

# SATATISTICAL INFERENCE

## COURSE PROJECT

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## Introduction

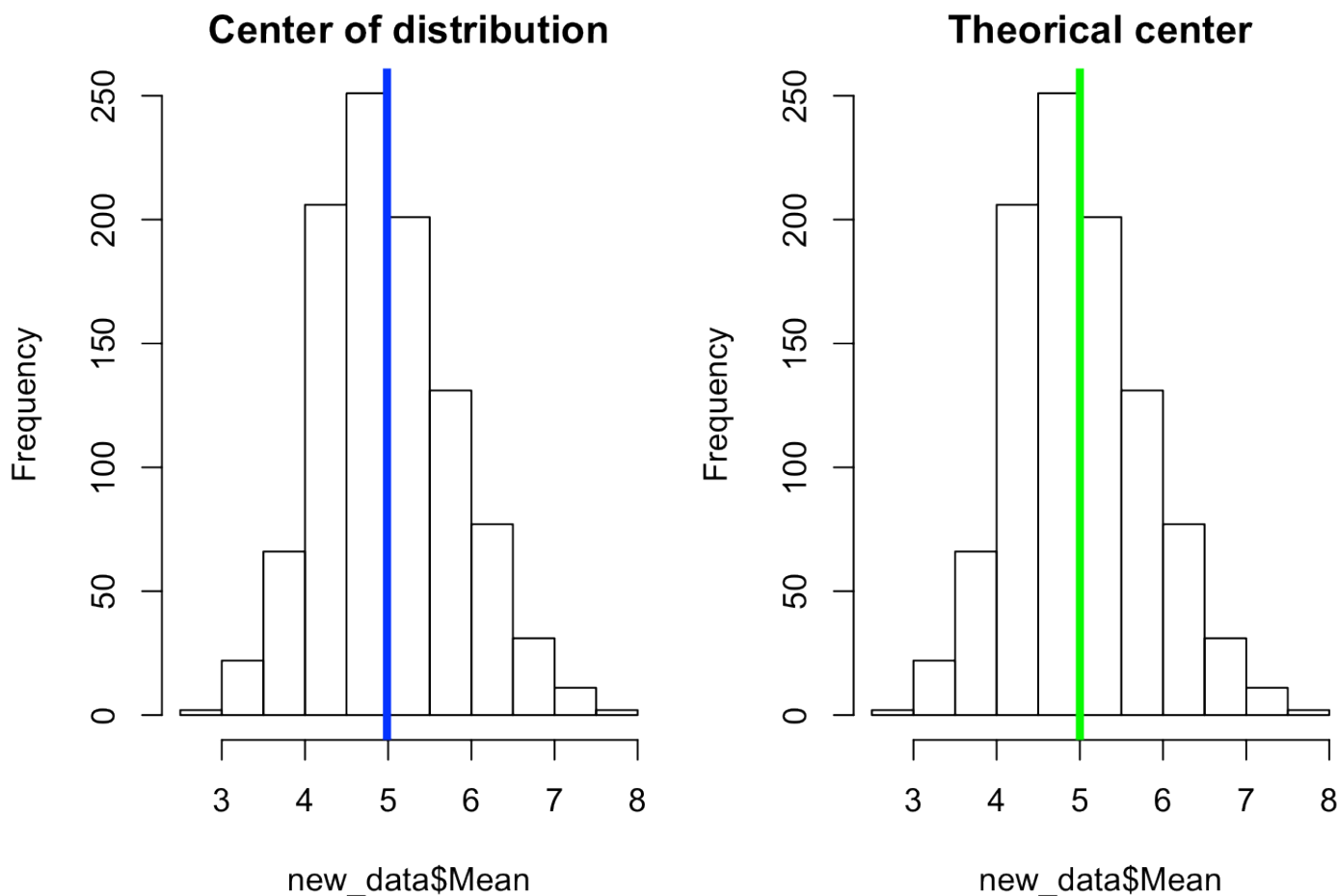
The exponential distribution can be simulated in R with `rexp(n, lambda)` where `lambda` is the rate parameter. The mean of exponential distribution is  $1/\lambda$  and the standard deviation is also  $1/\lambda$ . In this simulation, I will investigate the distribution of averages of 40 exponential(0.2)s.

## SIMULATIONS (part 1)

1. Show where the distribution is centered at and compare it to the theoretical center of the distribution.

[1] "The simulated center of the distribution 4.98624250986267 is close to the theorical center of the distribution : 5"

Compare simulated center and theoretical center of the exponential distribution



2. Show how variable it is and compare it to the theoretical variance of the distribution.

The table below shows compared variances

	Simulated	Theoretical
1	4.83	5.00

3. Show that the distribution is approximately normal. The previous histogram of the distribution shows that the distribution is approximately normal

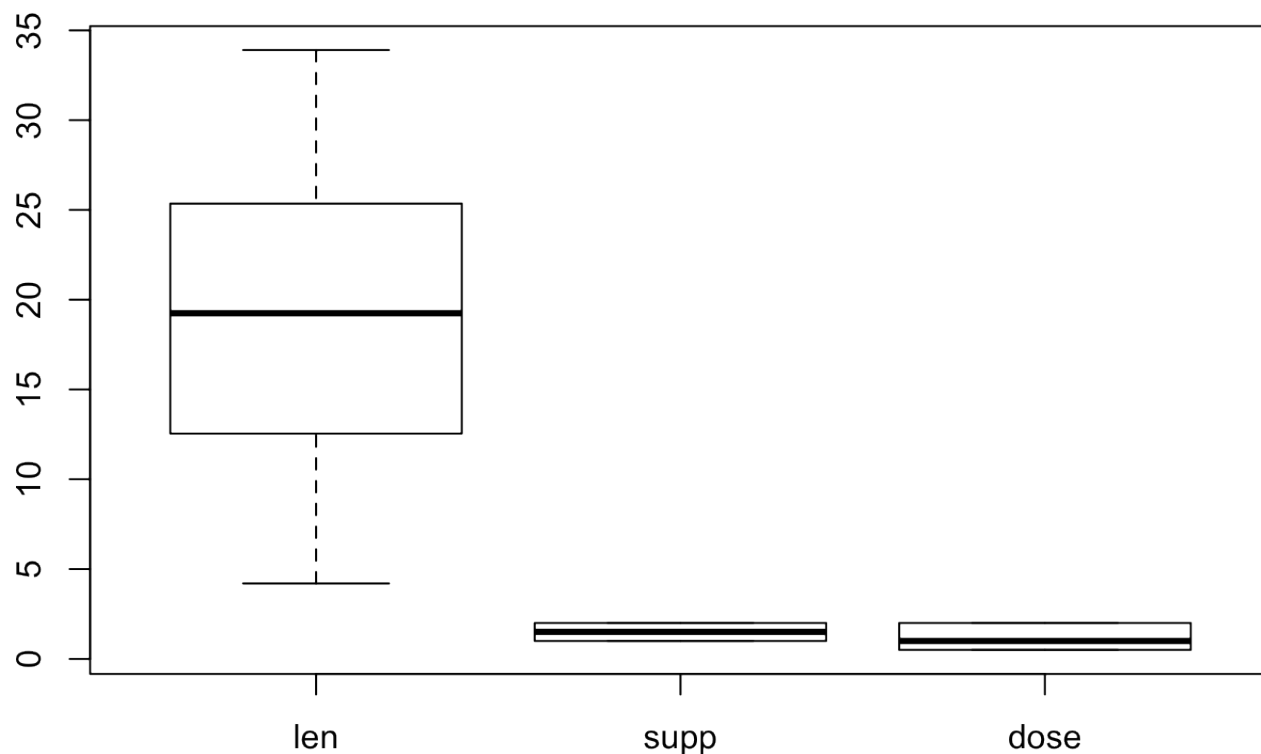
4. The coverage of the confidence interval for  $1/\lambda$ :  $\bar{X} \pm 1.96 S_n \sqrt{\cdot}$ . (This only needs to be done for the specific value of  $\lambda$ ).

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## [1] 4.936 5.037
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## SIMULATIONS (part 2)

1. Load the ToothGrowth data and perform some basic exploratory data analyses

## ToothGrowth Box plot



### 2. Basic summary of the data.

```
##      len      supp      dose
##  Min.   : 4.2    OJ:30    Min.   :0.50
## 1st Qu.:13.1    VC:30    1st Qu.:0.50
## Median :19.2                    Median :1.00
## Mean   :18.8                    Mean   :1.17
## 3rd Qu.:25.3                    3rd Qu.:2.00
## Max.   :33.9                    Max.   :2.00
```

### 3. Confidence intervals and hypothesis tests to compare tooth growth by supp and dose.

Confidence intervals and hypothesis tests to compare tooth growth by supp = VC and dose = 0.5 with supp = VC and dose = 1.0“)

```
##  
## One Sample t-test  
##  
## data: vc05 - vc1  
## t = -6.136, df = 9, p-value = 0.0001715  
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 0  
## 95 percent confidence interval:  
## -12.03 -5.55  
## sample estimates:  
## mean of x  
## -8.79
```

4. State your conclusions and the assumptions needed for your conclusions.

**Conclusion:** Confidence intervals and hypothesis tests to compare tooth growth by supp = VC and dose = 0.5 with supp = VC and dose = 1.0 shows a small p-value so means are different.