AUA CS 108, Statistics, Fall 2019 Lecture 22

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Introduction

- Populations and Samples; Observation, Variable and Parameter;
 Statistics (numerical characteristic of a Sample)
- Sampling: Representative Sample; Sampling Methods (Systematic, Stratified, Cluster)
- Types of Variables (Features)
- Measurement Levels

Univariate Data: Graphical Summaries

- Frequency and Relative Frequency Tables
- BarPlot, Frequency Polygon
- Empirical Distribution Function
- Frequency, Relative Frequency and Density Histograms
- Stem-and-Leaf Plots

Univariate Data: Numerical Summaries

- Order Statistics (Ranks)
- Statistics for the central tendency
 - ► The Sample Mean, Trimmed Mean, Weighted Mean, Winsorized Mean
 - ► The Sample Median
 - The Sample Mode
- ► Statistics for the Spread/Variability
 - Deviations (from the Mean, from the Median), Absolute Deviations
 - The Range
 - ▶ The Sample Variance and Standard Deviation (with n or n-1 in the denominators)
 - Properties of the Sample Variance
 - ► The Mean Absolute Deviation (MAD) from the Mean or Median

Univariate Data: Quantiles and BoxPlots

- ► Sample Quartiles
- ► The InterQuartile Range, IQR
- BoxPlot
- Outliers (BoxPlot Method)
- Sample Quantiles
- Theoretical Quantiles

Bivariate Data: Graphical and Numerical Summaries

- ScatterPlot
- Q-Q Plot (Data vs Data, Data vs Distribution, Distribution vs Distribution)
- Sample Covariance and the Correlation Coefficient
- Properties of Sample Covariance and Correlation Coefficient

Probability Refresher

- R.V.s and their main characteristics
- ► Important Discrete and Continuous Distributions

Convergence of Random Variables

- Convergence a.s.
- Convergence in Probability
- Convergence in Quadratic Mean
- ► Convergence in Distributions
- Examples