

Sampling Distribution of Difference of Proportions

$$\mu_{\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2} = E[\hat{p}_1] - E[\hat{p}_2]$$

$$= \mu_{\hat{p}_1} - \mu_{\hat{p}_2}$$

$$= p_1 - p_2$$

$$\sigma_{\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2}^2 = \text{Var}(\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2)$$

$$= \text{Var}(\hat{p}_1) + \text{Var}(\hat{p}_2) \quad \because \hat{p}_1 \text{ and } \hat{p}_2 \text{ are independent}$$

$$= \sigma_{\hat{p}_1}^2 + \sigma_{\hat{p}_2}^2$$

$$= \frac{p_1 q_1}{n_1} + \frac{p_2 q_2}{n_2}$$