

Lecture 3

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Terminal Commands

Basic

- mkdir
- cd
- copy

Remote

- top
- screen
- ssh user@address
- start a program

Advanced R Graphics

```
library(ggplot2)
library(reshape2)
```

Reference: ggplot2 book

- “ggplot2” is a sophisticated graphic system that generates high-quality statistical graphs.
- “reshape2” is a package dedicated to prepare data frames for “ggplot2”.

example: plot the density of two estimators under three different data generating processes.

```
load("big150.Rdata")
library(ggplot2)
library(reshape2)

big150_1 = big150[, c("typb", "numb", "b1", "b1_c")]
print(head(big150_1))

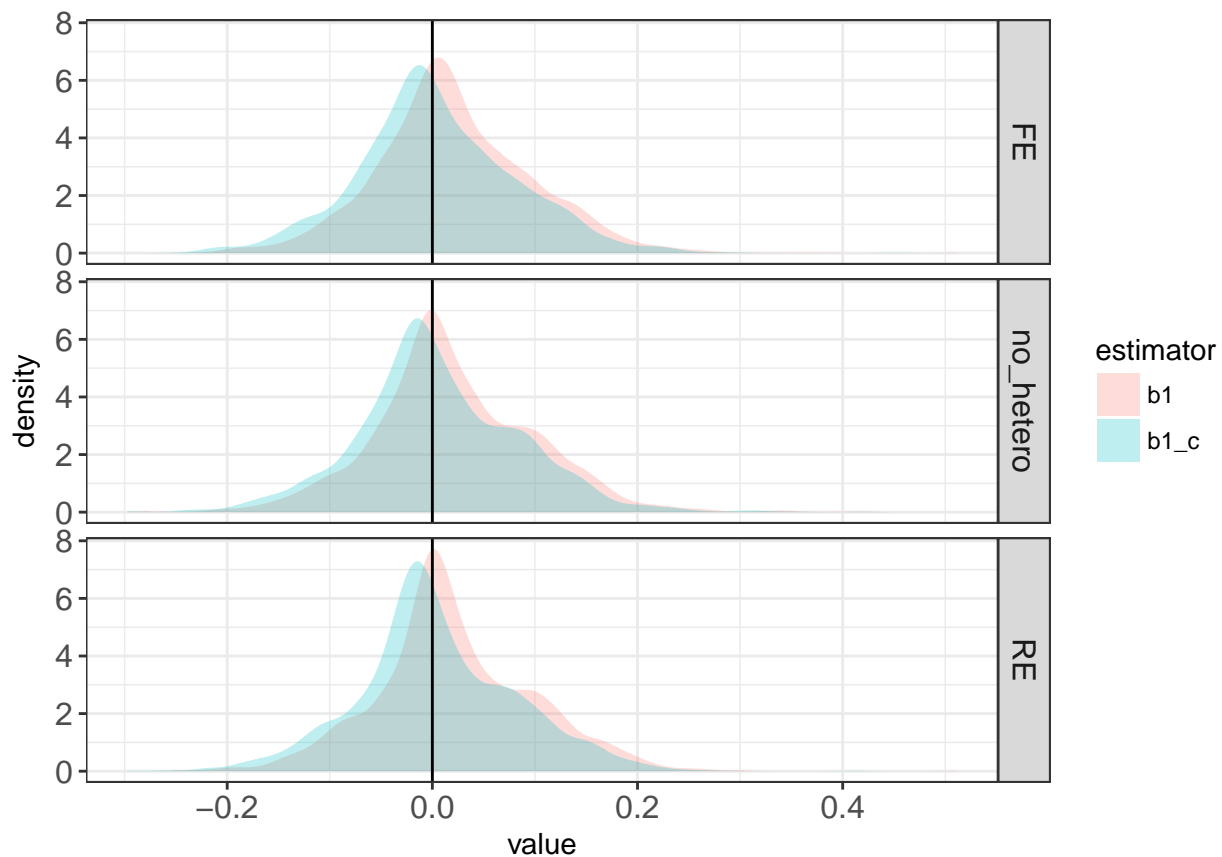
##      typb numb      b1      b1_c
## 12001   FE  150  0.124616242  0.11690387
## 12002   FE  150  0.267670157  0.25202802
## 12003   FE  150 -0.030689329 -0.03976746
## 12004   FE  150  0.121169923  0.11866138
## 12005   FE  150  0.008300031 -0.02399673
## 12006   FE  150 -0.026199118 -0.05231120

big150_1 = melt(big150_1, id.vars = c("typb", "numb"), measure.vars = c("b1", "b1_c"))
names(big150_1)[3] = c("estimator")
print(head(big150_1))

##      typb numb estimator      value
## 1    FE  150      b1  0.124616242
## 2    FE  150      b1  0.267670157
## 3    FE  150      b1 -0.030689329
```

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## 4   FE  150      b1  0.121169923
## 5   FE  150      b1  0.008300031
## 6   FE  150      b1 -0.026199118
```

```
p1 = ggplot(big150_1)
p1 = p1 + geom_area(stat = "density", alpha = .25,
                   aes(x = value, fill = estimator), position = "identity")
p1 = p1 + facet_grid( typb ~ . ) # this dataset has numb = 150, but no other sample size
p1 = p1 + geom_vline(xintercept = 0)
p1 = p1 + theme_bw()
p1 = p1 + theme(strip.text = element_text( size = 12),
                axis.text = element_text( size = 12))
print(p1)
```



Multiple Graphs in ggplot

This is another example in one of my papers. It generate two subgraphs on one page.

Text are annotated for the graphs.

```
# graph packages
library(lattice)
library(ggplot2)
library(reshape2)
library(gridExtra)

load("multigraph.Rdata") # load data
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# unify the theme in the two graphs
theme1 = theme_bw() + theme(axis.title.x = element_blank(),
                             strip.text = element_text( size = 12),
                             axis.text = element_text( size = 12),
                             legend.position = "bottom", legend.title = element_blank())

# sub-graph 1
p2 = qplot( x = 1:480, y = m_vec, geom = "line")
p2 = p2 + theme1 + ylab("fraction of chartists")

# sug-graph 2
d2$month = 1:480
p3 = ggplot(d2)
p3 = p3 + geom_line( aes(x = month, y = value, col = variable) )
p3 = p3 + theme1 + ylab("price and fundamental")

# generate the graph
grid.arrange(p3, p2, nrow=2)

```

