

# STAT4710 Data Science and Analytics using Python

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## Question 1

**a**

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

**b**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

**c**

$$AB\vec{v}_2 = \vec{x}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 9 & 12 & 4 \\ 7 & 12 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 100 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 80 \\ 80 \\ 100 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving for  $\vec{v}_2$  using matrix row reduction

$$\begin{array}{ccc|ccc|ccc} 9 & 12 & 4 & 80 & & 6 & 9 & 1 & 40 & & 6 & 9 & 1 & 40 \\ 7 & 12 & 15 & 80 & \sim & 7 & 12 & 15 & 80 & \sim & 7 & 12 & 15 & 80 & \sim \\ 0 & 0 & 100 & 100 & & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|ccc|ccc} 9 & 0 & 0 & 99/2 & & 1 & 0 & 0 & 11/2 & & & & & \\ 7 & 12 & 15 & 53 & \sim & 0 & 1 & 0 & 53/24 & & & & & \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & & & & & \end{array}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 11/2 \\ 53/24 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Problem 2

**a**

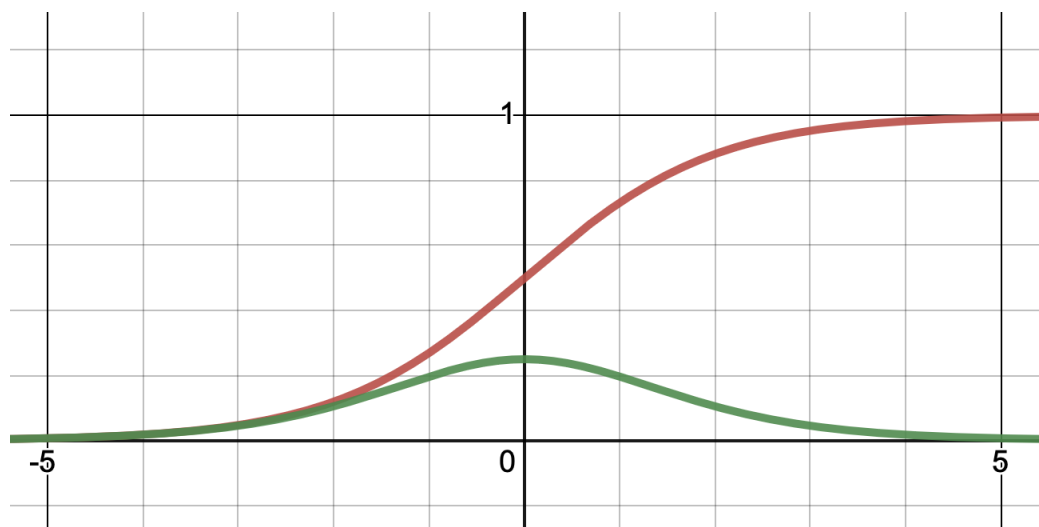
$$\begin{aligned}\sigma(-x) &= \frac{1}{1+e^x} \\ &= \frac{1}{e^{x-x}+e^x} \\ &= \frac{1}{e^x(1+e^{-x})} \\ &= \frac{e^x}{1+e^{-x}} \\ &= \frac{e^x-1+1}{1+e^{-x}} \\ &= 1-\sigma(x)\end{aligned}$$

**b**

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}\sigma(x) &= (1+e^{-x})^{-1} \\ &= (1+e^{-x})^{-2}(e^{-x})(-1) \\ &= \frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2} \\ &= (1+e^{-x})^{-1}\frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})} \\ &= \sigma(x)(1-\sigma(x))\end{aligned}$$

**c**

where the red line represents the  $\sigma(x)$ , and green line  $\frac{d}{dx}\sigma(x)$



### Problem 3

$$\begin{aligned}f(c) &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - c)^2 \\&= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i^2 - 2x_i c + c^2) \\&= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - \frac{2c}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + c^2\end{aligned}$$

To find  $c$  which minimises  $f(c)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dc}f(c) &= -\frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + 2c \\c &= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i)\end{aligned}$$

To prove that it is the minimum, we check  
the 2nd derivative

$$\frac{d^2}{dc^2}f(c) = 2$$

Since the 2nd derivative is positive, then the turning point computed must  
be a minimum point

## Question 4

Given the following,

$$P(C) = 0.01$$

$$P(Pos|C) = 0.8$$

$$P(Pos|'C) = 0.096$$

Solve for  $P(C|Pos)$

$$\begin{aligned} P(C|Pos) &= \frac{P(Pos|C)P(C)}{P(Pos)} \\ &= \frac{P(Pos|C)P(C)}{P(Pos|C)P(C) + P(Pos|'C)P('C)} \\ &= \frac{0.8 \times 0.01}{0.8 \times 0.01 + 0.096 \times 0.99} \\ &= 0.0776 \end{aligned}$$

## Problem 5

Since the distribution is approximately normal with  $n \geq 30$ , we can use the fact that the area under a normal distribution within 1SD from mean is 68% and 2SD is 95%. Then, based on the graph, 2SD is likely to be 12+. Working backwards, 1SD can be approximated to be 6.1.

Answer: b

## Problem 6

**a**

From the lecture slides, we can obtain the following information,  
Population = Entire population of America (45million)  
Sample = 10million

**b**

Null hypothesis is 43% vote for Roosevelt.  
Alternate hypothesis is that Roosevelt should be getting more votes

$$H_0 : \mu = 0.43$$

$$H_A : \mu > 0.43$$

**c**

$$Z = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}}$$

For a significance level of 1%, the critical value is 2.326 for a right tail test.

$$\sigma = \frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{Z} \times \sqrt{n}$$

We can reorder the formula and find that when n is large at 10million, the standard deviation is huge, but when n is smaller at 100, then the standard deviation is small at 0.86 making the sample more likely to be a chance error.