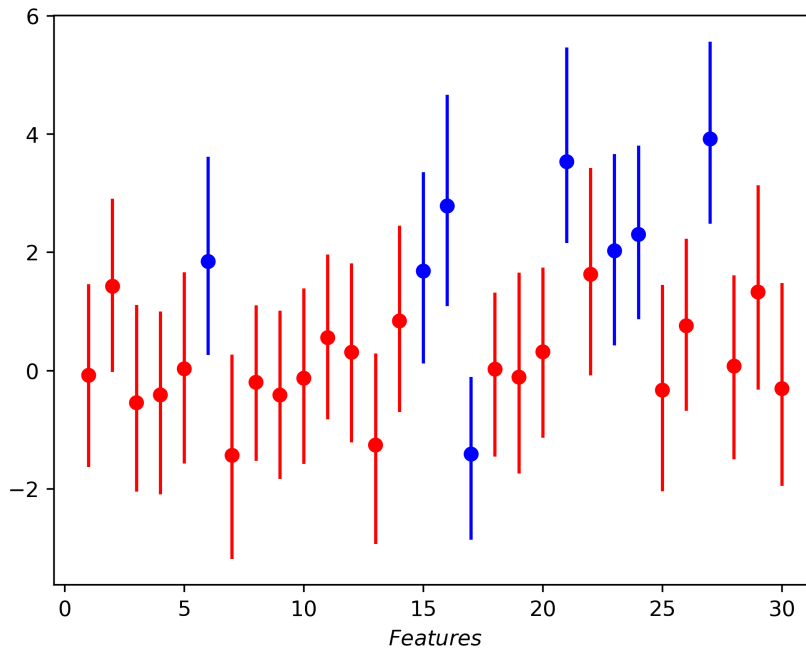


Question 1

a



Screenshot of code here: 0.1.

i. C is a hyperparameter used for regularization to prevent overfitting of the Logistics Regression model. This is inversely proportional to the penalty constant λ and penalises models that have a lot of features and therefore the effect is that it reduces each feature importance.

ii. The effect that this has on the Bootstrap graph is that it increases the variance of each feature, therefore making the 90% confidence intervals larger and less reliable. At $C = 0.1$, most of the features have their average at 0 with a very small confidence interval. Because I know how the data was generated and I know that the mean for each feature *should* be 0, I know that this is a reliable estimate. However in the real world when I don't know how the data was generated, a model with $C = 0.1$ would probably be overfit on the data and not perform well on new inputs.

b

Appendix

0.1 q1a

```
22 def q1a():
23     # Import data
24     data = import_data(Q1_DATA_DIR)
25
26     Xtrain = data.iloc[:, :30].to_numpy()
27     Ytrain = data.Y.to_numpy()
28
29     # Set random seed
30     np.random.seed(12)
31
32     # Set B and C and p
33     B = 500
34     C = 1000
35     p = Xtrain.shape[1]
36
37     # Find confidence
38     coef_mat = np.zeros(shape=(B,p))
39     for b in range(B):
40         b_sample = np.random.choice(np.arange(Xtrain.shape[0]), size=Xtrain.shape[0])
41         Xtrain_b = Xtrain[b_sample]
42         Ytrain_b = Ytrain[b_sample]
43         mod = LogisticRegression(penalty="l1", solver="liblinear", C=C).fit(Xtrain_b, Ytrain_b)
44         coef_mat[b,:] = mod.coef_
45
46     means = np.mean(coef_mat, axis=0)
47     lower = np.quantile(coef_mat, 0.05, axis=0)
48     upper = np.quantile(coef_mat, 0.95, axis=0)
49
50     colors = ["red" if lower[i] <= 0 and upper[i] >= 0 else "blue" for i in range(p)]
51
52     plt.vlines(x=np.arange(1,p+1), ymin=lower, ymax=upper, colors=colors)
53     plt.scatter(x=np.arange(1,p+1), y=means, color=colors)
54     plt.xlabel("$Features$")
55     plt.savefig("./outputs/NPBootstrap.png", dpi=400)
```