

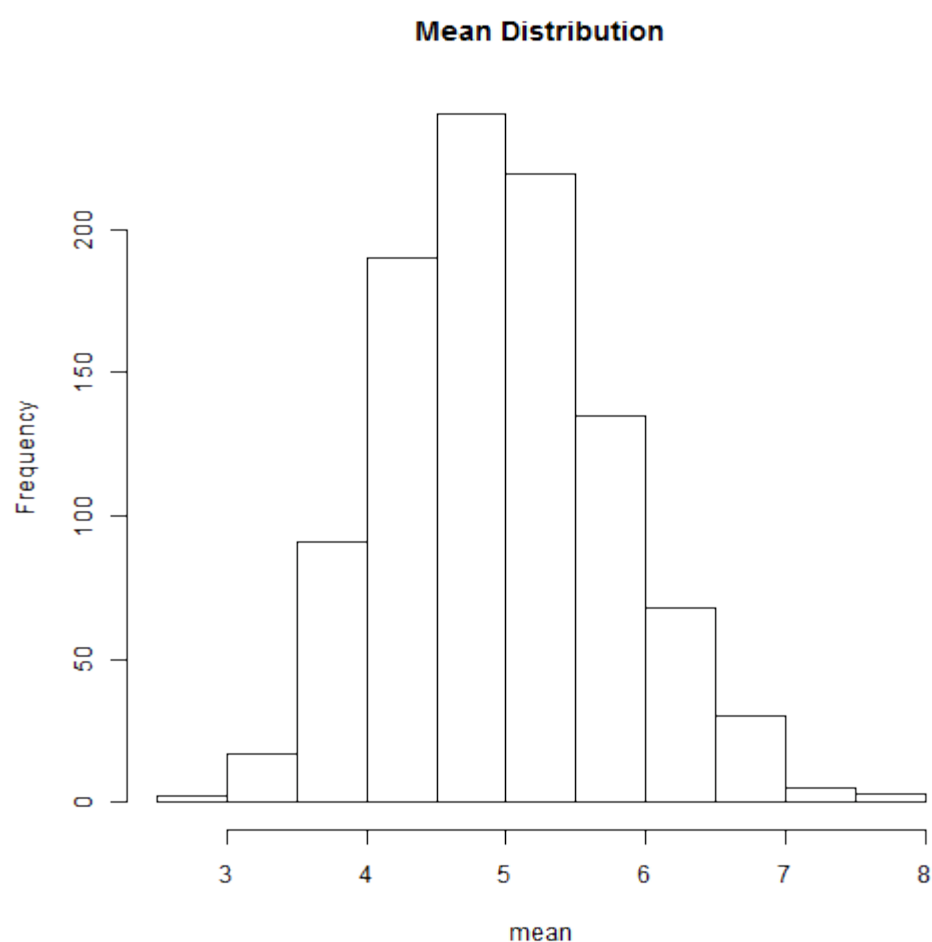
# exponential distribution

In this report we will investigate the exponential distribution in R and compare it with the Central Limit Theorem. The exponential distribution can be simulated in R with `rexp(n, lambda)` where `lambda` is the rate parameter. The mean of exponential distribution is  $1/\lambda$  and the standard deviation is also  $1/\lambda$ . Set `lambda = 0.2` for all of the simulations. we will investigate the distribution of averages of 40 exponentials. Note that we will need to do a thousand simulations.

**\*\* Run Simulation \*\***

```
nsim = 1:1000
n = 40
lambda = 0.2

mns = NULL
for (i in nsim) mns = c(mns, mean(rexp(n, lambda)))
hist(mns, xlab="mean", main="Mean Distribution")
```



Center is around 5.

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# Mean of means
meanofmean = mean(mns)

# Expected Mean
expectedmean = 1/lambda

# Standard Deviation
standard = sd(mns)
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# Expected sd
expectedstandard = (1/lambda) / sqrt(n)

# Variance
variance = var(mns)

# Expected variance
expectedvariance = ((1/lambda) / sqrt(n))^2
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the Mean of means is 4.99 compared to an expected mean ( $1/\text{Lambda} \Rightarrow 1/0.2$ ) of 5 which is almost the same.

The Standard deviation of the simulation is 0.79 and the expected standard deviation (theoretical) of the distribution is also 0.79

Variance of the simulation is 0.62 same as the expected variance of the distribution.

The below chart shows that the distribution is approximately normal with the Mean and Theoretical Means displayed as Long Dash (in Green and Yellow)

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library(ggplot2)
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## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.0.3
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plotdata <- data.frame(mns);
plot1 <- ggplot(plotdata, aes(x =mns))
plot1 <- plot1 +geom_histogram(aes(y=..density..), colour="black",
                               fill = "blue")
plot1<-plot1+labs(title="Density of 40 Numbers from Exp. Distribution", x="Mean of 40 Selections",
y="Density")
plot1<-plot1 +geom_vline(xintercept=expectedmean, size=1.0, color="green", linetype = "longdash")
plot1<-plot1 +geom_vline(xintercept=meanofmean, size=1.0, color="yellow", linetype = "longdash")
plot1<-plot1 +stat_function(fun=dnorm, args=list( mean=expectedmean, sd=sqrt(expectedvariance)), color
= "green", size = 1.0)
plot1<-plot1 +stat_function(fun=dnorm, args=list( mean=meanofmean, sd=sqrt(variance)), color =
"yellow", size = 1.0)
print(plot1)
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## stat_bin: binwidth defaulted to range/30. Use 'binwidth = x' to adjust this.
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