# **BLACKBOARDUSERNAM - Homework 4**

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#### Question 1A:

```
#INSERT CODE HERE

df <- read.csv("C:\\Users\\92998\\Downloads\\Homework4_Data.csv")

#df

brand_3 <- subset(df,brand==3)

#brand_3</pre>
```

#### **Question 1B:**

```
#INSERT CODE HERE
thisLM <- lm(log(units)~isFeature+price,data = brand_3)
summary(thisLM)</pre>
```

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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(units) ~ isFeature + price, data = brand 3)
## Residuals:
      Min
              1Q Median
                             3Q Max
## -3.2496 -0.4503 0.0267 0.4659 3.2719
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 10.34582
                         0.07128 145.14 <2e-16 ***
## isFeatureTRUE 0.73671
                          0.02065 35.67 <2e-16 ***
               -0.98240 0.02437 -40.31 <2e-16 ***
## price
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.6893 on 9646 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.3164, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3162
## F-statistic: 2232 on 2 and 9646 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

## **Question 1C:**

```
#INSERT CODE HERE
possiblePrices = data.frame(price = seq(0,10,.01),isFeature =
FALSE)
```

#### **Question 1D:**

```
#INSERT CODE HERE
possiblePrices$Prediction <- exp(predict(thisLM, newdata = possiblePrices))
#possiblePrices</pre>
```

#### **Question 1E:**

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#INSERT CODE HERE
possiblePrices$profitMargin <- possiblePrices$price - mean(brand_3$marginalCost)
#possiblePrices</pre>
```

## **Question 1F:**

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#INSERT CODE HERE
possiblePrices$Profit<-possiblePrices$Prediction * possiblePrices$profitMargin
#possiblePrices</pre>
```

### **Question 1G:**

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#INSERT CODE HERE

optPrice <- possiblePrices$price[which.max(possiblePrices$Profit)]

optProfit <- possiblePrices$Profit[which.max(possiblePrices$Profit)]

optprediction <-possiblePrices$Prediction[which.max(possiblePrices$Profit)]

optPrice</pre>
```

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## [1] 2.94
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optProfit

## [1] 1763.495

optprediction

## [1] 1732.941

#Keep 'optPrice' here so we can see your optimal price optPrice

## [1] 2.94

## Question 1H:

```
#INSERT CODE HERE
Omitted_lm <- lm(log(units)~price,data = brand_3)
summary(Omitted_lm)</pre>
```

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(units) ~ price, data = brand 3)
## Residuals:
     Min
             1Q Median
                               Max
## -3.3253 -0.4895 0.0030 0.4671 3.2268
## Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
-1.28858 0.02426 -53.11 <2e-16 ***
## price
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.7333 on 9647 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2262, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2261
## F-statistic: 2821 on 1 and 9647 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

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possiblePrices2 = data.frame(price = seq(0,10,.01),isFeature =
FALSE)
#possiblePrices2
possiblePrices2$prediction <- exp(predict(Omitted_lm, newdata = possiblePrices2))
#possiblePrices2
possiblePrices2$profitMargin <- possiblePrices2$price - mean(brand_3$marginalCost)
#possiblePrices2

possiblePrices2$profit<-possiblePrices2$prediction * possiblePrices2$profitMargin
#possiblePrices2</pre>
optPirce2 <- possiblePrices2$price[which.max(possiblePrices2$profit)]
optPirce2
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## [1] 2.7

optProfit2 <- possiblePrices2\$Profit[which.max(possiblePrices2\$Profit)]
optProfit2</pre>

## [1] 2011.033

optprediction2 <-possiblePrices2\$Prediction[which.max(possiblePrices2\$Profit)]
optprediction2</pre>

## [1] 2586.1

#Keep 'optPrice' here so we can see your optimal price optPrice

## [1] 2.94

## Question 1I:

#INSERT CODE HERE
Interaction\_lm <- lm(log(units)~isFeature\*price,data = brand\_3)
summary(Interaction\_lm)</pre>

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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(units) ~ isFeature * price, data = brand_3)
## Residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
                              3Q
                                    Max
## -3.2672 -0.4366 0.0286 0.4655 3.2326
## Coefficients:
                     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                 0.08659 112.21 <2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
                      9.71684
                      2.48213
                                 0.14021 17.70 <2e-16 ***
## isFeatureTRUE
                     -0.76612
                                 0.02966 -25.83 <2e-16 ***
## price
## isFeatureTRUE:price -0.64407
                                 0.05118 -12.58 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.6838 on 9645 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.3274, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3272
## F-statistic: 1565 on 3 and 9645 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
possiblePrices3 = data.frame(price = seq(0,10,.01),isFeature =
TRUE)
possiblePrices3$Prediction <- exp(predict(Interaction_lm, newdata = possiblePrices3))
#possiblePrices3
possiblePrices3$profitMargin <- possiblePrices3$price - mean(brand_3$marginalCost)
#possiblePrices3
possiblePrices3$Profit<-possiblePrices3$Prediction * possiblePrices3$profitMargin
#possiblePrices3</pre>
optPirce3 <- possiblePrices3$price[which.max(possiblePrices3$Profit)]
optPirce3
```

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## [1] 2.63
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optProfit3 <- possiblePrices3\$Profit[which.max(possiblePrices3\$Profit)]
optProfit3</pre>

## [1] 3443.759

#Keep 'optPrice' here so we can see your optimal price optPrice

## [1] 2.94

Question 2A: 60 WORDS MAX. SUBMIT WRITTEN ANSWER VIA IN THE BLACKBOARD SUBMISSION LINK.

Question 2B: 60 WORDS MAX. SUBMIT WRITTEN ANSWER VIA IN THE BLACKBOARD SUBMISSION LINK.

Question 2C: 60 WORDS MAX. SUBMIT WRITTEN ANSWER VIA IN THE BLACKBOARD SUBMISSION LINK.