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#### Abstract

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### 1 Introduction

You can and should cross-reference sections and sub-sections. For instance, Section 3. R Markdown automatically makes the sections lower case and adds a dash to spaces to generate labels, for instance, Section 6.1.

<sup>\*</sup>Code and data are available at: LINK.

## 2 Replications

## Trend in US Birth Rates

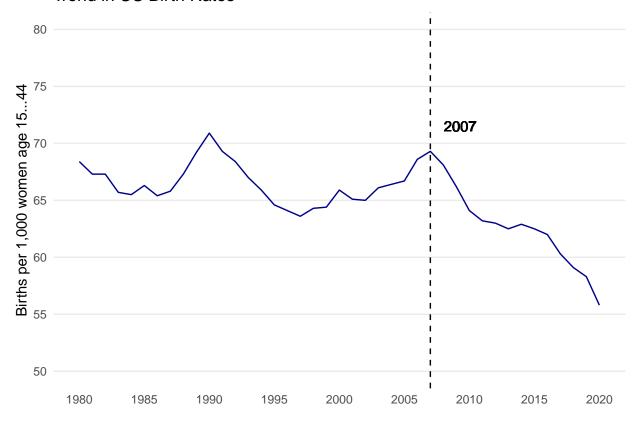


Figure 1: Source: Birth Rates collected from CDC Vital Statistics Births Reports for 2015, 2019 and 2020. See Data Appendix for additional details.

#### 3 Data

Our data is of penguins (Figure 2).

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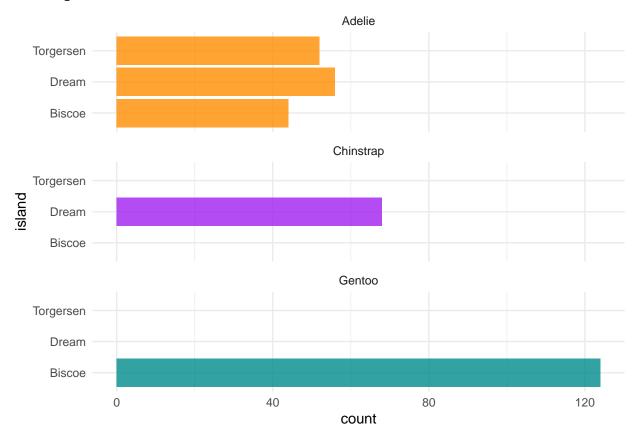


Figure 2: Bills of penguins

Talk more about it.

Also bills and their average (Figure 3). (Notice how you can change the height and width so they don't take the whole page?)

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#### 4 Model

$$Pr(\theta|y) = \frac{Pr(y|\theta)Pr(\theta)}{Pr(y)} \tag{1}$$

Equation (1) seems useful, eh?

Here's a dumb example of how to use some references: In paper we run our analysis in R (R Core Team 2020). We also use the tidyverse which was written by Wickham et al. (2019) If we were interested in baseball data then Friendly et al. (2020) could be useful.

We can use maths by including latex between dollar signs, for instance  $\theta$ .

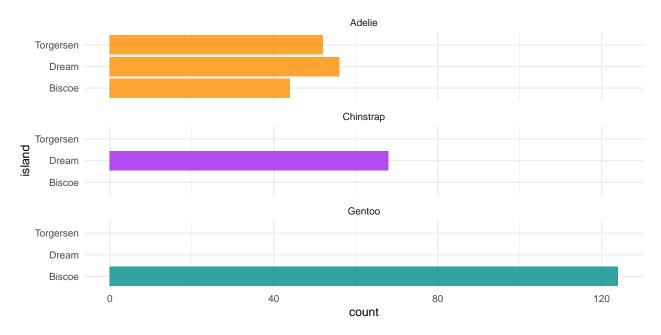


Figure 3: More bills of penguins

## 5 Results

## 6 Discussion

### 6.1 First discussion point

If my paper were 10 pages, then should be be at least 2.5 pages. The discussion is a chance to show off what you know and what you learnt from all this.

#### 6.2 Second discussion point

#### 6.3 Third discussion point

#### 6.4 Weaknesses and next steps

Weaknesses and next steps should also be included.

# Appendix

## A Additional details

## References

- Friendly, Michael, Chris Dalzell, Martin Monkman, and Dennis Murphy. 2020. Lahman: Sean 'Lahman' Baseball Database. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=Lahman.
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