

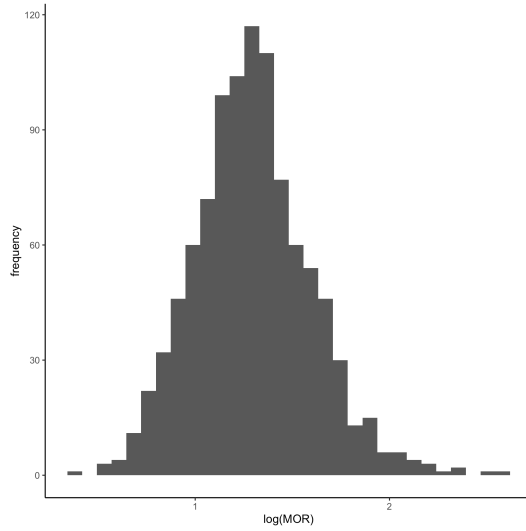
Simulation Result For Three-Level Intercept Model With Low Prevalence

The mean prevalence for this simulation is 12 %

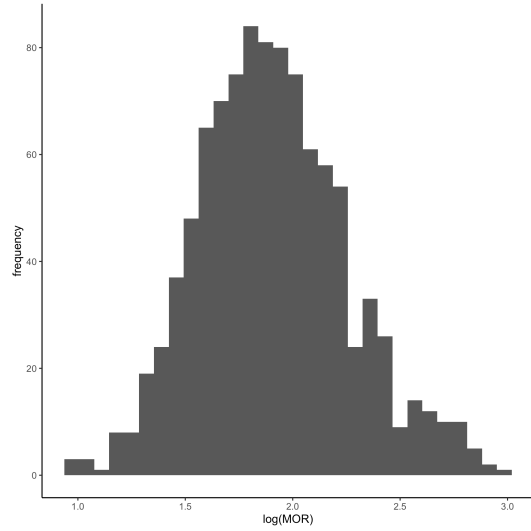
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Histograms for $\log(\widehat{MOR})$

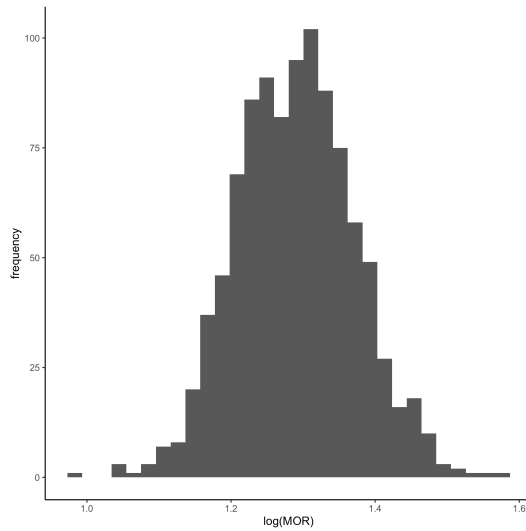


(a) MOR_1

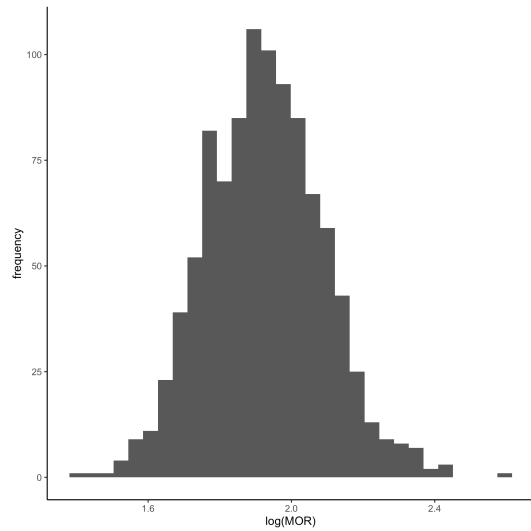


(b) MOR_2

Figure 1: Hospitals = 20, Doctors = 10, Patients = 5



(a) MOR_1



(b) MOR_2

Figure 2: Hospitals = 40, Doctors = 20, Patients = 10

Simulation Result Table

								MOR_1						MOR_2						Model Con- ver- gence
L ¹	M ²	N ³	$\widehat{\beta}_0$	$\widehat{\beta}_1$	$\widehat{\beta}_2$	$\widehat{\sigma}_{u_{jk}}^2$	$\widehat{\sigma}_{v_k}^2$	\widehat{MOR}_1	Rel. $Bias_1$ (%)	\widehat{SE}_{1MOR}	Sim. \widehat{SE}_{1MOR}	$Ratio_1$ ⁴	$CI - coverage_1$ (95%)	\widehat{MOR}_2	Rel. $Bias_2$ (%)	\widehat{SE}_{2MOR}	Sim. \widehat{SE}_{2MOR}	$Ratio_2$ ⁴	$CI - coverage_2$ (95%)	
20	10	5	-4.11	1.74	0.69	1.94	2.20	3.83	-0.70	1.33	1.35	0.99	0.94	7.18	-5.07	1.39	1.42	0.98	0.89	0.98
40	20	10	-4.08	1.74	0.67	1.84	2.27	3.64	-5.42	1.09	1.08	1.00	0.88	6.95	-8.12	1.16	1.18	0.99	0.83	1.00

Note:

¹ Number of Hospital
² Number of Doctors
³ Number of patients
⁴ $\text{Ratio} = \frac{\widehat{SE}_{MOR}}{\text{Simulation } \widehat{SE}_{MOR}}$
* The mean prevalence for this simulation is 12%
† True *MOR*₁ is 3.85
‡ True *MOR*₂ is 7.56
§ True $\sigma_{u_{jk}}^2$ is 2
¶ True $\sigma_{v_k}^2$ is 2.5
** True Values of $\beta_0 = -4.1, \beta_1 = 1.75, \beta_2 = 0.67$