INSTRUCTIONS TO USE LHT_CI.py

The file LHT_CI.py is a Python3 program that performs the calculations.

1. Data should be in a .csv file with only three columns, for instance:

t	n	h
1	50	0
2	50	0
3	50	0
4	49	0
5	49	0
6	49	0
7	49	0
8	48	0
9	46	0
10	44	28
11	44	28
12	44	10
13	43	118
14	41	111

The **first column** are the units of time. The **second column** contains number of individuals alive at that unit of time. The **third column** contains offspring production in that unit of time.

2. Inside the code, modify the alpha required and change the file name:

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alpha = 0.05 # 1-alpha is the confidence level of CI,
fnam = "Data.csv" # Change file name.
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3. Change directory path here, live commented if file is in current directory:

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# dir_path = "/Users/datasets/"
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4. Run the program, an example output is:

Initial number of individuals N: 50 ----(Initial number of individuals)

Offspring size K: 2430 ----(Total offspring)

R0: 48.6 ---- (R0, the basic reproductive number)
Longevity: [28.34 302.0644 23.5226 33.1574] ---- (mean variance and CI for longevity)

Generation time: [26.884 151.77 26.3945 27.374] ---- (mean variance and CI for gen. time)

r: [0.20209, 0.198870, 0.2055] -----<mark>(mean and CI for r)</mark>

lambda: [1.223964994, 1.22002366, 1.22814391] -----(mean and CI for lambda)

Saved to: UpdatedData_added.csv -----(outcome was saved to this file)