

Random Effects (I)

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REML criterion at convergence: 1257.7
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Scaled residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-1.82638	-0.54453	-0.07602	0.59091	1.90812

Random effects:

Groups	Name	Variance	Std.Dev.
day	(Intercept)	46.78	6.840
	Residual	25.74	5.074

Number of obs: 184, groups: day, 92

Fixed effects:

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(Intercept)	21.59877	1.68542	12.815
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year1962	-0.83338	0.79847	-1.044
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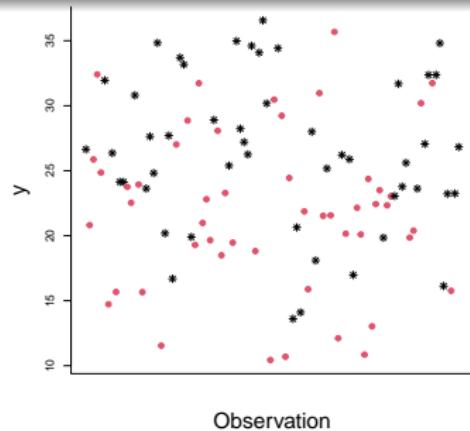
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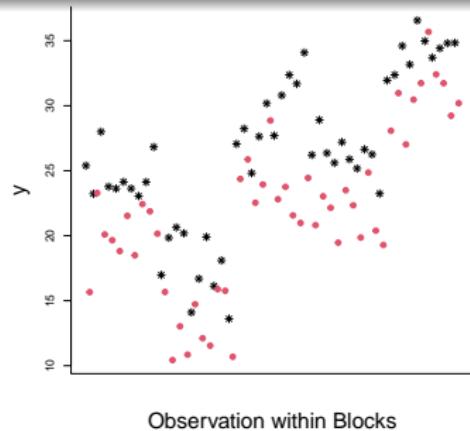
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> coef(summary(traffic_m1))
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limityes	-3.66426709	1.35558556	-2.703088	7.527902e-03
year1962	-1.34853031	1.31120928	-1.028463	3.051121e-01
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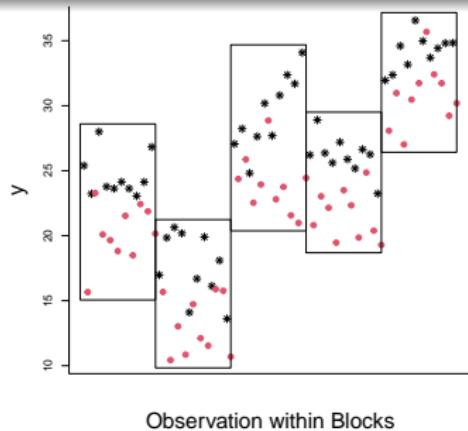
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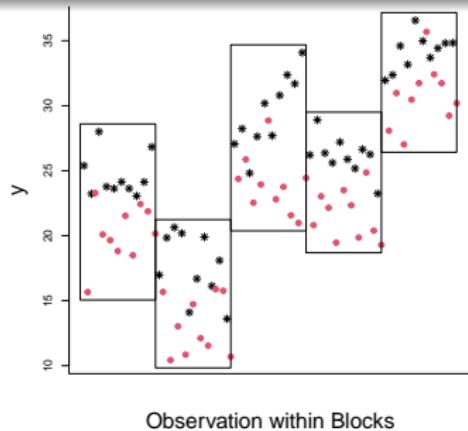
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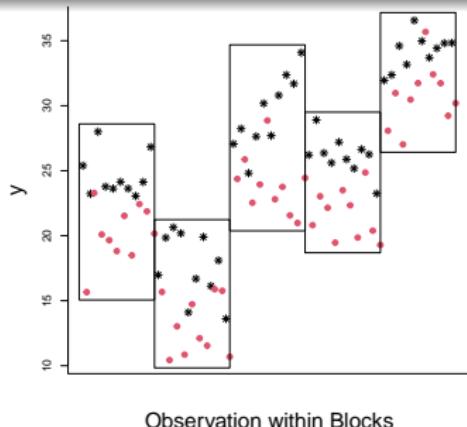


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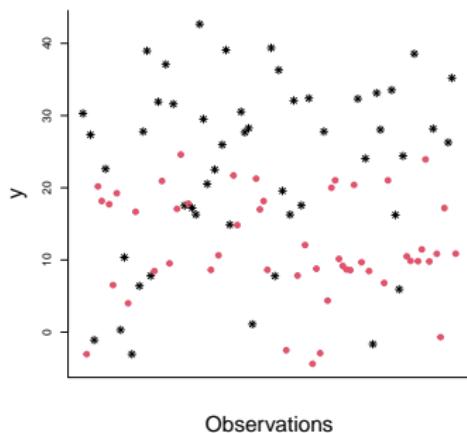


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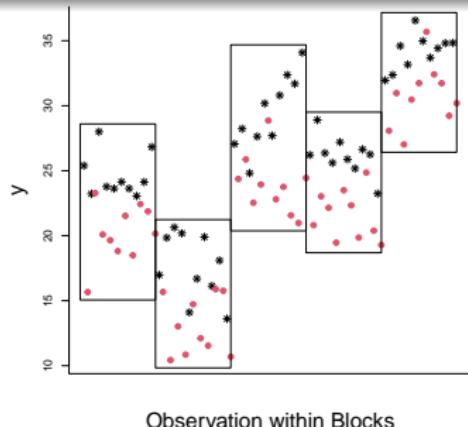
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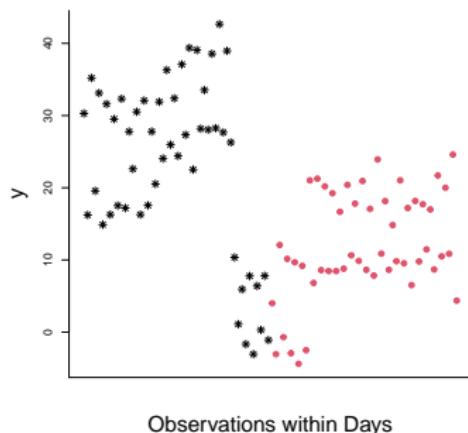
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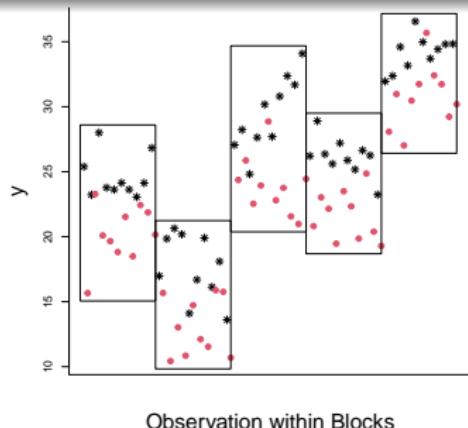
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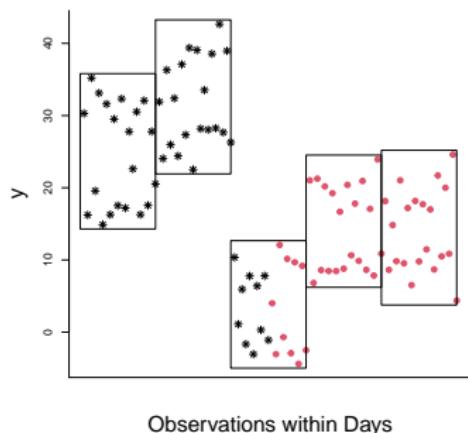
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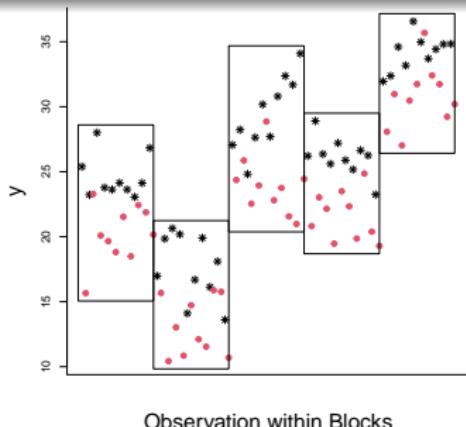
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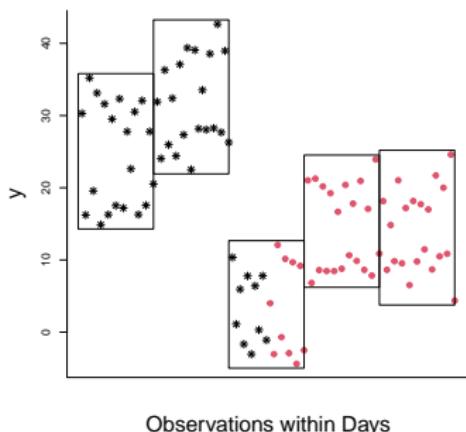
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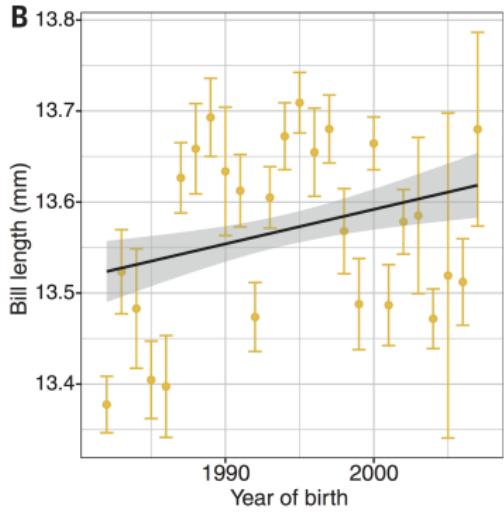
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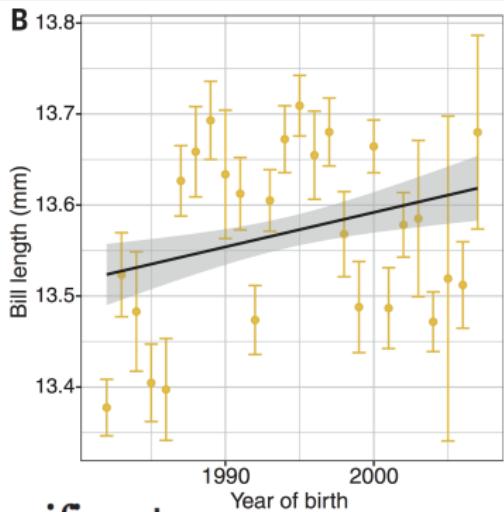
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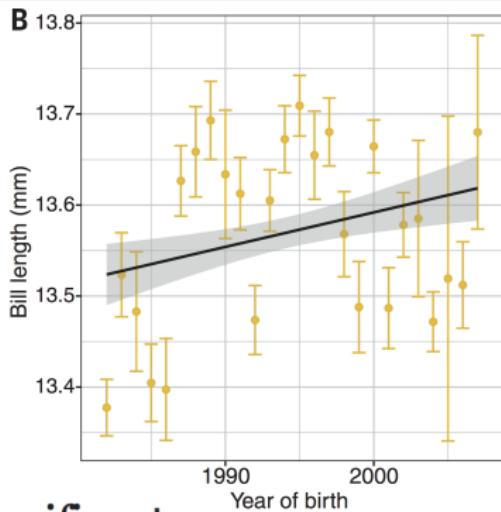
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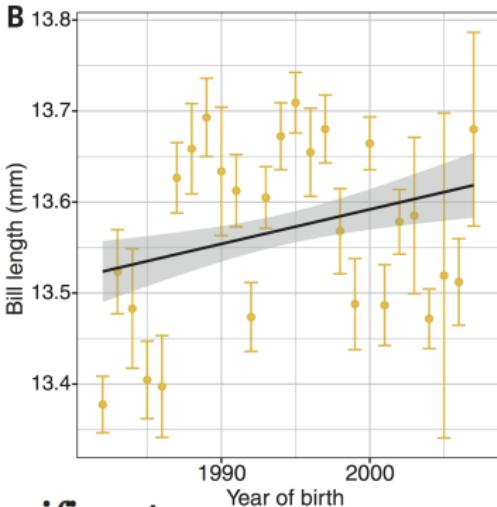


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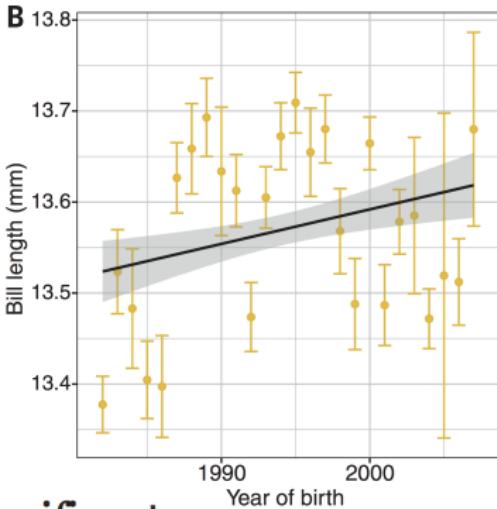


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REML criterion at convergence: 1257.7
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Scaled residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-1.82638	-0.54453	-0.07602	0.59091	1.90812

Random effects:

Groups	Name	Variance	Std.Dev.
day	(Intercept)	46.78	6.840
	Residual	25.74	5.074

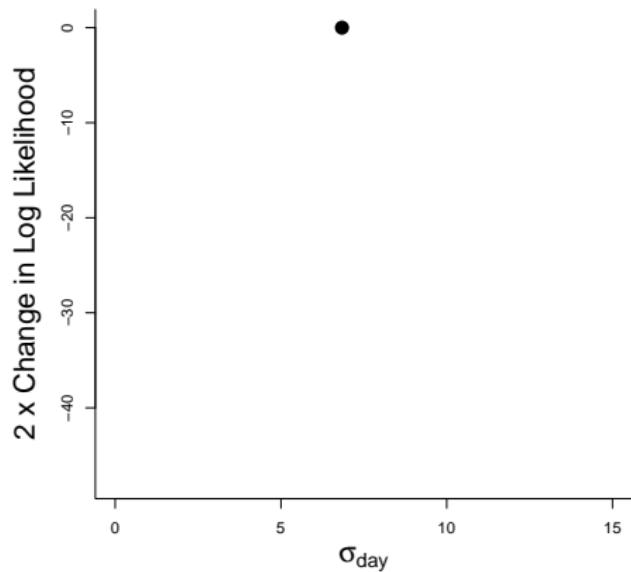
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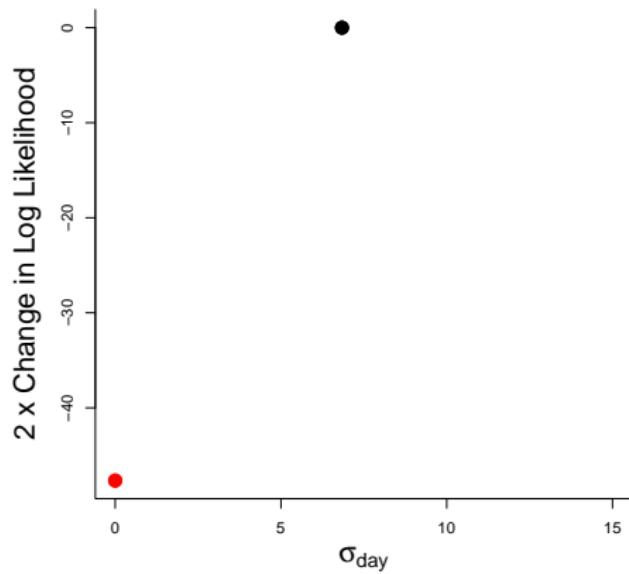
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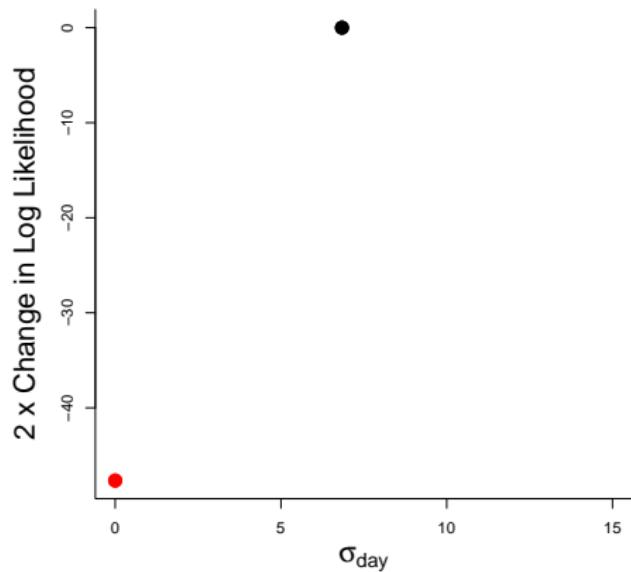
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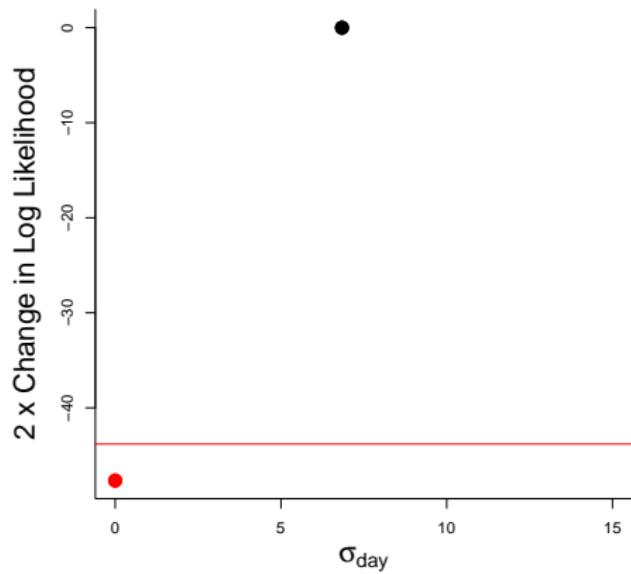
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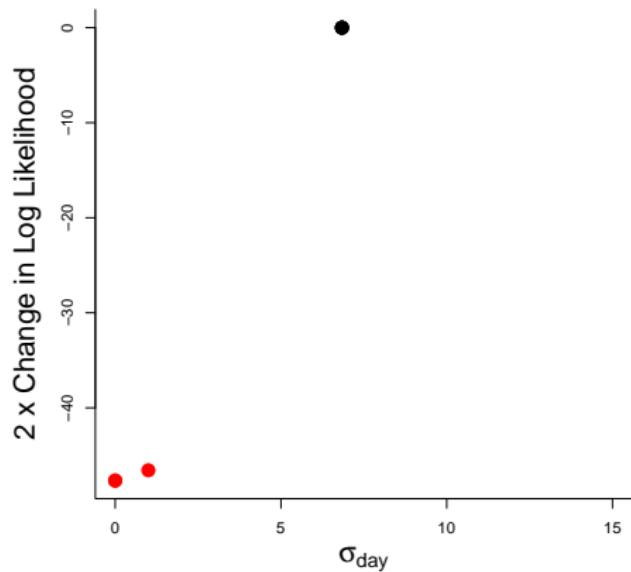
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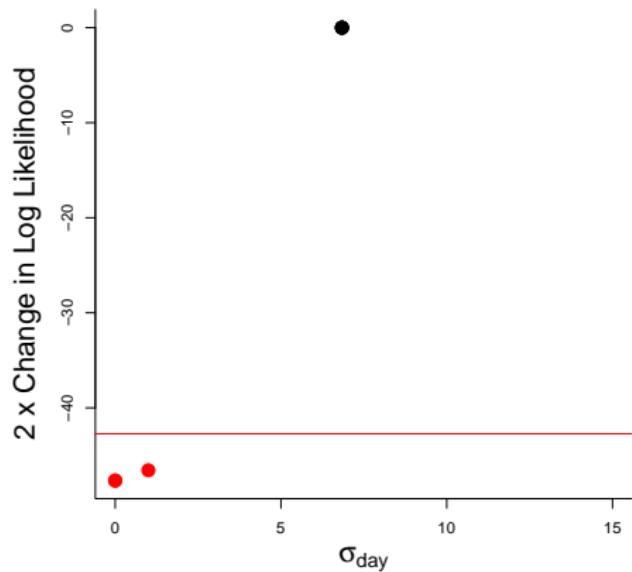
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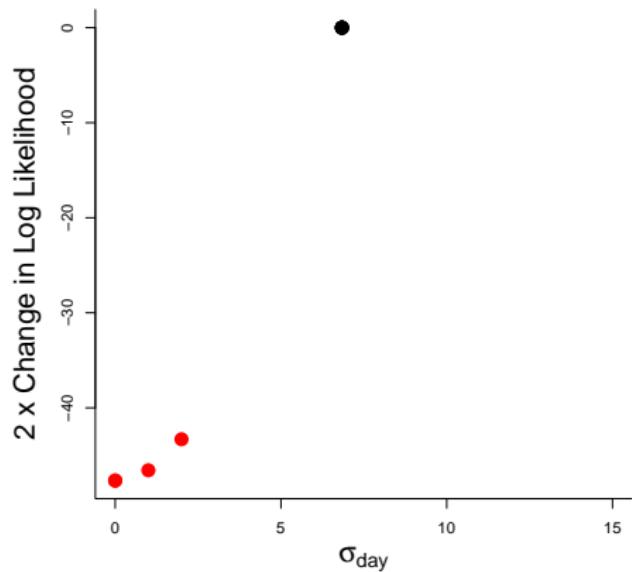
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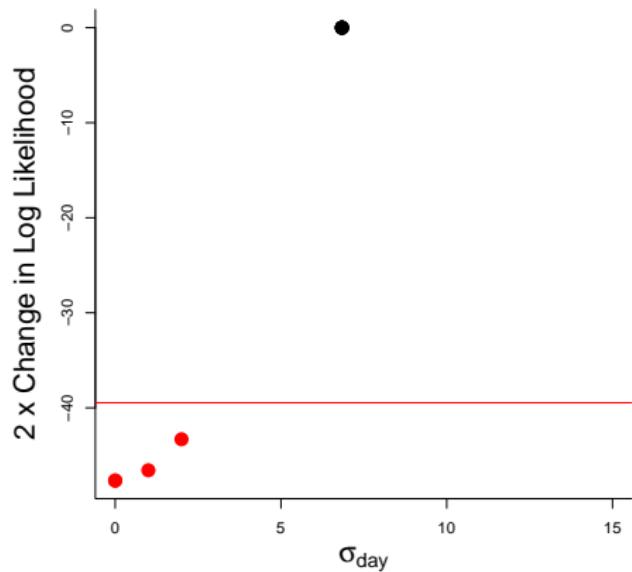
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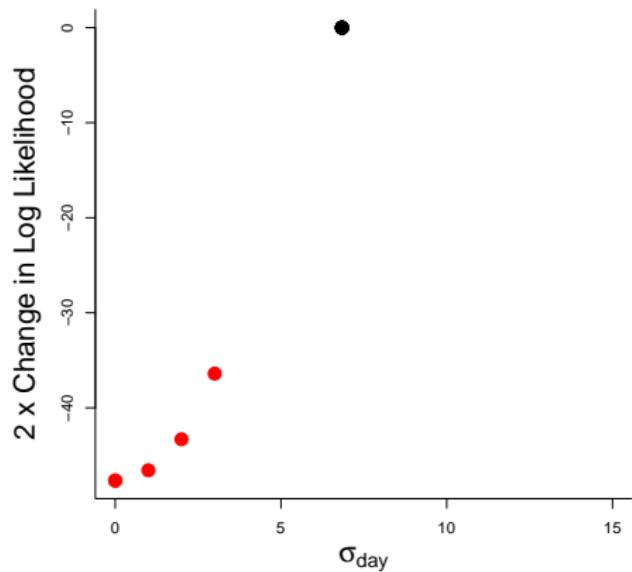
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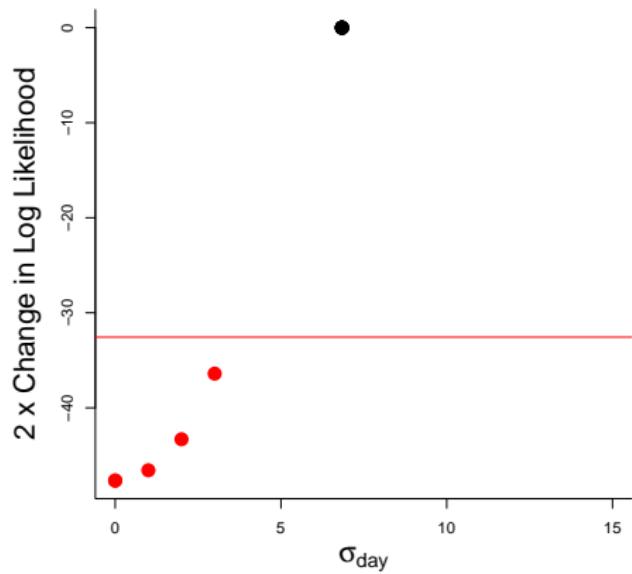
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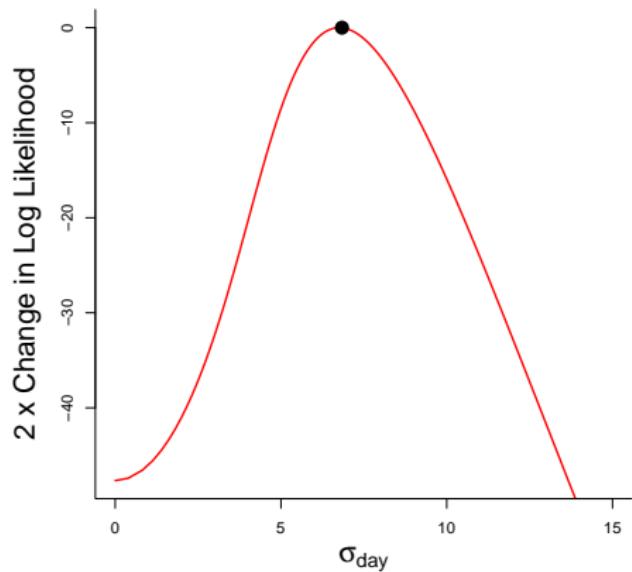
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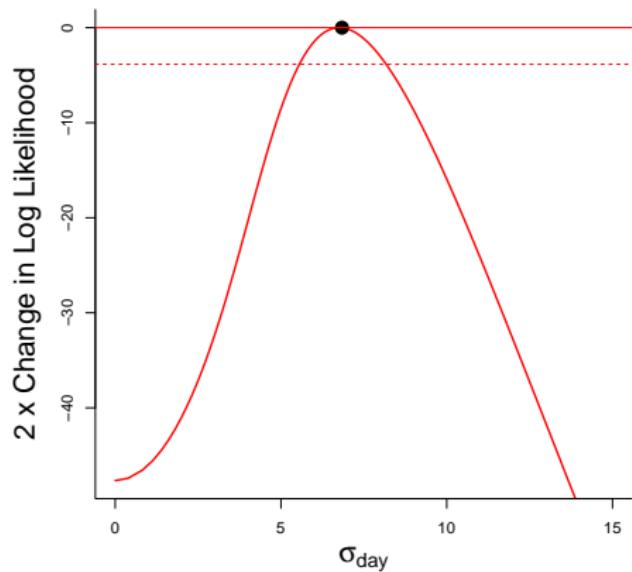
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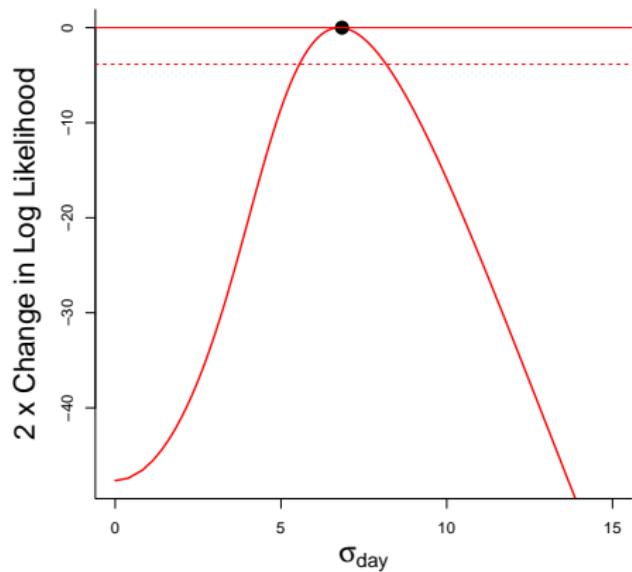
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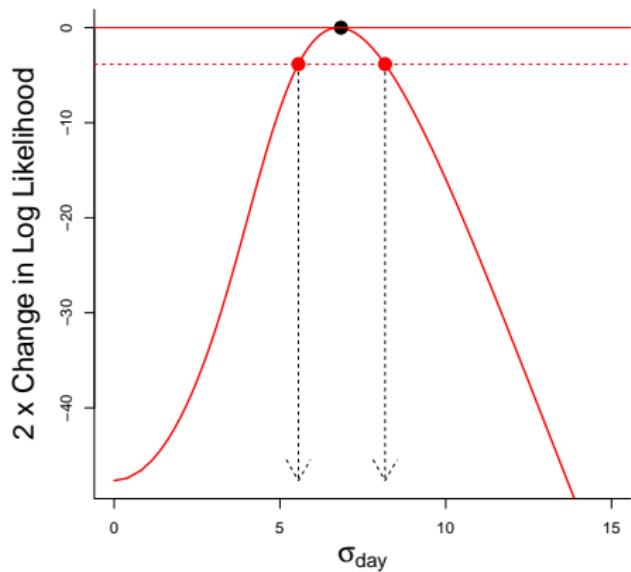
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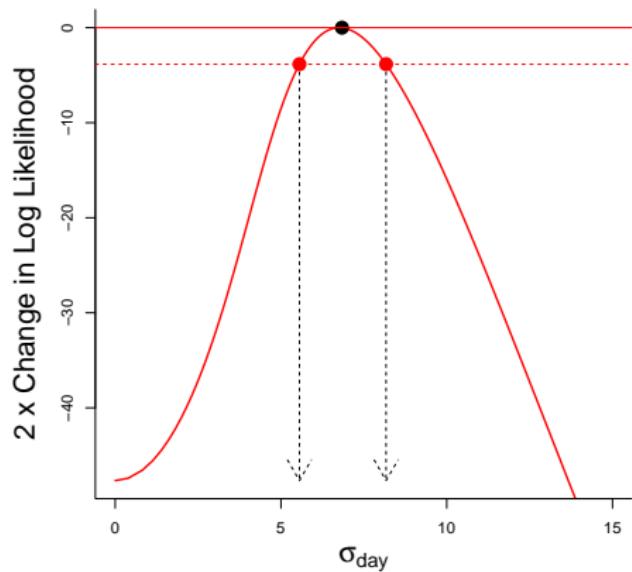
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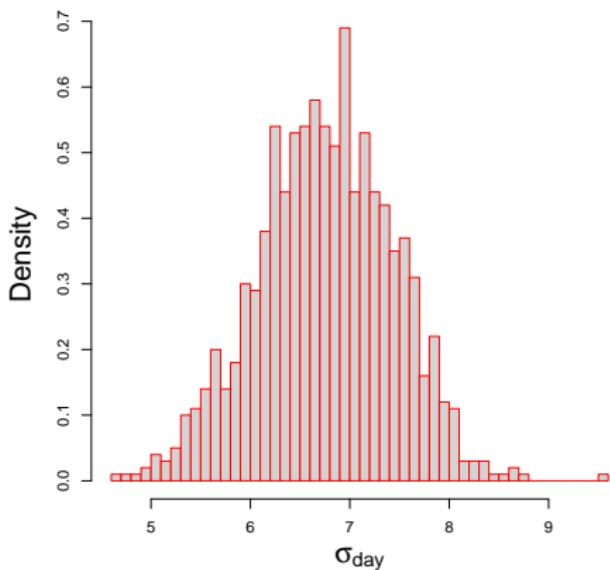
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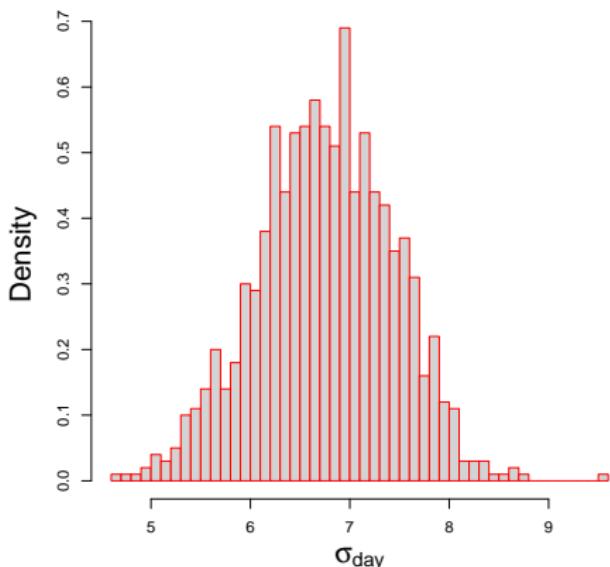
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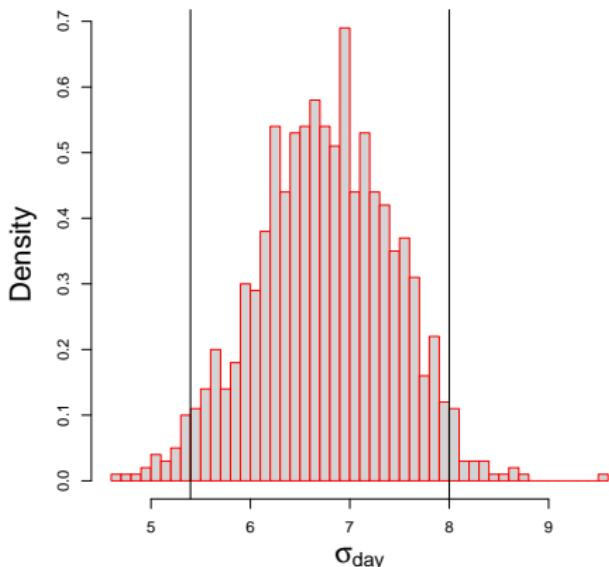
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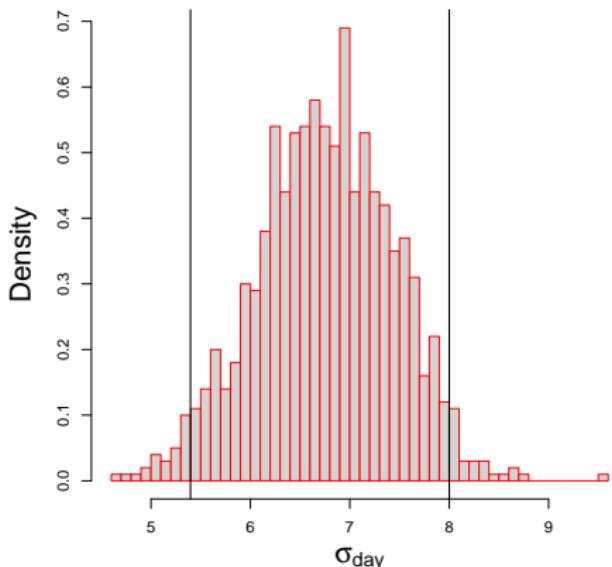
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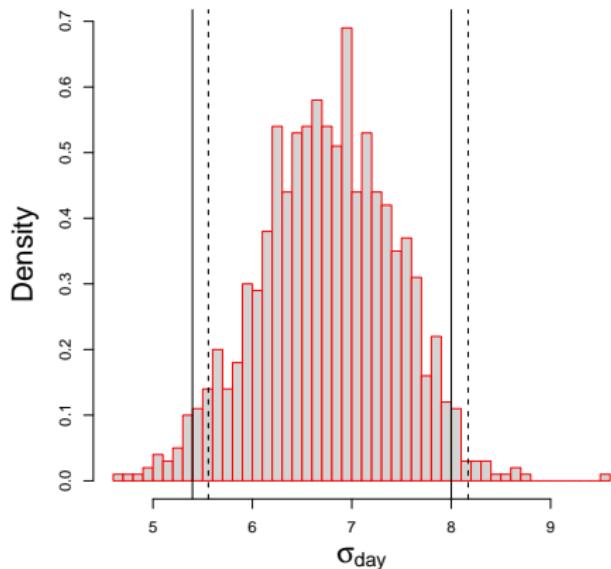


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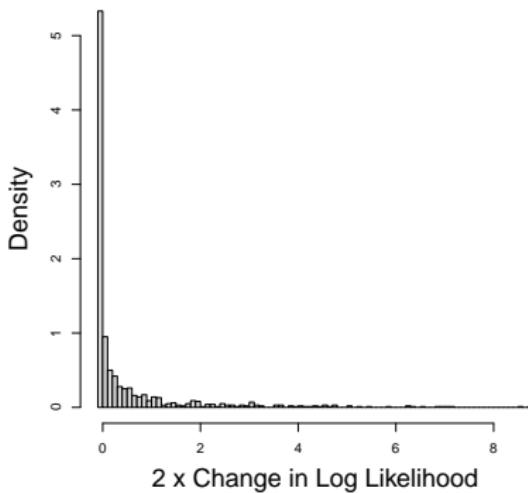
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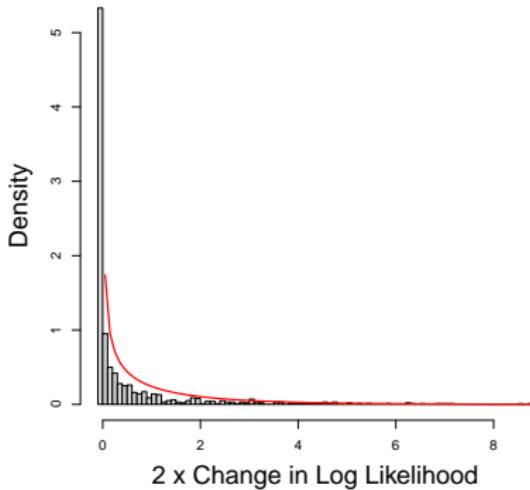
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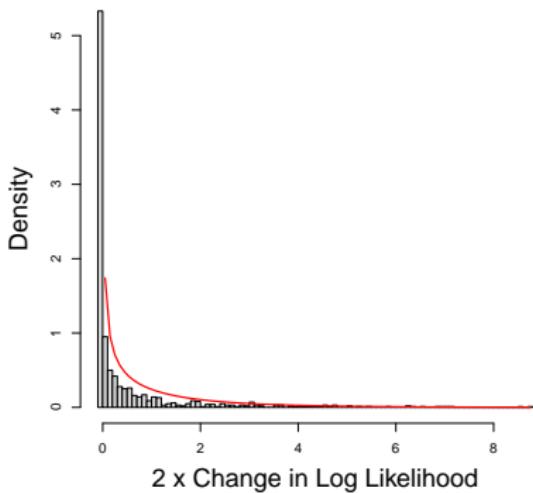
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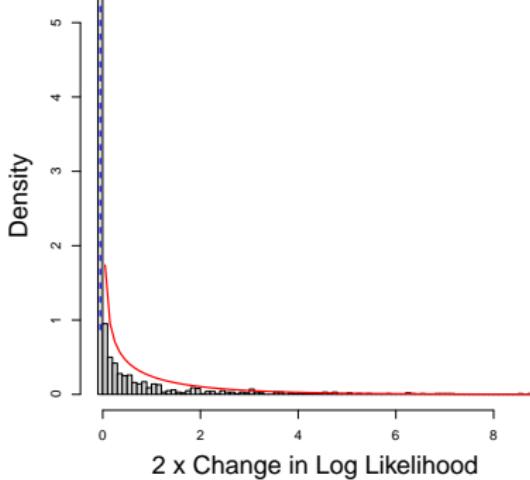
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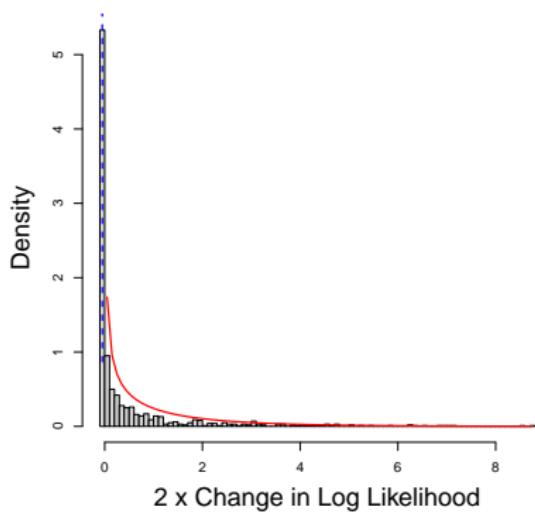
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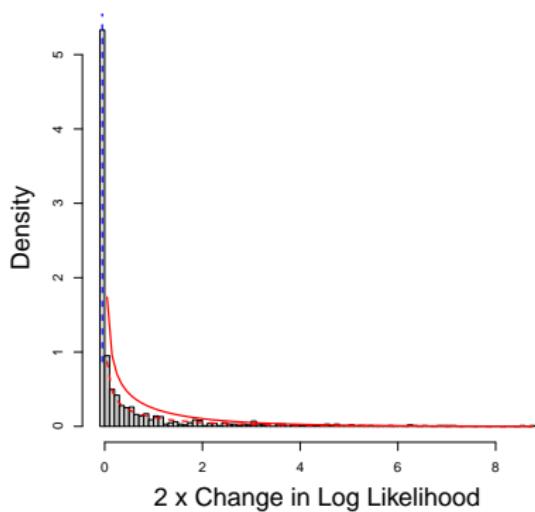
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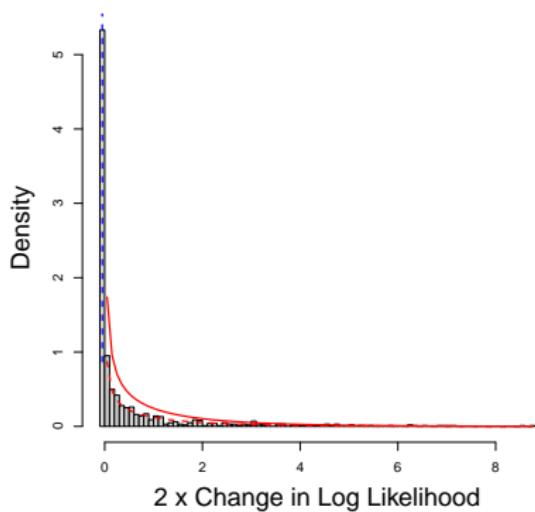
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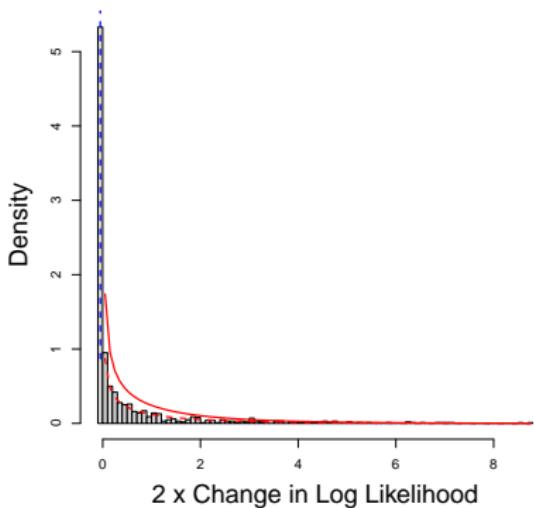
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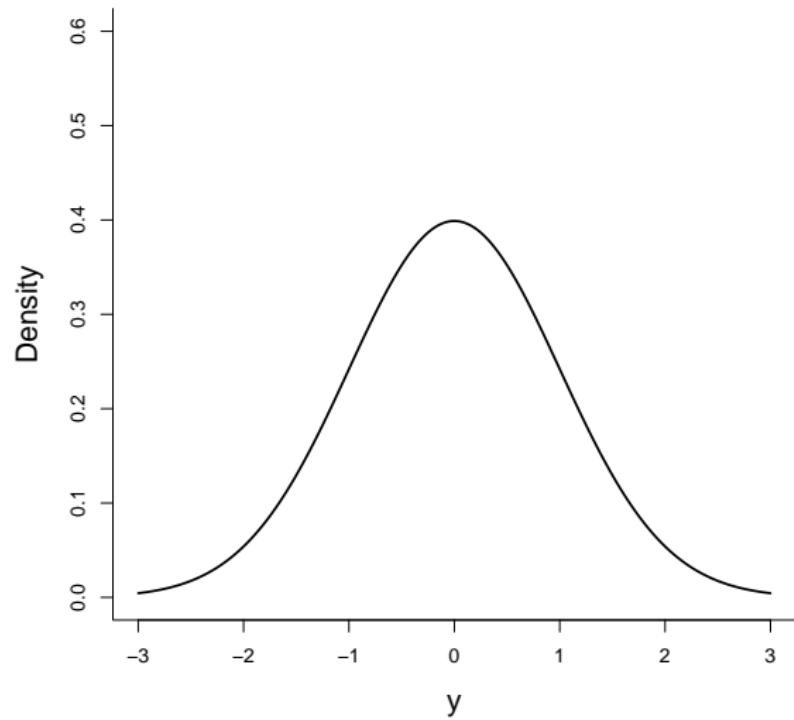
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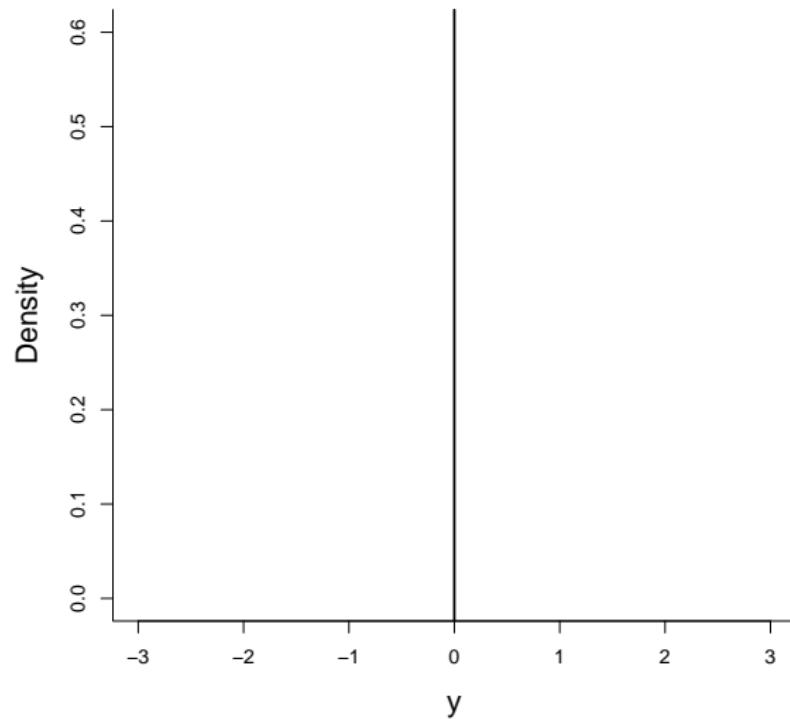
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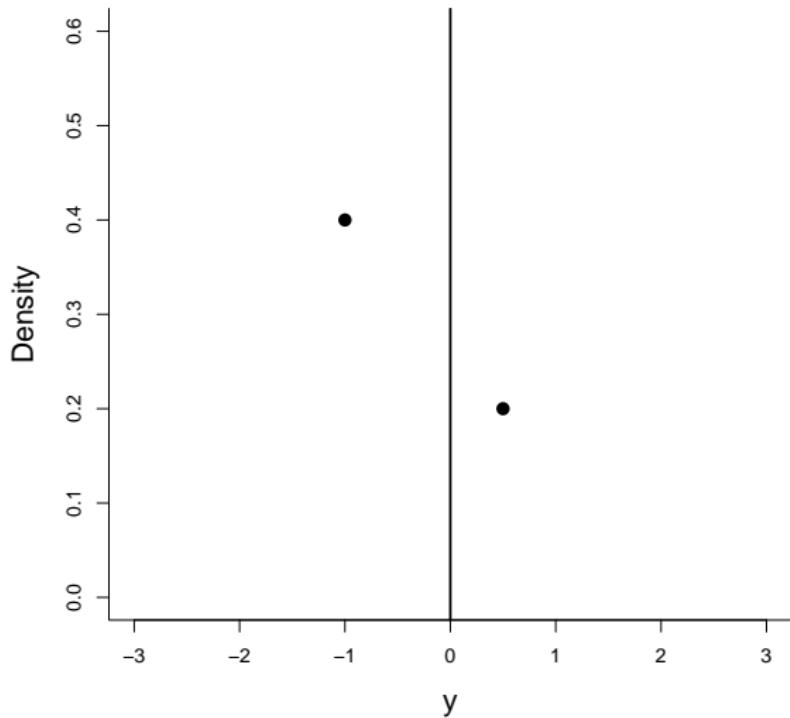
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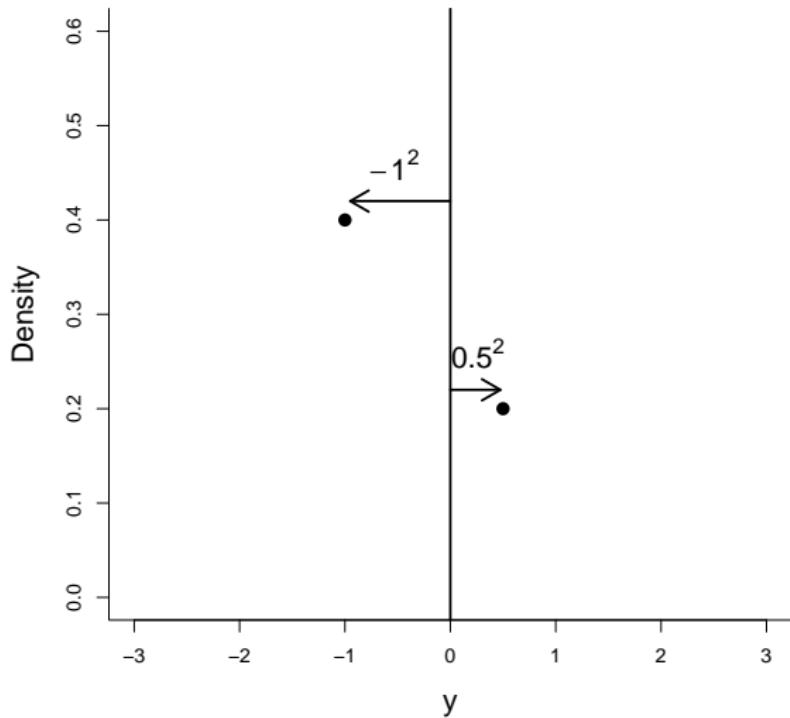
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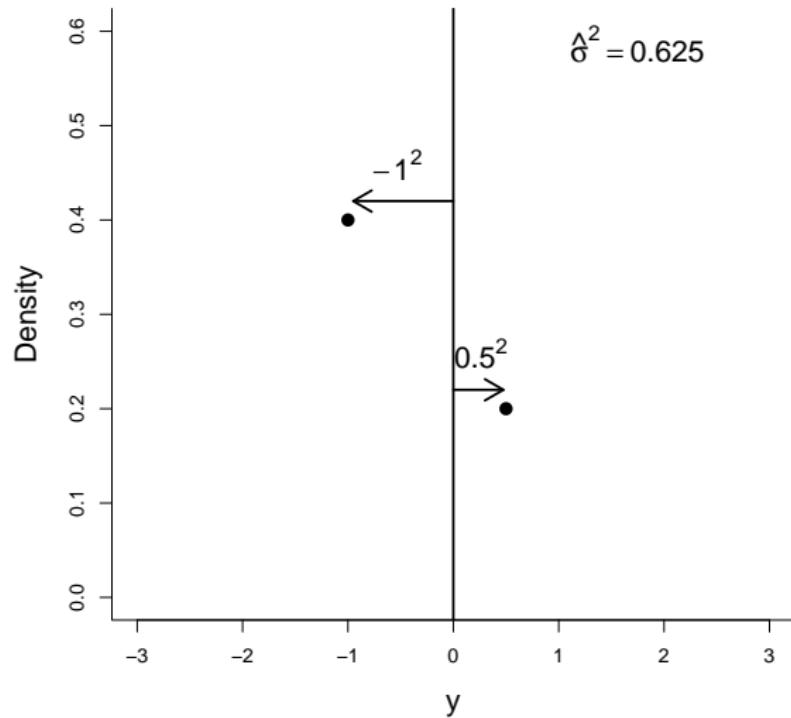
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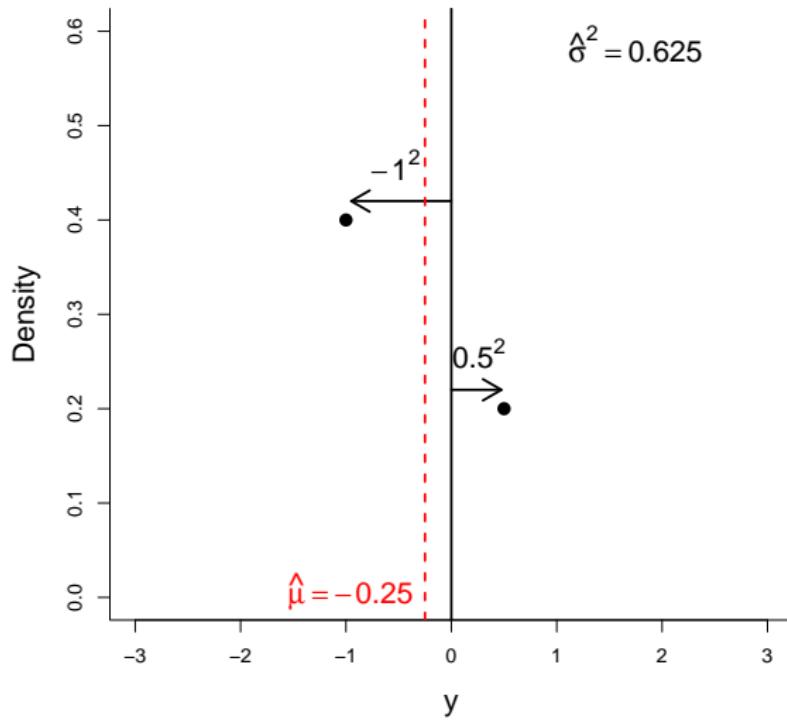
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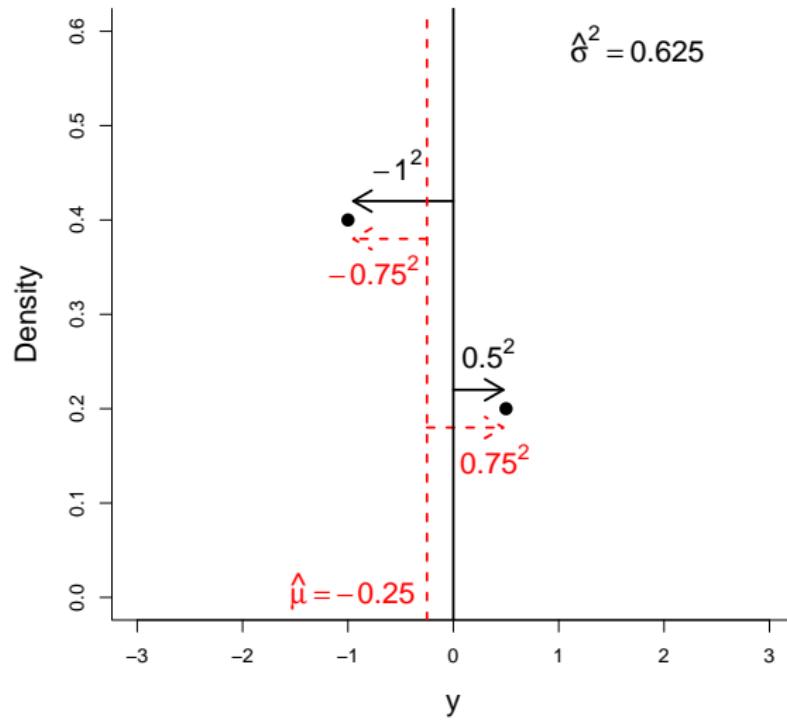
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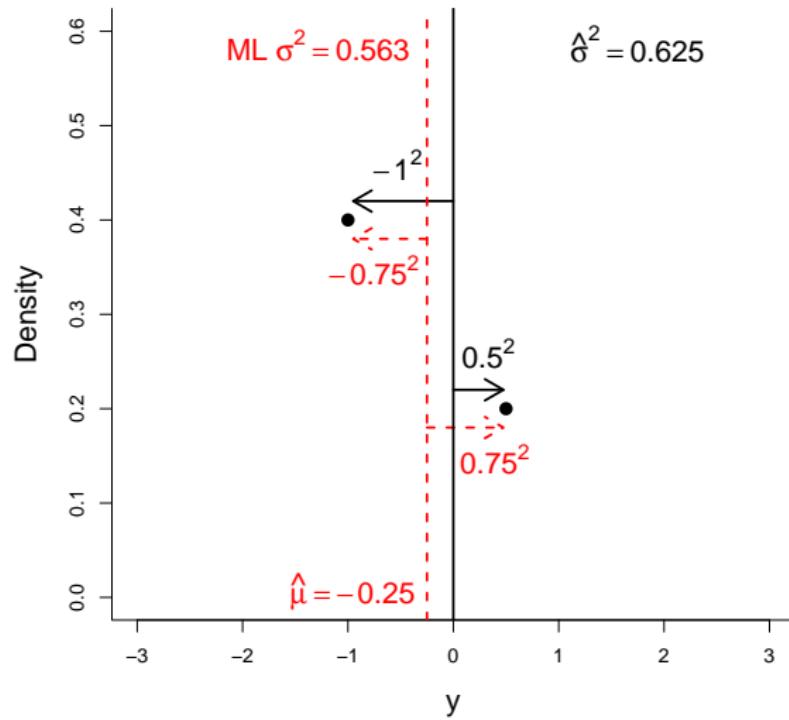
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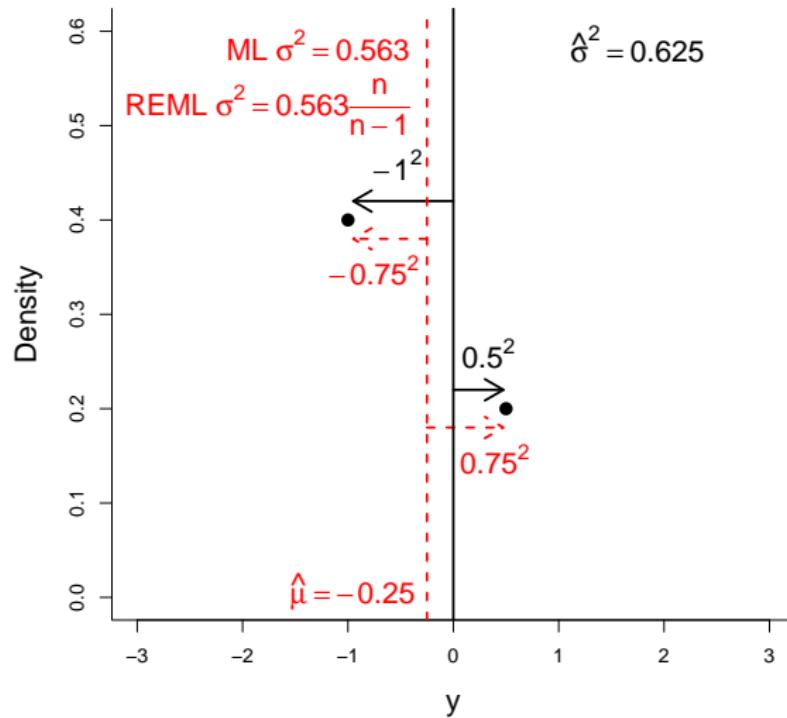
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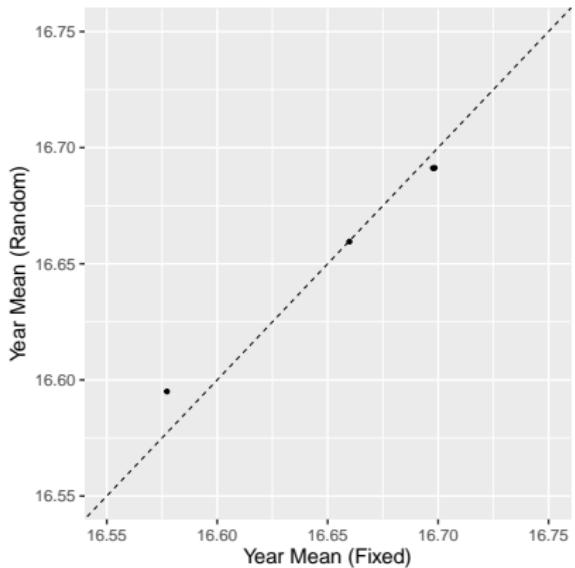
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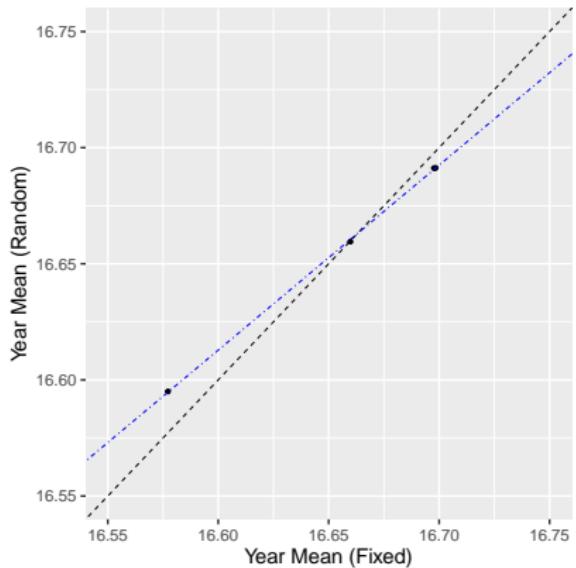
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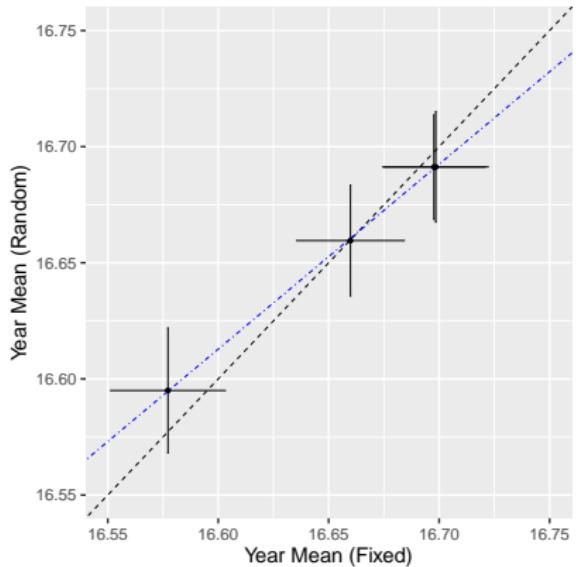
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