## A2Q4

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syc <- read.csv("~/Desktop/STAT 332/Assignments/A2/syc.txt")</pre>
library(survey)
## Warning: package 'survey' was built under R version 4.1.2
## Loading required package: grid
## Loading required package: Matrix
## Loading required package: survival
## Attaching package: 'survey'
## The following object is masked from 'package:graphics':
##
##
       dotchart
library(car)
## Warning: package 'car' was built under R version 4.1.2
## Loading required package: carData
## Warning: package 'carData' was built under R version 4.1.2
syc$age[syc$age == 99] <- NA</pre>
syc$numarr[syc$numarr == 99] <- NA</pre>
syc$race <- recode(syc$race, 'c(1)="white"; c(2)="black";</pre>
                    c(3)="Asian/Pacific Islander"; c(4)="Native"; c(5)="other";
                    else=NA')
syc$sex <- recode(syc$sex, 'c(1)="male"; c(2)="female"; else=NA')</pre>
syc$prviol <- recode(syc$prviol, 'c(1)="yes"; c(0)="no"; else=NA')</pre>
syc$everdrug <- recode(syc$everdrug, 'c(1)="yes"; c(0)="no"; else=NA')</pre>
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Nh \leftarrow c(2724, 3192, 4107, 2705, 3504, 376, 56, 528, 624, 520, 672, 384, 744, 847, 824, 1848)
Nh <- data.frame(stratum=seq(1,16), Nh=as.vector(Nh))
nh <- table(syc$stratum) # would not be used
nh <- data.frame(stratum=names(nh), nh=as.vector(nh)) # would not be used
syc.stsrs <- merge(syc, Nh, by = "stratum")</pre>
syc.stsrs <- merge(syc.stsrs, nh, by = "stratum") # would not be used
syc.stsrs$pik <- syc.stsrs$nh/syc.stsrs$Nh # would not be used</pre>
syc.svy <- svydesign(ids=~1, strata = ~stratum, weights=~finalwt, fpc=~Nh, data = syc.stsrs)
(a)
tmp1 <- svymean(~age, syc.svy, na.rm=T)</pre>
tmp1
##
                   SE
         mean
## age 16.639 0.0312
confint(tmp1, names(tmp1), df=degf(syc.svy))
          2.5 %
                   97.5 %
##
## age 16.57815 16.70043
The point estimate of the average age of juveniles/young adults in custody is 16.639. The corresponding
95% CI is [16.57815, 16.70043].
(b)
tmp2 <- svymean(~numarr, syc.svy, na.rm=T)</pre>
tmp2
##
                      SE
            mean
## numarr 8.9297 0.2481
numarrNA <- sum(is.na (syc.svy$variable[, "numarr"]))</pre>
confint(tmp2, names(tmp2), df=nrow(syc)-numarrNA-16)
##
             2.5 % 97.5 %
## numarr 8.443168 9.41632
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The point estimate of the mean number of prior arrests is 8.9297. The corresponding 95% CI is [8.443168, 9.41632].

(c)

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svyciprop(~I(everdrug=="yes"), syc.svy, method="logit", na.rm = TRUE)
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## 2.5% 97.5%
## I(everdrug == "yes") 0.828 0.811 0.84
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## I(sex == "male") 0.931 0.920 0.94

The point estimate of the proportion of juveniles/young adults in custody that have used illegal drugs is 0.828. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.811, 0.84].

(d)

The point estimate of the proportion of juveniles/young adults in custody that were previously arrested for a violent crime is 0.355. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.335, 0.37].

(e)

The point estimate of the proportion of juveniles/young adults in custody that have used illegal drugs and were previously arrested for a violent crime is 0.315. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.296, 0.33].

(f)

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svyciprop(~I(sex == "male"), syc.svy, method="logit", na.rm = TRUE)
##
2.5% 97.5%
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The point estimate of the proportion of males amongst juveniles/young adults in custody is 0.931. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.920, 0.94].

(g)

The point estimate of the proportion of African Americans amongst juveniles/young adults in custody is 0.415. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.395, 0.44].

(h)

The point estimate of the proportion of African American males amongst juveniles/young adults in custody is 0.398. The corresponding 95% CI is [0.377, 0.42].

(i)

From census data, we know that African-American males are about 7.6% of the youth population in the U.S. On the contrary, in part(h), the point estimate of the proportion of African American males amongst juveniles/young adults in custody is 0.398, which is much higher than 7.6%. The bias is 7.6% - 39.8% = -0.322%. When it comes to youth in custody, there is racial bias that there are many African-American males in custody.