

# Testing different imputation methods on PUMS (MCAR) - MICE

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```
# load dataset: df
load('../Datasets/ordinalPUMS.Rdata')

# take 10,000 samples: df
n = 10000
sample <- sample(nrow(df), size = 10000)
df <- df[sample,]

# create MCAR scenario with 30% chance of missing: df_observed
set.seed(0)
missing_prob = 0.3
df_observed <- df
missing_col = colnames(df)[c(1,3,5,7,9,11)]
for (col in missing_col) {
  missing_ind <- rbernoulli(n,p = missing_prob)
  df_observed[missing_ind, col] <- NA
}
```

## MICE

Create 5 imputed dataset

```
library(mice)

##
## Attaching package: 'mice'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##      cbind, rbind

imputed_df <- mice(df_observed,m=5,print=F)
```

## Warning: Number of logged events: 150

Extract the 5 imputed dataset

```
d1 <- complete(imputed_df, 1)
d2 <- complete(imputed_df, 2)
d3 <- complete(imputed_df, 3)
d4 <- complete(imputed_df, 4)
d5 <- complete(imputed_df, 5)
```

Diagnostics

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for (var_index in c(1,3,5,7,9,11)) {
  y_original = df[,var_index]
  original_pmf = table(y_original)/length(y_original)

  # Observed distribution
  missing_indicator = is.na(df_observed)[,var_index]
```

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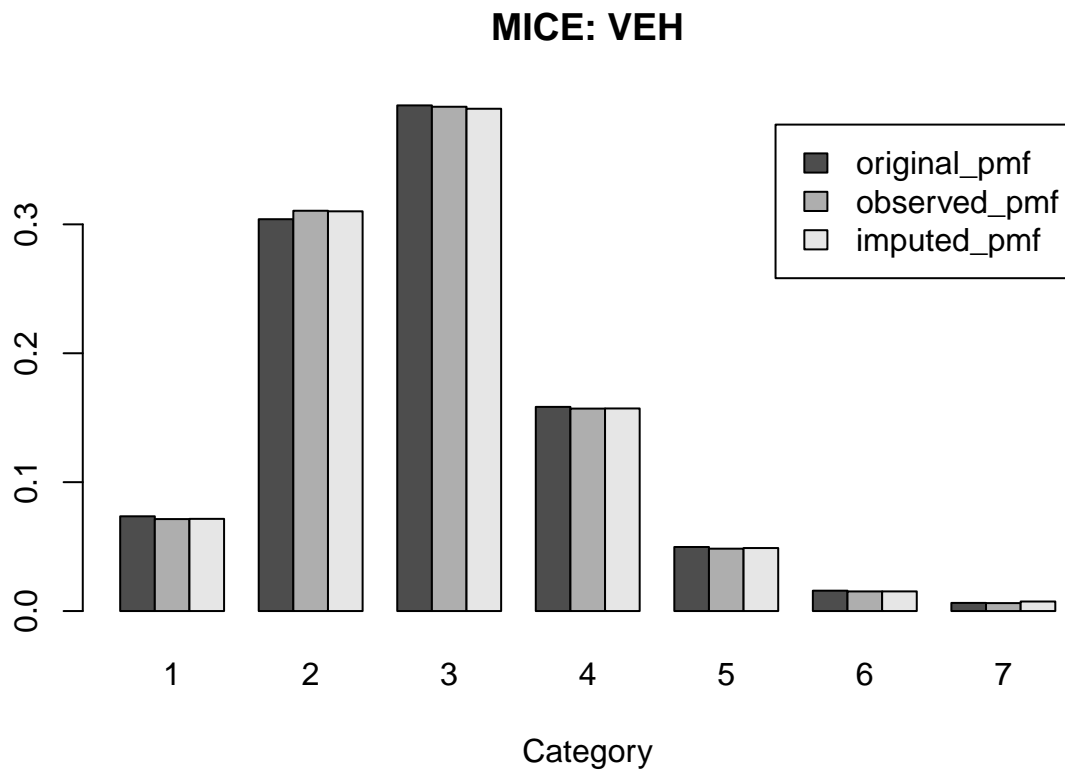
y_observed = y_original[!missing_indicator]
observed_pmf = table(y_observed)/length(y_observed)

# Extract variable from imputed data
sample_estimate1 = table(d1[,var_index])/length(d1[,var_index])
sample_estimate2 = table(d2[,var_index])/length(d2[,var_index])
sample_estimate3 = table(d3[,var_index])/length(d3[,var_index])
sample_estimate4 = table(d4[,var_index])/length(d4[,var_index])
sample_estimate5 = table(d5[,var_index])/length(d5[,var_index])

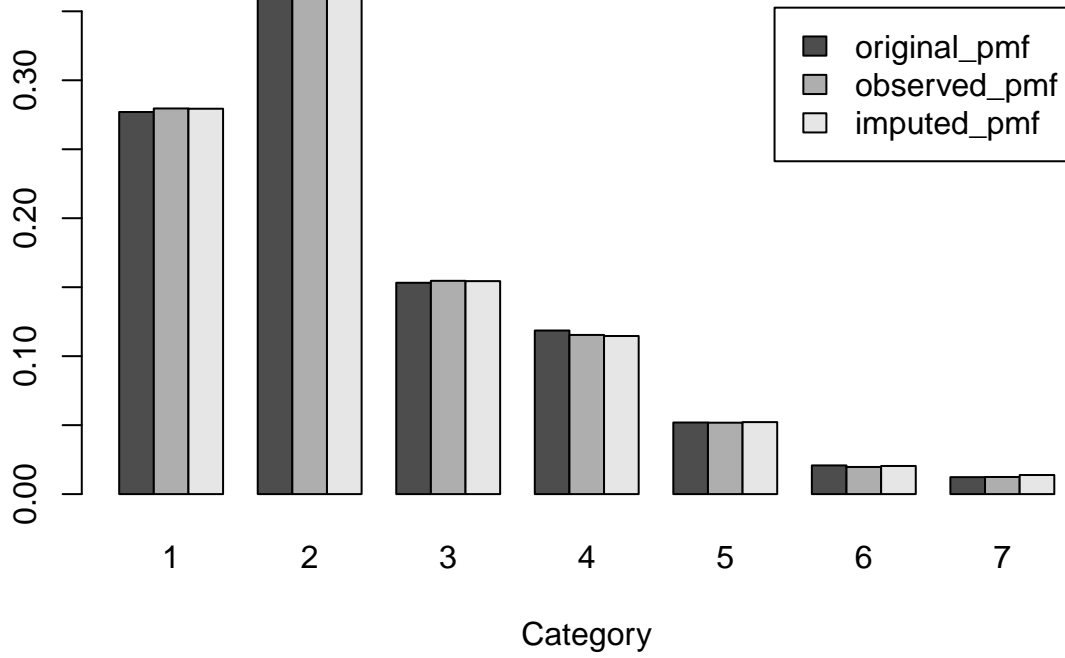
imputed_pmf = (sample_estimate1 + sample_estimate2 + sample_estimate3 +
               sample_estimate4 + sample_estimate5)/5

results = rbind(original_pmf,observed_pmf,imputed_pmf)
colnames(results)<- 1:dim(imputed_pmf)
barplot(results, xlab = 'Category', beside = TRUE,
        legend = TRUE,
        main = paste('MICE:', colnames(df)[var_index]))
}

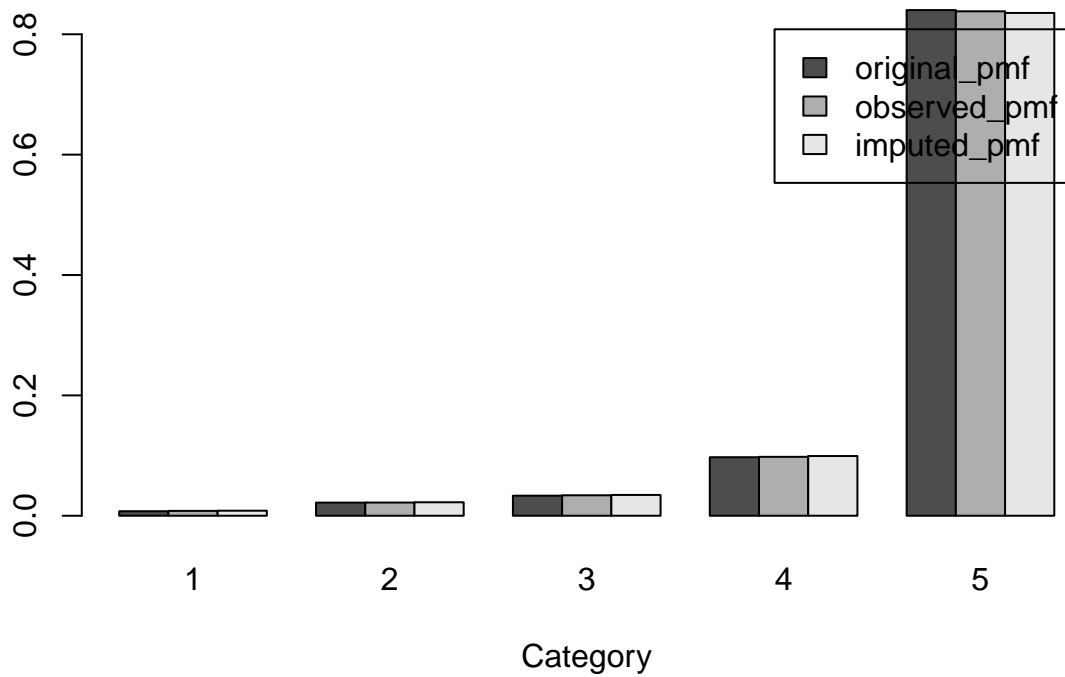
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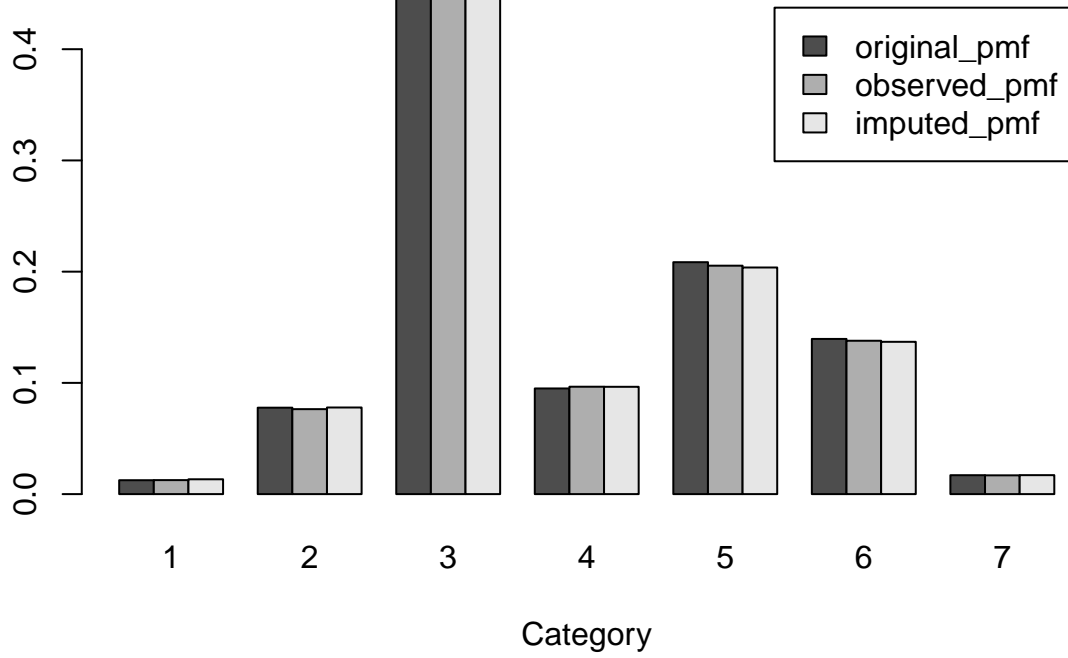
### MICE: NP



### MICE: ENG



### MICE: SCHL



### MICE: AGEP

