

# Day 7: Pearson Correlation Coefficient I



## Objective

In this challenge, we practice calculating the *Pearson correlation coefficient*. Check out the [Tutorial](#) tab for learning materials!

## Task

Given two  $n$ -element data sets,  $X$  and  $Y$ , calculate the value of the Pearson correlation coefficient.

## Input Format

The first line contains an integer,  $n$ , denoting the size of data sets  $X$  and  $Y$ .

The second line contains  $n$  space-separated real numbers (scaled to *at most* one decimal place), defining data set  $X$ .

The third line contains  $n$  space-separated real numbers (scaled to *at most* one decimal place), defining data set  $Y$ .

## Constraints

- $10 \leq n \leq 100$
- $1 \leq x_i \leq 500$ , where  $x_i$  is the  $i^{th}$  value of data set  $X$ .
- $1 \leq y_i \leq 500$ , where  $y_i$  is the  $i^{th}$  value of data set  $Y$ .
- Data set  $X$  contains unique values.
- Data set  $Y$  contains unique values.

## Output Format

Print the value of the Pearson correlation coefficient, rounded to a scale of **3** decimal places.

## Sample Input

```
10
10 9.8 8 7.8 7.7 7 6 5 4 2
200 44 32 24 22 17 15 12 8 4
```

## Sample Output

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0.612
```

## Explanation

The mean and standard deviation of data set  $X$  are:

- $\mu_X = 6.73$
- $\sigma_X = 2.39251$

The mean and standard deviation of data set  $Y$  are:

- $\mu_Y = 37.8$
- $\sigma_Y = 55.1993$

We use the following formula to calculate the Pearson correlation coefficient:

$$\rho_{X,Y} = \frac{\sum (x_i - \mu_X) \cdot (y_i - \mu_Y)}{n \cdot \sigma_X \cdot \sigma_Y}$$