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## **Exercise 4 Thompson Beta**

Exercise 2.4: Thompson Beta

In this exercise, you will implement the Thompson Beta algorithm.

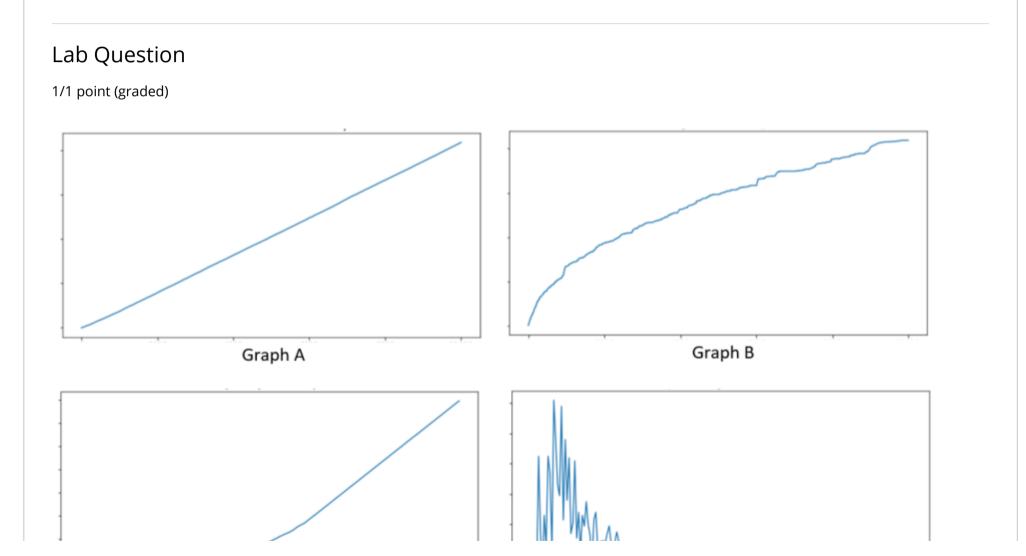
Make sure that you have:

- 1. Completed the setup requirements as described in the Set Up Lab Environments section
- 2. Completed the previous exercises in this lab

Now, run jupyter notebook and open the "Ex2.4 Thompson Beta.ipynb" notebook under **Module 2** folder.

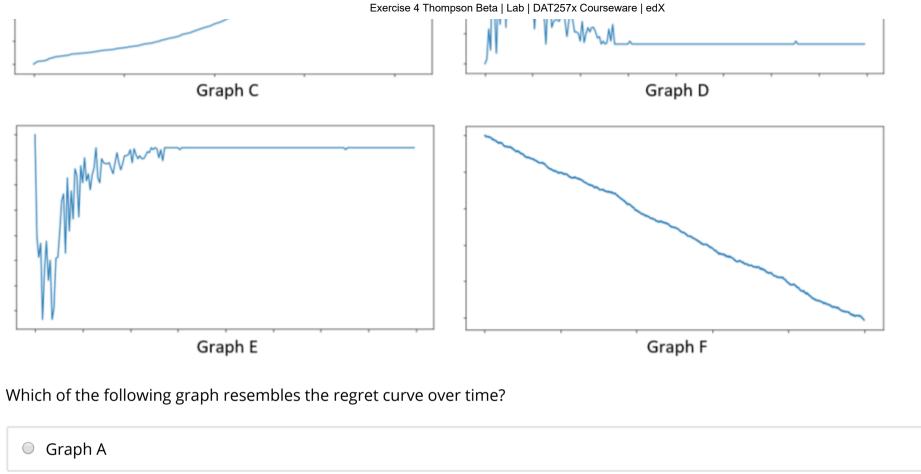
- 1. Examine the notebook.
- 2. Your task is to implement a thompson sampling beta bernoulli algorithm.
- 3. We have given you some boiler plate code, you only need to modify the part as indicated.
- 4. Once you have done that, prepare a simulation. Don't change any other parameter, that is:
  - evaluation seed = 1239

- num\_actions = 10
- trials = 10000
- distribution = "bernoulli"
- 5. Run the simulation, observe the results, and answer the following questions.



Graph B

Graph C



Graph D

Graph E

Graph F

Submit

You have used 1 of 2 attempts

✓ Correct (1/1 point)

Now let's prepare another simulation by setting a different distribution, so your parameters should look like this:

- evaluation\_seed = 1239
- num\_actions = 10
- trials = 10000
- distribution = "normal"

Run the simulation and observe the results.

## Lab Question

1/1 point (graded)

Graph E Graph F Which of the following graph resembles the regret curve over time? • Graph A Graph B Graph C Graph D Graph E Graph F Submit You have used 1 of 2 attempts ✓ Correct (1/1 point)

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