

exercise6 self solution

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Part A

1

```
# set.seed(519)
# x = seq(0.001, 1, by=0.001)
# e = rnorm(1000, mean = 0, sd = 1)
# y = 2 + 5*x + e
# dat = data.frame(X=x, e=e, Y=y)
# write.csv(dat, file = 'dat.csv', row.names = FALSE)
```

```
dat = read.csv('dat.csv')
```

2

```
lr = lm(Y ~ X, data = dat)
print(summary(lr))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y ~ X, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.00791 -0.69745 -0.03184  0.67755  2.98928
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  1.95691    0.06383   30.66  <2e-16 ***
## X            5.11890    0.11047   46.34  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.008 on 998 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6827, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6824
## F-statistic: 2147 on 1 and 998 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

The estimated parameters are accurate.

3

a

```
set.seed(519)
dat$miss = rbinom(1000, size = 1, prob = 0.5)
dat$Y_MCAR = ifelse(dat$miss == 1, NA, dat$Y)
```

b

```
lr_MCAR = lm(Y_MCAR ~ X, data = dat, )
print(summary(lr_MCAR))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y_MCAR ~ X, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.96276 -0.66732 -0.01346  0.66040  2.84857
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  1.91275    0.09096   21.03  <2e-16 ***
## X            5.11342    0.15603   32.77  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.007 on 502 degrees of freedom
## (496 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6815, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6808
## F-statistic: 1074 on 1 and 502 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

The estimated parameters are accurate, but the standard errors become larger.

c

```
library(mice)

##
## Attaching package: 'mice'

## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##      filter

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##      cbind, rbind
```

```
imp = mice(dat[, c('X', 'Y_MCAR')], method="norm", m=5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 Y_MCAR
## 1 2 Y_MCAR
## 1 3 Y_MCAR
## 1 4 Y_MCAR
## 1 5 Y_MCAR
## 2 1 Y_MCAR
## 2 2 Y_MCAR
## 2 3 Y_MCAR
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## 4 5 Y_MCAR
## 5 1 Y_MCAR
## 5 2 Y_MCAR
## 5 3 Y_MCAR
## 5 4 Y_MCAR
## 5 5 Y_MCAR
```

```
lr_imp_MCAR = with(imp, lm(Y_MCAR ~ X))
print(summary(lr_imp_MCAR))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic    p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    1.92    0.0631    30.5 1.49e-144  1000
## 2 X              5.08    0.109     46.4 1.06e-251  1000
## 3 (Intercept)    1.85    0.0669    27.7 1.22e-125  1000
## 4 X              5.22    0.116     45.1 3.52e-243  1000
## 5 (Intercept)    1.87    0.0631    29.7 3.72e-139  1000
## 6 X              5.12    0.109     46.9 2.50e-254  1000
## 7 (Intercept)    1.87    0.0616    30.4 7.19e-144  1000
## 8 X              5.20    0.107     48.8 2.74e-266  1000
## 9 (Intercept)    1.94    0.0629    30.9 2.41e-147  1000
## 10 X             5.01    0.109     46.0 7.26e-249  1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MCAR)))
```

```
##           term estimate std.error statistic    df    p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 1.891270 0.07600773   24.8826 41.52637 1.423290e-26
## 2           X 5.124404 0.14709025   34.8385 19.84682 2.840948e-19
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

The estimated parameters are accurate and standard errors are similar with the true values.

4

a

```
dat$Y_MAR = ifelse(dat$X > 0.5, NA, dat$Y)
```

b

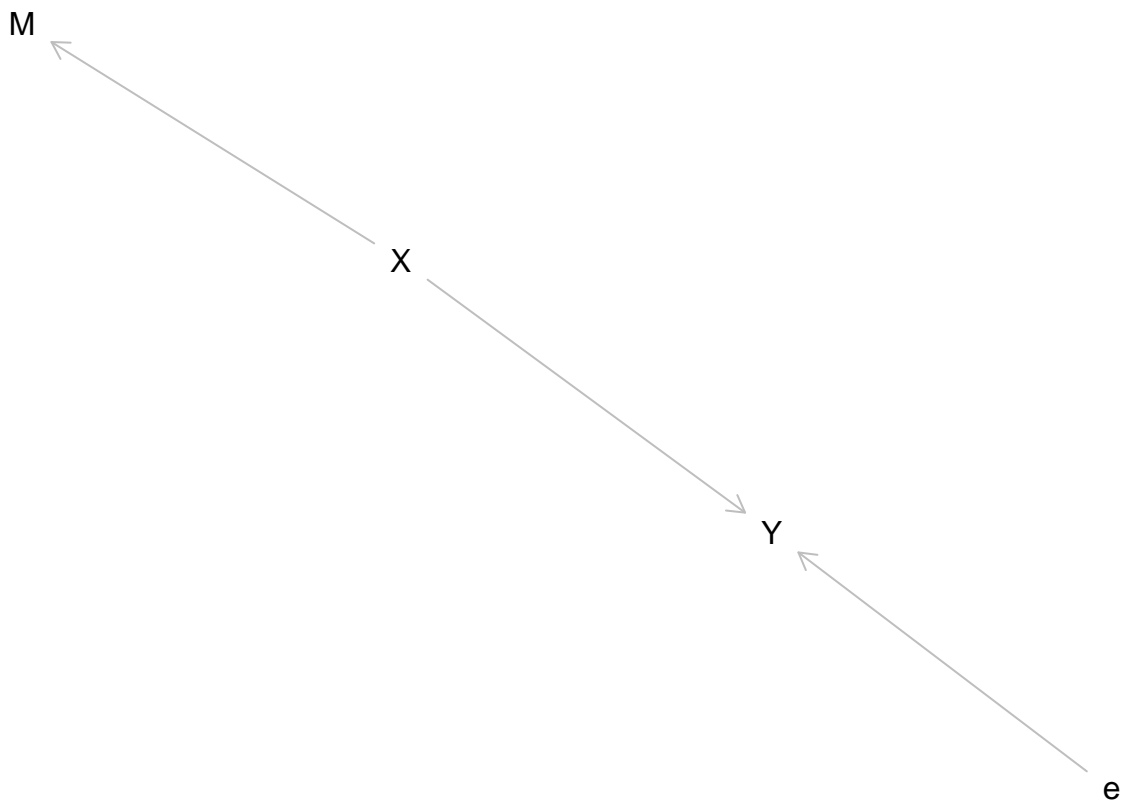
This is missing at random mechanism. Because the missing of Y is dependent on X.

c

```
library(dagitty)
```

```
set.seed(519)
g = dagitty('dag {
  X [exposure]
  Y [outcome]
  X -> { M Y }
  e -> Y
}')
plot(g)
```

```
## Plot coordinates for graph not supplied! Generating coordinates, see ?coordinates for how to set your
```



d

```

lr_MAR = lm(Y_MAR ~ X, data = dat)
print(summary(lr_MAR))

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y_MAR ~ X, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.02601 -0.63225 -0.03613  0.63953  2.82916
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.00300    0.08794   22.78  <2e-16 ***
## X            4.96340    0.30419   16.32  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.9818 on 498 degrees of freedom
## (500 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.3484, Adjusted R-squared:  0.3471
## F-statistic: 266.2 on 1 and 498 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

```

The coefficients are accurate and standard errors become larger.

e

```
imp = mice(dat[, c('X', 'Y_MAR')], method="norm", m=5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 Y_MAR
## 1 2 Y_MAR
## 1 3 Y_MAR
## 1 4 Y_MAR
## 1 5 Y_MAR
## 2 1 Y_MAR
## 2 2 Y_MAR
## 2 3 Y_MAR
## 2 4 Y_MAR
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## 4 4 Y_MAR
## 4 5 Y_MAR
## 5 1 Y_MAR
## 5 2 Y_MAR
## 5 3 Y_MAR
## 5 4 Y_MAR
## 5 5 Y_MAR
```

```
lr_imp_MAR = with(imp, lm(Y_MAR ~ X))
print(summary(lr_imp_MAR))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic  p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    2.00    0.0633    31.6 1.66e-152 1000
## 2 X              4.87    0.110    44.4 1.69e-238 1000
## 3 (Intercept)    1.95    0.0614    31.8 1.16e-153 1000
## 4 X              5.21    0.106    49.1 3.22e-268 1000
## 5 (Intercept)    2.14    0.0632    33.8 8.12e-168 1000
## 6 X              4.32    0.109    39.5 3.55e-206 1000
## 7 (Intercept)    2.00    0.0592    33.9 4.17e-168 1000
## 8 X              4.95    0.102    48.4 8.43e-264 1000
## 9 (Intercept)    1.96    0.0627    31.3 2.82e-150 1000
## 10 X             5.19    0.108    47.8 2.62e-260 1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MAR)))
```

```
##           term estimate std.error statistic      df      p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 2.011305 0.1035367  19.42601 9.455224 6.122136e-09
## 2           X 4.907146 0.4076786  12.03680 4.327239 1.724040e-04
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

After multiple imputation, the coefficients are accurate and standard errors are similar with the true values.

5

a

```
dat$Y_MNAR = ifelse(dat$Y > 5, NA, dat$Y)
```

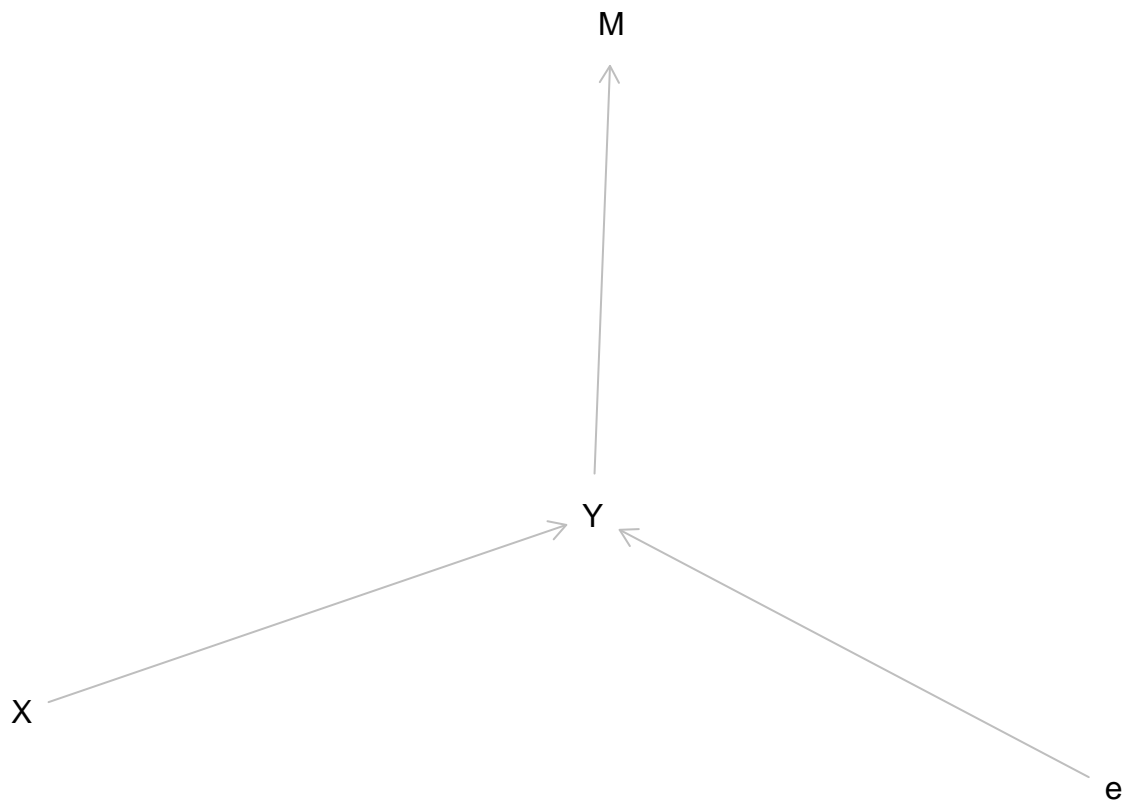
b

This is missing not at random mechanism. Because the missing of Y is dependent on Y.

c

```
set.seed(519)
g = dagitty('dag {
  X [exposure]
  Y [outcome]
  X -> Y
  e -> Y
  Y -> M
}')
plot(g)
```

```
## Plot coordinates for graph not supplied! Generating coordinates, see ?coordinates for how to set your
```



d

```
lr_MNAR = lm(Y_MNAR ~ X, data = dat)
print(summary(lr_MNAR))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y_MNAR ~ X, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.97525 -0.53720  0.06106  0.57397  2.22358
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.28196    0.06338   36.00  <2e-16 ***
## X            3.13163    0.16092   19.46  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.8494 on 594 degrees of freedom
## (404 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.3893, Adjusted R-squared:  0.3883
## F-statistic: 378.7 on 1 and 594 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```


The coefficients are not accurate and standard errors are larger.

e

```
imp = mice(dat[, c('X', 'Y_MNAR')], method="norm", m=5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 Y_MNAR
## 1 2 Y_MNAR
## 1 3 Y_MNAR
## 1 4 Y_MNAR
## 1 5 Y_MNAR
## 2 1 Y_MNAR
## 2 2 Y_MNAR
## 2 3 Y_MNAR
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## 5 1 Y_MNAR
## 5 2 Y_MNAR
## 5 3 Y_MNAR
## 5 4 Y_MNAR
## 5 5 Y_MNAR
```

```
lr_imp_MNAR = with(imp, lm(Y_MNAR ~ X))
print(summary(lr_imp_MNAR))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic    p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    2.35    0.0527    44.6 9.23e-240 1000
## 2 X              2.82    0.0913    30.9 5.88e-148 1000
## 3 (Intercept)    2.30    0.0557    41.3 2.70e-218 1000
## 4 X              3.04    0.0965    31.5 1.16e-151 1000
## 5 (Intercept)    2.35    0.0541    43.4 3.94e-232 1000
## 6 X              2.94    0.0936    31.5 1.97e-151 1000
## 7 (Intercept)    2.30    0.0546    42.1 1.50e-223 1000
## 8 X              3.09    0.0945    32.7 5.65e-160 1000
## 9 (Intercept)    2.27    0.0535    42.4 1.98e-225 1000
## 10 X             3.27    0.0925    35.4 3.34e-178 1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MNAR)))
```

```
##           term estimate  std.error statistic      df      p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 2.313693 0.06685389  34.60821 32.088536 5.556959e-27
## 2           X 3.033608 0.20568999  14.74845  6.178427 4.766355e-06
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

After multiple imputation, the coefficients are still not accurate and standard errors are still larger, which means that the imputation is invalid in missing not at random mechanism.

6

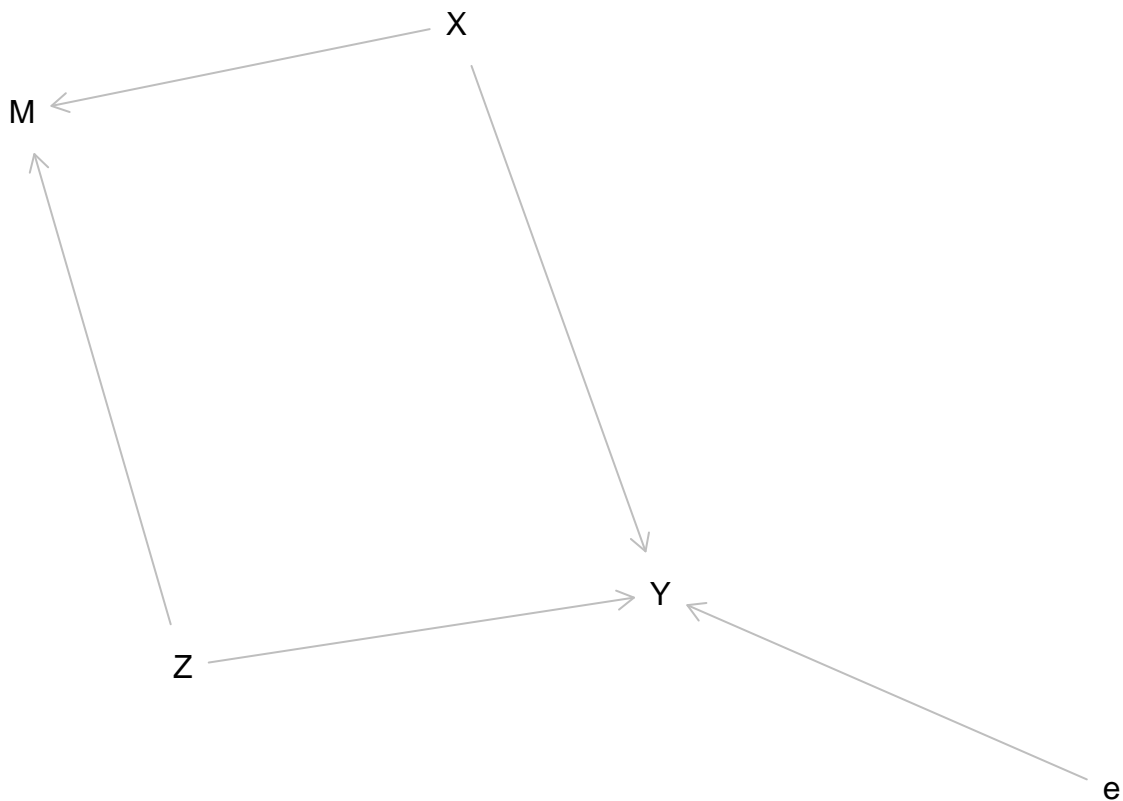
a

```
set.seed(19)
dat1 = dat[, c('X', 'e', 'Y')]
dat1$Z = rnorm(1000, mean = 0, sd = 1)
dat1$Y = 2 + 5*dat1$X + dat1$Z + dat1$e
```

b

```
dat1$Y_MAR = ifelse((dat1$X > 0.5) & (dat1$Z > 0), NA, dat1$Y)
set.seed(519)
g = dagitty('dag {
  X [exposure]
  Y [outcome]
  X -> {M Y}
  Z -> {M Y}
  e -> Y
}')
plot(g)
```

Plot coordinates for graph not supplied! Generating coordinates, see ?coordinates for how to set your



c

```
lr_MAR1 = lm(Y_MAR ~ X, data = dat1)
print(summary(lr_MAR1))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y_MAR ~ X, data = dat1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -4.6553 -0.8952  0.0083  0.8396  3.8499
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.17021    0.08804   24.65  <2e-16 ***
## X            4.03290    0.17620   22.89  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.332 on 750 degrees of freedom
## (248 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.4113, Adjusted R-squared:  0.4105
## F-statistic: 523.9 on 1 and 750 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

The estimates of the parameters are not accurate.

d

```
imp = mice(dat1[, c('X', 'Y_MAR')], method="norm", m=5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 Y_MAR
## 1 2 Y_MAR
## 1 3 Y_MAR
## 1 4 Y_MAR
## 1 5 Y_MAR
## 2 1 Y_MAR
## 2 2 Y_MAR
## 2 3 Y_MAR
## 2 4 Y_MAR
## 2 5 Y_MAR
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## 4 5 Y_MAR
## 5 1 Y_MAR
## 5 2 Y_MAR
## 5 3 Y_MAR
## 5 4 Y_MAR
## 5 5 Y_MAR
```

```
lr_imp_MAR1 = with(imp, lm(Y_MAR ~ X))
print(summary(lr_imp_MAR1))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic    p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    2.13    0.0836    25.5 5.93e-111 1000
## 2 X              4.14    0.145     28.6 4.51e-132 1000
## 3 (Intercept)    2.20    0.0880    25.0 1.69e-107 1000
## 4 X              3.98    0.152     26.1 3.80e-115 1000
## 5 (Intercept)    2.13    0.0851    25.1 7.02e-108 1000
## 6 X              4.25    0.147     28.8 2.08e-133 1000
## 7 (Intercept)    2.15    0.0840    25.6 2.49e-111 1000
## 8 X              4.10    0.145     28.2 2.69e-129 1000
## 9 (Intercept)    2.17    0.0837    25.9 8.40e-114 1000
## 10 X             4.06    0.145     28.1 3.88e-128 1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MAR1)))
```

```
##           term estimate  std.error statistic      df      p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 2.157154 0.09071274  23.78006 200.63607 2.761344e-60
## 2           X 4.107560 0.18164583  22.61302  31.87013 3.417377e-21
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

After multiple imputation, the estimates of the parameters are still not accurate.

e

```
lr_MAR1 = lm(Y_MAR ~ X + Z, data = dat1)
print(summary(lr_MAR1))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y_MAR ~ X + Z, data = dat1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.01705 -0.66301 -0.01479  0.63171  2.93568
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   1.95401    0.06648   29.39  <2e-16 ***
## X              5.16996    0.13992   36.95  <2e-16 ***
## Z              0.98153    0.04040   24.29  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.9971 on 749 degrees of freedom
## (248 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6707, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6698
## F-statistic: 762.8 on 2 and 749 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Now the estimates of parameters are accurate.

f

If Z was measured, this is missing at random mechanism because the missing of Y depend on X and Z. And if Z was not measured, this is missing not at random mechanism.

7

a

```

dat$X_MCAR = ifelse(dat$miss == 1, NA, dat$X)
lr_MCAR1 = lm(Y ~ X_MCAR, data = dat)
print(summary(lr_MCAR1))

```

```

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y ~ X_MCAR, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.96276 -0.66732 -0.01346  0.66040  2.84857
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   1.91275    0.09096   21.03  <2e-16 ***
## X_MCAR         5.11342    0.15603   32.77  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.007 on 502 degrees of freedom
## (496 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6815, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6808
## F-statistic: 1074 on 1 and 502 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

```

The estimates of parameters are accurate, but standard errors are larger.

b

```

setup = mice(dat[, c('X_MCAR', 'Y')])

```

```

##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 X_MCAR
## 1 2 X_MCAR
## 1 3 X_MCAR
## 1 4 X_MCAR
## 1 5 X_MCAR
## 2 1 X_MCAR
## 2 2 X_MCAR
## 2 3 X_MCAR
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## 4 1 X_MCAR
## 4 2 X_MCAR
## 4 3 X_MCAR

```

```
## 4 4 X_MCAR
## 4 5 X_MCAR
## 5 1 X_MCAR
## 5 2 X_MCAR
## 5 3 X_MCAR
## 5 4 X_MCAR
## 5 5 X_MCAR
```

```
predMat = setup$predictorMatrix
predMat["X_MCAR", "Y"] = 0
imp = mice(dat[, c('X_MCAR', 'Y')], method="norm", predictorMatrix=predMat, m = 5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 X_MCAR
## 1 2 X_MCAR
## 1 3 X_MCAR
## 1 4 X_MCAR
## 1 5 X_MCAR
## 2 1 X_MCAR
## 2 2 X_MCAR
## 2 3 X_MCAR
## 2 4 X_MCAR
## 2 5 X_MCAR
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```

c

```
lr_imp_MCAR1 = with(imp, lm(Y ~ X_MCAR))
print(summary(lr_imp_MCAR1))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic    p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    3.27    0.106    30.9 2.15e-147 1000
## 2 X_MCAR         2.47    0.183    13.5 2.46e- 38 1000
## 3 (Intercept)    3.01    0.102    29.4 1.92e-137 1000
```

```
## 4 X_MCAR      2.98    0.177      16.8 3.62e- 56 1000
## 5 (Intercept) 3.26    0.103      31.7 1.86e-153 1000
## 6 X_MCAR      2.45    0.173      14.2 9.88e- 42 1000
## 7 (Intercept) 3.35    0.0991     33.8 1.54e-167 1000
## 8 X_MCAR      2.33    0.169      13.8 6.43e- 40 1000
## 9 (Intercept) 3.27    0.106      30.9 2.51e-147 1000
## 10 X_MCAR     2.47    0.182      13.5 1.69e- 38 1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MCAR1)))
```

```
##           term estimate std.error statistic      df      p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 3.232807 0.1742018 18.557828 9.258278 1.225160e-08
## 2      X_MCAR 2.538802 0.3285579  7.727106 7.704206 6.863099e-05
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

The estimates are not accurate.

d

```
imp = mice(dat[, c('X_MCAR', 'Y')], method="norm", m = 5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 X_MCAR
## 1 2 X_MCAR
## 1 3 X_MCAR
## 1 4 X_MCAR
## 1 5 X_MCAR
## 2 1 X_MCAR
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## 5 3 X_MCAR
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## 5 5 X_MCAR
```



```
lr_imp_MCAR1 = with(imp, lm(Y ~ X_MCAR))
print(summary(lr_imp_MCAR1))
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##   term          estimate std.error statistic    p.value  nobs
##   <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)    1.84    0.0689     26.6 1.41e-118 1000
## 2 X_MCAR         5.23    0.118     44.3 6.72e-238 1000
## 3 (Intercept)    1.94    0.0647     30.0 2.07e-141 1000
## 4 X_MCAR         5.03    0.110     45.9 5.34e-248 1000
## 5 (Intercept)    1.86    0.0643     28.8 1.72e-133 1000
## 6 X_MCAR         5.14    0.108     47.4 7.42e-258 1000
## 7 (Intercept)    2.02    0.0658     30.7 2.25e-146 1000
## 8 X_MCAR         4.97    0.113     43.9 1.88e-235 1000
## 9 (Intercept)    1.93    0.0673     28.7 2.70e-132 1000
## 10 X_MCAR        5.07    0.115     44.2 3.64e-237 1000
```

```
print(summary(pool(lr_imp_MCAR1)))
```

```
##           term estimate std.error statistic      df      p.value
## 1 (Intercept) 1.916153 0.1044775  18.34034 10.87345 1.589773e-09
## 2      X_MCAR 5.087659 0.1557992  32.65524 17.11747 7.318482e-17
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

After imputing X on Y, the parameters become accurate.

Part B

1

a

```
dat = read.csv('necosad_death_miss.csv', stringsAsFactors = TRUE)[, -c(1, 2)]
```

b

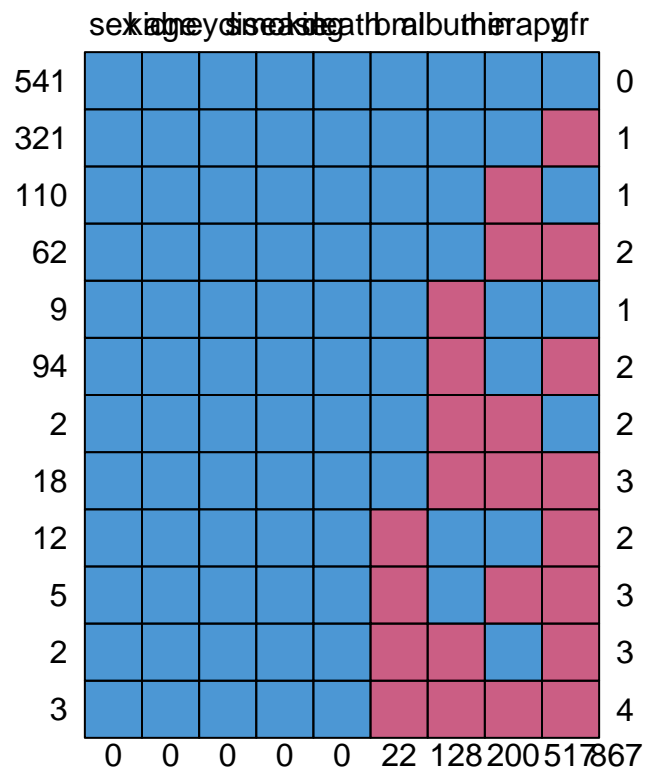
```
str(dat)
```

```
## 'data.frame':   1179 obs. of  9 variables:
## $ sex          : Factor w/ 2 levels "female","male": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ therapy      : Factor w/ 2 levels "hemodialysis",...: 1 2 1 1 NA 2 NA 1 2 2 ...
## $ age          : num  54.9 47.2 53.9 46.1 54.3 62.5 56 49.2 55 54.2 ...
## $ bmi          : num  40.4 29.6 28.7 27.7 21.9 ...
## $ albumin      : num  45 34 NA 42 34 21.6 40 23 39.9 45 ...
## $ kidneydisease: Factor w/ 4 levels "Diabetes Mellitus",...: 3 4 3 1 2 4 4 2 3 4 ...
## $ smoking      : Factor w/ 2 levels "current or former smoker",...: 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ gfr          : num  NA 5.68 NA 3.57 4.39 ...
## $ death        : Factor w/ 2 levels "no","yes": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
```

```
summary(dat)
```

```
##      sex      therapy      age      bmi
## female:458 hemodialysis :691 Min.   :18.50 Min.   : 2.044
## male  :721 peritoneal dialysis:288 1st Qu.:58.40 1st Qu.:22.070
##      NA's      :200 Median :68.50 Median :24.435
##      Mean  :65.49 Mean  :25.220
##      3rd Qu.:74.70 3rd Qu.:27.432
##      Max.   :91.60 Max.   :94.451
##      NA's   :22
##      albumin      kidneydisease      smoking
## Min.   : 9.00 Diabetes Mellitus :210 current or former smoker:852
## 1st Qu.:31.30 Glomerulonephritis : 89 never smoker           :327
## Median :35.60 Renal Vascular Disease:269
## Mean   :35.02 other      :611
## 3rd Qu.:39.00
## Max.   :67.00
## NA's   :128
##      gfr      death
## Min.   : 0.000 no :390
## 1st Qu.: 2.686 yes:789
## Median : 4.617
## Mean   : 5.069
## 3rd Qu.: 6.995
## Max.   :51.742
## NA's   :517
```

```
md.pattern(dat)
```



```
##      sex age kidneydisease smoking death bmi albumin therapy gfr
## 541   1   1             1       1    1    1       1       1    1    0
## 321   1   1             1       1    1    1       1       1    0    1
## 110   1   1             1       1    1    1       1       0    1    1
## 62    1   1             1       1    1    1       1       0    0    2
## 9     1   1             1       1    1    1       0       1    1    1
## 94    1   1             1       1    1    1       0       1    0    2
## 2     1   1             1       1    1    1       0       0    1    2
## 18    1   1             1       1    1    1       0       0    0    3
## 12    1   1             1       1    1    0       1       1    0    2
## 5     1   1             1       1    1    0       1       0    0    3
## 2     1   1             1       1    1    0       0       1    0    3
## 3     1   1             1       1    1    0       0       0    0    4
##      0   0             0       0    0    22      128      200  517  867
```

2

a

```
log_r = glm(death ~ therapy, data = dat, family = 'binomial')
print(summary(log_r))
```

##

```
## Call:
## glm(formula = death ~ therapy, family = "binomial", data = dat)
##
## Coefficients:
##               Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)      0.83561    0.08282  10.089 < 2e-16 ***
## therapyperitoneal dialysis -0.41275    0.14621  -2.823  0.00476 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##    Null deviance: 1241.6  on 978  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 1233.7  on 977  degrees of freedom
## (200 observations deleted due to missingness)
## AIC: 1237.7
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

log_r1 = glm(death ~ therapy + sex + age + bmi + albumin + kidneydisease + smoking + gfr, data = dat, family = "binomial")
sum1 = summary(log_r1)
print(sum1)

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = death ~ therapy + sex + age + bmi + albumin + kidneydisease +
##      smoking + gfr, family = "binomial", data = dat)
##
## Coefficients:
##               Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)      1.534316    1.099558   1.395  0.16290
## therapyperitoneal dialysis  0.306623    0.232479   1.319  0.18719
## sexmale          -0.343947    0.235324  -1.462  0.14385
## age              0.053959    0.009136   5.906 3.50e-09 ***
## bmi             -0.049839    0.024303  -2.051  0.04029 *
## albumin         -0.045755    0.018620  -2.457  0.01400 *
## kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis -1.963485    0.439271  -4.470 7.83e-06 ***
## kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Disease -0.290167    0.388872  -0.746  0.45556
## kidneydiseaseother -1.473419    0.317978  -4.634 3.59e-06 ***
## smokingnever smoker -0.647499    0.241810  -2.678  0.00741 **
## gfr              0.009339    0.028687   0.326  0.74476
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##    Null deviance: 671.92  on 540  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 557.75  on 530  degrees of freedom
## (638 observations deleted due to missingness)
## AIC: 579.75
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

b?

```
print(c(model1=exp(log_r$coefficients[2]), model2=exp(log_r1$coefficients[2])))
```

```
## model1.therapypertitoneal dialysis model2.therapypertitoneal dialysis
##                                0.6618257                        1.3588289
```

The odds ratio for therapy in model without covariates is 0.66 and in model with covariates is 1.36. It means that in model without covariates the risk of death in PD group is 0.66 times that of HD group, in model with covariates the risk of death in PD group is 1.36 times higher than HD group.

c

979 patients in model without covariates and 541 in model with covariates. The sample size changes, and we cannot make sure the difference in odds ratio is due to adding confounders or modeling on different subset of samples.

3

a

```
set.seed(519)
ini = mice(dat, maxit = 0)
meth = ini$meth
meth["gfr"] = "norm"
imp = mice(dat, method = meth, m = 5)
```

```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 1 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 1 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 1 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 1 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 2 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 2 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 2 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 2 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 2 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 3 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 3 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 3 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 3 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 3 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 4 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 4 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 4 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 4 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 4 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr
```

```
## 5 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 5 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 5 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 5 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr
## 5 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

b

```
log_r1_imp = with(imp, glm(death ~ therapy + sex + age + bmi + albumin + kidneydisease + smoking + gfr,
print(summary(log_r1_imp))
```

```
## # A tibble: 55 x 6
##   term                                estimate std.error statistic  p.value  nobs
##   <chr>                                <dbl>     <dbl>     <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)                        0.545      0.665      0.820 4.12e- 1 1179
## 2 therapyperitoneal dialysis         0.119      0.154      0.773 4.39e- 1 1179
## 3 sexmale                           -0.116      0.148     -0.785 4.33e- 1 1179
## 4 age                                0.0520     0.00584     8.90 5.71e-19 1179
## 5 bmi                               -0.00992    0.0136     -0.732 4.64e- 1 1179
## 6 albumin                           -0.0508    0.0117     -4.33 1.51e- 5 1179
## 7 kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis    -1.55      0.301     -5.15 2.57e- 7 1179
## 8 kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Dise~ -0.474     0.256     -1.85 6.37e- 2 1179
## 9 kidneydiseaseother                 -1.32      0.214     -6.13 8.64e-10 1179
## 10 smokingnever smoker               -0.284     0.160     -1.77 7.64e- 2 1179
## # i 45 more rows
```

```
pool_sum1 = summary(pool(log_r1_imp))
print(pool_sum1)
```

```
##               term      estimate  std.error  statistic
## 1               (Intercept) 0.784541378 0.690849243 1.1356188
## 2      therapyperitoneal dialysis 0.113615978 0.163819033 0.6935457
## 3                sexmale -0.122409329 0.148455082 -0.8245547
## 4                age 0.051574834 0.005883233 8.7664099
## 5                bmi -0.009202543 0.013743063 -0.6696137
## 6                albumin -0.056382733 0.013179561 -4.2780434
## 7      kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis -1.559353992 0.303325666 -5.1408574
## 8      kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Disease -0.454043861 0.257339190 -1.7643790
## 9                kidneydiseaseother -1.317694514 0.215189823 -6.1234054
## 10              smokingnever smoker -0.288540600 0.162069015 -1.7803564
## 11                gfr -0.021068115 0.024202982 -0.8704760
##               df      p.value
## 1      514.75844 2.566446e-01
## 2      336.79373 4.884452e-01
## 3     1158.84110 4.097942e-01
## 4     1135.98111 6.610771e-18
## 5     1005.55836 5.032578e-01
## 6       95.31190 4.483076e-05
```

```
## 7 1155.07920 3.209568e-07
## 8 1071.78155 7.795300e-02
## 9 1151.71478 1.254556e-09
## 10 1086.00381 7.529717e-02
## 11 22.73283 3.931398e-01
```

```
print(exp(sum1$coefficients[, 1]))
```

```
##              (Intercept)          therapyperitoneal dialysis
##              4.6381497              1.3588289
##              sexmale              age
##              0.7089662              1.0554410
##              bmi              albumin
##              0.9513827              0.9552764
## kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Disease
##              0.1403683              0.7481384
## kidneydiseaseother              smokingnever smoker
##              0.2291406              0.5233530
##              gfr
##              1.0093832
```

```
print(exp(pool_sum1$estimate))
```

```
## [1] 2.1914017 1.1203218 0.8847861 1.0529280 0.9908397 0.9451773 0.2102719
## [8] 0.6350549 0.2677519 0.7493564 0.9791523
```

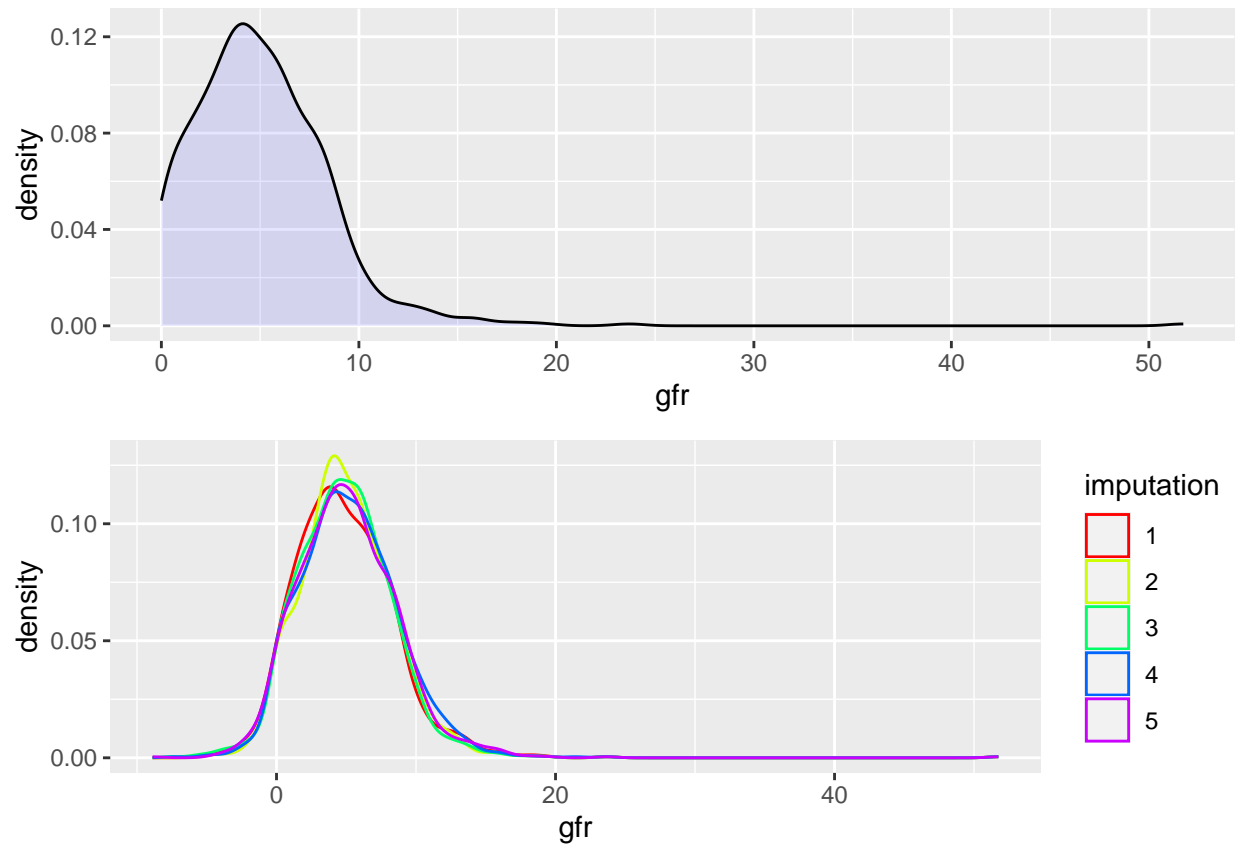
The odds ratio for therapy after imputation is 1.12, which is 1.36 before imputation. The value changed but not much.

c

```
library(ggplot2)
library(gridExtra)
```

```
p1 = ggplot(data = dat, mapping = aes(x = gfr)) +
  geom_density(fill = 'blue', alpha = 0.1)
p2 = ggplot(data = dat_imp[dat_imp$.imp != 0, ], mapping = aes(x = gfr, group = as.factor(.imp), colour =
  .imp)) +
  geom_density() +
  scale_color_manual(values = rainbow(5)) +
  guides(color = guide_legend(title = 'imputation'))
grid.arrange(p1, p2, nrow = 2)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 517 rows containing non-finite values ('stat_density()').
```



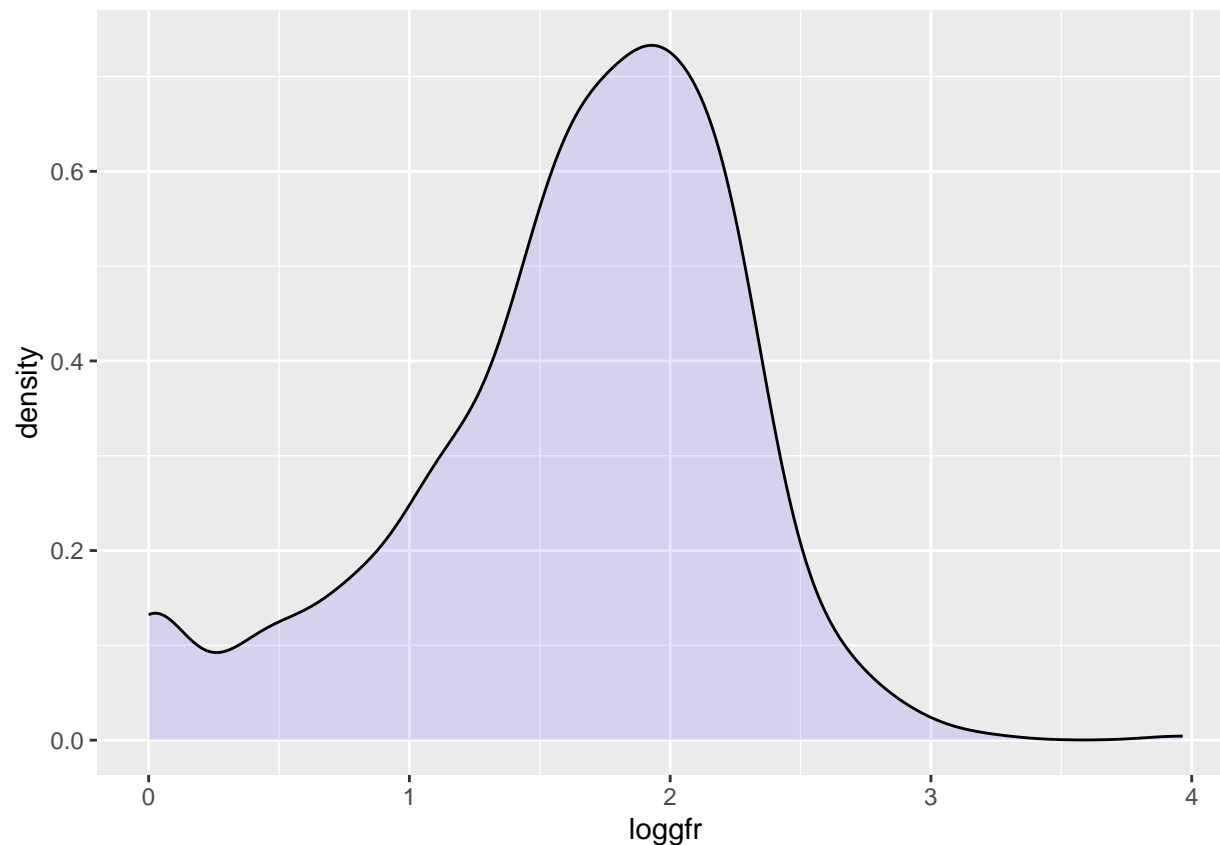
No, imputation applied a symmetric distribution to generate gfr and generated negative gfr values.

4

a

```
dat$loggfr = log(dat$gfr+1)
ggplot(data = dat, mapping = aes(x = loggfr)) +
  geom_density(fill = 'blue', alpha = 0.1)
```

```
## Warning: Removed 517 rows containing non-finite values ('stat_density()').
```

b

```
ini = mice(dat, maxit = 0)
# define methods for imputation
meth["loggfr"] = "norm"
meth["gfr"] = "~I(exp(loggfr)-1)"
# and do not use gfr in the imputation models
predMat = ini$predictorMatrix
predMat[, "gfr"] = 0
imp = mice(dat, method = meth, predictorMatrix = predMat, m = 5)
```

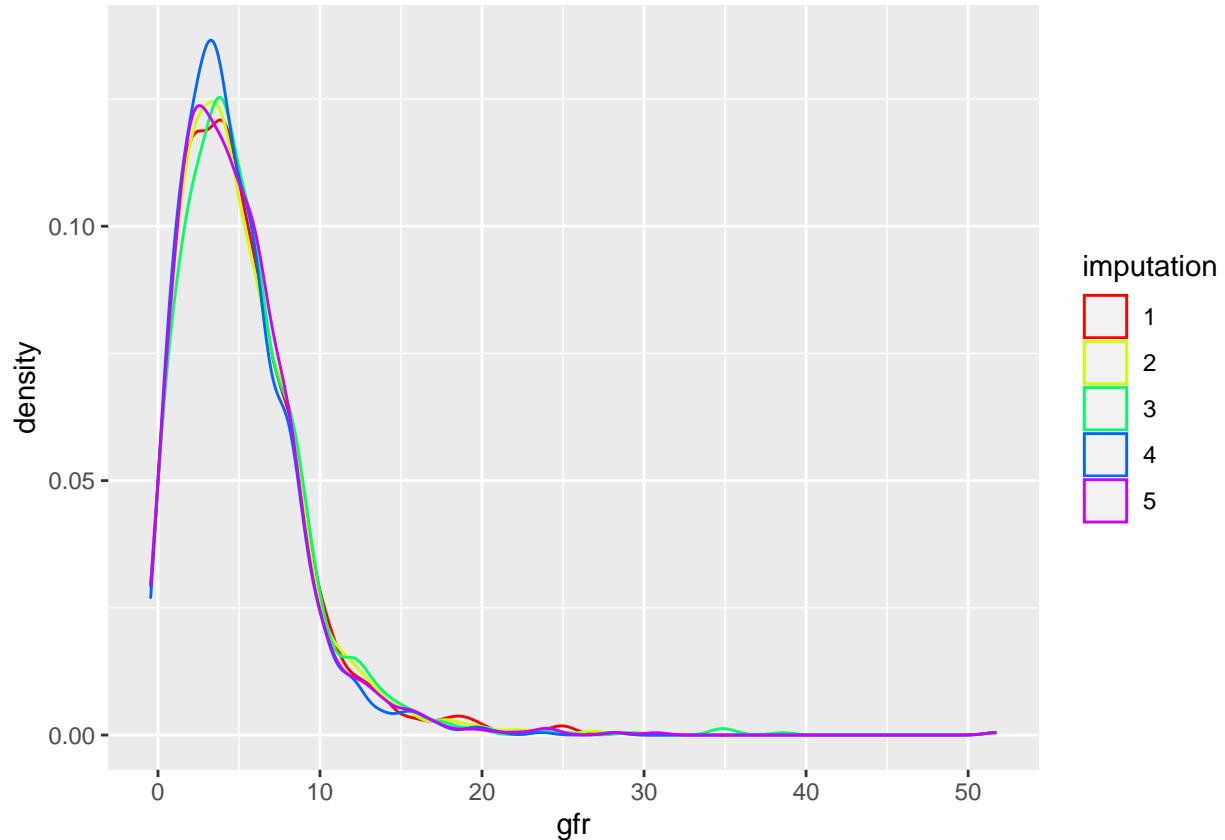
```
##
## iter imp variable
## 1 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 1 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 1 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 1 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 1 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 2 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 2 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 2 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 2 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 2 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 3 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
```

```
## 3 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 3 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 3 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 3 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 4 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 4 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 4 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 4 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 4 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 5 1 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 5 2 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 5 3 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 5 4 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
## 5 5 therapy bmi albumin gfr loggfr
```

```
dat_imp = complete(imp, "long", inc = TRUE)
```

c

```
ggplot(data = dat_imp[dat_imp$.imp != 0, ], mapping = aes(x = gfr, group = as.factor(.imp), colour = as.factor(.imp))) +
  geom_density() +
  scale_color_manual(values = rainbow(5)) +
  guides(color = guide_legend(title = 'imputation'))
```



The imputed gfr values now follow an asymmetric distribution, but still have negative values. It's more plausible.

d

```
log_r1_imp1 = with(imp, glm(death ~ therapy + sex + age + bmi + albumin + kidneydisease + smoking + gfr
print(summary(log_r1_imp1))
```

```
## # A tibble: 55 x 6
##   term                                estimate std.error statistic  p.value  nobs
##   <chr>                                <dbl>     <dbl>     <dbl>    <dbl> <int>
## 1 (Intercept)                        0.803     0.673       1.19  2.33e- 1  1179
## 2 therapyperitoneal dialysis         0.228     0.161       1.42  1.56e- 1  1179
## 3 sexmale                           -0.131     0.148      -0.881  3.78e- 1  1179
## 4 age                                0.0523    0.00588     8.89  5.87e-19  1179
## 5 bmi                               -0.0114    0.0135     -0.846  3.97e- 1  1179
## 6 albumin                           -0.0535    0.0122     -4.38  1.20e- 5  1179
## 7 kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis    -1.62     0.303      -5.33  9.67e- 8  1179
## 8 kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Dise~ -0.493     0.257      -1.92  5.52e- 2  1179
## 9 kidneydiseaseother                 -1.34     0.216      -6.23  4.74e-10  1179
## 10 smokingnever smoker              -0.328     0.162      -2.03  4.29e- 2  1179
## # i 45 more rows
```

```
pool_sum2 = summary(pool(log_r1_imp1))
print(pool_sum2)
```

```
##               term      estimate  std.error  statistic
## 1               (Intercept)  0.810146591 0.690243750  1.1737109
## 2      therapyperitoneal dialysis  0.175539803 0.175472670  1.0003826
## 3                sexmale -0.125247946 0.148365828 -0.8441832
## 4                 age  0.051902688 0.005924041  8.7613657
## 5                 bmi -0.009785105 0.013700673 -0.7142062
## 6                 albumin -0.055290926 0.012957365 -4.2671427
## 7      kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis -1.593356827 0.304759164 -5.2282491
## 8      kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Disease -0.471934781 0.257660991 -1.8316113
## 9                kidneydiseaseother -1.329328725 0.216973567 -6.1266851
## 10               smokingnever smoker -0.310417402 0.161693766 -1.9197858
## 11                  gfr -0.033953732 0.019032203 -1.7840148
##           df      p.value
## 1    687.35820 2.409174e-01
## 2    107.51584 3.193716e-01
## 3   1161.52445 3.987408e-01
## 4   1047.98893 7.634496e-18
## 5   1090.61997 4.752525e-01
## 6    176.62623 3.223515e-05
## 7   1129.98955 2.037412e-07
## 8   1110.82107 6.727703e-02
## 9   1092.33692 1.250560e-09
## 10  1147.01384 5.513277e-02
## 11    99.53027 7.746868e-02
```

```
print(exp(sum1$coefficients[, 1]))
```

```
##              (Intercept)          therapyperitoneal dialysis
##              4.6381497              1.3588289
##              sexmale              age
##              0.7089662              1.0554410
##              bmi              albumin
##              0.9513827              0.9552764
## kidneydiseaseGlomerulonephritis kidneydiseaseRenal Vascular Disease
##              0.1403683              0.7481384
## kidneydiseaseother              smokingnever smoker
##              0.2291406              0.5233530
##              gfr
##              1.0093832
```

```
print(exp(pool_sum2$estimate))
```

```
## [1] 2.2482375 1.1918894 0.8822781 1.0532732 0.9902626 0.9462098 0.2032422
## [8] 0.6237942 0.2646549 0.7331409 0.9666162
```

The odds ratio for therapy after new imputation is 1.14, which is 1.36 in b and 1.12 in c. The value improved but not much. Because the imputation of other variables have not been checked.