



R Code for Examples in the book
"Statistics: The Art and Science of Learning from Data"
 by Agresti, Franklin and Klingenberg, 5th edition

Chapter 8

Example 13: Carbon Footprint – Confidence Interval for the Correlation

Reading in the data:

```
data <-  
read.csv(file='https://raw.githubusercontent.com/artofstat/data/master/Chapter7/carbon_footprint_sandwich.csv')  
attach(data) # so we can refer to variable names
```

To compute the correlation coefficient between carbon footprint and energy content

```
cor(EnergyContent..kCal., Carbon.footprint..g.CO2.eq..)  
## [1] 0.6208991
```

To obtain a bootstrap sample of the sandwiches

```
sample(Sandwich, replace = TRUE)  
  
## [1] "Prawn, Mayo" "Tuna, Cucumber"  
## [3] "Chicken, Sweetcorn" "Chicken, Bacon"  
## [5] "Ham, Salad" "Ham, Mustard"  
## [7] "Sausage, Brown Sauce" "Tuna, Cucumber"  
## [9] "Prawn, Mayo" "Ham, Cheese"  
## [11] "Prawn, Mayo" "Cheese, Tomato"  
## [13] "Tuna, Cucumber" "Ham, Egg"  
## [15] "Prawn, Mayo" "Chicken, Bacon"  
## [17] "Ham, Mayo" "Ham, Salad"  
## [19] "Cheese, Mayo" "Ham, Cheese"  
## [21] "Breakfast" "Bacon, Lettuce, Tomato (BLT)"  
## [23] "Ham, Mayo" "Ham, Egg"
```

To obtain a bootstrap sample of the rows of the dataframe, you can use
`data[sample(seq_len(nrow(data)), replace = TRUE),]`

To generate 10,000 bootstrap samples and find the correlation

```
bootcorr <- c() # initializing
for (i in 1:10000) {
  bootsample <- data[sample(seq_len(nrow(data)), replace = TRUE), ]
  bootcorr[i] <- cor(bootsample$EnergyContent..kCal.,
    bootsample$Carbon.footprint..g.CO2.eq..)
}
```

To obtain summary of the correlation coefficients from the bootstrap samples

```
quantile(bootcorr, c(0.025, 0.975))
```

```
##          2.5%          97.5%
## 0.2610255 0.8379493
```