

# APPLIED STATISTICS

## Lecture 11

### Advanced Topics

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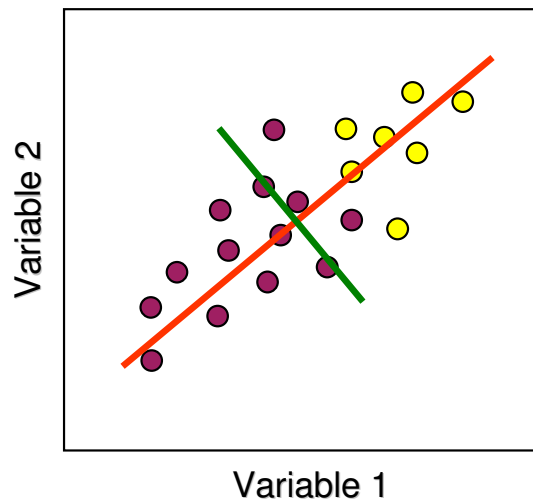
### Principal component analysis (PCA)

is a vector space transform used to reduce multidimensional data sets to lower dimensions for analysis. It selects the **coordinates along which the variation of the data is bigger.**

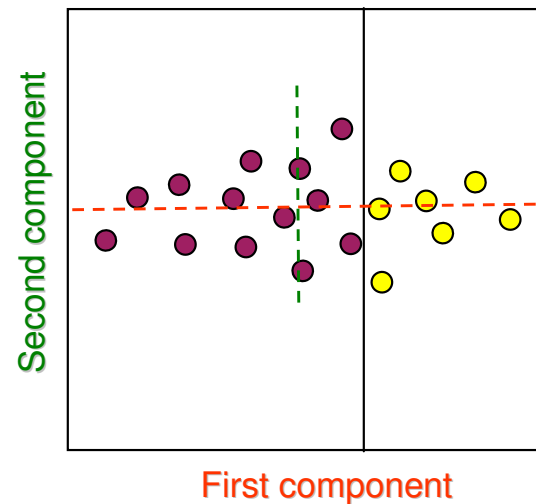
20000 genes →  
2 dimensions

For the simplicity let us consider 2 parametric situation both in terms of data and resulting PCA.

Scatter plot in  
“natural” coordinates

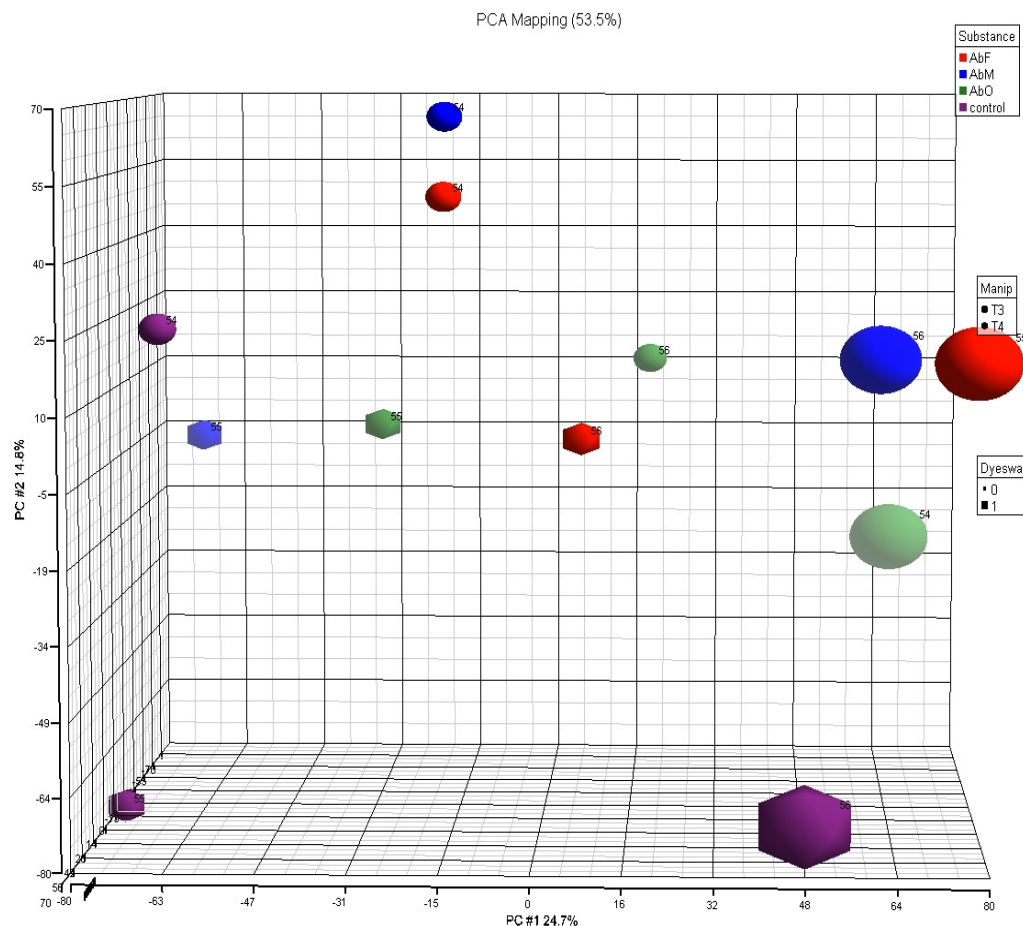


Scatter plot in PC



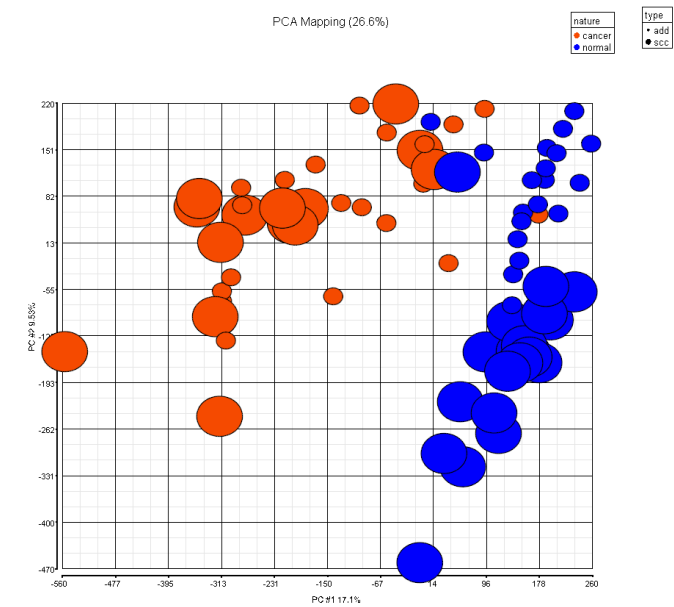
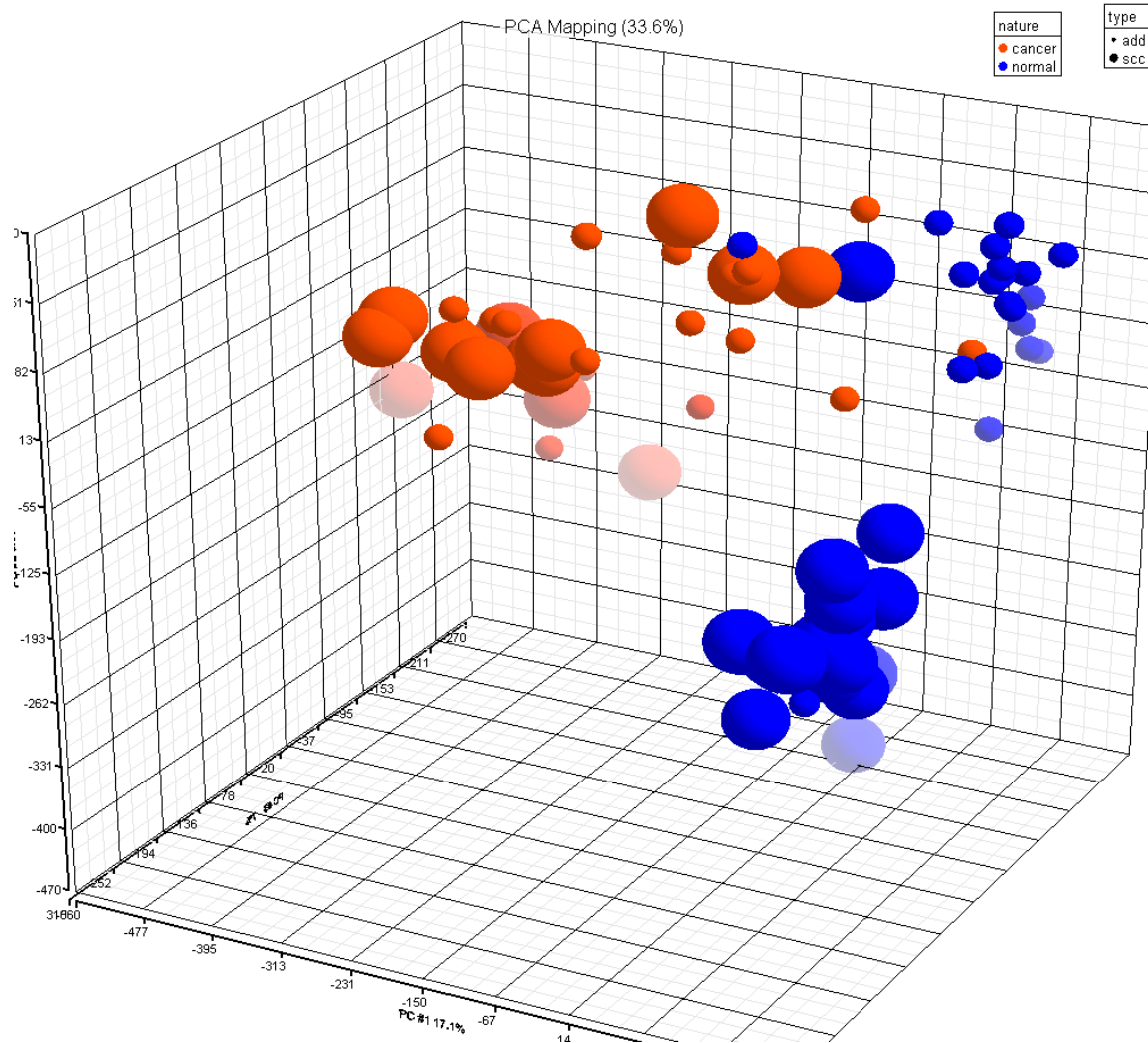
Instead of using 2 “natural” parameters for the classification, we can use the first component!

- ◆ Transcriptomic profile of a sample contains thousands of genes, i.e. thousands of coordinates/parameters.
- ◆ PCA is extremely useful for initial data analysis in transcriptomics, as it allows to depict thousands of parameters just in 2 or 3 dimension space.



3 factors can influence the distribution of the variability:

- Substance
- Manip (bio replicate)
- Dye swap



		Population Condition	
		$H_0$ True	$H_a$ True
Conclusion	Accept $H_0$	Correct Conclusion	Type II Error
	Reject $H_0$	Type I Error	Correct Conclusion

False Negative,  $\beta$  error

False Positive,  $\alpha$  error

Probability of an error in a multiple test:

$$1 - (0.95)^{\text{number of comparisons}}$$

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### Familywise error rate (FWER)

is the probability of making one or more false discoveries, or type I errors among all the hypotheses when performing multiple pairwise tests.

Conclusion	Population Condition		Total
	$H_0$ is TRUE	$H_0$ is FALSE	
Accept $H_0$ (non-significant)	$U$	$T$	$m - R$
Reject $H_0$ (significant)	$V$	$S$	$R$
Total	$m_0$	$m - m_0$	$m$

$$FWER = 1 - P(V = 0)$$

### Bonferroni correction

if an experimenter is testing  $k$  dependent or independent hypotheses on a set of data, then one way of maintaining the **FWER** is to test each individual hypothesis at a statistical significance level of  $1/k$  times what it would be if only one hypothesis were tested.

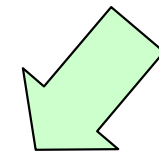
If you would like to be sure **FWER**  $< \alpha$ , use pairwise testing with significance of  $\alpha/k$ .

Assume we need to perform  $k = 10$  comparisons, and selected  $\alpha = 0.05$ . Then

$$\text{FWER}(\text{no correction}) = 1 - (1 - \alpha)^k = 1 - (0.95)^{10} = 0.401$$

$$\text{FWER}(\text{Bonferroni}) = 1 - (1 - \alpha/n)^k = 1 - (0.995)^{10} = 0.0489$$

**Too  
conservative**



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Assume we need to perform  $k = 6$  comparisons, and selected  $\text{FWER} = \alpha = 0.05$

1. Order **p-values** of the pairwise t-test

#### p-value

0.0001  
0.009  
0.01  
0.02  
0.03  
0.045

2. Compare first **p-value** with  $\alpha/k$ .

**IF:** **p-value**  $< \alpha/k$ , reject  $H_0$  for this comparison and set  $k = k - 1$

**else:** stop checking.

3. Repeat this comparison for all p-values while **p-value**  $< \alpha/k$

Treatments: A, B, C, D

Compare	p-value
A vs B	0.045
A vs C	0.02
A vs D	0.03
B vs C	0.009
B vs D	0.0001
C vs D	0.01

	alfa	
p-value	0.05	k
0.0001	0.008333	6
0.009	0.01	5
0.01	0.0125	4
0.02	0.016667	3
0.03		Stop
0.045		



### False discovery rate (FDR)

FDR control is a statistical method used in multiple hypothesis testing to correct for multiple comparisons. In a list of rejected hypotheses, FDR controls the expected proportion of incorrectly rejected null hypotheses (type I errors).

		Population Condition		
		H <sub>0</sub> is TRUE	H <sub>0</sub> is FALSE	Total
Conclusion	Accept H <sub>0</sub> (non-significant)	<i>U</i>	<i>T</i>	$m - R$
	Reject H <sub>0</sub> (significant)	<i>V</i>	<i>S</i>	$R$
Total		$m_0$	$m - m_0$	$m$

$$FDR = E\left(\frac{V}{V + S}\right)$$

Assume we need to perform  $k = 100$  comparisons, and select maximum **FDR =  $\alpha = 0.05$**

### Independent tests

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The **Simes procedure** ensures that its **expected value**  $E \left[ \frac{V}{V + S} \right]$  is less than a given  $\alpha$  (Benjamini and Hochberg 1995). This procedure is valid when the  $m$  tests are **independent**. Let  $H_1 \dots H_m$  be the null hypotheses and  $P_1 \dots P_m$  their corresponding **p-values**. Order these values in increasing order and denote them by  $P_{(1)} \dots P_{(m)}$ . For a given  $\alpha$ , find the largest  $k$  such that  $P_{(k)} \leq \frac{k}{m} \alpha$ .

Then reject (i.e. declare positive) all  $H_{(i)}$  for  $i = 1, \dots, k$ .

Note that the mean  $\alpha$  for these  $m$  tests is  $\frac{\alpha(m+1)}{2m}$  which could be used as a rough FDR, or RFDR, " $\alpha$  adjusted for  $m$  indep. tests." The RFDR calculation shown here provides a useful approximation and is not part of the Benjamini and Hochberg method; see AFDR below.

# MULTIPLE EXPERIMENTS

## Holm-Bonferroni Method: Example

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### Distribution of sum or difference of 2 normal random variables

The sum/difference of 2 (or more) normal random variables is a normal random variable with **mean equal to sum/difference** of the means and **variance equal to SUM** of the variances of the compounds.

$x \pm y \rightarrow \text{Normal distribution}$

$$E[x \pm y] = E[x] \pm E[y]$$

$$\sigma_{x \pm y}^2 = \sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2$$

### Distribution of sum of squares on $k$ standard normal random variables

The sum of squares of  $k$  standard normal random variables is a  $\chi^2$  with  $k$  degree of freedom.

if  $x_1, \dots, x_k \rightarrow \text{Normal distribution}$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k x_i^2 \rightarrow \chi^2 \quad \text{with } d.f. = k$$

**What to do in more complex situations?**

$$\frac{x}{y} \rightarrow ?$$

$$\sqrt{x} \rightarrow ?$$

$$\log(|x|) \rightarrow ?$$

Try to solve analytically?

Simplest case.  $E[x] = E[y] = 0$

### Ratio distribution

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

A **ratio distribution** (or *quotient distribution*) is a [probability distribution](#) constructed as the distribution of the [ratio](#) of [random variables](#) having two other known distributions. Given two random variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , the distribution of the random variable  $Z$  that is formed as the ratio

$$Z = X/Y$$

is a *ratio distribution*.

$$p_Z(z) = \frac{b(z) \cdot c(z)}{a^3(z)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_x\sigma_y} \left[ 2\Phi\left(\frac{b(z)}{a(z)}\right) - 1 \right] + \frac{1}{a^2(z) \cdot \pi\sigma_x\sigma_y} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{\mu_y^2}{\sigma_y^2}\right)}$$

where

$$a(z) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\sigma_x^2}z^2 + \frac{1}{\sigma_y^2}}$$

$$b(z) = \frac{\mu_x}{\sigma_x^2}z + \frac{\mu_y}{\sigma_y^2}$$

$$c(z) = e^{\frac{1}{2}\frac{b^2(z)}{a^2(z)} - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\mu_x^2}{\sigma_x^2} + \frac{\mu_y^2}{\sigma_y^2}\right)}$$

$$\Phi(z) = \int_{-\infty}^z \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}u^2} du$$

Two rates were measured for a PCR experiment: experimental value (X) and control (Y). 5 replicates were performed for each.

From previous experience we know that the error between replicates is normally distributed.

**Q1:** provide an interval estimation for the fold change  $X/Y$  ( $\alpha=0.05$ )

**Q2:** provide an interval estimation for the log fold change  $\log_2(X/Y)$

#	Experiment	Control
1	215	83
2	253	75
3	198	62
4	225	91
5	240	70

Mean	226.2	76.2
StDev	21.39	11.26

Let us use a *numerical simulation...*

1. Generate 2 sets of 65536 normal random variable with means and standard deviations corresponding to ones of experimental and control set.

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In Excel go: Tools → Data Analysis:

◆ Random Number Generation

If you do not have Data Analysis tool – approximate normal distribution by sum of uniform:

$$N(x, m_x, \sigma_x) = m_x + \sigma_x \left( \sum_{i=1}^{12} U(x_i) - 6 \right)$$

◆ = RAND () ← U(x)



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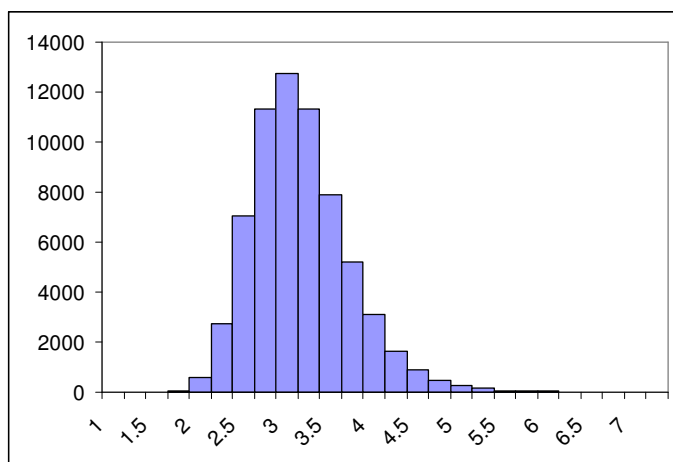
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sim.m	226.088799	76.2823
sim.s	21.379652	11.2885

**2.** Build the target function. For Q1 build X/Y

X/Y.m	3.03289298
X/Y.s	0.566865
min	-8.14098141
max	7.72162205

**3.** Study the target function. Calculate summary, build histogram.



**4.** If you would like to have 95% interval, calculate 2.5% and 97.5% percentiles.

**In Excel use function**

◆ =PERCENTILE (data, 0.025)

$X/Y \in [ 2.13, 4.33 ]$

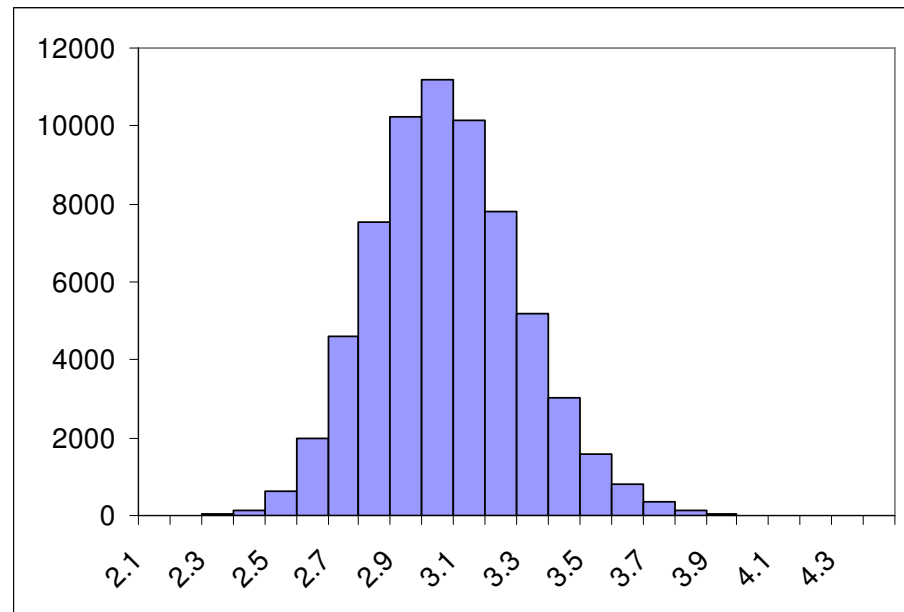
What was a “mistake” in the previous case?

There we spoke about **prediction interval** of  $X/Y$ . Now let's produce the **interval estimation for mean  $X/Y$**

Mean	226.2	76.2
StDev	<b>9.57</b>	<b>5.03</b>

X/Y.m	2.98047943
X/Y.s	0.23616818
min	2.01556098
max	4.31131109

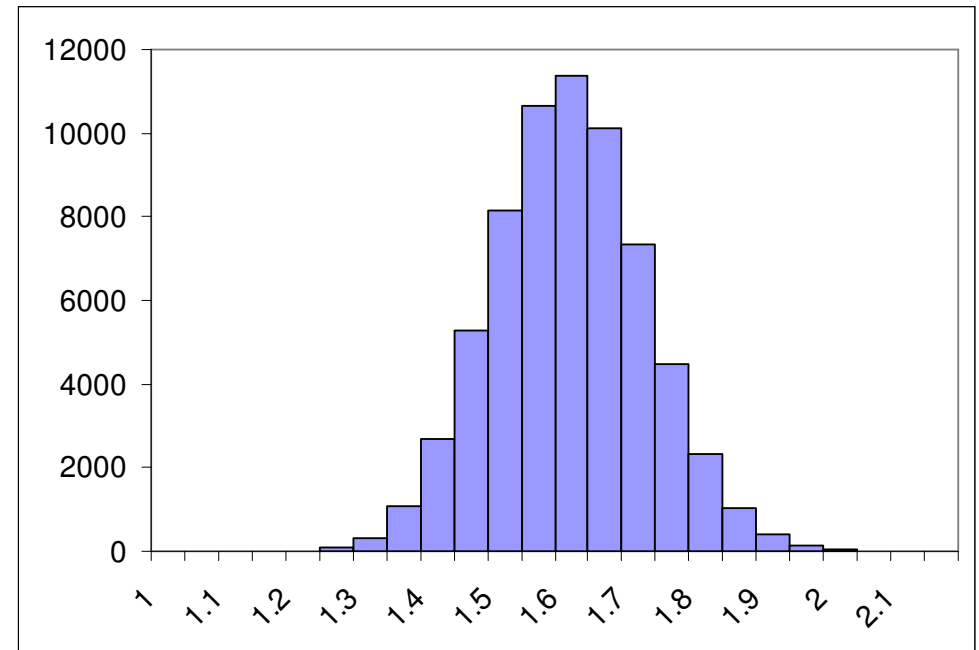
$$E[X/Y] \in [2.55, 3.48]$$



**Q2:** provide an interval estimation for the log fold change  $\log_2(X/Y)$

Mean 1.571052  
Standard Dev 0.113705

$E[\log(X/Y)] \in [1.35, 1.80]$



	Simulation	Normal
2.50%	1.3546	1.3482
97.50%	1.7998	1.7939

# Thank you for your attention

