

Lab 1 VHE

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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)

```
par(mfrow = c(3,2))

# histogram of explanatory variables
for (i in 2:4){
  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)
}
```

