Functionals

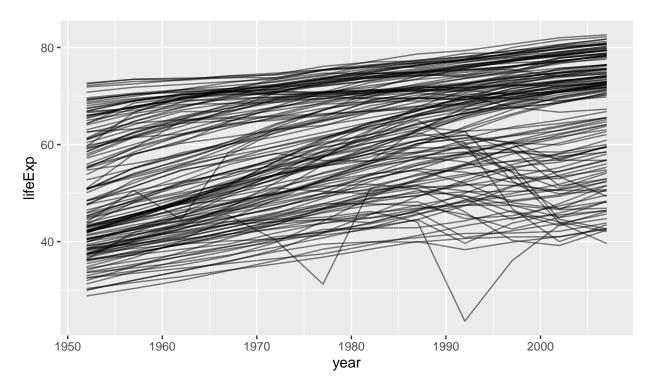
Question:

Use the gapminder dataset.

```
library(gapminder)
data(gapminder)
head(gapminder)
```

```
# A tibble: 6 x 6
  country
              continent year lifeExp
                                            pop gdpPercap
  <fct>
              <fct>
                         <int>
                                 <dbl>
                                          <int>
                                                     <dbl>
1 Afghanistan Asia
                         1952
                                  28.8 8425333
                                                      779.
2 Afghanistan Asia
                         1957
                                  30.3 9240934
                                                      821.
3 Afghanistan Asia
                         1962
                                  32.0 10267083
                                                      853.
4 Afghanistan Asia
                                  34.0 11537966
                         1967
                                                      836.
5 Afghanistan Asia
                         1972
                                  36.1 13079460
                                                      740.
6 Afghanistan Asia
                         1977
                                  38.4 14880372
                                                      786.
```

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(gapminder, aes(x=year, y=lifeExp, group=country)) +
    geom_line(alpha=0.5)
```



Write an R code to estimate β_0 and β_1 of $lifeExp = \beta_0 + \beta_1 year$ using least squares approach for each country.

Plot the distribution of $\hat{\beta}_1$ values. Interpret the results.