Solution lab 18

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Exercise 1

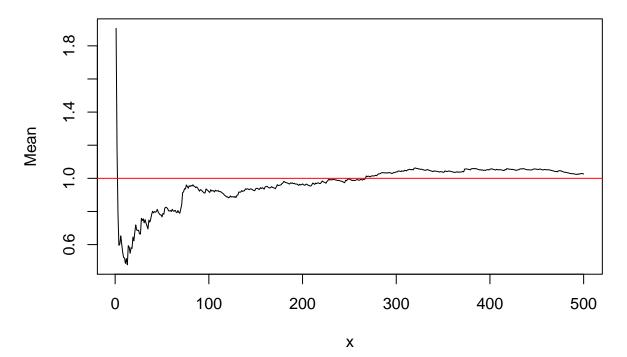
We generate a N-sample v. Using the recursive relations for \bar{X}_n , we derive the function

```
recursivemean<-function(n){
  if(n==0){return(0)}
  else{
    tmp <- recursivemean(n-1)
    return( tmp+(v[n]-tmp)/n )
  }
}</pre>
```

Remark: The variable tmp avoids extra recursions in the program and consequently useless time consuming.

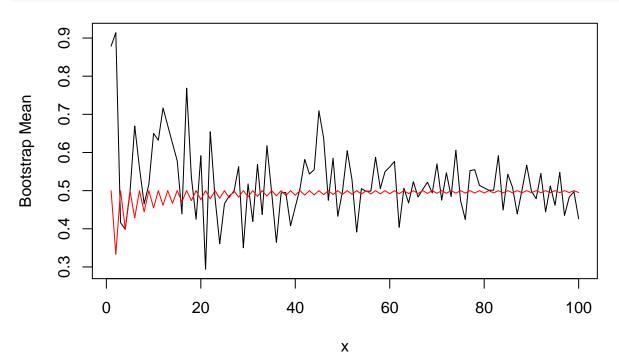
```
N <- 500
v <- rexp(N)
x <- 1:N

Mean <- sapply(x,recursivemean)
plot(x,Mean,type='l')
abline(h=1,col='red')</pre>
```



Exercise 2

```
bootstrap <- function(n){</pre>
    obs <- runif(n)
    mestimate <-median(obs)
                              # under the empirical distribution, the median of a bootstrap
                              # sample is the median of the observed sample.
    M <- sapply(1:100,function(x) sample(obs,replace=TRUE))</pre>
    if(n==1){
                              # if n=1, M is a vector
      B <- sapply(M,median)</pre>
    }else{
                              # if n>1, M is a matrix
      B <- apply(M,2,median)</pre>
    }
    bootmean <- mean(B)
    bootvar <- mean((B-mestimate)^2)</pre>
    return(c(bootmean,bootvar))
}
x <- 1:100
R <- sapply(x,bootstrap)</pre>
truemean <- ceiling(x/2)/(x+1)
truevar <- ceiling(x/2)*(x-ceiling(x/2)+1)/((x+1)^2*(x+1))
plot(x,R[1,],type='l',ylab='Bootstrap Mean')
lines(x,truemean,col='red')
```



```
plot(x,R[2,],type='1',ylab='Bootstrap Var')
lines(x,truevar,col='red')
```

