A Minimal Book Example

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1.3 Preview book

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bookdown::serve_book()

Syllabus

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presby.edu

2.1 Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

This course is designed to introduce to data science. Students will apply statistical knowledge and techniques to both business and non-business contexts.

At the end of this course students should be able to:

- Demonstrate mastery of the statistical software in R and the Rstudio IDE.
- Data wrangle (the process of cleaning and unifying messy and complex data sets for easy access and analysis)
- Demonstrate mastery of single and multiple regression.
- Demonstrate mastery of these dplyr functions: filter, select, mutate, group_by, summaize, and tally.
- Demonstrate mastery of how business analytics is related to other business functions and is important to the success of the business entity.

This course will be focused on both understanding and applying key business analytical concepts. Although the text serves as a useful foundation for the concepts covered in the class, simple memorization of the material in the text will not be sufficient. Class participation, discussion, and application are critical.

2.2 Text and Resources

- The course website (primary reource)
- An Introduction to Statistical Learning with Applications in R; by Gareth James, Daniela Witten, Trevor Hastie and Robert Tibshirani
- R: A self-learn tutorial.
- Other free, publicly available datasets and publications.

2.3 Performance Evaluation (Grading)

- Quizzes and Assignments 20%
- Exam 1 20%
- Exam 2 20%
- Exam 3 20%
- Final Exam 20%

2.3.1 Exams

Exams will cover assigned chapters in the textbook, other assigned readings, lectures, class exercises, class discussions, videos, and guest speakers. I will typically allocate time prior to each exam to clearly identify the body of knowledge each test will cover and to answer questions about the format and objectives of the exam.

2.3.2 Quizzes – DON"T MISS CLASS

- The average of all quizzes and assignments will comprise the Quizzes and Assignments 20% portion of your final grade
- Quizzes are designed to prepare you for your exams and to ensure you stay up with the course material
- Missed quizzes cannot be made up later. Be present.

Quizzes rule. LISTEN.

2.3.3 Final Average

- Final Average Grade
 - 90-100 A
 - 88-89 B+
 - -82-87 B+

- 80-81 B-
- -78-79 C+
- -72-77 C+
- 70-71 C-
- 60-69 D
- 59 and below F

2.4 Class Participation:

I will frequently give readings or assignments for you to complete prior to the next class meeting. I expect you to fully engage the material: answer questions, pose questions, provide insightful observations. Keep in mind that quality is an important component in "participation." Periodic cold calls will take place. I will also put students in the "hot seat" on occasion. In these class sessions, I may select a random group of students to lead us in the discussion and debate. Because the selection of participants will not be announced until class begins, everyone will be expected to prepare for the discussion. Reading the assigned chapters and articles are the best way to prepare for the discussion. If you have concerns about being called on in class, please see me to discuss. The purpose of the "hot seat" is not to stress or embarrass students, but to encourage students to actively engage the material.

2.5 Phones

Phones are not allowed to be used in class without the instructor's prior consent. If you have a need of a phone during class please let me know before class. Unauthorized use of electronic devices may result in the lowering of the grade or dismissal from the class. I mean this.

2.6 Attendance

You are expected to be regular and punctual in your class attendance. Students are responsible for all the material missed and homework assignments made. If class is missed, notes/homework should be obtained from another student. If I am more than 15 minutes late, class is considered cancelled. No more than 4 absences are allowed during a semester. Exceeding the absence policy may result in receiving an F for the course. The professors roll is the official roll and students not present when roll is taken will be counted as absent. If a student must miss an exam, she or he must work out an agreeable time with the instructor to take the test prior to the exam being given. If a student misses a test due to an emergency, the student must inform the instructor as soon as

is possible. In special cases, the instructor may allow the student to take a make-up exam.

2.7 Accommodations

Presbyterian College is committed to providing reasonable accommodations for all students with documented disabilities. If you are seeking academic accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act, you must register with the Academic Success Office, located on 5th Avenue (beside Campus Police). To receive these accommodations, please obtain the proper Accommodations Approval Form from that office, and then meet with me at the beginning of the semester to discuss how we may deliver your approved accommodations. I especially encourage you to meet with me well in advance of the actual accommodations being provided, as it may not be feasible to offer immediate accommodations without sufficient advance notice (such as in the case of tests). I can assure you that all discussions will remain confidential. Disability Services information is located at this link http://bit.ly/PCdisabilityservices

Additionally, it is the student's responsibility to give the instructor one week's notice prior to each instance where accommodation will be required.

2.8 Honor Code and Plagiarism:

All assignments/exams must be your own work. Any copying or use of unauthorized assistance will be treated as a violation of PC's Honor Code. If you are unsure of what resources are allowed, please ask. Please note that all text longer than 7 words taken from ANY other source must be placed in quotations and cited. Also, summarizing ANY other source must also be cited. Using ANY other source and showing work to be your own is a violation of plagiarism and the honor code.

2.9 First-Generation Version:

I am a Presby First+ Advocate. I am here to support our current first-generation students. At Presbyterian College, first-generation students are those in which neither parent nor legal guardian graduated from a four-year higher education institution with a bachelor's degree. If you are a first-generation college student, please contact me. For more information about support for first-generation college students on our campus visit our Presby First+ webpage.

2.10 Continuing Advocate Version

I am a Presby First+ Advocate. I am committed to supporting first-generation students at Presbyterian College. At Presbyterian College, first-generation students are those in which neither parent nor legal guardian graduated from a four-year higher education institution with a bachelor's degree. If you are a first-generation college student, please contact me anytime or visit me during my office hours. For more information about support for first-generation college students on our campus visit our Presby First+ webpage.

Schedule

This is a tentative schedule, **BUT** I will do my very best to stick to it, so that you may plan accordingly!

Spring 2022

- Monday, January 10, 2022 TARGET STORY & INSTALL
- Wednesday, January 12, 2022 BASICS 1
- Friday, January 14, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, January 17, 2022 MLK Holiday
- Wednesday, January 19, 2022 SELF LEARN
- Friday, January 21, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, January 24, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, January 26, 2022 Class
- Friday, January 28, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, January 31, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, February 2, 2022 Class
- Friday, February 4, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, February 7, 2022 Social Dilemma and Review
- Wednesday, February 9, 2022 EXAM 1
- Friday, February 11, 2022 Class
- Monday, February 14, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, February 16, 2022 Online Class
- Friday, February 18, 2022 Online QUIZ
- Monday, February 21, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, February 23, 2022 Class
- Friday, February 25, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, February 28, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, March 2, 2022 Class

- Friday, March 4, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, March 7, 2022 EXAM 2
- Wednesday, March 9, 2022 Online Class
- Friday, March 11, 2022 Online Class
- Monday, March 14, 2022 SPRING BREAK
- Wednesday, March 16, 2022 SPRING BREAK
- Friday, March 18, 2022 SPRING BREAK
- Monday, March 21, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, March 23, 2022 Class
- Friday, March 25, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, March 28, 2022 Class & ADVISING WEEK
- Wednesday, March 30, 2022 Class & ADVISING WEEK
- Friday, April 1, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, April 4, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, April 6, 2022 Class
- Friday, April 8, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, April 11, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, April 13, 2022 EXAM 3
- Friday, April 15, 2022 Easter Holidays
- Monday, April 18, 2022 Easter Holidays
- Wednesday, April 20, 2022 Class
- Friday, April 22, 2022 QUIZ
- Monday, April 25, 2022 Class
- Wednesday, April 27, 2022 QUIZ
- Friday, April 29, 2022 LAST DAY
- Monday, May 2, 2022 Final Exam 5:30 p.m. E period

Data Science Overview

Analytics is the systematic computational analysis of data or statistics.

It is used for the discovery, interpretation, and communication of meaningful patterns in data. It also entails applying data patterns towards effective decision-making.

It can be valuable in areas rich with recorded information; analytics relies on the simultaneous application of statistics, computer programming and operations research to quantify performance.

Organizations may apply analytics to business data to describe, predict, and improve business performance.

Specifically, areas within analytics include predictive analytics, prescriptive analytics, enterprise decision management, descriptive analytics, cognitive analytics, Big Data Analytics, retail analytics, supply chain analytics, store assortment and stock-keeping unit optimization, marketing optimization and marketing mix modeling, web analytics, call analytics, speech analytics, sales force sizing and optimization, price and promotion modeling, predictive science, graph analytics, credit risk analysis, and fraud analytics.

Since analytics can require extensive computation (think: big data), the algorithms and software used for analytics harness the most current methods in computer science, statistics, and mathematics.

4.1 What Good is Data Science?

Click for Target Pregnancy Model Story

What other applications are there? Well, are you interested in sports? Did you know that almost all professional athletic teams have dedicated teams of data

scientists whose job it is to watch for patterns and collect data from the games in order to help the coaches make better calls and more effective plays?

Click Data Analytics in the NBA Story

Presbyterian College has a very high number of STEM majors. Specifically, biology is one of the most declared majors on campus. Data science is used by biologists and many other scientists around the world to help create data and compelling visualizations in order to convey their findings. Check out this interesting story about data science being used in the world of biology.

Click for Computational Biology Story

As you can no doubt see, it is more than likely safe to say that data science will one day be a major factor in almost every field some day. Data already surrounds us and is used by companies all over the world for a variety of tasks. By creating a foundation of these skills for yourself, regardless of whether your job title contains the words "data science", you will be an asset to your company. Simply having the ability to understand and interpret data is one of the most sought after skills in the corporate sphere today.

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Hello bookdown

All chapters start with a first-level heading followed by your chapter title, like the line above. There should be only one first-level heading (#) per .Rmd file.

6.1 A section

All chapter sections start with a second-level (##) or higher heading followed by your section title, like the sections above and below here. You can have as many as you want within a chapter.

An unnumbered section

Chapters and sections are numbered by default. To un-number a heading, add a {.unnumbered} or the shorter {-} at the end of the heading, like in this section.

Cross-references

Cross-references make it easier for your readers to find and link to elements in your book.

7.1 Chapters and sub-chapters

There are two steps to cross-reference any heading:

- 1. Label the heading: # Hello world {#nice-label}.
 - Leave the label off if you like the automated heading generated based on your heading title: for example, # Hello world = # Hello world {#hello-world}.
 - To label an un-numbered heading, use: # Hello world {-#nice-label} or {# Hello world .unnumbered}.
- 2. Next, reference the labeled heading anywhere in the text using \@ref(nice-label); for example, please see Chapter 7.
 - If you prefer text as the link instead of a numbered reference use: any text you want can go here.

7.2 Captioned figures and tables

Figures and tables with captions can also be cross-referenced from elsewhere in your book using \@ref(fig:chunk-label) and \@ref(tab:chunk-label), respectively.

See Figure 7.1.

```
par(mar = c(4, 4, .1, .1))
plot(pressure, type = 'b', pch = 19)
```



Figure 7.1: Here is a nice figure!

Don't miss Table 7.1.

```
knitr::kable(
  head(pressure, 10), caption = 'Here is a nice table!',
  booktabs = TRUE
)
```

Table 7.1: Here is a nice table!

temperature	pressure
0	0.0002
20	0.0012
40	0.0060
60	0.0300
80	0.0900
100	0.2700
120	0.7500
140	1.8500
160	4.2000
180	8.8000

Parts

You can add parts to organize one or more book chapters together. Parts can be inserted at the top of an .Rmd file, before the first-level chapter heading in that same file.

Add a numbered part: # (PART) Act one {-} (followed by # A chapter)

Add an unnumbered part: # (PART*) Act one {-} (followed by # A chapter)

Add an appendix as a special kind of un-numbered part: # (APPENDIX) Other stuff {-} (followed by # A chapter). Chapters in an appendix are prepended with letters instead of numbers.

Footnotes and citations

9.1 Footnotes

Footnotes are put inside the square brackets after a caret ^[]. Like this one ¹.

9.2 Citations

Reference items in your bibliography file(s) using Okey.

For example, we are using the **bookdown** package (Xie, 2021) (check out the last code chunk in index.Rmd to see how this citation key was added) in this sample book, which was built on top of R Markdown and **knitr** (Xie, 2015) (this citation was added manually in an external file book.bib). Note that the .bib files need to be listed in the index.Rmd with the YAML bibliography key.

The bs4_book theme makes footnotes appear inline when you click on them. In this example book, we added csl: chicago-fullnote-bibliography.csl to the index.Rmd YAML, and include the .csl file. To download a new style, we recommend: https://www.zotero.org/styles/

The RStudio Visual Markdown Editor can also make it easier to insert citations: https://rstudio.github.io/visual-markdown-editing/#/citations

¹This is a footnote.

Blocks

10.1 Equations

Here is an equation.

$$f\left(k\right) = \binom{n}{k} p^k \left(1 - p\right)^{n - k} \tag{10.1}$$

You may refer to using \@ref(eq:binom), like see Equation (10.1).

10.2 Theorems and proofs

Labeled theorems can be referenced in text using \@ref(thm:tri), for example, check out this smart theorem 10.1.

Theorem 10.1. For a right triangle, if c denotes the length of the hypotenuse and a and b denote the lengths of the **other** two sides, we have

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

 $Read\ more\ here\ https://bookdown.org/yihui/bookdown/markdown-extensions-by-bookdown.html.$

10.3 Callout blocks

The bs4_book theme also includes special callout blocks, like this .rmdnote.

You can use markdown inside a block.

```
head(beaver1, n = 5)

#> day time temp activ

#> 1 346 840 36.33 0

#> 2 346 850 36.34 0

#> 3 346 900 36.35 0

#> 4 346 910 36.42 0

#> 5 346 920 36.55 0
```

It is up to the user to define the appearance of these blocks for LaTeX output.

You may also use: .rmdcaution, .rmdimportant, .rmdtip, or .rmdwarning as the block name.

The R Markdown Cookbook provides more help on how to use custom blocks to design your own callouts: https://bookdown.org/yihui/rmarkdown-cookbook/custom-blocks.html

Sharing your book

11.1 Publishing

HTML books can be published online, see: https://bookdown.org/yihui/bookdown/publishing.html

11.2 404 pages

By default, users will be directed to a 404 page if they try to access a webpage that cannot be found. If you'd like to customize your 404 page instead of using the default, you may add either a _404.Rmd or _404.md file to your project root and use code and/or Markdown syntax.

11.3 Metadata for sharing

Bookdown HTML books will provide HTML metadata for social sharing on platforms like Twitter, Facebook, and LinkedIn, using information you provide in the index.Rmd YAML. To setup, set the url for your book and the path to your cover-image file. Your book's title and description are also used.

This bs4_book provides enhanced metadata for social sharing, so that each chapter shared will have a unique description, auto-generated based on the content.

Specify your book's source repository on GitHub as the repo in the _output.yml file, which allows users to view each chapter's source file or suggest an edit. Read more about the features of this output format here:

 $https://pkgs.rstudio.com/bookdown/reference/bs4_book.html$

Or use:

?bookdown::bs4_book

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