

# Risk Reporting and Risk Monitoring during the Zombie Apocalypse

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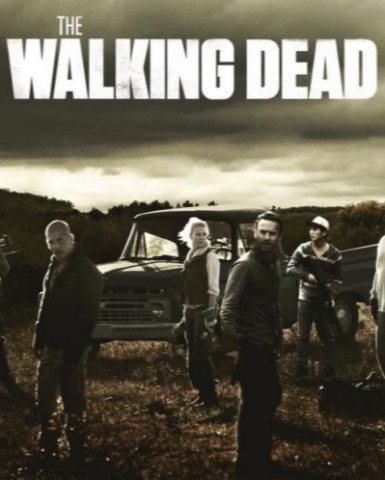
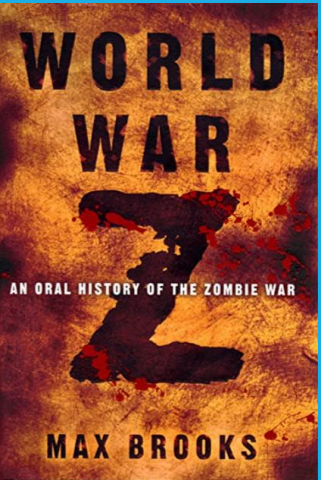
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About 1,100,000,000 results (0.71 seconds)

# Presentation structure

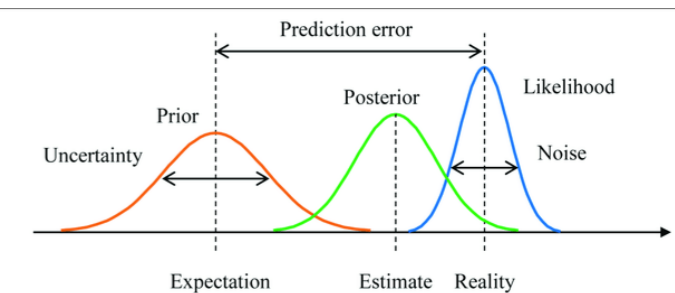
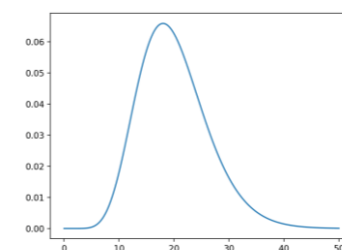
<h2>You are the Zombie!</h2>			
<h3>Heat maps</h3>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Easy, conceptual and no fancy tricks</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There may be some statistical concepts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Some coding and statistics may be involved</li> </ul>

Medium Risk of dying due to famine

We can sustain 5 to 45 colonists

We have 90% chance of sustaining between 10 and 35 colonists

Updated with today's data, we have a 90% chance of sustaining between 12 and 37, with potable water being the key factor



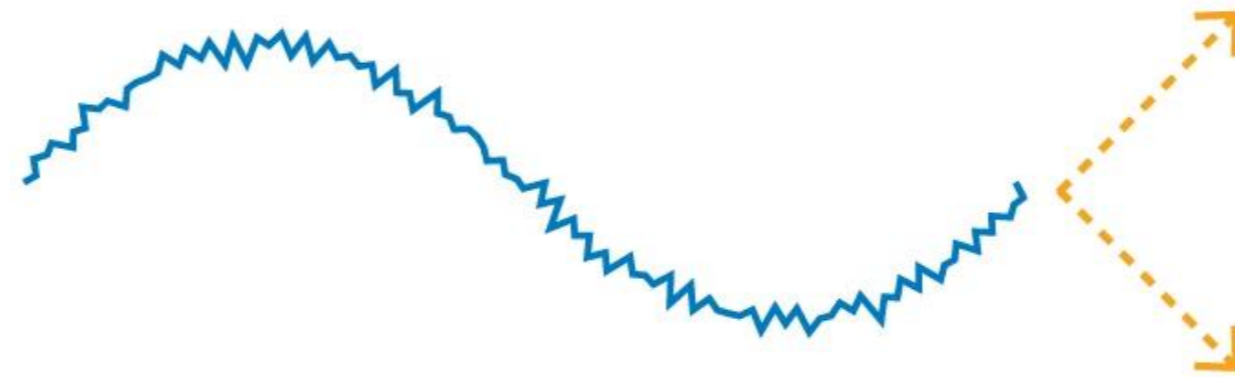
# Signal and Noise



- Sometime, simple methods may work.
- But complexity is a...

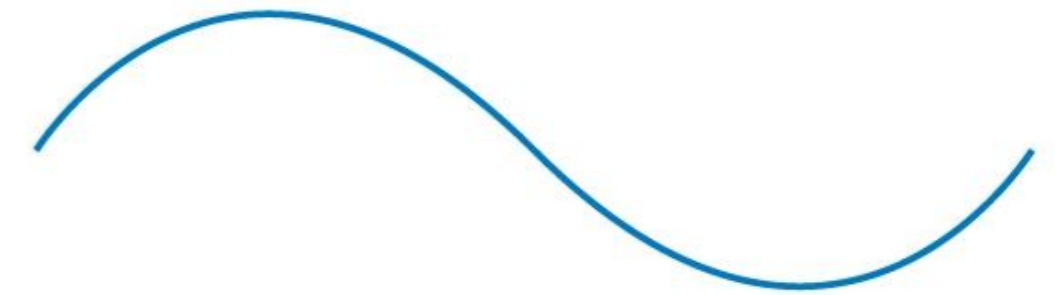
What we observe

**SIGNAL + NOISE**

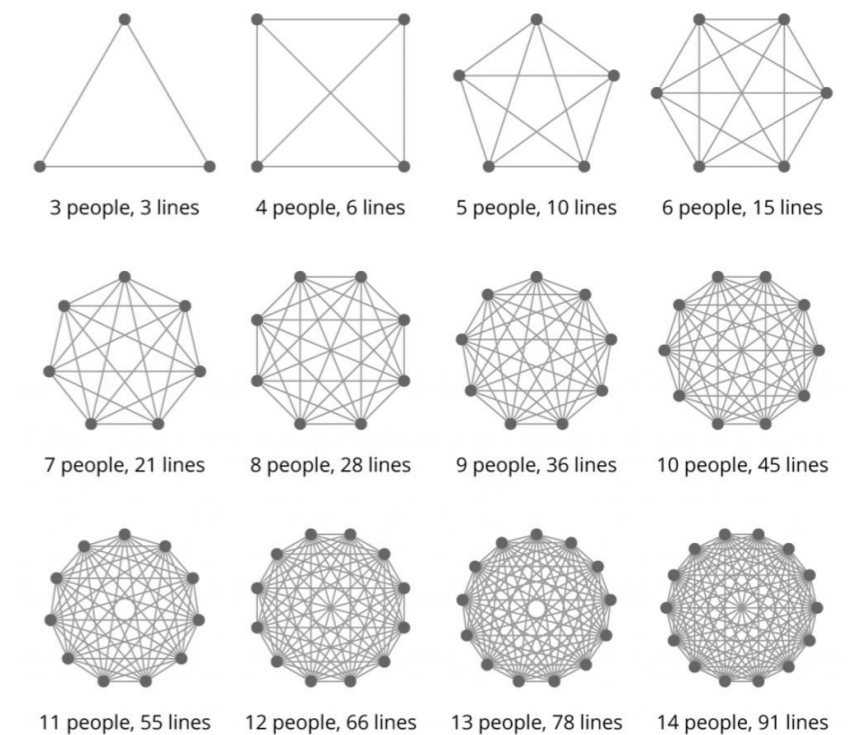


Isolated noise from signal

**SIGNAL**



**NOISE**



# Preparedness



Robust



Resilient



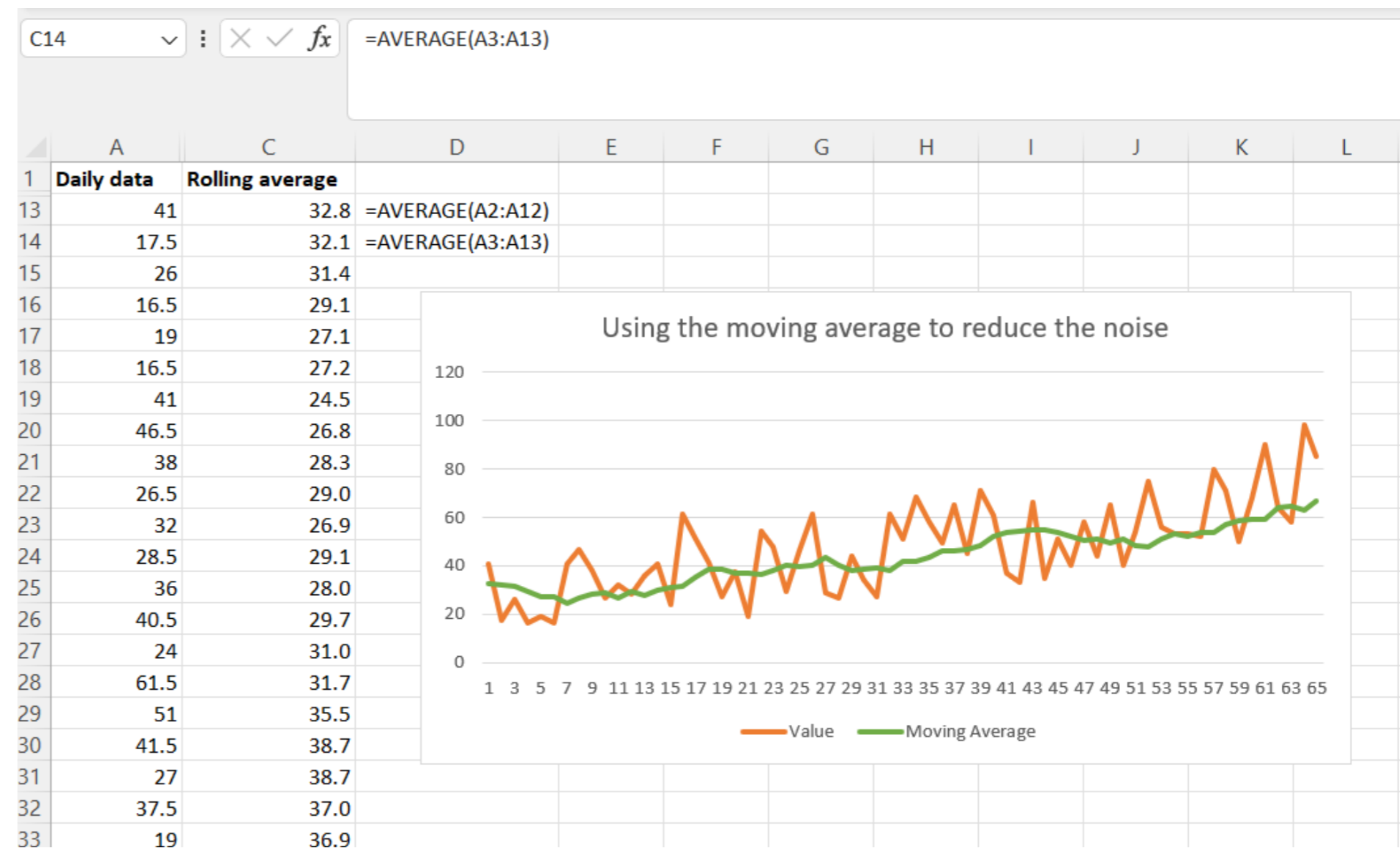
Warned

# Talking about risks and trends



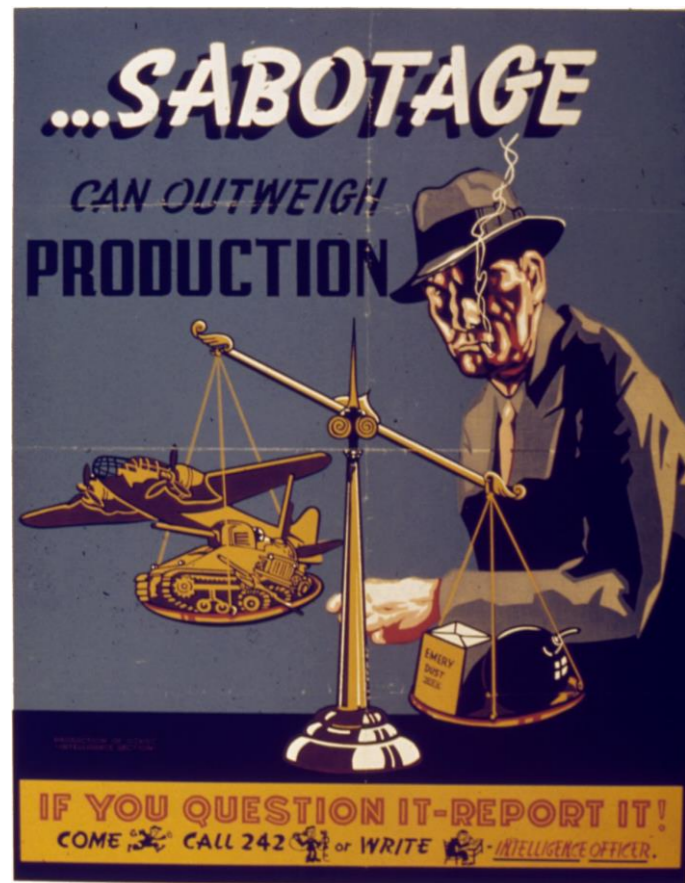
- Cut the jargon and take the time to explain principles.
- Talking in ranges and presenting assumptions.

$$\bar{a}_{SM} = \bar{a}_{SM\_prev} + \frac{1}{n} (x_M - x_{M-n})$$



# Causality

- Some qualitative methods are useful, even when trying to establish causality.



Sufficient for affirming causal inference

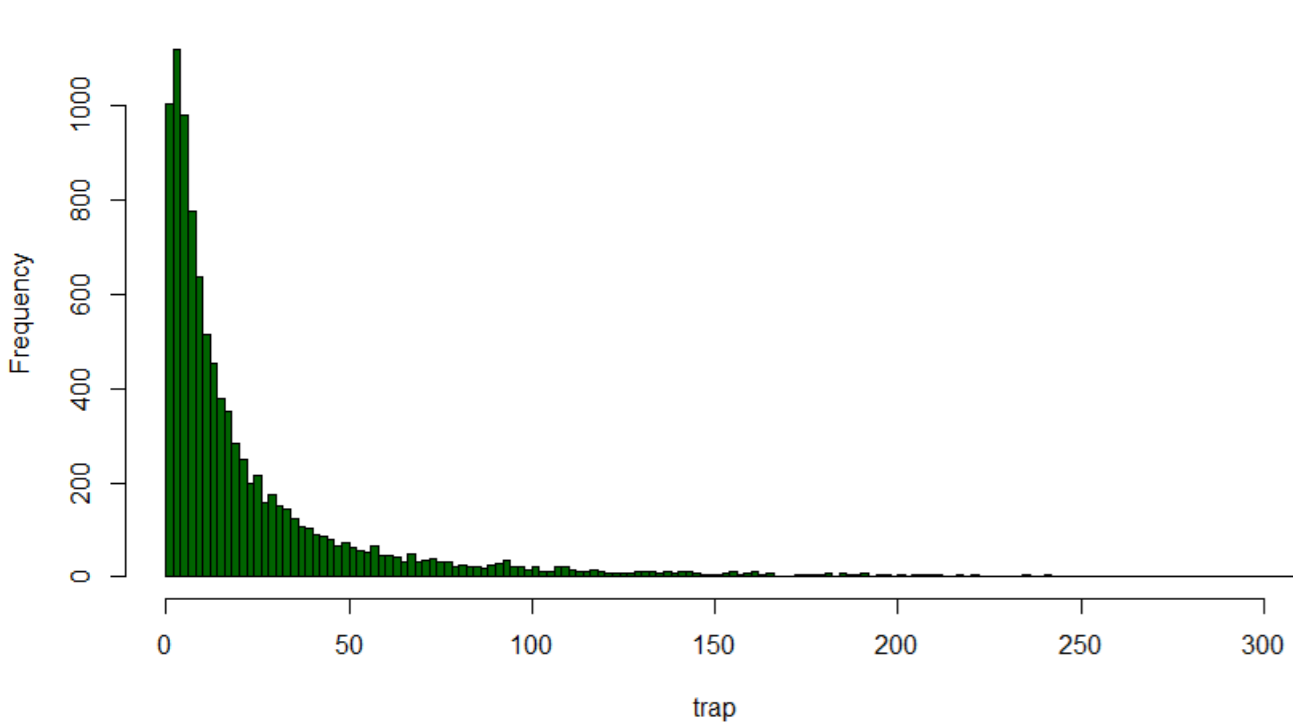
		No	Yes
Necessary for affirming causal inference	No	<p><b>1. Straw-in-the-Wind</b></p> <p>a. <b>Passing:</b> Affirm relevance of hypothesis, but does not confirm it.                      b. <b>Failing:</b> Hypothesis is not eliminated, but is slightly weakened.</p>	<p><b>3. Smoking-Gun</b></p> <p>a. <b>Passing:</b> Confirm hypothesis.                      b. <b>Failing:</b> Hypothesis is not eliminated, but is somewhat weakened.</p>
	Yes	<p><b>2. Hoop</b></p> <p>a. <b>Passing:</b> Affirm relevance of hypothesis, but does not confirm it.                      b. <b>Failing:</b> Eliminates hypothesis.</p>	<p><b>4. Double Decisive</b></p> <p>a. <b>Passing:</b> Confirm hypothesis and eliminates others.                      b. <b>Failing:</b> Eliminates hypothesis.</p>

Lintelo, D. & Munslow, T. & Pittore, Katherine & Lakshman, Rajith. (2019).

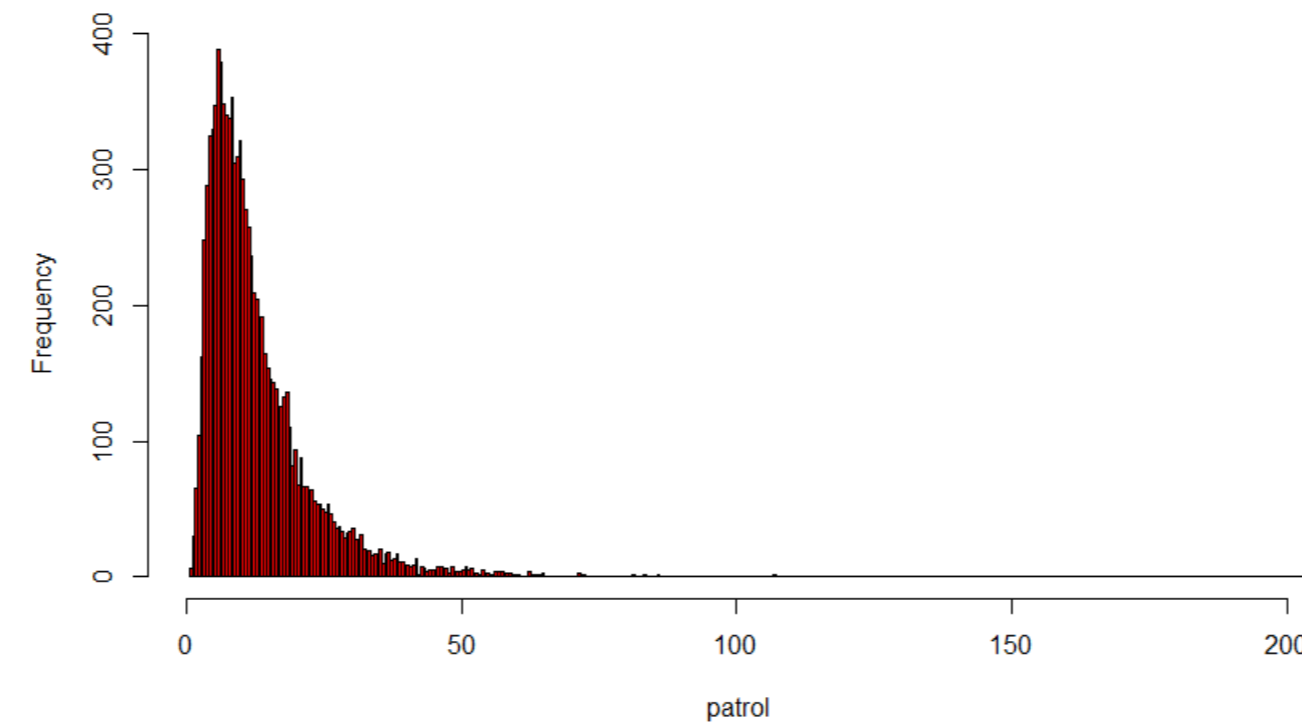
# Objectives level using R



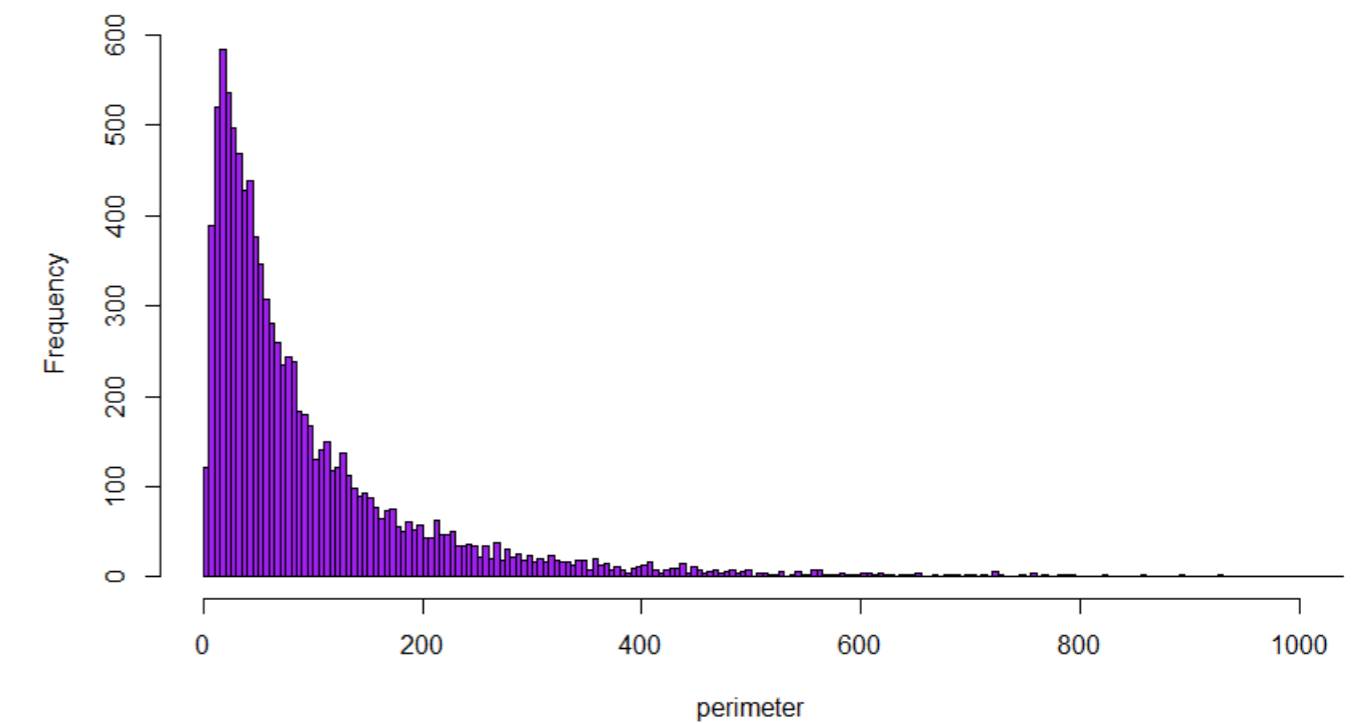
Histogram of trap



Histogram of patrol



Histogram of perimeter



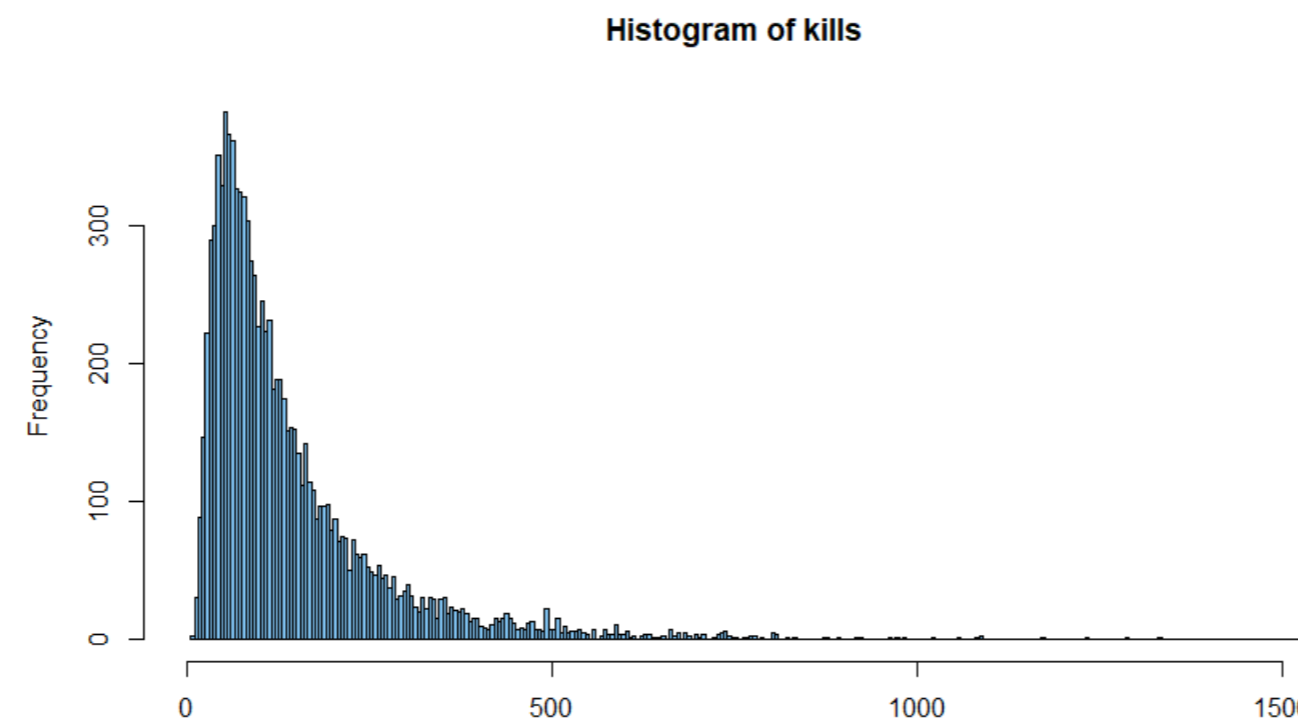
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trap <- rlnorm(10000, log(12), log(4))  
patrol <- rlnorm(10000, log(10), log(2))  
perimeter <- rlnorm(10000, log(60), log(3))
```

```
p1 <- hist(trap, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,300), col="darkgreen")  
p2 <- hist(patrol, breaks=500, xlim=c(1,200), col="red")  
p3 <- hist(perimeter, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,1000), col="purple")
```

# Objectives level using R



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kills <- trap + patrol + perimeter  
hist(kills, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,1500), col ="skyblue2")
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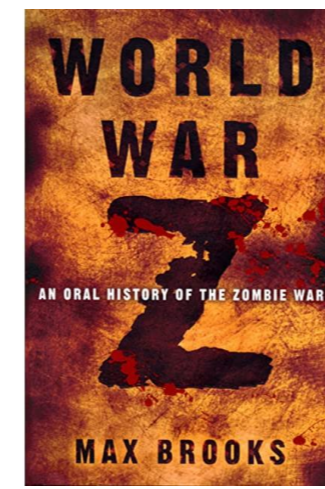
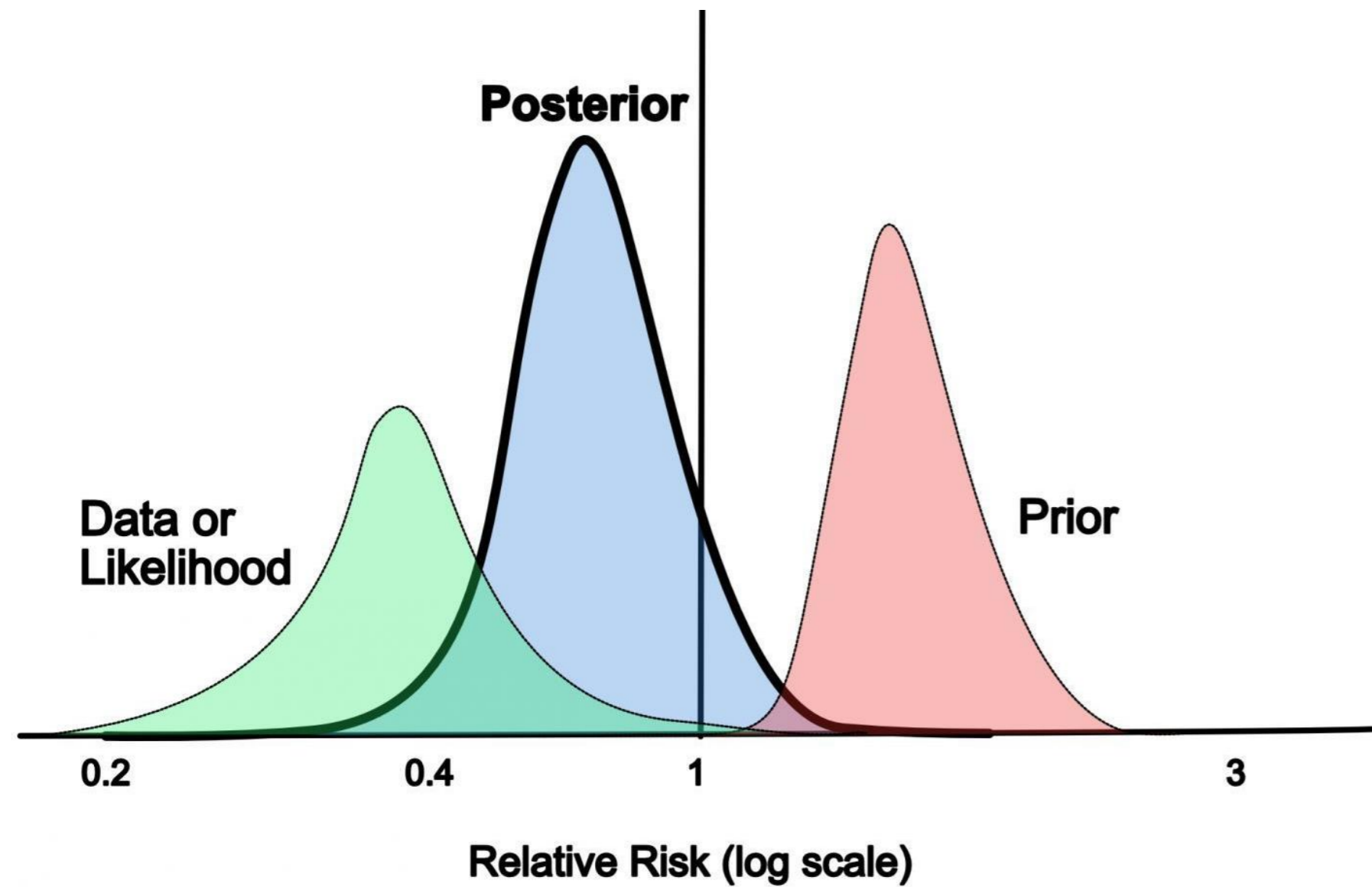
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quantile(kills, c(0.05,0.1,0.25,0.5,0.75,0.8,0.9,0.95))
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5%	10%	25%	50%	75%	80%	90%	95%
30.22833	38.56993	59.87206	101.66292	179.58215	207.69101	303.91936	427.18523



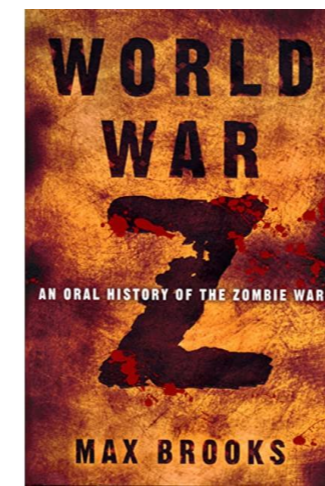
# Bayesian updating

- Updating your beliefs based on new information.

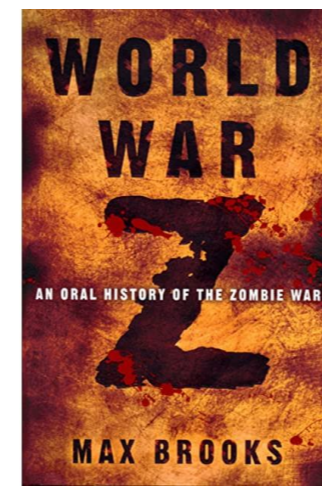


# Forecasting

- Seasonal and Trend decomposition using Loess
- ARIMA



# Model validation



I am the Chosen One, my models don't need validation



You are kidding, right?



Right?

Thanks for attending, and  
make sure to avoid the  
zombification of your  
Board!



Picture courtesy of brgfx

# Code

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- # Risk Awareness Week 2022 - Risk Reporting and Risk Monitoring during the Zombie Apocalypse – R Code
- # Is my assumption (belief) standing the test of time?
- library(bayesrules) #loading packages
- library(tidyverse)
- library(rstan)
- library(bayesplot)
- library(broom.mixed)
- library(janitor)
- library(fpp3)

# Code

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- # Small Monte Carlo simulation to assess number of zombie kills as part of colony performance review
- trap <- rlnorm(10000, log(12), log(4))
- patrol <- rlnorm(10000, log(10), log(2))
- perimeter <- rlnorm(10000, log(60), log(3))
- kills <- trap + patrol + perimeter
- p1 <- hist(trap, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,300), col="darkgreen")
- p2 <- hist(patrol, breaks=500, xlim=c(1,200), col="red")
- p3 <- hist(perimeter, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,1000), col="purple")
- hist(kills, breaks=1000, xlim=c(1,1500), col="skyblue2")

# Code

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- `quantile(kills, c(0.05,0.1,0.25,0.5,0.75,0.8,0.9,0.95))`
- `#` \_\_\_\_\_
- `#Bayesian updating`
- `p = seq(0,1, length=100)`
- `#Fast vs Slow Zombies`
- `plot(p, dbeta(p, 3, 8), type='l') #relatively weak prior`
- `qbeta(c(0.05,0.95), 3,8)`
- `plot(p, dbeta(p, 28, 96), type='l')`
- `qbeta(c(0.05,0.95), 28,96)`
- `plot_beta_binomial(alpha=3,beta=8, y=28,n=124)`

# Code

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- `prior <- pbeta(0.25,3,8)`
- `prior`
- `posterior <- pbeta(0.25, 28,96)`
- `posterior`
- `posterior/ (1-posterior) #odds`



# Code

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- #Gamma-Poisson Conjugacy using the bayesrule library
- #From a sample calculating the lambda.
- #Trial and errors using Gamma distribution to figure out the lambda from my Poisson
- #I think I have an average 6 zombies per hour, with some zombies every hour and very rarely 12 or more
- `plot_gamma(shape=8, rate=3)`
- `plot_gamma(shape=8, rate=2)`
- `plot_gamma(shape=8.5, rate=2)`
- `plot_gamma(shape=9, rate=2)`

# Code

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- `plot_gamma(shape=10, rate=2)`
- `plot_gamma(shape=10, rate=3)`
- `plot_gamma(shape=12, rate=2)` #Decent prior for about 3 to 10 with an average of 6
- `summarize_gamma(12,2)`
- `plot_poisson_likelihood(y=c(3,4,12,2,5,6,7,14,3,6,8), lambda_upper_bound = 50)`
  
- #With new data
- `plot_gamma_poisson(shape=12,rate=2,sum_y=70, n=11)`
- `summarize_gamma_poisson(shape=12,rate=2,sum_y=70, n=11)`

