

STATS 500 - Homework 1 Solution set

Problem 1:

- (a): binary and qualitative
 - (b): continuous and quantitative
 - (c): ordinal and qualitative
 - (d): continuous and quantitative
 - (e): discrete and quantitative
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Problem 2:

First we load the data set:

```
library(faraway)
data(pima)
```

- (a). The dimension of the data set is $(n,p) = (\text{\#observations}, \text{\#samples}) =$

```
dim(pima)
```

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```

- (b). Before finding the numerical summaries, we categorize the variable ‘test’ (so R treats it appropriately as a categorical variable), and relabel its two levels (for better readability):

```
pima$test = factor(pima$test)
levels(pima$test) = c("Negative", "Positive")
```

Now we are ready to get the summaries:

```
summary(pima)
```

```
##      pregnant      glucose      diastolic      triceps
## Min.   : 0.000   Min.   : 0.0   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 0.00
## 1st Qu.: 1.000   1st Qu.: 99.0   1st Qu.: 62.00   1st Qu.: 0.00
## Median : 3.000   Median :117.0   Median : 72.00   Median :23.00
## Mean   : 3.845   Mean   :120.9   Mean   : 69.11   Mean   :20.54
## 3rd Qu.: 6.000   3rd Qu.:140.2   3rd Qu.: 80.00   3rd Qu.:32.00
## Max.   :17.000   Max.   :199.0   Max.   :122.00   Max.   :99.00
##      insulin      bmi      diabetes      age
## Min.   : 0.0   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   :0.0780   Min.   :21.00
## 1st Qu.: 0.0   1st Qu.:27.30   1st Qu.:0.2437   1st Qu.:24.00
## Median : 30.5   Median :32.00   Median :0.3725   Median :29.00
## Mean   : 79.8   Mean   :31.99   Mean   :0.4719   Mean   :33.24
## 3rd Qu.:127.2   3rd Qu.:36.60   3rd Qu.:0.6262   3rd Qu.:41.00
## Max.   :846.0   Max.   :67.10   Max.   :2.4200   Max.   :81.00
##      test
## Negative:500
## Positive:268
##
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(c).

```
pima$glucose[pima$glucose == 0] = NA  
pima$diastolic[pima$diastolic == 0] = NA  
pima$triceps[pima$triceps == 0] = NA  
pima$insulin[pima$insulin == 0] = NA  
pima$bmi[pima$bmi == 0] = NA  
summary(pima)
```

```
##      pregnant      glucose      diastolic      triceps  
## Min.   : 0.000   Min.   : 44.0   Min.   : 24.00   Min.   : 7.00  
## 1st Qu.: 1.000   1st Qu.: 99.0   1st Qu.: 64.00   1st Qu.:22.00  
## Median : 3.000   Median :117.0   Median : 72.00   Median :29.00  
## Mean   : 3.845   Mean   :121.7   Mean   : 72.41   Mean   :29.15  
## 3rd Qu.: 6.000   3rd Qu.:141.0   3rd Qu.: 80.00   3rd Qu.:36.00  
## Max.   :17.000   Max.   :199.0   Max.   :122.00   Max.   :99.00  
##                NA's    :5      NA's    :35      NA's    :227  
##      insulin      bmi      diabetes      age  
## Min.   : 14.00   Min.   :18.20   Min.   :0.0780   Min.   :21.00  
## 1st Qu.: 76.25   1st Qu.:27.50   1st Qu.:0.2437   1st Qu.:24.00  
## Median :125.00   Median :32.30   Median :0.3725   Median :29.00  
## Mean   :155.55   Mean   :32.46   Mean   :0.4719   Mean   :33.24  
## 3rd Qu.:190.00   3rd Qu.:36.60   3rd Qu.:0.6262   3rd Qu.:41.00  
## Max.   :846.00   Max.   :67.10   Max.   :2.4200   Max.   :81.00  
## NA's    :374     NA's    :11  
##      test  
## Negative:500  
## Positive:268  
##  
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##
```

(d). The observation (row) with the highest diastolic blood pressure is

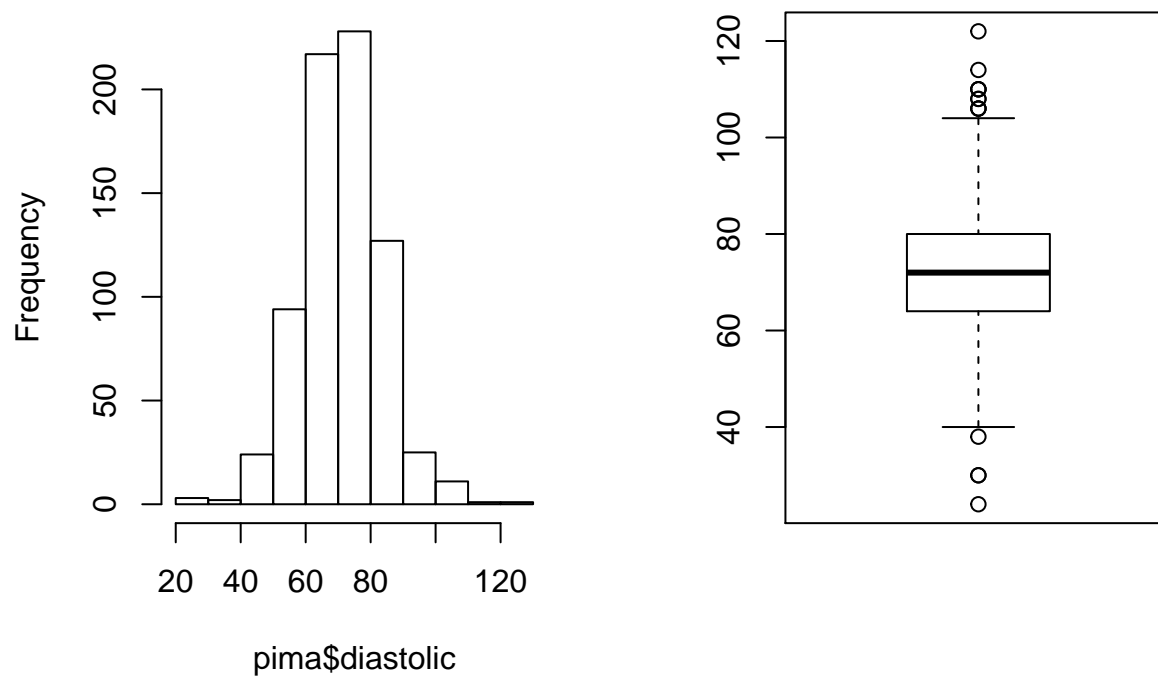
```
which.max(pima$diastolic)
```

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```

(e). Graphical summaries for 'diastolic':

```
par(mfrow = c(1,2))  
hist(pima$diastolic)  
boxplot(pima$diastolic, rm.na = TRUE)
```

Histogram of pima\$diastolic



(f).

```
par(mfrow = c(1,3))
hist(pima$bmi, main = "Histogram of bmi", xlab = "bmi")
plot(pima$test, main = "Bar chart for test")
plot(pima$test, pima$bmi, main = "bmi vs. test")
```

