Step by step guide to Learn SAS

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Before you start...

- Pre Requisites
 - Basic data base knowledge
 - Basic idea on Analytics and Applications
 - Windows OS with minimum 2 GB RAM
 - SAS software
- Disclaimer
 - This presentation is just class notes. The best way to treat this is as a high-level summary;
 - The actual session went more in depth and contained other information.
 - Most of this material was written as informal notes, not intended for publication

What is SAS?

Analysis Applications

- Predicting what will be the right segment for a marketing campaign Decision Trees
- Predicting the loan repay capacity of a customer Logistic Regression
- Forecasting the revenue numbers for a product ARIMA
- Identifying fraud claims in healthcare insurance Cluster Analysis
- The recommendation engine that predicts the best product that interests the user - Neural networks
- Predicting the sales numbers based on macro economic data Regression analysis

What is Gauss markov theorem

Let $\beta = Cy$ be another linear estimator of β and let C be given by $(X'X)^{-1}X' + D$, where D is a $k \times n$ nonzero matrix. As we're restricting to *unbiased* estimators, minimum mean squared error implies minimum variance. The goal is therefore to show that such an estimator has a variance no smaller than that of $\hat{\beta}$, the OLS estimator.

The expectation of $\tilde{\beta}$ is:

$$E(Cy) = E(((X'X)^{-1}X' + D)(X\beta + \varepsilon))$$

= $((X'X)^{-1}X' + D)X\beta + ((X'X)^{-1}X' + D)\underbrace{E(\varepsilon)}_{0}$
= $(X'X)^{-1}X'X\beta + DX\beta$
= $(L_{t} + DX)\beta$

Therefore, $\tilde{\beta}$ is unbiased if and only if DX = 0.

The variance of \widetilde{eta} is

$$\begin{split} V(\tilde{\beta}) &= V(Cy) = CV(y)C' = \sigma^2 CC' \\ &= \sigma^2 ((X'X)^{-1}X' + D)(X(X'X)^{-1} + D') \\ &= \sigma^2 ((X'X)^{-1}X'X(X'X)^{-1} + (X'X)^{-1}X'D' + DX(X'X)^{-1} + DD') \\ &= \sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1} + \sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1} (\underbrace{DX}_0)' + \sigma^2 \underbrace{DX}_0 (X'X)^{-1} + \sigma^2 DD' \\ &= \underbrace{\sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1}}_{V(\hat{\beta})} + \sigma^2 DD'. \end{split}$$

Since DD' is a positive semidefinite matrix, $V(ilde{eta})$ exceeds $V(\hat{eta})$ by a positive semidefinite matrix.

$$\widehat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y$$

The above theorem is used find the regression estimates

All analytics algorithms are complicated

- We need pre written libraries or codes to perform analytical operations
- Below tools will make analytics easy
 - SAS
 - R
 SPSS
 - Matlab
 - Excel
 - Weka
 - RapidMiner
 - SAP
 - Mahout

Main Phases in learning analytics tool

1) Basics

- Introduction to the tool
- Coding and debugging
- Important features and limitations

2) Data Handling

- Importing the data
- Data manimpulations & creating calculated fields
- Data Merging

3) Functions and Algorithms

- Basic and Advanced functions
- Statistical techniques and algorithms
- Basic Reporting and exporting the results

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Step-1: SAS windowing environment

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What is SAS?

- Collection of modules that are used to process and analyze data.
- Developed in the early 1970s at North Carolina State University
- Originally intended for management and analysis of agricultural field experiments
- Now the most widely used statistical software
- Used to stand for "Statistical Analysis System", now it is not an acronym for anything
- Pronounced "sass", not spelled out as three letters.



Various Industries use SAS

- Casinos
- Communications
- Education
- Financial Services
- Government
- Health Insurance
- Health Care Providers
- Hotels

- Insurance
- Life Sciences
- Manufacturing
- Media
- Oil & Gas
- Retail
- Travel & Transportation
- Utilities

Accessing SAS

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Accessing SAS – on linux(optional)

- 1. Type sas . This opens the SAS "display manager", which consists of three windows (program, log, and output). Some procedures must be run from the display manager.
- 2. Type sas -nodms . You will be prompted for each SAS statement, and output will scroll by on the screen.
- Type sas -stdio . SAS will act like a standard UNIX program, expecting input from standard input, sending the log to standard error, and the output to standard output;
- 4. Type sas filename.sas . This is the batch mode of SAS -your program is read from filename.sas, the log goes to filename.log and the output goes to filename.lst.

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The SAS Screen

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The SAS Screen - UI

Run button – click on this button to run SAS code



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Lab:

- Open SAS from start button. Identify below windows in SAS
- Explorer window
 - Where is it?
 - What is the symbol?
 - What does it contain?
- Results window
 - Where is it?
 - What is the symbol?
 - What does it contain?
- Program Editor or Editor
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Explorer

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Where is Explorer in SAS? What do you see in your SAS Explorer?

- 1. View and manage SAS files stored in SAS data libraries
- 2. Create new libraries and SAS files Open SAS files
- 3. File management tasks such as moving, adding , deleting files
- 4. Create shortcuts to files

Details later

Editor Window



Where is editor in SAS?

- 1. Opening SAS program
- Entering, editing and submitting SAS programs
- 3. Using the command line or menus
- 4. Clearing the contents
- 5. Support for keyboard shortcuts
- Color coding and syntax checking of SAS language

Write this script in editor;
proc print data=sashelp.air;
run;

Log window

Log - (Untitled) Where is log window in SAS? OTE: Copyright (c) 2002-2008 by SAS Institute Inc., Cary, NC, USA. NOTE: SAS (r) Proprietary Software 9.2 (TS1M0) Licensed to UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME - T&R, Site 0070009309. NOTE: This session is executing on the W32 VSPRO platform. The Debug window 1. 2. Displays the messages about NOTE: SAS initialization used: 9.32 seconds SAS session and the program real time cpu time 2.30 seconds that is submitted. proc print data=sashelp.air; 1 NOTE: Writing HTML Body file: sashtml.htm 2 run: NOTE: There were 144 observations read from the data set SASHELP.AIR. NOTE: PROCEDURE PRINT used (Total process time): real time 3.68 seconds 0.65 seconds cpu time Write this script in editor and see the log file; 3 proc print data=sashelp.airr; ERROR: File SASHELP.AIRR.DATA does not exist. 4 run; NOTE: The SAS System stopped processing this step because of errors. NOTE: PROCEDURE PRINT used (Total process time): proc print real time 0.06 seconds cpu time 0.03 seconds data=sashelp.airr; run; 111

Outputs window



- 1. Displays the listing output in the output window
- 2. It automatically opens or moves to the front of display when output is created.

Write this script in editor and see output file;

proc print data=sashelp.air;
run;

Results window

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- 1. Helps navigate and manage output
- 2. View, save, and print individual items of output.

Comments and Help menu

There are two styles of comments you can use:

- 1. One starts with an asterisk (*) and ends with a semicolon (;).
- 2. The other style starts with a slash asterisk (/*) and ends with an asterisk slash (*/).

Help	
SAS <u>H</u> elp and Documentation	
Getting Started with SAS Software	
Learning SAS programming	
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About <u>S</u> AS System	

Other options: Results in html output

Lab: My first SAS Program

 My first SAS program— "Hello world" proc print data=sashelp.air;

run;

Submit the program

• Write this SAS script in your editor

```
data income_data;
Input income expenses;
Cards;
1200 1000
9000 600
;
run;
Proc print data=income_data;
```

Run;

Lab

- Explorer window
 - What does it contain now ?
- Results window
 - What does it contain now ?
- Program Editor or Editor
 - What does it contain now ?
- Log window
 - What does it contain now ?
- Output window
 - What does it contain now ?

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Lab: My first SAS program

Run below code

proc print data=sashelp.airr; run;

- How to diagnose & correct errors
- Run below code

proc content data=sashelp.air;
run;

- Identify the errors if any
- Print income_data
- Close SAS & open it again
- Print income_data

SAS Libraries

- By defining a library, you indicate the location of your SAS files to SAS
- Collection of SAS files such as SAS data sets and catalogs
- To access a library, you need to assign it a name (also known as a libref, or library reference)
- After assigning a library name you'll work with SAS data sets in a library
- In the Windows and Unix environments, SAS library is typically a group of SAS files in the same folder or directory.
- How to define a library?
 - Using Interactive window
 - Libname Statement

Temporary and permanent libraries

Temp Library

- Storing files temporarily
- If you don't specify a library name when you create a file or
- If you specify the library name WORK
- Then the file is stored in the temporary SAS data library
- <u>Last only for the current</u>
 <u>SAS session</u>

Permanent library

Storing files permanently

 Specify a library name other than the default library name Work

<u>Available during</u> <u>subsequent SAS sessions</u>

Defining a library -GUI

- Define a library name using interactive window
 - On the toolbar, click the New Library tool
 - Enter a Library Name
 - Browse to select the location
 - Enable at Startup check box -> OK.

Create a library name 'mylib' using interactive window

Libname Statement

Write a statement in a editor window

<u>Syntax</u> LIBNAME libref 'SAS-library' ;

Example: LIBNAME sales 'c:\salesdata\sas\2002';

- Create a library named 'mylib2' using the above syntax
- Create a library named '2mylib' using the above syntax
- Create a library named 'mylib2mylib' using the above syntax
- Create a library named '\$mylib2' using the above syntax

Rules for assigning a Library

- 1. Limited to 8 characters long
- 2. Must start with letter or underscore only
- 3. Can be a combination of letters, numbers and underscore

Referencing files in SAS Libraries

As we know, to reference a SAS file we need to assign a *libref* (library reference) to the SAS library in which the file is stored.

- <u>Referencing files from permanent library:</u>
 - To reference permanent SAS data set, you use two-level name.
 libref.filename
 - The *libref* is name of the SAS data library that contains the file.
 The *filename* is the name of the file itself.
 - A period separates the *libref* and *filename*.
 - Example: *libref.filename*
- <u>Referencing files from temporary library:</u>
 - Specify default libref WORK, a period and the filename. e.g. work.ecg1
 - Alternatively, you can use one level name- the filename only.
 e.g. ecg1

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SAS default libraries (Self)

Following libraries are automatically assigned each time you start SAS <u>Sashelp</u>:

- Permanent library
- Contains sample data and other files that control how SAS works at our site.
- This is a read-only library
- Sasuser:
 - Permanent library
 - Contains SAS files that store personal settings/ our own files
- <u>Work:</u>
- Temporary library
- Last only for the current SAS session

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- Print a data file from SAS default library
 Proc print data= <> ; run;
- Print a data file from SASuser library
- Print a dataset from work library.
- Try work. & without work.
- Create a new library "_data_"
- Create a new library "3data_"
- Create a new library "data"

Step-2: SAS datasets and variables

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- PROC Step
- Writing a SAS program and debugging it
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- Data sets properties
- Variables in a data set
- Types of variables
- Attributes of variables
- Create data using Data statement
SAS Program

- Sequence of statements executed in order
- Used to access, manage, analyze and present the data
- Contains statements, expressions, functions and CALL routines, options, formats, and informats
- Simplified programming with built in programs known as SAS Procedures (pre written codes)
 - PROC REG, PROC PRINT, PROC ARIMA etc.,
- All programs are already written in SAS, we just need to call the right procedure
- There are a few rules to follow when writing SAS programs.

Characteristics and layout

- SAS programs are made up of SAS statements.
- <u>A SAS statement has two important characteristics:</u>
 - 1. It usually begins with a SAS keyword.
 - 2. It always ends with a semicolon
- <u>Layout of SAS program:</u>
 - 1. They can begin and end anywhere on a line
 - 2. One statement can continue over several lines
 - 3. Several statements can be on a line.
 - 4. SAS statements are NOT case sensitive.
 - 5. Blanks or special characters separate the "words" in a SAS statement.

Lab

- Print a dataset in SAS help library
- Proc print data=<>; run;
- Try these properties of SAS statements
 - 1. They can begin and end anywhere on a line Try it
 - 2. One statement can continue over several lines Try it
 - 3. Several statements can be on a line. Try it
 - 4. SAS statements are NOT case sensitive. Try it

Components of SAS Programs

- SAS programs are constructed from two basic building blocks:
 - 1. DATA steps
 - 2. PROC steps
- These two types of steps, alone or combined, form all SAS programs.
- Generally, a step ends with a RUN statement or when a new DATA or PROC step begins.



DATA step

- Begins with the keyword DATA
- Creates or modifies the data set
- Produces custom designed reports
- Using data step we can
 - Put our data into a SAS data set
 - Compute values & create new fields
 - Check for and correct errors in our data
 - Produce new SAS data sets by sub setting, merging, and updating existing data sets

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Creating a SAS data

data <libname>.<datasetname>; Input <var1> <var2>....<varp>; Cards; v11 v21vp1 v1n v2nvpn ; run;

Creating a SAS data

data mylib.stock; input volume price; cards; 1200 14 1400 14.5 1250 16 1470 13.5 1290 18 1609 19.5 1809 17 1123 16.5 ; run;



Data portion of SAS data set

Observations (Rows):

- Collections of data values that usually relate to a single object
- Can store any number of observations.
- Variables (Columns):
 - Collections of values that describe a particular characteristic
 - Can store thousands of variables.

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5	\$656.00	\$646.00	CANADA								
6	\$948.00	\$486.00	CANADA								
7	\$612.00	\$717.00	CANADA								
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- Use data step and create a dataset named "reallybigdatasetnamethis12345678";
- Use data step and create a dataset named "123data";
- Use data step and create a dataset named "\$data";
- Use data step and create a dataset named "_data";
- Use data step and create a dataset named "_data123";

SAS Dataset name rules

- 1. Can be 1 to 32 characters long
- Must begin with a letter (A–Z, either uppercase or lowercase) or an underscore (_)
- 3. Can be a combination of numbers, letters, or underscores.

Examples: admit2, _test_1, CLINTRIAL

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- Use data step and create a variable named "reallybigvarnamethis123456789101112"; in a dataset
- Use data step and create a variable named "123var";
- Use data step and create a variable named "\$var";
- Use data step and create a variable named "_var";
- Use data step and create a variable named "_var123";

SAS Variables

Columns in the SAS datasets are called SAS variables.

<u>Attributes of SAS variables:</u> Attribute information includes the variable's

- 1. Type
- 2. Length
- 3. Format
- 4. Informat
- 5. Label.

SAS variable name rules: (Same as SAS dataset name)

- 1. Limited to 32 characters long
- 2. Must start with letter or underscore
- 3. Can be a combination of letters (Uppercase / lowercase, A-Z) , numbers and underscore

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Lab: Creating a sample dataset using script

Run below script

Data student; input height weight; Cards; 120 55 133 70 140 78 135 69 ;

Run;

- See the properties of the created data, proc contents
- Add a new variable 'name' to the above dataset
- What is the error? (Use \$)
- See proc contents data
- Print data

Main Attributes of a variable

- Length:
 - Character variables can be up to 32,767 bytes long.
 - All numeric variables have a default length of 8.
- Label:
 - Consists of descriptive text up to 256 characters long
 - Labels are used instead of variable names in some reports
 - Labels are used for the column headings in the VIEWTABLE window
 - By default, variable name is assigned as a label
- Formats:
 - Affect the way data values are written
 - SAS offers a variety of character, numeric, and date and time formats
 - Can create and store your own formats
 - Storing
- Informats:
 - Read data values in certain forms into standard SAS values
 - Determine how data values are read into a SAS data set
 - Printing

Main types of SAS variables

Character variables:

- 1. Can contain any value
- 2. Use Blank to represent the missing values
- 3. Can be up to 32K

Numeric variables:

- Can contain only numeric values

 (digits 0 through 9, +,-,., E or scientific notations)
- 2. Use a single period (.) to represent the missing values
- 3. Have a default length of 8.
- Numeric values are stored as floating point number as 8 bytes of storage, unless you specify another length.

Step-3: Importing data into SAS

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Reading data using import wizard

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- Import Survey_data from Survey_data.xls file
- Name the output file as survey_2012;
- Import the file into work library & current library
- Print the contents of the data
- Are all the variables present in the SAS dataset?
- Import 'Cust_survey_old' data from Survey_data1.xls

Import CSV and TAB files

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Lab

- Import client_data.csv file
- Name the output file as client_2012;
- Import the file into work library & current library
- Print the contents of the data
- Are all the variables present in the SAS dataset?
- Import clinet_manager.txt file
- Import price web.csv file
- See the contents
- Save the import code in local folder

Reading data sets using 'PROC import'

PROC IMPORT DATAFILE= "< location of file>\sample_data.csv"

OUT= testdat.excelSAS1

DBMS=CSV

REPLACE;

RUN;

Where

DATAFILE is the name and the location of file you want to read.

OUT is the name of the SAS data set you want to create

DBMS is *identifier;* specifies the type of data to import. Valid identifiers for delimited files are DLM, JMP, and CSV.

REPLACE overwrites an existing SAS data set. If you do not specify the REPLACE option

Lab: Using Proc Import script

- Import Healthcare data
- Print the contents of the data
- Are all the variables present in the SAS dataset?
- Try with and without replace options
- Import cars data
- Import credit risk.txt data

Working with DB files

What if we have all these tables in one database?

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- Create a library out of All_Survey_DB.mdb
- Print the contents of the files
- Copy relevant tables into your library
- Print client_manager data
- Try opening access file using access now

Reading data from SAS datasets

- How to create a new SAS data set out of SAS data set?
- How do we create survey2 from survey data?

Data libname.new; Set libname.old;

Lab: Creating new variables

 Create a new dataset and add a new variable score1 (Response + Quality)

```
data work.survey_v2;
set work.survey;
score1=(response+quality)/2;
run;
```

- Create a new variable diff, the difference between overall rating and score1
- Update the same dataset with a new variable inter_score which is average of Communication, Response, Quality score
- Print all the observations with overall score grater than than or equal to 4

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Lab: Creating new variables

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Recap

- Create a new library
- What are the already existing datasets in your library?
- Import market_data_one data into your library using import script
- Print the contents of the data
 - How many observations are there in the dataset?
 - How many variables?
 - Identify non numeric variables
- Print first ten observations of the data
- Create a new field general_questions. If we subtract num_custom_questions from num_form_fields, we get general_questions

Creating new variable - using if then else

Creating a new variable using if then else

```
data datalib.market_one_v1;
set datalib.market_one;
if budget <= 3000 then budget_ind='low';
else if budget >= 100000 then budget_ind='high';
else budget_ind='medium';
run;
```

Lab: Creating a variable- using if then else

- Create a new variable asset_ind.
 - If the number of assets are greater than zero then asset_ind takes the value yes otherwise NO
- See proc contents
- Print first ten observations
- Create reach_ind which takes values 1, 2 and 3 when reach is less than 33, 33 to 66 and 67 to 100.
- Print first ten observations

Drop and keep variables

- What if I'm not interested in all the fields?
- Creating a new data set with less number of fields.

Using drop statement

```
data datalib.market_one_v2;
set datalib.market_one (drop=name start_date end_date) ;
run;
```

Using Keep statement

```
data datalib.market_one_v3;
set datalib.market_one (keep=id name budget) ;
run;
```

Lab: Drop and keep variables

- Import market_dk data
- See the contents
- Var1, var2, var3 are of no use for the analysis
- Create a new data by dropping the unnecessary variables by using drop statement
- Create a new data by keeping only necessary variables by using keep statement

Sub setting the data

Sometimes we need a subset of the data for further analysis

```
data datalib.market_one_v4;
set datalib.market_one;
where vertical='Technology';
run;
```

or

```
data datalib.market_one_v4;
set datalib.market_one;
if vertical='Technology';
run;
```
Lab Sub-setting the data

- Create a data set named "good_reach_camp" contains all the camps where reach is more than 50 percent
- Create using where statement
- Create the same using if statement
- Is there any difference between where and if?
- Print a subset of data:
 - Try to print the data where reach is more than 90
 - Use if and print again
 - if
 - NOTE: There were 7843 observations read from the data set DATALIB.MARKET_ONE.
 - NOTE: The data set DATALIB.MARKET_ONE_V4 has 4679 observations and 12 variables.
 - Where
 - NOTE: There were 4679 observations read from the data set DATALIB.MARKET_ONE. WHERE vertical='Technology';
 - NOTE: The data set DATALIB.MARKET_ONE_V4 has 4679 observations and 12 variables.

Major differences between where and if

Where statement	IF statement
Selects observations before they are brought into the program data vector, making it a more efficient programming technique.	Works on observations after they are read into the program data vector.
Cannot be executed conditionally as part of an IF statement	The sub setting IF statement can be executed conditionally
Can be used in SAS procedures	Cannot be used in SAS procedures to subset observations for browsing or editing.

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SAS functions - Numeric

Sum, min, max, avg functions

data DATALIB.MARKET_two_v1; set DATALIB.MARKET_two; sum_two=Sum(Webinar,White_Paper); min_two=min(Webinar,White_Paper); max_two=max(Webinar,White_Paper); Avg_two=mean(Webinar,White_Paper); run;

Lab: Functions

- 1. There is some error in the number of assets field.
- Create a variable num_asset to verify number of assets formula. Number of assents is nothing but the sum of White_Paper,Webinar,Software_Download,Free_Offer,Live_ Event,Case_Study
- Find the absolute difference between two variables using diff=abs(x2-x1);
- 4. Print all observations where diff is not equal to zero

String functions

data datalib.market_one_v5; set datalib.market_one; vertical_ind=substr(vertical,1,1); length_name=length(name); trim_name=trim(name);

run;

Lab: String functions

- Create name_new by taking first 20 characters of the name variable
- Create a new variable by converting the name of the campaign into uppercase (use UPCASE function)
- Create a flag variable that takes value 1 If campaign starting month is not equal to campaign ending month

Date Functions

data datalib.market_one_v5; set datalib.market_one; start_month=month(start_date); start_date1=day(start_date); Duration_days=INTCK('day',start_date,end _date);

run;

Lab: Date functions

- How many campaigns started in January?
- How many campaigns started on Saturday or Sunday?
- What is the duration of each campaign? Create three variables
 - Duration_days
 - Duration_months
 - Duration_weeks
- How many market campaigns run more than 6 months



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Contents

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Components of SAS Programs

- SAS programs are constructed from two basic building blocks:
 - 1. DATA steps
 - 2. PROC steps
- These two types of steps, alone or combined, form all SAS programs.
- Generally, a step ends with a RUN statement or when a new DATA or PROC step begins.



PROC step

- Begins with the keyword PROC
- Pre-written routines that enable you to analyze and process the data
- Sometimes create SAS data sets that contain the results of the procedure
- Present the data in the form of a report

For example

- Create a report that lists the data
- Produce descriptive statistics
- Create a summary report
- Produce plots and charts
- Run regression analysis

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Proc Contents

Proc contents describes the structure of the SAS data set. Gives following information -

- Data set level
 - Details of data like Name, creation date, Number of observations (weighted and un-weighted), Number of variables, File size and access permissions
- Variable level
 - Provides descriptive stats across each variable such as Name, Type (Character vs. Numeric), Length, Formats, Position and Labels
- Proc contents data= <<data name>>; run;
- Useful options :
 - Short Outputs the list of variables in a row by row format.
 Code : proc contents data=test short;run;
 - Out=filename Creates a data set wherein each observation is a variable from the original data set.

Code : proc contents data=test1 **out=test2** noprint;run;

Lab: Proc Contents

- Import Price_web_data.csv; See the data description.pdf file
- Print the contents
- Are all the variables in expected format?
- Print only field names of the dataset proc contents data=class1.market_one short; run;
- Take the output of contents into a sas file, name it contents_out proc contents data=class1.market_one out=con_out noprint; run;

Proc Sort

- Primarily used to sort the observation of your data by a certain variable or collection of variables.
- However, it can also be used to create a new data set, subset your data, rename, drop, or keep variables, and format or label variables.

```
proc sort data=class1.market_one out=new;
by start_date ;
run;
```

 Almost always a good idea to use the OUT= option when using proc sort to do anything except for a simple sort. Because Proc Sort automatically writes over your data set!

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Lab: Proc Sort

- Sort market_one data by budget
- Sort market_one data by budget descending
- Sort data by date and reach
- Use market_one table and create a new table campan_names, sort name in alphabetical

Proc Sort

Sorting and removing the duplicates

proc sort data=class1.market_one out=class1.names_table nodupkey;
by name ;
run;

Sorting and removing the duplicate records

proc sort data=class1.market_one out=class1.names_table nodup;
by name ;

run;

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Lab: Proc Sort

- Sort the dataset by date; don't overwrite the original data
- Create a new dataset which contains all the unique brands on a given date(A dataset where the brand name does not repeat on a given day)
- How many unique products are there in the dataset? Crate a new data set with this unique list

Proc Sql

proc sql;

```
create table class1.market_sql as
select *
from class1.Market_two
where num_assets>0;
```

quit;

Quit instead of run?

Lab: Proc Sql

- Import market_data_three
- Crate a new table where budget is greater than zero
- In market_one data find the average budgetand average reach for each vertical
- Create a new table by inner joining market_one, market_two join them on id

```
proc sql;
create table class1.market_one_two as
select *
from class1.Market_one as a inner join class1.Market_two as b
on a.id=b.id;
quit;
```

 Create a new table by inner joining above table to market_three table, save the final table as market_final_data



Lab: Proc Sql

 Find the frequency of each brand(count number of times a brand appears), also average list price for each brand. Save this data as brand_data

proc sql;

```
create table brand_data as
select brand, count(rowid) as freq, mean(listprice) as
avg_list_price
from class1.price_data
group by brand;
quit;
```

 For each product find the number of appearances, average rating and total review count, name this data as product_data



Proc Gplot

Scatter plot

```
proc gplot data= class1.market_final_data;
plot budget_leads*budget;
where budget < 100000;
run;</pre>
```

Lab: Proc Gplot

- If Average price is less, then frequency will be more, if price is more then frequency will be less.
- Verify the above statement by drawing a scatter plot graph between freq and average list price in brand_data

Proc Gchart

Vertical Bar chart

```
proc gchart data= class1.market_final_data;
vbar vertical / type=sum sumvar=total_leads;
Run;
```

- Vbar → X axis catogiry
- Type \rightarrow type of aggregation
- sumvar \rightarrow Y axis variable
- The above script shows sum of leads for each vertical

```
proc gchart data= class1.market_final_data;
vbar vertical / type=mean sumvar=total_leads;
Run;
```

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Lab: Proc Gchart

- Draw a vertical bar graph which shows all the brands and the average number of reviews(Use original price_data)
- Draw a horizontal bar graph for the same
- Draw a bar chart for number of products by site name
 - You may want to use count
 - Try freq if it doesn't work

Pie chart

PROC GCHART DATA=class1.price_data;
 PIE category;

RUN;

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Lab: Pie chart

- There was a complaint that one in every four items listed on the site is out of stock. Is that true? Draw a pie chart to verify
- Draw a pie which shows the percentage of products with free shipping availability & non availability

Step-5: Combining Datasets in SAS



Combing data set

Combining datasets in a DATA step

Oconcatenate Append

SET

o Interleave

• SET ... BY

 \circ Merge

- MERGE
- MERGE ... BY

Concatenation/Appending

Simply appending/staking of the data

- Eg: Month by month data concatenated to form year end data
- Concatenating data from various customers to make a master dataset



Demo: Appending Datasets

data store1; input customer \$; cards; Mr-X Mr-A Mr-Z 1 data store2; input customer \$; cards; Mr-B Mr-Y Mr-C

/

```
data overall;
set store1 store2;
run;
```

proc print data=overal
run;

Lab: Concatenation

- Create there datasets out of price web data, based on brand Samsung, apple & others
- Crate a new variable in apple dataset, disc_price_apple which is 20% of actual cost
- Concatenate the three datasets
- How many fields are there in the new dataset?
- Crate four datasets out of telecom complaints data, based on status closed, open, Temporary Closed and others
- Keep only del number, customer email id and status
- Concatenate all these four datasets to form a new_overall dataset

```
data tech_mark ener_mark;
set datalib.market_one;
if vertical='Technology' then output tech_mark ;
else if vertical='Energy' then output ener_mark;
run;
```

Interleave

- Appending simply appends
- We may want to maintain the order rather than just appending
- Interleave Ordered stacking



Demo: Interleave

data store1; input customer \$; cards; Mr-X Mr-A Mr-Z ; data store2; input customer \$; cards; Mr-B Mr-Y Mr-C ;

data overall; set store1 store2; by name; run;

proc print data=overall;
run;

Demo: Interleave

data store1; input customer \$; cards; Mr-X Mr-A Mr-Z ; data store2; input customer \$; cards; Mr-B Mr-Y Mr-C

;

proc sort data= store1; by customer; run; proc sort data= store2; by customer; run;

data overall;
set store1 store2;
run;

proc print data=overall;
run;

LAB Inter leaving Dataset

- Crate four datasets out of telecom complaints data, based on status closed, open, Temporary Closed and others
- Keep only del number, customer email id and status.
- Interleave by all these four datasets by del number to form a new_overall dataset
- Create there datasets out of price web data, based on brand Samsung, apple & others
- Crate a new variable in apple dataset, disc_price_apple which is 20% of actual cost
- Concatenate the three datasets based on date
- How many fields are there in the new dataset?
From set to Merge

set students1 students2;

Proc print data=two sub; run;

by name;

run;

- Merging is similar to joins but not exactly same as joins
- Options need to be used in proper order to form the desired dataset

```
data students2;
 data students1;
                                      input name $ english;
 input name $ maths;
                                      cards;
 cards;
                                      Ram 55
 Ram 78
                                      Robert 70
 Robert 90
                                      Raheem 60
 Raheem 80
                                      Fred 75
 Gopi 75
                                      Alex 50
 Anil 60
proc sort data=students1; by name; run;
proc sort data=students2; by name; run;
data two sub;
```

Replace Set by Merge

Matched Merging

data two_sub; set students1 students2; by name; run;

Merge	students1	<pre>students2;</pre>
by nam	ne;	
run;		

data two sub:

Obs	name	maths	english
1	Alex	•	50
2	Anil	60	•
3	Fred	•	75
4	Gopi	75	•
5	Raheem	80	•
6	Raheem	•	60
7	Ram	78	•
8	Ram	•	55
9	Robert	90	•
10	Robert	•	70

Obs	name	maths	english)
1	Alex	•	50	,
2	Anil	60		(
3	Fred	•	75	
4	Gopi	75		,
5	Raheem	80	60)
6	Ram	78	55	
7	Robert	90	70	

Merging

Merge looks for the matching variables and created a consolidated merged dataset

DATA output-SAS-data-set;

MERGE SAS-data-set-1 SAS-data-set-2; BY variable(s);

RUN;

Where,

- Output–SAS data set names the data set to be created.
- SAS-data-set-1 and SAS-data-set-2 specify the data sets to be read.
- Variable(s) specifies one or more variables that are used to match observations.

LAB: Matched Merging

- Import Orders data & spot data into two different data sets from TV commercial data
- Sort both data sets based on iSCI/AD-iD
- Merge orders and slots based on iSCI/AD-iD
- How many observations are there in the consolidated dataset

```
data two_sub;
Merge students1 students2;
by name;
run;
```

Merge With Conditions

data students1;	data students2;	
<pre>input name \$ maths;</pre>	<pre>input name \$ english;</pre>	
cards;	cards;	
Ram 78	Ram 55	
Robert 90	Robert 70	
Raheem 80	Raheem 60	
Gopi 75	Fred 75	
Anil 60	Alex 50	
;	;	

- What if we want complete details from dataset-1 and matching details form dataset-1
- Marks of only students from data set1 and fetch their English marks from data set 2
- The other way around Marks of only students from data set2 and fetch their Maths marks from data set 1

Demo: Merge with condition

```
data twosub_student1;
merge students1(in=a) students2(in=b);
by name;
if a;
run;
```

```
data twosub_student2;
merge students1(in=a) students2(in=b);
by name;
if b;
run;
```

```
proc print data= twosub_student1; run;
proc print data= twosub_student2; run;
```

Merge Condition Statements

Must be in 1st dataset;
if in1; * Same as: if in1 = 1;

Must be in 2nd dataset;
 if in2;

Must be in both datasets;
 if in1 and in2;

Merge Condition Statements



DATASET 2



LAB: Merge with Condition

- Merge the data sets orders and spot data
- Create a new data set with all orders data along with matching spot data fields
- Create a new data set with all spot data along with matching orders data fields

```
data twosub_student1;
merge students1(in=a) students2(in=b);
by name;
if a;
run;b
```

LAB: Merge with Condition

- Sort both bill and complaints data on del_no. Remove duplicates using nodupkey on del_no
- Attach complaint details of the customers to the billing data, all customers might not have complaints
- Attach billing details to complaints data, if available
- Create a data set and print all the customers whose billing and complaints details are available

```
data twosub_student1;
merge students1(in=a) students2(in=b);
by name;
if a;
run;
```

Next Steps



What next??



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Thank you

