Wood_Turtle_Report.Rmd

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Introduction

The goal of this project is to analyze telemetry data collected over the 2022 field season on six wood turtles (3 males and 3 females) in order to look for patterns and differences between their home ranges. There are three relationships I am curious to explore. The first relationship being explored is MCP home range area of males vs the MCP area of females. I hypothesize that male wood turtles will occupy a larger home range than female turtles do.

Why? What is different about their biology that might explain why males use more space?

The second relationship I am going to look at is the whether the home range of each individual is concentrated in a certain area or if there is a lot of variability in the home ranges.

I'm not sure I understand this one. Is this the clusthr? If so, how do you quantify it?

The third relationship I am looking at is the difference between how far away from the stream male turtles occupy compared to how far away female turtles occupy. I believe that female turtles will occupy areas further away from the stream than male turtles.

Why should females be further from the stream than males? Does time of year matter?

In the book Biology and Conservation of the Wood Turtle, Chapter 6: Spatial Ecology and Seasonal Behavior discusses previous examinations of home ranges with the results finding that male wood turtles had larger home ranges but whether it was significant varied between studies. This chapter also mentions that male wood turtles spend more time in streams than female turtles do during the active season and females generally move greater distances from the stream than males do.

Good, but maybe intergrate these findings right into your hyptotheses. Also, we need a formal citation of the book (maybe at the end of the document.)

Getting Started

```
rm(list = ls())
library(tidyverse)
library(ggfortify)
library(here)
library(rgdal)
library(adehabitatHR)
```

Analyses

Pull in data

```
turtles <- read.csv(here("Data", "updated_turtle_locations.csv"))</pre>
```

Question 1 Are the home ranges of male wood turtles larger than the home ranges of female wood turtles?

Create a subset consisting of the Turtle IDs, Lats and Longs.

```
turtles.sp <- turtles [c("Turtle_ID", "Latitude", "Longitude")]</pre>
```

R is reading the Lats and Longs as numeric data and needs to be told that those columns represent spacial data.

```
library(sp)
coordinates(turtles.sp)<- c("Longitude", "Latitude")
proj4string(turtles.sp)<-CRS("+proj=longlat +datum=WGS84") #sets projection</pre>
```

Now convert the spatial coordinates into UTM so the measurements are in meters and not degrees.

```
utm_sp <-spTransform(turtles.sp, CRS("+proj=utm +zone=19 ellps=WGS84")) #reprojects to UTM
```

```
## Warning in showSRID(uprojargs, format = "PROJ", multiline = "NO", prefer_proj
## = prefer_proj): Discarded datum Unknown based on WGS84 ellipsoid in Proj4
## definition
turtles_mcp <- mcp(utm_sp, percent = 100)</pre>
```

```
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## definition
turtles_mcp
```

```
## Object of class "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" (package sp):
##
## Number of SpatialPolygons: 6
##
## Variables measured:
## id area
## L1R2 L1R2 5.002082
## L1R4 L1R4 22.510516
## L3R1 L3R1 43.528142
## L3R3 L3R3 5.874254
## L3R9 L3R9 9.354094
```

There should be 6 spatial polygons.. not sure what is wrong Ok - I wonder if there is a package conflict? One thing you could do is just refer to getting the mcps from your other code (reference the other file and write them from that file) and then just import them here, already "cooked".

Plot the MCPs

L9R0 L9R0 15.451445

```
plot(utm_sp, col = as.factor(utm_sp@data$Turtle_ID), pch = 16)
plot(turtles_mcp, col = alpha(1:30, 0.5), add = TRUE)
```

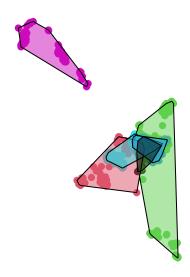


Figure 1: Figure 1. MCP Polygons

It will be cool to add a figure legend to this telling us what we're looking at.

Calculate the MCP areas

```
areas <- mcp.area(utm_sp, percent = seq(50, 100, by = 5))

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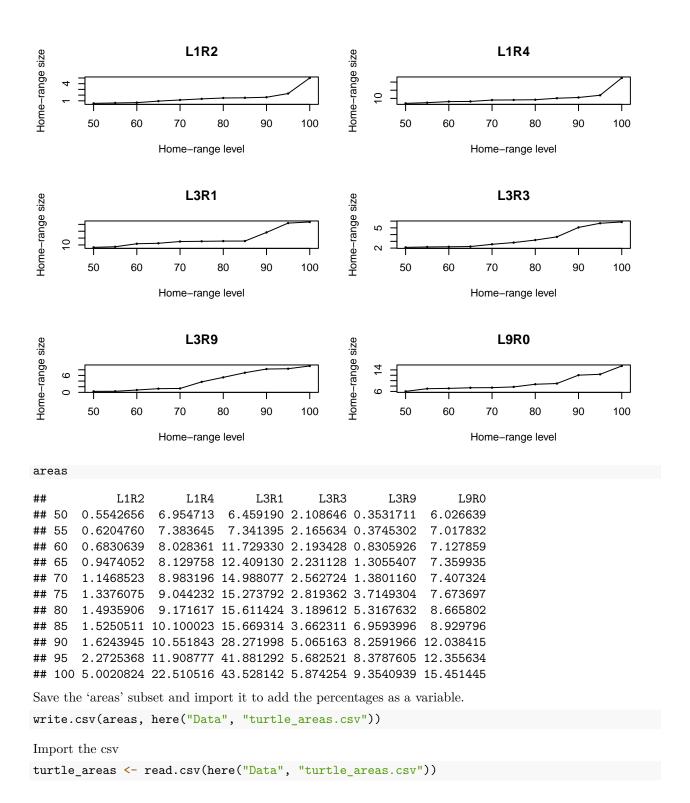
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Statistical Analysis Preparation

```
areas_long <- pivot_longer(turtle_areas, cols = L1R2:L9R0, names_to = "Turtle_ID", values_to = "Area")
areas_long</pre>
```

```
## # A tibble: 66 x 3
##
          X Turtle_ID
                       Area
      <int> <chr>
##
                       <dbl>
##
    1
         50 L1R2
                       0.554
##
         50 L1R4
                       6.95
##
    3
         50 L3R1
                       6.46
##
         50 L3R3
                       2.11
         50 L3R9
    5
                       0.353
##
##
    6
         50 L9R0
                       6.03
##
   7
         55 L1R2
                       0.620
##
         55 L1R4
                       7.38
         55 L3R1
                       7.34
##
    9
## 10
         55 L3R3
                       2.17
## # ... with 56 more rows
```

Now let's rename the 'X' column

```
colnames(areas_long) <- c("Area_percentage", "Turtle_ID", "Area")</pre>
```

The sex of each turtle is important moving forward. Let's add a column with the appropriate sex for each individual.

```
Turtle_sex <- data.frame(Turtle_sex = c('male', 'female', 'male', 'female', 'female', 'male')) #creates
areas_new <- cbind(areas_long, Turtle_sex) #merges the two dataframes
areas_new</pre>
```

##		Area_percentage	Turtle_ID	Area	Turtle_sex
##	1	50	L1R2	0.5542656	male
##	2	50	L1R4	6.9547131	female
##	3	50	L3R1	6.4591897	male
##	4	50	L3R3	2.1086460	female
##	5	50	L3R9	0.3531711	female
##	6	50	L9R0	6.0266392	male
##	7	55	L1R2	0.6204760	male
##	8	55	L1R4	7.3836445	female
##	9	55	L3R1	7.3413952	male
##	10	55	L3R3	2.1656340	female
##	11	55	L3R9	0.3745302	female
##	12	55	L9R0	7.0178324	male
##	13	60	L1R2	0.6830639	male
##	14	60	L1R4	8.0283612	female
##	15	60	L3R1	11.7293299	male
##	16	60	L3R3	2.1934281	female
##	17	60	L3R9	0.8305926	female
##	18	60	L9R0	7.1278586	male
##	19	65	L1R2	0.9474052	male
##	20	65	L1R4	8.1297575	female
##	21	65	L3R1	12.4091303	male
##	22	65	L3R3	2.2311281	female
##	23	65	L3R9	1.3055407	female
##	24	65	L9R0	7.3599349	male
##	25	70	L1R2	1.1468523	male
##	26	70	L1R4	8.9831958	female
##	27	70	L3R1	14.9880770	male
##	28	70	L3R3	2.5627245	female
##	29	70	L3R9	1.3801160	female

```
## 30
                    70
                             L9R0
                                   7.4073242
                                                     male
## 31
                    75
                             L1R2
                                   1.3376075
                                                     male
## 32
                    75
                             L1R4
                                   9.0442319
                                                   female
## 33
                    75
                             L3R1 15.2737917
                                                     male
## 34
                    75
                             L3R3
                                    2.8193621
                                                   female
## 35
                    75
                             L3R9
                                   3.7149304
                                                   female
## 36
                    75
                             L9R0
                                   7.6736965
                                                     male
## 37
                    80
                             L1R2
                                   1.4935906
                                                     male
## 38
                    80
                             L1R4
                                   9.1716168
                                                   female
## 39
                    80
                             L3R1 15.6114243
                                                     male
## 40
                    80
                             L3R3
                                   3.1896119
                                                   female
## 41
                    80
                             L3R9
                                   5.3167632
                                                   female
## 42
                    80
                             L9R0
                                   8.6658025
                                                     male
## 43
                    85
                             L1R2
                                   1.5250511
                                                     male
## 44
                    85
                             L1R4 10.1000234
                                                   female
## 45
                    85
                             L3R1 15.6693137
                                                     male
                    85
## 46
                             L3R3
                                   3.6623109
                                                   female
## 47
                    85
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                                    6.9593996
                                                   female
## 48
                    85
                             L9R0
                                   8.9297956
                                                     male
## 49
                    90
                             L1R2
                                   1.6243945
                                                     male
## 50
                    90
                             L1R4 10.5518430
                                                   female
## 51
                             L3R1 28.2719983
                    90
                                                     male
## 52
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                             L3R3
                                   5.0651633
                                                   female
## 53
                    90
                             L3R9
                                   8.2591966
                                                   female
## 54
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                             L9R0 12.0384154
                                                     male
## 55
                    95
                             L1R2
                                   2.2725368
                                                     male
## 56
                    95
                             L1R4 11.9087775
                                                   female
## 57
                    95
                             L3R1 41.8812925
                                                     male
## 58
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                                   5.6825214
                             L3R3
                                                   female
## 59
                    95
                             L3R9 8.3787605
                                                   female
## 60
                    95
                             L9R0 12.3556338
                                                     male
## 61
                   100
                             L1R2
                                  5.0020824
                                                     male
## 62
                   100
                             L1R4 22.5105163
                                                   female
## 63
                   100
                             L3R1 43.5281423
                                                     male
## 64
                   100
                             L3R3
                                   5.8742538
                                                   female
## 65
                   100
                                   9.3540939
                                                   female
                             L3R9
## 66
                   100
                             L9R0 15.4514453
                                                     male
```

The male turtles are L1R2, L3R1 and L9R0 The female turtles are L1R4, L3R3 and L3R9

Let's separate the areas by the sex of the turtles

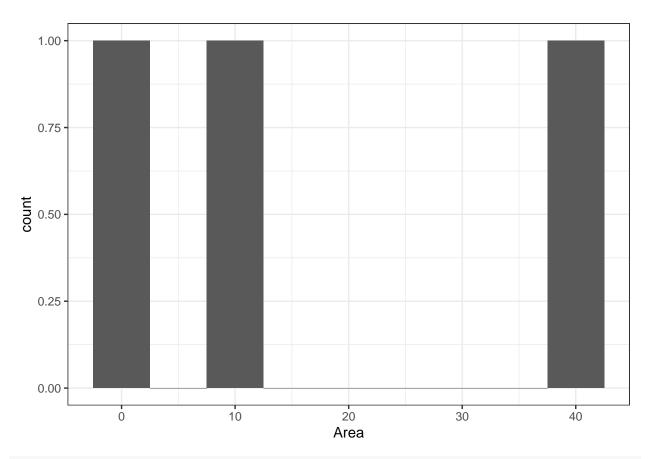
```
male_areas <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == "L1R2" | Turtle_ID == "L3R1" | Turtle_ID == "L9R0")</pre>
Repeat with the female turtles
```

```
female_areas <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == "L1R4" | Turtle_ID == "L3R3" | Turtle_ID == "L3R9")</pre>
```

Analysis

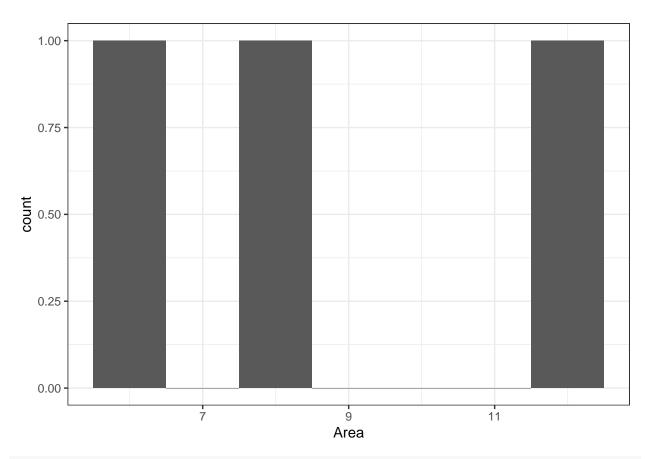
Visualize the data

```
male_areas_95 <- filter(male_areas, Area_percentage == "95")
ggplot(male_areas_95, aes(Area)) + geom_histogram(binwidth = 5) + theme_bw()</pre>
```



summary(male_areas_95)

```
## Area_percentage Turtle_ID
                                                        Turtle_sex
                                           Area
                                      Min. : 2.273
## Min. :95
                   Length:3
                                                       Length:3
## 1st Qu.:95
                   Class :character
                                      1st Qu.: 7.314
                                                       Class :character
## Median :95
                   Mode :character
                                      Median :12.356
                                                       Mode :character
## Mean :95
                                      Mean :18.836
##
   3rd Qu.:95
                                      3rd Qu.:27.118
                                             :41.881
## Max.
          :95
                                      Max.
female_areas_95 <- filter(female_areas, Area_percentage == "95")</pre>
ggplot(female_areas_95, aes(Area)) + geom_histogram(binwidth = 1) + theme_bw()
```



summary(female_areas_95)

```
Area_percentage Turtle_ID
                                                          Turtle_sex
                                             Area
##
   Min.
          :95
                    Length:3
                                       Min.
                                              : 5.683
                                                         Length:3
                    Class :character
##
   1st Qu.:95
                                        1st Qu.: 7.031
                                                         Class :character
   Median:95
                    Mode :character
                                                         Mode :character
##
                                       Median : 8.379
   Mean
                                               : 8.657
##
           :95
                                       Mean
##
   3rd Qu.:95
                                       3rd Qu.:10.144
##
   Max.
           :95
                                       Max.
                                               :11.909
```

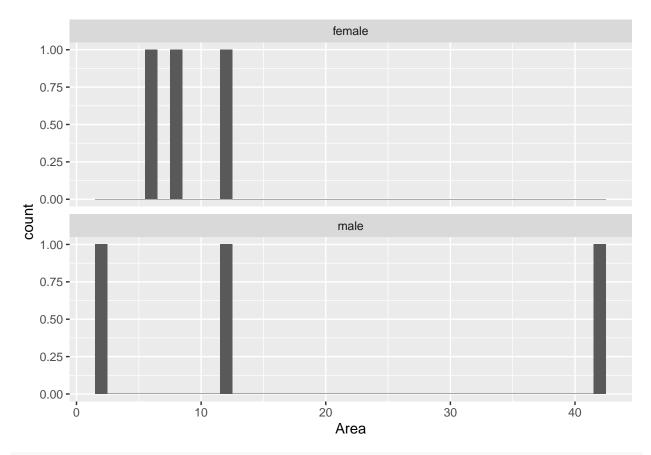
Filter the data so that the only home range area is 95%

```
areas_test <- filter(areas_new, Area_percentage == 95)</pre>
```

 ${\rm I'd}$ like to compare the home range size of males vs females. Let's use a t-test

Check out the home ranges of each sex using histograms and the facet_wrap() function.

```
ggplot(areas_test, aes(x = Area)) +
geom_histogram(binwidth = 1) +
facet_wrap(~Turtle_sex, ncol = 1) #generates two histograms +
```



theme_bw()

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##
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    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
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## $ axis.text.x.bottom : NULL
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                             :List of 11
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                   : num 0
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ vjust
##
    ..$ angle
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
    ..$ margin
                 : 'margin' num [1:4] Opoints Opoints Opoints 2.2points
     .. ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ debug
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
   $ axis.ticks
                              :List of 6
##
    ..$ colour
                   : chr "grey20"
##
    ..$ linewidth : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ lineend
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ arrow
                   : logi FALSE
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_line" "element"
## $ axis.ticks.x
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.x.top
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.x.bottom
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.y
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.y.left
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.y.right
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length
                              : 'simpleUnit' num 2.75points
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
## $ axis.ticks.length.x
                           : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length.x.top : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length.x.bottom: NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length.y
                             : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length.y.left : NULL
## $ axis.ticks.length.y.right : NULL
## $ axis.line
                              : list()
   ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_blank" "element"
```

```
## $ axis.line.x
                              : NULL
## $ axis.line.x.top
                              : NULL
## $ axis.line.x.bottom
                             : NULL
## $ axis.line.y
                              : NULL
## $ axis.line.y.left
                              : NULL
## $ axis.line.y.right
                             : NULL
## $ legend.background
                              :List of 5
    ..$ fill
##
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                   : logi NA
                  : NULL
##
    ..$ linewidth
##
    ..$ linetype
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_rect" "element"
## $ legend.margin
                              : 'margin' num [1:4] 5.5points 5.5points 5.5points
##
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
                              : 'simpleUnit' num 11points
##
   $ legend.spacing
##
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
  $ legend.spacing.x
                              : NULL
##
## $ legend.spacing.y
                              : NULL
## $ legend.key
                              :List of 5
                   : chr "white"
##
    ..$ fill
##
    ..$ colour
                   : logi NA
##
    ..$ linewidth
                  : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element rect" "element"
## $ legend.key.size
                             : 'simpleUnit' num 1.2lines
##
    ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 3
## $ legend.key.height
                              : NULL
## $ legend.key.width
                             : NULL
##
   $ legend.text
                              :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                   : NULL
##
                   : NULL
    ..$ face
##
    ..$ colour
                   : NULL
                    : 'rel' num 0.8
##
    ..$ size
##
    ..$ hjust
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ vjust
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ angle
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight
                   : NULL
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ margin
##
    ..$ debug
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
##
   $ legend.text.align
                              : NULL
   $ legend.title
                              :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                    : NULL
    ..$ face
##
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ size
                    : NULL
##
                    : num 0
    ..$ hjust
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ vjust
##
    ..$ angle
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ margin
```

```
##
    ..$ debug
                : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
## $ legend.title.align
                             : NULL
## $ legend.position
                              : chr "right"
## $ legend.direction
                              : NULL
## $ legend.justification
                              : chr "center"
## $ legend.box
                              : NULL
## $ legend.box.just
                              : NULL
## $ legend.box.margin
                              : 'margin' num [1:4] Ocm Ocm Ocm Ocm
    ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 1
## $ legend.box.background
                              : list()
   ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_blank" "element"
##
## $ legend.box.spacing
                               : 'simpleUnit' num 11points
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
##
   $ panel.background
                              :List of 5
##
    ..$ fill
                : chr "white"
##
    ..$ colour
                    : logi NA
##
    ..$ linewidth : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_rect" "element"
                               :List of 5
##
   $ panel.border
##
    ..$ fill
                     : logi NA
                    : chr "grey20"
##
    ..$ colour
##
    ..$ linewidth
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
                    : NULL
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_rect" "element"
                              : 'simpleUnit' num 5.5points
   $ panel.spacing
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
##
   $ panel.spacing.x
                              : NULL
## $ panel.spacing.y
                              : NULL
## $ panel.grid
                              :List of 6
##
    ..$ colour
                   : chr "grey92"
##
    ..$ linewidth : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ lineend
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ arrow
                    : logi FALSE
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element line" "element"
                              : NULL
##
   $ panel.grid.major
   $ panel.grid.minor
                              :List of 6
##
##
    ..$ colour
                : NULL
##
    ..$ linewidth
                  : 'rel' num 0.5
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ linetype
##
    ..$ lineend
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ arrow
                   : logi FALSE
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_line" "element"
##
## $ panel.grid.major.x
                              : NULL
## $ panel.grid.major.y
                              : NULL
## $ panel.grid.minor.x
                              : NULL
## $ panel.grid.minor.y
                              : NULL
```

```
$ plot.background
## $ panel.ontop
                             : logi FALSE
##
                             :List of 5
    ..$ fill : NULL
##
##
    ..$ colour
                    : chr "white"
##
    ..$ linewidth
                  : NULL
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ linetype
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_rect" "element"
##
##
   $ plot.title
                              :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ face
                    : NULL
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : 'rel' num 1.2
##
    ..$ size
##
    ..$ hjust
                   : num 0
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : num 1
##
    ..$ angle
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
##
                  : 'margin' num [1:4] Opoints Opoints 5.5points Opoints
    .. ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
##
    ..$ debug
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## $ plot.title.position
                            : chr "panel"
##
   $ plot.subtitle
                              :List of 11
##
   ..$ family
                 : NULL
##
    ..$ face
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ size
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ hjust
                   : num 0
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : num 1
##
    ..$ angle
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
##
                 : 'margin' num [1:4] Opoints Opoints 5.5points Opoints
    ..$ margin
##
    .. ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
    ..$ debug
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element text" "element"
##
   $ plot.caption
                              :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                    : NULL
    ..$ face
##
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
                    : 'rel' num 0.8
##
    ..$ size
##
    ..$ hjust
                    : num 1
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : num 1
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ angle
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
                   : 'margin' num [1:4] 5.5points Opoints Opoints
##
    ..$ margin
##
    .. ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
    ..$ debug
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
## $ plot.caption.position
                            : chr "panel"
## $ plot.tag
                              :List of 11
## ..$ family : NULL
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```
..$ face
                   : NULL
##
##
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
                    : 'rel' num 1.2
##
    ..$ size
##
                    : num 0.5
     ..$ hjust
##
     ..$ vjust
                    : num 0.5
##
    ..$ angle
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ lineheight
                   : NULL
##
    ..$ margin
                     : NULL
                     : NULL
##
    ..$ debug
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
   $ plot.tag.position
                              : chr "topleft"
##
## $ plot.margin
                              : 'margin' num [1:4] 5.5points 5.5points 5.5points
    ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
## $ strip.background
                               :List of 5
##
    ..$ fill : chr "grey85"
##
    ..$ colour
                   : chr "grey20"
    ..$ linewidth : NULL
##
##
    ..$ linetype
                    : NULL
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_rect" "element"
##
## $ strip.background.x : NULL
## $ strip.background.y
                              : NULL
## $ strip.clip
                              : chr "inherit"
## $ strip.placement
                             : chr "inside"
## $ strip.text
                              :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ face
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : chr "grey10"
##
                    : 'rel' num 0.8
    ..$ size
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ hjust
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : NULL
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ angle
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
                    : 'margin' num [1:4] 4.4points 4.4points 4.4points
##
    ..$ margin
    .. ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
##
    ..$ debug
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
                              : NULL
   $ strip.text.x
##
## $ strip.text.y
                               :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ face
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ size
                    : NULL
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ hjust
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ angle
                    : num -90
##
    ..$ lineheight
                   : NULL
##
                    : NULL
    ..$ margin
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ debug
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
##
## $ strip.switch.pad.grid : 'simpleUnit' num 2.75points
```

```
..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
                             : 'simpleUnit' num 2.75points
   $ strip.switch.pad.wrap
##
   ..- attr(*, "unit")= int 8
##
  $ strip.text.y.left
##
                               :List of 11
##
    ..$ family
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ face
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ colour
                    : NULL
    ..$ size
                    : NULL
##
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ hjust
##
    ..$ vjust
                    : NULL
                    : num 90
##
    ..$ angle
##
    ..$ lineheight : NULL
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ margin
                    : NULL
##
    ..$ debug
##
    ..$ inherit.blank: logi TRUE
##
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "element_text" "element"
## - attr(*, "class")= chr [1:2] "theme" "gg"
## - attr(*, "complete")= logi TRUE
## - attr(*, "validate")= logi TRUE
Complete a t-test
ttest_MCP <- t.test(Area ~ Turtle_sex, data = areas_test)</pre>
ttest_MCP
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: Area by Turtle_sex
## t = -0.84688, df = 2.092, p-value = 0.4828
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means between group female and group male is not equal to
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -59.77966 39.42006
## sample estimates:
## mean in group female mean in group male
              8.656686
                                  18.836488
##
```

Results

There is no significant difference between the home range sizes of male and female turtles in this sample p = 0.4756

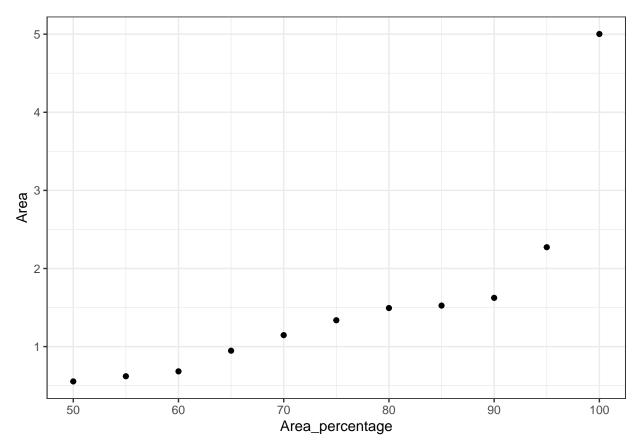
Question 2 Do individuals have consistent home range sizes or are they greatly variable?

Generate subsets for each individual

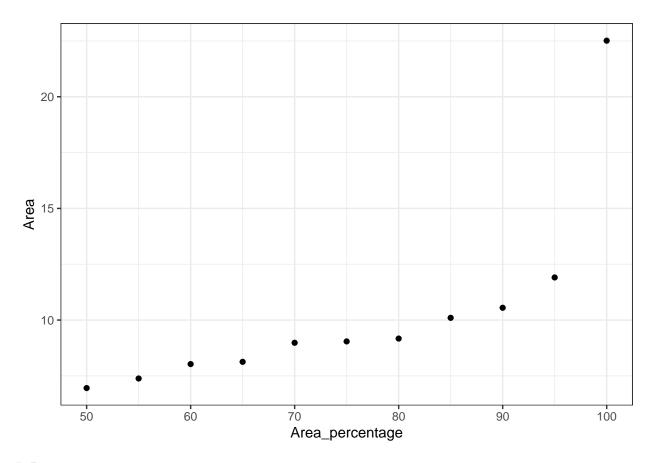
```
L1R2 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L1R2')
L1R4 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L1R4')
L3R1 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L3R1')
L3R3 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L3R3')
L3R9 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L3R9')
L9R0 <- filter(areas_new, Turtle_ID == 'L9R0')
```

Plot the relationships

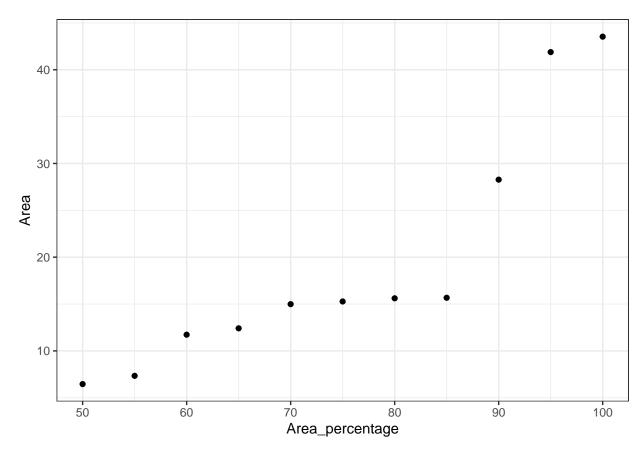
L1R2:



L1R4:

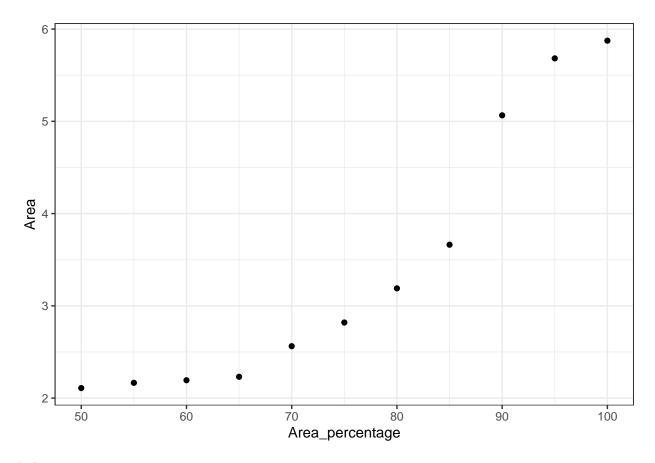


L3R1:



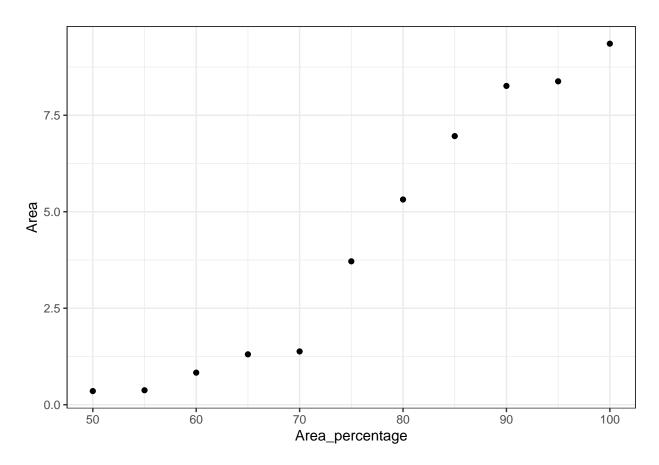
L3R3:

```
ggplot2::ggplot(L3R3, aes(Area_percentage, Area)) +
     geom_point() +
     theme_bw()
```



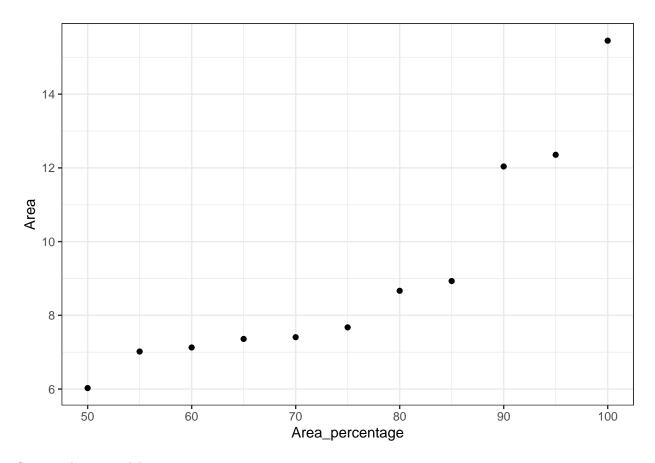
L3R9:

```
ggplot2::ggplot(L3R9, aes(Area_percentage, Area)) +
     geom_point() +
     theme_bw()
```



L9R0:

```
ggplot2::ggplot(L9R0, aes(Area_percentage, Area)) +
     geom_point() +
     theme_bw()
```



Set up a linear model

```
L1R2_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L1R2)
L1R4_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L1R4)
L3R1_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R1)
L3R3_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R3)
L3R9_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R9)
L9R0_lm <- lm(Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L9R0)
```

I'm not sure I get what this is testing. Area is the home range area , right? Are you trying to see how much different the 50% home range is to the 75% for example? If so, it might make sense to determine the difference in areas with each step and then compare the mean differences, rather than the areas themselves. Let's talk about this. Have you seen an example of this sort of analysis someplace?

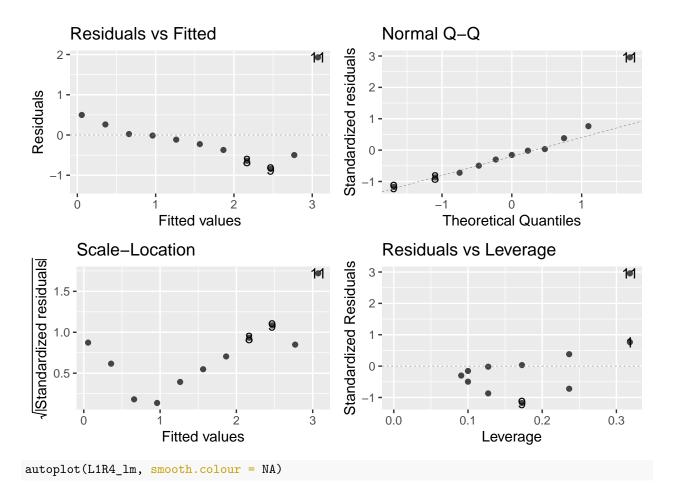
Check the assumptions

```
autoplot(L1R2_lm, smooth.colour = NA)

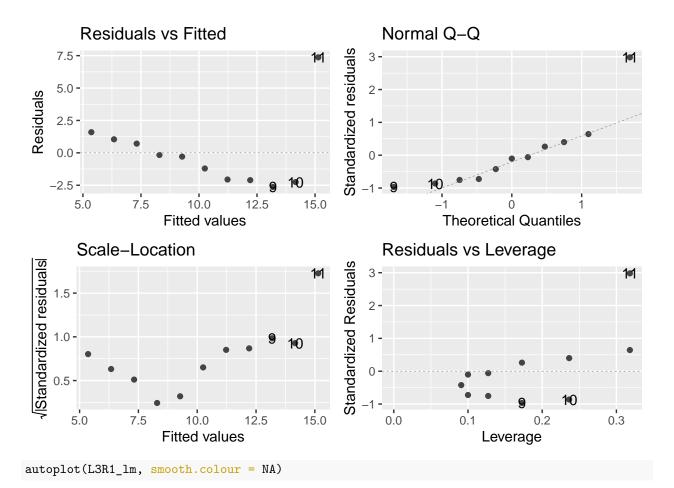
## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).

## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).

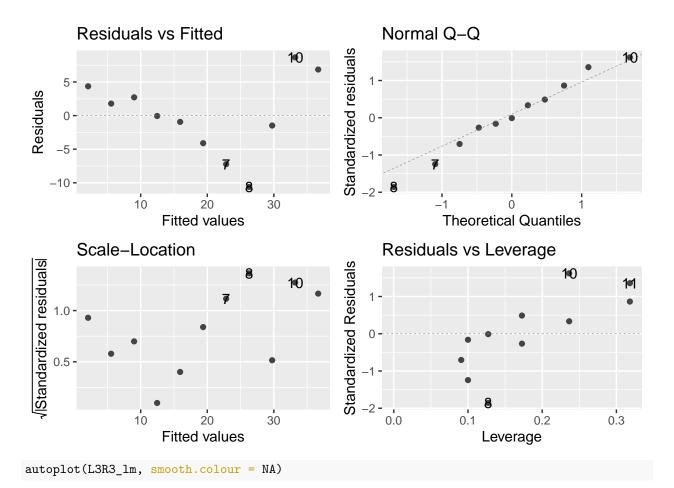
## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).
```



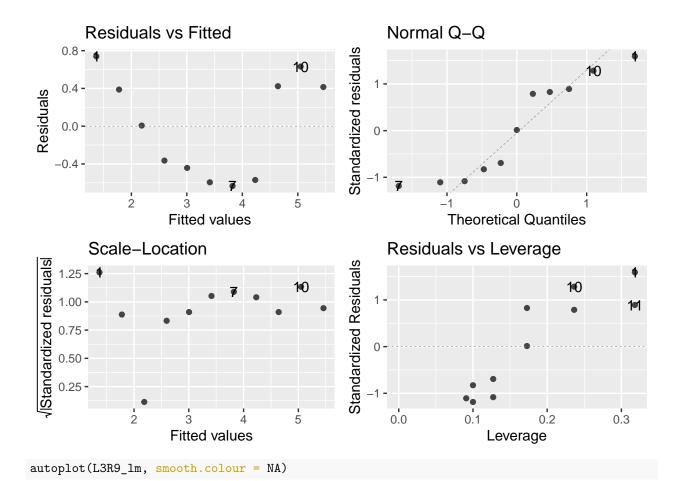
- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).
- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).
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- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).



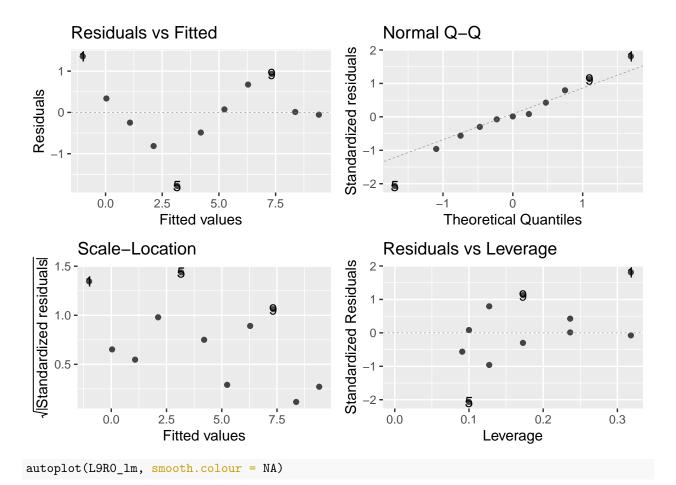
- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).
- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).
- ## Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).



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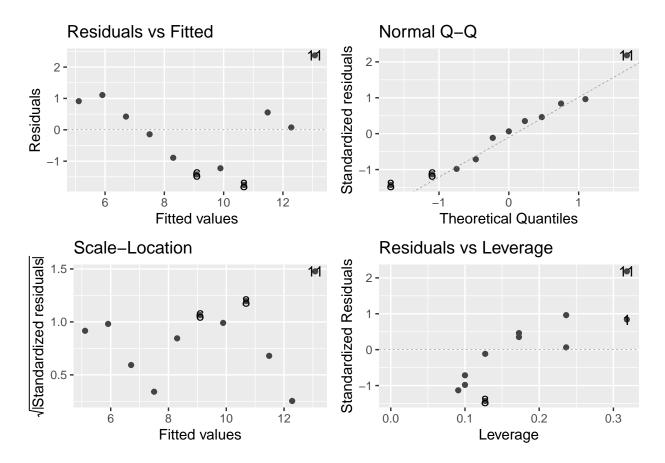
Warning: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_line()`).



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Interpret

```
L1R2:
```

```
anova(L1R2_lm)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Area
                   Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## Area_percentage 1 10.0043 10.0043 16.022 0.003097 **
## Residuals
                      5.6196 0.6244
                  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Signif. codes:
L1R4:
anova(L1R4_lm)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Area
                  Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                               Pr(>F)
## Area_percentage 1 105.211 105.211 11.733 0.007563 **
## Residuals
                   9
                      80.702
                               8.967
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
L3R1:
```

```
anova(L3R1_lm)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Response: Area
##
                 Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## Area_percentage 1 1314.6 1314.64 35.109 0.000222 ***
                 9 337.0 37.44
## Residuals
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
L3R3:
anova(L3R3_lm)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Area
                 Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                              Pr(>F)
## Area_percentage 1 18.4091 18.4091 57.974 3.278e-05 ***
                 9 2.8579 0.3175
## Residuals
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
L3R9:
anova(L3R9_lm)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Area
                 Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## Area_percentage 1 119.292 119.292 144.62 7.559e-07 ***
## Residuals
                 9 7.424 0.825
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
L9R0:
anova(L9R0_lm)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Response: Area
                 Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## Area_percentage 1 69.77 69.770 40.201 0.0001344 ***
## Residuals
                 9 15.62 1.736
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Summary tables:
L1R2
summary(L1R2_lm)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L1R2)
```

```
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
## -0.8446 -0.4352 -0.1159 0.1430 1.9299
## Coefficients:
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                              1.15496 -2.562
## (Intercept)
                  -2.95934
                                                0.0306 *
## Area_percentage 0.06032
                              0.01507
                                        4.003
                                                0.0031 **
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.7902 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.6403, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6004
## F-statistic: 16.02 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 0.003097
L1R4
summary(L1R4_lm)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L1R4)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
                               ЗQ
                                      Max
## -2.6336 -2.0827 -0.2903 0.8775 7.3690
##
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                   -4.4183
                               4.3768 -1.009 0.33911
## (Intercept)
## Area_percentage 0.1956
                               0.0571
                                      3.425 0.00756 **
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2.994 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.5659, Adjusted R-squared: 0.5177
## F-statistic: 11.73 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 0.007563
L3R1
summary(L3R1_lm)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R1)
## Residuals:
                 1Q
                     Median
       \mathtt{Min}
                                   3Q
                                           Max
## -10.6233 -2.7912 -0.0552
                               3.5440
                                        8.6746
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                            8.9439 -3.631 0.005475 **
## (Intercept)
                  -32.4774
## Area_percentage 0.6914
                               0.1167 5.925 0.000222 ***
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 6.119 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.796, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7733
## F-statistic: 35.11 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 0.000222
L3R3
summary(L3R3_lm)
## Call:
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R3)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q Median
                                  3Q
                                          Max
## -0.63355 -0.50610 0.00663 0.41927 0.74003
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                  -2.72230
                           0.82364 -3.305 0.00915 **
## Area_percentage 0.08182
                              0.01075
                                      7.614 3.28e-05 ***
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.5635 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8656, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8507
## F-statistic: 57.97 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 3.278e-05
L3R9
summary(L3R9_lm)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L3R9)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q
                     Median
                                   3Q
                                          Max
## -1.78097 -0.36763 0.01078 0.50588 1.35760
##
## Coefficients:
                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                              1.32746 -8.602 1.23e-05 ***
                 -11.41822
## (Intercept)
## Area_percentage 0.20828
                               0.01732 12.026 7.56e-07 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.9082 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9414, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9349
## F-statistic: 144.6 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 7.559e-07
summary(L9R0_lm)
##
## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = Area ~ Area_percentage, data = L9R0)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 1Q
                     Median
                                   3Q
                                          Max
## -1.75888 -1.05929 0.07414 0.73308 2.37354
##
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                  -2.85030
                             1.92554
                                      -1.48 0.172937
## Area_percentage 0.15928
                              0.02512
                                        6.34 0.000134 ***
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 1.317 on 9 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8171, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7968
## F-statistic: 40.2 on 1 and 9 DF, p-value: 0.0001344
```

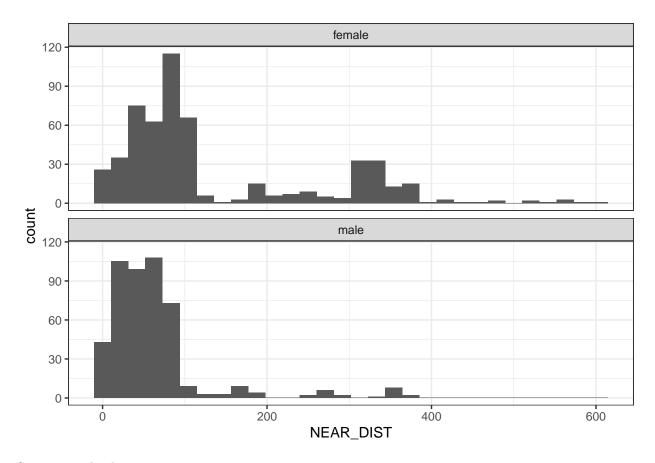
Results: All individuals have a homerange with a significant amount of variability (p = 0.00)

Question 3 Do female wood turtles occupy areas further from the stream than males do?

Check column names

```
names(turtles)
## [1] "OID_"
                       "Date"
                                      "Time"
                                                     "Latitude"
                                                                    "Longitude"
  [6] "Turtle_ID"
                       "Turtle_sex"
                                      "Altitude"
                                                     "Duration"
                                                                    "Temperature"
## [11] "Voltage"
                       "DOP"
                                                    "EST_Time"
                                      "Satellites"
                                                                    "NEAR_FID"
## [16] "NEAR_DIST"
Create subset
df <- dplyr::select(turtles, Turtle_sex, NEAR_DIST)</pre>
Plot the relationship
ggplot(df, aes(NEAR_DIST))+
  geom_histogram() +
  facet_wrap(~Turtle_sex, ncol = 1) +
  theme bw()
```

`stat_bin()` using `bins = 30`. Pick better value with `binwidth`.



Summarise the data

```
turtlemeans <- summarise(
  group_by(df, Turtle_sex),
  meanNearDist = mean(NEAR_DIST))</pre>
```

Run ttest

```
turtle_ttest <- t.test(NEAR_DIST ~ Turtle_sex, data = df)
turtle_ttest</pre>
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: NEAR_DIST by Turtle_sex
## t = 12.246, df = 837.79, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means between group female and group male is not equal to
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 63.36131 87.54920
## sample estimates:
## mean in group female mean in group male
## 138.44754 62.99229</pre>
```

There is a significant difference between the distance from the stream occupied by males vs females (n=6)(p=0.00)

Biological Summary

I found that there was not a significant difference between WHAT - between WHAT measure compared between males and females? the male and female wood turtles in this sample (n=6)(p=0.4756). This was different than my original hypothesis and therefore, I cannot reject the null hypothesis.

There was a significant difference in home range point variability for all individuals (n=6)(p=0.00). Instead of saying "there was a significant difference" which tells me some information, what about "Males had significantly larger home ranges than females" which tells me more.

Finally, there was a significant difference between the distance from the stream occupied by female turtles (mean = 138m) than male turtles (mean = 63m)(p=0.00). I can reject the null hypothesis. Again, tell me the difference. Males were found significantly closer to streams than females...

Challenges

I needed to learn how to manipulate numeric values into usable coordinates for spatial data analyses. One challenge in this was learning how to project coordinates into UTM so that instead of having decimal degrees, I would be working with meters. This was important for calculating the areas of the MCPs and the distance the turtles were from the stream.

I think moving forward I would find a better test and angle to look at the home range variability question. I also need to troubleshoot and figure out why my code stopped providing 6 spatial polygons for the mcp (and therefore affected the rest of my code).

Ideally we'll fix this before the final version.

Learning about spatial data analysis has been a lot of fun because I am able to contrast the process with my GIS class and I am excited to implement these skills moving forwards in my studies and my career.

this has been a great project!