

Quiz 2

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1. Write out the following covariance equation as a function of individual variances of X and Y and their covariance.

$$\text{Var}(aX + bY + c) =$$

2. True or False. No correlation implies that two variables are not dependent.

Answer:

3. Conduct a test of correlation using the following data. Is there any statistically significant correlation between two variables?

Conduct test here

Answer:

4. Multiple Choice (choose the best answer): If you have two stocks with identical risks (same variances) and invest the same amount of money in each stock, the risk is minimize when these two stocks are
 - (a) uncorrelated
 - (b) positively correlated
 - (c) negatively correlated
 - (d) all of above

Answer:

5. What is an unbiased forecast?

Answer:

6. True or False. The combination of two unbiased forecasts is still an unbiased forecast.

Answer: