

# Rcode\_Wichetal\_Usingdronesto.R

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# Wich et al. Using drones to determine chimpanzee absence at the edge  
of their distribution in western Tanzania
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library(unmarked)
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## Warning: package 'unmarked' was built under R version 4.1.3
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library(MuMIn)
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library(AICcmodavg)
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## Attaching package: 'AICcmodavg'
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## The following objects are masked from 'package:MuMIn':
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##      AICc, DIC, importance
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# 1) Running N-mixture models using data from Bonnin et al. 2018 to  
estimate nest detection probability during a flight in a 50x500m plot  
depending on GSD
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# Load detection matrix (from Bonnin et al. 2018, cells indicate  
numbers of nests detected during a drone survey)
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data_presence <- read.csv("nmix_observation_matrix.csv", sep=";",  
header=TRUE)
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data.y <- data_presence[, -1]
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# Load observation-level covariates (covariates affecting detection  
probability, in this case only GSD)
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cov.det<- read.csv("covariate_matrix_GSD.csv", sep=";", header=TRUE)
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obsCovs <- list(GSD=cov.det[,2:4])
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# Create data frame to be used for running N-mixture models
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data.umf <- unmarkedFramePCount (y=data.y, obsCovs = obsCovs)
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summary(data.umf)
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## unmarkedFrame Object
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## 12 sites
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## Maximum number of observations per site: 3
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## Mean number of observations per site: 3
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## Sites with at least one detection: 11
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## Tabulation of y observations:
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## 0 1 2 3 4 5 9 10
## 11 9 2 5 3 2 1 3
##
## Observation-level covariates:
##      GSD
##  Min.   : 1.377
## 1st Qu.: 2.505
##  Median : 3.455
##   Mean   : 4.280
## 3rd Qu.: 6.244
##   Max.   :10.007

# create null and full model using a poisson distribution (abundance is
assumed constant at all sites)
fm0 <- pcount (~1 ~1, data=data.umf)

## Warning in pcount(~1 ~ 1, data = data.umf): K was not specified and
was set to
## 110.

fm1 <- pcount(~GSD ~1, data=data.umf)

## Warning in pcount(~GSD ~ 1, data = data.umf): K was not specified
and was set to
## 110.

# create null and full model using a negativ-binomial distribution
(assumes nests to show a clumped distribution)
fm0NB <- pcount (~1 ~1, data=data.umf, mixture=c("NB"))

## Warning in pcount(~1 ~ 1, data = data.umf, mixture = c("NB")): K was
not
## specified and was set to 110.

fm1NB <- pcount (~GSD ~1, data=data.umf, mixture=c("NB"))

## Warning in pcount(~GSD ~ 1, data = data.umf, mixture = c("NB")): K
was not
## specified and was set to 110.

# run goodness of fit test for global detection models using either
distribution:
chisq <- function(fm) {
  umf <- getData(fm)
  y <- getY(umf)
  y[y>1] <- 1
  sr <- fm@sitesRemoved
  if(length(sr)>0)
    y <- y[-sr,,drop=FALSE]
  fv <- fitted(fm, na.rm=TRUE)
  y[is.na(fv)] <- NA
  sum((y-fv)^2/(fv*(1-fv)), na.rm=TRUE)
}

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}
(pb <- parboot(fm1, chisq, nsim=1000, report=1)) # p = 0.161, model
fits

## t0 = -46.01168

## Running parametric bootstrap in parallel on 7 cores.

## Bootstrapped statistics not reported during parallel processing.

##
## Call: parboot(object = fm1, statistic = chisq, nsim = 1000, report =
1)
##
## Parametric Bootstrap Statistics:
##      t0 mean(t0 - t_B) StdDev(t0 - t_B) Pr(t_B > t0)
## 1 -46          -39.1          172          0.139
##
## t_B quantiles:
##           0% 2.5% 25% 50%  75% 97.5% 100%
## t*1 -2302  -92 -24 -13 -2.5   102 2801
##
## t0 = Original statistic computed from data
## t_B = Vector of bootstrap samples

(pb <- parboot(fm1NB, chisq, nsim=1000, report=1)) # p = 0.579, model
fits

## t0 = 16.98767

## Running parametric bootstrap in parallel on 7 cores.

## Bootstrapped statistics not reported during parallel processing.

##
## Call: parboot(object = fm1NB, statistic = chisq, nsim = 1000, report
= 1)
##
## Parametric Bootstrap Statistics:
##      t0 mean(t0 - t_B) StdDev(t0 - t_B) Pr(t_B > t0)
## 1 17          23.7          182          0.565
##
## t_B quantiles:
##           0% 2.5% 25% 50%  75% 97.5% 100%
## t*1 -1007 -138 -27 -13 -3.5   128 3399
##
## t0 = Original statistic computed from data
## t_B = Vector of bootstrap samples

# both full poisson and NB distribution fit the data (p > 0.05
indicates that modeled data are not different from observed data based
on results from 1000 simulations)

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# check whether Poisson or NB mode provides a more realistic abundance
estimate (compared with ground data in Bonnín et al. 2018)
backTransform(fm1, type="state") # average nest abundance is 24.5 per
site which is less than reported in Bonnín et al. 2018

## Backtransformed linear combination(s) of Abundance estimate(s)
##
## Estimate SE LinComb (Intercept)
## 24.5 22.9 3.2 1
##
## Transformation: exp

backTransform(fm1NB, type="state") # average nest abundance is 39.6 per
site which coincides with information reported in Bonnín et al. 2018

## Backtransformed linear combination(s) of Abundance estimate(s)
##
## Estimate SE LinComb (Intercept)
## 39.6 15.1 3.68 1
##
## Transformation: exp

# check AICc
AICc(fm1) # AICc = 173.98

## [1] 173.984

AICc(fm1NB) # AICc = 162.98 -> NB model better suitable than Poisson
model

## [1] 162.9758

AICc(fm0) # AICc = 198.25 -> delta AIC is larger than 7 (delta AIC =
35.27 compared to fm1NB), indicating that GSD is a valid predictor for
detection probability

## [1] 198.2533

# choose NB model for further calculation:
detback <- linearComb(fm1NB, c(0, 4.280), type="det") # 4.280 is the
average GSD used in Bonnín et al. 2018
backTransform(detback) # back-transformed nest detection probability is
0.196 at average GSD (SE = 0.0454)

## Backtransformed linear combination(s) of Detection estimate(s)
##
## Estimate SE LinComb (Intercept) GSD
## 0.196 0.0454 -1.41 0 4.28
##
## Transformation: logistic

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backTransform(fm0, type='det') # back-transformed nest detection
probability is 0.03 for null model at average GSD

## Backtransformed linear combination(s) of Detection estimate(s)
##
## Estimate      SE LinComb (Intercept)
##    0.0307 0.00866   -3.45           1
##
## Transformation: logistic

# Predicting nest detection probability depending on GSD:
newdata <- data.frame(GSD=seq(1.46,5.86, length=480)) #predicting
different values from minimum GSD and maximum GSD used during Wich et
al. 2022 flights
Ep <- predict(fm1NB, type="det", newdata=newdata, appendData=TRUE)

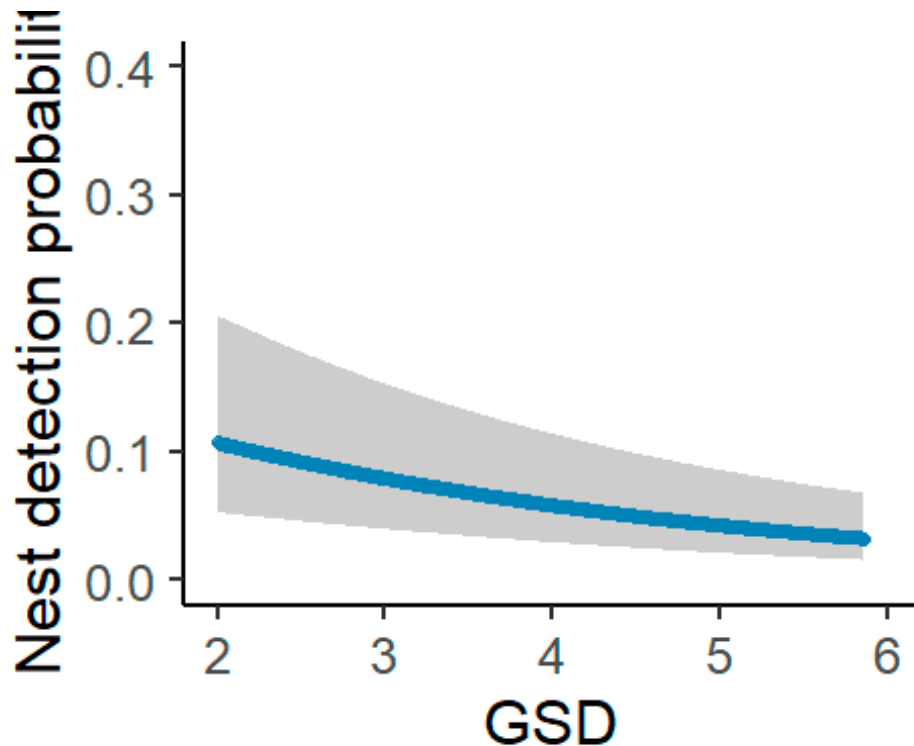
# Graph for Figure 3 based on predicted values
library(ggplot2)

## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.1.3

ggplot(data = Ep,
       aes(x = GSD,
           y = Predicted)) +
  geom_ribbon(aes(x=GSD, ymin=lower, ymax=upper), fill="gray80")+
  scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 0.4))+
  geom_point(color="steelblue",
            size = 2,
            alpha=.8) +
  xlim(2,6)+
  labs(x = "GSD",
       y = "Nest detection probability") +
  theme_classic(base_size=23)

## Warning: Removed 59 rows containing missing values (geom_point).

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write.csv(Ep, 'Predictions.csv')
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*# 2) Use predicted data from Predictions.csv to calculate nest detection probability during flights from Wich et al. (reported in Table 2)*

*# 3) Predicting false-absence probabilities depending on GSD and number of surveyed plots*

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Figure5 <- read.csv("Predictions_Figure5.csv", sep=";", header=TRUE) #  
based on predictions from Predictions.csv, extrapolated for varying plot  
numbers for three different GSDs
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*# Graph for Figure 5 based on predicted values from Predictions\_Figure5*

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ggplot(data = Figure5,  
      aes(x = Plots,  
          y = FN_prob)) +  
  geom_ribbon(aes(x=Plots, ymin=FN_lower, ymax=FN_upper),  
            fill="gray80")+  
  scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 0.5))+  
  geom_point(color="steelblue",  
            size = 2,  
            alpha=.8) +
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xlim(0,150)+
labs(x = "Number of surveyed plots",
     y = "False-absence probability") +
theme_classic(base_size=23)+
geom_hline(yintercept = 0.05, linetype = 2, color="red")+
facet_grid(cols=vars(GSD))
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## Warning: Removed 207 rows containing missing values (geom\_point).

