

Experimental Design and Data Analysis:

Assignment 2

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1 Exercise 1

Exercise 1 stuff...

2 Exercise 2

In this exercise two datasets are handled and compared to each other. Both the datasets contain data about the measured speed of light minus 299000. The first dataset was measured in 1879 and is called Light1879 and the second dataset was measured in 1882 and is called Light1882. Firstly histograms of the two datasets are made and compared. In Fig:1 the histograms are shown and a few things can be concluded from them. The first dataset contains more data, 100 measurements, than the second dataset, 23 measurements. But it also shows that the data from 1879 contains higher values than the data from 1882. This can also be shown by calculating and comparing the confidence intervals of the mean/median of both datasets. The results can be seen in Table:1. The mean and median of the 1879 dataset are roughly the same, which can be explained by the large number of measurements. The larger the number of measurements the closer the median will be to the mean. The calculated confidence intervals of 1882 are lower than the ones in 1879. This can be explained due to different equipment, measuring devices or processing of the data. But a more logical explanation is that there are too few measurements, where the 1879 dataset has 100 measurements, the 1882 dataset has only 23. The median of the 1882 dataset also differs from the mean more than the 1879 dataset did. This is because of the lack of measurements, the chance that the median is the same as the mean increases with the number of measurements taken.

3 Exercise 3

In this exercise the klm dataset will be examined. This dataset contains data of the duration of deliveries in days. In Fig:2 the histogram and boxplot of this

Table 1: 95% Confidence interval of the datasets and their mean and median.

Dataset	Mean	Median
Light1879	836.7226 - 868.0774	834.5142 - 865.4858
Light1882	712.4417 - 799.9931	730.2243 - 817.7757

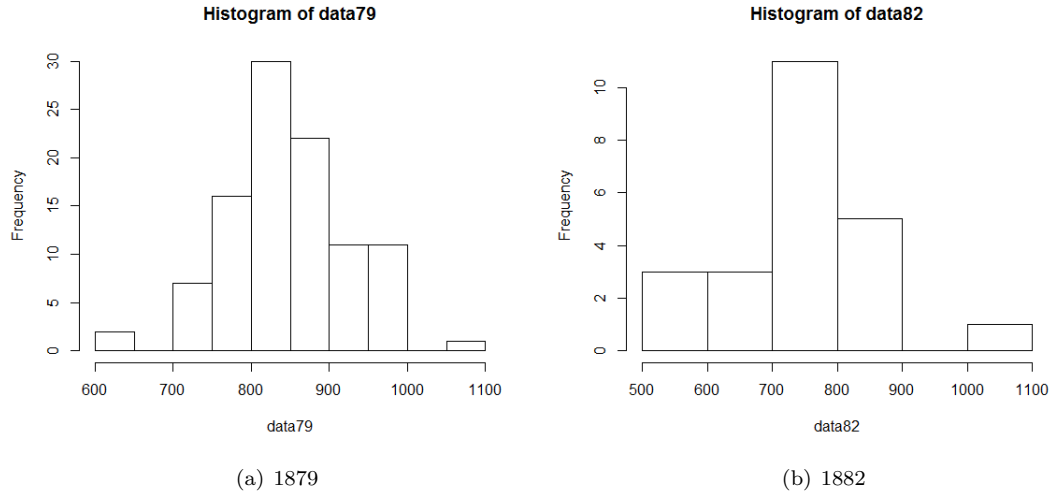


Figure 1: Histograms of the datasets Light1879 and Light1882

dataset are shown. Looking at these graphs, it is clear that the dataset is not normally distributed. So for hypothesis testing the t-test can't be used, because it assumes the dataset is normally distributed. Because of this the sign-test will be used, which can be used for any sort of distribution. To test the hypothesis if the median duration is smaller than or equal to 35 days, the code in Sec:5.3 is used. The results are as follows:

One-sample Sign-Test

```
data: klm
s = 36, p-value = 0.155
alternative hypothesis: true median is not equal to 35
95 percent confidence interval:
 32.00000 56.07713
sample estimates:
median of x
      42
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	Conf. Level	L.E. pt	U.E. pt
Lower Achieved CI	0.9481	32	56.0000
Interpolated CI	0.9500	32	56.0771
Upper Achieved CI	0.9727	32	57.0000

This means that H0 is rejected, the median is not equal to 35 but it is 42.

To test the hypothesis if at most 10% of the parts arrives after the maximum delivery period of 70 days, the code in Sec:5.3 is used. Now for the test if at most 10% of the parts arrives after the maximum delivery period of 70 days. The self written program can be found in 5.3. The results are as follows:

Exact binomial test

```
data: 14 and 3464
number of successes = 14, number of trials = 3464, p-value < 2.2e-16
alternative hypothesis: true probability of success is not equal to 0.5
99.5 percent confidence interval:
 0.001661284 0.008114514
sample estimates:
probability of success
      0.00404157
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This means that H0 is not rejected and that less than 10% of the parts arrive after 70 days.

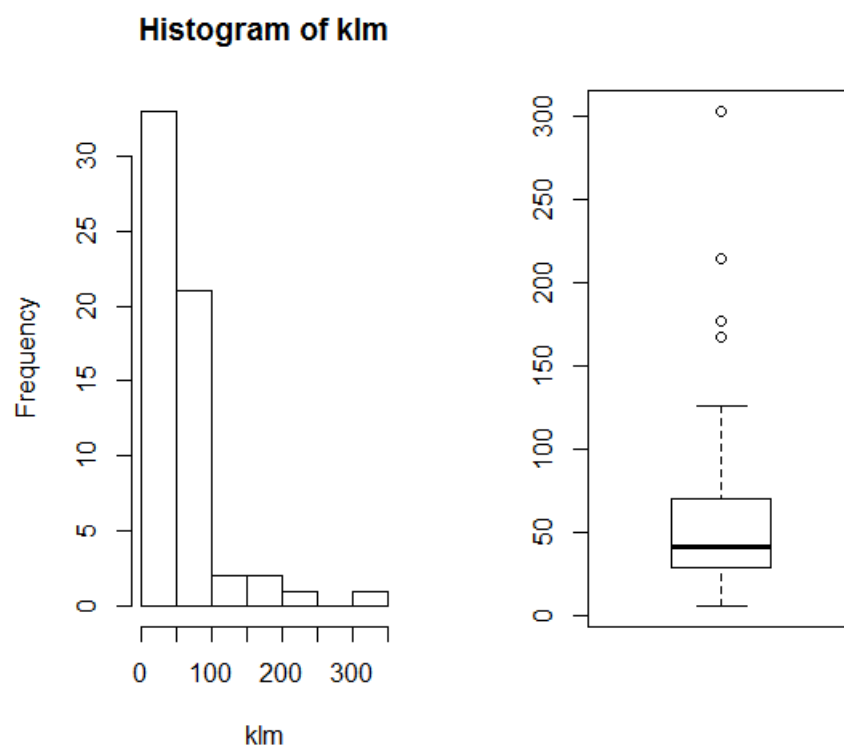


Figure 2: Graphs of the dataset klm

4 Exercise 4

Exercise 4 stuff...

5 R-Code

5.1 Exercise 1

5.2 Exercise 2

```
data79 = read.table("light1879.txt", header=F)
data82 = read.table("light1882.txt", header=F)

#2.1
data79 = as.matrix(data79)
hist(data79)
data82 = as.matrix(data82)
hist(data82)

#2.2
error = qnorm(0.975)*sd(data79)/sqrt(length(data79))
left = mean(data79)-error
right = mean(data79)+error
c(left, right)

#2.3
error = qnorm(0.975)*sd(data82)/sqrt(length(data82))
left = mean(data82)-error
right = mean(data82)+error
c(left, right)

#2.4
error = qnorm(0.975)*sd(data79)/sqrt(length(data79))
left = median(data79)-error
right = median(data79)+error
c(left, right)

#2.5
error = qnorm(0.975)*sd(data82)/sqrt(length(data82))
left = median(data82)-error
right = median(data82)+error
c(left, right)
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5.3 Exercise 3

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library(BSDA)

#3.1
klm = scan(file = "klm.txt")

par(mfrow=c(1,2))
hist(klm)
boxplot(klm)

SIGN.test(klm, md=35, conf.level = 0.995)

#3.2
sum(klm)
sum(klm > 70)
binom.test(14,3464,conf.level = 0.995)

```

5.4 Exercise 4