

# warmXtrophic Project: Plant Composition Data Analyses

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## Load in packages & data

```
# Clear all existing data  
rm(list = ls())
```

```
# Load packages  
library(tidyverse)  
library(ggplot2)  
library(lme4)  
library(olsrr)  
library(predictmeans)  
library(car)  
library(fitdistrplus)  
library(ggpubr)  
library(rstatix)  
library(vegan)  
library(interactions)  
library(sjPlot)  
library(effects)  
library(glmmTMB)
```

```
# Set working directory  
Sys.setenv("L1DIR")
```

```
## [1] "/Volumes/GoogleDrive/Shared drives/SpaCE_Lab_warmXtrophic/data/L1/"
```

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L1_dir <- Sys.getenv("L1DIR")  
L2_dir <- Sys.getenv("L2DIR")  
list.files(L1_dir)
```

```
## [1] "ANPP"           "climate_data"   "CN"  
## [4] "greenup"        "herbivory"      "HOBO_data"  
## [7] "PAR"           "phenology"      "plant_composition"  
## [10] "SLA"
```

```
# read in plant comp data  
comp <- read.csv(file.path(L1_dir, "plant_composition/final_plantcomp_L1.csv"))  
comp <- comp %>% select(-X) # get rid of 'X' column that shows up
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# adding sequential year variable starting at 1: this is because 2016... are
# large numbers compare with other values in the dataset. We can always label
# axes with these real years.
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2015] <- 1
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2016] <- 1
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2017] <- 2
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2018] <- 3
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2019] <- 4
comp$year_factor[comp$year == 2020] <- 5

# Remove non-plant data - MY: not sure if I should remove these?
comp <- comp[!(comp$species == "Bare_Ground" | comp$species == "Unknown" | comp$species ==
  "Brown" | comp$species == "Litter" | comp$species == "Vert_Litter" | comp$species ==
  "Animal_Disturbance"), ]

# calculating total composition sums - proxy for most common species
comp_yearly_totals <- comp %>% group_by(species, site, year, plot) %>% summarize(comp_sum = sum(cover,
  na.rm = T))

```

## 'summarise()' has grouped output by 'species', 'site', 'year'. You can override using the '.groups' argument.

Relative abundance

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# Calculating relative abundance
comp1 <- comp %>% select(species, site, year, plot, cover, state)
plot_mean <- aggregate(cover ~ plot * species * year * site * state, data = comp1,
  FUN = mean, na.rm = T)
names(plot_mean)[names(plot_mean) == "cover"] <- "plot_mean" # change 'cover' column name to 'plot_mean'
View(plot_mean)

# convert cover to relative abundance first get summed cover for all plants per
# plot
plot_cover_total = aggregate(plot_mean ~ plot * year * site * state, data = plot_mean,
  FUN = sum, na.rm = T)
names(plot_cover_total)[names(plot_cover_total) == "plot_mean"] <- "plot_cover_total"
View(plot_cover_total)
comp2 <- merge(plot_mean, plot_cover_total, by = c("plot", "year", "site", "state"))

# calculate relative percent cover per species in each quadrat (= 'relative
# abundance')
comp2$relabun <- comp2$plot_mean/comp2$plot_cover_total
summary(comp2)

```

```

##      plot      year      site      state
## Length:2472   Min.   :2015 Length:2472 Length:2472
## Class :character 1st Qu.:2016 Class :character Class :character
## Mode  :character Median :2017 Mode  :character Mode  :character
##                Mean   :2017
##                3rd Qu.:2019
##                Max.   :2020
##      species      plot_mean      plot_cover_total      relabun
## Length:2472   Min.   : 0.500   Min.   : 15.88   Min.   :0.005242

```

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## Class :character 1st Qu.: 1.816 1st Qu.: 57.75 1st Qu.:0.023009
## Mode :character Median : 4.445 Median : 85.83 Median :0.054084
## Mean : 9.515 Mean : 90.90 Mean :0.116505
## 3rd Qu.: 11.500 3rd Qu.:124.18 3rd Qu.:0.148558
## Max. :110.000 Max. :190.75 Max. :0.809170
```

```
# create dataframes for kbs and umbs - remember that these contain species within
# plots
comp_kbs <- subset(comp2, site == "kbs")
comp_umbs <- subset(comp2, site == "umbs")
```

Relative Abundance for comparisons between native and exotic species

```
# getting relative % cover for comparisons between native & exotic most code from
# Kileigh's old script average sub-quadrats for plots - MY: what are sub
# quadrats? Just plots?
comp_org <- subset(comp, origin == "Exotic" | origin == "Native")
plot_mean_org <- aggregate(cover ~ plot * origin * species * year * site * state,
  data = comp_org, FUN = mean, na.rm = T)
names(plot_mean_org)[names(plot_mean_org) == "cover"] <- "plot_mean_org"
head(plot_mean_org)
```

```
## plot origin species year site state plot_mean_org
## 1 A1 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 13.625000
## 2 A3 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 9.111111
## 3 A6 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 6.333333
## 4 B1 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 6.777778
## 5 B4 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 15.444444
## 6 B5 Native Acmi 2015 kbs ambient 6.250000
```

```
# convert cover to relative abundance first get summed cover for all plants per
# plot
cover_sum = aggregate(plot_mean_org ~ plot * origin * year * site * state, data = plot_mean_org,
  FUN = sum, na.rm = T)
names(cover_sum)[names(cover_sum) == "plot_mean_org"] <- "cover_sum"
head(cover_sum)
```

```
## plot origin year site state cover_sum
## 1 A1 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 22.38333
## 2 A3 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 44.24762
## 3 A6 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 24.02222
## 4 B1 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 13.00000
## 5 B4 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 34.08730
## 6 B5 Exotic 2015 kbs ambient 55.80000
```

```
comp2 <- merge(plot_mean_org, cover_sum, by = c("plot", "origin", "year", "site",
  "state"))
```

```
# calculate relative percent cover per species in each quadrat (=relative
# abundance')
comp2$relabun <- comp2$plot_mean_org/comp2$cover_sum
summary(comp2)
```

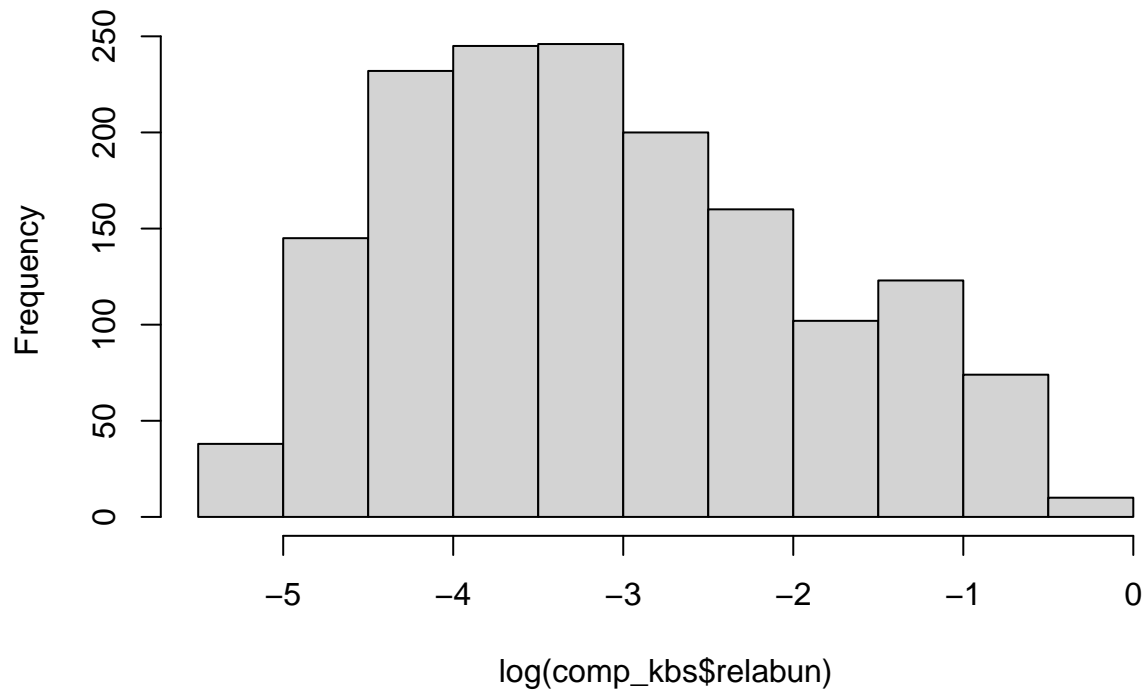
```
##      plot              origin          year          site
## Length:1914      Length:1914      Min.    :2015      Length:1914
## Class :character      Class :character      1st Qu.:2016      Class :character
## Mode  :character      Mode  :character      Median :2017      Mode  :character
##                                     Mean  :2017
##                                     3rd Qu.:2019
##                                     Max.   :2020
##      state          species      plot_mean_org      cover_sum
## Length:1914      Length:1914      Min.    : 0.500      Min.    : 1.00
## Class :character      Class :character      1st Qu.: 1.667      1st Qu.: 19.35
## Mode  :character      Mode  :character      Median : 4.333      Median : 30.62
##                                     Mean  : 9.553      Mean  : 33.95
##                                     3rd Qu.: 11.000      3rd Qu.: 45.46
##                                     Max.   :110.000      Max.   :126.00
##      relabun
## Min.    :0.009009
## 1st Qu.:0.065864
## Median :0.160139
## Mean    :0.299373
## 3rd Qu.:0.457948
## Max.    :1.000000
```

```
# create dataframes for kbs and umbs - remember that these contain species within
# plots
comp_org_kbs <- subset(comp2, site == "kbs")
comp_org_umbs <- subset(comp2, site == "umbs")
```

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# https://rfunctions.blogspot.com/2016/08/comparing-and-estimating-species.html
```

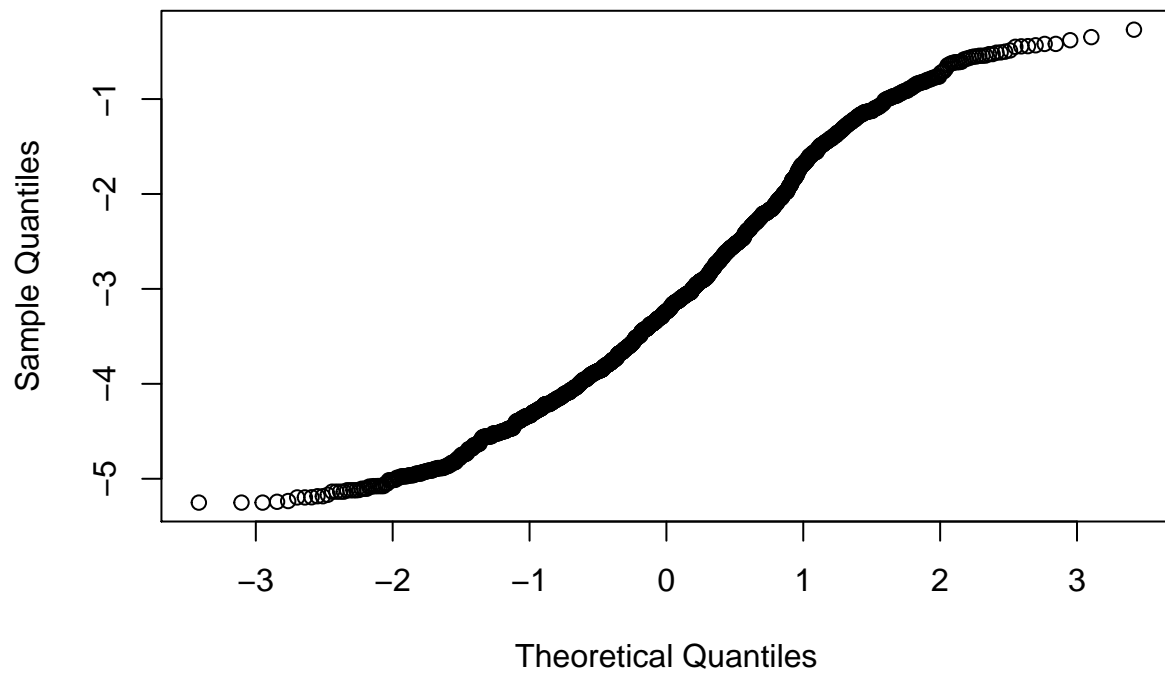
```
# checking for normality in raw data
hist(log(comp_kbs$relabun))
```

**Histogram of  $\log(\text{comp\_kbs\$relabun})$**



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qqnorm(log(comp_kbs$relabun))
```

**Normal Q-Q Plot**

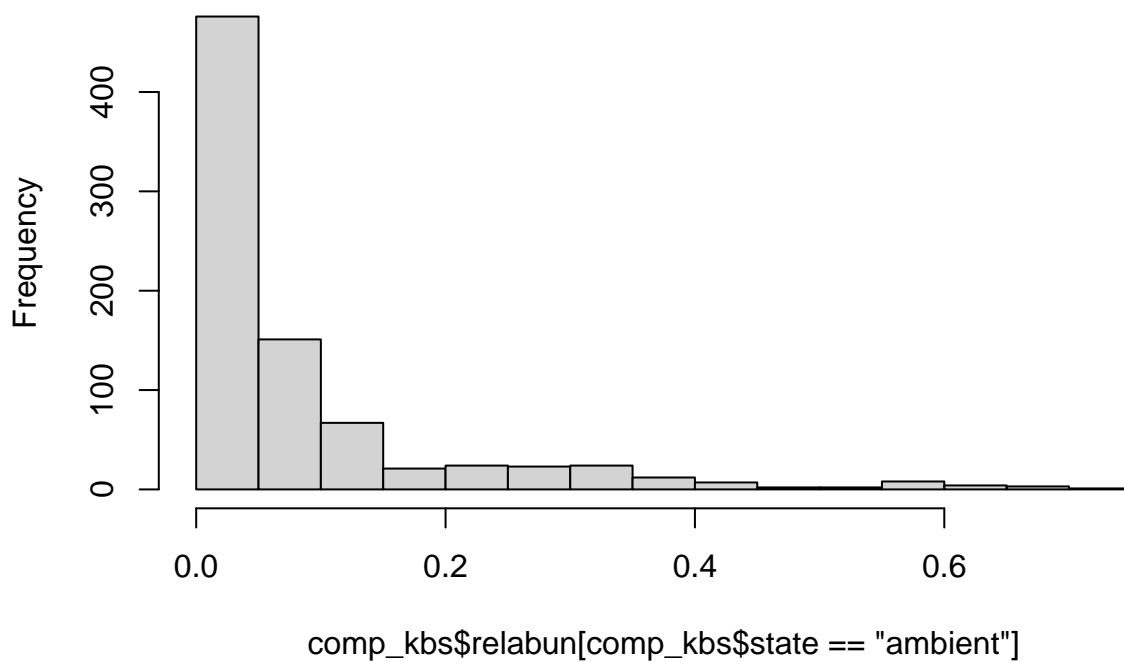


```
shapiro.test(log(comp_kbs$relabun))
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##  
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data: log(comp_kbs$relabun)  
## W = 0.9707, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

```
hist(comp_kbs$relabun[comp_kbs$state == "ambient"])
```

### Histogram of comp\_kbs\$relabun[comp\_kbs\$state == "ambient"]



```
hist(comp_kbs$relabun[comp_kbs$state == "warmed"])
```

**Histogram of comp\_kbs\$relabun[comp\_kbs\$state == "warmed"]**

