

# Bootstrap difference in Medians

*Code to demonstrate bootstrap difference in medians*

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```
rm(list=ls())
set.seed(123)
startTime<-proc.time()
library(knitr)
options(width=120)
opts_chunk$set(comment = "", warning = FALSE, message = FALSE,
  echo = FALSE, tidy = FALSE, size="tiny", cache=FALSE,
  progress=TRUE, #results='hide',
  fig.width=7, fig.height=3.5,
  cache.path = 'program_Cache/',
  fig.path='figure/')

knitr::knit_hooks$set(inline = function(x) {
  knitr:::format_sci(x, 'md')
})

# create an R file of the code!

# https://stackoverflow.com/questions/26048722/knitr-and-tangle-code-without-execution

knit_hooks$set(purl = function(before, options) {
  if (before) return()
  input = current_input() # filename of input document
  output = paste(tools::file_path_sans_ext(input), 'R', sep = '.')
  if (knitr:::isFALSE(knitr:::knitEnv$tangle.start)) {
    assign('tangle.start', TRUE, knitr:::knitEnv)
    unlink(output)
  }

  cat(options$code, file = output, sep = '\n', append = TRUE)

})

list.of.packages <- c("boot") # haven causes a problem

new.packages <- list.of.packages[!(list.of.packages %in% installed.packages()[,"Package"])]

if(length(new.packages)) install.packages(new.packages)

sapply(X = list.of.packages, require, character.only = TRUE)
```

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```
## Loading required package: boot
## boot
## TRUE
```

### Bootstrap difference in medians

```
set.seed(12434)

x<-rnorm(70, 0, 5)
y<-rnorm(130, 5, 5)

n1 <- length(x)
n2 <- length(y)

y1 <- c(x,y)

group <- c(rep(1, each=n1),rep(2, each=n2))

xx <- as.data.frame(cbind(group, y1))

tapply(xx[,2], xx[,1], median, na.rm=T) # check

      1      2
0.4342924 5.7275603

bo <- boot(data=x,

statistic = function(x, i) {

booty <- tapply(xx$y, xx$group, FUN=function(x) X =sample(x,length(x),TRUE))
  diff(sapply(booty, median))
},

R=10000)

boot.ci(bo)
```

BOOTSTRAP CONFIDENCE INTERVAL CALCULATIONS  
Based on 10000 bootstrap replicates

CALL :  
boot.ci(boot.out = bo)

Intervals :

| Level | Normal           | Basic            |
|-------|------------------|------------------|
| 95%   | ( 3.608, 6.217 ) | ( 3.508, 6.240 ) |

  

| Level | Percentile       | BCa              |
|-------|------------------|------------------|
| 95%   | ( 3.859, 6.591 ) | ( 3.504, 6.167 ) |

Calculations and Intervals on Original Scale

## COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT

R version 3.3.2 (2016-10-31)

Platform: x86\_64-w64-mingw32/x64 (64-bit)

Running under: Windows 10 x64 (build 14393)

locale:

[1] LC\_COLLATE=English\_United Kingdom.1252

[2] LC\_CTYPE=English\_United Kingdom.1252

[3] LC\_MONETARY=English\_United Kingdom.1252

[4] LC\_NUMERIC=C

[5] LC\_TIME=English\_United Kingdom.1252

attached base packages:

[1] stats graphics grDevices utils datasets methods

[7] base

other attached packages:

[1] boot\_1.3-18 knitr\_1.16

loaded via a namespace (and not attached):

[1] backports\_1.1.0 magrittr\_1.5 rprojroot\_1.2 tools\_3.3.2

[5] htmltools\_0.3.6 yaml\_2.1.14 Rcpp\_0.12.11 stringi\_1.1.5

[9] rmarkdown\_1.5 stringr\_1.2.0 digest\_0.6.12 evaluate\_0.10

This took 8.41 seconds to execute.