

**STAT 400 SUMMER II 2001 (PROFESSOR GREEN)  
SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS DUE AUGUST 16**

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- (a) .001
- (b) .01
- (c) .1

18.

- (a) 1.5
- (b) Retain the null hypothesis.
- (c) .002
- (d) .8560
- (e) 88
- (f) .0003.

20. The test statistic takes the value  $-2.139$ , giving a  $P$ -value between  $.025$  and  $.01$  whether interpreted as  $T$  with 49 degrees of freedom (most accurate) or as standard normal. Since this is less than  $.05$  but more than  $.01$ , the null-hypothesis is rejected at the  $.05$  significance level but retained at the more restrictive  $.01$  level. It would seem reasonable to make the purchase.

26. The test statistic takes the value  $3.77336$ , which gives a  $P$ -value below  $.0005$ , if interpreted as  $T$  with 44 degrees of freedom. This is conclusive evidence that the standards have not been met.

30. The test statistic takes the value  $-6.17077$ , which is far into the rejection region at any reasonable significance level. It is conclusive evidence that average intake is below the recommended allowance.