Resampling is used when you are ignorant of the characteristics of the true sampling (t, F, etc) distribution.

These techniques allow the characteristics of the distribution to be estimated from the data.

- Jacknifing
- Bootstrapping
- Permutations

Jackknife

Jackknifing is used to estimate

- bias
- standard error

It functions by removing a single value from the observations, recalculating a statistic, and repeating for the original data and all one-less combinations

Algorithm

- 1. calculate statistic (mean, sd, etc)
- 2. recalculate n statistics removing each observation in turn
- 3. define $\phi_i = nS (n-1)S_i$ where S is the statistic and S_i is the statistic calculated on a sample without observation i.
- 4. $\bar{\phi}$ is the jackknife estimate of the parametric statistic.
- 5. $\Sigma(\bar{\phi}-\phi_i)^2/(n-1)$ is an estimate of the variance associated with the jackknife estimate
- 6. SE defined as you might expect

Example: data

- > library(DAAG)
- > data(cuckoos)
- > wrens <- cuckoos[cuckoos\$species == "wren",]</pre>
- > wrens\$length

> wrens

```
length breadth species id
106
    19.8
           15.0
                 wren 224
                 wren 225
    22.1
           16.0
107
108
    21.5
          16.2 wren 226
   20.9 15.7 wren 227
109
               wren 228
110
   22.0
         16.2
   21.0
          15.5 wren 229
111
   22.3 16.0 wren 230
112
   21.0 15.9 wren 231
113
114
    20.3
          15.5 wren 232
115
   20.9 15.9 wren 233
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   22.0 16.0 wren 234
117
   20.0 15.7 wren 235
   20.8 15.9 wren 236
118
119
    21.2
          16.0 wren 237
   21.0 16.0 wren 238
120
```

Example: jackknife calcs

Calcs 2

```
> n <- length(wrens$length)
> pseudovalues <- n * m - (n - 1) * mj
> pseudovalues
```

[1] 19.8 22.1 21.5 20.9 22.0 21.0 22.3 21.0 20.3 20.9 22.0 20.0 20.8 21.2 21.0

- > mhat <- mean(pseudovalues)</pre>
- > mhat

[1] 21.12

- > bias <- m mhat
- > bias
- [1] -1.065814e-14
- > sem.j <- sd(pseudovalues)/sqrt(n)</pre>
- > sem.j
- [1] 0.1947404

Examining each observation

Influence of particular samples: The *sample influence function* is the difference between the mean of the jackknifed statistic (mean(pseudovalues)) and the individual pseudovalues:

$$\bar{\phi} - \phi_i$$

Essentially, it allows identification of outliers for a particular statistic

> mhat - pseudovalues

Bootstrapping: uses

Like Jackknifing, bootstrapping is also used for estimation of:

- bias
- sample statistics and confidence intervals around those statistics

Bootstrapping: details

- Bootstrapping works by resampling with replacement a complete-sized dataset, recalculating statistics and repeating 100s or 1000s of times.
- The mean of the statistic for all the bootstraps is the estimate for that statistic.

- The standard deviation of the bootstrap estimates is the standard error of the statistic
- Furthermore, the distribution of the bootstrapped statistic should be more or less normally distributed, so it is easy to calculate confidence intervals

Bootstrapping: example

Slightly more exotic application

```
ATCADH
             ----atgt ctaccaccgg acagattatt cgatgcaaag ctgctgtggc
             -----atgt ctaccaccgg acagattatt cgatgcaaag ctgctgtggc
ATHADH
PSADH1
             ---atgtcga acacagttgg tcagatcatc aagtgcagag ctgcggttgc
             atgtcgagca atactgctgg tcaagtcatt cgttgcaaag ctgcggttgc
PHADH1
VVU36586
             ---atgtcag gcactgctgg tcaagtcatc tgctgcaaag ctgctgtggc
LEADH2
             ---atgtcga ctactgtagg ccaagtcatt cgttgcaaag ctgctgtggc
FAADH
             ---atgtcaa gtactgaggg aaaggtcata tgctgcagag ctgctgtggc
HVADH2
             ----atgg cgaccgccgg gaaggtgatc aagtgcaaag cggcggtggc
HVADH3
             ----atgg cgaccgctgg gaaggtgatc aagtgcaaag cggcggtggc
MZEADH1CM
             ----atgg cgaccgcggg gaaggtgatc aagtgcaaag ctgcggtggc
ZMADH1FA
             ----atgg cgaccgcggg gaaggtgatc aagtgcaaag ctgcggtggc
```

RICADH2A	a	tggcgacagg	gaaggtgatc	aagtgcaaag	cggcggtggc
ZMADH2N	atgg	cgacagcagg	aaaggtgatc	aagtgcagag	gctgccgtga
HUMADH6	atga	gtactacagg	ccaagtcatc	agatgcaaag	cagccatact
ANADH3		atgtc	tgtccccgaa	gtgcaatggg	cccaagtggt
EMEALCA		atgtg	catccccact	atgcaatggg	cccaggtcgc
SCZADH					
DNADH1					
DMADH					

Phylogenetic inference

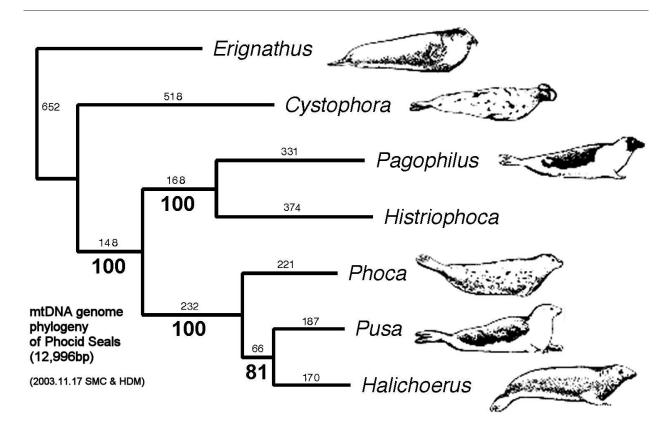
• Model: evolutionary model

• Hypothesis: phylogenetic tree

• Data: previous slide

The unit of resampling in the data in this case is the variable (column)

Phylogenetic tree with bootstrap values



Randomization/Permutation Tests

These tests usually compare a single value to sample distribution generated by randomizing the data. The single value could be any statistic you could imagine.

- t
- X²
- F
- difference in means between groups
- variance among groups
- slopes of lines

Algorithm

- Calculate test statistic on original data
- randomly rearrange order between independent and dependent variables
- recalculate test-statistic
- repeat lots (100s) of times
- compare actual value to distribution of randomized values.

Example for two groups

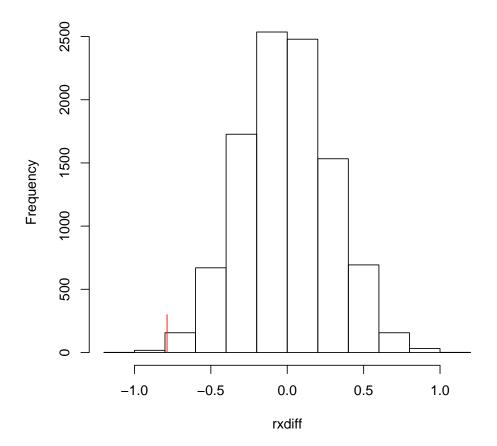
```
> mpipit <- cuckoos[cuckoos$species == "meadow.pipit", ]
> tpipit <- cuckoos[cuckoos$species == "tree.pipit", ]
> X <- mpipit$length
> Xn <- length(X)
> Y <- tpipit$length
> Yn <- length(Y)
> xdiff <- mean(X) - mean(Y)
> xdiff
```

```
> XY <- c(X, Y)
> rxdiff <- NULL
> for (i in 1:10000) {
+     randord <- sample(XY, (Xn + Yn), replace = F)
+     x <- randord[1:Xn]
+     y <- randord[c(-1:-Xn)]
+     rxdiff <- c(rxdiff, (mean(x) - mean(y)))
+ }</pre>
```

Example continued

```
> hist(rxdiff)
> points(c(xdiff, xdiff), c(0, 300), type = "1", col = "red")
> sum(rxdiff < xdiff)/length(rxdiff)
[1] 0.0018</pre>
```

Histogram of rxdiff



The unit of resampling is important to define in any resampling study.

- Often just single observations
- \bullet sometimes it is only important to mix among groups