

## Problem Set 6

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### **PROBLEM #1**

- A.  $P(X < 500)$   
Z-Score:  $(500 - 528) / 120 = -0.23$   
 **$P(Z < -0.23) = 0.4090$**

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> #1(b) - calculating (P < 500), by Kristina Finley
> pnorm(500, mean = 528, sd = 120)
[1] 0.4077513
> |
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### **PROBLEM #2**

$P(X < 500)$   
Z-Score:  $(500 / 519) / 116 = -0.16$   
 **$P(Z < -0.16) = 0.4364$**

### **PROBLEM #3**

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> #3 - calculating (P < 500) for females, by Kristina Finley
> pnorm(500, mean = 519, sd = 116)
[1] 0.434947
> |
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#### **PROBLEM #4**

A.  $P(X > 625)$

Z-Score:  $(625 - 528) / 120 = 0.81$

**$P(Z > 0.81) = 0.7910 \rightarrow 1 - 0.7910 = 0.209$**

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> #4(b) - calculating (P > 625) , by Kristina Finley
> pnorm(625, mean = 528, sd = 120, lower.tail = FALSE)
[1] 0.2094494
> |
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#### **PROBLEM #5**

$P(550 < X < 650)$

Z-Score:  $(550 - 519) / 116 = 0.27 \rightarrow 0.6064$

Z-Score:  $(650 - 519) / 116 = 1.13 \rightarrow 0.8708$

**$P(0.27 < X < 1.13) \rightarrow 0.8708 - 0.6064 = 0.2644$**

#### **PROBLEM #6**

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> #6 - calculate P(550 < X < 650), by Kristina Finley
> pnorm(650, mean = 519, sd = 116, lower.tail = TRUE) - pnorm(550, mean = 519,
+ sd = 116, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 0.2652582
> |
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#### **PROBLEM #7**

A. Z-Score:  $(690 - 537) / 123 = 1.24$

$P(Z < 690) = 0.8925 \rightarrow 89$

**A male student with an SAT Math score of 690 is in the 89th percentile.**

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> #7(b) - calculating (P < 690) , by Kristina Finley
> pnorm(690, mean = 537, sd = 123, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 0.8932323
> # calculate the rounded percentile
> round(100*(pnorm(690, mean = 537, sd = 123, lower.tail = TRUE)), 0)
[1] 89
> |

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### **PROBLEM #8**

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> #8 - calculating the 67th percentile , by Kristina Finley
> qnorm(0.67, mean = 528, sd = 120, lower.tail = TRUE)
[1] 580.7896
> # calculate the rounded 67th percentile
> round(qnorm(0.67, mean = 528, sd = 120, lower.tail = TRUE), 0)
[1] 581
> |

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### **PROBLEM #9**

$P(X > 700)$

Female:  $(700 - 519) / 116 = 1.56$

**$P(Z > 700) : 0.9406 \rightarrow 1 - 0.9406 = 0.0594$**

$P(X > 720)$

Male:  $(720 - 537) / 123 = 1.49$

**$P(Z > 720): 0.9319 \rightarrow 1 - 0.9319 = 0.0681$**

**$0.0681 > 0.0594$  It is more likely male students will have a score of at least 720.**