

# **BIOL806\_results/figures**

## **Results**

### **Data Organizing and Cleaning**

All codes to creating the tables, figures and data frames can be found here [https://github.com/1006kay/Biol\\_806\\_FinalProject.git](https://github.com/1006kay/Biol_806_FinalProject.git) on github.

### **Above and Below Groups from Mean Rumination Time (RT) in the Last Week of Pregnancy**

To account for parity, primiparous (1st lactation) and multiparous (2 lactation) cows were grouped together to obtain mean rumination time for their last week of pregnancy (LWP), which consisted of days -7 to -1 relative to calving (day 0). For primiparous cows, the mean RT in the LWP was 489.99 min/24hr. For multiparous cows, the mean RT in the LWP was 473.12 min/24hr. In table 1, it shows the cows that were enrolled in the data collection process that had an individual mean RT that was below parity (primi- or multiparous) average. Also included in table 1, is the lactation each cow is currently in. The sample size of cows placed in the below group is  $n = 16$ . Table 2 includes the same metrics listed in table 1, however this table shows the cows that had a greater mean RT in the LWP than the parity RT average. The sample size of cows placed in the above group is  $n = 18$ .

Table 1: This table shows the distribution of cows that belong in the below group based off of their rumination time (RT) in their last week of pregnancy. The primiparous cows ( $n=5$ ) were grouped together to find the primiparous mean RT (4.89.99 min/24hr) and the multiparous cows ( $n=29$ ) were grouped together to find the multiparous mean RT (473.12 min/24hr).

Cow ID	Lactation	Mean Ind. RT in		Mean Parity RT in LWP	Group	Parity
		LWP				
1250	1	444.1329		489.9999	below	primi
1246	1	474.5828		489.9999	below	primi

Cow ID	Lactation	Mean Ind. RT in		Group	Parity	
		LWP	Mean Parity			
1245	1	466.3435		489.9999	below	primi
1215	2	452.2185		473.1203	below	multi
1208	2	444.5366		473.1203	below	multi
1199	2	414.9472		473.1203	below	multi
1195	2	397.0047		473.1203	below	multi
1193	2	466.6102		473.1203	below	multi
1191	2	316.7326		473.1203	below	multi
1157	3	462.7568		473.1203	below	multi
1150	3	446.1355		473.1203	below	multi
1143	3	456.3694		473.1203	below	multi
1065	4	445.1048		473.1203	below	multi
1048	5	441.6824		473.1203	below	multi
963	7	455.0059		473.1203	below	multi
953	7	433.9651		473.1203	below	multi

Table 2: This table shows the distribution of cows that belong in the above group based off of their rumination time (RT) in their last week of pregnancy. The primiparous cows ( $n=5$ ) were grouped together to find the primiparous mean RT (4.89.99 min/24hr) and the multiparous cows ( $n=29$ ) were grouped together to find the multiparous mean RT (473.12 min/24hr).

Cow ID	Lactation	Mean Ind. RT in		Group	Parity	
		LWP	Mean Parity			
1253	1	549.8919		489.9999	above	primi
1252	1	515.0486		489.9999	above	primi
1209	2	536.9909		473.1203	above	multi
1207	2	481.2637		473.1203	above	multi
1206	2	532.1750		473.1203	above	multi
1205	2	478.9041		473.1203	above	multi
1203	2	481.2478		473.1203	above	multi
1200	2	522.5576		473.1203	above	multi
1192	2	522.7118		473.1203	above	multi
1189	2	499.5291		473.1203	above	multi
1148	3	489.7752		473.1203	above	multi
1141	3	563.7630		473.1203	above	multi
1107	4	519.2403		473.1203	above	multi
1103	4	494.5288		473.1203	above	multi
1083	4	537.4015		473.1203	above	multi
1047	5	478.9204		473.1203	above	multi

Cow ID	Lactation	Mean Ind. RT in LWP				Group	Parity
				Mean Parity	RT in LWP		
989	6		474.2016		473.1203	above	multi
976	6		474.2066		473.1203	above	multi

In figure 1, shows the distribution of cows individual rumination time after assigning groups, above or below, based off of the mean RT in the last week of pregnancy. Based off of figure, the above group shows that there are no outliers, the overall shape has some symmetric distribution of individual mean RT since the median line is centered while the whiskers are not evenly distributed, and has a higher median when compared to the below group. As for the below group, it is showing two outliers below the median of the group, as well as the shape of this group is not symmetric as the median is not centered but the whiskers are similar in length.

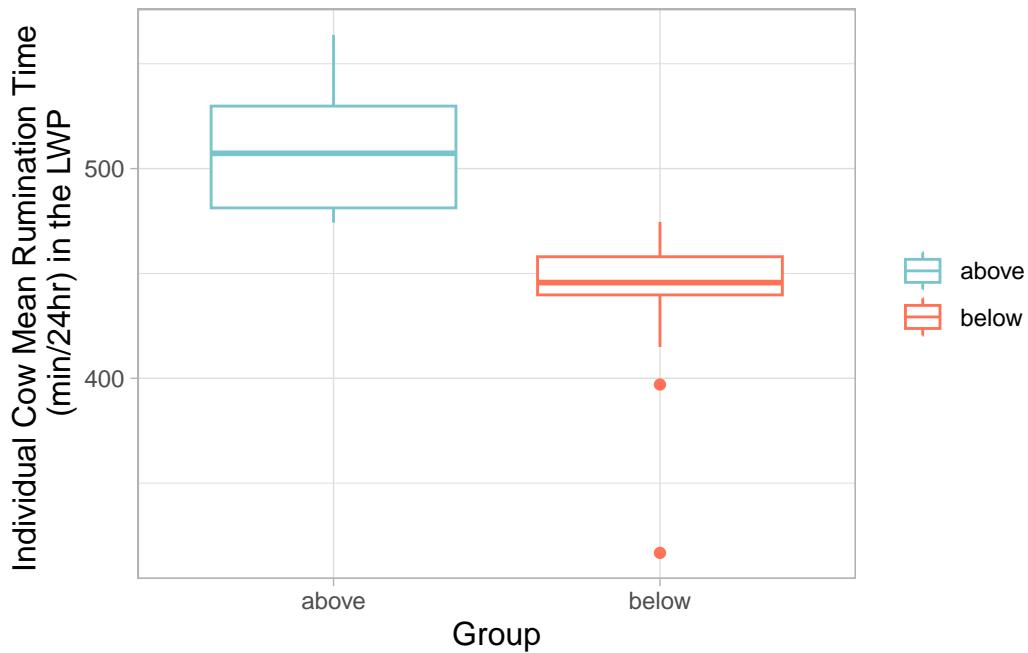


Figure 1: The box plot figure above shows the individual cow mean rumination time (min/24hr) in the last week of pregnancy (LWP) for both the above and below groups.

### Mean RT in the Week Before and Week After Calving

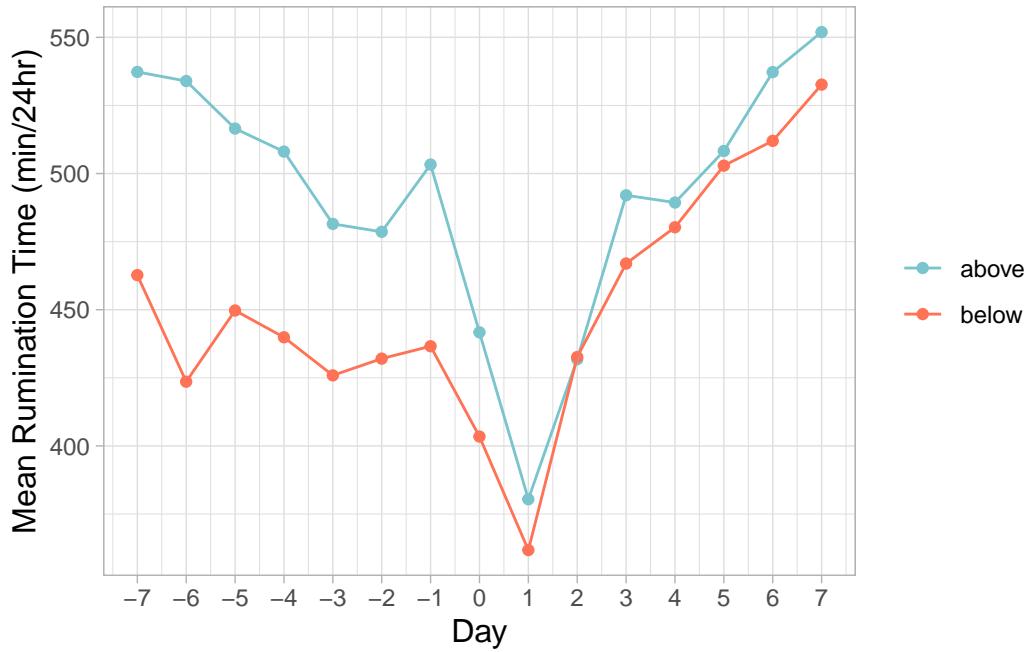


Figure 2: This time series plot is showing the mean rumination (RT) (min/24hr) from the above and below group from 7 days before and 7 days after relative to calving (day 0).

### Above and Below Groups Milk Yield (MY) in first 30 days in milk (DIM)

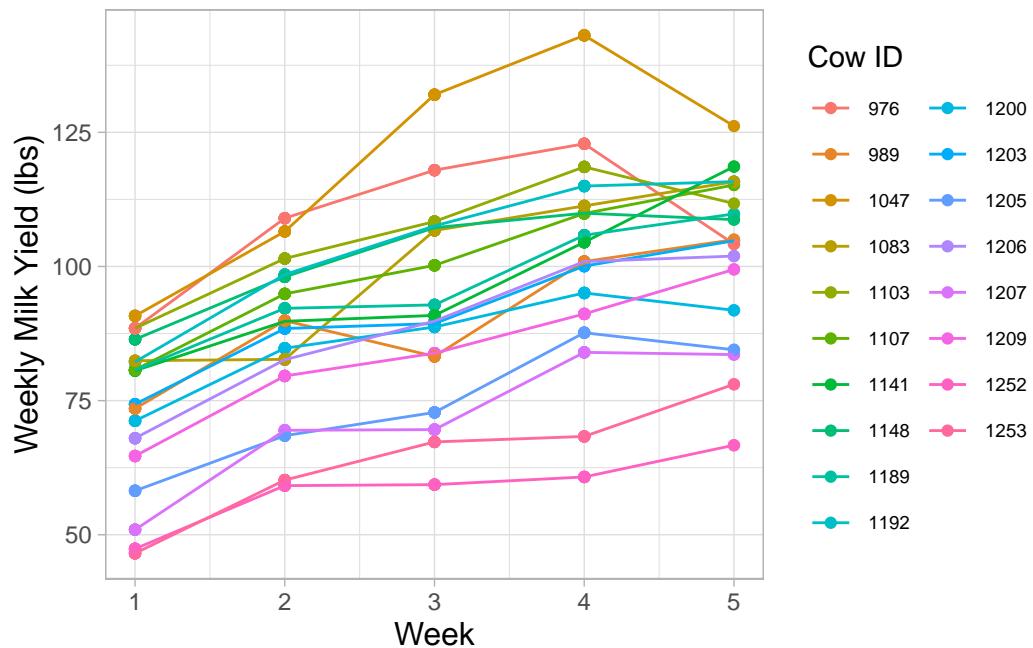


Figure 3: This time series plot shows the mean weekly milk yield (lbs) for each individual cow (primi- and multiparous) in the above group in the first five weeks into lactation. Calving is at the beginning of week 1.

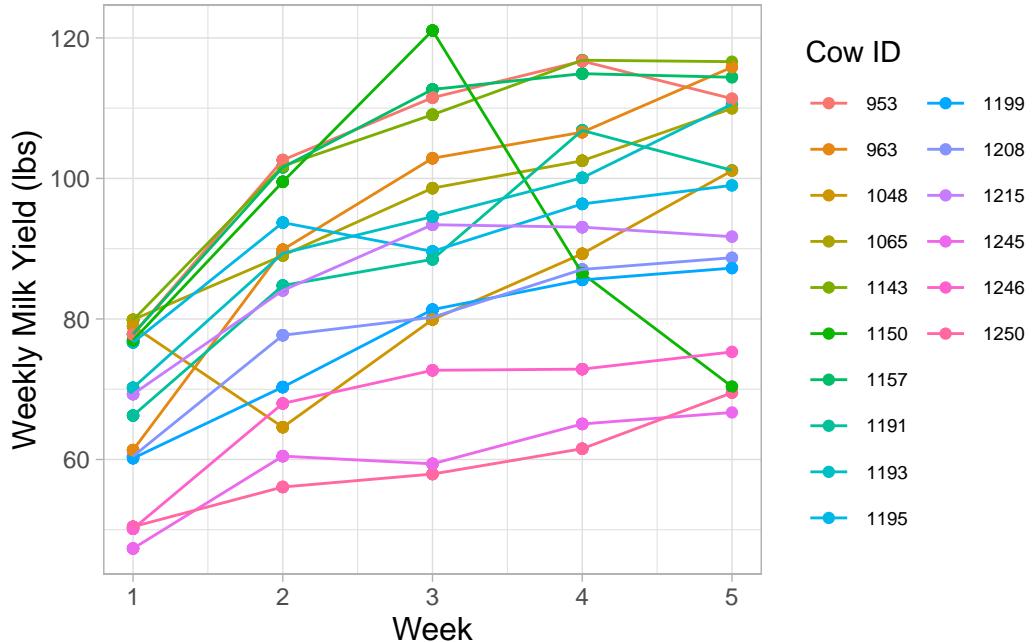


Figure 4: This time series plot shows the mean weekly milk yield (lbs) for each individual cow (primi- and multiparous) in the below group in the first five weeks into lactation. Calving is at the beginning of week 1.

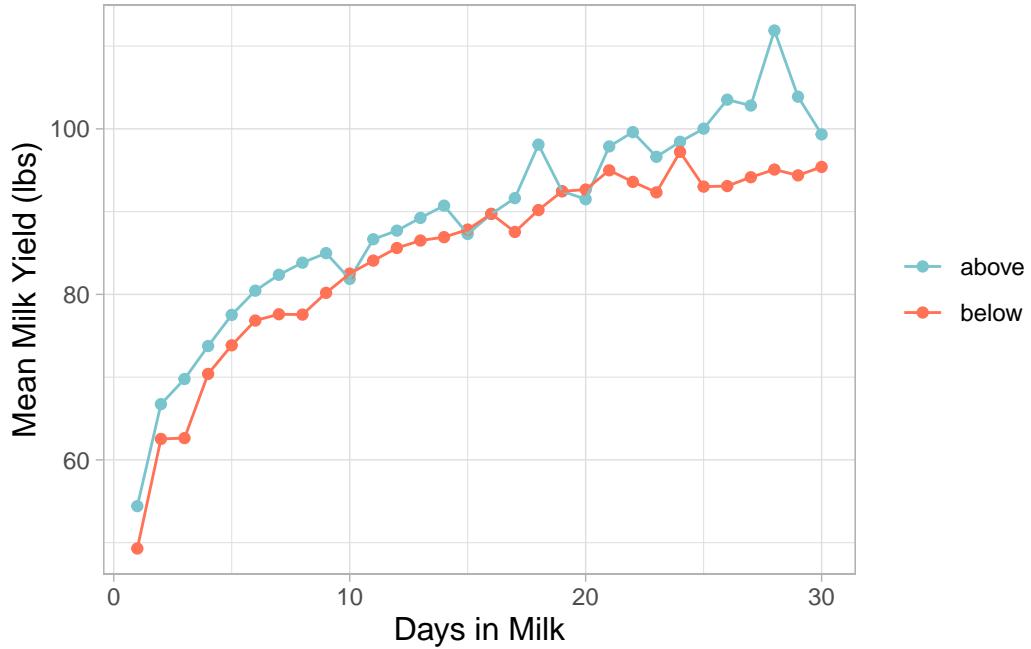


Figure 5: In this time series plot, it shows the mean milk yield (lbs) for the above and below groups (primi- and multiparous cows) in the first 30 days in milk (DIM). Calving is at day 0.