

lab 11

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### SETUP ###  
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# install.packages(c("ggplot2", "tidyverse"))  
library(ggplot2)  
library(tidyverse)  
  
## Warning: package 'tibble' was built under R version 4.3.3  
## Warning: package 'purrr' was built under R version 4.3.3  
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# set seed  
set.seed(8)  
  
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### NBA FREE THROWS ###  
#####  
  
# load data  
nba_players = read_delim("../data/11_nba-free-throws.csv", delim = ";")  
  
alphas = seq(0,10, by = 1)  
betas = seq(0,10, by = 1)  
  
##bring in everything from lab 9  
  
data = nba_players %>%  
  group_by(Player) %>%  
  summarise(  
    FT = sum(FT*G, na.rm = TRUE),  
    FTA = sum(FTA*G, na.rm = TRUE),  
    G = sum(G, na.rm = TRUE)  
  ) %>%  
  filter(FTA >= 25) %>%  
  mutate(FT. = FT/FTA,  
    FT.ag = (FT+2)/(FTA+4)) %>%  
  arrange(desc(FT.)) %>%  
  mutate(  
    w.low = FT. - 1.96*sqrt((FT.*(1-FT.))/FTA),  
    w.high = FT. + 1.96*sqrt((FT.*(1-FT.))/FTA),  
    ag.low = FT.ag - 1.96*sqrt((FT.ag*(1-FT.ag))/(FTA+4)),  
    ag.high = FT.ag + 1.96*sqrt((FT.ag*(1-FT.ag))/(FTA+4))
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) %>%
  slice_sample(n=50)

#lab 9's bootstrapping
boots = c()
for (i in 1:nrow(data)) {
  player <- data$Player[i]
  ft <- round(data$FT[i])      # Free throws made
  fta <- round(data$FTA[i])    # Free throws attempted

  makes <- rep(1, ft)
  misses <- rep(0, fta - ft)
  shots <- c(makes, misses)

  boot_p <- numeric(1000)
  for (j in 1:1000) {
    boot <- sample(shots, fta, replace = TRUE)
    boot_p[j] <- mean(boot)
  }

  boots[[player]] <- boot_p
}
boots_df <- data.frame(
  Player = rep(names(boots), each = length(boots[[1]])),
  Proportion = unlist(boots)
) %>%
  group_by(Player) %>%
  mutate(
    Lower = quantile(Proportion, 0.025),
    Upper = quantile(Proportion, 0.975)
  ) %>%
  summarise(
    Mean = mean(Proportion),
    Lower = mean(Lower),
    Upper = mean(Upper)
  )

joined = left_join(data, boots_df, by = "Player")

results <- data.frame()
for (alpha in alphas) {
  for (beta in betas) {
    for (player in joined$Player) {
      # calculate the posterior distribution
      ft = joined$FT[joined$Player == player]
      fta = joined$FTA[joined$Player == player]

      # calculate the posterior parameters
      alpha_post = alpha + ft
      beta_post = beta + fta - ft

      # calculate the posterior mean

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posterior_mean = alpha_post / (alpha_post + beta_post)
lower_95 = qbeta(0.025, alpha_post, beta_post)
upper_95 = qbeta(0.975, alpha_post, beta_post)

# store the results in the grid
results = rbind(
  results,
  data.frame(
    alpha = alpha,
    beta = beta,
    Player = player,
    posterior_mean = posterior_mean,
    lower_95 = lower_95,
    upper_95 = upper_95))
}
}
}

posterior_long <- results %>%
  rename(Mean = posterior_mean, Lower = lower_95, Upper = upper_95) %>%
  mutate(Method = "Posterior")

# Bootstrap results (single interval per player)
bootstrap_long <- joined %>%
  select(Player, Mean, Lower, Upper) %>%
  mutate(Method = "Bootstrap", alpha = NA, beta = NA)

# Wald
wald_long <- joined %>%
  transmute(Player, Mean = Mean, Lower = w.low, Upper = w.high, Method = "Wald", alpha = NA, beta = NA)

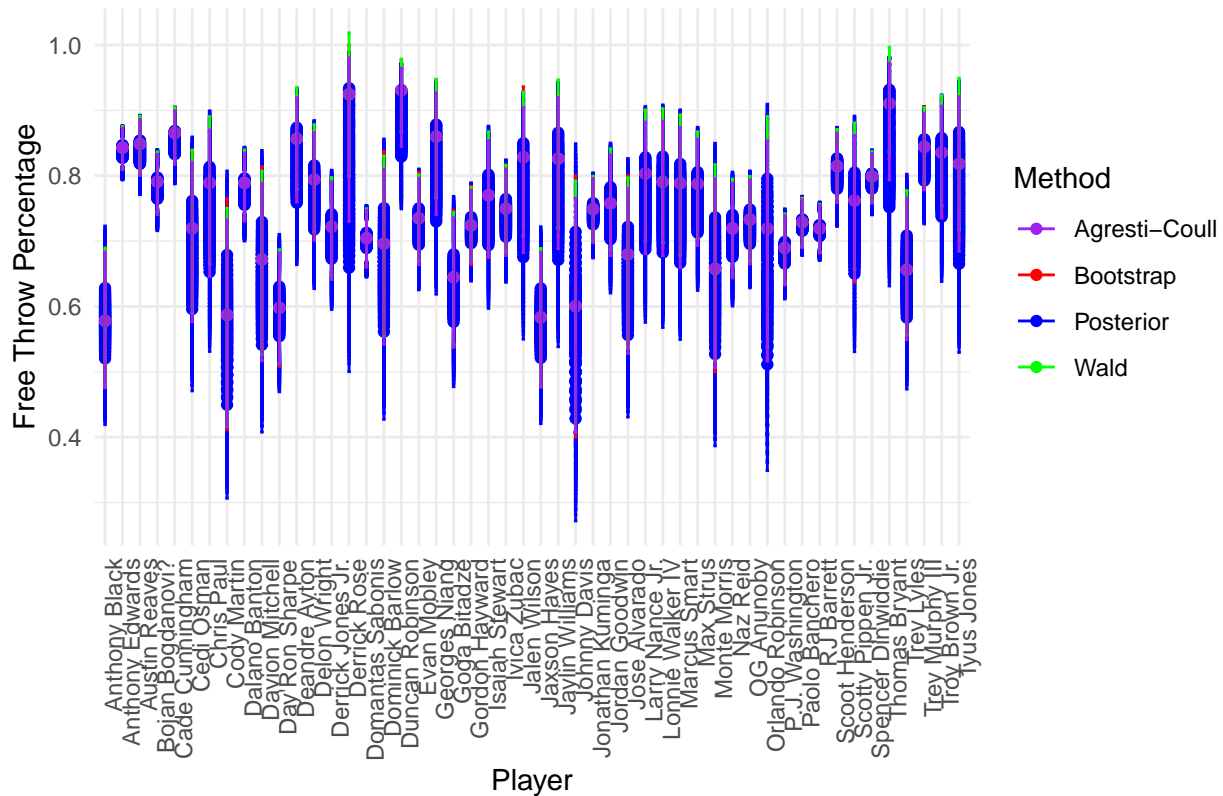
# Agresti-Coull
ag_long <- joined %>%
  transmute(Player, Mean = Mean, Lower = ag.low, Upper = ag.high, Method = "Agresti-Coull", alpha = NA,
  beta = NA)

# Combine all
final_df <- bind_rows(posterior_long, bootstrap_long, wald_long, ag_long)

# Plotting the results
ggplot(final_df, aes(x = Player, y = Mean, color = Method)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin = Lower, ymax = Upper), width = 0.2) +
  labs(title = "Free Throw Shooting Percentages with Confidence Intervals",
    x = "Player",
    y = "Free Throw Percentage") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, hjust = 1)) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("Posterior" = "blue", "Bootstrap" = "red", "Wald" = "green", "Agresti-Coull" = "purple"))

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Free Throw Shooting Percentages with Confidence Intervals



Interval Coverage by Prior (n = 100)

