L1. Descriptive Statistics, Distributions, Sampling

The data are located at <u>http://edu.modas.lu/data</u>

- 1. For **beer** data (a) Build a cross-tabulation or pivot table (table) for men's and women's beer preferences. (b) Transform the pivot table into a relative frequency table (probabilities) for men and women (prop.table). (c) Illustrate your findings using a plot (barplot).
- 2. Based on the **cancer** data set, calculate the mean (mean) and median (median) survival time for men and women (Male=1 Female=2) subpopulations. You can also use the summary function. *Note*: focus on dead patients (censoring status 1=censored, 2=dead).
- 3. For the **rana** data: (a) Calculate Pearson's and Spearman's correlations (cor) between the temperature and heart rate of a frog. (b) Illustrate by a scatter-plot (plot)

Work with mice data:

- 4. Calculate the mean *Ending weight* of male and female mice (separately for each sex).
- 5. Consider the 50 heaviest mice in the group. Build and draw the frequency distribution for their sex. You can use functions: order, sort, barplot, pie
- 6. Estimate the probability that a randomly selected mouse is lighter than 20 grams. You can use sum or mean applied to TRUE/FALSE vectors
- 7. Estimate the probability that a randomly selected mouse has a bleeding time bigger than 1 minute.
- 8. Provide a summary of the *Bone mineral density* of all mice.
- 9. Draw the distribution of *Bone mineral density*
- 10. Based on *Weight change*, do you have any potential outliers? If so, provide the IDs of suspicious mice. Now try with Iglewich-Hoaglin's method.
- 11. The volume of a liquid in bottles of one company is distributed normally with an expected value of 0.33 liter and a standard deviation of 0.01.
 - a. Based on your knowledge about normal distribution, estimate the probability (pnorm) of buying a bottle containing less than 0.32 liters of the liquid.
 - b. Estimate the interval in which the volumes of 95% bottles are lying (many correct solutions exist, as the question is incomplete!) (qnorm)
- 12. A population of marine gastropods has shell lengths that are normally distributed (pnorm) with mean μ = 7 mm and variance σ^2 = 2.25 mm². What proportion of the population will have a shell length between 5.5 mm and 8.5 mm?
- 13. Test the central limit theorem ③ Generate *k* random uniform random vectors with 1e4 elements (runif) and build their distributions for k = 1, 2, 6, 12