

## Central measures

- Mean
  - o AM
  - o GM
  - o HM
- Median
- Mode

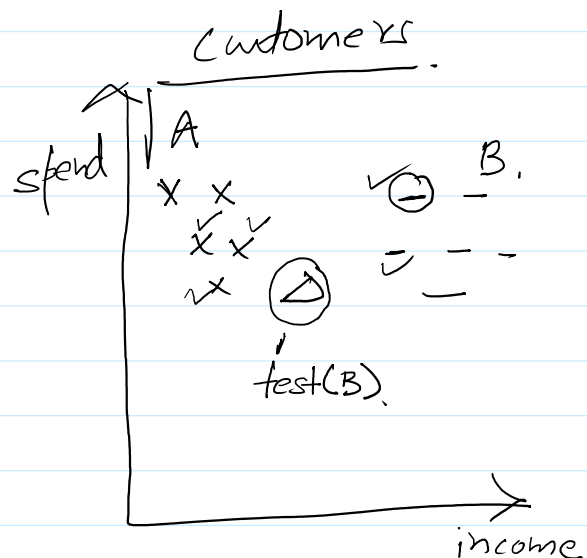
## Weighted mean

- Take into account the importance of or weight of each value in the col (series)
- Multiply the weights with the values

$$\bar{x} = \frac{w_1 \cdot x_1 + w_2 \cdot x_2 + \dots + w_n \cdot x_n}{w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_n}$$

## How to determine the weights

- Domain expertise / subjective
- Proportional allocation
  - o Based on the value of the data point
- Inverse variance
  - o Used in many ML algorithms
    - Example
- Advanced optimization methods
  - o Linear programming (OR)
- Data driven methods
  - o Empirically



• find out distance of test customer with all the existing customers

income	spend
1k	12k
5k	4k

①	- c1	= 10
	- c2	= 20
	- c3	= 11
	- i	= 15

} 5 nearest



## Winsorizing

- Data pre-processing technique
- Capping the extreme values
  - o Replace the highest and lowest values
    - With a determined value

### Original Income Data:

\$20,000  
\$30,000  
\$35,000  
\$40,000  
\$1,000,000 (outlier)  
\$2,000,000 (outlier)

*What's big  
with this*

### Winsorized Income Data:

\$20,000  
\$30,000  
\$35,000  
\$40,000  
\$40,000 (capped outlier)  
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## Steps

- Identify the % of lower and higher ends (cap)
- Calculate the lower and higher percentile values
- Replace the values
- Calculate the mean

## Determining the % of lower and upper ends

- Distribution of data
  - o Symmetric, skewed, kurtosis...outliers
  - o Sensitivity analysis (outliers)
- Data size
  - o Large
    - Higher %

## Range

- MAX - MIN
- Sensitive to outlier
- Limited information u can gather
- Use case
  - o Data exploration
  - o Cleaning
  - o **FEATURE SELECTION**
  - o **NORMALIZATION**

## Variance

- Spread or dispersion of data points
- Purpose of calculating
  - o Higher variance

*Same scale*

$$S = \frac{\text{min}}{R}$$

*15*  
*25*  
*555*  
*777*  
*31*

① min-max scaler

$$\left[ \frac{x - \text{min}}{\text{max} - \text{min}} \right] [0, 1]$$

*(R)*

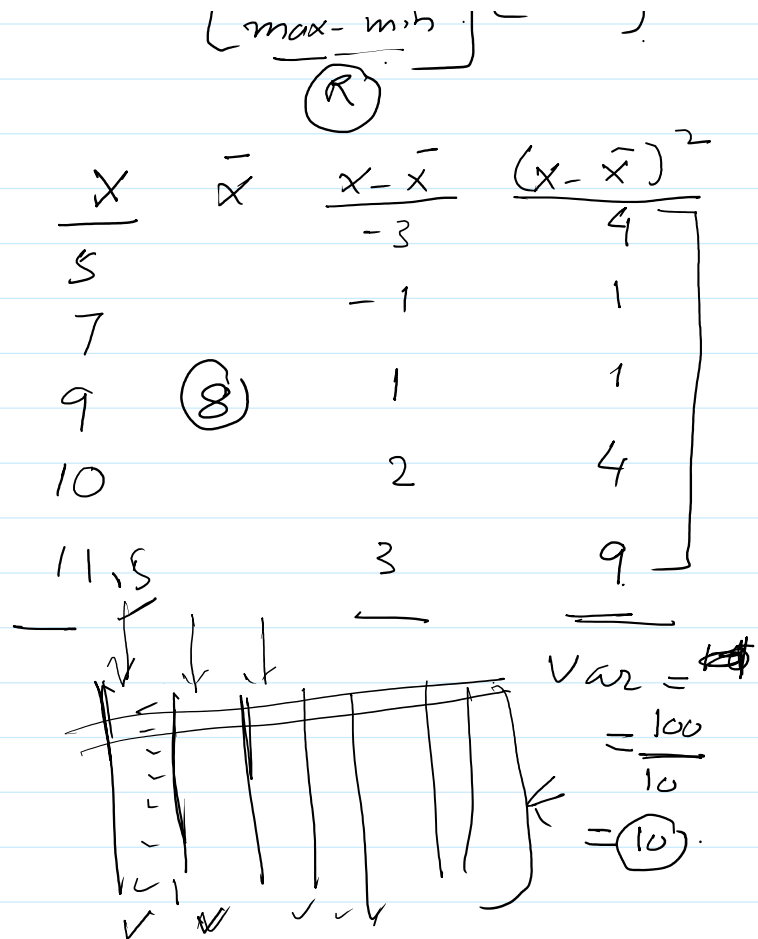
- Spread or dispersion of data points
- Purpose of calculating
  - o Higher variance
    - Too high - bad
  - o Low variance
    - Too low - bad
- Use cases
  - o FEATURE SELECTION
  - o Model evaluation
  - o Making interpretation is hard

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n} \text{ for a sample,}$$

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \mu)^2}{N} \text{ for a population.}$$

### Standard deviation

- Square root of var
- Purpose
  - o Same unit
    - Customers can easily relate to it



### Mean absolute deviation

- Avg abs deviation
- Measure of variability in the data col
- Magnitude of deviation
- Calculate
  - o Compute the mean
  - o Abs deviation
  - o Sum
  - o Divide by the number of samples

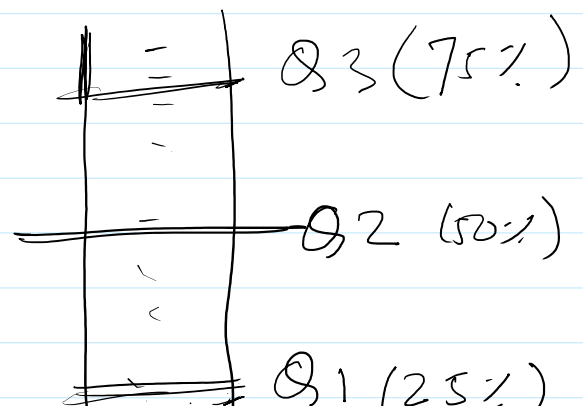
$$\text{MAD} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - \text{mean}|$$

### When to use MAD

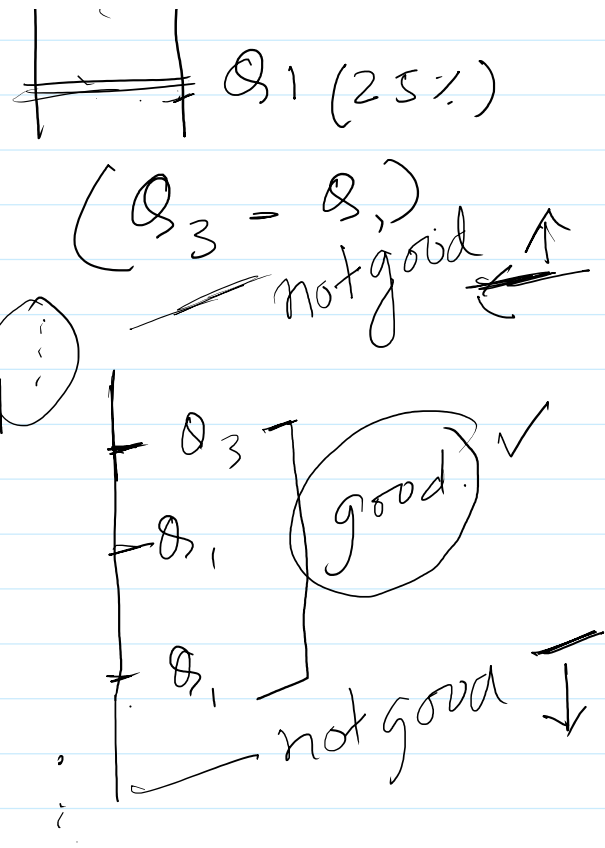
- Compare this with std dev
- In case of outliers, choose MAD
- In case non normal data, choose MAD

### Inter quartile Range (IQR)

- Difference of Q3-Q1
  - o Central part of data
  - o Excluding the extreme values
- Use case



- Central part of data
- Excluding the extreme values
- Use case
  - Less impacted by outliers
  - Easy to explain to customers
  - Box plots - easy to explain
  - Outlier detection



#### Outlier detection

##### • threshold

• higher  
 • above  $Q_3$   
 $= Q_3 + \text{good} \times 1.5$   
 $= Q_3 + (IQR) \times 1.5$   
 $= \text{value}$   
 ↳ above

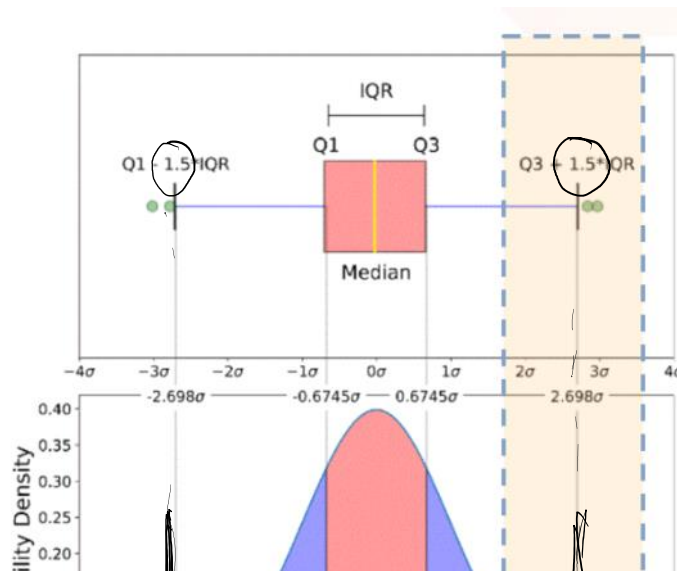
↳ possible outliers

##### • lower

• below  $Q_1$   
 $= Q_1 - \text{good} \times 1.5$   
 $= Q_1 - IQR \times 1.5$   
 $= \text{value}$

↳ below  
 ↳ possible outliers

#### Why 1.5?

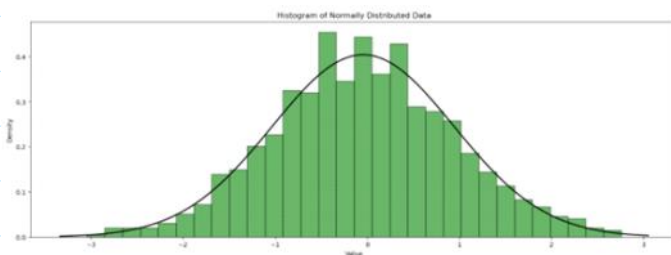


a typical box plot

imaginary,



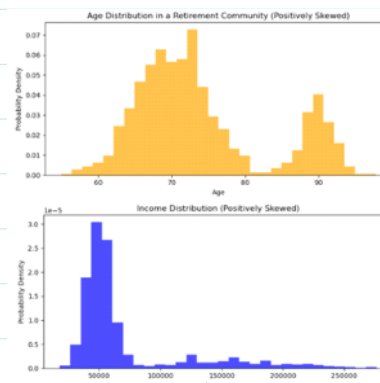
- Why we measure symmetry
  - Symmetrical is GREAT
    - Most analytics/ML - work well
- Methods
  - Viz
    - Histograms
    - Density plots
  - Kurtosis and Skew
- **Kurtosis**
  - Tail of the data distribution
    - Compare this tail with a normal distribution
  - To measure the heaviness
    - More heavy tail
      - More likely the data has outliers
  - Intuition
    - Tailedness
    - Relative amount of extreme values in the col
    - Pos kurtosis
      - More outliers
    - Negative kurtosis
      - Thin tails
      - Fewer outliers
  - Mesokurtic
    - Kurtosis = 3



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print("Kurtosis (manual calculation):", computed_kurtosis)
Kurtosis (manual calculation): 2.953233675521671
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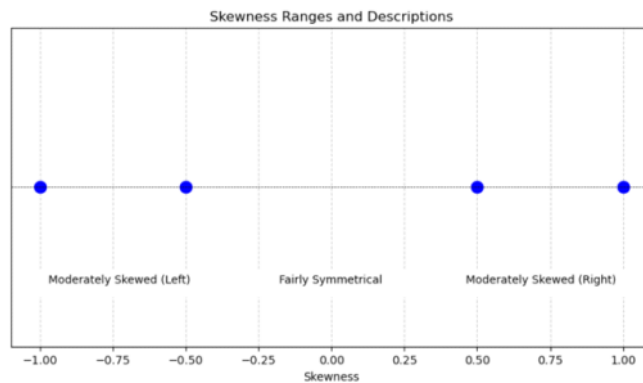
## Positive Skew (right skew)

- Income distribution
- Home prices in your area
- Aging pop



## Negative skew (left skew)

- Exam score
- Company profits
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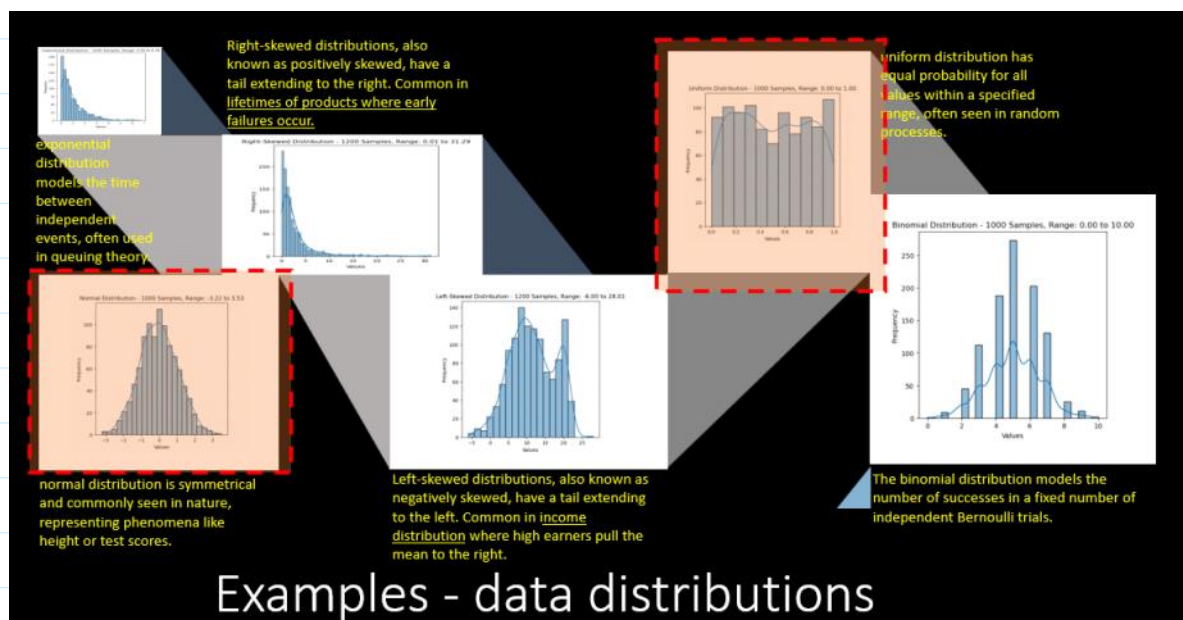


## Random Variable

- Some kind of a fn
  - o Yields some value
    - Discrete
      - countable
    - Float (continuous)
      - Any value in the range
- Examples
  - o Rolling a die {1,2,3,...6}
    - $X = \{1,2,3,...6\}$
    - $X = \text{sum of 3 dice rolls}$
  - o Avg price of an asset
  - o ROI on investment

## Data distribution

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## Data distribution vs dispersion

### Probability distribution

- Discrete
  - o PMF (Probability mass fn)
- Continuous
  - o PDF (Probability density fn)

### PMF (Probability mass fn)

- Sum of the probs = 1
- PMF will assign prob to each value that X can take

Die

$$P(X = 1) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(X = 2) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(X = 3) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(X = 4) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(X = 5) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(X = 6) = \frac{1}{6}$$

- (i)  $f(x) \geq 0$  for all  $x \in S$ ,
- (ii)  $\sum_{x \in S} f(x) = 1$ .

### Expected value

- Using PMF we can compute the expected value of the variable

$$E(X) = \sum_i x_i \cdot P(X = x_i)$$

where:

- $x_i$  are the possible values of the random variable,
- $P(X = x_i)$  is the probability mass function (PMF) evaluated at  $x_i$ ,
- and the summation is taken over all possible values of  $X$ .

0	0.05
1	0.1
2	0.15
3	0.16
4	0.2
5	0.13
6	0.1
7	0.07
8	0.04

$E[X]$

$$= 0 \times 0.05 + 1 \times 0.1 + 2 \times 0.15 + 3 \times 0.16 + 4 \times 0.2 + 5 \times 0.13 + 6 \times 0.1 + 7 \times 0.07 + 8 \times 0.04$$

$$= 0 + 0.1 + 0.3 + 0.48 + 0.8 + 0.65 + 0.6 + 0.49 + 0.32$$

$$= 3.74$$

2. What is the probability that the number of complaints will exceed the expected number?

$$= 0.2 + 0.13 + 0.1 + 0.07 + 0.04$$

$$= 0.54$$

$$P(X = x) = \frac{x+2}{38}, \quad x \in S = \{4, 5, 8, 13\}$$

Does the above define a valid probability mass function?

- For all given values of X, the probability is > 0
- Sum of the prob  
 $= P(4) + P(5) + P(8) + P(13)$   
 $= 6/38 + 7/38 + 10/38 + 15/38$   
 $= 38/38 = 1$

## Types of PMFs

### - Bernoulli distribution

- o Var can take only 2 values
  - Success (1), prob=p
  - Failure (0), prob = 1-p

- pertains to scenarios featuring a single trial with two potential outcomes
- experiments posing a binary question
  - whether a coin will land on heads,
  - if a die roll will result in a 6,
  - if an ace will be drawn from a deck of cards, or
  - if voter X will opt for "yes" in a referendum.
  - a team will win a championship or not
- Essentially, Bernoulli trials encompass situations where the two potential results can be framed as "success" or "failure," though these terms aren't strictly literal.
- In this context, "success" simply denotes achieving a "yes" outcome (e.g., rolling a six, drawing an ace, etc.).

- The **expected value** is

$$E(X)$$

$$= 0 \times (1-p) + 1 \times p$$

$$= p$$

- The **variance** is

$$Var(X)$$

$$= E(X^2) - E(X)^2$$

$$= 1^2 \times p + 0^2 \times (1-p) - p^2$$

$$= p - p^2$$

$$= p(1-p)$$

## Binomial distribution

- Prob dist of number of success
  - o In a fixed number of independent Bernoulli trials
    - 2 values
      - Prob
- Series of Bernoulli trials
- Binomial actually summarizes the total number of of success
- Calculation

$$P(X = k) = \binom{n}{k} \cdot p^k \cdot (1 - p)^{n-k}$$

Where:

- $n$  is the number of trials,
- $k$  is the number of successes,
- $p$  is the probability of success in each trial.

Suppose you play a game that you can only either win or lose. The probability that you win any game is 55%55%, and the probability that you lose is 45%45%

What is the probability that you win 15 times if you play the game 20 times?