

STAT 40001/MA 59800 Statistical Computing/ Computational Statistics Fall 201.
Homework 3

Due : September 26, 2013

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Instruction: Please submit your R code along with a brief write-up of the solutions (do not submit raw output). Some of the questions below can be answered with very little or no programming. However, write code that outputs the final answer and does not require any additional paper calculations.

Q.N. 1) Results from an experiment to compare yields (as measured by dried weight of plants) obtained under a control and two different treatment conditions is provided in the data frame `PlantGrowth` in the R dataset.

- a) How many observations are recorded in the data set
- b) What is the mean of each of the control and treatment conditions?
- c) Create side-by-side boxplots to compare the yields.

Q.N. 2) Load `Cars93` from the MASS package.

- (a) Create density histograms for the variables `Min.Price`, `Max.Price`, `Weight` and `Length` variables using different color for each histogram
- (b) Superimpose estimated density curves over the histograms.

Q.N. 3) Generate 100 random numbers from normal distribution with mean 100 and standard deviation 10. How many are 2 standard deviations from the mean (smaller than 80 or bigger than 120)?

Q.N. 4) If Z standard normal distribution find the following

- a) $P(Z \leq 2.2)$
- b) $P(-1 \leq Z \leq 1)$
- c) $P(-1 < Z < 1)$
- d) $P(Z > 2.5)$
- e) b such that $P(-b \leq Z \leq b) = 0.90$

Q.N.5) The `abd` package in R contains data sets related to Biological study. The data frame `TwoKid` in the `abd` package has information about the number of boys in two-child families. Display the information contained in the data choosing appropriate graphical method.