CAP 6929 Homework 2

Due: Feb-25 (Friday), 2022 (11:59PM)

1. Please read the lecture notes and fill in the definitions for following terms:

- (a) p(s',r|s,a) = Pr(???)
- (b) R(s,a) = E[???]
- (c) π (s,a) = Pr (???)
- (d) $\pi^* = argmax ???$
- (e) V(s) = ???
- (f) Q(s,a) = ???

2. Multiple choices for the following problems

- **a)** Decide to which learning type the following tasks belong. Choose from the options: supervised, unsupervised or reinforcement learning.
 - 1. Training a program to play tic tac toe
 - 2. Finding patterns in market data
 - 3. Analyzing the sentiment of a sentence
 - 4. Determining credit-worthiness of bank customers
 - 5. Have a robot balance a pole
 - 6. Analyze how a sequence of treatments affect a patient's health
 - 7. Predict tomorrow's weather
 - 8. Determining number of species in various animal data
- **b)** Which approach of reinforcement learning (model-based or model-free) would you choose for the following games? Explain the reasons for your choice.
 - 1. Tic tac toe
 - 2. Chess