

# Exercise set 8

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Clear R environment

```
rm(list = ls())
```

## Exercise 8.4

Note: MLE for  $\hat{\lambda} = n / \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ , where  $X$  denote time between failure

Refer to the air-conditioning data set **aircondit** provided in the boot library. The 12 observations are the times in hours between failures of air-conditioning equipment

3 5 7 18 43 85 91 98 100 130 230 487

Assume that the times between failures follow an exponential model with rate  $\lambda$ . Obtain the MLE of the hazard rate  $\lambda$  and use bootstrap to estimate the bias and standard error of the estimate.

in R:

```
library(boot)

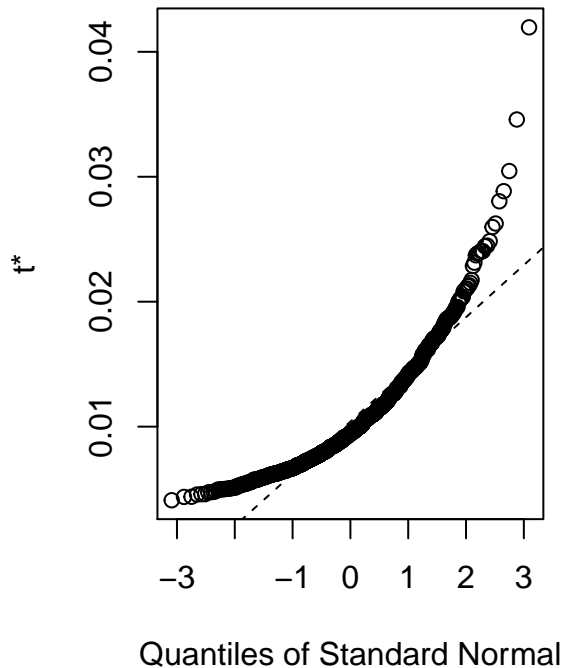
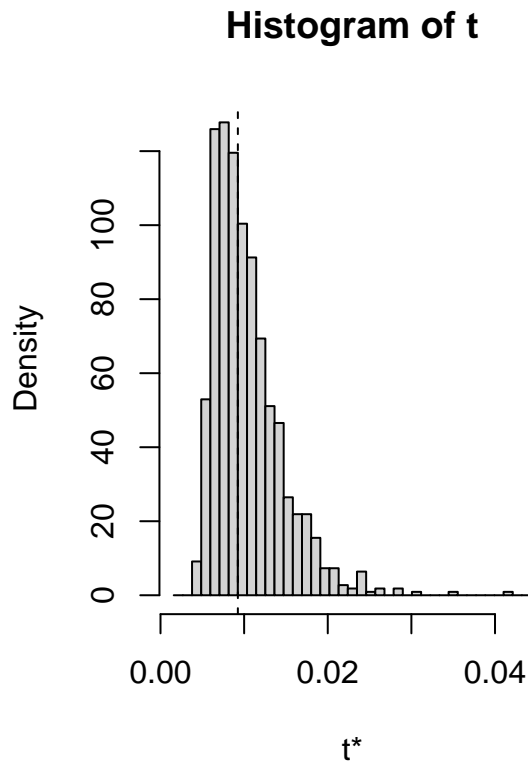
# MLE for hazard rate of exponential distributed data
mle <- function(data, i) {
  return(length(data[i])/sum(data[i]))
}

# bootstrapping with 1000 replications
results <- boot(data=aircondit$hours, statistic = mle, R=1000)

# view results
results

##
## ORDINARY NONPARAMETRIC BOOTSTRAP
##
##
## Call:
## boot(data = aircondit$hours, statistic = mle, R = 1000)
##
##
## Bootstrap Statistics :
##      original      bias    std. error
## t1* 0.00925212 0.001149691 0.004177487

plot(results)
```



```
# get 95% confidence interval
boot.ci(results, type=c("bca", "norm", "perc"))

## BOOTSTRAP CONFIDENCE INTERVAL CALCULATIONS
## Based on 1000 bootstrap replicates
##
## CALL :
## boot.ci(boot.out = results, type = c("bca", "norm", "perc"))
##
## Intervals :
## Level      Normal          Percentile          BCa
## 95%  (-0.0001, 0.0163 )  ( 0.0052, 0.0208 )  ( 0.0048, 0.0182 )
## Calculations and Intervals on Original Scale
## Some BCa intervals may be unstable
```

## Exercise 8.5

Refer to exercise 8.4. Compute 95% confidence interval for the mean time between failures by the standard normal, basic, percentile and BCa methods.

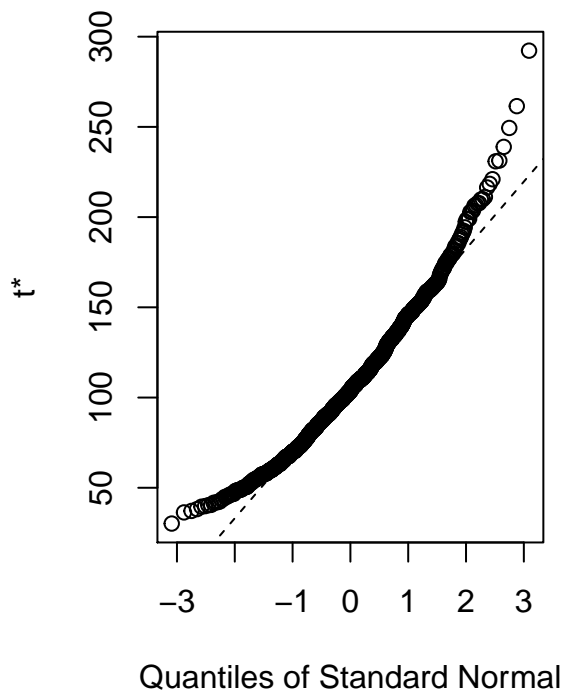
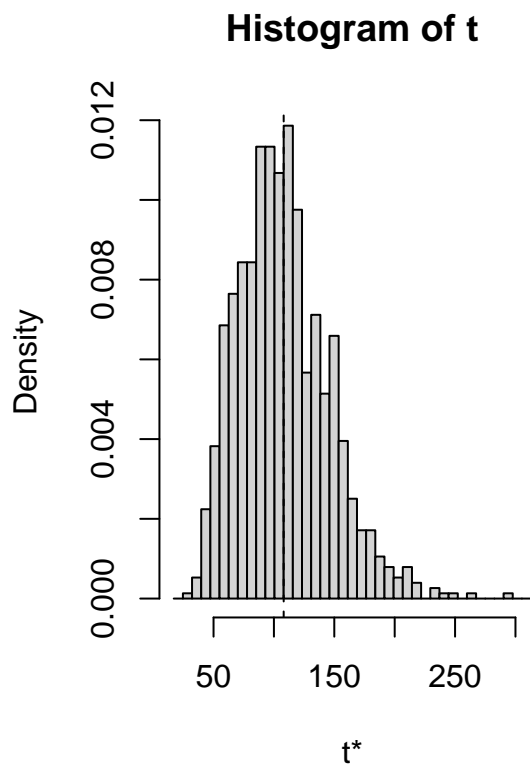
```
# MLE for hazard rate of exponential distributed data
meantimeest <- function(data, i) {
  rate <- length(data[i])/sum(data[i])
  return(1/rate)
}
```

```
# bootstrapping with 1000 replications
results <- boot(data=aircondit$hours, statistic = meantimeest, R=1000)

# view results
results

##
## ORDINARY NONPARAMETRIC BOOTSTRAP
##
## Call:
## boot(data = aircondit$hours, statistic = meantimeest, R = 1000)
##
##
## Bootstrap Statistics :
##      original    bias      std. error
## t1* 108.0833 -0.37425    37.31543

plot(results)
```



```
# get 95% confidence interval
boot.ci(results, type=c("norm", "basic", "perc", "bca"))

## BOOTSTRAP CONFIDENCE INTERVAL CALCULATIONS
## Based on 1000 bootstrap replicates
##
## CALL :
```

```
## boot.ci(boot.out = results, type = c("norm", "basic", "perc",
##      "bca"))
##
## Intervals :
## Level      Normal          Basic
## 95%   ( 35.3, 181.6 )   ( 23.8, 167.7 )
##
## Level      Percentile      BCa
## 95%   ( 48.5, 192.4 )   ( 57.9, 240.5 )
## Calculations and Intervals on Original Scale
## Some BCa intervals may be unstable
```

## Exercise 11.3

## Bibliography