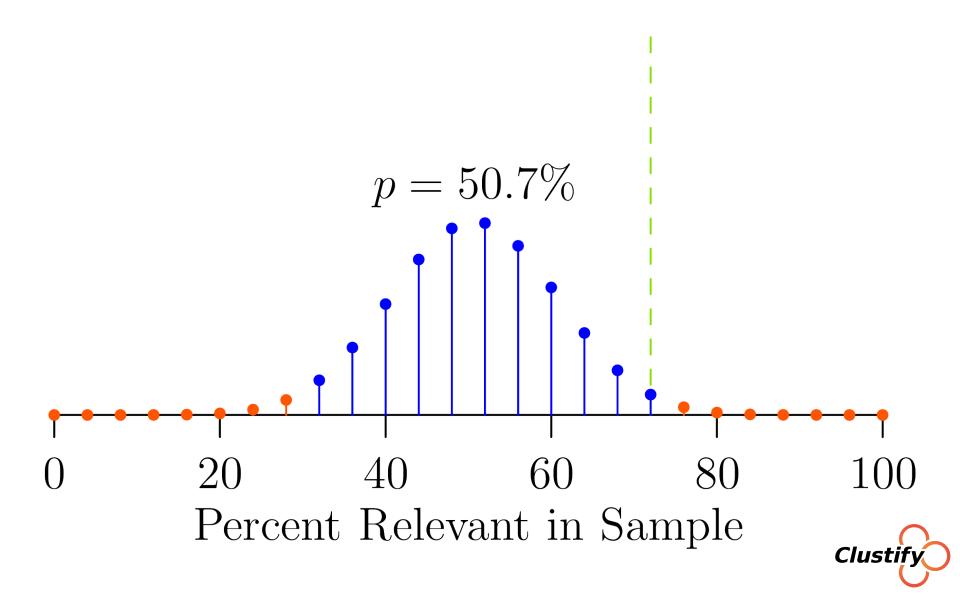


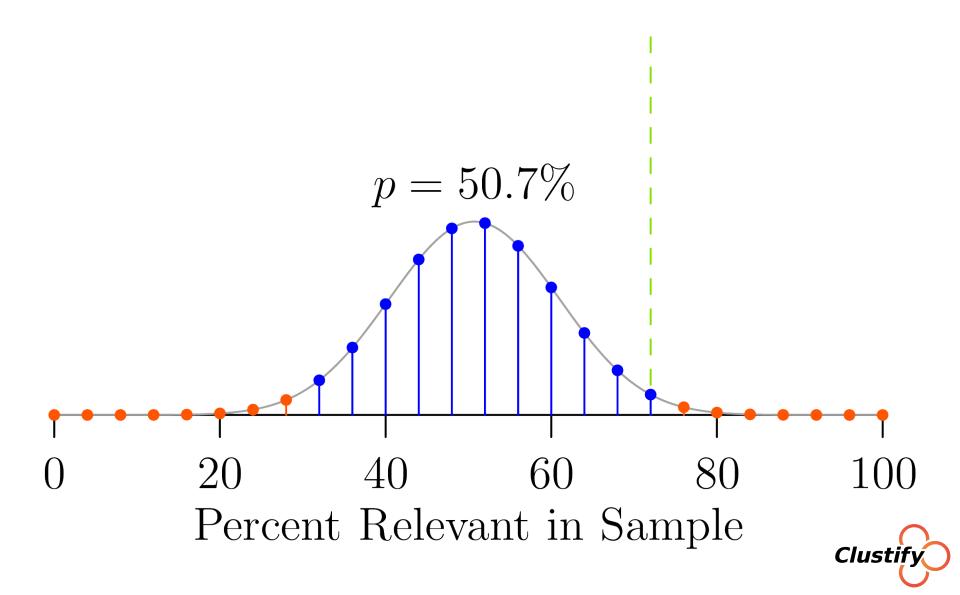


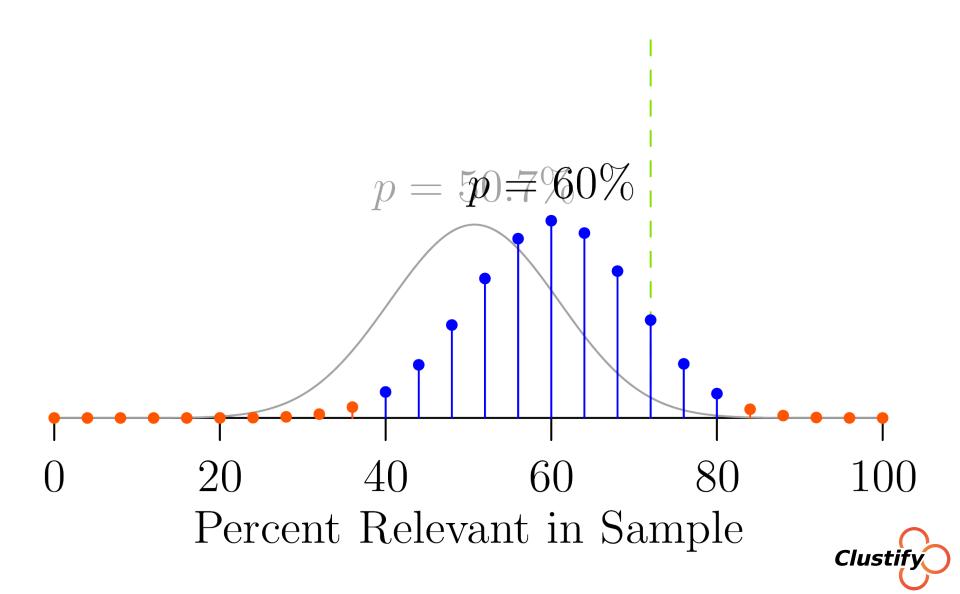


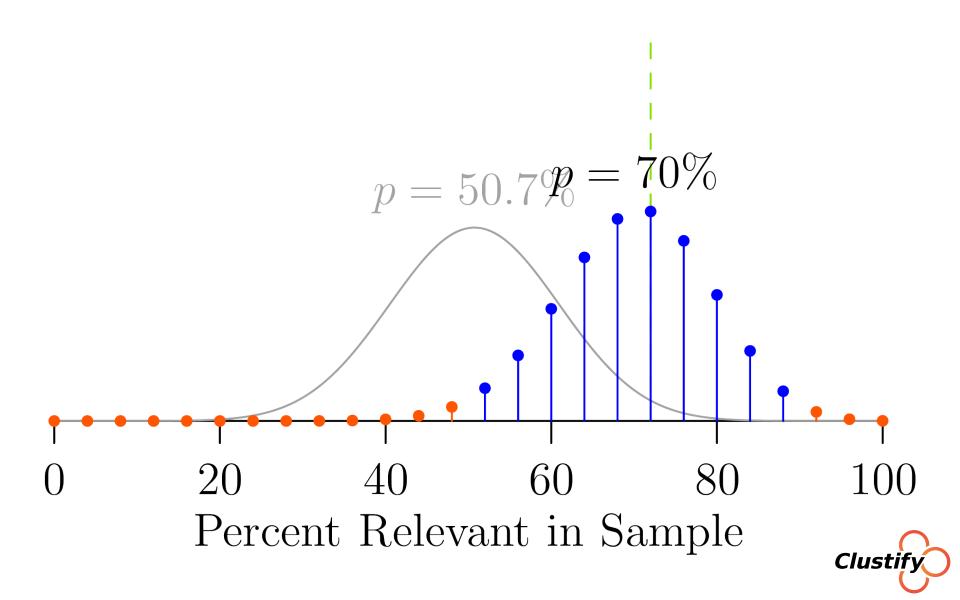


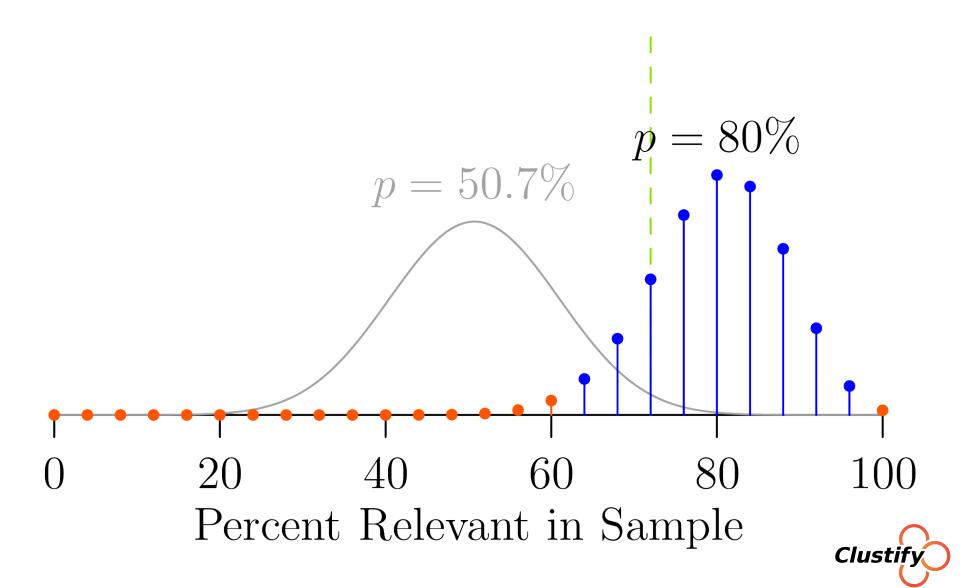


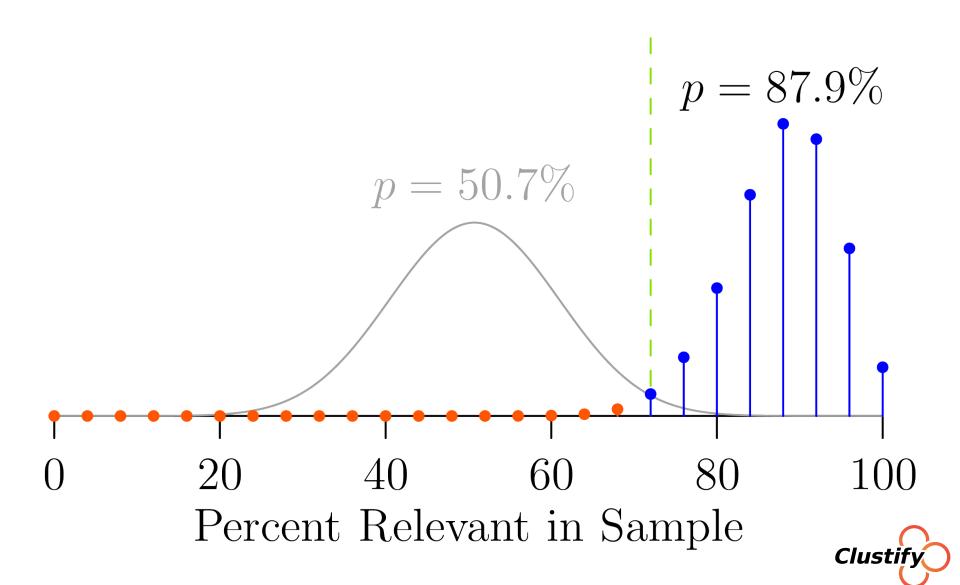


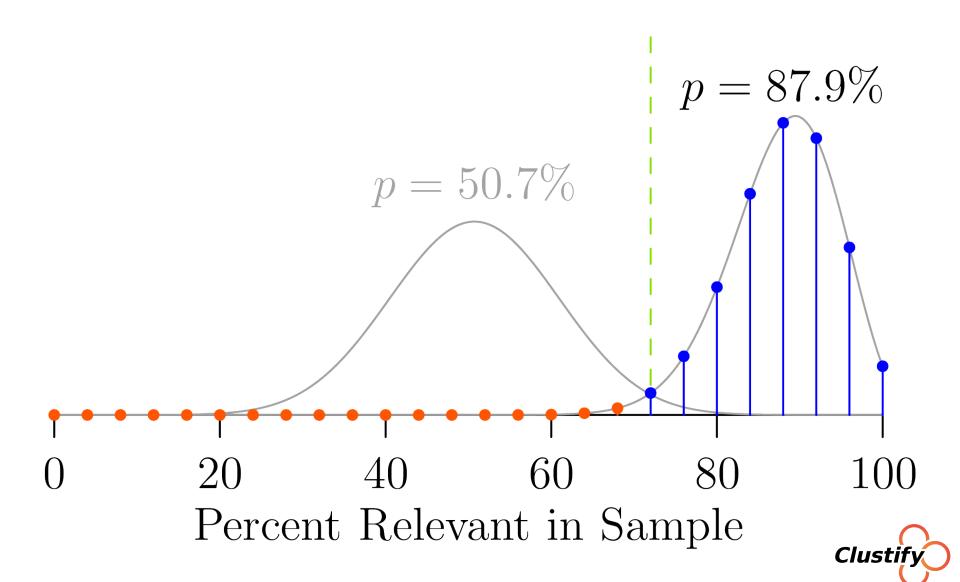


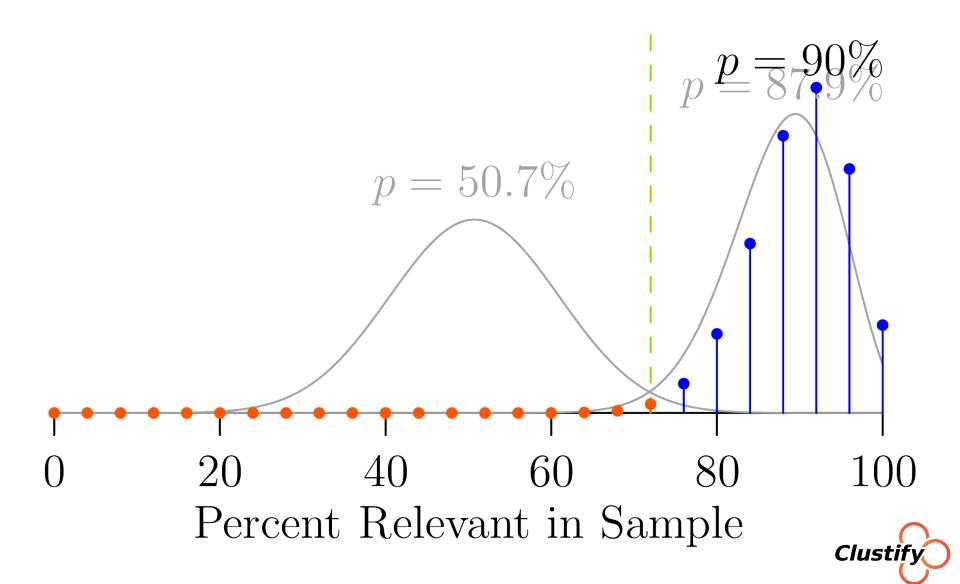




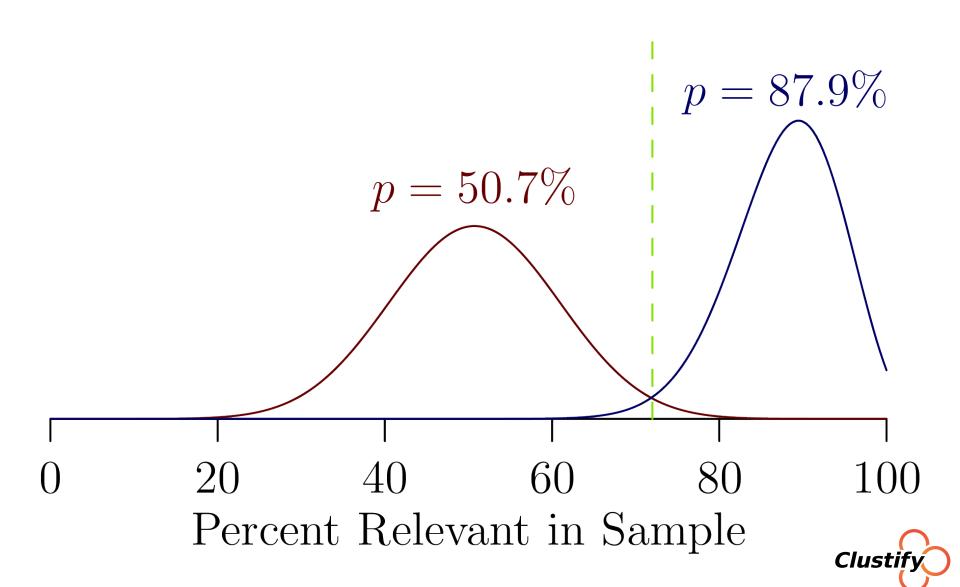




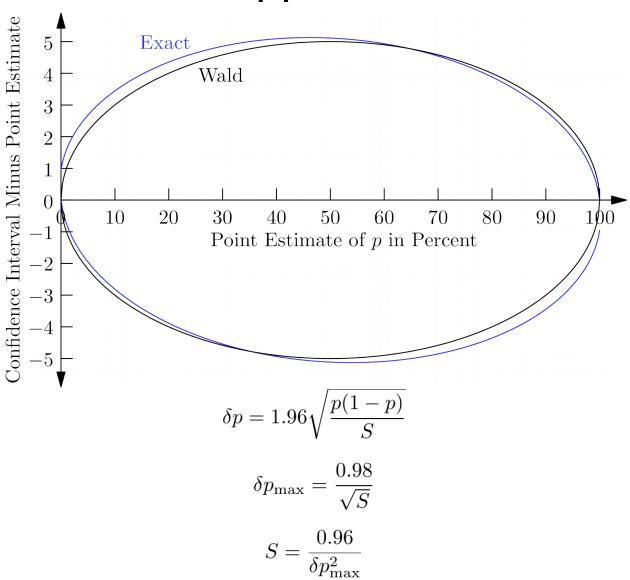




Confidence Interval



Wald Approximation





Standard Sample Sizes, 95% Confidence

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1%	9,600
2%	2,400
3%	1,067
4%	600
5%	384
7%	196
10%	96
15%	43



Example

- Sample 10,000 Docs From Full Population
 - 100 are relevant
 - 200 match search query
 - 80 are relevant and match search query

Quantity	Point Est	Sample Size	Worst Case CI	Wald CI
Prevalence	1%	10,000	±1%	±0.2%
Precision	40%	200	±7%	±6.8%
Recall	80%	100	±10%	±7.8%

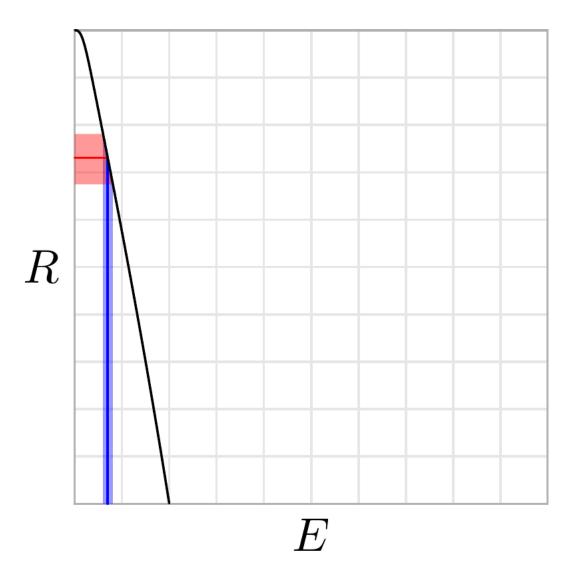


Elusion Sampling

- Synonyms:
 - Null Set
 - Elusion Set
 - Discard Set
 - Negatives
- Problems
 - Bias (no fix)
 - Sample Size



Recall From Elusion





Elusion Sampling

$$R = \frac{\text{TP}}{\text{TP} + (N - n)E}$$

$$\delta R = 1.96 \sqrt{\frac{E(1 - E)}{S}} \frac{(N - n)\text{TP}}{[\text{TP} + (N - n)E]^2}$$

$$\delta R_{\text{max}} = \frac{0.98}{\sqrt{S}} \frac{9}{8\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{\frac{N - n}{\text{TP}}}$$

$$S = \frac{0.96}{\delta R_{\text{max}}^2} \frac{27}{64} \frac{N - n}{\text{TP}}$$



Elusion vs. Direct Method

R	$S_{ m Elusion}/S_{ m Direct}$
0.90	0.47
0.80	0.53
0.70	0.60
0.60	0.70
0.50	0.84
0.40	1.05
0.30	1.41
0.20	2.11
0.10	4.22



Lies, Damn Lies, and Statistics

- Inclusive Emails
- Search Terms

