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1. (Computing, 120%)

(a) (25%) Let

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Please write a program to compute:

(i) The eigenvalues and eigenvectors of \boldsymbol{G} .

(ii) The determinant of G.

(iii) The solution of Gx = b, where $b = (2 \ 4 \ 6)^t$.

(iv) $3G^6 - 2G^{-4} + 5G^t$

(v) The row variances and column means of G.

(b) (25%) Let

$$f(x) = 2x^2 + 4x^{-3} - 6x^{1/5}$$

and

$$g(x) = 20\pi e^{-x^2} - 5\cos(x)\log(x)$$

 $x = 0.5, 1, \dots, 9.5, 10.$

Please write a program to plot the two functions with the following requirements:

• X-label is "x" while Y-label is "Mathematical Functions".

• The title of this plot is "The Plot of Different Functions".

Use two different kind of point types for the two functions.

Use two different kind of lines types for the two functions.

The legend associated with the two functions.

(c) (25%) Let $X_1,X_2,\cdots,X_{50}\stackrel{i.i.d}{\longrightarrow} N(\mu,\sigma^2)$. Then, two estimators of μ^2/σ^2 are

$$T_1 = \frac{50\overline{X}^2}{49S^2}$$

and

$$T_2 = \frac{\overline{X}^2 - \frac{1}{50}}{S^2},$$

where \overline{X} and S^2 are sample mean and sample variance, respectively. Please sample 50 data from N(3,9). The sampling process is repeated 2000 times. Please write a program to do the following:

- (i) Find the averages of the above two estimates.
- (ii) Find the averages of the absolute differences between the above two estimates and the true value of the parameter.
- (d) (25%) Please use Newton's method to find the at least two roots of

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2 = 0$$
$$x^2 - y = 0$$

with the stop criterion (error) equal to 0.00001.

- (e) (20%) Please generate 100000 data from the standard normal random variable. Then, please write a program to find:
 - (i) the numbers of observations in the intervals,

$$(-\infty,3), [-3,-2.99), \cdots, [-0.01,0), [0,0.01), \cdots, [2.99,3), [3,\infty).$$

- (ii) which intervals with the minimum and maximum number of observations.
- 2. (Statistics, 120%)
- (a) (30%) Given that $X \sim N(1,9)$, $Y_1 \sim Poisson(3)$ is a Poisson random variable with mean 3, $Y_2 \sim Binomial(5,0.2)$ is a binomial random variable corresponding to 5 trials with the probability of success equal to 0.2. Please compute
 - (i) $P(-5 \le X \le 8.5)$.
 - (ii) $P(Y_1 < 7)$.
 - (iii) $P(Y_2 = 0 \text{ or } Y_2 = 2 \text{ or } Y_2 = 10)$
 - (iv) $t_{7.0.01}$.
 - (v) Generate a sample of 1000 data from the uniform random variable taking values on [-5, 9].
- (b) (20%) The data were selected from each of three normal populations with equal variances. The data obtained follow.

Observation	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3
1	37	39	33
2	35	38	36
3	35	39	35
4	31	41	36
5	37	43	40

At the $\alpha=0.05$ level of significance, find the p-value and test the null hypothesis that the three population means are equal?

(c) (30%)

(i) The following data have been collected for a sample from a normal population

5	9	6	4	6	8	9	11

find 90% confidence interval for population mean $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and the p-value for testing

$$H_0: \mu \geq 9 \ vs. \ H_1: \mu < 9.$$

(ii) For the following data taken from two normal populations with equal variances.

Sample	25	26	47	46	45	21	33
1							
Sample	43	59	60	74	66		
2							

Find the t-statistic and the p-value for

$$H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \leq -15 \ vs. \ H_1: \mu_1 - \mu_2 > -15,$$

where μ_1 and μ_2 are the means of population 1 and population 2, respectively.

(iii) Consider the following data for two random samples taken from two normal populations with equal variances.

Sample 1	11	12	8	7	7	9
Sample 2	5	8	6	7	4	8

Consider the above data as the matched (paired) samples. Find the 85% confidence interval for $\mu_1-\mu_2$ and the t-statistic for

$$H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = 2 \ vs. \ H_1: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq 2,$$

where μ_1 and μ_2 are the means of population 1 and population 2, respectively.

(d) (20%)

- (i) Please generate 500 data from a t distribution with the degree of freedom equal to 2. Please write a program to do the following:
 - qq t plot for the generated data with 2 degrees of freedom.
 - qq normal plot for the generated data with $: \mu = 2, \sigma^2 = 9$.

Put the above 2 plots in the same Figure.

(ii) Suppose we have the following data:

3	2	2	1	0
0	1	0	1	0
4	1	0	1	0
2	2	1	0	0

Test if the data is distributed as the Poisson distribution with mean equal to 0.7 (Poisson(0.7))) at $\alpha=0.05$.

(Hint: For $X \sim Poisson(0.7)$, $P(X \ge 4) \approx 0$)

(e) (20%) The results of a recent poll on the preference of voters regarding two candidates are shown below:

Candidate	Voters Surveyed	Voters Favoring This
		Candidate
Α	400	192
В	<i>450</i>	<i>225</i>

Please construct a 95% confidence interval for the difference between the preference for the two candidates p_1-p_2 and the p-value for

$$H_0: p_1 = p_2 \ vs. \ H_1: p_1 \neq p_2$$

where $\,p_1\,$ and $\,p_2\,$ are the proportions of favoring candidate A and candidate B, respectively.