

# INTRODUCTION-TO-SURVIVAL-ANALYSIS-IN-R-YOUTUBE-VIDEO.R

USER

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```
library(tidyverse)

## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.3.2
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 4.3.2
## Warning: package 'lubridate' was built under R version 4.3.2

## — Attaching core tidyverse packages ————— tidyverse
2.0.0 —
## ✓ dplyr      1.1.3      ✓ readr      2.1.4
## ✓ forcats   1.0.0      ✓ stringr    1.5.0
## ✓ ggplot2    3.4.4      ✓ tibble     3.2.1
## ✓ lubridate 1.9.3      ✓ tidyr      1.3.0
## ✓ purrr     1.0.2
## — Conflicts —————
tidyverse_conflicts() —
## ✗ dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## ✗ dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
## ⓘ Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all
conflicts to become errors

library(survival)

## Warning: package 'survival' was built under R version 4.3.2

library(ggsurvfit)

## Warning: package 'ggsurvfit' was built under R version 4.3.2

library(survminer)

## Warning: package 'survminer' was built under R version 4.3.2
## Loading required package: ggpubr
## Warning: package 'ggpubr' was built under R version 4.3.2
##
## Attaching package: 'survminer'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:survival':
```

```
##
##      myeloma

library(broom)

aml <- aml

km <- survfit(Surv(time,status) ~ 1,data=aml)
km

## Call: survfit(formula = Surv(time, status) ~ 1, data = aml)
##
##          n events median 0.95LCL 0.95UCL
## [1,] 23      18      27      18      45

aml |>
  survfit(Surv(time,status)~1,data=_)

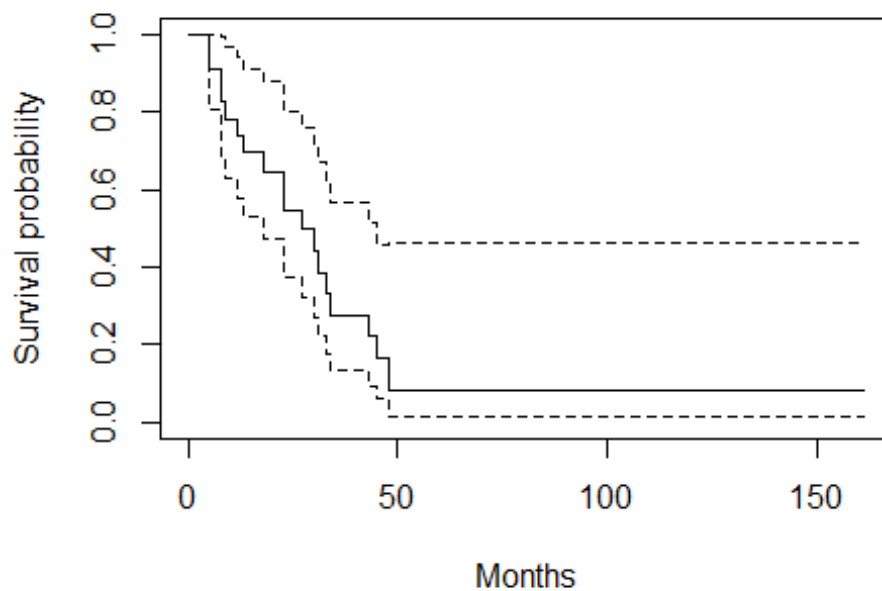
## Call: survfit(formula = Surv(time, status) ~ 1, data = aml)
##
##          n events median 0.95LCL 0.95UCL
## [1,] 23      18      27      18      45

## using tidy() from the broom package to create a tibble
tidy(km)

## # A tibble: 18 × 8
##   time n.risk n.event n.censor estimate std.error conf.high conf.low
##   <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1     5     23     2       0    0.913    0.0643     1     0.805
## 2     8     21     2       0    0.826    0.0957    0.996    0.685
## 3     9     19     1       0    0.783    0.110    0.971    0.631
## 4    12     18     1       0    0.739    0.124    0.942    0.580
## 5    13     17     1       1    0.696    0.138    0.912    0.531
## 6    16     15     0       1    0.696    0.138    0.912    0.531
## 7    18     14     1       0    0.646    0.157    0.878    0.475
## 8    23     13     2       0    0.547    0.196    0.803    0.372
## 9    27     11     1       0    0.497    0.218    0.762    0.324
## 10   28     10     0       1    0.497    0.218    0.762    0.324
## 11   30      9     1       0    0.442    0.248    0.718    0.272
## 12   31      8     1       0    0.386    0.282    0.671    0.223
## 13   33      7     1       0    0.331    0.321    0.622    0.177
## 14   34      6     1       0    0.276    0.369    0.569    0.134
## 15   43      5     1       0    0.221    0.432    0.515    0.0947
## 16   45      4     1       1    0.166    0.519    0.458    0.0598
## 17   48      2     1       0    0.0828    0.877    0.462    0.0148
## 18  161      1     0       1    0.0828    0.877    0.462    0.0148

km_table <- tidy(km)

plot(km,xlab="Months",ylab="Survival probability")
```



```
km2 <- aml |>
  survfit(Surv(time,status)~x,data=_)

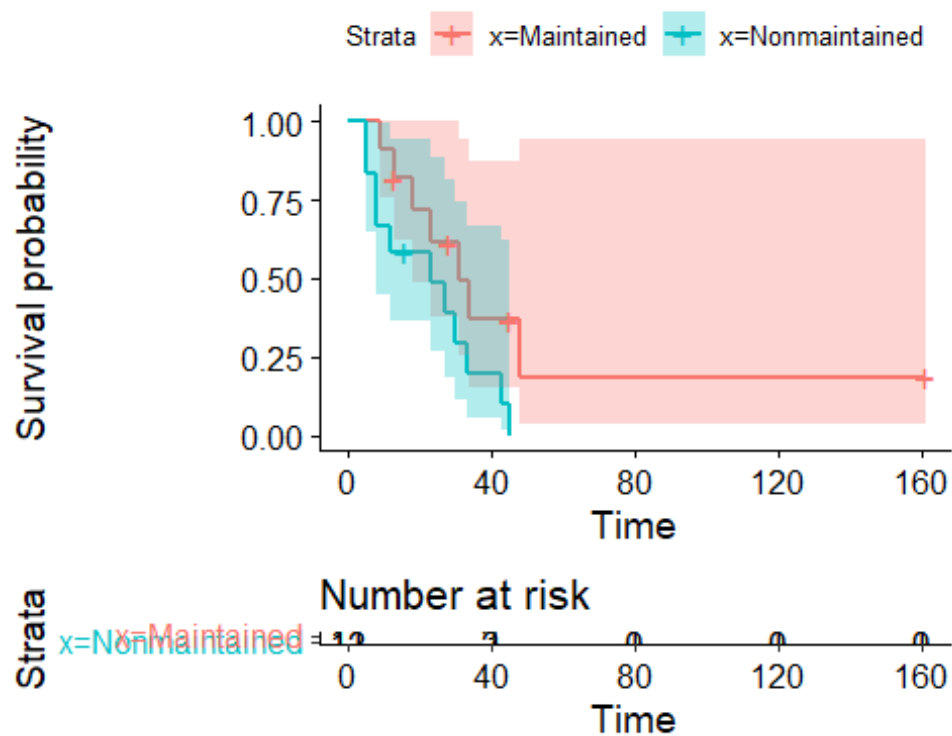
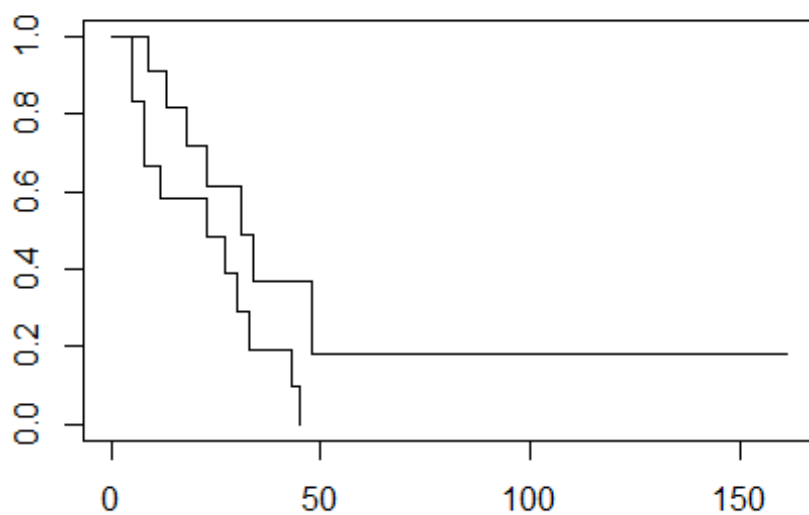
km_table2 <- tidy(km2)
km_table2
```

```
## # A tibble: 20 × 9
##   time n.risk n.event n.censor estimate std.error conf.high conf.low
##   <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1     9     11     1       0  0.909   0.0953     1     0.754
x=Mainta...
## 2    13     10     1       1  0.818   0.142     1     0.619
x=Mainta...
## 3    18      8     1       0  0.716   0.195     1     0.488
x=Mainta...
## 4    23      7     1       0  0.614   0.249   0.999     0.377
x=Mainta...
## 5    28      6     0       1  0.614   0.249   0.999     0.377
x=Mainta...
## 6    31      5     1       0  0.491   0.334   0.946     0.255
x=Mainta...
## 7    34      4     1       0  0.368   0.442   0.875     0.155
x=Mainta...
## 8    45      3     0       1  0.368   0.442   0.875     0.155
x=Mainta...
```

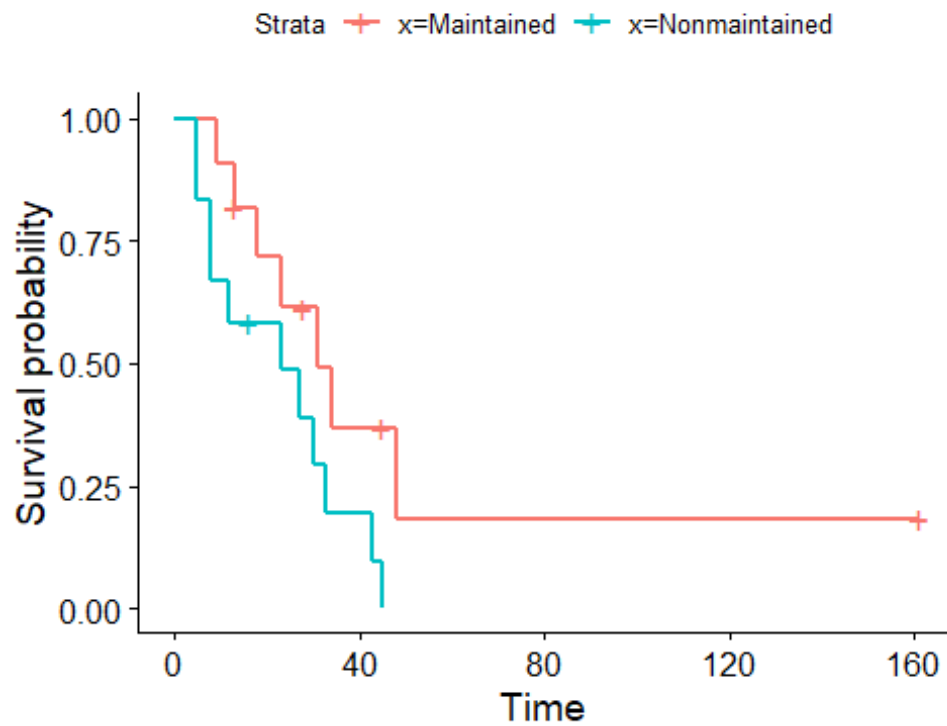
```
## 9    48      2      1      0  0.184    0.834    0.944    0.0359
x=Mainta...
## 10   161      1      0      1  0.184    0.834    0.944    0.0359
x=Mainta...
## 11     5     12      2      0  0.833    0.129    1        0.647
x=Nonmai...
## 12     8     10      2      0  0.667    0.204    0.995    0.447
x=Nonmai...
## 13    12      8      1      0  0.583    0.244    0.941    0.362
x=Nonmai...
## 14    16      7      0      1  0.583    0.244    0.941    0.362
x=Nonmai...
## 15    23      6      1      0  0.486    0.305    0.883    0.268
x=Nonmai...
## 16    27      5      1      0  0.389    0.378    0.816    0.185
x=Nonmai...
## 17    30      4      1      0  0.292    0.476    0.741    0.115
x=Nonmai...
## 18    33      3      1      0  0.194    0.627    0.664    0.0569
x=Nonmai...
## 19    43      2      1      0  0.0972   0.945    0.620    0.0153
x=Nonmai...
## 20    45      1      1      0  0        Inf      NA      NA
x=Nonmai...
```

```
plot(km2)
```

```
## using ggsurvplot from survminer
ggsurvplot(km2, conf.int = TRUE,
            risk.table = TRUE)
```



`ggsurvplot(km2)`



*## to calculate the Logrank statistic to compare the two curves*  
*## Ho : survival across the two groups are equivalent*

```
survdif(Surv(time,status)~x,data=aml)
```

## Call:

```
## survdif(formula = Surv(time, status) ~ x, data = aml)
```

##

	N	Observed	Expected	(O-E)^2/E	(O-E)^2/V
x=Maintained	11	7	10.69	1.27	3.4
x=Nonmaintained	12	11	7.31	1.86	3.4

##

##

##

## Chisq= 3.4 on 1 degrees of freedom, p= 0.07

##

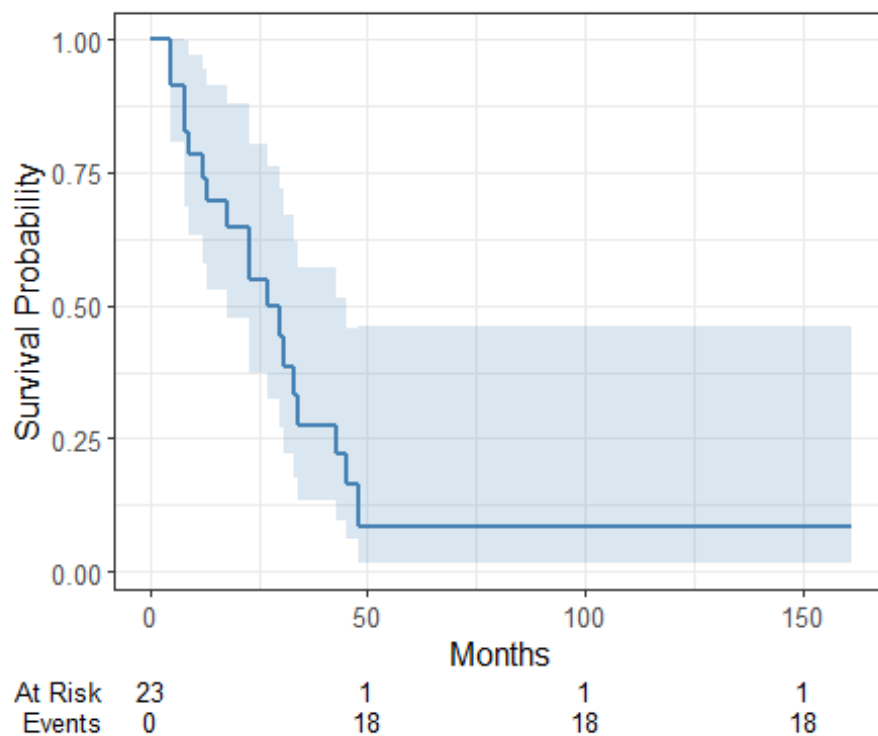
*##using ggsurvfit*

```
km |>
```

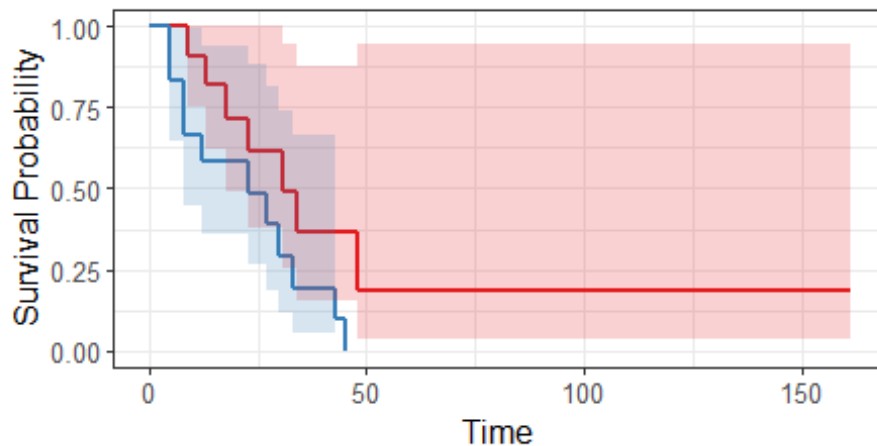
```
ggsurvfit(color='steelblue',linewidth=1)+
```

```
add_risktable()+
```

```
add_confidence_interval(fill="steelblue")+
labs(x="Months")
```



```
aml |>
survfit2(Surv(time,status)~x,data=_) |>
  ggsurvfit(linewidth=1)+
  add_risktable()+
  scale_color_brewer(palette="Set1")+
  add_confidence_interval()+
  scale_fill_brewer(palette = "Set1")
```



Maintained

At Risk	11	1	1	1
Events	0	7	7	7

Nonmaintained

At Risk	12	0	0	0
Events	0	11	11	11

## if you want to fit KM for the whole dataset you use ~1  
## if you want to check survival by treatment groups, use ~treatment

# COX PROPORTIONAL HAZARDS MODEL -----

```
lung <- lung
## t = survival time in days
## status 1= censored, 2 = dead
## sex 1= male, 2 = female
## wt.loss = weight loss in pounds in last 6 months
#3 age = age in years ( assessed at beginning)

## Cox model = coxph(formula, data= )
## formula = Surv(time, event) ~x1 + x2 + ..xp

lung_cox <- coxph(Surv(time, status) ~age + sex + wt.loss, data = lung)
summary(lung_cox)

## Call:
## coxph(formula = Surv(time, status) ~ age + sex + wt.loss, data = lung)
##
## n= 214, number of events= 152
## (14 observations deleted due to missingness)
```



```
##
##               coef exp(coef) se(coef)      z Pr(>|z|)
## age          0.0200882 1.0202913 0.0096644 2.079 0.0377 *
## sex          -0.5210319 0.5939074 0.1743541 -2.988 0.0028 **
## wt.loss      0.0007596 1.0007599 0.0061934 0.123 0.9024
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
##               exp(coef) exp(-coef) lower .95 upper .95
## age              1.0203      0.9801      1.0011      1.0398
## sex              0.5939      1.6838      0.4220      0.8359
## wt.loss          1.0008      0.9992      0.9887      1.0130
##
## Concordance= 0.612 (se = 0.027 )
## Likelihood ratio test= 14.67 on 3 df,  p=0.002
## Wald test              = 13.98 on 3 df,  p=0.003
## Score (logrank) test = 14.24 on 3 df,  p=0.003
```

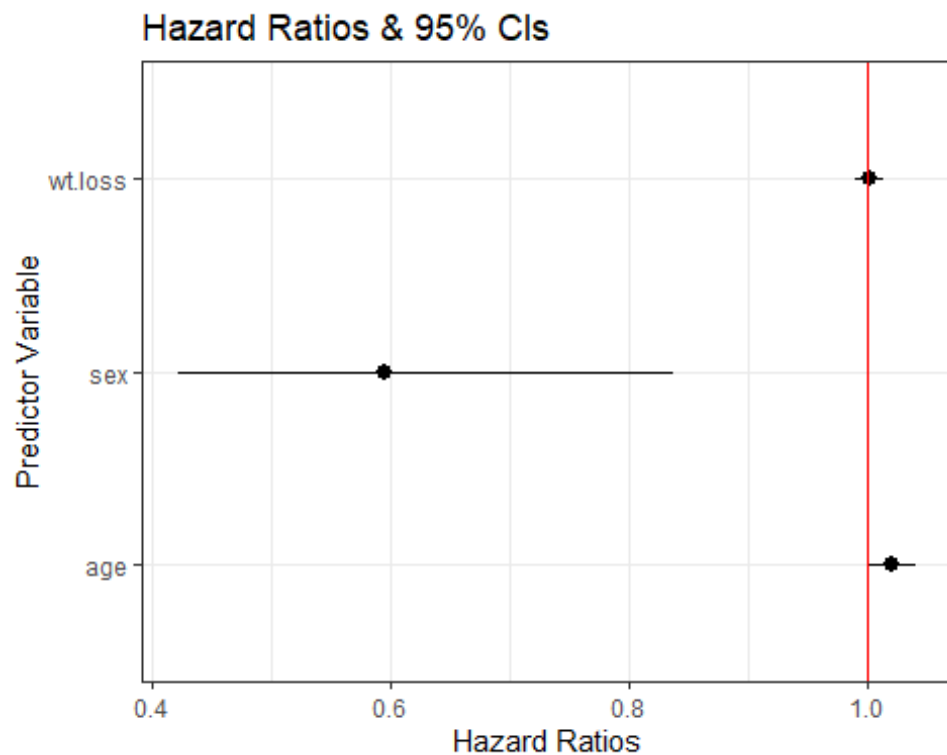
### *## tidying up cox regression output*

```
lungcoxtab <- tidy(lung_cox,exponentiate=TRUE,conf.int = TRUE)
lungcoxtab
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 × 7
##   term      estimate std.error statistic p.value conf.low conf.high
##   <chr>      <dbl>     <dbl>     <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1 age        1.02     0.00966      2.08 0.0377     1.00     1.04
## 2 sex        0.594    0.174      -2.99 0.00280    0.422    0.836
## 3 wt.loss    1.00     0.00619      0.123 0.902     0.989    1.01
```

### *## Plotting the Hazard ratios*

```
lungcoxtab |>
  ggplot(aes(y=term,x=estimate,xmin=conf.low,xmax=conf.high))+
  geom_pointrange()+
  geom_vline(xintercept=1,color="red")+
  labs(x="Hazard Ratios",title="Hazard Ratios & 95% CIs",y= "Predictor
Variable")+
  theme_bw()
```



```
## Predicting survival after coxph() with survfit()
```

```
## predict survival fxn for subject with mean values on all covariates
## However predicting survival at a mean o all covariates may not make sense
## especially if one or more of the covariates are factors(categorical)
## instead it is recommended to supply to always supply a data frame of
## covariate values
## at which to predict the survival function to the newdata =() option of
## survfit()
```

```
## making a new data frame
```

```
plotdata <- data.frame(age=mean(lung$age,na.rm=TRUE),
                        sex=1:2,
                        wt.loss=mean(lung$wt.loss,na.rm=TRUE))
```

```
plotdata
```

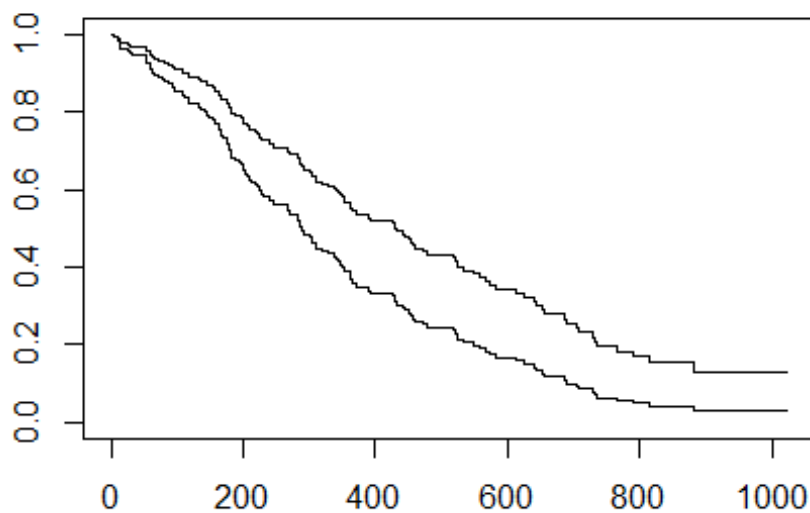
```
##      age sex  wt.loss
## 1 62.44737  1 9.831776
## 2 62.44737  2 9.831776
```

```
## supplying newdata frame to survfit
```

```
surv_by_sex <- survfit(lung_cox,newdata = plotdata)
```

```
survbysex_tab <- tidy(surv_by_sex)
```

```
plot(surv_by_sex)
```



```
ggsurvplot(surv_by_sex, data=plotdata, censor=FALSE, legend.labs=c("Male", "Female"))
```

```
## Warning: `gather_()` was deprecated in tidyr 1.2.0.
```

```
## i Please use `gather()` instead.
```

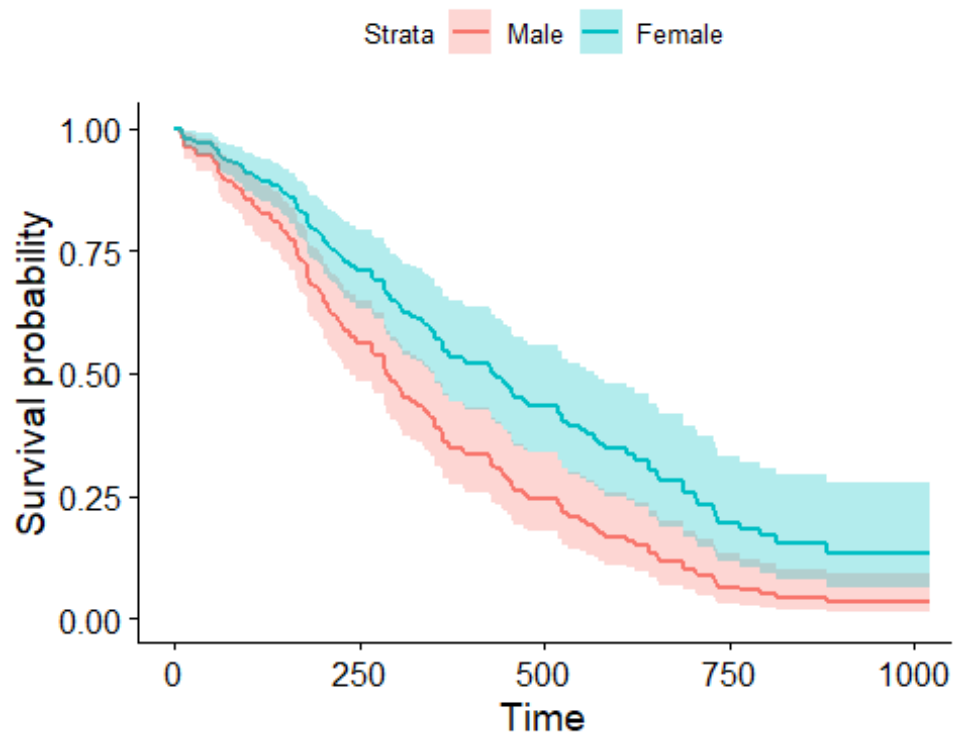
```
## i The deprecated feature was likely used in the survminer package.
```

```
## Please report the issue at
```

```
<https://github.com/kassambara/survminer/issues>.
```

```
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
```

```
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was  
## generated.
```



*## Assessing the proportional hazards assumptions*

*## 1) Chi-squared test based on Scheonfeld residuals is available with cox.zph()*

*##to test the hypothesis  $H_0$ :covariate efect is constant(proportional) over time*

*##  $H_a$ : covariate effect changes over time*

`cox.zph(lung_cox)`

```
##      chisq df    p
## age    0.5077 1 0.48
## sex    2.5489 1 0.11
## wt.loss 0.0144 1 0.90
## GLOBAL 3.0051 3 0.39
```

`plot(cox.zph(lung_cox),col="steelblue")`

