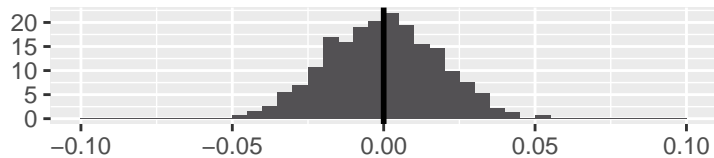
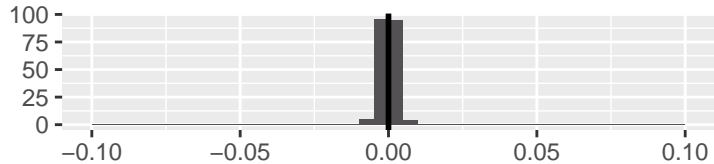
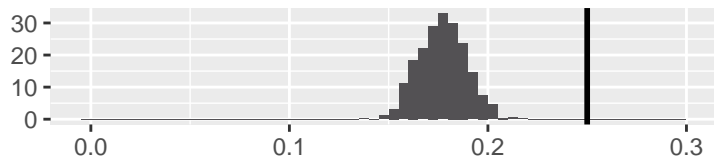
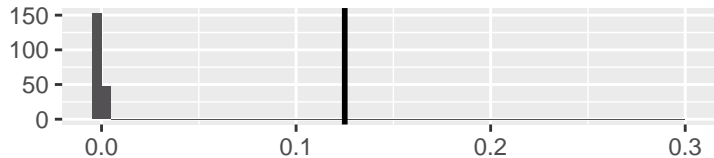


**A** Independent variables**B** Common hidden confounder**C**  $X1 \rightarrow X2$ **D**  $X1 \rightarrow X2$  with confounder

Non-parametric CTC difference