## DS-100 Final Exam

#### Spring 2017

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## **Instructions:**

- Please fill in you name, email address, and student id at the top of both this exam booklet and your answer sheet.
- All answers must be written on the separate answer sheet.
- This exam must be completed in the 3 hour time period ending at 6:00PM.
- You may use a single page (two-sided) cheat sheet.
- Work quickly through each question. There are a total of 172 points on this exam.
- You must turn in both this exam booklet and your answer sheet.
- Don't cheat!

#### 1 Maximum Likelihood and Loss Minimization

1. Suppose we observe a dataset  $\{x_1, \ldots, x_n\}$  of independent and identically distributed samples from the exponential distribution. The probability density function (PDF) of an exponential distribution (for  $x \ge 0$ ) parameterized by the parameter  $\lambda$  is given by:

$$f_{\lambda}(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$$

- (1) [4 Pts.] What is the *log-likelihood function* of this *dataset* with respect to  $\lambda$ ?
- (2) [6 Pts.] Derive the maximum likelihood value  $\hat{\lambda}_{MLE}$ . Circle your answer.

You may use the following scratch space but we will only grade what you put on the answer sheet.

2. Suppose we collect a dataset of n IID observations  $\{x_1, \ldots, x_n\}$  which we believe are drawn from a distribution with the following PDF:

$$f_{\mu}(x) = C \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^6}{6}\right) \tag{11}$$

where C is a constant that does not depend on  $\mu$ .

- (1) [3 Pts.] Write the log-likelihood function for  $\mu$ .
- (2) [4 Pts.] Compute the derivative of the log-likelihood with respect to  $\mu$ .
- (3) [3 Pts.] Because there is no closed form solution for  $\mu$  in  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \log L(\mu) = 0$ , we would likely use gradient *ascent* to approximately compute  $\hat{\mu}_{\rm MLE}$ . Given the gradient function:

$$g(\mu) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \log L(\mu), \tag{18}$$

and a step size  $\rho(t)$ , what is the gradient ascent update rule to go from  $\mu^{(t)}$  to  $\mu^{(t+1)}$ ? (Hint: your answer should contain only the variables  $g(\mu^{(t)})$ ,  $\mu^{(t)}$ ,  $\mu^{(t+1)}$ , and  $\rho(t)$ .)

### 2 Wrangling and Querying Data

#### 2.1 SQL

For the questions in this subsection, assume we have a massive database in the cloud with the following schema:

```
-- A simple digital media store database
CREATE TABLE media
    (mid integer PRIMARY KEY,
     name text, type char, year_released integer, length integer,
     buy_cost float, rent_cost float, avg_rating float);
CREATE TABLE customers
    (cid integer PRIMARY KEY,
     name text, joined date, nation_id integer,
     activity_level integer);
CREATE TABLE transactions
    (tid integer PRIMARY KEY,
     tdate date, item integer, customer integer,
     rent_or_buy integer, price_paid float, percent_viewed float,
     FOREIGN KEY (item) REFERENCES media,
     FOREIGN KEY (customer) REFERENCES customers);
CREATE VIEW stats AS
SELECT min(length) AS len_min, max(length) AS len_max,
       avg(length) AS len_mu, stddev(length) AS len_sigma,
       min(avg rating) AS ar min, max(avg rating) AS ar max,
       avg(avg_rating) AS ar_mu, stddev(avg_rating) AS ar_sigma
FROM media;
```

- 3. [4 Pts.] In the media table above, the type column encodes the type of media as a unique character code (e.g., 'S' for song, 'M' for movie, 'E' for episode, etc.). Suppose we wanted to modify the stats view to display the stats for each type of media. Which of the following are true? (Select all that apply.)
  - A. We need to change the granularity of the view to be finer than it is above.
  - B. We need to add a **GROUP** BY type clause to the view.
  - C. It would be helpful to add media.type to the list of columns in the **SELECT** clause of the view.
  - D. The modified view should have more rows than the original view above.
  - E. None of the above.
- 4. [3 Pts.] Which of the following queries finds the ids of media that are 2 standard deviations longer than the mean length? (**Select** *only one.*)

A.

D. None of the above.

#### 2.2 SQL Sampling

The transactions table has 30 million ( $30 \times 10^6$ ) rows. It is too large to load into the memory of our laptop. We will extract a sample from the database server to process on our laptop in Python.

```
SELECT *
   FROM transactions TABLESAMPLE Bernoulli(.0001);
```

- 5. [2 Pts.] Suppose you ran this query many times. What distribution describes the output sizes (in number of rows) you would see across runs?
- 6. [2 Pts.] In expectation, how many rows will there be in the answer to this query?
- 7. [4 Pts.] Your friend Emily Engineer tells you to avoid Bernoulli sampling, and use the following query instead:

```
SELECT *
  FROM transactions
LIMIT XX;
```

(where XX is replaced by the correct answer to the previous question). **Select all the true statements:** 

- A. Emily's LIMIT query will probably run faster than the TABLESAMPLE query. For Emily's query, the database engine can simply access the first XX rows it finds in the table, and skip the rest.
- B. Emily's query result may be biased to favor certain rows.
- C. The output of the TABLESAMPLE query provides a hint about how many rows there are in the transactions table while Emily's LIMIT query does not.
- D. Emily's LIMIT query may run fast, but it will swamp the memory on your laptop, since it doesn't sample the database.
- E. None of the above.
- 8. [2 Pts.] You will recall from Homework 4 that it is possible to do bootstrap sampling in SQL by constructing a design table with two columns. Each of the columns used in that scheme is described by a single choice below. **Identify the** *two* **correct choices**:
  - A. A foreign key to the table being sampled.
  - B. A count column to capture the number of tuples in each bootstrap sample.
  - C. An identifier to group rows together into bootstrap samples.
  - D. A regularization column to prevent overfitting.

#### 2.3 Pandas

For the questions in this subsection, assume that we have pandas dataframes with the same schemas as described in the previous section on SQL. That is, we have a media dataframe with columns mid, name, type, year, et cetera. Assume that the index column of each dataframe is meaningless—the primary key is represented as a regular column.

9. [3 Pts.] Consider the following code snippet:

Assume that all item *prices are positive*, all transactions refer to valid customers in the customers table, but some customers may have no transactions.

(1) How are inner and outer related? Pick one best answer.

```
A. inner < outer
```

- B. inner  $\leq$  outer
- C. inner = outer
- D. inner > outer
- E. inner > outer
- (2) How are left and right related? **Pick one best answer.**

```
A. left < right
```

- B. left  $\leq$  right
- C. left = right
- D. left > right
- E. left > right
- (3) How are left and outer related? Pick one best answer.

```
A. left < outer
```

- B. left  $\leq$  outer
- C. left = outer
- D. left  $\geq$  outer

10. [3 Pts.] We wish to write a python expression to find the largest amount of money spent by one person on any single date. We will use the following code:

```
biggie = transactions.groupby(_____)['price_paid'].sum().max()
```

What should we be pass in as our groupby predicate? Select only one answer.

- A. 'tdate'
- B. 'customer'
- C. ['item', 'tdate']
- D. ['customer', 'tdate']
- E. ['customer', 'item']
- 11. [6 Pts.] Fill in the following python code that finds the names of every customer who has spent over \$100.

```
merged = customers.merge(__A__, left_on=__B__, right_on=__C__)
grouped = merged.groupby(__D__).__E_()
names = grouped[__F__].index
```

12. [4 Pts.] We wish to find years where the average price\_paid (over all time) for products released in that year is greater than the average price\_paid across all transactions; from those years we want to return the *earliest* (smallest). We have the following code:

Some of these lines need to be modified in order for the code to work properly. We have suggested replacements for each line below. Which lines need to be *replaced*? **Select all that apply.** 

- A. mean\_price = merged.price\_paid.mean()
- B. by\_year = merged.groupby("year\_released").mean()
- C. is\_greater = by\_year.where(by\_year.price\_paid > mean\_price)
- D. result = is\_greater.sort\_index(ascending=True).index[0]
- E. All the lines are correct.

### **3** Feature Engineering

For this problem we collected the following data on the new social networking app *UFace*.

| PostID | <b>UTC Time</b> | Text                     | Num. Responses | State |
|--------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------|
| 3      | 08:10 PM        | "Checkout my breakfast " | 2              | VA    |
| 13     | 11:00 AM        | "Studied all night for " | 5              | CA    |
| 14     | 12:04 PM        | "Hello world!"           | 0              | NY    |
| 17     | 11:35 PM        | "That exam was lit"      | 42             | CA    |

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- 13. Suppose we are interested in predicting the number of responses *for future posts*. For each of the columns, indicate which (**one or more**) of the given feature transformations could be informative. **Select** *all* **that apply.** 
  - (1) [2 Pts.] The PostID column:
    - A. Drop the column
    - B. One-Hot encoding
    - C. Leave as is
  - (2) [2 Pts.] The Time column:
    - A. Take the hour as a float
    - B. One-Hot encoding
    - C. Bag-of-words encoding
    - D. Time since midnight in seconds
  - (3) [2 Pts.] The Text column:
    - A. The length of the text
    - B. One-Hot encoding
    - C. Bag-of-words encoding
    - D. Leave as is
  - (4) [2 Pts.] The State column:
    - A. The length of the text
    - B. One-Hot encoding
    - C. Bag-of-words encoding
    - D. Leave as is

14. [4 Pts.] Suppose we believe that people are more likely to respond to tweets in the *afternoon* (roughly from hours 13 to 17). Which of the following feature functions would help capture this intuition? Assume that the function **localHour** takes a time and a state as its arguments and returns the hour of the day (in 24-hour time) in the state's time zone. Also assume that any boolean-valued feature is encoded as 0 (false) or 1 (true). **Select** *all* **that apply.** 

```
A. \phi(\text{time, state}) = \text{localHour}(\text{time, state})
B. \phi(\text{time, state}) = 13 < \text{localHour}(\text{time, state}) < 17
C. \phi(\text{time, state}) = \exp\left(-\left(\text{localHour}(\text{time, state}) - 15\right)^2\right)
D. \phi(\text{time, state}) = \exp\left(\text{localHour}(\text{time, state}) - 15\right)
E. None of the above.
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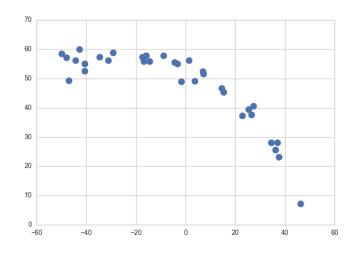
15. [2 Pts.] Given the following text from a BigData Borat post:

"Data Science is statistics on a Mac."

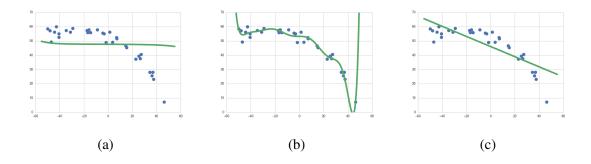
Which of the following is the *bi-gram* encoding *including stop-words*? (**Select only one.**)

## 4 Least Squares Regression and Regularization

16. For this question we use the following toy dataset:



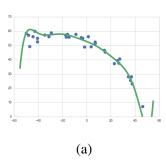
(1) [3 Pts.] We have fit several models depicted as curves in the following plots:

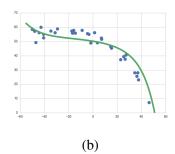


Select the plot that best matches each of the models below. Each plot is used exactly once.

- 1. Linear regression model
  - $\bigcirc$  (A)  $\bigcirc$  (B)  $\bigcirc$  (C)
- 2. Linear regression with degree 10 polynomial features
  - $\bigcirc$  (A)  $\bigcirc$  (B)  $\bigcirc$  (C)
- $3. \ \ Ridge\ regression\ with\ degree\ 10\ polynomial\ features\ and\ substantial\ regularization.$ 
  - $\bigcirc$  (A)  $\bigcirc$  (B)  $\bigcirc$  (C

(2) [2 Pts.] We fit two more models to these data. Again, the solid curves display the predictions made by each model.





Select the plot that best matches each of the models below. Each plot is used exactly once.

1. Ridge regression with degree 10 polynomial features,  $\lambda = 0.1$ .

 $\bigcirc$  (A)  $\bigcirc$  (B)

2. Ridge regression with degree 10 polynomial features,  $\lambda = 1.0$ .

 $\bigcirc$  (A)  $\bigcirc$  (B)

17. Suppose you are given a dataset  $\{(x_i, y_i)\}_{i=1}^n$  where  $x_i \in \mathbb{R}$  is a one dimensional feature and  $y_i \in \mathbb{R}$  is a real-valued response. To model this data you choose a model characterized by the following objective function:

$$J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - \theta_0 - x_i \theta_1 - x_i^2 \theta_2)^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^{2} |\theta_i|$$
 (20)

(1) [7 Pts.] Select all the true statements for the above objective function (Equation 20).

A. This loss function likely corresponds to a classification problem.

B.  $\theta$  is the regularization parameter.

C. This is an example of  $L_1$  regularization.

D. This is not a linear model in  $\theta$ .

E. This model includes a bias/intercept term.

F. This model incorporates a non-linear feature transformation.

G. Large values of  $\lambda$  would reduce the model to a constant  $\theta_0$ .

H. None of the above are true.

(2) [2 Pts.] Suppose in our implementation we accidentally forget to square the first term:

$$J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - \theta_0 - x_i \theta_1 - x_i^2 \theta_2) + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^{2} |\theta_i|$$
 (21)

What would change if we tried to train a model using gradient descent on this objective function rather than the original objective function? (**Select only one**)

- A. The training code would raise an error due to a matrix/vector dimension problem.
- B. The training process would diverge with  $\theta_0 \to -\infty$
- C. The training process would diverge with  $\theta_0 \to \infty$
- D. The training process would converge to a different regression line.
- E. Nothing; the training process would eventually converge to the same regression line
- 18. [5 Pts.] Let X be a  $n \times p$  design matrix with full column rank and y be a  $n \times 1$  response vector. Let  $\hat{\beta}$  be the optimal solution to the least squares problem and r be its associated error. In other words,

$$y = X\hat{\beta} + r \tag{22}$$

Consider  $X_2$  the second column of X.

(1) [1 Pt.] True or False. Without any additional assumptions,

$$r \cdot X_2 = 0$$

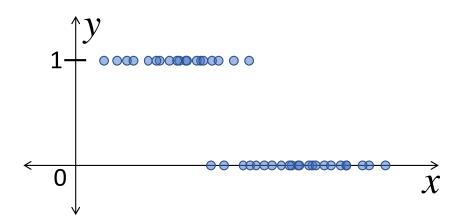
where · denotes the usual dot product?

(2) [4 Pts.] Provide a short proof or counter example.

You may use the following scratch space but we will only grade what you put on the answer sheet.

## 5 Classification

- 19. For each of the following select **T** for true or **F** for false on the answer sheet.
  - (1) [1 Pt.] A binary or multi-class **classification** technique should be used whenever there are **categorical features**.
  - (2) [1 Pt.] Logistic regression is actually used for classification.
  - (3) [1 Pt.] The logistic regression loss function was derived by modeling the observations as noisy observations with a Gaussian noise model.
  - (4) [1 Pt.] Class imbalance can be a serious problem in which the number of training data points from one class is much larger than another.
  - (5) [1 Pt.] A broken *binary* classifier that *always* predicts 0 is likely to get a test accuracy around 50% on all prediction tasks.
  - (6) [1 Pt.] The root mean squared error is the correct metric for evaluating the prediction accuracy of a binary classifier.
- 20. Consider the following binary classification dataset

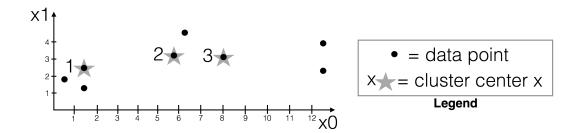


- (1) [3 Pts.] Draw a reasonable approximation of the logistic regression probability estimates for  $\mathbf{P}(Y=1 \mid x)$  on top of the figure on the answersheet.
- (2) [1 Pt.] Are these data linearly separable?
  - A. Yes
  - B. No

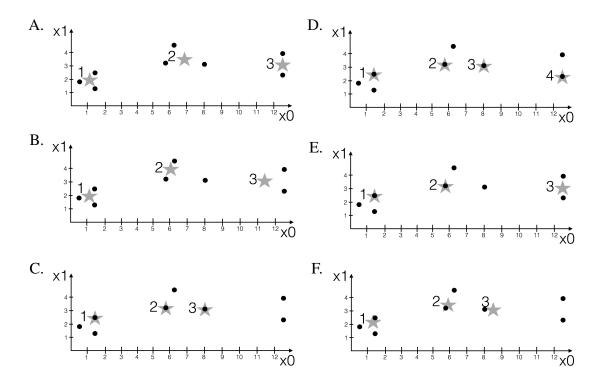
- 21. [3 Pts.] Suppose you are given  $\theta$  for the logistic regression model to predict whether a tumor is malignant (y = 1) or benign (y = 0) based on features of the tumor x. If you get a new patient  $x_*$  and find that  $x_*^T \theta > 0$ , what can you say about the tumor? **Select only one.** 
  - A. The tumor is benign
  - B. The tumor is more likely benign
  - C. The tumor is more likely to be malignant
  - D. The tumor is malignant
- 22. [4 Pts.] Which of the following explanations that applying regularization to a logistic regression model? **Select** *all* **that apply.** 
  - A. The training error is too high.
  - B. The test error is too low.
  - C. The data are high-dimensional.
  - D. There is a large class imbalance.
  - E. None of the above justify regularization for logistic regression.

## 6 Clustering

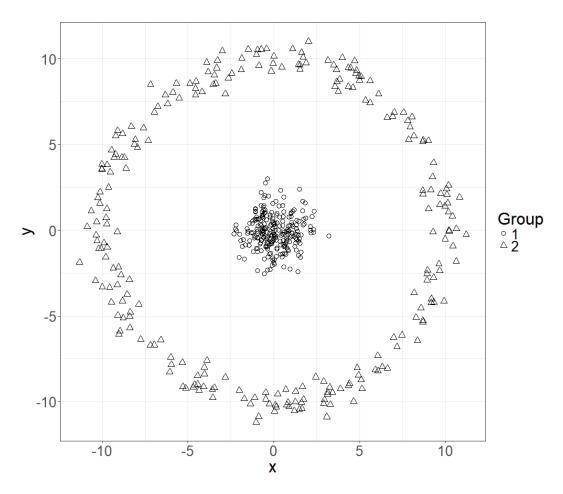
23. [4 Pts.] The following diagram shows a scatter plot of a small 2-dimensional dataset with 8 elements. An *initialization* of the k-means algorithm (with k=3) is displayed; the initial cluster centers are displayed as stars. (They have the same locations as 3 of the points themselves, which is a common initialization of the k-means algorithm.)



Which of the following depicts the 3 cluster centers that would result from a single iteration of the k-means algorithm (with k=3), starting from the initial cluster center locations above? Select only one.



24. [4 Pts.] Consider the data plotted below. Which of the following clustering methods is most likely to return the groupings below using untransformed x and y values? **Select** *only one*.



- A. Single-linkage clustering
- B. Complete-linkage clustering
- C. Average-linkage clustering
- D. k-means clustering
- E. None of the above are likely to recover the true groups

#### 7 Bias-Variance Tradeoff

- 25. For each of the following select **T** for true or **F** for false on the answer sheet.
  - (1) [1 Pt.] Regularization can be used to manage the bias-variance trade-off.
  - (2) [1 Pt.] When conducting linear regression, adding polynomial features to your data often decreases the variance of your fitted model.
  - (3) [1 Pt.] When conducting linear regression, adding polynomial features to your data often decreases the bias of your fitted model.
  - (4) [1 Pt.] Suppose your data are an i.i.d. sample from a population. Then collecting a larger sample for use as a *training set* can help reduce *bias*.
  - (5) [1 Pt.] Suppose your data are an i.i.d. sample from a population. Then collecting a larger sample for use as a *training set* can help reduce *variance*.
  - (6) [1 Pt.] Training error is typically larger than test error.
  - (7) [1 Pt.] If you include the test set in your training data, your accuracy as measured on the test set will probably increase.
  - (8) [1 Pt.] It is important to frequently evaluate models on the test data throughout the process of model development.
- 26. [2 Pts.] A colleague has been developing models all quarter and noticed recently that her *test* error has started to gradually increase while her training error *has been decreasing*. Which of the following is the most likely explanation for what is happening? **Select only one.** 
  - A. She is starting to over-fit to her training data.
  - B. She is starting to under-fit to her training data.
  - C. The model is overly biased.
  - D. None of the above.

27. [5 Pts.] Given the following general loss formulation:

$$\arg\min_{\theta} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left( y_i - x_i^T \theta \right)^2 + \lambda \sum_{p=1}^{d} \theta_p^2 \right]$$
 (23)

Which of the following statements are true? Select all that apply.

- A. There are d data points.
- B. There are n data points.
- C. The data is d dimensional.
- D. This is a classification problem.
- E. This is a linear model.
- F. This problem has LASSO regularization.
- G. Larger values of  $\lambda$  imply increased regularization.
- H. Larger values of  $\lambda$  will increase variance.
- I. Larger values of  $\lambda$  will likely increase bias.
- J. None of the above are true.

28. [3 Pts.] In class we broke the least-squares error into three separate terms:

$$\mathbf{E}\left[\left(y - f_{\theta}(x)\right)^{2}\right] = \mathbf{E}\left[\left(y - h(x)\right)^{2}\right] + \mathbf{E}\left[\left(h(x) - f_{\theta}(x)\right)^{2}\right] + \mathbf{E}\left[\left(f_{\theta}(x) - \mathbf{E}\left[f_{\theta}(x)\right]\right)^{2}\right]$$
(24)

where  $y = h(x) + \epsilon$ , h(x) is the true model and  $\epsilon$  is zero-mean noise. For each of the following terms, indicate its usual interpretation in the bias variance trade-off:

- 1.  $\mathbf{E}[(y h(x))^2]$ : A. Bias B. Variance C. Noise
- 2.  $\mathbf{E}\left[\left(h(x)-f_{\theta}(x)\right)^{2}\right]$ : A. Bias B. Variance C. Noise
- 3.  $\mathbf{E}\left[\left(f_{\theta}(x) \mathbf{E}\left[f_{\theta}(x)\right]\right)^{2}\right]$ : A. Bias B. Variance C. Noise

#### **Big Data** 8

29. Consider the following simple Data Warehouse schema from a Cellular Service Provider, which records activity on a cell phone network:

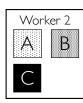
```
CREATE TABLE devices (
  did integer, customer_id integer,
  phone_number varchar(13),
  firstname text, lastname text,
  zip varchar(12), registered_on varchar(2),
  PRIMARY KEY (did),
  UNIQUE (customer id) -- a ''candidate'' key
  );
CREATE TABLE billing (
  rate_code char PRIMARY KEY,
  description text, base_fee float, per_minute float,
  max_minutes integer, overage_fee float,
  PRIMARY KEY (rate code));
CREATE TABLE calls (
  caller_handset_id integer, callee_handset_id integer,
  cell_tower_id integer, call_start datetime, call_end datetime,
  billing_code char,
  PRIMARY KEY (caller_handset_id, call_start),
  FOREIGN KEY (caller_handset_id) REFERENCES devices,
  FOREIGN KEY (billing_code) REFERENCES billing;
(1) [3 Pts.] Which of these tables is a dimension table? Select all that apply.
        A. devices
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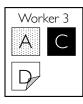
- B. calls
- C. billing
- D. None of the above.
- (2) [3 Pts.] Which of the following statements are true? **Select all that apply.** 
  - A. The calls .billing\_code column violates star schema design because any update to a single billing fee requires updates to many call records.
  - B. If we want to look for correlations between a device's average call length and the time since it was registered, we have to perform a join.
  - C. If the cell service provider implemented a Data Lake, it would make it easier for them to load audio recordings of calls for subsequent analysis.
  - D. None of the above statements are true.

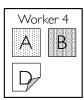
30. [3 Pts.] The figure below depicts a distributed file system with one logical "big file" partitioned into 4 "shards" (A, B, C, D) and replicated across multiple worker machines (1, 2, 3, 4).











Suppose workers 1 AND 2 both fail. Which of the following statements are true? **Select** *all* **that apply.** 

- A. The full file will remain available since worker 3 and worker 4 are both still running.
- B. The system can tolerate one more worker failure without losing data.
- C. If every request requires all 4 shards of the file, then worker 3 and worker 4 can share the work evenly.
- D. None of the above statements are true.
- 31. Consider only the mechanism of *partitioning* files into shards, and storing different shards on different machines. Which of the following statements are true? **Select** *all* **that apply.** 
  - A. Partitioning enhances the ability of the system to store large files.
  - B. Partitioning allows the system to tolerate machine failures without losing data.
  - C. Partitioning allows the system to read files in parallel.
  - D. None of the above statements are true.
- 32. [2 Pts.] Recall the statistical query pattern discussed in class for computing on very large data sets. Which of the following statements are true? **Select** *all* **that apply.** 
  - A. It eliminates the need for the end-user device (e.g. a laptop) to acquire all the data.
  - B. It pushes the computational task closer to the large-scale data storage.
  - C. It is well suited to both MapReduce and SQL interfaces.
  - D. An alternative to the statistical query pattern for big data is to acquire a sample of the full dataset on the end-user device.
  - E. None of the above statements are true.

## 9 EDA and Visualization

33. [2 Pts.] Consider the following statistics for infant mortality rate. According to these statistics, which transformation would best symmetrize the distribution? (**Select only one.**)

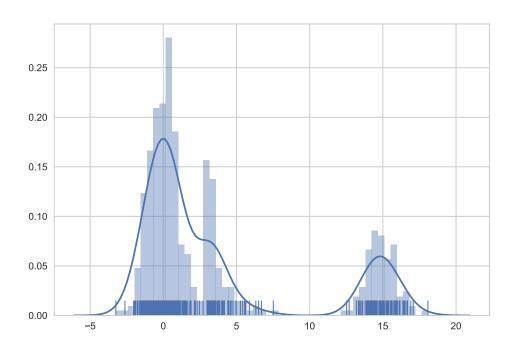
| Transformation | lower quartile | median | upper quartile |
|----------------|----------------|--------|----------------|
| $\overline{x}$ | 13             | 30     | 68             |
| $\sqrt{x}$     | 3.5            | 5      | 8              |
| $\log(x)$      | 1.15           | 1.5    | 1.8            |

- A. no transformation
- B. square root
- C. log
- D. not possible to tell with this information
- 34. [5 Pts.] For each of the following scenarios, determine which plot type is *most* appropriate to reveal the distribution of and/or the relationships between the following variable(s). For each scenario, select only one plot type. Some plot types may be used multiple times.

A. histogram
B. pie chart
C. bar plot
D. line plot
E. side-by-side boxplots
F. scatter plot
G. stacked bar plot
H. overlaid line plots
I. mosaic plot

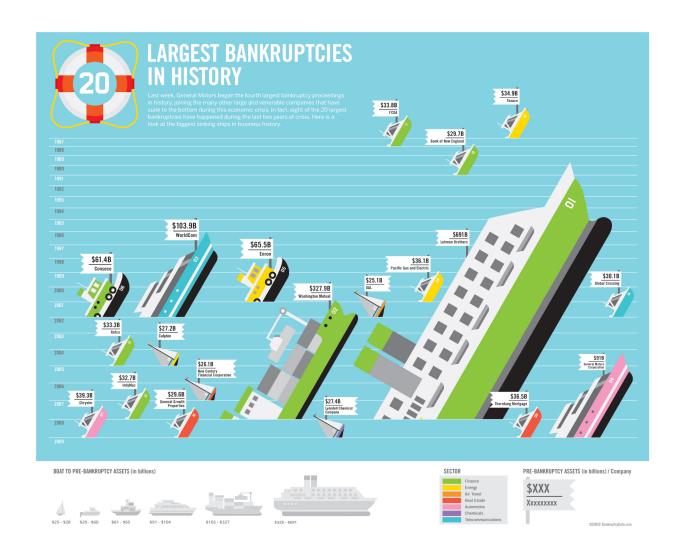
- (1) [1 Pt.] sale price and number of bedrooms (assume integer) for houses sold in Berkeley in 2010.
- (2) [1 Pt.] sale price and date of sale for houses sold in Berkeley between 1995 and 2015.
- (3) [1 Pt.] infant birth weight (grams) for babies born at Alta Bates hospital in 2016.
- (4) [1 Pt.] mother's education-level (highest degree held) for students admitted to UC Berkeley in 2016
- (5) [1 Pt.] SAT score and HS GPA of students admitted to UC Berkeley in 2016
- (6) [1 Pt.] race and gender of students admitted to UC Berkeley in 2016
- (7) [1 Pt.] The percentage of female student admitted to UC Berkeley each year from 1950 to 2000.
- (8) [1 Pt.] SAT score for males and females of students admitted to UCB from 1950 to 2000

#### 35. [4 Pts.] Consider the following empirical distribution:



- (1) [1 Pt.] The distribution has \_\_\_\_\_ mode(s).
  - A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4
- (2) [1 Pt.] The distribution is:
  - A. Skewed left
  - B. Symmetric
  - C. Skewed right
- (3) [2 Pts.] Select **all** of the following properties displayed by the distribution:
  - A. gaps
  - B. outliers
  - C. normal left tail
  - D. None of the above

36. [4 Pts.] Select all of the problems associated with the following plot (there may be more than one problem):



- A. Over-plotting
- B. Use of chart junk
- C. Vertical axis should be in log scale
- D. Missing vertical axis label
- E. Poor use of the horizontal dimension
- F. Graph elements interfere with data
- G. Stacking
- H. Use of angles to convey information
- I. None of the above are problems with this awesome plot.

# **End of Exam**