# Nest Provisioning in a Fire Disturbed Landscape

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## Initialization

All relative paths begin at the final-project repository root directory.

## Required Packages

```
# LaTex
#install.packages("tinytex")
\# Data manipulation and visualization
install.packages("tidyverse", repos='http://cran.us.r-project.org')
## Installing package into '/home/eliza/R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/4.0'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
install.packages("gridExtra", repos='http://cran.us.r-project.org')
## Installing package into '/home/eliza/R/x86_64-pc-linux-gnu-library/4.0'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
# LaTex
#library(tinytex)
#tinytex::install_tinytex()
# Data manipulation and visualization
library(tidyverse)
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.0 --
## v ggplot2 3.3.2 v purrr 0.3.4

## v tibble 3.0.4 v dplyr 1.0.2

## v tidyr 1.1.2 v stringr 1.4.0

## v readr 1.4.0 v forcats 0.5.0
## -- Conflicts ------ tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag() masks stats::lag()
```

## library(gridExtra)

```
##
## Attaching package: 'gridExtra'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
## combine
```

## **Custom functions:**

```
#' getCI
#'

#' @param vec a vector
#' @param n_samp number of times to sample data
#'

#' @return upper and lower bootstrap confidence intervals
#'

#' @examples
#' getCI(1:20, 2000)
#' @export

getCI <- function(vec, n_samp=1000) {
    smp <- replicate(n_samp, mean(sample(vec, replace = TRUE), na.rm = TRUE))
    CIs <-quantile(smp, c(0.025, 0.975), na.rm = T)
    return(CIs)
}</pre>
```

# Prey Delivery Rates by Sex

Load prey delivery data.

```
pdOriginal <- read.csv("../data/pd_main.csv")

#rename the first column, which imported with a special character
names(pdOriginal)[1] <- "nest"</pre>
```

Filter to only include M and F (remove unknown and total), separate "nest" column into "study\_site' and territory.

```
pdMF <- pdOriginal %>%
  separate(col = nest, into = c("study_site", "territory"), sep = 1, remove = TRUE) %>%
  filter(sex == "M" | sex == "F")
```

Check structure of data.

#### pd\_str <- str(pdMF)</pre>

```
## 'data.frame':
                   1299 obs. of 55 variables:
                             "A" "A" "B" "C" ...
   $ study_site
                      : chr
   $ territory
                             "29 2007" "29 2007" "7 2005" "S1 1 2005" ...
                      : chr
##
   $ year
                             2007 2007 2005 2005 2005 2005 2006 2006 2014 2004 ...
                      : int
##
   $ obs_date
                             "6/4/2007" "6/4/2007" "6/15/2005" "6/9/2005" ...
                      : chr
                             "2" "2" "" ...
##
   $ clutch_size
                      : chr
                             "2" "2" "" "" ...
   $ brood_size
                      : chr
                             "2" "2" "" "" ...
##
   $ num fledged
                      : chr
                             "6/6/2007" "6/6/2007" "" "" ...
   $ incubation start : chr
                             157 157 NA NA NA NA 157 157 155 151 ...
## $ julian_incubation: int
   $ nest_age
                      : chr
                             "1" "1" "1" "1" ...
##
                             2021 2021 NA 2025 2023 2020 2023 2023 2026 2019 ...
   $ sunset
                      : int
                             "M" "F" "F" "F" ...
##
   $ sex
                      : chr
## $ t15
                      : int
                             NA NA O NA NA NA NA NA 2 NA ...
## $ t30
                             NA NA O NA NA NA NA NA O ...
                      : int
## $ t45
                      : int
                             NA NA O NA O NA NA NA NA 2 ...
## $ t60
                      : int
                             NA NA O NA O NA NA NA NA 1 ...
## $ t75
                             NA NA O NA O NA 1 O NA 3 ...
                      : int
## $ t90
                             NA NA NA O O NA O O NA O ...
                      : int
##
   $ t105
                      : int
                             NA NA NA O O O O O NA O ...
## $ t120
                      : int
                             NA NA NA O NA O O O NA O ...
##
  $ t135
                      : int
                             NA NA NA O NA O O O NA NA ...
##
                             NA NA NA O NA O 1 O NA NA ...
   $ t150
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA O O O NA NA ...
##
   $ t165
                      : int
                             "1" "0" "" "" ...
##
  $ t180
                      : chr
                             3 O NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##
   $ t195
                      : int
##
   $ t210
                      : int
                             2 O NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##
   $ t225
                      : chr
                             "1" "0" "" "" ...
## $ t240
                            3 O NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
## $ t255
                            NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t270
                      : int
## $ t285
                      : int
                            NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t300
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
## $ t315
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
##
   $ t330
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t345
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
## $ t360
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t375
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
##
   $ t390
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##
  $ t405
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
##
   $ t420
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##
   $ t435
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
##
   $ t450
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t465
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
  $ t480
                      : int
                            NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t495
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
## $ t510
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
## $ t525
                      : int
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ t540
                             NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                      : int
##
                             "passive" "passive" "Captured on Last Pd" "Capture F, start time reflects
   $ Comments
                      : chr
                      : chr
                            "2313-2418" "2313-2418" "2015-2128" "2150-2254" ...
## $ obs_time
```

```
: chr
                               "23:13" "23:13" "20:15" "21:50" ...
## $ start_time
## $ stop_time
                               "24:18:00" "24:18:00" "21:28" "22:54" ...
                        : chr
##
  $ weather
                        : chr
                               "sprinkles, light wind" "sprinkles, light wind" "storm entering around 21
                               ... ... ... ...
##
   $ fledge_date
                        : chr
   $ fledge_accuracy
                       : chr
                               "w/in 1 day" "w/in 1 day" "Predated" "abandoned" ...
unique(pdMF$t180) #at least one cell has an asterisk after the value
   [1] "1"
             "0"
                             "4*" "2"
                                      "9" "10" "3"
unique(pdMF$t225) #same here
                       "6*" "3" "2" "8" "11" "7"
## [1] "1"
unique(pdMF$nest_age) #"pred" and "" can be converted to NA
   [1] "1"
               "2"
                       "3"
                              "4"
                                      "5"
                                             "6"
                                                            "8"
                                                                           "10"
##
## [11] "11"
               "12"
                       "13"
                              "14"
                                      "15"
                                             "16"
                                                    "17"
                                                            "18"
                                                                   "19"
                                                                           "20"
## [21] "21"
                       "23"
                                             "26"
                                                                           "30"
                "22"
                              "24"
                                      "25"
                                                    "27"
                                                            "28"
                                                                   "29"
## [31] "31"
                "32"
                       "33"
                              "34"
                                      "35"
                                             "36"
                                                    "37"
                                                            "38"
                                                                   "39"
                                                                           "40"
## [41] "41"
               "42"
                       "43"
                              "44"
                                      "45"
                                             "46"
                                                    "47"
                                                            "48"
                                                                   "49"
                                                                           "50"
## [51] "51"
                       "100"
                              "0"
                                      "pred" ""
               "53"
Fix structure.
#remove asterisks
pdClean <- pdMF %>%
  mutate(t180 = gsub("\*", "", t180)) \%
 mutate(t225 = gsub("\*", "", t225))
#change these columns to numeric
pdClean$t180 <- as.integer(pdClean$t180)</pre>
pdClean$t225 <- as.integer(pdClean$t225)</pre>
pdClean$nest_age <- as.integer(pdClean$nest_age)</pre>
## Warning: NAs introduced by coercion
```

## Prey Deliveries Throughout Night

#warning here is ok--NAs are replacing "pred" and "" values

Data was separated by sex (M vs. F) and by incubation vs. nestling stage. Nestling period is defined as nest\_age >= 22 days. If nest age was not indicated in original dataset, field notes were used to determine whether nest was in incubation (all eggs) or nestling (at least one nestling) stage. For these records, the following values were manually input: nest\_age = 0 for incubation or nest\_age = 100 for nestling, so that this data could be easily separated from known nest age. If it was later determined that nest had been predated before observation, "pred" was entered. If the nest stage could not be determined, it was left blank. "pred" and "" values were converted to NA earlier when this column was converted to numeric.

```
# Create independent dfs for M (nestling and incubation stage) and F (nestling and incubation state).
#select relevant columns, add column for stage, rename study sites, drop NAs
pdStage1 <- pdClean %>%
  dplyr::select(sex, nest_age, t15:t240) %>%
  mutate(
    stage =
      ifelse(nest_age < 22, "incubation", "nestling")) %>%
  drop_na(stage)
#change column names to remove "t" in front of time interval
colnames(pdStage1) <- c("sex", "nest_age", "15", "30", "45", "60", "75", "90", "105", "120", "135", "15
#create independent dfs for each study site and stage
pdM_inc <- pdStage1 %>%
  filter(sex =="M", stage == "incubation") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
pdM_nest <- pdStage1 %>%
  filter(sex =="M", stage == "nestling") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
pdF_inc <- pdStage1 %>%
  filter(sex =="F", stage == "incubation") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
pdF_nest <- pdStage1 %>%
  filter(sex =="F", stage == "nestling") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
```

## Mean PD tables

Four stand-alone data.frames, one for M (incubation), one for M (nestling), one for F (incubation), and one for F (nestling):

```
meanM_inc <- data.frame(
    time = as.numeric(colnames(pdM_inc)),
    M_incubation = colMeans(pdM_inc, na.rm = TRUE))

meanM_nest <- data.frame(
    time = as.numeric(colnames(pdM_nest)),
    M_nestling = colMeans(pdM_nest, na.rm = TRUE))

meanF_inc <- data.frame(
    time = as.numeric(colnames(pdF_inc)),
    F_incubation = colMeans(pdF_inc, na.rm = TRUE))

meanF_nest <- data.frame(
    time = as.numeric(colnames(pdF_nest)),
    F_nestling = colMeans(pdF_nest, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
```

One table showing mean PDs for all study sites and stages:

```
meanMF <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdM_inc)),
   M_incubation = colMeans(pdM_inc, na.rm = TRUE),
   M_nestling = colMeans(pdM_nest, na.rm = TRUE),
   F_incubation = colMeans(pdF_inc, na.rm = TRUE),
   F_nestling = colMeans(pdF_nest, na.rm = TRUE)
)</pre>
```

#### Calculate confidence intervals

Write and apply function to obtain CIs.

```
#now apply it across the columns of PD data
ciM_inc <- apply(pdM_inc, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciM_nest <- apply(pdM_nest, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciF_inc <- apply(pdF_inc, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciF_nest <- apply(pdF_nest, 2, FUN = getCI)</pre>
```

Add CIs to a data frame. Remove rows where time > 180 for ciInc because no data is available for MGSA after this time.

```
ciInc_sex <- data.frame(
    sex = c(rep("M", nrow(meanM_inc)), rep("F", nrow(meanF_inc))),
    mean = c(colMeans(pdM_inc, na.rm = TRUE), colMeans(pdF_inc, na.rm = TRUE)),
    ci_l = c(ciM_inc[1,], ciF_inc[1,]),
    ci_h = c(ciM_inc[2,], ciF_inc[2,]),
    time = c(as.numeric(rownames(meanM_inc)), as.numeric(rownames(meanF_inc))),
    stage = "Incubation")

ciNest_sex <- data.frame(
    sex = c(rep("M", nrow(meanM_nest)), rep("F", nrow(meanF_nest))),
    mean = c(colMeans(pdM_nest, na.rm = TRUE), colMeans(pdF_nest, na.rm = TRUE)),
    ci_l = c(ciM_nest[1,], ciF_nest[1,]),
    ci_h = c(ciM_nest[2,], ciF_nest[2,]),
    time = c(as.numeric(rownames(meanM_nest)), as.numeric(rownames(meanF_nest))),
    stage = "Nestling")

ciAll_sex <- rbind(ciInc_sex, ciNest_sex)</pre>
```

#### Plot

Incubation:

```
title = "Incubation", color = "Sex") +
theme_minimal() +
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```

Nestling:

Plot both as separate plots, side by side:

```
pdf("../analysis/figures/figure1") # creates new pd file
grid.arrange(plotInc_sex, plotNest_sex) # makes the actual plot
dev.off() # closes the PDF file

## pdf
## pdf
## 2
```

### Test for Difference

Independent t-test for incubation stage. p = 5.163e-09

```
t.test(meanF_inc$F_incubation, meanM_inc$M_incubation)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: meanF_inc$F_incubation and meanM_inc$M_incubation
## t = -11.795, df = 15.078, p-value = 5.163e-09
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -1.1125110 -0.7720969
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 0.004058442 0.946362390

Independent t-test for nestling stage. p = 1.355e-08

t.test(meanF_nest$F_nestling, meanM_nest$M_nestling)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
```

```
##
## data: meanF_nest$F_nestling and meanM_nest$M_nestling
## t = -8.0503, df = 26.534, p-value = 1.355e-08
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -1.2074419 -0.7166369
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 0.3543829 1.3164223
```

## Prey Delivery Rates by Site

Filter pdMF to only include males in B (MGSA) and C (HFSA).

```
pdHM <- pdClean %>%
filter(study_site == "B" | study_site == "C", sex == "M")
```

## Visualize prey deliveries throughout night

Data was separated by study site (HFSA vs. MGSA) and by incubation vs. nestling stage.

since the last observation for HFSA is at time = 240, we'll end both datasets there.

First, create data frame with PDs for whole dataset, then broken down by each study site and stage.

```
#create independet dfs for HFSA (nestling and incubation stage) and MGSA (nestling and incubation state
#select relevant columns, add column for stage, rename study sites, drop NAs
pdStage <- pdClean %>%
  dplyr::select(study_site, nest_age, t15:t240) %>%
  mutate(
   stage =
      ifelse(nest_age < 22, "incubation", "nestling"),</pre>
   study_site =
      ifelse(study_site == "B", "MGSA", "HFSA")) %>%
  drop_na(stage)
#change column names to remove "t" in front of time interval
colnames(pdStage) <- c("study_site", "nest_age", "15", "30", "45", "60", "75", "90", "105", "120", "135"
#create independent dfs for each study site and stage
pdHFSA_inc <- pdStage %>%
 filter(study_site =="HFSA", stage == "incubation") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
pdHFSA_nest <- pdStage %>%
  filter(study_site =="HFSA", stage == "nestling") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
pdMGSA_inc <- pdStage %>%
  filter(study_site =="MGSA", stage == "incubation") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
```

```
pdMGSA_nest <- pdStage %>%
  filter(study_site =="MGSA", stage == "nestling") %>%
  dplyr::select('15':'240')
```

## Mean PD tables

Four stand-alone data.frames, one for (incubation), one for HFSA (nestling), one for MGSA(incubation), and one for MGSA (nestling):

```
meanHFSA_inc <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdHFSA_inc)),
   HFSA_incubation = colMeans(pdHFSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE))

meanHFSA_nest <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdHFSA_nest)),
   HFSA_nestling = colMeans(pdHFSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE))

meanMGSA_inc <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdMGSA_inc)),
   MGSA_incubation = colMeans(pdMGSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE))

meanMGSA_nest <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdMGSA_nest)),
   MGSA_nestling = colMeans(pdMGSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE))</pre>
```

Two tables, one for nestling stage and one for incubation stage. This is just for visualization, not used in further analysis.

One table showing mean PDs for all study sites and stages:

```
meanAll <- data.frame(
   time = as.numeric(colnames(pdHFSA_inc)),
   HFSA_incubation = colMeans(pdHFSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE),
   HFSA_nestling = colMeans(pdHFSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE),
   MGSA_incubation = colMeans(pdMGSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE),
   MGSA_nestling = colMeans(pdMGSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE)
)</pre>
```

## Calculate confidence intervals

Write and apply function to obtain CIs.

```
#now apply it across the columns of PD data
ciHFSA_inc <- apply(pdHFSA_inc, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciHFSA_nest <- apply(pdHFSA_nest, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciMGSA_inc <- apply(pdMGSA_inc, 2, FUN = getCI)
ciMGSA_nest <- apply(pdMGSA_nest, 2, FUN = getCI)</pre>
```

Add CIs to a data frame. Remove rows where time > 180 for ciInc because no data is available for MGSA after this time.

```
ciInc <- filter(</pre>
  data.frame(
    study_area = c(rep("HFSA", nrow(meanHFSA_inc)), rep("MGSA", nrow(meanMGSA_inc))),
    mean = c(colMeans(pdHFSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE), colMeans(pdMGSA_inc, na.rm = TRUE)),
    ci_l = c(ciHFSA_inc[1,], ciMGSA_inc[1,]),
    ci_h = c(ciHFSA_inc[2,], ciMGSA_inc[2,]),
    time = c(as.numeric(rownames(meanHFSA_inc)), as.numeric(rownames(meanMGSA_inc))),
    stage = "Incubation"),
  time \leq 180
ciNest <- data.frame(</pre>
    study_area = c(rep("HFSA", nrow(meanHFSA_nest)), rep("MGSA", nrow(meanMGSA_nest))),
    mean = c(colMeans(pdHFSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE), colMeans(pdMGSA_nest, na.rm = TRUE)),
    ci_l = c(ciHFSA_nest[1,], ciMGSA_nest[1,]),
    ci_h = c(ciHFSA_nest[2,], ciMGSA_nest[2,]),
    time = c(as.numeric(rownames(meanHFSA_nest)), as.numeric(rownames(meanMGSA_nest))),
    stage = "Nestling")
ciAll <- rbind(ciInc, ciNest)</pre>
```

## Plot

Incubation:

Nestling:

Both:

Plot both as separate plots, side by side:

```
pdf("../analysis/figures/figure2") # creates new pd file
grid.arrange(plotInc, plotNest) # makes the actual plot
dev.off() # closes the PDF file

## pdf
## pdf
## 2
```

#### Test for Difference

Independent t-tests for incubation stage. p = 0.8786

```
t.test(meanHFSA_inc$HFSA_incubation, meanMGSA_inc$MGSA_incubation)
```

Independent t-tests for nestling stage. p = 0.377

```
t.test(meanHFSA_nest$HFSA_nestling, meanMGSA_nest$MGSA_nestling)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: meanHFSA_nest$HFSA_nestling and meanMGSA_nest$MGSA_nestling
## t = 0.89919, df = 25.484, p-value = 0.377
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
```

```
## -0.1472872 0.3759510
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 0.9076640 0.7933321
```