Homework 1

Problem 1

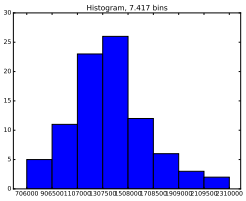

Figure 1: Sturges

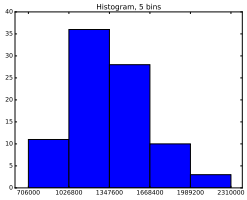

Figure 2: 5 bins

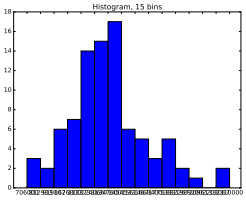

Figure 3: 15 bins

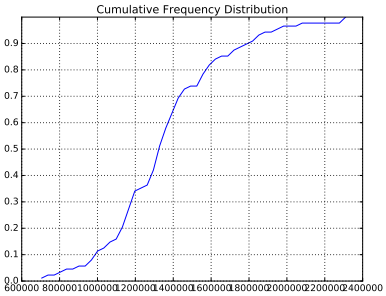

Figure 4: CDF

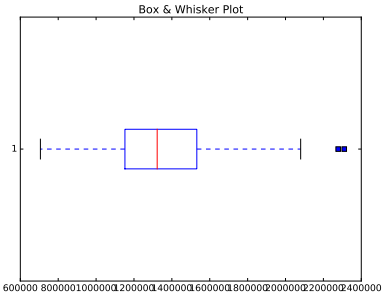

Figure 5: Boxplot

The boxplot (figure 5) contains two outliers: 2,278,000 and 2,310,000, both above the 75th-quartile plus the maximum whisker length of $q75 + 1.5 * iqr$. The lower whisker only extends to 706,000 because this is within the maximum whisker length.

Here are the descriptive statistics (question 1c):

mean, 1352204.54545
median, 1322500.0
var, 98171291013.6
q25, 1152250.0
q50, 1322500.0
q75, 1531750.0
iqr, 379500.0
skew, 0.661353249864
qskew, 0.102766798419

Problem 2

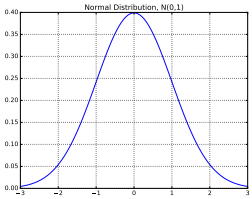

Figure 6: Normal

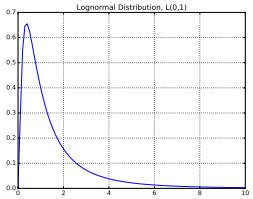

Figure 7: Lognormal

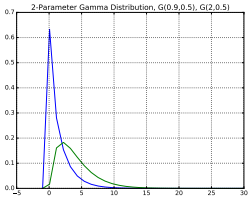

Figure 8: Gamma

Below is the python code used to create the plots.

Listing 1: statswrap.py statistics wrapper

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from __future__ import division
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy
import pandas
import os
import statsmodels.api as sm
import math
from scipy.stats import norm, lognorm, gamma

class Statistics:

  def __init__(self, file, col, output):
    self.filename = os.path.splitext(file)[0]
    self.file = pandas.read_csv(file)
    self.values = self.file[col]
    self.output = output

  def get_stats(self):
    """ mean, median, var, iqr, skew, qskew, quartiles =
    Statistics.get_stats()"""
    """ where 'quartiles' will provide a list [q25, q50, q75]
    """
    mean = self.values.mean() # [0]
    median = self.values.median() # [0]
    var = self.values.var() # [0]
    q25 = self.values.quantile(q=0.25) # [0]
    q50 = self.values.quantile() # [0]
    q75 = self.values.quantile(q=0.75) # [0]
    iqr = q75-q25
    qskew = ((q75-q50)-(q50-q25))/iqr
    skew = self.values.skew() # [0]
    return (mean, median, var, iqr, skew, qskew, [q25, q50,
    q75])
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31
32  def write_stats(self):
33    mean, median, var, iqr, skew, qskew, quartiles = self.
    get_stats()
34    with open(self.output + 'stats.txt', 'w') as f:
35      f.write('mean, ' + str(mean) + '\n')
36      f.write('median, ' + str(median) + '\n')
37      f.write('var, ' + str(var) + '\n')
38      f.write('q25, ' + str(quartiles[0]) + '\n')
39      f.write('q50, ' + str(quartiles[1]) + '\n')
40      f.write('q75, ' + str(quartiles[2]) + '\n')
41      f.write('iqr, ' + str(iqr) + '\n')
42      f.write('skew, ' + str(skew) + '\n')
43      f.write('qskew, ' + str(qskew))
44
45  def get_sturges(self):
46    n = len(self.file.index)
47    self.nbins = 1+3.3*math.log10(n)
48    smallest = self.values.min() # [0]
49    largest = self.values.max() # [0]
50    binwidth = (largest-smallest)/self.nbins
51    x = smallest.copy()
52    bins = []
53    while x < largest:
54      bins.append(x)
55      x+=binwidth
56    bins.append(x)
57    return bins
58
59  def plot_hist(self, bins):
60    q = self.values.values
61    figfile = ''
62    if bins == 'sturges':
63      figfile = (self.output + 'histogram_sturges.pdf')
64    if bins != 'sturges':
65      self.nbins = bins
66      figfile = (self.output + 'histogram_' + '{0}' + '.pdf').
    format(self.nbins)
67    fig, ax = plt.subplots()
68    counts, bins, patches = ax.hist(q, bins=bins)
69    ax.set_title(('Histogram, {0:.4g} bins').format(self.nbins
    ))
70    ax.set_xticks(bins)
71    fig.savefig(figfile)
72    # plt.show()
73
74  def cumul_freq_dist(self, filename='cumul_freq_dist.pdf'):
75    n = len(self.file.index)
76    sample = self.values.values.ravel()
77    ecdf = sm.distributions.ECDF(sample)
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78      x = numpy.linspace(self.values.min(), self.values.max()) #
         [0]
79      y = ecdf(x)
80      fig, ax = plt.subplots()
81      ax.plot(x,y)
82      ax.set_title('Cumulative Frequency Distribution')
83      ax.set_yticks(numpy.arange(0,1,0.1))
84      plt.grid()
85      fig.savefig(self.output + filename)
86      # plt.show()
87
88    def boxplot(self, filename='boxplot.pdf'):
89      data = self.values.values.ravel()
90      fig, ax = plt.subplots()
91      ax.boxplot(data, 0, 'rs', 0)
92      ax.set_title('Box & Whisker Plot')
93      fig.savefig(self.output + filename)
94      # plt.show()
95
96
97    def norm_dist(self, mean=0, var=1, xstart=-3, xstop=3, xnum
        =100, filename='norm_dist.pdf'):
98      x_axis = numpy.linspace(xstart, xstop, xnum) # xnum steps
99      fig, ax = plt.subplots()
100     ax.plot(x_axis, norm.pdf(x_axis,mean,var))
101     plt.grid()
102     ax.set_title('Normal Distribution, N({0},{1})'.format(mean
        ,var))
103     fig.savefig(self.output + filename)
104     # plt.show()
105
106   def lognorm_dist(self, mean=0, var=1, xstart=0, xstop=10,
        xnum=100, filename='lognorm_dist.pdf'):
107     x_axis = numpy.linspace(xstart, xstop, xnum) # xnum steps
108     fig, ax = plt.subplots()
109     ax.plot(x_axis, lognorm.pdf(x_axis,var,0,numpy.exp(mean)))
110     plt.grid()
111     ax.set_title('Lognormal Distribution, L({0},{1})'.format(
        mean,var))
112     fig.savefig(self.output + filename)
113     # plt.show()
114
115   def gamma_dist(self, klist=[0.9,2], lam=0.5, xstart=-1,
        xstop=10, xnum=30, filename='gamma_dist.pdf'):
116     x_axis = numpy.linspace(xstart, xstop, xnum) # xnum steps
117     try:
118       scale = 1/lam
119     except ZeroDivisionError:
120       scale = 1/0.5
121       print 'ZeroDivisionError: gamma_dist() lambda value set
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    to 0.5 as default'
122     fig, ax = plt.subplots()
123     for k in klist:
124       ax.plot(x_axis, gamma.pdf(x_axis,k,scale=scale))
125     plt.grid()
126     ax.set_title('2-Parameter Gamma Distribution, G({0},{1}),
        G({2},{3})'.format(klist[0],lam,klist[1],lam))
127     fig.savefig(self.output + filename)
128     # plt.show()
129
130 if __name__ == "__main__":
131
132   stats = Statistics('hw1given.csv', 'peak_streamflow_cfs', '
        probs_1_2/')
133
134   # Problem 1a
135   sturges = stats.get_sturges()
136   stats.plot_hist('sturges')
137   stats.plot_hist(5)
138   stats.plot_hist(15)
139
140   # Problem 1b
141   stats.cumul_freq_dist()
142
143   # Problem 1c
144   stats.write_stats()
145
146   # Problem 1d
147   stats.boxplot()
148
149   # Problem 2
150   stats.norm_dist(0,1,-3,3,100)
151   stats.lognorm_dist(0,1,0,10,100)
152   stats.gamma_dist([0.9,2],0.5,-1,30,30)
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