

1A.

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> colMeans(mtcars)

      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt      qsec
vs      am      gear      carb
20.090625  6.187500 230.721875 146.687500  3.596563  3.217250 17.848750
0.437500  0.406250  3.687500  2.812500

> apply(mtcars,2,median)

      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt      qsec      vs      am      gear
carb
19.200  6.000 196.300 123.000  3.695  3.325 17.710  0.000  0.000  4.000
2.000
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1B.

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> apply(mtcars,2,mad) (MAD)

      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt
qsec      vs      am      gear
5.4114900  2.9652000 140.4763500  77.0952000  0.7042350  0.7672455
1.4158830  0.0000000  0.0000000  1.4826000
      carb
1.4826000

> apply(mtcars, 2, function(x) mean(abs(x - mean(x)))) (AAD)

      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt
qsec      vs      am      gear
4.7144531  1.5859375 108.7857422  56.4804688  0.4532422  0.7301875
1.3761719  0.4921875  0.4824219  0.6445312
      carb
1.3007812
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1C.

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> meanMpg = sum(mtcars$mpg) / length(mtcars$mpg)
>
> varMpg = sum((mtcars$mpg - meanMpg)^2) / (length(mtcars$mpg) - 1)
> sdMpg = sqrt(varMpg)
>
> varMpg
[1] 36.3241
> var(mtcars$mpg)
[1] 36.3241
>
> sdMpg
[1] 6.026948
> sd(mtcars$mpg)
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1D.

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> skew <- (sum((mtcars$mpg - mean(mtcars$mpg))^3) / (length(mtcars$mpg) *
sd(mtcars$mpg)^3))
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> kurtosis <- (sum((mtcars$mpg - mean(mtcars$mpg))^4) / (length(mtcars$mpg) *
sd(mtcars$mpg)^4)) - 3
>
>
> skew
[1] 0.610655
> skew(mtcars$mpg)
[1] 0.610655
>
> kurtosis
[1] -0.372766
> kurtosi(mtcars$mpg)
[1] -0.372766

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1E.

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> apply(mtcars,2,kurtosi)
      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt
qsec      vs      am      gear
-0.37276603 -1.76211977 -1.20721195 -0.13555112 -0.71470062 -0.02271075
0.33511422 -2.00193762 -1.92474143 -1.06975068
      carb
1.25704307
> apply(mtcars,2,skew)
      mpg      cyl      disp      hp      drat      wt      qsec
vs      am      gear      carb
0.6106550 -0.1746119 0.3816570 0.7260237 0.2659039 0.4231465 0.3690453
0.2402577 0.3640159 0.5288545 1.0508738

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1F.

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> pearsonWTMPG <- sum((mtcars$wt - mean(mtcars$wt)) * (mtcars$mpg -
mean(mtcars$mpg))) / (sqrt(sum((mtcars$wt - mean(mtcars$wt))^2)) *
sqrt(sum((mtcars$mpg - mean(mtcars$mpg))^2)))

> pearsonWTMPG = sum((mtcars$wt - mean(mtcars$wt)) * (mtcars$mpg -
mean(mtcars$mpg))) / (sqrt(sum((mtcars$wt - mean(mtcars$wt))^2)) *
sqrt(sum((mtcars$mpg - mean(mtcars$mpg))^2)))

> spearmanWTMPG = 1 - (6 * sum((rank(mtcars$wt) - rank(mtcars$mpg))^2) /
(length(mtcars$wt) * (length(mtcars$wt)^2 - 1)))
>
> pearsonCYLMPG = sum((mtcars$cyl - mean(mtcars$cyl)) * (mtcars$mpg -
mean(mtcars$mpg))) / (sqrt(sum((mtcars$cyl - mean(mtcars$cyl))^2)) *
sqrt(sum((mtcars$mpg - mean(mtcars$mpg))^2)))

> spearmanCYLMPG = 1 - (6 * sum((rank(mtcars$cyl) - rank(mtcars$mpg))^2) /
(length(mtcars$cyl) * (length(mtcars$cyl)^2 - 1)))
>

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> pearsonGEARWT = sum((mtcars$gear - mean(mtcars$gear)) * (mtcars$wt -
mean(mtcars$wt))) / (sqrt(sum((mtcars$gear - mean(mtcars$gear))^2)) *
sqrt(sum((mtcars$wt - mean(mtcars$wt))^2)))

> spearmanGEARWT = 1 - (6 * sum((rank(mtcars$gear) - rank(mtcars$wt))^2) /
(length(mtcars$gear) * (length(mtcars$gear)^2 - 1)))
>
> pearsonWTMPG
[1] -0.8676594
> spearmanWTMPG
[1] -0.8843475
>
> pearsonCYLMPG
[1] -0.852162
> spearmanCYLMPG
[1] -0.7794172
>
> pearsonGEARWT
[1] -0.583287
> spearmanGEARWT
[1] -0.5400477

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2A.

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> cor(x = anscombe$x1, y = anscombe$y1, method = "pearson")
[1] 0.8164205
> cor(x = anscombe$x1, y = anscombe$y1, method = "spearman")
[1] 0.8164205
> cor(x = anscombe$x1, y = anscombe$y1, method = "spearman")
[1] 0.8181818
> cor(x = anscombe$x2, y = anscombe$y2, method = "pearson")
[1] 0.8162365
> cor(x = anscombe$x2, y = anscombe$y2, method = "spearman")
[1] 0.6909091
> cor(x = anscombe$x3, y = anscombe$y3, method = "pearson")
[1] 0.8162867
> cor(x = anscombe$x3, y = anscombe$y3, method = "spearman")
[1] 0.9909091
> cor(x = anscombe$x4, y = anscombe$y4, method = "pearson")
[1] 0.8165214
> cor(x = anscombe$x4, y = anscombe$y4, method = "spearman")
[1] 0.5

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They are all around 0.8ish

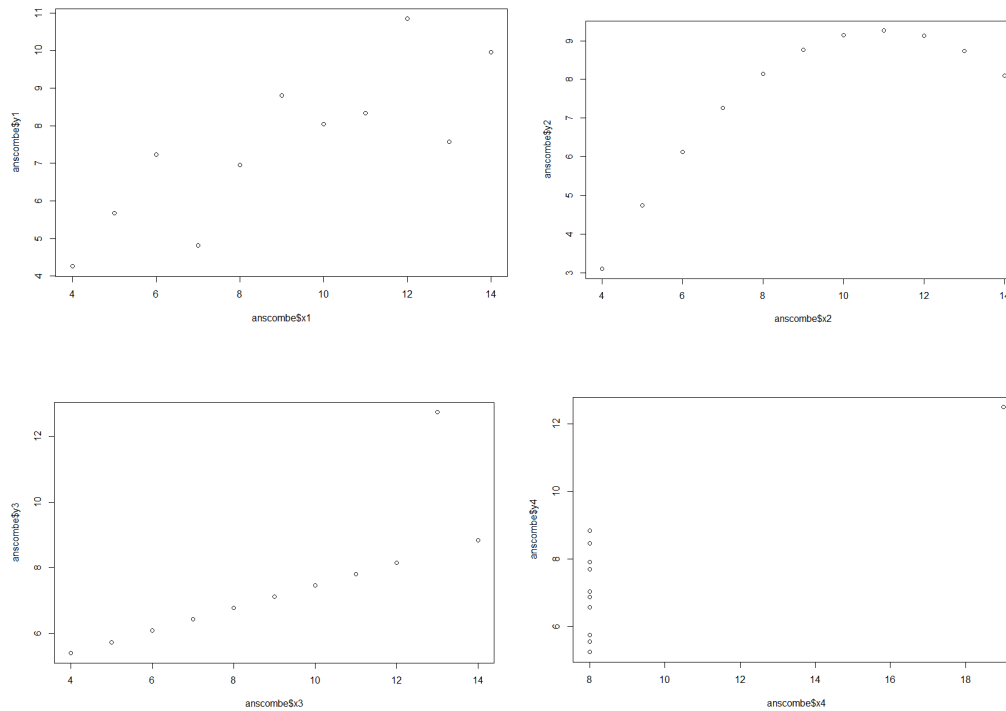
2B.

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> plot(anscombe$x1, anscombe$y1)
> plot(anscombe$x2, anscombe$y2)
> plot(anscombe$x3, anscombe$y3)

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> plot(anscombe$x4, anscombe$y4)
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3A.

Assert that we have  $X$  and  $Y$  for every sample ( $S$ ) and a constant  $C$ ,  $Y_S$  is equal to the  $C$  times  $X_S$ .

so  $Y_S = C \cdot X_S$  for all samples.

pearson formula is  $r = \text{cov}(X, Y) / (\text{sd}(X) * \text{sd}(Y))$

so if we do the covariance we have  $\text{cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(Y - E[Y])]$

but Since  $Y_S = C \cdot X_S$  for all samples, we have:

$$E[Y] = E[CX] = CE[X]$$

so we can simplify it to  $C \cdot \text{var}(X)$

the same thing applies to the standard deviation :  $\text{sd}(X) = \sqrt{\text{var}(X)}$

so we can write it as  $r = \text{cov}(X, Y) / (\text{sd}(X) * \text{sd}(Y))$  which simplifies to 1.

so no matter the value of the constant,  $Y_S = C \cdot X_S$  for all samples, this is likely because Y is a linear function of X with a positive slope. The variables have a near perfect positive linear slope.

(i'm assuming this is what i'm supposed to do.)

3B.

Assert X and Y and for every sample S,  $Y_S$  is equal to some constant C. So we have  $Y_S = C$  for all samples (S).

Pearson formula =  $r = \text{cov}(X, Y) / (\text{sd}(X) * \text{sd}(Y))$

first calculate the covar of X and Y. covariance is:  $\text{cov}(X, Y) = E[(X - E[X])(Y - E[Y])]$

where  $E[X]$  and  $E[Y]$  are the means of X and Y.

Since  $Y_S = C$  for all S, we have:

$$E[Y] = E[c] = C$$

So the covariance can be simplified to: 0

Therefore, the Pearson correlation coefficient can be written as:

$$r = \text{cov}(X, Y) / (\text{sd}(X) * \text{sd}(Y)) \text{ or } 0$$

So the Pearson correlation coefficient between X and Y is equal to 0 when Y is a constant. This is because, the two variables do not have a linear relationship.

4.

Using only the mean or median to describe a set is often insufficient because it only provides a single measure of central tendency and does not really capture the full picture. It also doesn't account for outliers correctly.

5.

The opposite applies here, using the mean and/or standard deviation is often sensitive to outliers or extremes. Also it's not very good for abnormal distributions of data.