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Lab Submission 07

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Exercise

1. A train arrives at a station uniformly between 8:00 a.m. and 8:40 a.m. Let the random variable X represent the number of minutes the train arrives after 8:00 a.m. What is the probability that the train arrives between 8:10 a.m. and 8:25 a.m.?

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> # Question 01
> punif(25, min = 0, max = 40, lower.tail = TRUE) - punif(10, min = 0, max = 40, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 0.375
>
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2. The time (in hours) to complete a software update is exponentially distributed with rate $\lambda=1$ 3 . Find the probability that an update will take at most 2 hours.

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11 # Question 02
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13 pexp(2, rate = 1/3, lower.tail = TRUE)
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> # Question 02
> pexp(2, rate = 1/3, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 0.4865829
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- 3. Suppose IQ scores are normally distributed with a mean of 100 and a standard deviation of 15.
 - i. What is the probability that a randomly selected person has an IQ above 130?

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16  # Question 03

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18  # (i)

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20  pnorm(130, mean = 100, sd = 15, lower.tail = FALSE)

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> # Question 03
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> # (i)
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> pnorm(130, mean = 100, sd = 15, lower.tail = FALSE)
[1] 0.02275013
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ii. What IQ score represents the 95th percentile?

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23 # (ii)
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25 qnorm(0.95, mean = 100, sd = 15, lower.tail = TRUE)
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> # (ii)
> qnorm(0.95, mean = 100, sd = 15, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 124.6728
>
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