## CEM1002

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# **Today**

▶ Let's say that 10am means 10:00 and not 10:10.

#### Graphical/numerical summary wrap-up

- ► (Side-by-side) boxplots
  - Plots five numbers e.g.
  - min, 1st quartile, median, 3rd quartile, max
  - no standard definition
  - some implementations will try to suggest "outliers"
- ► (Observed) (sample) correlation (coefficient)

#### Bare essentials of probability

- Random variable, distribution, etc.
- The Normal distributions
- ► Normal quantile plot



## Correlation coefficient

$$S_{xy} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i - \overline{x}) (y_i - \overline{y})$$
$$r_{xy} = \frac{S_{xy}}{\sqrt{S_{xx}S_{yy}}}$$

## Random variables and distributions

## Some analogies/correspondences:

| Theoretical Model                                                                | Observed Data                                                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Random variable $X$                                                              | Observation                                                    |
| Distribution                                                                     | ???                                                            |
| Sample $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n$                                                   | Dataset $x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n$                                |
| Probability Density Function                                                     | Histogram/density plot                                         |
| Expected value $E(X) = \int x f_X(x) dx$                                         | ???                                                            |
| Sample average $\overline{X} = \frac{\sum X_i}{n}$<br>Variance $E((X - E(X))^2)$ | Obs. sample average $\overline{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n}$        |
| Sample Variance $\frac{\sum (X_i - \overline{X})^2}{n-1}$                        | Obs. sample variance $\frac{\sum (x_i - \overline{x})^2}{n-1}$ |