## **CS544 Module 4 Assignment**

## **General Rules for Homework Assignments**

- You are strongly encouraged to add comments for the code portions. Doing so will help your instructor to understand your programming logic and grade you more accurately.
- You must work on your assignments individually. You are not allowed to copy the answers from the others.
- Each assignment has a strict deadline. However, you are still
  allowed to submit your assignment within 2 days after the
  deadline with a penalty. 15% of the credit will be deducted
  unless you made previous arrangements with your facilitator
  and professor. Assignments submitted 2 days after the deadline
  will not be graded.
- When the term *lastName* is referenced in an assignment, please replace it with your last name.

Using R, do all of the following parts.

# Part1) Binomial distribution (20 points)

Suppose a pitcher in Baseball has 50% chance of getting a strike-out when throwing to a batter. Using the binomial distribution,

- a) Compute and plot the probability distribution for striking out the next 6 batters.
- b) Plot the CDF for the above
- c) Repeat a) and b) if the pitcher has 70% chance of getting a strike-out.
- d) Repeat a) and b) if the pitcher has 30% chance of getting a strike-out.
- e) Infer from the shape of the distributions.

## Part2) Binomial distribution (15 points)

Suppose that 80% of the flights arrive on time. Using the binomial distribution,

- a) What is the probability that four flights will arrive on time in the next 10 flights?
- b) What is the probability that four or fewer flights will arrive on time in the next 10 flights?
- c) Compute the probability distribution for flight arriving in time for the next 10 flights.
- d) Show the PMF and the CDF for the next 10 flights.

## Part3) Poisson distribution (15 points)

Suppose that on average 10 cars drive up to the teller window at your bank between 3 PM and 4 PM and the random variable has a Poisson distribution. During this time period,

- a) What is the probability of serving exactly 3 cars?
- b) What is the probability of serving at least 3 cars?
- c) What is the probability of serving between 2 and 5 cars (inclusive)?
- d) Calculate and plot the PMF for the first 20 cars.

## Part4) Uniform distribution (15 points)

Suppose that your exams are graded using a uniform distribution between 60 and 100 (both inclusive).

- a) What is the probability of scoring i) 60? ii) 80? iii) 100?
- b) What is the mean and standard deviation of this distribution?
- c) What is the probability of getting a score of at most 70?
- d) What is the probability of getting a score greater than 80 (use the lower.tail option)?
- e) What is the probability of getting a score between 90 and 100 (both inclusive)?

## Part5) Normal distribution (20 points)

Suppose that visitors at a theme park spend an average of \$100 on souvenirs. Assume that the money spent is normally distributed with a standard deviation of \$10.

- a) Show the PDF plot of this distribution covering the three standard deviations on either side of the mean.
- b) What is the probability that a randomly selected visitor will spend more than \$120?
- c) What is the probability that a randomly selected visitor will spend between \$80 and \$90 (inclusive)?
- d) What are the probabilities of spending within one standard deviation, two standard deviations, and three standard deviations, respectively?
- e) Between what two values will the middle 90% of the money spent will fall?
- f) Show a plot for 10,000 visitors using the above distribution.

## Part6) Exponential distribution (15 points)

Suppose your cell phone provider's customer support receives calls at the rate of 18 per hour.

- a) What is the probability that the next call will arrive within 2 minutes?
- b) What is the probability that the next call will arrive within 5 minutes?
- c) What is the probability that the next call will arrive between 2 minutes and 5 minutes (both inclusive)?
- d) Show the CDF of this distribution.

#### **Submission:**

Create a folder, CS544\_HW4\_lastName and place the following file in this folder.

Provide the R code, **HW4\_lastName.R**, with each portion of the code clearly identified by the corresponding question. Prepare a corresponding word document by pasting the output for each question (**HW4\_lastName.docx**)

Archive the folder (CS544\_HW4\_lastName.zip). Upload the zip file to the Assignments section of Blackboard.