

Lab04 Solutions

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1 Task 1

```
[1]: ## part (a)  
import numpy as np
```

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[2]: np.sin(0) # should be 0
```

```
[2]: 0.0
```

```
[3]: ## part (b)  
import datascience as ds
```

```
[4]: ds.Table().with_columns(  
    "Col1", [1, 2, 3],  
    "Col2", [2, 3, 4]  
)
```

```
[4]: Col1 | Col2  
    1    | 2  
    2    | 3  
    3    | 4
```

2 Task 2

```
[5]: x_list = [1, 2, 3]  
x_array = ds.make_array([1, 2, 3])
```

```
[6]: np.mean(x_list)
```

```
[6]: 2.0
```

```
[7]: np.mean(x_array)
```

```
[7]: 2.0
```

3 Task 3

`np.ptp()` computes the **peak to peak** (i.e. Range) of a dataset.

```
[8]: np.ptp(x_list)
```

```
[8]: 2
```

```
[9]: np.ptp(x_array)
```

```
[9]: 2
```

4 Task 4

Part (a) The mean of `x_list` is 2, so

$$s_x^2 = \frac{1}{3-1} [(1-2)^2 + (2-2)^2 + (3-2)^2] = \frac{1}{2}(1+1) = 1$$

meaning the standard deviation of `x` is $\sqrt{1} = \boxed{1}$

Part (b)

```
[10]: np.std(x_list)
```

```
[10]: 0.81649658092772603
```

This does **not** agree with our answer to part (a) above.

Part (c): Following the instructions, we compute

$$\frac{1}{3} [(1-2)^2 + (2-2)^2 + (3-2)^2] = \frac{1}{3}(1+1) = \frac{2}{3}$$

so this modified standard deviation would be $\sqrt{2/3}$:

```
[11]: np.sqrt(2/3)
```

```
[11]: 0.81649658092772603
```

This agrees with our answer obtained from `np.std()`, so it seems `np.std()` uses a denominator of `n` as opposed to `n - 1`.

Part (d)

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[12]: np.std(x_list, ddof = 1)
```

```
[12]: 1.0
```

This **does** match with our answer to part (a) above.

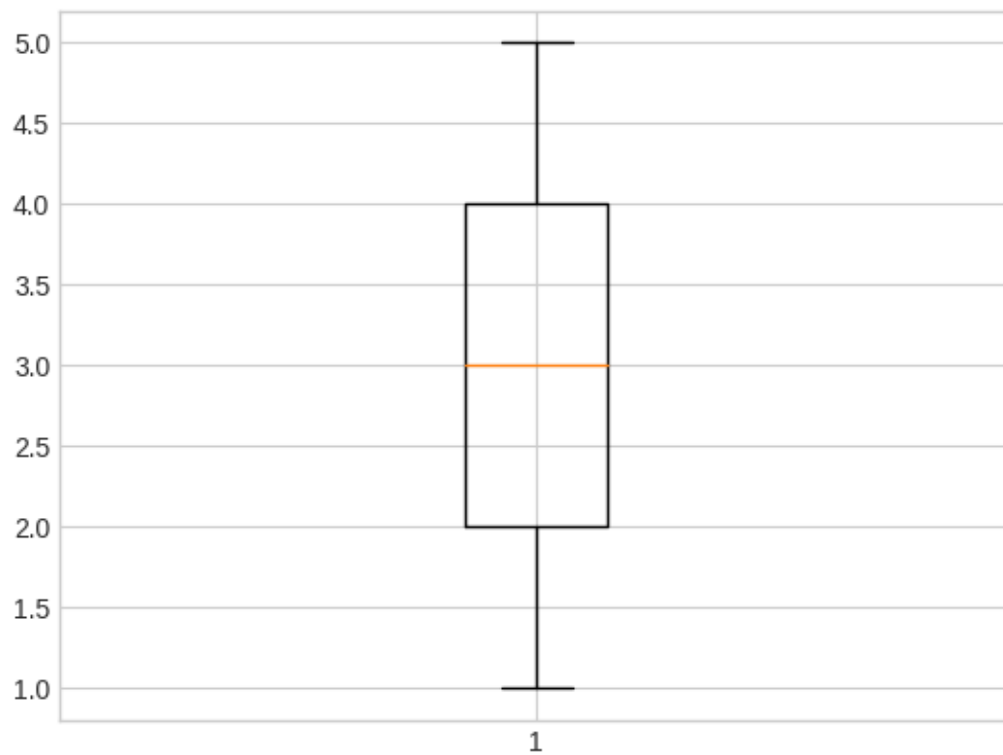
5 Plotting Code

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[13]: %matplotlib inline
import matplotlib
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-whitegrid')
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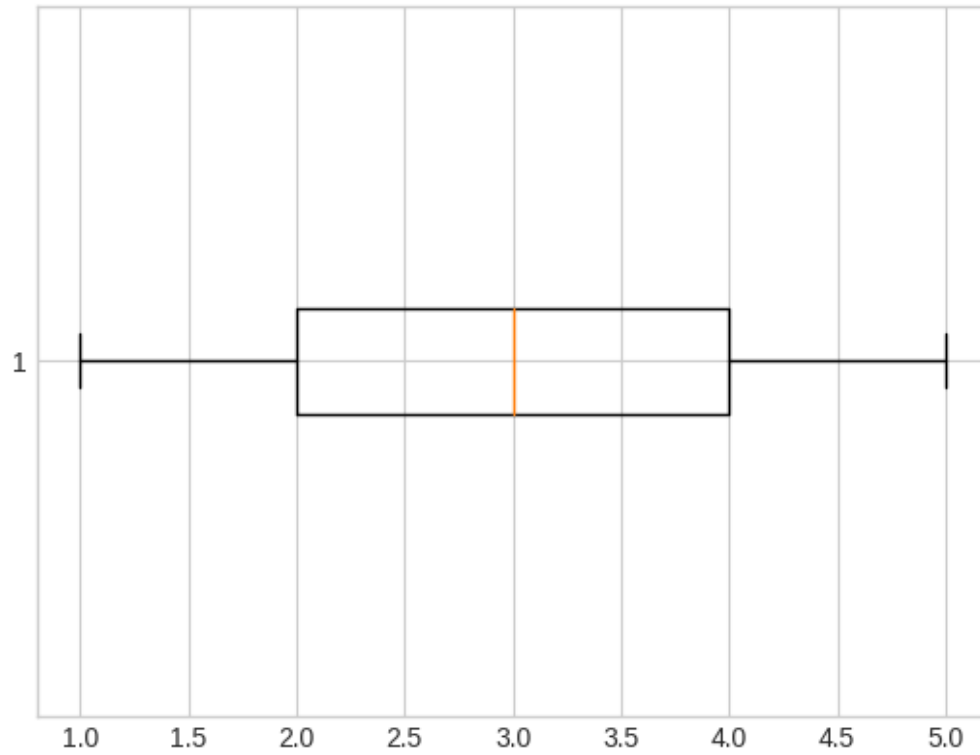
6 Task 5

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[14]: # part (a)
y = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4, 3, 5, 4, 1, 2]
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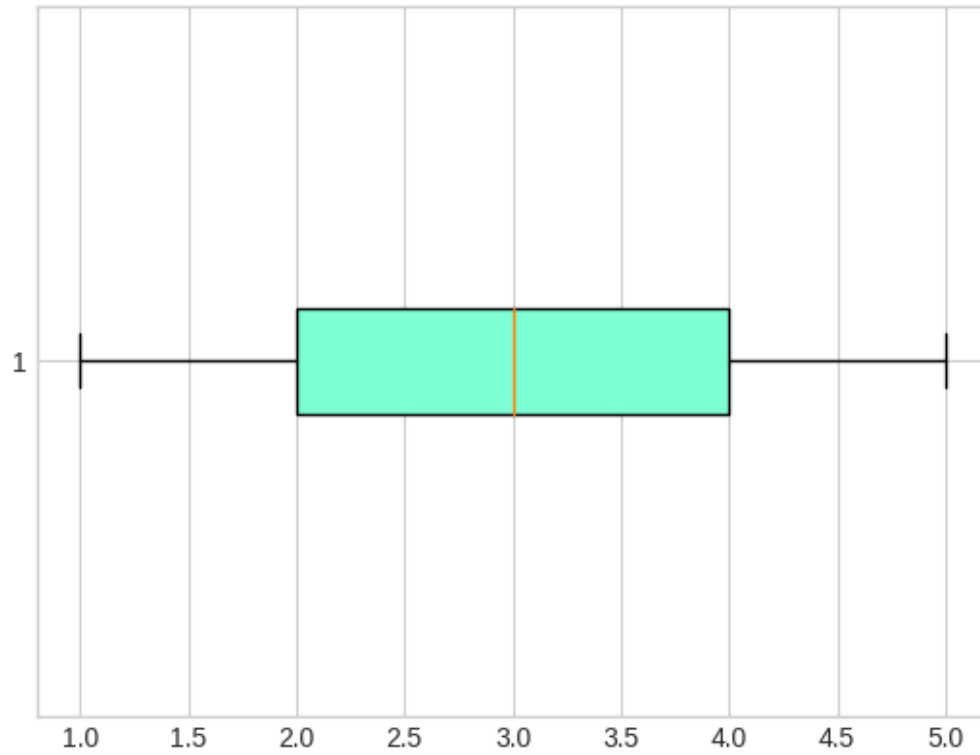
```
[15]: # part (b)
plt.boxplot(y);
```



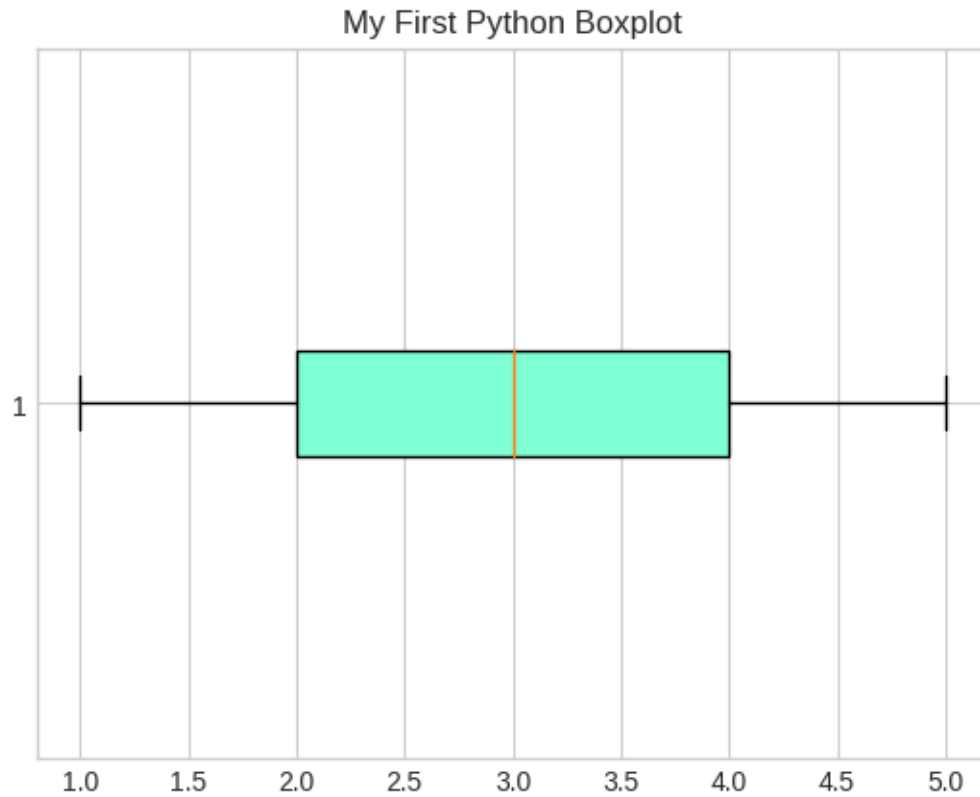
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[16]: # part (c)
plt.boxplot(y, vert = False);
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[17]: # part (d)
plt.boxplot(y, vert = False,
            patch_artist=True,
            boxprops = dict(facecolor = "aquamarine"));
```



```
[18]: # part (e)
plt.boxplot(y, vert = False,
            patch_artist=True,
            boxprops = dict(facecolor = "aquamarine"));
plt.title("My First Python Boxplot");
```

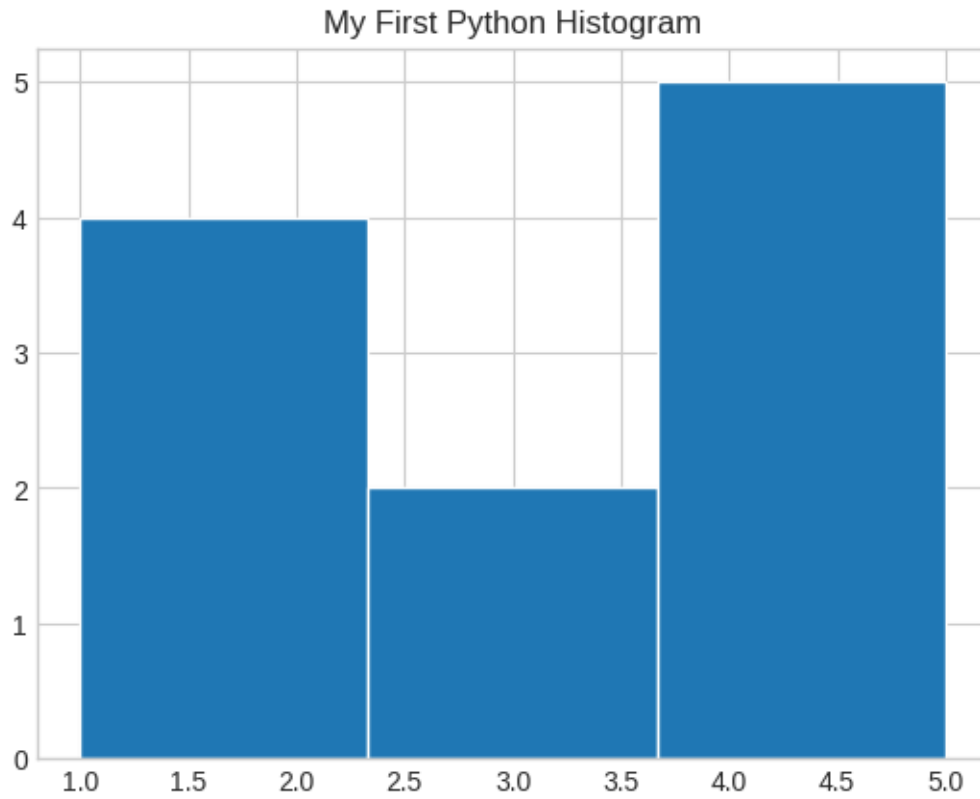


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[19]: ## part (f)  
## from the boxplot, IQR appears to be 2  
np.diff(np.percentile(y, [25,75]))[0]
```

[19]: 2.0

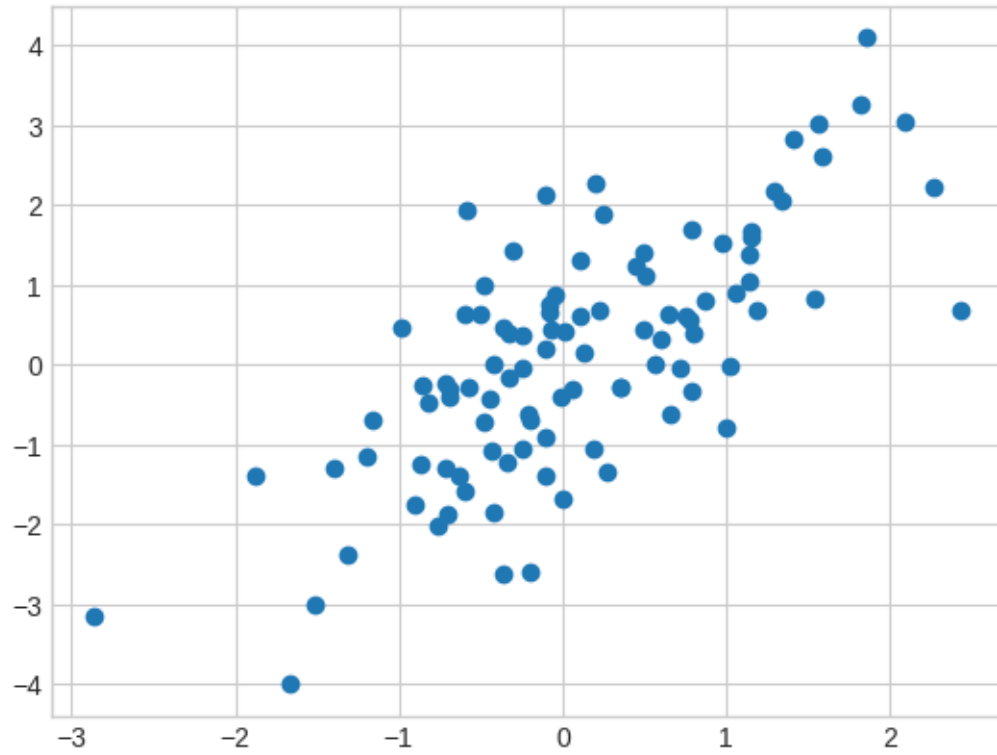
7 Task 6

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[20]: plt.hist(y,  
             bins = 3,  
             edgecolor = "white");  
plt.title("My First Python Histogram");
```

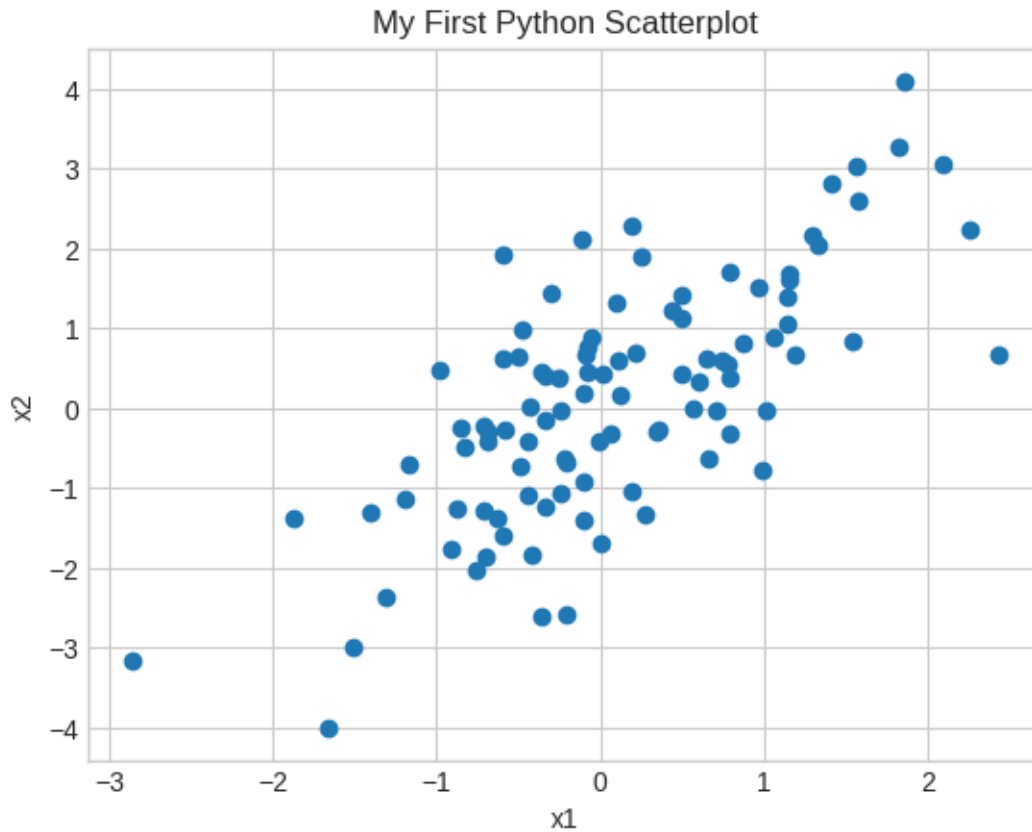


8 Task 7

```
[21]: ## part (a)  
  
np.random.seed(5)  
  
x1 = np.random.normal(0, 1, 100)  
x2 = x1 + np.random.normal(0, 1, 100)  
  
plt.scatter(x1, x2);
```



```
[22]: ## part (b)  
plt.scatter(x1, x2);  
plt.xlabel("x1");  
plt.ylabel("x2");  
plt.title("My First Python Scatterplot");
```

Part (c): Yes, there appears to be a positive linear trend.

9 Task 8

```
[23]: def f(x):
        """return  $x - x^2 * \sin(x)$ """
        return x - (x ** 2) * np.sin(x)

x = np.linspace(-10, 10, 150)
plt.plot(x, f(x), color = "red");
plt.xlabel("x");
plt.ylabel("f(x)");
plt.title("Plot of  $f(x) = x - x^2 * \sin(x)$ ");
```

