

# Identification Disclosure Risk- Hu Paper

MATH 301 Data Confidentiality

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acldata_0rg <- read.csv("ACSdata_0rg.csv")
acldata_syn <- read.csv("ACSdata_syn.csv")
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Let  $c_i$  be the number of records with the highest match probability for the target  $t_i$ ; let  $T_i = 1$  if the true match is among the  $c_i$  units and  $T_i = 0$  otherwise. Let  $K_i = 1$  when  $c_i T_i = 1$  and  $K_i = 0$  otherwise, and let  $N$  denote the total number of target records. Finally, let  $F_i = 1$  when  $c_i(1 - T_i) = 1$  and  $F_i = 0$  otherwise, and let  $s$  equal the number of records with  $c_i = 1$ .

(i) The expected match risk:

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## Reference from Kevin Ros
syn_sex <- acldata_syn$SEX
syn_race <- acldata_syn$RACE
syn_mar <- acldata_syn$MAR

N = nrow(acldata_syn)
n = nrow(acldata_0rg)

expected_match_risk = 0
true_match_rate = 0

for(i in 1:N){
  c_i = 0
  data = acldata_0rg[acldata_0rg$SEX == syn_sex[i] & acldata_0rg$RACE == syn_race[i] & acldata_0rg$MAR == syn_mar[i], ]

  if(nrow(data) != 0){
    expected_match_risk = expected_match_risk + (1/nrow(data))
  }
  if(nrow(data) == 1)
    true_match_rate = true_match_rate + 1/N
}
print(expected_match_risk)

## [1] 57
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(ii) The true match rate:

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print(true_match_rate)

## [1] 4e-04
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(iii) The false match rate:

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false_match_rate = 0
for(i in 1:N){
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c_i = 1
s=nrow(c_i)
data = acsdata_org[acsdata_org$SEX == syn_sex[i] & acsdata_org$RACE == syn_race[i] & acsdata_org$MAR == syn_mar[i]]

if(nrow(data) == 1){
  false_match_rate = sum(false_match_rate/s)
}
}
print(false_match_rate)

## [1] 0

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