

# Lab 1 VHE

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## Notes from Async videos

- always good to write out the model after it's been estimated (ie  $\text{logit}(\pi) = 0.5 + 5\text{good} + 3\text{frank}$  etc.)

### Initial EDA

Problem statement:

```
# Import libraries
suppressPackageStartupMessages(library(dplyr))
suppressPackageStartupMessages(library(Hmisc))

setwd("/home/victoriaeastman/berkeley/w271/w271_lab1")
data <- read.csv("challenger.csv")

glimpse(data)
```

```
## Observations: 23
## Variables: 5
## $ Flight <int> 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16...
## $ Temp <int> 66, 70, 69, 68, 67, 72, 73, 70, 57, 63, 70, 78, 67, 5...
## $ Pressure <int> 50, 50, 50, 50, 50, 50, 100, 100, 200, 200, 200, 200,...
## $ O.ring <int> 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0,...
## $ Number <int> 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6,...
```

```
describe(data)
```

```
## data
##
## 5 Variables      23 Observations
## -----
## Flight
##      n missing distinct    Info      Mean      Gmd      .05      .10
##      23      0        23      1       12       8       2.1     3.2
##      .25      .50      .75     .90     .95
##      6.5     12.0     17.5    20.8    21.9
##
## lowest : 1 2 3 4 5, highest: 19 20 21 22 23
## -----
## Temp
##      n missing distinct    Info      Mean      Gmd      .05      .10
##      23      0        16    0.992    69.57    7.968    57.1    59.0
##      .25      .50      .75     .90     .95
##      67.0    70.0     75.0    77.6    78.9
##
## Value      53      57      58      63      66      67      68      69      70      72
## Frequency      1      1      1      1      1      3      1      1      4      1
```

```
## Proportion 0.043 0.043 0.043 0.043 0.043 0.130 0.043 0.043 0.174 0.043
##
## Value          73    75    76    78    79    81
## Frequency       1     2     2     1     1     1
## Proportion 0.043 0.087 0.087 0.043 0.043 0.043
## -----
## Pressure
##      n missing distinct    Info    Mean    Gmd
##     23      0         3    0.706   152.2   67.59
##
## Value          50   100   200
## Frequency       6     2    15
## Proportion 0.261 0.087 0.652
## -----
## O.ring
##      n missing distinct    Info    Mean    Gmd
##     23      0         3    0.654   0.3913   0.6087
##
## Value          0     1     2
## Frequency      16     5     2
## Proportion 0.696 0.217 0.087
## -----
## Number
##      n missing distinct    Info    Mean    Gmd
##     23      0         1     0         6     0
##
## Value          6
## Frequency      23
## Proportion     1
## -----
```

```
# I'm curious about the value counts for o-ring failures
table(data$O.ring)
```

```
##
##  0  1  2
## 16  5  2
```

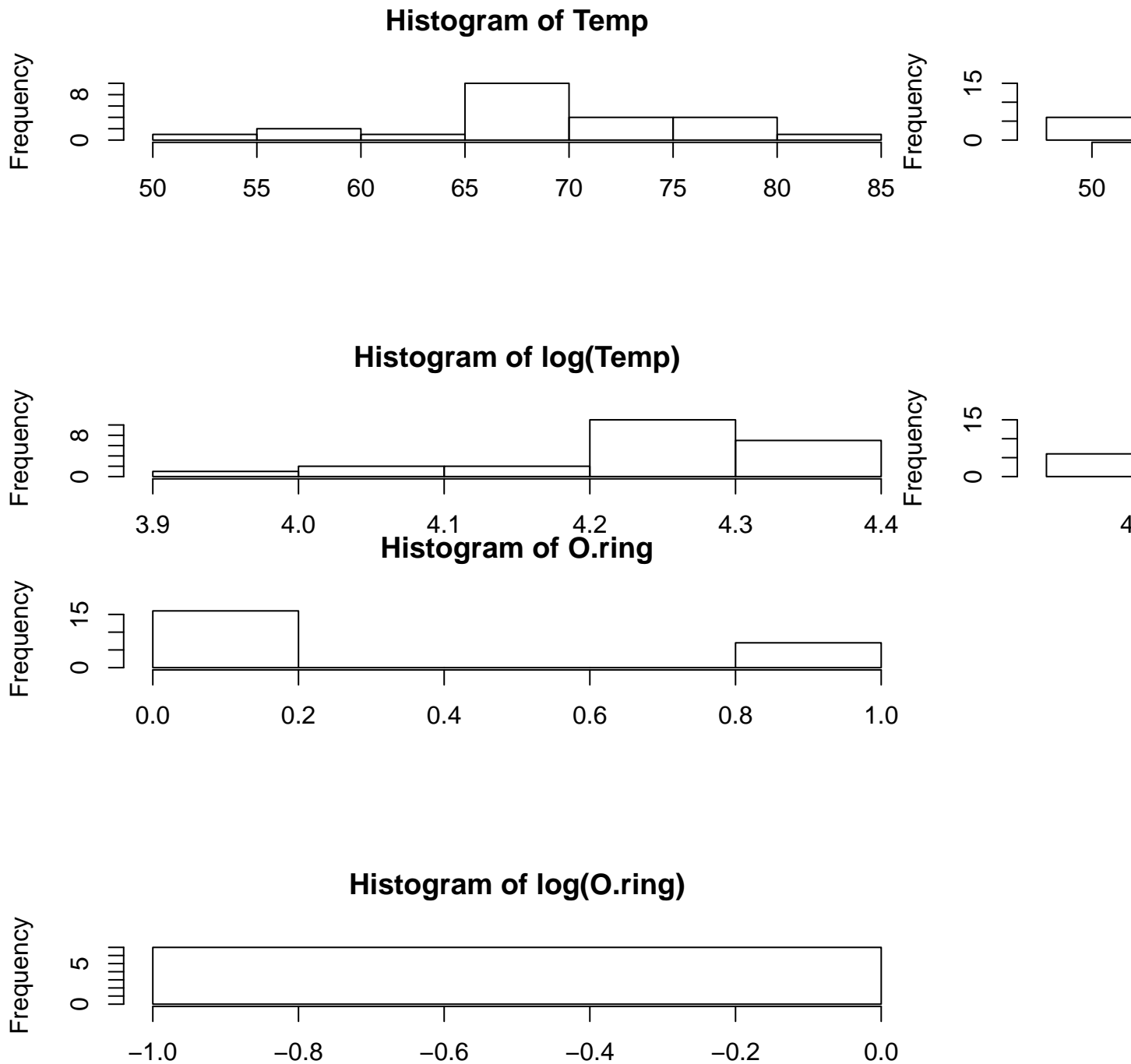
Initial findings:

- 23 data points with no missing values for any variables
- Dependent variable, O.ring, is categorical and takes three values: 0, 1, and 2 representing the number of o-ring failures on space launches. The mean value is 0.3913 which means the data is skewed towards 0 o-ring failures. Further investigation shows there were 2 flights with 2 o-ring failures, 5 with 1 failure, and 16 with no failures.
- The explanatory variables are as follows:
  - Temp: temperature at launch (degrees F)
  - Pressure: Combustion pressure (psi)

The goal of this study is to estimate a logistic regression so we are going to recategorize the O.ring variable as 0 for no failures and 1 for *at least 1* failure.

```
# Change the O.ring variable
data$O.ring[data$O.ring >= 1] = 1
```

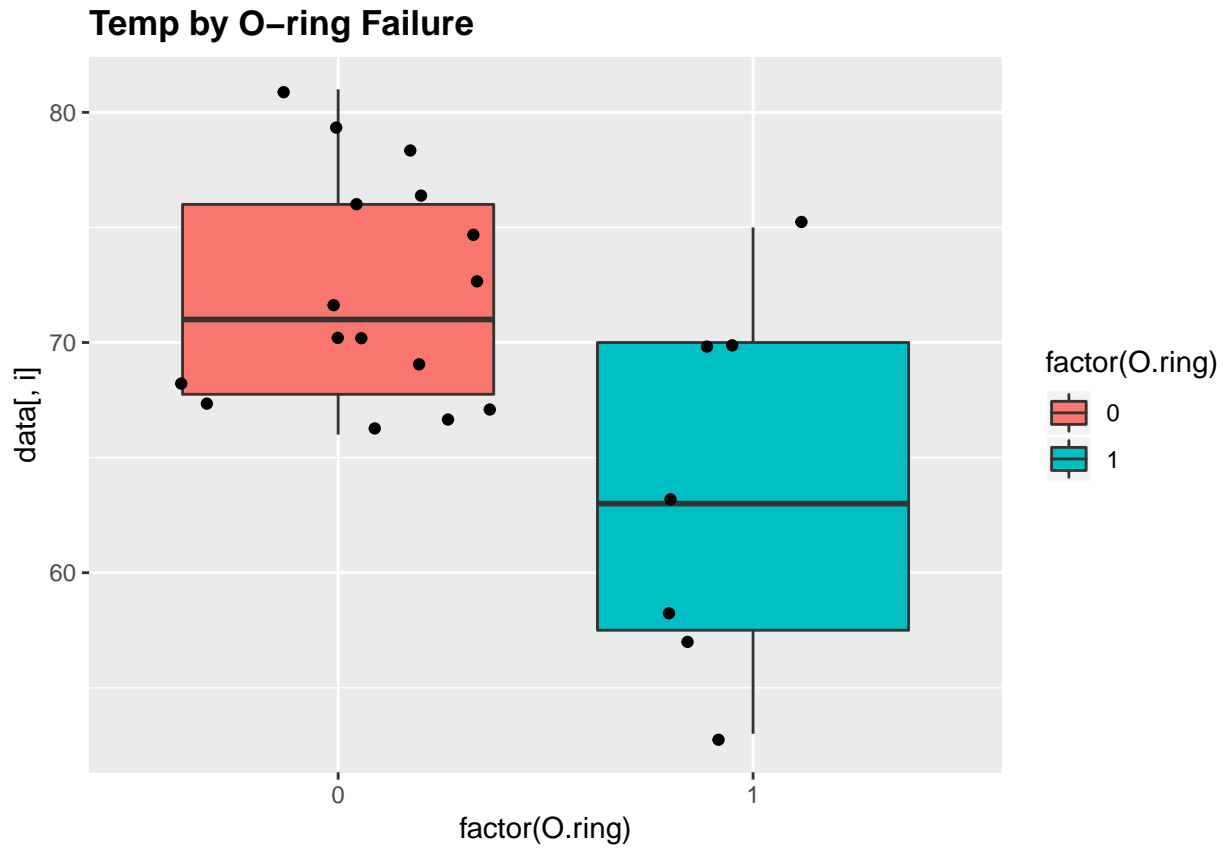
```
# histogram of explanatory variables
for (i in 2:4){
  par(mfrow = c(2,1))
  hist(as.numeric(data[,i]), main=paste0("Histogram of ", colnames(data)[i]), xlab=NA)
  hist(as.numeric(log(data[,i])), main=paste0("Histogram of log(", colnames(data)[i], ")"), xlab=NA)
  #hist(as.numeric(data[,i]^2), main=paste0("Histogram of log(", colnames(data)[i], ")"), xlab=NA)
}
```

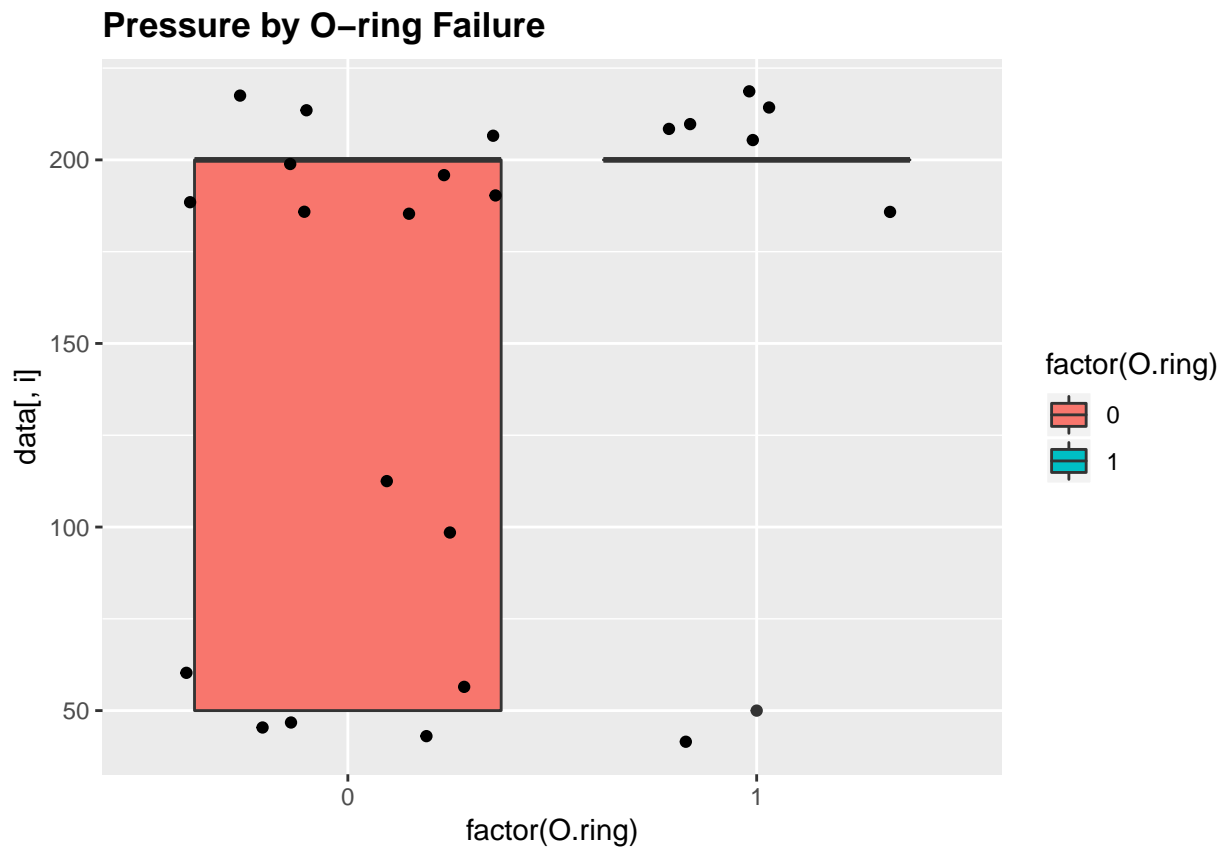


The distribution of the temperature variable is fairly close to a normal distribution and does not appear to become closer to a normal distribution after a log transformation. Neither the Pressure or O.ring variables are close to a normal distribution and are not improved by a log transformation. Thus it seems like the

variables should be left in their un-transformed state.

```
for (i in 2:3){  
  print(ggplot(data, aes(factor(O.ring), data[,i])) +  
    geom_boxplot(aes(fill = factor(O.ring))) +  
    geom_jitter() +  
    ggtitle(paste0(colnames(data)[i], " by O-ring Failure")) +  
    theme(plot.title = element_text(lineheight=1, face="bold")))  
}
```





The first box-plot clearly shows

```
data$tempsqr = data$Temp^2
# Visualize interaction variables
ggplot(data, aes(factor(O.ring), data[,ncol(data)])) +
  geom_boxplot(aes(fill = factor(O.ring))) +
  geom_jitter() +
  ggtitle(paste0(colnames(data)[i], " by O-ring Failure")) +
  theme(plot.title = element_text(lineheight=1, face="bold"))
```

Pressure by O-ring Failure

