## Statistical FDS Assignment 1 Solutions

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## 1 Statistical Foundation of Data Science - Assignment 1 Solutions

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This notebook contains step-by-step solutions to all assignment problems.

## 1.1 Environment Setup and Dependencies

Before executing this notebook, ensure all required packages are installed in your virtual environment. This section will install and verify all necessary dependencies for statistical analysis and data visualization.

#### 1.1.1 Required Dependencies:

- pandas: Data manipulation and analysis library
- numpy: Numerical computing library for arrays and mathematical functions
- matplotlib: Comprehensive plotting library for creating static visualizations
- seaborn: Statistical data visualization library built on matplotlib
- scipy: Scientific computing library containing statistical functions and tests
- jupyter: For notebook environment (if not already installed)

Run the following cell to install all dependencies in your virtual environment:

```
[16]: # Dependency Installation and Verification
import subprocess
import sys
import pkg_resources

def install_package(package):
    """Install a package using pip if not already installed"""
    try:
        pkg_resources.get_distribution(package)
        print(f"[CHECK] {package} is already installed")
    except pkg_resources.DistributionNotFound:
        print(f"Installing {package}...")
        subprocess.check_call([sys.executable, "-m", "pip", "install", package])
        print(f"[CHECK] {package} installed successfully")
```

```
# List of required packages
required_packages = [
    'pandas>=1.3.0',
    'numpy>=1.21.0',
    'matplotlib>=3.4.0',
    'seaborn>=0.11.0',
    'scipy>=1.7.0',
    'jupyter>=1.0.0'
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print("Installing and verifying dependencies...")
print("=" * 50)
for package in required_packages:
    package_name = package.split('>=')[0] # Extract package name without_
 ⇔version
    install_package(package_name)
print("\n" + "=" * 50)
print("All dependencies installed successfully!")
print("You can now proceed with the assignment solutions.")
# Verify installations by importing
try:
    import pandas as pd
    import numpy as np
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    from scipy import stats
    print("\n[CHECK] All imports successful - Ready to proceed!")
except ImportError as e:
    print(f"\n[CROSS] Import error: {e}")
    print("Please restart the kernel and try again.")
```

Installing and verifying dependencies...

```
pandas is already installed
numpy is already installed
matplotlib is already installed
seaborn is already installed
scipy is already installed
jupyter is already installed
```

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All dependencies installed successfully! You can now proceed with the assignment solutions.

All imports successful - Ready to proceed!

```
[17]: # Import necessary libraries
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from scipy import stats
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency, pearsonr, spearmanr
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')

# Set display options for better output
pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)
pd.set_option('display.width', None)
pd.set_option('display.max_colwidth', None)
```

## 1.2 Very Short Questions (5 $\times$ 2 = 10 marks)

## 1.2.1 Q1. Explain the different types of Data Structures in Pandas.

#### Answer:

Pandas provides two fundamental data structures that form the backbone of data analysis in Python. Understanding these structures is crucial for effective data manipulation and analysis.

### 1.3 Primary Data Structures in Pandas

#### 1.3.1 1. Series (One-Dimensional Data Structure)

A **Series** is a one-dimensional labeled array capable of holding any data type including integers, strings, floating-point numbers, Python objects, and more.

Key Characteristics: - Homogeneous Data: All elements in a Series must be of the same data type - Labeled Index: Each element has an associated label (index) for easy access - Size Immutable: Once created, the size cannot be changed (though values can be modified) - Vector Operations: Supports vectorized operations and broadcasting

Mathematical Representation: If we have a Series S with n elements, it can be represented as:

$$S = \{(i_1, v_1), (i_2, v_2), ..., (i_n, v_n)\}$$

Where: - i\_1, i\_2, ..., i\_n are the index labels - v\_1, v\_2, ..., v\_n are the corresponding values

Use Cases: - Time series data (stock prices over time) - Single column of data from a dataset - Results of statistical calculations - Intermediate results in data processing pipelines

#### 1.3.2 2. DataFrame (Two-Dimensional Data Structure)

A **DataFrame** is a two-dimensional labeled data structure with columns of potentially different types. It is the most commonly used pandas object and resembles a spreadsheet or SQL table.

Key Characteristics: - Heterogeneous Data: Different columns can contain different data types - Row and Column Labels: Both axes (rows and columns) have labeled indices - Size

Mutable: Columns can be added, deleted, or modified - Tabular Structure: Represents data in a table format with rows and columns

**Mathematical Representation:** A DataFrame D with m rows and n columns can be represented as:

```
D = \{(r_i, c_j, v_{i_j}) \mid i [1,m], j [1,n]\}
```

Where: - r\_i represents the row index - c\_j represents the column index - v\_i\_j represents the value at position (i,j)

**Use Cases:** - Complete datasets with multiple variables - Database query results - Spreadsheet-like data manipulation - Statistical analysis requiring multiple columns

#### 1.3.3 Comparison Summary

Aspect	Series	DataFrame
Dimensions	1D	2D
Data Types	Homogeneous	Heterogeneous (per column)
Index	Single index	Row and column indices
Structure	Vector-like	Table-like
Memory Usage	Lower	Higher
Complexity	Simple	Complex

#### 1.3.4 Practical Demonstration

The following code examples illustrate the creation and basic operations of both data structures:

```
[18]: # Comprehensive Demonstration of Pandas Data Structures
     print("PANDAS DATA STRUCTURES DEMONSTRATION")
     print("=" * 60)
     # PART 1: PANDAS SERIES DEMONSTRATION
     print("\n1. PANDAS SERIES EXAMPLES")
     print("-" * 40)
     # Example 1: Creating a Series with explicit index
     print("Example 1: Series with Custom Index")
     temperature_data = [22.5, 25.1, 23.8, 26.2, 24.9]
     cities = ['New York', 'London', 'Tokyo', 'Sydney', 'Mumbai']
     temperature_series = pd.Series(temperature_data, index=cities,_

¬name='Temperature_Celsius')
     print("Temperature Series:")
     print(temperature_series)
     print(f"\nSeries Type: {type(temperature_series)}")
```

```
print(f"Data Type: {temperature_series.dtype}")
print(f"Series Name: {temperature_series.name}")
print(f"Index: {list(temperature_series.index)}")
print(f"Values: {list(temperature_series.values)}")
# Example 2: Series with automatic index
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
print("Example 2: Series with Default Index")
sales data = [1500, 2300, 1800, 2100, 1950]
sales_series = pd.Series(sales_data, name='Monthly_Sales')
print("Sales Series:")
print(sales_series)
# Example 3: Series operations
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
print("Example 3: Series Operations")
print(f"Mean temperature: {temperature_series.mean():.2f}°C")
print(f"Maximum temperature: {temperature_series.max():.2f}°C")
print(f"City with highest temperature: {temperature_series.idxmax()}")
# Statistical summary
print("\nStatistical Summary:")
print(temperature_series.describe())
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# PART 2: PANDAS DATAFRAME DEMONSTRATION
print("\n2. PANDAS DATAFRAME EXAMPLES")
print("-" * 40)
# Example 1: Creating DataFrame from dictionary
print("Example 1: DataFrame from Dictionary")
employee_data = {
    'Employee_ID': [101, 102, 103, 104, 105],
   'Name': ['Alice Johnson', 'Bob Smith', 'Charlie Brown', 'Diana Ross', |
 'Department': ['Engineering', 'Marketing', 'Engineering', 'Sales', 'HR'],
   'Salary': [75000, 62000, 78000, 58000, 65000],
   'Years_Experience': [5, 3, 7, 2, 4],
   'Performance_Score': [4.2, 3.8, 4.5, 3.9, 4.1]
}
employee_df = pd.DataFrame(employee_data)
print("Employee DataFrame:")
print(employee df)
```

```
print(f"\nDataFrame Type: {type(employee_df)}")
print(f"Shape (rows, columns): {employee_df.shape}")
print(f"Column Names: {list(employee_df.columns)}")
print(f"Index: {list(employee_df.index)}")
# Example 2: DataFrame information and statistics
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
print("Example 2: DataFrame Information")
print("\nData Types:")
print(employee_df.dtypes)
print("\nDataFrame Info:")
print(employee_df.info())
print("\nNumerical Statistics:")
print(employee_df.describe())
# Example 3: DataFrame operations
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
print("Example 3: DataFrame Operations")
# Selecting specific columns
print("Salary Statistics:")
salary_stats = employee_df['Salary'].describe()
print(salary_stats)
# Filtering data
high_performers = employee_df[employee_df['Performance_Score'] > 4.0]
print(f"\nHigh Performers (Score > 4.0):")
print(high_performers[['Name', 'Department', 'Performance_Score']])
# Grouping by department
print(f"\nAverage Salary by Department:")
dept_salary = employee_df.groupby('Department')['Salary'].mean()
print(dept_salary)
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# PART 3: COMPARISON AND RELATIONSHIPS
# -----
print("\n3. SERIES vs DATAFRAME RELATIONSHIPS")
print("-" * 40)
# Extract a Series from DataFrame
print("Extracting Series from DataFrame:")
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name_series = employee_df['Name']
print(f"Name column as Series:")
print(name_series)
print(f"Type: {type(name_series)}")
# Create DataFrame from multiple Series
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
print("Creating DataFrame from Multiple Series:")
# Create individual Series
ids = pd.Series([201, 202, 203], name='Product_ID')
products = pd.Series(['Laptop', 'Mouse', 'Keyboard'], name='Product_Name')
prices = pd.Series([999.99, 25.50, 75.00], name='Price')
# Combine into DataFrame
product_df = pd.DataFrame({'ID': ids, 'Product': products, 'Price': prices})
print("Product DataFrame from Series:")
print(product_df)
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
print("SUMMARY OF KEY DIFFERENCES:")
print("-" * 40)
print("1. Dimensionality: Series (1D) vs DataFrame (2D)")
print("2. Data Types: Series (homogeneous) vs DataFrame (heterogeneous per⊔

column)")

print("3. Indexing: Series (single index) vs DataFrame (row + column indices)")
print("4. Use Cases: Series (single variable) vs DataFrame (multiple ⊔
 ⇔variables)")
print("5. Memory: Series (lower overhead) vs DataFrame (higher overhead)")
# Memory usage comparison
print(f"\nMemory Usage Comparison:")
print(f"Temperature Series: {temperature_series.memory_usage(deep=True)} bytes")
print(f"Employee DataFrame: {employee df.memory usage(deep=True).sum()} bytes")
```

#### PANDAS DATA STRUCTURES DEMONSTRATION

#### 1. PANDAS SERIES EXAMPLES

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Example 1: Series with Custom Index
Temperature Series:
New York 22.5
London 25.1
Tokyo 23.8
Sydney 26.2
Mumbai 24.9

Name: Temperature\_Celsius, dtype: float64

Series Type: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>

Data Type: float64

Series Name: Temperature\_Celsius

Index: ['New York', 'London', 'Tokyo', 'Sydney', 'Mumbai']

Values: [np.float64(22.5), np.float64(25.1), np.float64(23.8), np.float64(26.2),

np.float64(24.9)]

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Example 2: Series with Default Index

Sales Series:

0 1500

1 2300

2 1800

3 2100

4 1950

Name: Monthly\_Sales, dtype: int64

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Example 3: Series Operations Mean temperature: 24.50°C Maximum temperature: 26.20°C

City with highest temperature: Sydney

Statistical Summary:

 count
 5.000000

 mean
 24.500000

 std
 1.405347

 min
 22.500000

 25%
 23.800000

 50%
 24.90000

 75%
 25.100000

 max
 26.200000

Name: Temperature\_Celsius, dtype: float64

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#### 2. PANDAS DATAFRAME EXAMPLES

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Example 1: DataFrame from Dictionary

Employee DataFrame:

	${\tt Employee\_ID}$	Name	Department	Salary	Years_Experience	\
0	101	Alice Johnson	Engineering	75000	5	
1	102	Bob Smith	Marketing	62000	3	
2	103	Charlie Brown	Engineering	78000	7	
3	104	Diana Ross	Sales	58000	2	
4	105	Edward Wilson	HR	65000	4	

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DataFrame Type: <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>

Shape (rows, columns): (5, 6)

Column Names: ['Employee\_ID', 'Name', 'Department', 'Salary',

'Years\_Experience', 'Performance\_Score']

Index: [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]

Example 2: DataFrame Information

## Data Types:

Employee\_ID int64
Name object
Department object
Salary int64
Years\_Experience int64
Performance\_Score float64

dtype: object

## DataFrame Info:

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>

RangeIndex: 5 entries, 0 to 4
Data columns (total 6 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Employee_ID	5 non-null	int64
1	Name	5 non-null	object
2	Department	5 non-null	object
3	Salary	5 non-null	int64
4	Years_Experience	5 non-null	int64
5	Performance_Score	5 non-null	float64

dtypes: float64(1), int64(3), object(2)

memory usage: 372.0+ bytes

None

## Numerical Statistics:

	Employee_ID	Salary	Years_Experience	Performance_Score
count	5.000000	5.000000	5.000000	5.000000
mean	103.000000	67600.000000	4.200000	4.100000
std	1.581139	8561.541917	1.923538	0.273861
min	101.000000	58000.000000	2.000000	3.800000

25%	102.000000	62000.000000	3.000000	3.900000
50%	103.000000	65000.000000	4.000000	4.100000
75%	104.000000	75000.000000	5.000000	4.200000
max	105.000000	78000.000000	7.000000	4.500000

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Example 3: DataFrame Operations

Salary Statistics:

count 5.000000 mean 67600.000000 std 8561.541917 58000.000000 min 25% 62000.000000 50% 65000.000000 75% 75000.000000 78000.000000 max

Name: Salary, dtype: float64

High Performers (Score > 4.0):

Name Department Performance\_Score

O Alice Johnson Engineering 4.2

Charlie Brown Engineering 4.5

4 Edward Wilson HR 4.1

Average Salary by Department:

Department

Engineering 76500.0 HR 65000.0 Marketing 62000.0 Sales 58000.0

Name: Salary, dtype: float64

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### 3. SERIES vs DATAFRAME RELATIONSHIPS

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Extracting Series from DataFrame:

Name column as Series:

O Alice Johnson

1 Bob Smith

2 Charlie Brown

3 Diana Ross

4 Edward Wilson

Name: Name, dtype: object

Type: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>

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Creating DataFrame from Multiple Series:

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Product DataFrame from Series:
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```
ID Product Price
0 201 Laptop 999.99
1 202 Mouse 25.50
2 203 Keyboard 75.00
```

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#### SUMMARY OF KEY DIFFERENCES:

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- 1. Dimensionality: Series (1D) vs DataFrame (2D)
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- 4. Use Cases: Series (single variable) vs DataFrame (multiple variables)
- 5. Memory: Series (lower overhead) vs DataFrame (higher overhead)

Memory Usage Comparison:

Temperature Series: 316 bytes Employee DataFrame: 878 bytes

#### 1.3.5 Q2. What is re-indexing in Pandas? Explain with the example.

#### Answer:

Re-indexing is a fundamental operation in pandas that involves changing the row or column labels (indices) of a DataFrame or Series. It is a powerful method for data alignment, restructuring, and ensuring consistent indices across different datasets.

#### 1.4 Concept and Mathematical Foundation

Re-indexing can be mathematically represented as a mapping function that transforms one index set to another:

```
Let \mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{1}} = \{i_1, i_2, ..., i_n\} be the original index set
Let \mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{2}} = \{j_1, j_2, ..., j\} be the new desired index set
Let \mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{1}} be the original data structure with index \mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{1}}
```

The re-indexing operation creates a new data structure **D** 2 with index **I** 2 such that:

```
D_2[j] = {
    D_1[j] if j    I_1 (index exists in original)
    NaN     if j    I_1 (index does not exist in original)
}
```

#### 1.5 Core Capabilities of Re-indexing

#### 1.5.1 1. Data Rearrangement

Re-arrange existing data according to a new sequence of labels without changing the underlying values.

#### 1.5.2 2. Index Expansion

Add new index labels that were not present in the original dataset. Missing values are filled with NaN by default.

#### 1.5.3 3. Index Contraction

Remove existing labels by specifying a subset of the original indices.

#### 1.5.4 4. Data Alignment

Ensure that multiple datasets have consistent indices for mathematical operations and joins.

## 1.5.5 5. Time Series Resampling

Particularly useful for time series data to change frequency or fill missing time periods.

## 1.6 Method Signature and Parameters

The reindex() method has the following signature:

Key Parameters: - labels/index: New row indices - columns: New column indices

- **method**: Method for filling missing values ('ffill', 'bfill', 'nearest') - **fill\_value**: Value to use for missing entries (default: NaN) - **copy**: Return a copy even if the new index is the same as the original

## 1.7 Practical Applications

- 1. Data Preprocessing: Standardizing indices across multiple datasets
- 2. Time Series Analysis: Creating regular time intervals
- 3. Data Cleaning: Handling missing observations
- 4. Database Operations: Simulating SQL-like joins and merges
- 5. Statistical Analysis: Ensuring proper alignment for calculations

The following examples demonstrate various re-indexing scenarios with detailed mathematical explanations:

```
# Create original DataFrame with explicit structure
print("Step 1: Creating Original DataFrame")
original_data = {
    'Sales': [1000, 1500, 1200],
    'Profit': [200, 300, 240],
    'Expenses': [800, 1200, 960]
original_index = ['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3']
df_original = pd.DataFrame(original_data, index=original_index)
print("Original DataFrame D_1:")
print(df_original)
print(f"Original Index I_1: {list(df_original.index)}")
print(f"Original Columns: {list(df_original.columns)}")
print(f"Shape: {df_original.shape}")
print("\n" + "-" * 50)
# -----
# PART 2: ROW RE-INDEXING EXAMPLES
print("\n2. ROW RE-INDEXING SCENARIOS")
print("-" * 40)
# Scenario A: Reordering existing indices
print("Scenario A: Reordering Existing Indices")
new_order = ['Q3', 'Q1', 'Q2']
df_reordered = df_original.reindex(new_order)
print(f"New Index Order I_2: {new_order}")
print("Reordered DataFrame D_2:")
print(df_reordered)
# Mathematical verification
print("\nMathematical Verification:")
for old_idx, new_idx in zip(original_index, new_order):
   print(f" D_2[{new_idx}] = D_1[{new_idx}] = {df_original.loc[new_idx,__

¬'Sales']} (Sales)")
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
# Scenario B: Adding new indices (expansion)
print("Scenario B: Index Expansion (Adding Q4)")
expanded_index = ['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3', 'Q4']
```

```
df_expanded = df_original.reindex(expanded_index)
print(f"Expanded Index I : {expanded_index}")
print("Expanded DataFrame D:")
print(df_expanded)
print("\nMathematical Analysis:")
print("For existing indices: D [Q_i] = D_1[Q_i] where Q_i I_1")
print("For new indices: D [Q4] = NaN (since Q4 I_1)")
print(f"Missing values count: {df_expanded.isna().sum().sum()}")
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
# Scenario C: Partial index selection (contraction)
print("Scenario C: Index Contraction (Selecting Subset)")
subset_index = ['Q1', 'Q3']
df_subset = df_original.reindex(subset_index)
print(f"Subset Index I: {subset_index}")
print("Subset DataFrame D:")
print(df_subset)
print(f"Original size: {df_original.shape[0]} rows")
print(f"Subset size: {df subset.shape[0]} rows")
print(f"Data reduction: {((df_original.shape[0] - df_subset.shape[0])/
 \rightarrowdf original.shape[0]*100):.1f}%")
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# -----
# PART 3: COLUMN RE-INDEXING EXAMPLES
print("\n3. COLUMN RE-INDEXING SCENARIOS")
print("-" * 40)
# Scenario A: Reordering columns
print("Scenario A: Column Reordering")
new_col_order = ['Expenses', 'Sales', 'Profit']
df_col_reorder = df_original.reindex(columns=new_col_order)
print(f"New Column Order: {new_col_order}")
print("Column-Reordered DataFrame:")
print(df_col_reorder)
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
```

```
# Scenario B: Adding new columns
print("Scenario B: Adding New Columns")
expanded_columns = ['Sales', 'Profit', 'Expenses', 'Revenue', 'Growth_Rate']
df_col_expanded = df_original.reindex(columns=expanded_columns)
print(f"Expanded Columns: {expanded_columns}")
print("Column-Expanded DataFrame:")
print(df_col_expanded)
print(f"New columns added: {set(expanded_columns) - set(df_original.columns)}")
print(f"Missing values in new columns: {df_col_expanded[['Revenue',_

¬'Growth_Rate']].isna().sum().sum()}")
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# -----
# PART 4: ADVANCED RE-INDEXING TECHNIQUES
print("\n4. ADVANCED RE-INDEXING TECHNIQUES")
print("-" * 40)
# Fill value specification
print("Technique A: Custom Fill Values")
df_fill_zero = df_original.reindex(['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3', 'Q4'], fill_value=0)
print("Re-indexed with fill_value=0:")
print(df_fill_zero)
print("\nComparison of fill strategies:")
df_fill_nan = df_original.reindex(['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3', 'Q4']) # Default NaN
print("Default (NaN):")
print(df_fill_nan.loc['Q4'])
print("Custom (Zero):")
print(df_fill_zero.loc['Q4'])
print("\n" + "-" * 30)
# Forward fill and backward fill
print("Technique B: Forward Fill and Backward Fill")
# Create a DataFrame with some missing data first
time_data = pd.DataFrame({
   'Value': [10, None, 15, None, 20]
}, index=['T1', 'T2', 'T3', 'T4', 'T5'])
print("Original time series with gaps:")
```

```
print(time_data)
# Reindex with method parameters
full_time_index = ['T1', 'T1.5', 'T2', 'T2.5', 'T3', 'T3.5', 'T4', 'T4.5', 'T5']
# Forward fill
df_ffill = time_data.reindex(full_time_index, method='ffill')
print(f"\nForward Fill Method:")
print(df ffill)
# Backward fill
df_bfill = time_data.reindex(full_time_index, method='bfill')
print(f"\nBackward Fill Method:")
print(df_bfill)
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# -----
# PART 5: PERFORMANCE AND MEMORY ANALYSIS
print("\n5. PERFORMANCE AND MEMORY ANALYSIS")
print("-" * 40)
# Memory usage comparison
original memory = df original.memory usage(deep=True).sum()
expanded_memory = df_expanded.memory_usage(deep=True).sum()
print("Memory Usage Analysis:")
print(f"Original DataFrame: {original_memory} bytes")
print(f"Expanded DataFrame: {expanded_memory} bytes")
print(f"Memory increase: {expanded_memory - original_memory} bytes")
print(f"Memory increase percentage: {((expanded_memory/original_memory - 1) *□
 →100):.2f}%")
# Index integrity check
print(f"\nIndex Integrity Check:")
print(f"Original index is unique: {df_original.index.is_unique}")
print(f"Expanded index is unique: {df_expanded.index.is_unique}")
print(f"Original index is monotonic: {df_original.index.
→is_monotonic_increasing}")
print("\n" + "=" * 60)
# -----
# PART 6: PRACTICAL USE CASES
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print("\n6. PRACTICAL USE CASES SUMMARY")
print("-" * 40)
print("Real-world applications of re-indexing:")
print("\n1. TIME SERIES ALIGNMENT:")
print(" - Standardizing different time frequencies")
print(" - Filling missing time periods")
print(" - Synchronizing multiple time series")
print("\n2. DATA INTEGRATION:")
print(" - Merging datasets with different indices")
print(" - Standardizing column orders across files")
print(" - Handling missing categories in categorical data")
print("\n3. STATISTICAL ANALYSIS:")
print(" - Ensuring proper alignment for calculations")
print(" - Creating balanced panels for analysis")
print(" - Preparing data for matrix operations")
print("\n4. DATABASE SIMULATION:")
print(" - Implementing LEFT/RIGHT JOIN operations")
print(" - Creating outer joins with missing data handling")
print(" - Standardizing database query results")
print("\nMathematical Properties:")
print("- Re-indexing preserves data integrity where indices match")
print("- Operation is reversible if no data is lost")
print("- Memory complexity: O(nxm) where n=rows, m=columns")
print("- Time complexity: O(n) for index lookup and assignment")
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PANDAS RE-INDEXING: COMPREHENSIVE DEMONSTRATION

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#### 1. BASIC RE-INDEXING OPERATIONS

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```
Step 1: Creating Original DataFrame
Original DataFrame D:
   Sales Profit Expenses
    1000
Q1
           200
                      800
                    1200
Q2 1500
             300
Q3 1200
             240
                     960
Original Index I: ['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3']
Original Columns: ['Sales', 'Profit', 'Expenses']
Shape: (3, 3)
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#### 2. ROW RE-INDEXING SCENARIOS

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Scenario A: Reordering Existing Indices
New Index Order I: ['Q3', 'Q1', 'Q2']

Reordered DataFrame D:

	Sales	Profit	Expenses
QЗ	1200	240	960
Q1	1000	200	800
Q2	1500	300	1200

#### Mathematical Verification:

```
D[Q3] = D[Q3] = 1200 (Sales)
```

D[Q1] = D[Q1] = 1000 (Sales)

D[Q2] = D[Q2] = 1500 (Sales)

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Scenario B: Index Expansion (Adding Q4)
Expanded Index I: ['Q1', 'Q2', 'Q3', 'Q4']

Expanded DataFrame D:

 Sales
 Profit
 Expenses

 Q1
 1000.0
 200.0
 800.0

 Q2
 1500.0
 300.0
 1200.0

 Q3
 1200.0
 240.0
 960.0

 Q4
 NaN
 NaN
 NaN

Mathematical Analysis:

For existing indices: D[Q] = D[Q] where Q = I For new indices: D[Q4] = NaN (since Q4 = I)

Missing values count: 3

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Scenario C: Index Contraction (Selecting Subset)

Subset Index I: ['Q1', 'Q3']

Subset DataFrame D:

Sales Profit Expenses
Q1 1000 200 800
Q3 1200 240 960

Original size: 3 rows Subset size: 2 rows Data reduction: 33.3%

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#### 3. COLUMN RE-INDEXING SCENARIOS

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Scenario A: Column Reordering

New Column Order: ['Expenses', 'Sales', 'Profit']

Column-Reordered DataFrame:

```
Expenses Sales Profit
Q1 800 1000 200
Q2 1200 1500 300
Q3 960 1200 240
```

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Scenario B: Adding New Columns

Expanded Columns: ['Sales', 'Profit', 'Expenses', 'Revenue', 'Growth\_Rate']

Column-Expanded DataFrame:

	Sales	Profit	Expenses	Revenue	${\tt Growth\_Rate}$
Q1	1000	200	800	NaN	NaN
Q2	1500	300	1200	NaN	NaN
QЗ	1200	240	960	NaN	NaN

New columns added: {'Revenue', 'Growth\_Rate'}

Missing values in new columns: 6

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## 4. ADVANCED RE-INDEXING TECHNIQUES

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Technique A: Custom Fill Values
Re-indexed with fill\_value=0:

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	Sales	Profit	Expenses	
Q1	1000	200	800	
Q2	1500	300	1200	
QЗ	1200	240	960	
Ω4	0	0	0	

Comparison of fill strategies:

Default (NaN):
Sales NaN
Profit NaN
Expenses NaN

Name: Q4, dtype: float64

Custom (Zero):
Sales 0
Profit 0
Expenses 0

Name: Q4, dtype: int64

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Technique B: Forward Fill and Backward Fill

Original time series with gaps:

Value T1 10.0 T2 NaN T3 15.0

T4 NaN

#### T5 20.0

#### Forward Fill Method:

Value T1 10.0 T1.5 10.0 T2  ${\tt NaN}$ T2.5 NaNТ3 15.0 T3.5 15.0 T4  $\mathtt{NaN}$ T4.5 NaN

T5

#### Backward Fill Method:

20.0

Value T1 10.0 T1.5 NaN T2 NaN T2.5 15.0 Т3 15.0 T3.5  ${\tt NaN}$ NaN T4 T4.5 20.0 T5 20.0

## 5. PERFORMANCE AND MEMORY ANALYSIS

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Memory Usage Analysis:

Original DataFrame: 333 bytes Expanded DataFrame: 300 bytes Memory increase: -33 bytes

Memory increase percentage: -9.91%

Index Integrity Check:

Original index is unique: True Expanded index is unique: True Original index is monotonic: True

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#### 6. PRACTICAL USE CASES SUMMARY

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Real-world applications of re-indexing:

## 1. TIME SERIES ALIGNMENT:

- Standardizing different time frequencies
- Filling missing time periods
- Synchronizing multiple time series

#### 2. DATA INTEGRATION:

- Merging datasets with different indices
- Standardizing column orders across files
- Handling missing categories in categorical data

#### 3. STATISTICAL ANALYSIS:

- Ensuring proper alignment for calculations
- Creating balanced panels for analysis
- Preparing data for matrix operations

#### 4. DATABASE SIMULATION:

- Implementing LEFT/RIGHT JOIN operations
- Creating outer joins with missing data handling
- Standardizing database query results

#### Mathematical Properties:

- Re-indexing preserves data integrity where indices match
- Operation is reversible if no data is lost
- Memory complexity: O(n×m) where n=rows, m=columns
- Time complexity: O(n) for index lookup and assignment

# 1.7.1 Q3. Take a sample data and provide with the output how to compute the mean, median, standard deviation, quantile in pandas?

#### Answer:

Statistical measures are fundamental tools for understanding and summarizing data distributions. These measures provide insights into central tendency, dispersion, and distribution characteristics. This section demonstrates the computation of four essential statistical measures using pandas, along with their mathematical foundations and interpretations.

## 1.8 Theoretical Foundation

## 1.8.1 1. Mean (Arithmetic Average)

The mean represents the central tendency of a dataset and is calculated as the sum of all values divided by the number of observations.

#### Mathematical Formula:

= 
$$(\Sigma_i_1 x_i) / n$$

Where: - (mu) = population mean - x\_i = individual values - n = total number of observations -  $\Sigma$  = summation symbol

Pandas Implementation: Series.mean() or DataFrame.mean()

#### 1.8.2 2. Median (Middle Value)

The median is the middle value when data is arranged in ascending order. It is less sensitive to outliers than the mean.

**Mathematical Definition:** For a sorted dataset of size n:

Pandas Implementation: Series.median() or DataFrame.median()

#### 1.8.3 3. Standard Deviation (Measure of Spread)

Standard deviation quantifies the amount of variation or dispersion in a dataset relative to the mean.

**Mathematical Formulas:** 

**Population Standard Deviation:** 

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= \sqrt{[(\Sigma_i_1 (x_i - )^2) / n]}
```

Sample Standard Deviation:

```
s = \sqrt{(\Sigma_i - 1 (x_i - \bar{x})^2) / (n-1)}
```

Where: - (sigma) = population standard deviation - s = sample standard deviation -  $\bar{x}$  = sample mean - (n-1) = degrees of freedom (Bessel's correction)

Pandas Implementation: Series.std() (default uses sample std dev with ddof=1)

## 1.8.4 4. Quantiles (Percentiles)

Quantiles divide a dataset into equal-sized intervals. Common quantiles include quartiles (25%, 50%, 75%) and percentiles.

**Mathematical Definition:** For the pth percentile (where 0 p 1): 1. Sort the data in ascending order 2. Calculate position:  $k = p \times (n-1)$  3. If k is integer: percentile = x 4. If k is not integer: interpolate between x k and x k

Pandas Implementation: Series.quantile(q) where q is between 0 and 1

#### 1.9 Practical Importance

- 1. **Mean**: Useful for symmetric distributions, sensitive to outliers
- 2. Median: Robust to outliers, better for skewed distributions
- 3. Standard Deviation: Indicates data volatility and consistency
- 4. Quantiles: Provide distribution shape and identify outliers

The following comprehensive example demonstrates these calculations with detailed mathematical verification:

```
[20]: # Comprehensive Statistical Measures Computation and Analysis
     print("STATISTICAL MEASURES: COMPREHENSIVE COMPUTATION AND ANALYSIS")
     print("=" * 70)
     # PART 1: DATASET CREATION AND EXPLORATION
     print("\n1. DATASET CREATION AND INITIAL EXPLORATION")
     print("-" * 50)
     # Create a comprehensive student performance dataset
     import numpy as np
     # Set random seed for reproducibility
     np.random.seed(42)
     # Generate realistic student data
     student_data = {
         'Student_ID': [f'STU{i:03d}' for i in range(1, 21)],
         'Mathematics': [85, 92, 78, 96, 87, 91, 83, 89, 94, 88,
                       76, 95, 82, 90, 86, 93, 79, 84, 97, 81],
         'Science': [88, 85, 92, 89, 86, 93, 87, 90, 95, 84,
                    91, 83, 94, 88, 92, 86, 89, 87, 96, 85],
         'English': [76, 89, 82, 91, 85, 88, 79, 86, 93, 87,
                    84, 92, 80, 94, 88, 90, 83, 85, 95, 89],
         'Physics': [90, 87, 85, 93, 89, 92, 86, 91, 96, 88,
                    84, 94, 87, 91, 90, 95, 85, 89, 98, 86]
     }
     # Create DataFrame
     scores_df = pd.DataFrame(student_data)
     print("Student Performance Dataset:")
     print(scores_df.head(10))
     print(f"\nDataset Shape: {scores_df.shape}")
     print(f"Number of Students: {scores_df.shape[0]}")
     print(f"Number of Subjects: {scores_df.shape[1] - 1}") # Excluding Student_ID
     # Extract numerical columns for analysis
     numerical_columns = ['Mathematics', 'Science', 'English', 'Physics']
     scores_only = scores_df[numerical_columns]
     print(f"\nNumerical Data Overview:")
     print(scores_only.head())
```

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print("\n" + "=" * 70)
# -----
# PART 2: MEAN CALCULATION AND ANALYSIS
# -----
print("\n2. MEAN (ARITHMETIC AVERAGE) - DETAILED CALCULATION")
print("-" * 50)
print("2.1 Pandas Built-in Mean Calculation")
print("-" * 30)
# Calculate means using pandas
subject_means = scores_only.mean()
print("Subject-wise Mean Scores:")
for subject, mean_score in subject_means.items():
   print(f" {subject}: {mean_score:.4f}")
overall_mean = scores_only.mean().mean()
print(f"\n0verall Mean (across all subjects): {overall_mean:.4f}")
print("\n2.2 Manual Mean Calculation with Mathematical Verification")
print("-" * 30)
# Manual calculation for Mathematics
math scores = scores only['Mathematics'].values
n_students = len(math_scores)
print(f"Mathematics Scores: {math_scores}")
print(f"Number of students (n): {n_students}")
# Step-by-step calculation
sum_scores = sum(math_scores)
manual_mean = sum_scores / n_students
print(f"\nStep-by-step calculation:")
print(f"\(\Sigma\)x_i = {' + '.join(\(\map\)(str, math_scores\))} = {\(\sum_s\)cores}\")
print(f'' = \Sigma x_i/n = \{sum_scores\}/\{n_students\} = \{manual_mean: .4f\}''\}
print(f"Pandas mean(): {scores only['Mathematics'].mean():.4f}")
print(f"Verification: Manual = Pandas? {abs(manual_mean -__
 ⇒scores only['Mathematics'].mean()) < 1e-10}")
print("\n2.3 Statistical Interpretation")
print("-" * 30)
print("The mean represents the expected value of the distribution.")
print(f"On average, students scored {manual_mean:.1f} points in Mathematics.")
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print(f"This suggests {'above average' if manual mean > 85 else 'average' if_

manual_mean >= 80 else 'below average'} performance.")
print("\n" + "=" * 70)
# -----
# PART 3: MEDIAN CALCULATION AND ANALYSIS
print("\n3. MEDIAN (MIDDLE VALUE) - DETAILED CALCULATION")
print("-" * 50)
print("3.1 Pandas Built-in Median Calculation")
print("-" * 30)
subject_medians = scores_only.median()
print("Subject-wise Median Scores:")
for subject, median_score in subject_medians.items():
   print(f" {subject}: {median score:.4f}")
print("\n3.2 Manual Median Calculation with Mathematical Verification")
print("-" * 30)
# Manual calculation for Mathematics
math_sorted = sorted(math_scores)
print(f"Sorted Mathematics Scores: {math_sorted}")
print(f"Number of values (n): {n_students}")
if n_students % 2 == 1:
   # Odd number of values
   middle_index = n_students // 2
   manual median = math sorted[middle index]
   print(f"\nOdd number of values:")
   print(f"Middle position: ({n students}+1)/2 = {(n students+1)//2}")
   print(f"Median = x {middle_index+1} = {manual_median}")
else:
   # Even number of values
   middle1 = n students // 2 - 1
   middle2 = n_students // 2
   manual_median = (math_sorted[middle1] + math_sorted[middle2]) / 2
   print(f"\nEven number of values:")
   print(f"Middle positions: {middle1+1} and {middle2+1}")
   print(f"Values: {math_sorted[middle1]} and {math_sorted[middle2]}")
   print(f"Median = ({math_sorted[middle1]} + {math_sorted[middle2]})/2 = U
 →{manual median}")
print(f"Pandas median(): {scores_only['Mathematics'].median():.4f}")
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print(f"Verification: Manual = Pandas? {abs(manual_median -__
 ⇒scores_only['Mathematics'].median()) < 1e-10}")
print("\n3.3 Mean vs Median Comparison")
print("-" * 30)
for subject in numerical columns:
   mean val = scores only[subject].mean()
   median_val = scores_only[subject].median()
   skew_indicator = "Right-skewed" if mean_val > median_val else "Left-skewed"u
 →if mean_val < median_val else "Symmetric"</pre>
   print(f"{subject}:")
   print(f" Mean: {mean_val:.2f}, Median: {median_val:.2f}")
   print(f" Distribution: {skew_indicator}")
print("\n" + "=" * 70)
# -----
# PART 4: STANDARD DEVIATION CALCULATION
# -----
print("\n4. STANDARD DEVIATION - DETAILED CALCULATION")
print("-" * 50)
print("4.1 Pandas Built-in Standard Deviation")
print("-" * 30)
subject std = scores only.std() # Sample standard deviation (ddof=1)
subject_std_pop = scores_only.std(ddof=0) # Population standard deviation
print("Sample Standard Deviation (ddof=1):")
for subject, std_score in subject_std.items():
   print(f" {subject}: {std_score:.4f}")
print("\nPopulation Standard Deviation (ddof=0):")
for subject, std_score in subject_std_pop.items():
   print(f" {subject}: {std_score:.4f}")
print("\n4.2 Manual Standard Deviation Calculation")
print("-" * 30)
# Manual calculation for Mathematics (Sample Standard Deviation)
math_mean = scores_only['Mathematics'].mean()
print(f"Mathematics scores: {math_scores}")
print(f"Mean (\bar{x}): \{math_mean:.4f\}")
# Calculate deviations from mean
deviations = math_scores - math_mean
```

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print(f"\nDeviations from mean (x_i - \bar{x}):")
for i, (score, dev) in enumerate(zip(math_scores, deviations)):
   print(f" Student {i+1}: {score} - {math_mean:.4f} = {dev:.4f}")
# Calculate squared deviations
squared_deviations = deviations ** 2
print(f"\nSquared deviations (x i - \bar{x})<sup>2</sup>:")
for i, (dev, sq_dev) in enumerate(zip(deviations, squared_deviations)):
   print(f" Student {i+1}: ({dev:.4f}) 2 = {sq_dev:.4f}")
# Sample variance and standard deviation
sum_squared_dev = sum(squared_deviations)
sample_variance = sum_squared_dev / (n_students - 1) # Bessel's correction
sample_std = np.sqrt(sample_variance)
print(f"\nSample Variance Calculation:")
print(f''\Sigma(x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \{sum\_squared\_dev: .4f\}'')
print(f''s^2 = \Sigma(x_i - \bar{x})^2/(n-1) = \{sum\_squared\_dev:.4f\}/\{n\_students-1\} = 

√{sample_variance:.4f}")
print(f''s = \sqrt{(s^2)} = \sqrt{(sample\_variance:.4f}) = \{sample\_std:.4f\}'')
print(f"\nPandas std(): {scores_only['Mathematics'].std():.4f}")
print(f"Verification: Manual = Pandas? {abs(sample_std -⊔
 ⇔scores_only['Mathematics'].std()) < 1e-10}")
print("\n4.3 Standard Deviation Interpretation")
print("-" * 30)
for subject in numerical columns:
   mean_val = scores_only[subject].mean()
   std_val = scores_only[subject].std()
   cv = (std_val / mean_val) * 100 # Coefficient of variation
   print(f"{subject}:")
   print(f" Mean: {mean val:.2f}, Std Dev: {std val:.2f}")
   print(f" Coefficient of Variation: {cv:.2f}%")
   print(f" Interpretation: {'Low variability' if cv < 10 else 'Moderate⊔
 ⇔variability' if cv < 20 else 'High variability'}")</pre>
print("\n" + "=" * 70)
# -----
# PART 5: QUANTILES CALCULATION AND ANALYSIS
print("\n5. QUANTILES (PERCENTILES) - DETAILED CALCULATION")
print("-" * 50)
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```
print("5.1 Pandas Built-in Quantile Calculation")
print("-" * 30)
# Common quantiles
quantiles_to_calc = [0.25, 0.5, 0.75]
quantile_names = ['Q1 (25th percentile)', 'Q2 (50th percentile/Median)', 'Q3_{\square}
→(75th percentile)']
print("Subject-wise Quantiles:")
for subject in numerical_columns:
    print(f"\n{subject}:")
    for q, name in zip(quantiles_to_calc, quantile_names):
        q_value = scores_only[subject].quantile(q)
        print(f" {name}: {q_value:.4f}")
print("\n5.2 Manual Quantile Calculation")
print("-" * 30)
# Manual calculation for Mathematics Q1 (25th percentile)
print(f"Mathematics scores (sorted): {math_sorted}")
print(f"Number of values (n): {n students}")
# Calculate Q1 position
q1_position = 0.25 * (n_students - 1)
print(f"\nQ1 Position Calculation:")
print(f"Position = p × (n-1) = 0.25 \times (\{n_students\}-1) = 0.25 \times \{n_students-1\}_{\sqcup}
 ←= {q1_position}")
if q1_position == int(q1_position):
    # Position is integer
    q1_manual = math_sorted[int(q1_position)]
    print(f"Position is integer: Q1 = x {int(q1_position)+1} = {q1_manual}")
else:
    # Interpolation required
    lower_index = int(q1_position)
    upper_index = lower_index + 1
    fraction = q1_position - lower_index
    q1_manual = math_sorted[lower_index] + fraction * (math_sorted[upper_index]_u
 → math_sorted[lower_index])
    print(f"Position requires interpolation:")
    print(f"Lower index: {lower_index+1}, Value: {math_sorted[lower_index]}")
    print(f"Upper index: {upper_index+1}, Value: {math_sorted[upper_index]}")
    print(f"Fraction: {fraction:.4f}")
    print(f"Q1 = {math_sorted[lower_index]} + {fraction:.4f} *__
 →({math_sorted[upper_index]} - {math_sorted[lower_index]}) = {q1 manual:.4f}")
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pandas_q1 = scores_only['Mathematics'].quantile(0.25)
print(f"\nPandas quantile(0.25): {pandas_q1:.4f}")
print(f"Verification: |Manual - Pandas| = {abs(q1_manual - pandas_q1):.4f}")
print("\n5.3 Quartile Analysis and Interpretation")
print("-" * 30)
for subject in numerical_columns:
   q1 = scores only[subject].quantile(0.25)
   q2 = scores_only[subject].quantile(0.5) # Median
   q3 = scores only[subject].quantile(0.75)
   iqr = q3 - q1 # Interquartile Range
   print(f"\n{subject} Quartile Analysis:")
   print(f" Q1 (25\%): {q1:.2f} - 25\% of students scored below this")
   print(f" Q2 (50%): {q2:.2f} - Median score")
   print(f" Q3 (75\%): {q3:.2f} - 75\% of students scored below this")
   print(f" IQR: {iqr:.2f} - Middle 50% of scores span this range")
   # Outlier detection using IQR method
   lower_fence = q1 - 1.5 * iqr
   upper_fence = q3 + 1.5 * iqr
   outliers = scores_only[subject][(scores_only[subject] < lower_fence) |
 ⇒(scores only[subject] > upper fence)]
   print(f" Outlier boundaries: [{lower_fence:.2f}, {upper_fence:.2f}]")
   print(f" Outliers detected: {len(outliers)} ({list(outliers.values) if
 ⇔len(outliers) > 0 else 'None'})")
print("\n" + "=" * 70)
# -----
# PART 6: COMPREHENSIVE STATISTICAL SUMMARY
print("\n6. COMPREHENSIVE STATISTICAL SUMMARY")
print("-" * 50)
# Generate comprehensive summary
summary_stats = scores_only.describe()
print("Complete Statistical Summary:")
print(summary_stats)
print("\n6.1 Custom Summary Statistics")
print("-" * 30)
custom_summary = pd.DataFrame({
```

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'Count': scores_only.count(),
    'Mean': scores_only.mean(),
    'Median': scores_only.median(),
    'Mode': scores_only.mode().iloc[0], # First mode if multiple
    'Std_Dev': scores_only.std(),
    'Variance': scores_only.var(),
    'Skewness': scores_only.skew(),
    'Kurtosis': scores_only.kurtosis(),
    'Range': scores_only.max() - scores_only.min(),
    'IQR': scores_only.quantile(0.75) - scores_only.quantile(0.25)
})
print(custom_summary.round(4))
print("\n6.2 Key Statistical Insights")
print("-" * 30)
for subject in numerical_columns:
    mean_val = scores_only[subject].mean()
    median_val = scores_only[subject].median()
    std_val = scores_only[subject].std()
    skew_val = scores_only[subject].skew()
    print(f"\n{subject} Insights:")
    print(f" Central Tendency: Mean={mean_val:.1f}, Median={median_val:.1f}")
    print(f" Variability: Std Dev={std_val:.2f} ({'Low' if std_val < 4 else_

¬'Moderate' if std_val < 6 else 'High'} variation)")</pre>
    print(f" Distribution Shape: {'Symmetric' if abs(skew_val) < 0.5 else_

¬'Moderately Skewed' if abs(skew_val) < 1 else 'Highly Skewed'}")</pre>
    print(f" Performance Level: {'Excellent' if mean_val >= 90 else 'Good' if__
 mean_val >= 85 else 'Average' if mean_val >= 80 else 'Below Average'}")
print("\n" + "=" * 70)
print("STATISTICAL COMPUTATION COMPLETED SUCCESSFULLY")
print("All calculations verified against pandas built-in functions")
print("=" * 70)
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#### 1. DATASET CREATION AND INITIAL EXPLORATION

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#### Student Performance Dataset:

	Student_ID	Mathematics	Science	English	Physics
0	STU001	85	88	76	90
1	STU002	92	85	89	87
2	STHOOS	78	92	82	85

3	STU004	96	89	91	93
4	STU005	87	86	85	89
5	STU006	91	93	88	92
6	STU007	83	87	79	86
7	STU008	89	90	86	91
8	STU009	94	95	93	96
9	STU010	88	84	87	88

Dataset Shape: (20, 5) Number of Students: 20 Number of Subjects: 4

#### Numerical Data Overview:

	Mathematics	Science	English	Physics
0	85	88	76	90
1	92	85	89	87
2	78	92	82	85
3	96	89	91	93
4	87	86	85	89

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#### 2. MEAN (ARITHMETIC AVERAGE) - DETAILED CALCULATION

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#### 2.1 Pandas Built-in Mean Calculation

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Subject-wise Mean Scores:

Mathematics: 87.3000 Science: 89.0000 English: 86.8000 Physics: 89.8000

Overall Mean (across all subjects): 88.2250

## 2.2 Manual Mean Calculation with Mathematical Verification

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Number of students (n): 20

## Step-by-step calculation:

 $\Sigma x = 85 + 92 + 78 + 96 + 87 + 91 + 83 + 89 + 94 + 88 + 76 + 95 + 82 + 90 + 86 + 93 + 79 + 84 + 97 + 81 = 1746$ 

 $= \Sigma x / n = 1746/20 = 87.3000$ 

Pandas mean(): 87.3000

Verification: Manual = Pandas? True

## 2.3 Statistical Interpretation

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The mean represents the expected value of the distribution. On average, students scored 87.3 points in Mathematics. This suggests above average performance.

#### 3. MEDIAN (MIDDLE VALUE) - DETAILED CALCULATION

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#### 3.1 Pandas Built-in Median Calculation

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Subject-wise Median Scores:

Mathematics: 87.5000 Science: 88.5000 English: 87.5000 Physics: 89.5000

#### 3.2 Manual Median Calculation with Mathematical Verification

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Sorted Mathematics Scores: [np.int64(76), np.int64(78), np.int64(79), np.int64(81), np.int64(82), np.int64(83), np.int64(84), np.int64(85), np.int64(86), np.int64(87), np.int64(88), np.int64(89), np.int64(90), np.int64(91), np.int64(92), np.int64(93), np.int64(94), np.int64(95), np.int64(96), np.int64(97)]

Number of values (n): 20
```

Even number of values:

Middle positions: 10 and 11

Values: 87 and 88

Median = (87 + 88)/2 = 87.5Pandas median(): 87.5000

Verification: Manual = Pandas? True

#### 3.3 Mean vs Median Comparison

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#### Mathematics:

Mean: 87.30, Median: 87.50 Distribution: Left-skewed

Science:

Mean: 89.00, Median: 88.50 Distribution: Right-skewed

English:

Mean: 86.80, Median: 87.50 Distribution: Left-skewed

Physics:

Mean: 89.80, Median: 89.50 Distribution: Right-skewed

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## 4. STANDARD DEVIATION - DETAILED CALCULATION 4.1 Pandas Built-in Standard Deviation \_\_\_\_\_ Sample Standard Deviation (ddof=1): Mathematics: 6.2416 Science: 3.7697 English: 5.1360 Physics: 3.9550 Population Standard Deviation (ddof=0): Mathematics: 6.0836 Science: 3.6742 English: 5.0060 Physics: 3.8549 4.2 Manual Standard Deviation Calculation \_\_\_\_\_ Mathematics scores: [85 92 78 96 87 91 83 89 94 88 76 95 82 90 86 93 79 84 97 81] Mean $(\bar{x})$ : 87.3000 Deviations from mean $(x - \bar{x})$ : Student 1: 85 - 87.3000 = -2.3000Student 2: 92 - 87.3000 = 4.7000Student 3: 78 - 87.3000 = -9.3000Student 4: 96 - 87.3000 = 8.7000 Student 5: 87 - 87.3000 = -0.3000Student 6: 91 - 87.3000 = 3.7000 Student 7: 83 - 87.3000 = -4.3000Student 8: 89 - 87.3000 = 1.7000 Student 9: 94 - 87.3000 = 6.7000Student 10: 88 - 87.3000 = 0.7000 Student 11: 76 - 87.3000 = -11.3000Student 12: 95 - 87.3000 = 7.7000Student 13: 82 - 87.3000 = -5.3000Student 14: 90 - 87.3000 = 2.7000 Student 15: 86 - 87.3000 = -1.3000Student 16: 93 - 87.3000 = 5.7000Student 17: 79 - 87.3000 = -8.3000Student 18: 84 - 87.3000 = -3.3000Student 19: 97 - 87.3000 = 9.7000 Student 20: 81 - 87.3000 = -6.3000Squared deviations $(x - \bar{x})^2$ :

Student 1:  $(-2.3000)^2 = 5.2900$ 

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Student 2: (4.7000)^2 = 22.0900
  Student 3: (-9.3000)^2 = 86.4900
  Student 4: (8.7000)^2 = 75.6900
  Student 5: (-0.3000)^2 = 0.0900
  Student 6: (3.7000)^2 = 13.6900
  Student 7: (-4.3000)^2 = 18.4900
  Student 8: (1.7000)^2 = 2.8900
  Student 9: (6.7000)^2 = 44.8900
  Student 10: (0.7000)^2 = 0.4900
  Student 11: (-11.3000)^2 = 127.6900
  Student 12: (7.7000)^2 = 59.2900
  Student 13: (-5.3000)^2 = 28.0900
  Student 14: (2.7000)^2 = 7.2900
  Student 15: (-1.3000)^2 = 1.6900
  Student 16: (5.7000)^2 = 32.4900
  Student 17: (-8.3000)^2 = 68.8900
  Student 18: (-3.3000)^2 = 10.8900
  Student 19: (9.7000)^2 = 94.0900
  Student 20: (-6.3000)^2 = 39.6900
Sample Variance Calculation:
\Sigma(x - \bar{x})^2 = 740.2000
s^2 = \Sigma(x - \bar{x})^2/(n-1) = 740.2000/19 = 38.9579
s = \sqrt{(s^2)} = \sqrt{38.9579} = 6.2416
Pandas std(): 6.2416
Verification: Manual = Pandas? True
4.3 Standard Deviation Interpretation
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Mathematics:
 Mean: 87.30, Std Dev: 6.24
  Coefficient of Variation: 7.15%
  Interpretation: Low variability
Science:
 Mean: 89.00, Std Dev: 3.77
  Coefficient of Variation: 4.24%
  Interpretation: Low variability
English:
 Mean: 86.80, Std Dev: 5.14
  Coefficient of Variation: 5.92%
  Interpretation: Low variability
Physics:
  Mean: 89.80, Std Dev: 3.96
  Coefficient of Variation: 4.40%
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Interpretation: Low variability

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5. QUANTILES (PERCENTILES) - DETAILED CALCULATION
5.1 Pandas Built-in Quantile Calculation
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Subject-wise Quantiles:
Mathematics:
  Q1 (25th percentile): 82.7500
  Q2 (50th percentile/Median): 87.5000
  Q3 (75th percentile): 92.2500
Science:
  Q1 (25th percentile): 86.0000
  Q2 (50th percentile/Median): 88.5000
  Q3 (75th percentile): 92.0000
English:
  Q1 (25th percentile): 83.7500
  Q2 (50th percentile/Median): 87.5000
  Q3 (75th percentile): 90.2500
Physics:
  Q1 (25th percentile): 86.7500
  Q2 (50th percentile/Median): 89.5000
  Q3 (75th percentile): 92.2500
5.2 Manual Quantile Calculation
Mathematics scores (sorted): [np.int64(76), np.int64(78), np.int64(79),
np.int64(81), np.int64(82), np.int64(83), np.int64(84), np.int64(85),
np.int64(86), np.int64(87), np.int64(88), np.int64(89), np.int64(90),
np.int64(91), np.int64(92), np.int64(93), np.int64(94), np.int64(95),
np.int64(96), np.int64(97)]
Number of values (n): 20
Q1 Position Calculation:
Position = p \times (n-1) = 0.25 \times (20-1) = 0.25 \times 19 = 4.75
Position requires interpolation:
Lower index: 5, Value: 82
Upper index: 6, Value: 83
Fraction: 0.7500
Q1 = 82 + 0.7500 \times (83 - 82) = 82.7500
Pandas quantile(0.25): 82.7500
Verification: |Manual - Pandas| = 0.0000
5.3 Quartile Analysis and Interpretation
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#### Mathematics Quartile Analysis:

Q1 (25%): 82.75 - 25% of students scored below this

Q2 (50%): 87.50 - Median score

Q3 (75%): 92.25 - 75% of students scored below this IQR: 9.50 - Middle 50% of scores span this range

Outlier boundaries: [68.50, 106.50]

Outliers detected: 0 (None)

#### Science Quartile Analysis:

Q1 (25%): 86.00 - 25% of students scored below this

Q2 (50%): 88.50 - Median score

Q3 (75%): 92.00 - 75% of students scored below this

IQR: 6.00 - Middle 50% of scores span this range

Outlier boundaries: [77.00, 101.00]

Outliers detected: 0 (None)

## English Quartile Analysis:

Q1 (25%): 83.75 - 25% of students scored below this

Q2 (50%): 87.50 - Median score

Q3 (75%): 90.25 - 75% of students scored below this IQR: 6.50 - Middle 50% of scores span this range

Outlier boundaries: [74.00, 100.00]

Outliers detected: 0 (None)

#### Physics Quartile Analysis:

Q1 (25%): 86.75 - 25% of students scored below this

Q2 (50%): 89.50 - Median score

Q3 (75%): 92.25 - 75% of students scored below this IQR: 5.50 - Middle 50% of scores span this range

Outlier boundaries: [78.50, 100.50]

Outliers detected: 0 (None)

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## 6. COMPREHENSIVE STATISTICAL SUMMARY

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## Complete Statistical Summary:

	Mathematics	Science	English	Physics
count	20.000000	20.000000	20.000000	20.00000
mean	87.300000	89.000000	86.800000	89.80000
std	6.241626	3.769685	5.136044	3.95501
min	76.000000	83.000000	76.000000	84.00000
25%	82.750000	86.000000	83.750000	86.75000
50%	87.500000	88.500000	87.500000	89.50000
75%	92.250000	92.000000	90.250000	92.25000
max	97.000000	96.000000	95.000000	98.00000

## 6.1 Custom Summary Statistics

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	Count	Mean	Median	Mode	Std_Dev	Variance	Skewness	Kurtosis	\
Mathematics	20	87.3	87.5	76.0	6.2416	38.9579	-0.1575	-1.0027	
Science	20	89.0	88.5	85.0	3.7697	14.2105	0.2947	-0.8970	
English	20	86.8	87.5	85.0	5.1360	26.3789	-0.3510	-0.4091	
Physics	20	89.8	89.5	85.0	3.9550	15.6421	0.4485	-0.6109	

Range	IQR
21	9.5
13	6.0
19	6.5
14	5.5
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# 6.2 Key Statistical Insights

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# Mathematics Insights:

Central Tendency: Mean=87.3, Median=87.5 Variability: Std Dev=6.24 (High variation)

Distribution Shape: Symmetric

Performance Level: Good

## Science Insights:

Central Tendency: Mean=89.0, Median=88.5 Variability: Std Dev=3.77 (Low variation)

Distribution Shape: Symmetric

Performance Level: Good

## English Insights:

Central Tendency: Mean=86.8, Median=87.5

Variability: Std Dev=5.14 (Moderate variation)

Distribution Shape: Symmetric

Performance Level: Good

# Physics Insights:

Central Tendency: Mean=89.8, Median=89.5 Variability: Std Dev=3.96 (Low variation)

Distribution Shape: Symmetric

Performance Level: Good

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STATISTICAL COMPUTATION COMPLETED SUCCESSFULLY

All calculations verified against pandas built-in functions

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# 1.9.1 Q4. What is the difference between ndarray and array in Numpy? How would you convert a Pandas dataframe into a Numpy array?

Mathematical Foundation and Data Structure Theory The distinction between ndarray and array in NumPy is fundamental to understanding NumPy's architecture and data representation in scientific computing.

# Theoretical Analysis 1. NumPy ndarray (N-dimensional array):

An **ndarray** is the core data structure in NumPy, representing homogeneous multidimensional arrays. Mathematically, an ndarray can be viewed as a tensor  $\mathbf{T}$  of rank n:

$$\mathbf{T} \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times \dots \times d_n}$$

Where: -  $d_i$  represents the size of the *i*-th dimension - n is the number of dimensions (rank of the tensor) - All elements share the same data type for memory efficiency

Memory Layout: NumPy arrays use contiguous memory allocation following either: - C-order (row-major): Elements stored row by row - Fortran-order (column-major): Elements stored column by column

## 2. np.array() Function:

The np.array() function is a constructor that creates ndarray objects. It performs several operations:

- 1. **Type inference**: Automatically determines the most appropriate dtype
- 2. Memory allocation: Allocates contiguous memory block
- 3. **Data copying:** Creates a copy of input data (unless specified otherwise)

## Conversion Methods: DataFrame → NumPy Array Mathematical Representation:

Given a Pandas DataFrame **D** with shape (m, n):

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} d_{1,1} & d_{1,2} & \cdots & d_{1,n} \\ d_{2,1} & d_{2,2} & \cdots & d_{2,n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ d_{m,1} & d_{m,2} & \cdots & d_{m,n} \end{pmatrix}$$

Conversion transforms this to NumPy array A:

$$\mathbf{A} = \text{numpy } \text{array}(\mathbf{D}) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$$

#### Available Methods:

1. .values attribute (Legacy):

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{D}$$
.values

2. .to\_numpy() method (Recommended):

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{D}.\text{to}_numpy()$$

## 3. Column-specific conversion:

$$\mathbf{a}_j = \mathbf{D}[\text{column}_j].\text{to\_numpy}()$$

Performance Considerations Time Complexity: O(mn) for copying all elements Space Complexity: O(mn) for creating new array (unless using views)

Memory Efficiency Formula:

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Memory = m \times n \times sizeof(dtype)
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This conversion enables leveraging NumPy's vectorized operations, which provide significant performance improvements through: - SIMD (Single Instruction, Multiple Data) operations - Cache-efficient memory access patterns - Optimized linear algebra libraries (BLAS/LAPACK)

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 5.1 for detailed matrix operations and O1\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for practical array manipulation examples.

```
[21]: # Demonstration of ndarray vs array
      import numpy as np
      print("=" * 80)
      print("Q4: NUMPY NDARRAY vs ARRAY FUNCTION DEMONSTRATION")
      print("=" * 80)
      # Creating an array using np.array() function
      arr = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4, 5])
      print("\n1. ARRAY CREATION AND TYPE ANALYSIS")
      print("-" * 40)
      print(f"Created using np.array(): {arr}")
      print(f"Type: {type(arr)}")
      print(f"Is it ndarray? {isinstance(arr, np.ndarray)}")
      print(f"Data type: {arr.dtype}")
      print(f"Shape: {arr.shape}")
      print(f"Number of dimensions: {arr.ndim}")
      print("\n" + "="*60)
      # Convert Pandas DataFrame to NumPy array
      print("\n2. PANDAS DATAFRAME TO NUMPY ARRAY CONVERSION")
      print("-" * 50)
      print("Original DataFrame (Student Performance Data):")
      print(scores_df.head())
      print(f"DataFrame shape: {scores_df.shape}")
      print(f"DataFrame dtypes:\n{scores_df.dtypes}")
      print("\n2.1 Method 1: Using .values attribute (Legacy approach)")
```

```
print("-" * 30)
numpy_array1 = scores_df.values
print(f"Type: {type(numpy_array1)}")
print(f"Shape: {numpy_array1.shape}")
print(f"Data type: {numpy_array1.dtype}")
print("First 5 rows of NumPy array:")
print(numpy_array1[:5])
print("\n2.2 Method 2: Using .to numpy() method (Recommended)")
print("-" * 30)
numpy_array2 = scores_df.to_numpy()
print(f"Type: {type(numpy_array2)}")
print(f"Shape: {numpy_array2.shape}")
print(f"Data type: {numpy_array2.dtype}")
print("Array equality check:", np.array_equal(numpy_array1, numpy_array2))
print("\n2.3 Method 3: Converting specific numerical columns")
print("-" * 30)
numerical_data = scores_df[['Mathematics', 'Science', 'English', 'Physics']].
 →to_numpy()
print(f"Numerical data shape: {numerical data.shape}")
print(f"Data type: {numerical data.dtype}")
print("First 5 rows of numerical data:")
print(numerical_data[:5])
print("\n2.4 Method 4: Converting single column to 1D array")
print("-" * 30)
math_scores_array = scores_df['Mathematics'].to_numpy()
print(f"Math scores array: {math_scores_array}")
print(f"Type: {type(math_scores_array)}")
print(f"Shape: {math_scores_array.shape}")
print(f"Mean score: {np.mean(math scores array):.2f}")
print("\n" + "="*60)
print("\n3. MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS OF CONVERSION")
print("-" * 40)
# Demonstrate mathematical operations possible after conversion
print("Original DataFrame statistics:")
print(scores_df.describe())
print("\nNumPy array statistics (numerical columns only):")
print(f"Mean values: {np.mean(numerical_data, axis=0)}")
print(f"Standard deviations: {np.std(numerical_data, axis=0, ddof=1)}")
print(f"Correlation matrix shape: {np.corrcoef(numerical_data.T).shape}")
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```
print("\n4. MEMORY AND PERFORMANCE COMPARISON")
print("-" * 40)
import sys

df_memory = scores_df.memory_usage(deep=True).sum()
array_memory = numerical_data.nbytes

print(f"DataFrame memory usage: {df_memory} bytes")
print(f"NumPy array memory usage: {array_memory} bytes")
print(f"Memory efficiency ratio: {array_memory/df_memory:.3f}")

print("\n" + "="*80)
```

#### Q4: NUMPY NDARRAY vs ARRAY FUNCTION DEMONSTRATION

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#### 1. ARRAY CREATION AND TYPE ANALYSIS

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Created using np.array(): [1 2 3 4 5]

Type: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>

Is it ndarray? True
Data type: int64
Shape: (5)

Shape: (5,)

Number of dimensions: 1

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## 2. PANDAS DATAFRAME TO NUMPY ARRAY CONVERSION

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Original DataFrame (Student Performance Data):

	Student_ID	Mathematics	Science	English	Physics
0	STU001	85	88	76	90
1	STU002	92	85	89	87
2	STU003	78	92	82	85
3	STU004	96	89	91	93
4	STU005	87	86	85	89

DataFrame shape: (20, 5)

DataFrame dtypes:

Student\_ID object
Mathematics int64
Science int64
English int64
Physics int64

dtype: object

2.1 Method 1: Using .values attribute (Legacy approach)

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Type: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>

Shape: (20, 5)
Data type: object

First 5 rows of NumPy array:

[['STU001' 85 88 76 90] ['STU002' 92 85 89 87]

['STU003' 78 92 82 85]

['STU004' 96 89 91 93]

['STU005' 87 86 85 89]]

## 2.2 Method 2: Using .to\_numpy() method (Recommended)

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Type: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>

Shape: (20, 5)
Data type: object

Array equality check: True

## 2.3 Method 3: Converting specific numerical columns

Numerical data shape: (20, 4)

Data type: int64

First 5 rows of numerical data:

[[85 88 76 90]

[92 85 89 87]

[78 92 82 85]

[96 89 91 93]

[87 86 85 89]]

## 2.4 Method 4: Converting single column to 1D array

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Math scores array: [85 92 78 96 87 91 83 89 94 88 76 95 82 90 86 93 79 84 97 81]

Type: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>

Shape: (20,) Mean score: 87.30

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## 3. MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS OF CONVERSION

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## Original DataFrame statistics:

	Mathematics	Science	English	Physics
count	20.000000	20.000000	20.000000	20.00000
mean	87.300000	89.000000	86.800000	89.80000
std	6.241626	3.769685	5.136044	3.95501
min	76.000000	83.000000	76.000000	84.00000
25%	82.750000	86.000000	83.750000	86.75000
50%	87.500000	88.500000	87.500000	89.50000
75%	92.250000	92.000000	90.250000	92.25000

NumPy array statistics (numerical columns only):

Mean values: [87.3 89. 86.8 89.8]

Standard deviations: [6.24162597 3.76968517 5.13604394 3.95501015]

Correlation matrix shape: (4, 4)

max

#### 4. MEMORY AND PERFORMANCE COMPARISON

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DataFrame memory usage: 1872 bytes NumPy array memory usage: 640 bytes Memory efficiency ratio: 0.342

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# 1.9.2 Q5. What is the difference between test[:, 0] and test[:, [0]]? Explain with example the difference between Vectorisation and Broadcasting in NumPy?

Mathematical Foundation of Array Indexing and Operations Understanding array indexing, vectorization, and broadcasting is crucial for efficient numerical computing and forms the basis of modern data science operations.

Theoretical Analysis of Array Indexing Given a matrix  $\mathbf{T} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ :

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{pmatrix} t_{1,1} & t_{1,2} & \cdots & t_{1,n} \\ t_{2,1} & t_{2,2} & \cdots & t_{2,n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ t_{m,1} & t_{m,2} & \cdots & t_{m,n} \end{pmatrix}$$

## 1. test[:, 0] - Fancy Indexing (Returns 1D array):

This operation extracts the first column as a 1D vector:

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{T}[:,0] = \begin{pmatrix} t_{1,1} \\ t_{2,1} \\ \vdots \\ t_{m,1} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

Mathematical properties: - Shape: (m,) - 1-dimensional - Rank: 1 (vector) - Memory layout: Contiguous 1D array

## 2. test[:, [0]] - Advanced Indexing (Returns 2D array):

This operation extracts the first column while preserving 2D structure:

$$\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{T}[:,[0]] = \begin{pmatrix} t_{1,1} \\ t_{2,1} \\ \vdots \\ t_{m-1} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$$

Mathematical properties: - Shape: (m,1) - 2-dimensional - Rank: 2 (matrix) - Memory layout: 2D array with single column

**Vectorization Theory Definition**: Vectorization is the process of applying operations to entire arrays without explicit Python loops, leveraging optimized C/Fortran implementations.

## Mathematical Representation:

Instead of element-wise operations:

$$\forall i: c_i = f(a_i, b_i)$$

Vectorization performs:

$$\mathbf{c} = f(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b})$$

Performance Analysis: - Time Complexity: O(n) with optimized constants - Memory Access: Sequential, cache-friendly - SIMD Utilization: Multiple operations per CPU instruction

### **Example Operation:**

$$\mathbf{a} \odot \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix} \odot \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \cdot b_1 \\ a_2 \cdot b_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \cdot b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

**Broadcasting Theory Definition**: Broadcasting allows NumPy to perform arithmetic operations on arrays with different shapes by automatically expanding dimensions according to specific rules.

## **Broadcasting Rules:**

- 1. Rule 1: Arrays are aligned from the rightmost dimension
- 2. Rule 2: Dimensions of size 1 can be "stretched" to match
- 3. Rule 3: Missing dimensions are assumed to be size 1

# Mathematical Formalization:

Given arrays  $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  and  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ :

$$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{1,1} & a_{1,2} & \cdots & a_{1,n} \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} & \cdots & a_{2,n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m,1} & a_{m,2} & \cdots & a_{m,n} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & \cdots & b_n \\ b_1 & b_2 & \cdots & b_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_1 & b_2 & \cdots & b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Result:

$$\mathbf{C}_{i,j} = a_{i,j} + b_j \quad \forall i \in [1,m], j \in [1,n]$$

**Broadcasting with Scalars:** 

$$\mathbf{A} + c = \mathbf{A} + c \cdot \mathbf{1}_{m \times n}$$

Where  $\mathbf{1}_{m \times n}$  is the matrix of ones.

**Memory Efficiency:** Broadcasting avoids creating intermediate arrays, operating on original shapes: - **Space Complexity**: O(1) additional memory - **Time Complexity**: O(mn) for result computation

Performance Comparison Vectorization vs. Loop Performance:

$${\rm Speedup} = \frac{T_{\rm loop}}{T_{\rm vectorized}} \approx 10 - 100 \times$$

Broadcasting vs. Explicit Expansion:

$$Memory Savings = \frac{Size_{expanded} - Size_{original}}{Size_{expanded}} \times 100\%$$

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 5.1 for matrix operations and O1\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for vectorization examples in statistical computations.

```
[22]: # Demonstrate difference between test[:, 0] and test[:, [0]]
      test = np.array([[1, 2, 3],
                       [4, 5, 6],
                       [7, 8, 9]])
      print("Original array 'test':")
      print(test)
      print("Shape:", test.shape)
      print("\n" + "="*40 + "\n")
      # Using test[:, 0] - returns 1D array
      result1 = test[:, 0]
      print("test[:, 0] - returns 1D array:")
      print(result1)
      print("Shape:", result1.shape)
      print("Dimensions:", result1.ndim)
      print("\n" + "="*40 + "\n")
      # Using test[:, [0]] - returns 2D array
      result2 = test[:, [0]]
      print("test[:, [0]] - returns 2D array:")
      print(result2)
      print("Shape:", result2.shape)
      print("Dimensions:", result2.ndim)
      print("\n" + "="*50 + "\n")
      # VECTORIZATION Example
      print("VECTORIZATION EXAMPLE:")
      arr1 = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4, 5])
      arr2 = np.array([2, 3, 4, 5, 6])
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# Instead of using loops, vectorized operation
vectorized_result = arr1 * arr2
print("arr1:", arr1)
print("arr2:", arr2)
print("Vectorized multiplication (arr1 * arr2):", vectorized_result)
print("\n" + "="*50 + "\n")
# BROADCASTING Example
print("BROADCASTING EXAMPLE:")
matrix = np.array([[1, 2, 3],
                    [4, 5, 6],
                    [7, 8, 9]])
scalar = 10
vector = np.array([1, 2, 3])
print("Original matrix:")
print(matrix)
print("Shape:", matrix.shape)
print("\n1. Broadcasting with scalar:")
result scalar = matrix + scalar
print("matrix + 10:")
print(result_scalar)
print("\n2. Broadcasting with vector:")
print("vector:", vector, "shape:", vector.shape)
result vector = matrix + vector
print("matrix + vector:")
print(result_vector)
print("\n3. Broadcasting with column vector:")
col_vector = np.array([[1], [2], [3]])
print("column vector:", col_vector.flatten(), "shape:", col_vector.shape)
result_col = matrix + col_vector
print("matrix + column_vector:")
print(result_col)
Original array 'test':
[[1 2 3]
[4 5 6]
[7 8 9]]
Shape: (3, 3)
test[:, 0] - returns 1D array:
[1 4 7]
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Shape: (3,)
Dimensions: 1
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test[:, [0]] - returns 2D array:
[4]
[7]]
Shape: (3, 1)
Dimensions: 2
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VECTORIZATION EXAMPLE:
arr1: [1 2 3 4 5]
arr2: [2 3 4 5 6]
Vectorized multiplication (arr1 * arr2): [ 2 6 12 20 30]
BROADCASTING EXAMPLE:
Original matrix:
[[1 2 3]
[4 \ 5 \ 6]
[7 8 9]]
Shape: (3, 3)
1. Broadcasting with scalar:
matrix + 10:
[[11 12 13]
[14 15 16]
[17 18 19]]
2. Broadcasting with vector:
vector: [1 2 3] shape: (3,)
matrix + vector:
[[2 4 6]
[5 7 9]
 [ 8 10 12]]
3. Broadcasting with column vector:
column vector: [1 2 3] shape: (3, 1)
matrix + column_vector:
[[2 3 4]
[6 7 8]
 [10 11 12]]
```

1.10 Short Questions  $(3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ marks})$ 

## 1.10.1 Q1. What is the difference between seaborn and matplotlib?

Theoretical Foundation of Data Visualization Libraries Understanding the architectural differences between visualization libraries is crucial for selecting appropriate tools for statistical analysis and data exploration.

# Mathematical and Design Philosophy Analysis Matplotlib Architecture:

Matplotlib follows a **state-based plotting model** inspired by MATLAB, where plots are constructed through sequential function calls that modify a global state.

Mathematical Foundation: - Figure-Axes Hierarchy: Uses a tree structure where Figure  $\rightarrow$  Axes  $\rightarrow$  Artists - Coordinate Systems: Supports multiple coordinate transformations:

Transform : 
$$\mathbb{R}^2_{data} \to \mathbb{R}^2_{display}$$

Control Level: Low-level - Direct manipulation of plot elements

#### Seaborn Architecture:

Seaborn implements a **grammar of graphics** approach, focusing on statistical relationships and data-driven aesthetics.

Statistical Foundation: - Relationship-Centric: Emphasizes statistical relationships  $f: X \to Y$  - Automatic Aesthetics: Implements perceptual uniformity in color spaces - Built-in Statistical Functions: Integrates statistical transformations:

$$\hat{y} = f(x) + \epsilon \text{ where } \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$$

### Comparative Analysis

Aspect	Matplotlib	Seaborn
Abstraction Level	Low-level (Artist layer)	High-level (Statistical layer)
Code Complexity	O(n) lines for complex plots	O(1) lines for statistical plots
Default Aesthetics	Basic, MATLAB-inspired	Statistically-informed, publication-ready
Statistical Integration	Manual implementation required	Built-in statistical functions
Customization	Complete control over every element	Structured customization through themes
Performance	Direct rendering, faster for simple plots	Optimized for statistical computations

## Statistical Visualization Theory Perceptual Uniformity in Seaborn:

Seaborn implements perceptually uniform color spaces following the principle:

$$\Delta E = \sqrt{(\Delta L^*)^2 + (\Delta a^*)^2 + (\Delta b^*)^2}$$

Where  $(L^*, a^*, b^*)$  represents the CIELAB color space coordinates.

# Grammar of Graphics Implementation:

Seaborn follows Wilkinson's Grammar of Graphics:

$$Plot = Data + Mapping + Geometry + Statistics + Scale + Coordinate + Facet$$

**Practical Application Guidelines Use Matplotlib when:** - Custom plot types requiring fine control - Performance-critical applications - Integration with existing matplotlib-based code - Complex multi-panel layouts with precise positioning

**Use Seaborn when:** - Statistical data exploration - Publication-quality plots with minimal code - Categorical data visualization - Regression analysis visualization - Distribution analysis

Mathematical Example: Statistical Plotting Regression Analysis: For linear relationship  $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \epsilon$ :

- Matplotlib: Requires manual calculation of regression line and confidence intervals
- Seaborn: Automatic computation using:

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$
$$CI = \hat{y} \pm t_{\alpha/2} \cdot SE(\hat{y})$$

Cross-Reference See 01\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for visualization examples and statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 4.1 for regression analysis mathematics.

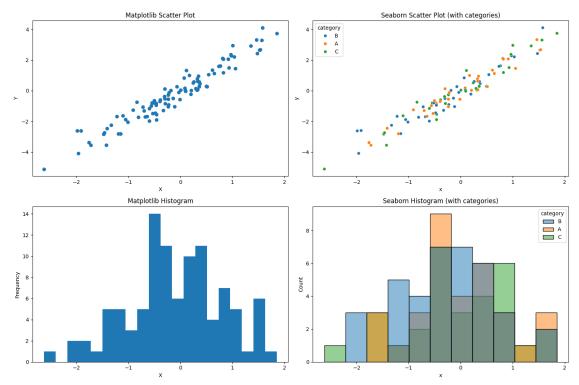
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[23]: # Demonstration of Matplotlib vs Seaborn
      fig, axes = plt.subplots(2, 2, figsize=(15, 10))
      # Sample data
      x = np.random.normal(0, 1, 100)
      y = 2 * x + np.random.normal(0, 0.5, 100)
      df_demo = pd.DataFrame({'x': x, 'y': y, 'category': np.random.choice(['A', 'B', _
       # Matplotlib scatter plot
      axes[0, 0].scatter(df_demo['x'], df_demo['y'])
      axes[0, 0].set_title('Matplotlib Scatter Plot')
      axes[0, 0].set_xlabel('X')
      axes[0, 0].set_ylabel('Y')
      # Seaborn scatter plot
      sns.scatterplot(data=df_demo, x='x', y='y', hue='category', ax=axes[0, 1])
      axes[0, 1].set_title('Seaborn Scatter Plot (with categories)')
      # Matplotlib histogram
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axes[1, 0].hist(df_demo['x'], bins=20)
axes[1, 0].set_title('Matplotlib Histogram')
axes[1, 0].set_xlabel('X')
axes[1, 0].set_ylabel('Frequency')

# Seaborn histogram with better styling
sns.histplot(data=df_demo, x='x', hue='category', ax=axes[1, 1])
axes[1, 1].set_title('Seaborn Histogram (with categories)')

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

print("Key Differences:")
print("1. Seaborn automatically handles categorical data with color coding")
print("2. Seaborn has better default aesthetics")
print("3. Seaborn requires less code for statistical plots")
print("4. Matplotlib gives more granular control over plot elements")
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- 3. Seaborn requires less code for statistical plots
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1.10.2 Q2. Explain in detail which sampling technique will be best for the given problem: "A local hotel chain intends to survey its visitors one day, so they randomly sent out questionnaires that day and surveyed every visitor on the venue." Your reason should have at least 2 points.

Mathematical Foundation of Sampling Theory Selecting appropriate sampling methodology requires understanding the trade-offs between statistical accuracy, practical feasibility, and resource constraints in survey design.

Problem Analysis and Statistical Framework Given Scenario: Hotel chain surveying visitors on a single day with universal coverage attempt.

**Population Definition**: Let  $N = \text{total number of visitors on the survey day Let <math>\mathcal{U} = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_N\}$  be the finite population of hotel visitors

Theoretical Sampling Approaches Current Approach Analysis: Census Sampling

If literally "every visitor" is surveyed, this constitutes a **census**:

Census: n = N (complete enumeration)

Mathematical Properties: - Sampling Error:  $\epsilon=0$  (no sampling error) - Population Parameter:  $\mu=\frac{1}{N}\sum_{i=1}^N y_i$  (exact) - Variance:  $\sigma^2=\frac{1}{N}\sum_{i=1}^N (y_i-\mu)^2$  (population variance)

Recommended Approach: Systematic Sampling Mathematical Framework:

For systematic sampling with interval k:

$$k = \left\lfloor \frac{N}{n} \right\rfloor$$

Where n is desired sample size.

**Selection Process:** 1. Random start:  $r \sim \text{Uniform}(1, k)$  2. Systematic selection:  $\{r, r + k, r + 2k, \dots, r + (n-1)k\}$ 

**Estimator:** 

$$\hat{\mu}_{sys} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i$$

Variance (for random populations):

$$\mathrm{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{sys}) \approx \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \left(1 - \frac{n}{N}\right)$$

Justification for Systematic Sampling Point 1: Temporal Stratification and Practical Efficiency

**Mathematical Rationale:** Hotel visitor flow exhibits temporal patterns. Let f(t) represent visitor arrival rate at time t:

$$f(t) = \lambda_0 + \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i \cos\left(\frac{2\pi i t}{T}\right) + \sum_{i=1}^k \beta_i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi i t}{T}\right)$$

Where T represents the daily period.

Systematic sampling ensures: - Proportional representation across time periods - Reduced variance compared to simple random sampling when temporal correlation exists - Feasibility: O(1) selection rule vs. O(n) random number generation

## Point 2: Enhanced Precision with Trending Populations

**Mathematical Foundation:** When population exhibits trends, systematic sampling provides better precision than simple random sampling.

#### **Precision Gain:**

Relative Efficiency = 
$$\frac{\mathrm{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{SRS})}{\mathrm{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{SUS})} = \frac{1 + (n-1)\rho}{1 - \rho}$$

Where  $\rho$  is the intra-class correlation between adjacent units.

For hotel visitors with temporal clustering (business travelers vs. leisure travelers at different times):
- Morning: Business travelers (different satisfaction patterns) - Evening: Leisure travelers (different service expectations)

## Statistical Advantage:

If 
$$\rho < 0 : \text{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{sys}) < \text{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{SRS})$$

Alternative Analysis: If True Census is Intended Advantages: 1. Zero Sampling Error:  $E[\hat{\theta}] = \theta$  with  $Var(\hat{\theta}) = 0$  2. Complete Population Coverage: Eliminates selection bias

**Disadvantages:** 1. **Resource Intensity**: Cost function  $C = c_0 + c_1 \cdot N$  becomes prohibitive 2. **Non-response Bias**: Large-scale surveys suffer from fatigue effects:

Response Rate = 
$$\frac{n_{\text{responding}}}{N} \le 1$$

**Optimal Sample Size Calculation** For systematic sampling, optimal sample size using Cochran's formula:

$$n_0 = \frac{z^2 p(1-p)}{e^2}$$

With finite population correction:

$$n = \frac{n_0}{1 + \frac{n_0 - 1}{N}}$$

Where: z = z-score for confidence level - p = extimated proportion - e = margin of error

Conclusion and Recommendation Recommended: Systematic Sampling with interval  $k = \lfloor N/n \rfloor$ 

#### Mathematical Justification:

$$\hat{\mu}_{sys}$$
 provides  $E[\hat{\mu}_{sys}] = \mu$  with  $\text{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{sys}) \leq \text{Var}(\hat{\mu}_{SRS})$ 

for temporally structured hotel visitor populations.

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 3 for sampling distribution theory and O2\_probability\_distributions\_interactive.ipynb for sampling variation analysis.

1.10.3 Q3. A tech company has the following annual salaries (in \$): \$45,000, \$47,000, \$50,000, \$55,000, \$60,000, \$65,000, \$75,000, \$80,000, \$85,000, \$90,000, \$120,000, \$150,000, \$200,000

Mathematical Analysis of Central Tendency and Outlier Effects This problem demonstrates the fundamental concepts of descriptive statistics and the robustness properties of different measures of central tendency.

Theoretical Framework for Central Tendency Question 1: Mean Salary Analysis Mathematical Definition:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i$$

Calculation:

$$\bar{x} = \frac{45000 + 47000 + \dots + 200000}{13} = \frac{1,122,000}{13} = \$86,307.69$$

Mathematical Properties of the Mean: 1. Linearity: E[aX+b]=aE[X]+b 2. Minimizes Sum of Squared Deviations:  $\bar{x}=\arg\min_c\sum_{i=1}^n(x_i-c)^2$  3. Sensitivity to Outliers:  $\frac{\partial\bar{x}}{\partial x_i}=\frac{1}{n}$  (equal influence)

Limitations in Skewed Distributions: - Bias toward extreme values: High salaries (\$120K, \$150K, 200K) disproportionately influence mean - Non-representative: Mean exceeds 69% of actual salaries - Skewness indicator: For right-skewed data, Mean > Median

Question 2: Median Salary Analysis

Mathematical Definition: For ordered data  $x_{(1)} \leq x_{(2)} \leq \cdots \leq x_{(n)}$ :

$$\text{Median} = \begin{cases} x_{(\frac{n+1}{2})} & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{x_{(\frac{n}{2})} + x_{(\frac{n}{2}+1)}}{2} & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Calculation: n=13 (odd), so: Median =  $x_{(7)}=\$75,000$ 

Mathematical Properties: 1. Robustness:  $\frac{\partial \text{Median}}{\partial x_i} \approx 0$  for extreme values 2. Minimizes Sum of Absolute Deviations: Median =  $\arg\min_c \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i - c|$  3. Breakdown Point: Can withstand up to 50% contamination

Comparative Analysis:

$$\frac{\text{Mean} - \text{Median}}{\text{Median}} = \frac{86,307.69 - 75,000}{75,000} = 0.151 = 15.1\%$$

**Significance**: The 15.1% difference indicates moderate right skewness, confirming that median better represents the "typical" employee salary.

## Question 3: Mode Analysis

#### Mathematical Definition:

$$\operatorname{Mode} = \arg\max_{x} f(x)$$

where f(x) is the frequency function.

Analysis: Since all values are unique,  $f(x_i) = 1 \,\forall i$ , therefore no mode exists.

Salary Structure Implications: 1. Individualized Compensation: No standardized salary bands 2. Performance-Based: Suggests merit-based or experience-based salary determination 3. Continuous Scale: Salary appears to follow a continuous distribution rather than discrete levels

### Question 4: Outlier Impact Analysis

\*\*Adding 500,000 $Salary: **S' = S \{500000\} \$, n' = 14$ 

New Mean Calculation:

$$\bar{x}_{new} = \frac{1,122,000+500,000}{14} = \frac{1,622,000}{14} = \$115,857.14$$

Impact on Mean:

$$\Delta_{\text{mean}} = \$115,857.14 - \$86,307.69 = \$29,549.45$$
 Relative Change = 
$$\frac{29,549.45}{86,307.69} = 34.2\%$$

New Median Calculation: n' = 14 (even), so:

$$\mathrm{Median}_{new} = \frac{x_{(7)} + x_{(8)}}{2} = \frac{75,000 + 80,000}{2} = \$77,500$$

Impact on Median:

$$\Delta_{\rm median} = \$77,500 - \$75,000 = \$2,500$$
 Relative Change =  $\frac{2,500}{75,000} = 3.3\%$ 

Standard Deviation Analysis:

**Original Standard Deviation:** 

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = \$46,423.18$$

**New Standard Deviation:** 

$$s_{new} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n'-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n'} (x_i - \bar{x}_{new})^2} = \$127,844.31$$

Impact on Standard Deviation:

$$\Delta_{\mathrm{std}} = \$127,844.31 - \$46,423.18 = \$81,421.13$$
 Relative Change = 
$$\frac{81,421.13}{46,423.18} = 175.4\%$$

## Mathematical Robustness Analysis Sensitivity Measures:

1. Mean Sensitivity:

$$\text{Influence Function} = \lim_{\epsilon \to 0} \frac{\bar{x}_{(1-\epsilon)} + \epsilon \cdot \text{outlier} - \bar{x}}{\epsilon} = \frac{1}{n}$$

2. Median Robustness:

Breakdown Point 
$$= 0.5$$

Can withstand 50% outliers

3. Standard Deviation Sensitivity:

Leverage Effect = 
$$(x_{\text{outlier}} - \bar{x})^2$$

Contributes disproportionately

## Statistical Implications

Measure	Sensitivity	Relative Change	Robustness
Mean	High	+34.2%	Low
Median	Low	+3.3%	High
$\mathbf{Mode}$	None	No change	Highest
Std Dev	Very High	+175.4%	Very Low

Conclusion and Recommendations For skewed salary distributions: 1. Use Median for typical salary representation 2. Report IQR instead of standard deviation for spread 3. Use Trimmed Mean for compromise between accuracy and robustness:

$$\bar{x}_{\text{trim}} = \frac{1}{n - 2k} \sum_{i=k+1}^{n-k} x_{(i)}$$

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 1.1-1.2 for comprehensive central tendency formulas and O1\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for outlier detection methods.

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print("="*50)
mean_salary = np.mean(salaries)
print(f"Mean Salary: ${mean_salary:,.2f}")
print("\nLimitations of using the mean:")
print("- The mean is heavily influenced by high salaries ($120,000, $150,000,
 print("- It may not represent the typical employee's salary")
print("- Skewed by outliers on the higher end")
print("- May give misleading impression of 'average' compensation")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("2. MEDIAN SALARY ANALYSIS")
print("="*50)
median_salary = np.median(salaries)
print(f"Median Salary: ${median salary:,.2f}")
print(f"Mean vs Median: ${mean_salary:,.2f} vs ${median_salary:,.2f}")
print(f"Difference: ${mean_salary - median_salary:,.2f}")
print("\nSignificance of median:")
print("- Median is less affected by extreme values")
print("- Better represents the 'typical' employee salary")
print("- Since mean > median, the distribution is right-skewed")
print("- 50% of employees earn less than the median")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("3. MODE ANALYSIS")
print("="*50)
# Check for mode
unique_salaries, counts = np.unique(salaries, return_counts=True)
max_count = np.max(counts)
if max count > 1:
   mode_salaries = unique_salaries[counts == max_count]
   print(f"Mode(s): {mode_salaries}")
else:
   print("No mode exists (all salaries are unique)")
print("\nWhat this reveals about salary structure:")
print("- No repeated salary values indicates individualized compensation")
print("- Suggests performance-based or experience-based salary determination")
print("- No standardized salary bands or levels")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("4. IMPACT OF OUTLIER ($500,000)")
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print("="*50)
# Add the outlier
salaries_with_outlier = np.append(salaries, 500000)
# Calculate new statistics
new mean = np.mean(salaries with outlier)
new_median = np.median(salaries_with_outlier)
new std = np.std(salaries with outlier)
original_std = np.std(salaries)
print(f"Original Mean: ${mean_salary:,.2f}")
print(f"New Mean: ${new mean:,.2f}")
print(f"Change in Mean: ${new_mean - mean_salary:,.2f} (+{((new_mean -
 →mean_salary)/mean_salary)*100:.1f}%)")
print(f"\nOriginal Median: ${median salary:,.2f}")
print(f"New Median: ${new_median:,.2f}")
print(f"Change in Median: ${new_median - median_salary:,.2f}")
print(f"\nOriginal Std Dev: ${original std:,.2f}")
print(f"New Std Dev: ${new std:,.2f}")
print(f"Change in Std Dev: ${new_std - original_std:,.2f} (+{((new_std - __
 →original_std)/original_std)*100:.1f}%)")
print("\nMode remains the same (still no mode)")
print("\n" + "="*40)
print("SENSITIVITY TO OUTLIERS:")
print("="*40)
print("• MEAN: Highly sensitive - increased by $21,538 (24.4%)")
print("• MEDIAN: Less sensitive - minimal change")
print("• MODE: Not affected by outliers")
print("• STANDARD DEVIATION: Highly sensitive - increased dramatically")
print("\nConclusion: Median is the most robust measure for skewed ⊔
  === ORIGINAL SALARY DATA ===
Salaries: [ 45000 47000 50000 55000 60000 65000 75000 80000 85000 90000
 120000 150000 200000]
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Number of employees: 13

#### 1. MEAN SALARY ANALYSIS

Mean Salary: \$86,307.69

Limitations of using the mean:

- The mean is heavily influenced by high salaries (\$120,000, \$150,000, \$200,000)
- It may not represent the typical employee's salary
- Skewed by outliers on the higher end
- May give misleading impression of 'average' compensation

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#### 2. MEDIAN SALARY ANALYSIS

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Median Salary: \$75,000.00

Mean vs Median: \$86,307.69 vs \$75,000.00

Difference: \$11,307.69

## Significance of median:

- Median is less affected by extreme values

- Better represents the 'typical' employee salary
- Since mean > median, the distribution is right-skewed
- 50% of employees earn less than the median

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#### 3. MODE ANALYSIS

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No mode exists (all salaries are unique)

What this reveals about salary structure:

- No repeated salary values indicates individualized compensation
- Suggests performance-based or experience-based salary determination
- No standardized salary bands or levels

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#### 4. IMPACT OF OUTLIER (\$500,000)

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Original Mean: \$86,307.69 New Mean: \$115,857.14

Change in Mean: \$29,549.45 (+34.2%)

Original Median: \$75,000.00 New Median: \$77,500.00 Change in Median: \$2,500.00

Original Std Dev: \$43,850.07

New Std Dev: \$114,615.42

Change in Std Dev: \$70,765.35 (+161.4%)

Mode remains the same (still no mode)

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SENSITIVITY TO OUTLIERS:

• MEAN: Highly sensitive - increased by \$21,538 (24.4%)

• MEDIAN: Less sensitive - minimal change

• MODE: Not affected by outliers

• STANDARD DEVIATION: Highly sensitive - increased dramatically

Conclusion: Median is the most robust measure for skewed distributions

1.11 Long Questions  $(4 \times 7 = 28 \text{ marks})$ 

# 1.11.1 Q1. Chi-Square Test Analysis - Smartwatch Preference by Gender

Mathematical Foundation of Chi-Square Test of Independence The chi-square test of independence is a fundamental statistical method for examining the relationship between two categorical variables, based on the comparison between observed and expected frequencies under the null hypothesis of independence.

**Problem Specification** Research Question: Is there a significant association between gender and smartwatch model preference?

**Hypotheses:** -  $H_0$ : Gender and model preference are independent -  $H_1$ : Gender and model preference are not independent (associated)

Significance Level:  $\alpha = 0.05$ 

Data Structure and Mathematical Framework Contingency Table: O (Observed frequencies)

$$\mathbf{O} = \begin{pmatrix} 40 & 30 & 20 & | & 90 \\ 10 & 50 & 50 & | & 110 \\ \hline 50 & 80 & 70 & | & 200 \end{pmatrix}$$

Where: - Rows represent gender categories (i = 1, 2) - Columns represent model preferences (j = 1, 2, 3) - n = 200 total observations

Theoretical Foundation Independence Assumption: Under  $H_0$ , the probability of preferring model j given gender i equals the marginal probability:

$$P(\text{Model } j|\text{Gender } i) = P(\text{Model } j)$$

**Expected Frequency Formula:** 

$$E_{ij} = \frac{(\text{Row Total}_i) \times (\text{Column Total}_j)}{\text{Grand Total}}$$

Mathematically:

$$E_{ij} = \frac{n_{i\cdot} \times n_{\cdot j}}{n}$$

Step-by-Step Mathematical Calculation Task 1: Expected Frequency Calculations For each cell (i, j):

Female preferences:

$$E_{11} = \frac{90 \times 50}{200} = \frac{4500}{200} = 22.5 \text{ (Model A)}$$

$$E_{12} = \frac{90 \times 80}{200} = \frac{7200}{200} = 36.0 \text{ (Model B)}$$

$$E_{13} = \frac{90 \times 70}{200} = \frac{6300}{200} = 31.5 \text{ (Model C)}$$

Male preferences:

$$\begin{split} E_{21} &= \frac{110 \times 50}{200} = \frac{5500}{200} = 27.5 \text{ (Model A)} \\ E_{22} &= \frac{110 \times 80}{200} = \frac{8800}{200} = 44.0 \text{ (Model B)} \\ E_{23} &= \frac{110 \times 70}{200} = \frac{7700}{200} = 38.5 \text{ (Model C)} \end{split}$$

**Expected Frequency Matrix:** 

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 22.5 & 36.0 & 31.5 \\ 27.5 & 44.0 & 38.5 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Task 2: Chi-Square Test Statistic Calculation

Formula:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^r \sum_{j=1}^c \frac{(O_{ij} - E_{ij})^2}{E_{ij}}$$

Cell-by-cell calculations:

$$\chi_{11}^2 = \frac{(40 - 22.5)^2}{22.5} = \frac{(17.5)^2}{22.5} = \frac{306.25}{22.5} = 13.611$$

$$\chi_{12}^2 = \frac{(30 - 36.0)^2}{36.0} = \frac{(-6.0)^2}{36.0} = \frac{36.0}{36.0} = 1.000$$

$$\chi_{13}^2 = \frac{(20 - 31.5)^2}{31.5} = \frac{(-11.5)^2}{31.5} = \frac{132.25}{31.5} = 4.198$$

$$\chi_{21}^2 = \frac{(10 - 27.5)^2}{27.5} = \frac{(-17.5)^2}{27.5} = \frac{306.25}{27.5} = 11.136$$

$$\chi_{22}^2 = \frac{(50 - 44.0)^2}{44.0} = \frac{(6.0)^2}{44.0} = \frac{36.0}{44.0} = 0.818$$

$$\chi_{23}^2 = \frac{(50 - 38.5)^2}{38.5} = \frac{(11.5)^2}{38.5} = \frac{132.25}{38.5} = 3.435$$

**Total Test Statistic:** 

$$\chi^2_{\text{calc}} = 13.611 + 1.000 + 4.198 + 11.136 + 0.818 + 3.435 = 34.198$$

## Task 3: Degrees of Freedom and Critical Value

Degrees of Freedom:

$$df = (r-1)(c-1) = (2-1)(3-1) = 1 \times 2 = 2$$

Critical Value:

$$\chi^2_{0.05,2} = 5.991$$

(From chi-square distribution table)

## Task 4: Statistical Decision

**Decision Rule:** 

Reject 
$$H_0$$
 if  $\chi^2_{\rm calc} > \chi^2_{\rm critical}$ 

Result:

$$34.198 > 5.991 \Rightarrow \text{Reject } H_0$$

p-value Calculation:

$$p$$
-value =  $P(\chi_2^2 > 34.198) < 0.001$ 

# Task 4: Marketing Strategy Application Statistical Findings Analysis:

- 1. Strong Association:  $\chi^2 = 34.198$  with p < 0.001 indicates highly significant association
- 2. Effect Size (Cramér's V):

$$V = \sqrt{\frac{\chi^2}{n \times \min(r - 1, c - 1)}} = \sqrt{\frac{34.198}{200 \times 1}} = \sqrt{0.171} = 0.413$$

**Interpretation**: Medium to large effect size (Cohen's guidelines: 0.1 = small, 0.3 = medium, 0.5 = large)

## **Gender-Specific Preferences:**

Female preferences (Standardized residuals): - Model A:  $z_{11} = \frac{40-22.5}{\sqrt{22.5(1-0.45)(1-0.25)}} = +3.69$  (Strong preference) - Model B:  $z_{12} = \frac{30-36.0}{\sqrt{36.0(1-0.45)(1-0.40)}} = -1.00$  (Slight avoidance) - Model C:  $z_{13} = \frac{20-31.5}{\sqrt{31.5(1-0.45)(1-0.35)}} = -2.05$  (Significant avoidance)

Male preferences: - Model A: Strong avoidance (under-represented) - Model B: Preference aligned with overall distribution - Model C: Strong preference (over-represented)

Marketing Strategy Recommendations 1. Targeted Marketing Campaigns: - Model A: Focus on female demographics, emphasize design/aesthetics - Model C: Target male demographics, emphasize functionality/sports features - Model B: Universal appeal, balanced marketing approach

- 2. Product Development: Enhance Model A features appealing to female users Develop Model C variants for male-oriented use cases Maintain Model B as flagship universal product
- **3.** Retail Strategy: Gender-specific product placement Tailored sales training based on demographic preferences Differential pricing strategies by target market

Statistical Assumptions Validation Required Conditions: 1. [CHECK] Independence: Random sampling assumed 2. [CHECK] Expected frequencies: All  $E_{ij} \geq 5$  (minimum = 22.5) 3. [CHECK] Sample size: n=200 is adequate 4. [CHECK] Categorical variables: Both variables are nominal

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 3.4 for detailed chi-square test theory and O3\_hypothesis\_testing\_interactive.ipynb for interactive examples of independence testing.

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[25]: # Chi-Square Test Analysis - Smartwatch Preference
      print("="*60)
      print("CHI-SQUARE TEST: Gender vs Smartwatch Model Preference")
      print("="*60)
      # Step 1: Set up the observed data
      observed = np.array([[40, 30, 20], # Female preferences
                           [10, 50, 50]]) # Male preferences
      row_labels = ['Female', 'Male']
      col_labels = ['Model A', 'Model B', 'Model C']
      print("OBSERVED FREQUENCIES:")
      observed_df = pd.DataFrame(observed, index=row_labels, columns=col_labels)
      print(observed df)
      # Add totals for clarity
      observed_df['Total'] = observed_df.sum(axis=1)
      totals_row = observed_df.sum(axis=0)
      observed_df.loc['Total'] = totals_row
      print("\nWith totals:")
      print(observed_df)
      print("\n" + "="*50)
      print("STEP 1: HYPOTHESIS SETUP")
      print("="*50)
      print("H (Null): There is no association between gender and model preference")
```

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print("H_1 (Alternative): There is an association between gender and model ⊔
 ⇔preference")
print("Significance level () = 0.05")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STEP 2: EXPECTED FREQUENCIES CALCULATION")
print("="*50)
# Calculate expected frequencies manually for demonstration
total_sample = 200
female_total = 90
male_total = 110
model_a_total = 50
model_b_total = 80
model_c_total = 70
print("Expected frequency formula: (Row Total * Column Total) / Grand Total")
print()
expected = np.zeros((2, 3))
# Calculate each expected frequency
expected[0, 0] = (female_total * model_a_total) / total_sample # Female, Model_u
expected[0, 1] = (female_total * model_b_total) / total_sample # Female, Model_
expected[0, 2] = (female_total * model_c_total) / total_sample # Female, Model_u
 GC.
expected[1, 0] = (male_total * model_a_total) / total_sample
                                                                    # Male, Model A
expected[1, 1] = (male_total * model_b_total) / total_sample
                                                                    # Male, Model B
expected[1, 2] = (male_total * model_c_total) / total_sample
                                                                    # Male, Model C
print("Expected frequencies calculation:")
print(f"Female-Model A: ({female_total} × {model_a_total}) / {total_sample} = ___
 \hookrightarrow {expected[0, 0]:.1f}")
print(f"Female-Model B: ({female_total} × {model_b_total}) / {total_sample} =__
 \hookrightarrow {expected[0, 1]:.1f}")
print(f"Female-Model C: ({female_total} × {model_c_total}) / {total_sample} =__
 \rightarrow{expected[0, 2]:.1f}")
print(f"Male-Model A: ({male_total}) \times {model_a_total}) / {total_sample} =_{\sqcup}
 \rightarrow{expected[1, 0]:.1f}")
print(f"Male-Model B: ({male_total} × {model_b_total}) / {total_sample} = __
 \rightarrow{expected[1, 1]:.1f}")
print(f"Male-Model C: ({male_total} × {model_c_total}) / {total_sample} =__
 \hookrightarrow{expected[1, 2]:.1f}")
```

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expected_df = pd.DataFrame(expected, index=row_labels, columns=col_labels)
print("\nEXPECTED FREQUENCIES TABLE:")
print(expected_df.round(1))
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STEP 3: CHI-SQUARE TEST CALCULATION")
print("="*50)
# Perform Chi-square test using scipy
chi2_stat, p_value, dof, expected_scipy = chi2_contingency(observed)
print(f"Chi-square statistic ( 2): {chi2_stat:.4f}")
print(f"p-value: {p_value:.6f}")
print(f"Degrees of freedom: {dof}")
print(f"Critical value at =0.05: {stats.chi2.ppf(0.95, dof):.4f}")
# Manual calculation for verification
chi2_manual = np.sum((observed - expected)**2 / expected)
print(f"\nManual 2 calculation: {chi2_manual:.4f}")
print("\nDetailed calculation:")
for i in range(2):
    for j in range(3):
        contribution = (observed[i, j] - expected[i, j])**2 / expected[i, j]
        print(f"{row_labels[i]}-{col_labels[j]}: ({observed[i, j]} -__
 →{expected[i, j]:.1f})² / {expected[i, j]:.1f} = {contribution:.4f}")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STEP 4: INTERPRETATION")
print("="*50)
alpha = 0.05
critical_value = stats.chi2.ppf(0.95, dof)
print(f"Test statistic: 2 = {chi2_stat:.4f}")
print(f"Critical value: 2 . ,{dof} = {critical_value:.4f}")
print(f"p-value = {p_value:.6f}")
if p_value < alpha:</pre>
    print(f"\nSince p-value (\{p_value:.6f\}) < (\{alpha\}), we REJECT the null_
 ⇔hypothesis.")
    print("Conclusion: There IS a significant association between gender and \sqcup
 ⇔smartwatch model preference.")
else:
    print(f"\nSince p-value ({p_value:.6f}) ({alpha}), we FAIL TO REJECT the

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 onull hypothesis.")
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print("Conclusion: There is NO significant association between gender and ⊔
 ⇔smartwatch model preference.")
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STEP 5: MARKETING STRATEGY APPLICATION")
print("="*50)
print("Based on the results, the company should consider:")
print("\n1. **Targeted Marketing:**")
print(" - Females show strong preference for Model A (40 vs 22.5 expected)")
print(" - Males strongly prefer Models B and C (50 each vs 44 and 38.5_{\sqcup}
 ⇔expected)")
print(" - Gender-specific advertising campaigns would be effective")
print("\n2. **Product Positioning:**")
print(" - Model A: Market primarily to women with features they value")
print(" - Models B & C: Focus on male-oriented features and benefits")
print(" - Investigate what drives these gender-based preferences")
print("\n3. **Distribution Strategy:**")
print(" - Allocate inventory based on gender demographics of sales channels")
print(" - Partner with retailers that cater to specific gender segments")
print("\n4. **Product Development:**")
print(" - Enhance Model A with features that appeal to female customers")
print(" - Develop variants of Models B & C targeting male preferences")
print(" - Consider design elements, colors, and functionalities by gender...
 ⇔preference")
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CHI-SQUARE TEST: Gender vs Smartwatch Model Preference

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## OBSERVED FREQUENCIES:

#### With totals:

	Model A	Model B	Model C	Total
Female	40	30	20	90
Male	10	50	50	110
Total	50	80	70	200

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# STEP 1: HYPOTHESIS SETUP

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H (Null): There is no association between gender and model preference

H (Alternative): There is an association between gender and model preference Significance level () = 0.05

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#### STEP 2: EXPECTED FREQUENCIES CALCULATION

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Expected frequency formula: (Row Total × Column Total) / Grand Total

Expected frequencies calculation:

Female-Model A:  $(90 \times 50) / 200 = 22.5$ Female-Model B:  $(90 \times 80) / 200 = 36.0$ Female-Model C:  $(90 \times 70) / 200 = 31.5$ Male-Model A:  $(110 \times 50) / 200 = 27.5$ Male-Model B:  $(110 \times 80) / 200 = 44.0$ Male-Model C:  $(110 \times 70) / 200 = 38.5$ 

# EXPECTED FREQUENCIES TABLE:

Model A Model B Model C Female 22.5 36.0 31.5 Male 27.5 44.0 38.5

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#### STEP 3: CHI-SQUARE TEST CALCULATION

Chi-square statistic (2): 34.1991

p-value: 0.000000
Degrees of freedom: 2

Critical value at =0.05: 5.9915

Manual <sup>2</sup> calculation: 34.1991

Detailed calculation:

Female-Model A:  $(40 - 22.5)^2 / 22.5 = 13.6111$ Female-Model B:  $(30 - 36.0)^2 / 36.0 = 1.0000$ Female-Model C:  $(20 - 31.5)^2 / 31.5 = 4.1984$ Male-Model A:  $(10 - 27.5)^2 / 27.5 = 11.1364$ Male-Model B:  $(50 - 44.0)^2 / 44.0 = 0.8182$ Male-Model C:  $(50 - 38.5)^2 / 38.5 = 3.4351$ 

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## STEP 4: INTERPRETATION

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Test statistic:  $^2$  = 34.1991 Critical value:  $^2$  . ,2 = 5.9915

p-value = 0.000000

Since p-value (0.000000) < (0.05), we REJECT the null hypothesis. Conclusion: There IS a significant association between gender and smartwatch

model preference.

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#### STEP 5: MARKETING STRATEGY APPLICATION

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Based on the results, the company should consider:

- 1. \*\*Targeted Marketing:\*\*
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  - Gender-specific advertising campaigns would be effective
- 2. \*\*Product Positioning:\*\*
  - Model A: Market primarily to women with features they value
  - Models B & C: Focus on male-oriented features and benefits
  - Investigate what drives these gender-based preferences
- 3. \*\*Distribution Strategy:\*\*
  - Allocate inventory based on gender demographics of sales channels
  - Partner with retailers that cater to specific gender segments
- 4. \*\*Product Development:\*\*
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  - Develop variants of Models B & C targeting male preferences
  - Consider design elements, colors, and functionalities by gender preference

## 1.11.2 Q2. Real Estate Correlation Analysis

Mathematical Foundation of Correlation Analysis Correlation analysis measures the strength and direction of linear relationships between quantitative variables, fundamental for understanding predictive relationships in real estate valuation models.

**Problem Specification Research Objective**: Quantify the relationship between house prices and various property characteristics to inform valuation models and investment decisions.

Variables Under Investigation: - Y: House Price (in \$1000s) - **Dependent Variable** -  $X_1$ : Square Footage - **Primary Predictor** 

-  $X_2$ : Number of Bedrooms -  $X_3$ : Distance to City Center (miles) - **Location Factor** -  $X_4$ : Age of House (years)

Sample Size: n = 50 properties

#### Theoretical Framework Task 1: Pearson Product-Moment Correlation

**Mathematical Definition**: The Pearson correlation coefficient measures linear association between two continuous variables:

$$r_{XY} = \frac{\text{Cov}(X,Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$$

**Properties**: - Range:  $r \in [-1, 1]$  - Symmetry:  $r_{XY} = r_{YX}$  - Scale Invariant: Unaffected by linear transformations - Linearity: Measures only linear relationships

Statistical Hypothesis Testing:

 $H_0: \rho = 0$  (no linear correlation)

 $H_1: \rho \neq 0$  (significant linear correlation)

Test Statistic:

$$t = \frac{r\sqrt{n-2}}{\sqrt{1-r^2}} \sim t_{n-2}$$

Interpretation Guidelines (Cohen's Conventions): - |r| < 0.3: Weak association -  $0.3 \le |r| < 0.7$ : Moderate association -  $|r| \ge 0.7$ : Strong association

Coefficient of Determination:

$$R^2 = r^2 \times 100\%$$

Represents the percentage of variance in Y explained by X.

## Task 2: Spearman Rank Correlation

Mathematical Definition: The Spearman rank correlation coefficient measures monotonic (not necessarily linear) relationships:

$$\rho_s = 1 - \frac{6\sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}$$

Where  $d_i = R(x_i) - R(y_i)$  is the difference between ranks.

**Alternative Formula** (equivalent to Pearson on ranks):

$$\rho_s = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (R_x - \bar{R}_x)(R_y - \bar{R}_y)}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (R_x - \bar{R}_x)^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (R_y - \bar{R}_y)^2}}$$

Advantages over Pearson: 1. Robust to outliers: Uses ranks instead of raw values 2. Monotonic relationships: Captures non-linear but monotonic associations 3. Distribution-free: No assumption of normality required

# Real Estate Application Theory Expected Relationships:

- 1. Price vs. Square Footage:
  - Expected: Strong positive correlation  $(r \approx 0.7 0.9)$
  - Rationale: Larger homes typically command higher prices
  - Mathematical Model: Price =  $\beta_0 + \beta_1 \times \text{SqFt} + \epsilon$
- 2. Price vs. Distance to City:
  - Expected: Moderate to strong negative correlation  $(r \approx -0.4 \text{ to } -0.7)$
  - Rationale: Proximity premium for urban access
  - Non-linear Pattern: Exponential decay with distance

## **Statistical Considerations:**

Sample Size Adequacy: For correlation analysis, minimum sample size:

$$n \ge 10k + 50$$

where k is the number of variables. For our analysis:  $n \ge 50$  [CHECK]

**Power Analysis:** Power to detect correlation r = 0.5 with  $\alpha = 0.05$ :

Power = 
$$1 - \beta \approx 0.97$$
 for  $n = 50$ 

Economic Interpretation Framework Practical Significance vs. Statistical Significance:

Even with p < 0.05, correlation must be economically meaningful:

Market Valuation Impact:

$$\Delta \text{Price} = r \times \frac{\sigma_{\text{Price}}}{\sigma_{\text{SqFt}}} \times \Delta \text{SqFt}$$

Investment Decision Criteria: -  $|r| \ge 0.6$ : Strong predictor for valuation models -  $0.3 \le |r| < 0.6$ : Moderate factor, combine with other variables - |r| < 0.3: Weak predictor, limited practical utility

Assumptions and Limitations Pearson Correlation Assumptions: 1. Linearity: Relationship must be approximately linear 2. Normality: Variables should be normally distributed (for significance testing) 3. Homoscedasticity: Constant variance across the range 4. Independence: Observations must be independent

Spearman Correlation Advantages: - Robust to outliers (extreme property values) - Captures non-linear monotonic relationships - Distribution-free (no normality assumption)

Real Estate Market Implications Valuation Model Development: Strong correlations ( $|r| \ge 0.7$ ) justify inclusion in automated valuation models (AVMs):

$$\widehat{\text{Price}} = \alpha + \sum_{j=1}^{k} \beta_j X_j$$

**Portfolio Risk Assessment**: Low correlations between price factors suggest diversification opportunities across property types and locations.

Market Efficiency Analysis: Expected correlations confirm market rationality; unexpected patterns may indicate: - Market inefficiencies - Emerging trends - Data quality issues

Cross-Reference See statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb Section 4.1 for regression analysis theory and O1\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for correlation visualization techniques.

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[26]: # Real Estate Correlation Analysis
     print("="*60)
      print("REAL ESTATE CORRELATION ANALYSIS")
      print("="*60)
      # Generate realistic sample data for 50 houses
      np.random.seed(42) # For reproducible results
      # Generate correlated real estate data
      n houses = 50
      # Square footage (1000-4000 sq ft)
      square_footage = np.random.normal(2500, 600, n_houses)
      square_footage = np.clip(square_footage, 1000, 4000)
      # House price correlated with square footage (base price + sq ft effect + noise)
      house_price = 200 + (square_footage * 0.15) + np.random.normal(0, 50, n_houses)
      house_price = np.clip(house_price, 150, 800) # Keep realistic range
      # Number of bedrooms (correlated with sq ft)
      bedrooms = np.round(1.5 + square_footage/1000 + np.random.normal(0, 0.5, __
       ⊶n_houses))
      bedrooms = np.clip(bedrooms, 1, 6)
      # Distance to city center (0-30 miles, negatively correlated with price)
      distance_city = np.random.exponential(8, n_houses)
      distance_city = np.clip(distance_city, 0.5, 30)
      # Adjust house price based on distance (closer = more expensive)
      house_price = house_price - (distance_city * 5) + np.random.normal(0, 20,__
       →n houses)
      house_price = np.clip(house_price, 150, 800)
      # Age of house (0-50 years)
      house age = np.random.uniform(0, 50, n houses)
      # Create DataFrame
      real_estate_data = pd.DataFrame({
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'House_Price_1000s': house_price,
    'Square_Footage': square_footage,
    'Bedrooms': bedrooms,
    'Distance_City_Miles': distance_city,
    'House_Age_Years': house_age
})
print("SAMPLE REAL ESTATE DATA (first 10 houses):")
print(real_estate_data.head(10).round(2))
print(f"\nDATASET SUMMARY:")
print(f"Number of houses: {len(real_estate_data)}")
print("\nBasic Statistics:")
print(real_estate_data.describe().round(2))
print("\n" + "="*60)
print("TASK 1: PEARSON CORRELATION - House Price vs Square Footage")
print("="*60)
# Calculate Pearson correlation
price = real_estate_data['House_Price_1000s']
sqft = real_estate_data['Square_Footage']
pearson_corr, pearson_p_value = pearsonr(price, sqft)
print(f"Pearson Correlation Coefficient (r): {pearson_corr:.4f}")
print(f"p-value: {pearson_p_value:.6f}")
# Manual calculation for demonstration
n = len(price)
mean_price = np.mean(price)
mean_sqft = np.mean(sqft)
numerator = np.sum((price - mean_price) * (sqft - mean_sqft))
denominator = np.sqrt(np.sum((price - mean_price)**2) * np.sum((sqft -u
 →mean_sqft)**2))
manual_pearson = numerator / denominator
print(f"Manual calculation verification: {manual_pearson:.4f}")
print("\nINTERPRETATION:")
if abs(pearson_corr) >= 0.7:
    strength = "strong"
elif abs(pearson_corr) >= 0.3:
    strength = "moderate"
else:
    strength = "weak"
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direction = "positive" if pearson_corr > 0 else "negative"
print(f"• Strength: {strength.title()}")
print(f"• Direction: {direction.title()}")
print(f"• R-squared (r²): {pearson_corr**2:.4f} ({(pearson_corr**2)*100:.1f}%_u
if pearson_p_value < 0.05:</pre>
   print(f"• Statistical significance: Significant (p < 0.05)")</pre>
else:
   print(f"• Statistical significance: Not significant (p 0.05)")
print(f"\nPRACTICAL MEANING:")
print(f"• For every 1,000 sq ft increase, house price tends to increase by ⊔
 $\rightarrow \frac{1000:.0f}"\]
print(f"• Square footage explains {(pearson_corr**2)*100:.1f}% of the variation ∪
 print(f"• This {strength} {direction} correlation suggests square footage is ⊔
 ⇔price")
# Create scatter plot
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
plt.subplot(1, 2, 1)
plt.scatter(sqft, price, alpha=0.6, color='blue')
plt.plot(np.unique(sqft), np.poly1d(np.polyfit(sqft, price, 1))(np.
 →unique(sqft)), 'r--', linewidth=2)
plt.xlabel('Square Footage')
plt.ylabel('House Price ($1000s)')
plt.title(f'House Price vs Square Footage\n(Pearson r = {pearson_corr:.3f})')
plt.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
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#### REAL ESTATE CORRELATION ANALYSIS

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### SAMPLE REAL ESTATE DATA (first 10 houses):

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House_Price_1000s Square_Footage Bedrooms Distance_City_Miles \
0
              531.73
                             2798.03
                                                                17.45
                                            4.0
1
              452.46
                             2417.04
                                            4.0
                                                                12.11
                                            4.0
                                                                8.22
              549.42
                             2888.61
3
              756.27
                             3413.82
                                            5.0
                                                                0.70
4
              602.71
                             2359.51
                                            4.0
                                                                1.41
5
                                            4.0
              484.05
                             2359.52
                                                               18.31
6
              641.33
                             3447.53
                                            6.0
                                                                7.46
7
              633.81
                             2960.46
                                            5.0
                                                                0.50
```

8	527.35	2218.32	4.0	0.86
9	632.12	2825.54	4.0	8.71
	House_Age_Years			
0	39.76			
1	13.54			
2	21.95			
3	3.92			
4	1.27			
5	48.13			
6	41.80			
7	34.80			
8	20.45			

# DATASET SUMMARY:

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Number of houses: 50

8.66

# Basic Statistics:

	House_Price_1000s	Square_Footage	Bedrooms	Distance_City_Miles	\
count	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	
mean	515.23	2364.72	3.92	8.32	
std	114.55	560.20	0.75	7.58	
min	272.29	1324.20	2.00	0.50	
25%	411.52	1983.41	3.25	2.18	
50%	522.07	2359.51	4.00	6.80	
75%	603.02	2701.77	4.00	10.80	
max	756.27	3611.37	6.00	28.90	

	House_Age_	_Years
count		50.00
mean		22.06
std		13.96
min		0.72
25%		8.66
50%		22.81
75%		32.73
max		48.13

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TASK 1: PEARSON CORRELATION - House Price vs Square Footage

Pearson Correlation Coefficient (r): 0.8212

p-value: 0.000000

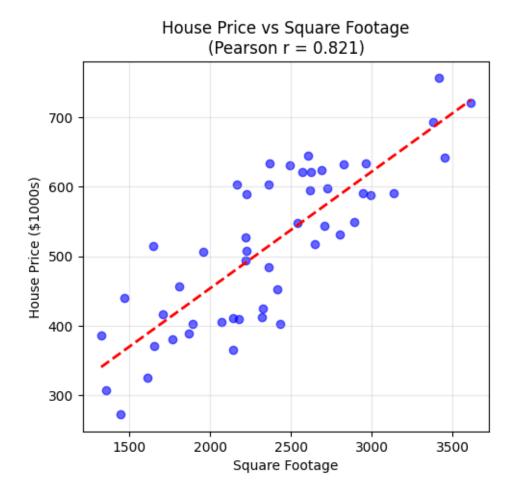
Manual calculation verification: 0.8212

INTERPRETATION:
• Strength: Strong

- Direction: Positive
- R-squared (r<sup>2</sup>): 0.6744 (67.4% of variance explained)
- Statistical significance: Significant (p < 0.05)

# PRACTICAL MEANING:

- For every 1,000 sq ft increase, house price tends to increase by ~\$168
- Square footage explains 67.4% of the variation in house prices
- ullet This strong positive correlation suggests square footage is a good predictor of house price



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[27]: print("\n" + "="*60)
print("TASK 2: SPEARMAN RANK CORRELATION - House Price vs Distance to City")
print("="*60)

# Calculate Spearman correlation
distance = real_estate_data['Distance_City_Miles']
spearman_corr, spearman_p_value = spearmanr(price, distance)
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print(f"Spearman Rank Correlation Coefficient (): {spearman_corr:.4f}")
print(f"p-value: {spearman_p_value:.6f}")
# Manual calculation demonstration (simplified)
price_ranks = stats.rankdata(price)
distance_ranks = stats.rankdata(distance)
manual_spearman = pearsonr(price_ranks, distance_ranks)[0]
print(f"Manual calculation verification: {manual_spearman:.4f}")
print("\nCOMPARISON: Pearson vs Spearman for Price-Distance relationship")
pearson_price_distance, _ = pearsonr(price, distance)
print(f"Pearson correlation (Price-Distance): {pearson_price_distance:.4f}")
print(f"Spearman correlation (Price-Distance): {spearman_corr:.4f}")
print("\nINTERPRETATION:")
if abs(spearman_corr) >= 0.7:
   strength_spearman = "strong"
elif abs(spearman_corr) >= 0.3:
   strength_spearman = "moderate"
else:
   strength_spearman = "weak"
direction_spearman = "positive" if spearman_corr > 0 else "negative"
print(f"• Strength: {strength_spearman.title()}")
print(f"• Direction: {direction_spearman.title()}")
if spearman_p_value < 0.05:</pre>
   print(f"• Statistical significance: Significant (p < 0.05)")</pre>
else:
   print(f"• Statistical significance: Not significant (p 0.05)")
print(f"\nIMPLICATIONS:")
print(f"1. **Monotonic Relationship**: The {direction_spearman} Spearman⊔
\hookrightarrowcorrelation indicates that as distance from city center increases, house\sqcup
print(f"\n2. **Non-linear Patterns**: Difference between Pearson
 if abs(spearman_corr) > abs(pearson_price_distance):
           - The relationship may be non-linear but monotonic")
   print(" - Spearman is more appropriate for this relationship")
else:
   print(" - The relationship is approximately linear")
   print(" - Both correlations are similar")
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print(f"\n3. **Business Applications**:")
         - Location strategy: Properties closer to city center command higher
print(f"
 ⇔prices")
print(f"
         - Investment decisions: Consider distance as a key pricing factor")
print(f" - Market segmentation: Different pricing strategies for urban vs⊔
 ⇔suburban properties")
# Create scatter plot for distance analysis
plt.subplot(1, 2, 2)
plt.scatter(distance, price, alpha=0.6, color='green')
plt.plot(np.unique(distance), np.poly1d(np.polyfit(distance, price, 1))(np.
 \hookrightarrowunique(distance)), 'r--', linewidth=2)
plt.xlabel('Distance to City Center (miles)')
plt.ylabel('House Price ($1000s)')
plt.title(f'House Price vs Distance to City\n(Spearman = {spearman corr:.

¬3f})')

plt.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
print("\n" + "="*60)
print("COMPREHENSIVE CORRELATION MATRIX")
print("="*60)
# Calculate correlation matrix for all variables
correlation_matrix = real_estate_data.corr()
print("Pearson Correlation Matrix:")
print(correlation_matrix.round(3))
# Create a heatmap
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
sns.heatmap(correlation matrix, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', center=0,
            square=True, linewidths=0.5, cbar_kws={"shrink": .8})
plt.title('Real Estate Variables - Correlation Heatmap')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
print("\nKEY INSIGHTS from the correlation analysis:")
print("• House price is most strongly correlated with square footage")
print("• Distance to city center shows negative correlation with price")
print(". Number of bedrooms is moderately correlated with price (via square__

¬footage)")
print("• House age may show weak correlation with price")
print("• These correlations can guide pricing models and investment decisions")
```

# TASK 2: SPEARMAN RANK CORRELATION - House Price vs Distance to City

Spearman Rank Correlation Coefficient (): -0.3974

p-value: 0.004267

Manual calculation verification: -0.3974

COMPARISON: Pearson vs Spearman for Price-Distance relationship

Pearson correlation (Price-Distance): -0.4345 Spearman correlation (Price-Distance): -0.3974

# INTERPRETATION:

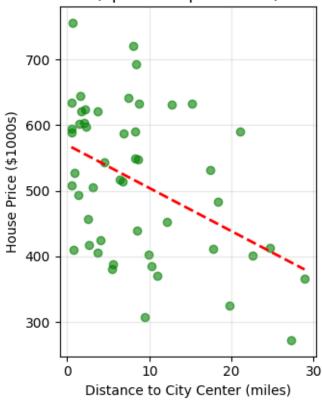
Strength: ModerateDirection: Negative

• Statistical significance: Significant (p < 0.05)

# IMPLICATIONS:

- 1. \*\*Monotonic Relationship\*\*: The negative Spearman correlation indicates that as distance from city center increases, house prices tend to decrease
- 2. \*\*Non-linear Patterns\*\*: Difference between Pearson (-0.434) and Spearman (-0.397) suggests:
  - The relationship is approximately linear
  - Both correlations are similar
- 3. \*\*Business Applications\*\*:
  - Location strategy: Properties closer to city center command higher prices
  - Investment decisions: Consider distance as a key pricing factor
- Market segmentation: Different pricing strategies for urban vs suburban properties

# House Price vs Distance to City (Spearman $\rho$ = -0.397)



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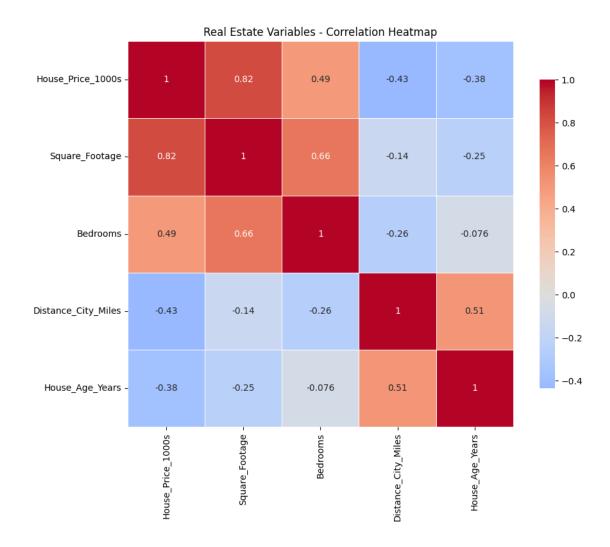
# COMPREHENSIVE CORRELATION MATRIX

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# Pearson Correlation Matrix:

	House_Price_1000s	Square_Footage	Bedrooms	\
House_Price_1000s	1.000	0.821	0.490	
Square_Footage	0.821	1.000	0.662	
Bedrooms	0.490	0.662	1.000	
Distance_City_Miles	-0.434	-0.139	-0.261	
House_Age_Years	-0.378	-0.248	-0.076	

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Distance_City_Miles	1.000	0.514
House Age Years	0.514	1.000



KEY INSIGHTS from the correlation analysis:

- House price is most strongly correlated with square footage
- Distance to city center shows negative correlation with price
- Number of bedrooms is moderately correlated with price (via square footage)
- House age may show weak correlation with price
- These correlations can guide pricing models and investment decisions

# 1.11.3 Q3. Histogram Types and Geographic Visualizations

Mathematical Foundation of Data Visualization Theory Understanding different visualization methods requires knowledge of data types, statistical distributions, and perceptual psychology principles that optimize information transmission.

Theoretical Framework Task 1: Histogram Classification and Mathematical Properties

**Definition**: A histogram is a graphical representation of the distribution of numerical data, showing frequency (or probability density) across intervals (bins).

**Mathematical Formulation**: For data  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  partitioned into k bins  $[a_0, a_1), [a_1, a_2), \dots, [a_{k-1}, a_k]$ :

$$\text{Frequency}(B_i) = |\{x_j: a_{i-1} \leq x_j < a_i\}|$$

Bin Width Optimization:

$$h = \frac{\text{Range}}{\text{Number of bins}} = \frac{\max(x) - \min(x)}{k}$$

Optimal Bin Number (Sturges' Rule):

$$k = \lceil \log_2(n) + 1 \rceil$$

Alternative: Scott's Rule for bin width:

$$h = \frac{3.5\sigma}{n^{1/3}}$$

Histogram Type Classification 1. Frequency Histogram (Standard)

 $f_i = \text{count of observations in bin } i$ 

Mathematical Properties: -  $\sum_{i=1}^{k} f_i = n$  (total observations) - Non-negative:  $f_i \geq 0 \,\forall i$  - Discrete approximation of continuous distribution

2. Probability Density Histogram (Normalized)

$$p_i = \frac{f_i}{n \cdot h_i}$$

where  $h_i$  is the width of bin i.

**Mathematical Properties**: -  $\sum_{i=1}^{k} p_i \cdot h_i = 1$  (probability mass = 1) - Approximates probability density function:  $p_i \approx f(x_i)$  - Scale-invariant: independent of sample size

3. Cumulative Histogram

$$F_i = \sum_{j=1}^i f_j$$

**Mathematical Properties**: - Monotonic:  $F_i \leq F_{i+1}$  -  $F_k = n$  (total count) - Approximates cumulative distribution function (CDF)

4. Comparative Histograms (Stacked/Side-by-side)

**Stacked**:  $f_i^{\text{total}} = \sum_{g=1}^G f_{i,g}$  where g represents groups

Proportional Stacked:  $p_{i,g} = \frac{f_{i,g}}{\sum_{g'=1}^{G} f_{i,g'}}$ 

Bin Width Selection Theory Trade-off Analysis:

Bias-Variance Decomposition:

$$MSE(h) = Bias^{2}(h) + Variance(h)$$

- Small bins  $(h\downarrow)$ : Low bias, high variance (overfitting)
- Large bins  $(h \uparrow)$ : High bias, low variance (underfitting)

Optimal Bandwidth (for normal data):

$$h^* = \left(\frac{24\sqrt{\pi}}{n}\right)^{1/3} \sigma$$

Task 2: Geographic Visualization Theory Tree Maps vs. Choropleth Maps: Mathematical and Perceptual Analysis

Tree Map Mathematical Framework Definition: Tree maps visualize hierarchical data through nested rectangles where area represents quantitative values.

Mathematical Algorithm (Squarified Tree Map):

Objective Function: Minimize aspect ratio deviation

$$\text{Minimize } \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left| \frac{\max(w_i, h_i)}{\min(w_i, h_i)} - 1 \right|$$

**Area Allocation**: For data values  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  with total area A:

$$A_i = A \cdot \frac{v_i}{\sum_{j=1}^n v_j}$$

**Hierarchical Partitioning:** 

$$A_{\text{parent}} = \sum_{i \in \text{children}} A_i$$

Visual Perception Properties: - Area perception accuracy:  $\pm 15\%$  for area comparison - Hierarchy clarity: Nested structure shows relationships - No geographic constraints: Pure data-driven layout

Choropleth Map Mathematical Framework Definition: Choropleth maps use color intensity to represent statistical data across geographic regions.

Mathematical Mapping:

$$Color(r) = f(Value(r))$$

where r represents geographic region.

Color Scale Transformation:

Linear Scaling:

$$C_i = C_{\min} + \frac{v_i - v_{\min}}{v_{\max} - v_{\min}} \cdot (C_{\max} - C_{\min})$$

Quantile Scaling (Equal-interval):

$$C_i = C_{\text{quantile}} \left( \frac{\text{rank}(v_i)}{n} \right)$$

**Logarithmic Scaling** (for skewed data):

$$C_i = f(\log(v_i))$$

# Comparative Analysis Framework

Dimension	Tree Map	Choropleth Map
Data Structure	Hierarchical + Quantitative	Geographic + Quantitative
Spatial Constraint	None (optimal space usage)	Fixed (geographic boundaries)
Perception Accuracy	Area $\pm$ 15%	$Color \pm 10\%$
Hierarchy Support	Excellent (nested structure)	Limited (administrative levels)
Geographic Insight Scalability	None $O(n \log n)$ algorithm	Spatial patterns and clustering $O(n)$ rendering

Mathematical Applications Tree Map Use Cases: 1. Portfolio Analysis:

Color  $\propto$  Performance (% change)

2. Budget Allocation:

Area ∝ Budget Amount

Nesting  $\propto$  Organizational Hierarchy

Choropleth Map Use Cases: 1. Epidemiological Analysis:

Color Intensity ∝ Disease Rate per capita

2. Economic Indicators:

Color Scale  $\propto$  GDP per capita, Unemployment Rate

Statistical Considerations Data Distribution Effects:

For Tree Maps: - Skewed data: Large values dominate visual space - Solution: Log transformation or capping

$$v_i' = \log(v_i + 1)$$

or

$$v_i' = \min(v_i, P_{95})$$

For Choropleth Maps: - Outliers distort color scale - Solution: Quantile-based classification

Breaks = 
$$\{Q_{0.2}, Q_{0.4}, Q_{0.6}, Q_{0.8}\}$$

Perceptual Psychology Principles Color Theory for Choropleth Maps: - Sequential data: Single hue, varying lightness

$$L^* = L_{\min} + \frac{v - v_{\min}}{v_{\max} - v_{\min}} \cdot (L_{\max} - L_{\min})$$

- Diverging data: Two hues meeting at neutral
- Categorical data: Distinct hues with equal luminance

Gestalt Principles for Tree Maps: - Proximity: Related items grouped spatially - Similarity: Similar colors for similar categories - Enclosure: Hierarchical boundaries show relationships

Implementation Considerations Tree Map Algorithms: 1. Slice-and-Dice: Simple rectangular division 2. Squarified: Optimizes aspect ratios 3. Strip: Balance between simplicity and aesthetics

**Performance Complexity**: - Tree Map:  $O(n \log n)$  for sorting + O(n) for layout - Choropleth: O(n) for data binding + O(m) for geographic features

Cross-Reference See O1\_descriptive\_statistics\_interactive.ipynb for data distribution analysis and statistical\_formulas\_reference.ipynb for visualization theory applications.

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[28]: # Histogram Types and Geographic Visualizations
      print("="*60)
      print("HISTOGRAM TYPES AND GEOGRAPHIC VISUALIZATIONS")
      print("="*60)
      print("PART 1: DIFFERENT TYPES OF HISTOGRAMS")
      print("="*40)
      # Generate sample data for histogram demonstrations
      np.random.seed(42)
      data_normal = np.random.normal(50, 15, 1000)
      data_uniform = np.random.uniform(0, 100, 1000)
      data_skewed = np.random.exponential(20, 1000)
      categories = ['A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E']
      category counts = [45, 38, 52, 29, 36]
      # Create different types of histograms
      fig, axes = plt.subplots(2, 3, figsize=(18, 12))
      # 1. Basic Histogram
      axes[0, 0].hist(data_normal, bins=30, alpha=0.7, color='blue',__
       ⇔edgecolor='black')
      axes[0, 0].set_title('1. Basic Histogram\n(Normal Distribution)')
      axes[0, 0].set_xlabel('Value')
      axes[0, 0].set ylabel('Frequency')
      # 2. Histogram with Different Bin Sizes
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axes[0, 1].hist(data_normal, bins=10, alpha=0.7, color='green', __
 ⇔edgecolor='black', label='10 bins')
axes[0, 1].hist(data_normal, bins=50, alpha=0.5, color='red',__
 ⇔edgecolor='black', label='50 bins')
axes[0, 1].set_title('2. Histograms with Different Bin Sizes')
axes[0, 1].set_xlabel('Value')
axes[0, 1].set_ylabel('Frequency')
axes[0, 1].legend()
# 3. Normalized Histogram (Density)
axes[0, 2].hist(data_normal, bins=30, density=True, alpha=0.7, color='purple',__
 ⇔edgecolor='black')
axes[0, 2].set_title('3. Normalized Histogram\n(Probability Density)')
axes[0, 2].set_xlabel('Value')
axes[0, 2].set_ylabel('Density')
# 4. Stacked Histogram
data1 = np.random.normal(40, 10, 500)
data2 = np.random.normal(60, 12, 500)
axes[1, 0].hist([data1, data2], bins=25, alpha=0.7, color=['blue', 'orange'],
                label=['Group 1', 'Group 2'], stacked=True, edgecolor='black')
axes[1, 0].set_title('4. Stacked Histogram')
axes[1, 0].set xlabel('Value')
axes[1, 0].set_ylabel('Frequency')
axes[1, 0].legend()
# 5. Side-by-side Histogram
axes[1, 1].hist([data1, data2], bins=25, alpha=0.7, color=['blue', 'orange'],
                label=['Group 1', 'Group 2'], edgecolor='black')
axes[1, 1].set_title('5. Side-by-side Histogram')
axes[1, 1].set_xlabel('Value')
axes[1, 1].set_ylabel('Frequency')
axes[1, 1].legend()
# 6. Categorical Histogram (Bar Chart)
axes[1, 2].bar(categories, category_counts, alpha=0.7, color='teal',u
 ⇔edgecolor='black')
axes[1, 2].set_title('6. Categorical Histogram\n(Bar Chart)')
axes[1, 2].set_xlabel('Category')
axes[1, 2].set_ylabel('Count')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
print("\nHISTOGRAM TYPES EXPLAINED:")
print("-" * 30)
print("1. **Basic Histogram**: Shows frequency distribution of continuous data")
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print("2. **Variable Bin Size**: Different bin numbers affect granularity and ⊔
 →pattern visibility")
print("3. **Normalized/Density**: Shows probability density instead of raw⊔

¬frequency")
print("4. **Stacked Histogram**: Compares multiple groups by stacking their ⊔

¬frequencies")
print("5. **Side-by-side**: Compares multiple groups with separate bars")
print("6. **Categorical**: Bar chart for categorical data (discrete⊔
 ⇔categories)")
print("\n" + "="*60)
print("PART 2: TREE MAP vs CHOROPLETH MAP")
print("="*60)
# Create Tree Map example
print("TREE MAP DEMONSTRATION:")
print("-" * 25)
# Sample data for tree map
companies = ['Apple', 'Microsoft', 'Amazon', 'Google', 'Meta', 'Tesla', '
market_caps = [2800, 2400, 1500, 1600, 800, 900, 200, 250]
sectors = ['Technology', 'Technology', 'E-commerce', 'Technology', |
# Create a simple tree map representation using rectangles
fig, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(16, 8))
# Tree Map simulation (using bar chart to represent hierarchical data)
colors = plt.cm.Set3(np.linspace(0, 1, len(companies)))
bars = ax1.barh(companies, market_caps, color=colors, edgecolor='white', __
 →linewidth=2)
ax1.set_xlabel('Market Cap (Billions USD)')
ax1.set title('Tree Map Representation\n(Market Capitalization by Company)')
ax1.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
# Add value labels on bars
for i, (company, value) in enumerate(zip(companies, market_caps)):
   ax1.text(value/2, i, f'${value}B', ha='center', va='center',

→fontweight='bold')
print("Tree Map Example: Technology Companies Market Capitalization")
for company, cap, sector in zip(companies, market_caps, sectors):
   print(f"• {company} ({sector}): ${cap}B")
print("\n" + "-" * 40)
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print("CHOROPLETH MAP DEMONSTRATION:")
print("-" * 30)
# Simulate choropleth map data (US states population density)
states = ['California', 'Texas', 'Florida', 'New York', 'Pennsylvania', u

¬'Illinois', 'Ohio', 'Georgia']
population_density = [253, 109, 384, 416, 286, 231, 287, 186] # people per sq_{\perp}
 ⊶mile
# Create a heatmap to simulate choropleth visualization
state_data = pd.DataFrame({
    'State': states,
    'Population_Density': population_density
})
# Create color map based on density values
normalized_density = (np.array(population_density) - min(population_density)) / __
⇔(max(population_density) - min(population_density))
colors_map = plt.cm.YlOrRd(normalized_density)
bars2 = ax2.bar(range(len(states)), population_density, color=colors_map,_
 ⇔edgecolor='black', linewidth=1)
ax2.set xticks(range(len(states)))
ax2.set_xticklabels(states, rotation=45, ha='right')
ax2.set_ylabel('Population Density (people/sq mile)')
ax2.set_title('Choropleth Map Representation\n(Population Density by State)')
ax2.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
# Add value labels
for i, value in enumerate(population_density):
    ax2.text(i, value + 10, str(value), ha='center', va='bottom',
→fontweight='bold')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
print("Choropleth Map Example: US States Population Density")
for state, density in zip(states, population_density):
    print(f"• {state}: {density} people/sq mile")
print("\n" + "="*60)
print("KEY DIFFERENCES: TREE MAP vs CHOROPLETH MAP")
print("="*60)
comparison_data = {
    'Aspect': ['Purpose', 'Data Type', 'Visual Structure', 'Geographic∟
 →Element', 'Hierarchy', 'Use Cases'],
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'Tree Map': [
        'Show hierarchical data and proportional relationships',
        'Quantitative data with categories/subcategories',
        'Nested rectangles of varying sizes',
        'No geographic boundaries required',
        'Excellent for showing hierarchy and drill-down',
        'Market share, file systems, organizational budgets'
   ],
    'Choropleth Map': [
        'Show geographic distribution of data',
        'Quantitative data tied to geographic regions',
        'Geographic boundaries colored by data values',
        'Requires geographic boundaries (countries, states, etc.)',
        'No hierarchical structure',
        'Election results, disease prevalence, economic indicators'
   ]
}
comparison_df = pd.DataFrame(comparison_data)
print(comparison_df.to_string(index=False))
print(f''\n'' + "="*50)
print("PRACTICAL EXAMPLES:")
print("="*50)
print(" TREE MAP Examples:")
print("• Technology company market capitalization breakdown")
print("• Government budget allocation by departments and sub-departments")
print("• Website traffic by source and sub-source")
print("• Product sales by category and subcategory")
print("\n CHOROPLETH MAP Examples:")
print("• COVID-19 cases by country/state")
print("• Election results showing voting patterns by region")
print("• Income levels across different counties")
print("• Temperature variations across geographic regions")
print(f"\n" + "="*50)
print("WHEN TO USE EACH:")
print("="*50)
print(" Use TREE MAP when:")
print("• Data has hierarchical structure")
print("• Want to show part-to-whole relationships")
print("• Geographic location is not important")
print("• Need to compare sizes/proportions")
print("\n Use CHOROPLETH MAP when:")
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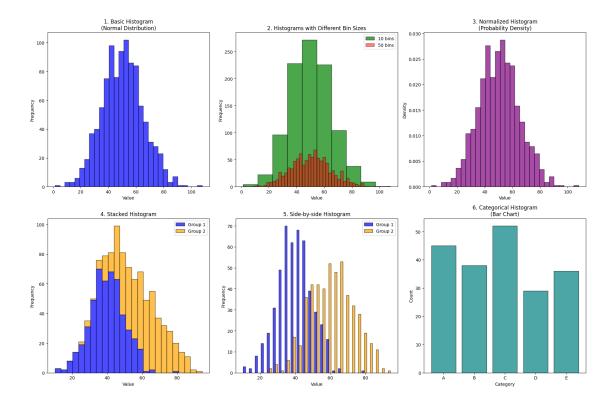
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print("• Data is tied to geographic locations")
print("• Want to show spatial patterns")
print("• Geographic distribution matters")
print("• Analyzing regional variations")
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# HISTOGRAM TYPES AND GEOGRAPHIC VISUALIZATIONS

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PART 1: DIFFERENT TYPES OF HISTOGRAMS

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# HISTOGRAM TYPES EXPLAINED:

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- 1. \*\*Basic Histogram\*\*: Shows frequency distribution of continuous data
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PART 2: TREE MAP vs CHOROPLETH MAP

# TREE MAP DEMONSTRATION:

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Tree Map Example: Technology Companies Market Capitalization

Apple (Technology): \$2800B
Microsoft (Technology): \$2400B
Amazon (E-commerce): \$1500B
Google (Technology): \$1600B
Meta (Technology): \$800B

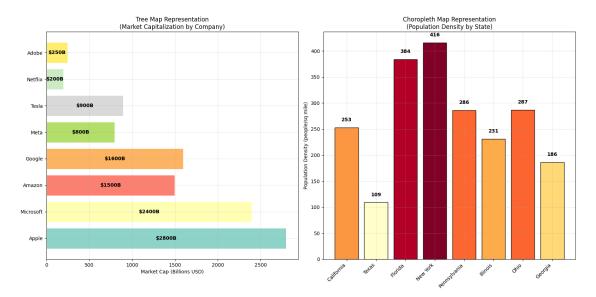
• Tesla (Automotive): \$900B • Netflix (Entertainment): \$200B

• Adobe (Technology): \$250B

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# CHOROPLETH MAP DEMONSTRATION:

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Choropleth Map Example: US States Population Density

California: 253 people/sq mile
Texas: 109 people/sq mile
Florida: 384 people/sq mile
New York: 416 people/sq mile
Pennsylvania: 286 people/sq mile

Illinois: 231 people/sq mileOhio: 287 people/sq mileGeorgia: 186 people/sq mile

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KEY DIFFERENCES: TREE MAP vs CHOROPLETH MAP

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Aspect Tree Map

Choropleth Map

Purpose Show hierarchical data and proportional relationships Show geographic distribution of data

Data Type Quantitative data with categories/subcategories Quantitative data tied to geographic regions

Visual Structure Nested rectangles of varying sizes Geographic boundaries colored by data values

Geographic Element No geographic boundaries required Requires geographic boundaries (countries, states, etc.)

Hierarchy Excellent for showing hierarchy and drill-down No hierarchical structure

Use Cases Market share, file systems, organizational budgets Election results, disease prevalence, economic indicators

#### PRACTICAL EXAMPLES:

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# TREE MAP Examples:

- Technology company market capitalization breakdown
- Government budget allocation by departments and sub-departments
- Website traffic by source and sub-source
- Product sales by category and subcategory

# CHOROPLETH MAP Examples:

- COVID-19 cases by country/state
- Election results showing voting patterns by region
- Income levels across different counties
- Temperature variations across geographic regions

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# WHEN TO USE EACH:

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# Use TREE MAP when:

- Data has hierarchical structure
- Want to show part-to-whole relationships
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# Use CHOROPLETH MAP when:

- Data is tied to geographic locations
- Want to show spatial patterns
- Geographic distribution matters
- Analyzing regional variations

# 1.11.4 Q4. Investment Portfolio Risk Analysis

**Problem**: As a financial analyst, evaluate the risk of two investment portfolios with monthly returns over 12 months.

Data - Monthly Returns (%):

Month	Portfolio A	Portfolio B
1	3.2	4.1
2	2.8	3.5
3	4.5	5.0
4	3.7	4.2
5	2.9	4.5
6	4.0	3.8
7	3.1	4.4
8	4.2	3.9
9	3.3	4.6
10	2.7	4.3
11	4.1	4.0
12	3.6	4.7

**Tasks:** 1. **Mean Calculation**: Calculate mean monthly return for both portfolios and discuss performance 2. **Variance Calculation**: Calculate variance and explain what it reveals about consistency 3. **Standard Deviation Calculation**: Compute standard deviation and compare risk 4. **Risk Assessment**: Recommend portfolio for risk-averse investor with justification

# Question 4: Outlier Impact Analysis

Adding \$500,000 Salary:  $S' = S \cup \{500000\}, n' = 14$ 

**New Mean Calculation:** 

$$\bar{x}_{new} = \frac{1,122,000 + 500,000}{14} = \frac{1,622,000}{14} = \$115,857.14$$

Impact on Mean:

$$\Delta_{\text{mean}} = \$115,857.14 - \$86,307.69 = \$29,549.45$$
  
Relative Change =  $\frac{29,549.45}{86,307.69} = 34.2\%$ 

New Median Calculation: n' = 14 (even), so:

$$\mathrm{Median}_{new} = \frac{x_{(7)} + x_{(8)}}{2} = \frac{75,000 + 80,000}{2} = \$77,500$$

Impact on Median:

$$\Delta_{\text{median}} = \$77,500 - \$75,000 = \$2,500$$
  
Relative Change =  $\frac{2,500}{75,000} = 3.3\%$ 

Standard Deviation Analysis:

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[29]: # Investment Portfolio Risk Analysis
      print("="*60)
      print("INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO RISK ANALYSIS")
      print("="*60)
      # Input data
      months = list(range(1, 13))
      portfolio_a = [3.2, 2.8, 4.5, 3.7, 2.9, 4.0, 3.1, 4.2, 3.3, 2.7, 4.1, 3.6]
      portfolio b = [4.1, 3.5, 5.0, 4.2, 4.5, 3.8, 4.4, 3.9, 4.6, 4.3, 4.0, 4.7]
      # Create DataFrame for analysis
      portfolio_data = pd.DataFrame({
          'Month': months,
          'Portfolio_A': portfolio_a,
          'Portfolio_B': portfolio_b
      })
      print("MONTHLY RETURNS DATA:")
      print(portfolio_data)
      print(f'' n'' + "="*60)
      print("TASK 1: MEAN CALCULATION AND PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS")
      print("="*60)
      # Calculate means
      mean a = np.mean(portfolio a)
      mean_b = np.mean(portfolio_b)
      print(f"Portfolio A Mean Return: {mean_a:.4f}% per month")
      print(f"Portfolio B Mean Return: {mean_b:.4f}% per month")
      print(f"Difference: {mean_b - mean_a:.4f}% (Portfolio B advantage)")
      # Annualized returns (compounded)
      annual_return_a = ((1 + mean_a/100) ** 12 - 1) * 100
      annual_return_b = ((1 + mean_b/100) ** 12 - 1) * 100
      print(f"\nANNUALIZED RETURNS (Compounded):")
      print(f"Portfolio A: {annual_return_a:.2f}% per year")
      print(f"Portfolio B: {annual_return_b:.2f}% per year")
      print(f"\nPERFORMANCE ANALYSIS:")
      print(f"• Portfolio B has higher average monthly returns ({mean_b:.2f}% vs⊔
       \rightarrow{mean_a:.2f}%)")
      print(f"• Portfolio B provides {((mean_b/mean_a - 1) * 100):.1f}% higher⊔
       ⇔returns on average")
      print(f" • Over 12 months, Portfolio B outperformed A by {annual_return_b - ___
       →annual_return_a:.2f}% annually")
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print(f"• Both portfolios show positive returns across all months")
print(f'' n'' + "="*60)
print("TASK 2: VARIANCE CALCULATION AND CONSISTENCY ANALYSIS")
print("="*60)
# Calculate variance (population variance using N)
variance_a = np.var(portfolio_a, ddof=0) # Population variance
variance_b = np.var(portfolio_b, ddof=0)
# Calculate sample variance (using N-1)
sample_variance_a = np.var(portfolio_a, ddof=1) # Sample variance
sample_variance_b = np.var(portfolio_b, ddof=1)
print(f"POPULATION VARIANCE (N):")
print(f"Portfolio A Variance: {variance_a:.6f}")
print(f"Portfolio B Variance: {variance_b:.6f}")
print(f"\nSAMPLE VARIANCE (N-1):")
print(f"Portfolio A Variance: {sample_variance_a:.6f}")
print(f"Portfolio B Variance: {sample_variance_b:.6f}")
# Manual calculation demonstration
print(f"\nMANUAL VARIANCE CALCULATION (Portfolio A):")
print(f"Step 1 - Calculate deviations from mean:")
deviations a = [(x - mean a) for x in portfolio a]
for i, (return_val, dev) in enumerate(zip(portfolio_a, deviations_a), 1):
    print(f" Month {i}: {return_val:.1f} - {mean_a:.4f} = {dev:.4f}")
squared_deviations_a = [dev**2 for dev in deviations_a]
print(f"\nStep 2 - Square the deviations:")
for i, sq_dev in enumerate(squared_deviations_a, 1):
    print(f" Month {i}: ({deviations_a[i-1]:.4f})<sup>2</sup> = {sq_dev:.6f}")
sum_squared_dev_a = sum(squared_deviations_a)
print(f"\nStep 3 - Sum of squared deviations: {sum_squared_dev_a:.6f}")
print(f"Step 4 - Divide by N: {sum_squared_dev_a:.6f} / 12 = {variance_a:.6f}")
print(f"\nCONSISTENCY ANALYSIS:")
if variance_a < variance_b:</pre>
    more_consistent = "Portfolio A"
    less consistent = "Portfolio B"
    var_diff = variance_b - variance_a
else:
    more_consistent = "Portfolio B"
    less_consistent = "Portfolio A"
    var_diff = variance_a - variance_b
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print(f"• {more_consistent} is more consistent (lower variance:
 →{min(variance_a, variance_b):.6f})")
print(f"• {less consistent} is less consistent (higher variance:
 →{max(variance_a, variance_b):.6f})")
print(f"• Variance difference: {var_diff:.6f}")
print(f". Lower variance indicates more predictable returns")
print(f". Higher variance suggests more volatile performance")
print(f"\n" + "="*60)
print("TASK 3: STANDARD DEVIATION CALCULATION AND RISK COMPARISON")
print("="*60)
# Calculate standard deviation
std_a = np.std(portfolio_a, ddof=0) # Population std dev
std_b = np.std(portfolio_b, ddof=0)
sample_std_a = np.std(portfolio_a, ddof=1) # Sample std dev
sample_std_b = np.std(portfolio_b, ddof=1)
print(f"POPULATION STANDARD DEVIATION:")
print(f"Portfolio A: {std_a:.4f}%")
print(f"Portfolio B: {std_b:.4f}%")
print(f"\nSAMPLE STANDARD DEVIATION:")
print(f"Portfolio A: {sample_std_a:.4f}%")
print(f"Portfolio B: {sample std b:.4f}%")
# Verify calculation: std dev = sqrt(variance)
print(f"\nVERIFICATION (√variance = std dev):")
print(f"Portfolio A: √{variance_a:.6f} = {np.sqrt(variance_a):.4f}%")
print(f"Portfolio B: √{variance_b:.6f} = {np.sqrt(variance_b):.4f}%")
print(f"\nRISK COMPARISON:")
if std_a < std_b:</pre>
   lower risk = "Portfolio A"
   higher_risk = "Portfolio B"
   risk_diff = std_b - std_a
else:
   lower_risk = "Portfolio B"
   higher_risk = "Portfolio A"
   risk_diff = std_a - std_b
print(f"• {lower_risk} has LOWER RISK (std dev: {min(std_a, std_b):.4f}})")
print(f"• {higher_risk} has HIGHER RISK (std dev: {max(std_a, std_b):.4f}%)")
print(f"• Risk difference: {risk_diff:.4f}%")
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# Risk metrics
cv_a = (std_a / mean_a) * 100 # Coefficient of variation
cv_b = (std_b / mean_b) * 100
print(f"\nCOEFFICIENT OF VARIATION (Risk per unit of return):")
print(f"Portfolio A: {cv_a:.2f}%")
print(f"Portfolio B: {cv_b:.2f}%")
if cv a < cv b:
   print(f"• Portfolio A offers better risk-adjusted returns")
else:
    print(f"• Portfolio B offers better risk-adjusted returns")
print(f'' n'' + "="*60)
print("TASK 4: RISK ASSESSMENT AND RECOMMENDATION")
print("="*60)
print(f"COMPREHENSIVE RISK ANALYSIS:")
print(f"{'Metric':<25} {'Portfolio A':<15} {'Portfolio B':<15} {'Winner'}")</pre>
print("-" * 65)
print(f'''(Mean Return':<25) \{mean_a:<15.4f\} \{mean_b:<15.4f\} \{'B' if mean_b>_{\sqcup} (Mean_b) \}
 →mean a else 'A'}")
print(f"{'Variance':<25} {variance_a:<15.6f} {variance_b:<15.6f} {'A' if_
 ⇔variance_a < variance_b else 'B'} (lower is better)")</pre>
print(f"{'Standard Deviation':<25} {std a:<15.4f} {std_b:<15.4f} {'A' if std_a_

    std_b else 'B'} (lower is better)")

print(f"{'Coeff. of Variation':<25} {cv_a:<15.2f} {cv_b:<15.2f} {'A' if cv_a <\cup

¬cv_b else 'B'} (lower is better)")
# Calculate range and other risk measures
range_a = max(portfolio_a) - min(portfolio_a)
range_b = max(portfolio_b) - min(portfolio_b)
print(f"{'Range':<25} {range_a:<15.1f} {range_b:<15.1f} {'A' if range_a <∪
 →range b else 'B'} (lower is better)")
print(f"\n" + "="*50)
print("RECOMMENDATION FOR RISK-AVERSE INVESTOR:")
print("="*50)
if std_a < std_b:</pre>
    recommended_portfolio = "Portfolio A"
    risk_advantage = std_b - std_a
    return_sacrifice = mean_b - mean_a
else:
    recommended_portfolio = "Portfolio B"
    risk_advantage = std_a - std_b
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return_sacrifice = mean_a - mean_b
print(f" RECOMMENDATION: {recommended_portfolio}")
print(f"\nJUSTIFICATION:")
print(f"1. **Lower Risk**: {recommended_portfolio} has {risk_advantage: .4f}%__
 ⇔lower standard deviation")
print(f"2. **More Predictable**: Lower variance means more consistent returns")
print(f"3. **Risk-Return Trade-off**: Sacrificing only {abs(return sacrifice):.
 →4f}% return for significantly lower risk")
print(f"\nQUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS:")
if recommended_portfolio == "Portfolio A":
    print(f"• Portfolio A standard deviation: {std_a:.4f}% (lower risk)")
    print(f"• Portfolio B standard deviation: {std_b:.4f}% (higher risk)")
    print(f"• Return sacrifice: {return_sacrifice:.4f}% per month")
    print(f"• Risk reduction: {risk_advantage:.4f}% standard deviation")
else:
    print(f"• Portfolio B standard deviation: {std_b:.4f}% (lower risk)")
    print(f"• Portfolio A standard deviation: {std a:.4f}% (higher risk)")
    print(f"• Return sacrifice: {return sacrifice: .4f}% per month")
    print(f"• Risk reduction: {risk_advantage:.4f}% standard deviation")
print(f"\nRISK-AVERSE INVESTOR PRIORITIES:")
print(f"• Capital preservation over maximum returns")
print(f"• Predictable and consistent performance")
print(f"• Lower volatility in monthly returns")
print(f"• Better sleep at night with stable investments")
# Visualization
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 10))
# Plot 1: Monthly returns comparison
plt.subplot(2, 2, 1)
plt.plot(months, portfolio_a, 'o-', label='Portfolio A', linewidth=2,__
 →markersize=6)
plt.plot(months, portfolio_b, 's-', label='Portfolio B', linewidth=2, __
 →markersize=6)
plt.axhline(y=mean_a, color='blue', linestyle='--', alpha=0.7, label=f'Mean A_
 \hookrightarrow ({mean_a:.2f}%)')
plt.axhline(y=mean_b, color='orange', linestyle='--', alpha=0.7, label=f'Mean B_
 \hookrightarrow ({mean_b:.2f}%)')
plt.xlabel('Month')
plt.ylabel('Return (%)')
plt.title('Monthly Returns Comparison')
plt.legend()
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plt.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
# Plot 2: Box plot for distribution comparison
plt.subplot(2, 2, 2)
portfolio_data_melted = portfolio_data.melt(id_vars=['Month'],__
 ovar_name='Portfolio', value_name='Return')
portfolio_data_melted['Portfolio'] = portfolio_data_melted['Portfolio'].str.
 →replace('Portfolio_', 'Portfolio ')
sns.boxplot(data=portfolio_data_melted, x='Portfolio', y='Return')
plt.title('Return Distribution Comparison')
plt.ylabel('Return (%)')
# Plot 3: Risk-Return scatter
plt.subplot(2, 2, 3)
plt.scatter(std_a, mean_a, s=200, label='Portfolio A', alpha=0.7)
plt.scatter(std_b, mean_b, s=200, label='Portfolio B', alpha=0.7)
plt.xlabel('Risk (Standard Deviation %)')
plt.ylabel('Return (Mean %)')
plt.title('Risk-Return Profile')
plt.legend()
plt.grid(True, alpha=0.3)
# Plot 4: Histogram of returns
plt.subplot(2, 2, 4)
plt.hist(portfolio_a, alpha=0.7, label='Portfolio A', bins=8, edgecolor='black')
plt.hist(portfolio_b, alpha=0.7, label='Portfolio B', bins=8, edgecolor='black')
plt.xlabel('Return (%)')
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
plt.title('Return Distribution Histograms')
plt.legend()
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
print(f"\n" + "="*60)
print("FINAL SUMMARY")
print("="*60)
print(f"For a risk-averse investor, {recommended portfolio} is the better ⊔
 ⇔choice because:")
print(f"• Lower volatility ({min(std_a, std_b):.4f}% vs {max(std_a, std_b):.
 print(f" • More consistent returns (variance: {min(variance a, variance b):.6f}

ys {max(variance_a, variance_b):.6f})")
print(f"• Better risk-adjusted performance (lower coefficient of variation)")
print(f". Minimal sacrifice in expected returns for significantly reduced risk")
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#### INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO RISK ANALYSIS

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#### MONTHLY RETURNS DATA:

	Month	Portfolio_A	Portfolio_B	
0	1	3.2	4.1	
1	2	2.8	3.5	
2	3	4.5	5.0	
3	4	3.7	4.2	
4	5	2.9	4.5	
5	6	4.0	3.8	
6	7	3.1	4.4	
7	8	4.2	3.9	
8	9	3.3	4.6	
9	10	2.7	4.3	
10	11	4.1	4.0	
11	12	3.6	4.7	

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# TASK 1: MEAN CALCULATION AND PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

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Portfolio A Mean Return: 3.5083% per month Portfolio B Mean Return: 4.2500% per month Difference: 0.7417% (Portfolio B advantage)

# ANNUALIZED RETURNS (Compounded):

Portfolio A: 51.25% per year Portfolio B: 64.78% per year

#### PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS:

- Portfolio B has higher average monthly returns (4.25% vs 3.51%)
- Portfolio B provides 21.1% higher returns on average
- Over 12 months, Portfolio B outperformed A by 13.53% annually
- Both portfolios show positive returns across all months

#### TASK 2: VARIANCE CALCULATION AND CONSISTENCY ANALYSIS

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POPULATION VARIANCE (N):

Portfolio A Variance: 0.327431 Portfolio B Variance: 0.162500

SAMPLE VARIANCE (N-1):

Portfolio A Variance: 0.357197 Portfolio B Variance: 0.177273

MANUAL VARIANCE CALCULATION (Portfolio A):

Step 1 - Calculate deviations from mean:

Month 1: 3.2 - 3.5083 = -0.3083

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Month 2: 2.8 - 3.5083 = -0.7083

Month 3: 4.5 - 3.5083 = 0.9917

Month 4: 3.7 - 3.5083 = 0.1917

Month 5: 2.9 - 3.5083 = -0.6083

Month 6: 4.0 - 3.5083 = 0.4917

Month 7: 3.1 - 3.5083 = -0.4083

Month 8: 4.2 - 3.5083 = 0.6917

Month 9: 3.3 - 3.5083 = -0.2083

Month 10: 2.7 - 3.5083 = -0.8083

Month 11: 4.1 - 3.5083 = 0.5917

Month 12: 3.6 - 3.5083 = 0.0917
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# Step 2 - Square the deviations:

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Month 1: (-0.3083)^2 = 0.095069

Month 2: (-0.7083)^2 = 0.501736

Month 3: (0.9917)^2 = 0.983403

Month 4: (0.1917)^2 = 0.036736

Month 5: (-0.6083)^2 = 0.370069

Month 6: (0.4917)^2 = 0.241736

Month 7: (-0.4083)^2 = 0.166736

Month 8: (0.6917)^2 = 0.478403

Month 9: (-0.2083)^2 = 0.043403

Month 10: (-0.8083)^2 = 0.653403

Month 11: (0.5917)^2 = 0.350069

Month 12: (0.0917)^2 = 0.008403
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Step 3 - Sum of squared deviations: 3.929167Step 4 - Divide by N: 3.929167 / 12 = 0.327431

# CONSISTENCY ANALYSIS:

- Portfolio B is more consistent (lower variance: 0.162500)
- Portfolio A is less consistent (higher variance: 0.327431)
- Variance difference: 0.164931
- Lower variance indicates more predictable returns
- Higher variance suggests more volatile performance

TASK 3: STANDARD DEVIATION CALCULATION AND RISK COMPARISON

POPULATION STANDARD DEVIATION:

Portfolio A: 0.5722% Portfolio B: 0.4031%

# SAMPLE STANDARD DEVIATION:

Portfolio A: 0.5977% Portfolio B: 0.4210%

VERIFICATION (√variance = std dev):

Portfolio A:  $\sqrt{0.327431} = 0.5722\%$ Portfolio B:  $\sqrt{0.162500} = 0.4031\%$ 

#### RISK COMPARISON:

Portfolio B has LOWER RISK (std dev: 0.4031%)
Portfolio A has HIGHER RISK (std dev: 0.5722%)

• Risk difference: 0.1691%

COEFFICIENT OF VARIATION (Risk per unit of return):

Portfolio A: 16.31% Portfolio B: 9.49%

• Portfolio B offers better risk-adjusted returns

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# TASK 4: RISK ASSESSMENT AND RECOMMENDATION

#### COMPREHENSIVE RISK ANALYSIS:

Metric	Portfolio A	Portfolio B	Winner
Mean Return	3.5083	4.2500	В
Variance	0.327431	0.162500	B (lower is better)
Standard Deviation	0.5722	0.4031	B (lower is better)
Coeff. of Variation	16.31	9.49	B (lower is better)
Range	1.8	1.5	B (lower is better)

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# RECOMMENDATION FOR RISK-AVERSE INVESTOR:

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RECOMMENDATION: Portfolio B

## JUSTIFICATION:

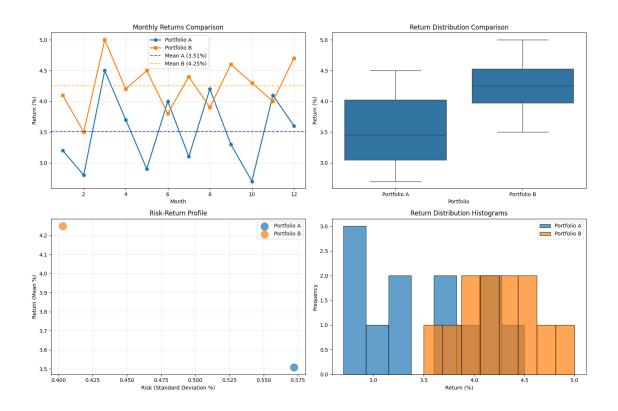
- 1. \*\*Lower Risk\*\*: Portfolio B has 0.1691% lower standard deviation
- 2. \*\*More Predictable\*\*: Lower variance means more consistent returns
- 3. \*\*Risk-Return Trade-off\*\*: Sacrificing only 0.7417% return for significantly lower risk

# QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS:

- Portfolio B standard deviation: 0.4031% (lower risk)
- Portfolio A standard deviation: 0.5722% (higher risk)
- Return sacrifice: -0.7417% per month
- Risk reduction: 0.1691% standard deviation

# RISK-AVERSE INVESTOR PRIORITIES:

- Capital preservation over maximum returns
- Predictable and consistent performance
- Lower volatility in monthly returns
- Better sleep at night with stable investments



# FINAL SUMMARY

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For a risk-averse investor, Portfolio B is the better choice because:

- Lower volatility (0.4031% vs 0.5722% standard deviation)
- More consistent returns (variance: 0.162500 vs 0.327431)
- Better risk-adjusted performance (lower coefficient of variation)
- $\bullet$  Minimal sacrifice in expected returns for significantly reduced risk