

qAnalyst User Manual

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What is qAnalyst?

- qAnalyst is a R package to perform a large number of statistical quality control analysis.
- qAnalyst plots control charts and returns corresponding statistics.
- qAnalyst performs capability analysis for normal and non normal data.
- qAnalyst estimates statistical distributions parameters and execute goodness of fit analysis.
- qAnalyst can plot Pareto charts.
- qAnalyst current version is 0.2.0

Control charts overview

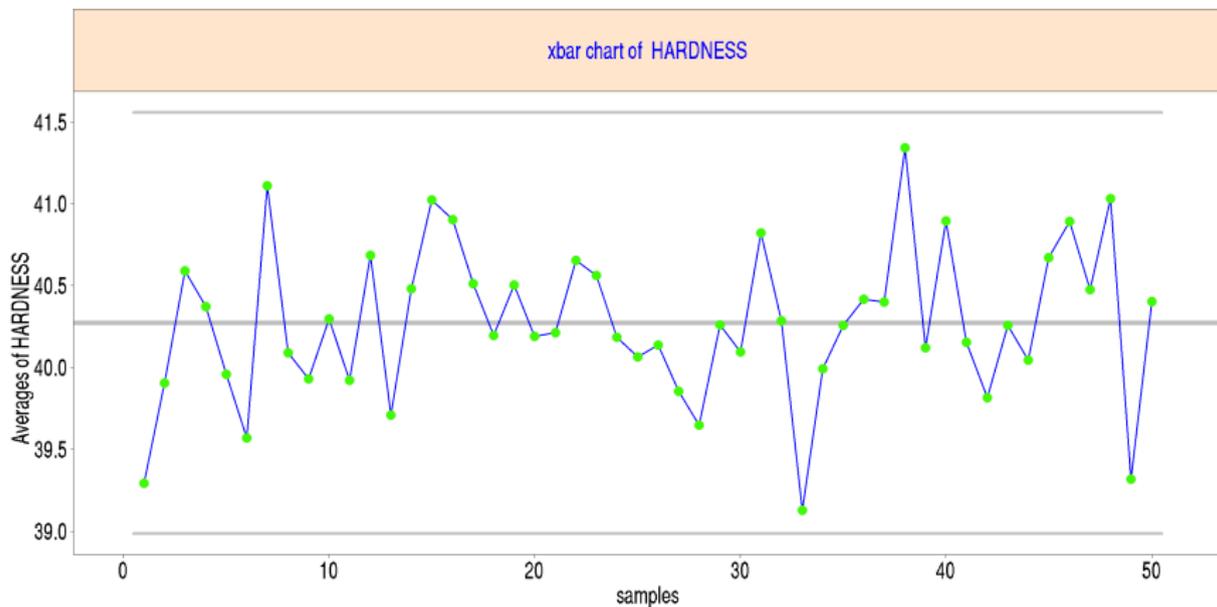
- Available control charts are:
 - x-bar, r, s charts within variable charts for subgroups.
 - i, mr charts within individual variable charts.
 - p, np, c, u within attribute charts.
- Control charts are build creating **“spc” objects**.
- Plot, print, summary methods print summary and detailed statistics and plot spc control charts.
- Tests are available to identify points out of controls according to well accepted rules.

x-bar chart example 1/2

Data of following example come from a shoe manufacturer. Shoe brakes characteristics are measured through time by samples of five. Brake hardness variability has to be monitored. Data needed for this example are into data set "brakeCap", bundled within qAnalyst.

```
data(brakeCap)
hardnessXbar=spc(x=brakeCap$hardness,
sg=brakeCap$subgroup, type="xbar", name="HARDNESS")
plot(hardnessXbar)
```

x-bar chart example 2/2

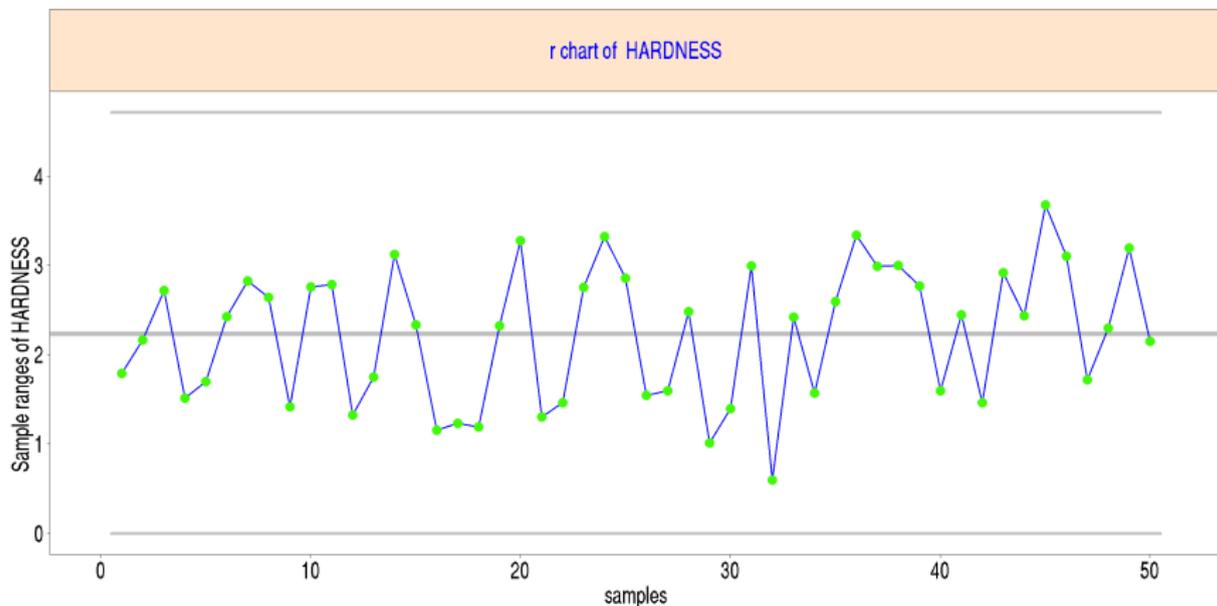


R and S charts examples

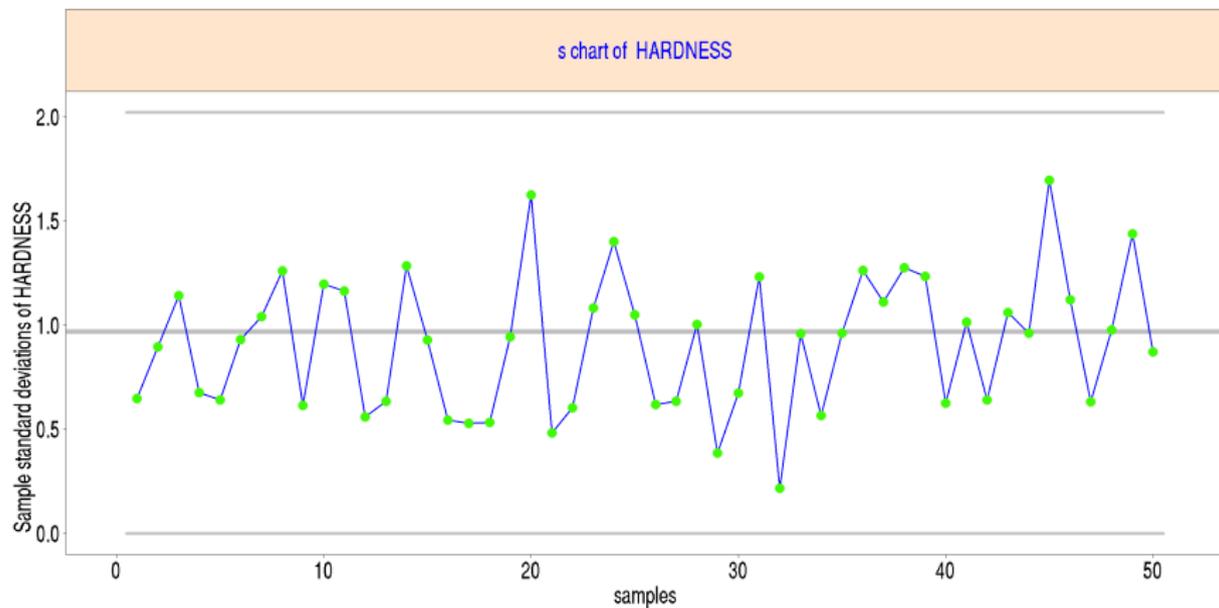
Code for R and S charts for previous data are reported below

```
data(brakeCap)
#schart
hardnessSchart=spc(x=brakeCap$hardness,
sg=brakeCap$subgroup, type="s", name="HARDNESS")
plot(hardnessSchart)
#rchart
hardnessRchart=spc(x=brakeCap$hardness,
sg=brakeCap$subgroup, type="r", name="HARDNESS")
plot(hardnessRchart)
```

r chart example



s chart example



Overview of **print** and **summary** generic methods

- **print** method returns brief informations about variable processed by spc object. Number of total, complete, missing observations and number of subgroups is printed out. Moreover summary statistics are returned.
- **summary** returns performed test output and control chart plot elements coordinates in addition to the same **print** output informations.

print method output 1/2

```
#following Xbar example
print(hardnessXbar)
#ouptut
[1] "xbar chart of HARDNESS"
```

HARDNESS main stats

```
-----
                                value
Total observations      250.0000000
complete observations  250.0000000
missing observations    0.0000000
number of groups       50.0000000
Mean                   40.2727992
min                    37.4492000
max                    43.0081000
```

print method output 2/2

total std. dev.	0.9858822
within std. dev.	0.9680147
between std. dev.	0.1868457
average range	2.2290060

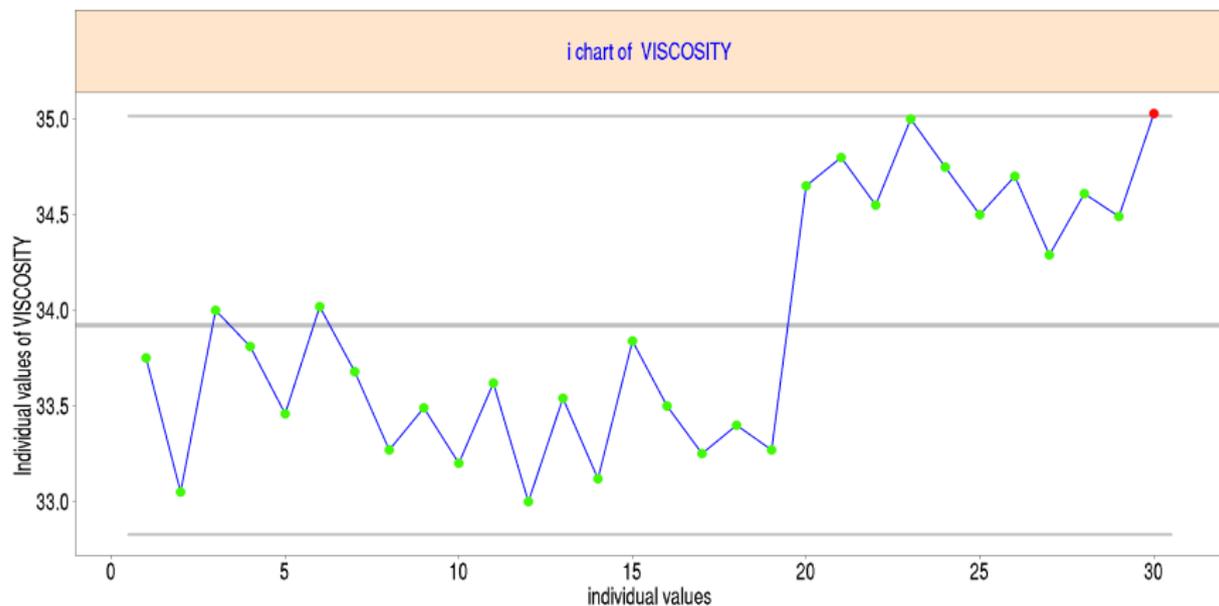
summary method output is presented further.

Individual values charts

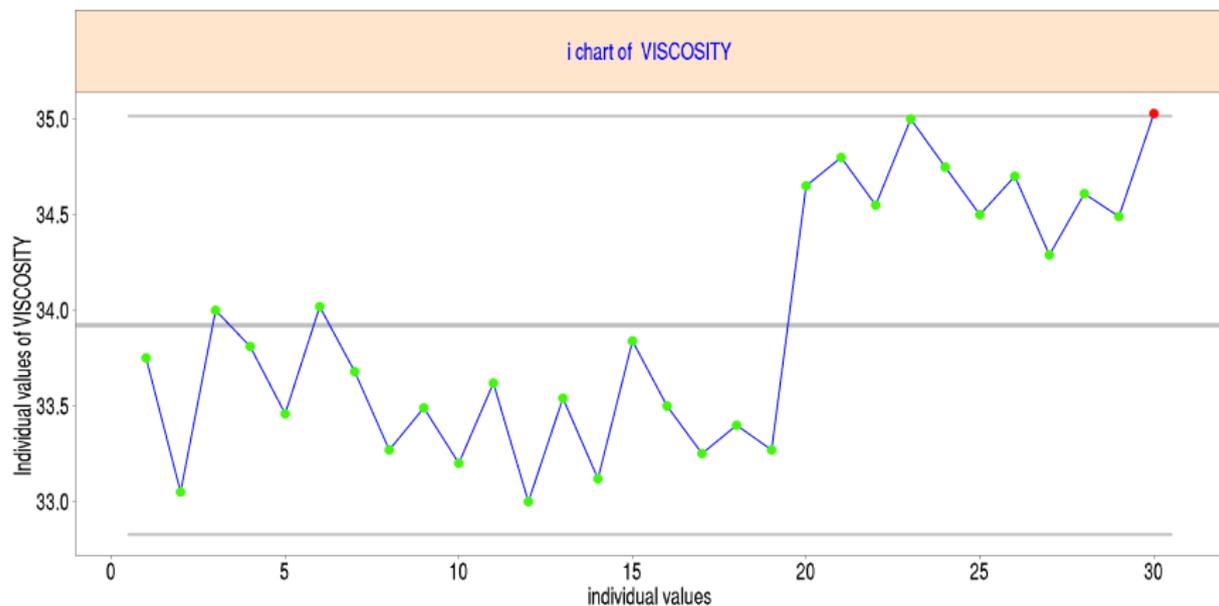
Spc object can be used to draw i and mr charts as reported in following example. Data from following example come from [Montgomery].

```
viscosity=c(33.75,33.05,34,33.81,33.46,
34.02,33.68,33.27,33.49,33.20,33.62,33,
33.54,33.12,33.84,33.5,33.25,33.4,33.27,
34.65,34.8,34.55,35,34.75,34.5,34.7,
34.29,34.61,34.49,35.03)
viscosityIchart=spc(x=viscosity,sg=1,type="i",
name="VISCOSITY", testType=1,k=1,p=1,nSigma=3)
viscosityMRchart=spc(x=viscosity,sg=1,type="i",
name="VISCOSITY", testType=1,k=1,p=1,nSigma=3)
plot(mrchartExample)
plot(viscosityMRchart)
```

I chart example



MR chart example



I chart example details 1/4

We asked the `spc` function to perform test “one”. That allowed us to mark all points beyond three standard deviation from center line. Plot method Detailed test result are tabulated within the output of `summary(mrchartExample)`

```
[1] "i chart of VISCOSITY"
```

```
VISCOSITY  main stats
```

```
-----
                                value
Total observations      30.0000000
complete observations  30.0000000
missing observations    0.0000000
number of groups       1.0000000
Mean                   33.9213333
min                    33.0000000
max                    35.0300000
```

I chart example details 2/4

```
total std. dev.      0.6413603
within std. dev.    0.0000000
between std. dev.   0.6413603
average range       0.4110345
```

Control chart tests results

 Matrix of points failing required tests

index Test1

```
30    1
```

Control chart elements table

	points	lcl3s	lcl2s	lcl1s	center line	ucl1s	ucl2s	ucl3s
1	33.75	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
2	33.05	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
3	34.00	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015

I chart example details 3/4

4	33.81	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
5	33.46	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
6	34.02	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
7	33.68	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
8	33.27	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
9	33.49	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
10	33.20	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
11	33.62	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
12	33.00	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
13	33.54	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
14	33.12	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
15	33.84	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
16	33.50	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
17	33.25	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
18	33.40	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015

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19	33.27	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
20	34.65	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
21	34.80	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
22	34.55	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
23	35.00	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
24	34.75	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
25	34.50	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
26	34.70	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
27	34.29	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
28	34.61	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
29	34.49	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015
30	35.03	32.828	33.193	33.557	33.921	34.286	34.65	35.015

Attribute charts

Attribute charts can be created by spc object. Available attribute charts are:

- 1 p chart
- 2 np chart
- 3 c chart
- 4 u chart

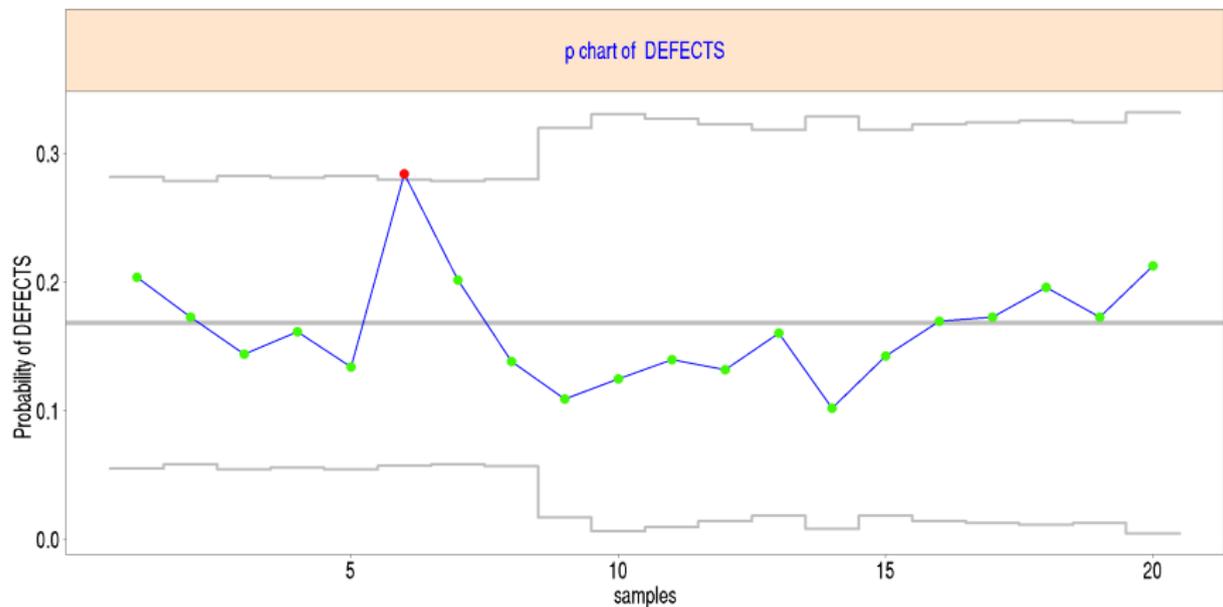
that handle binomial and Poisson data. Subgroup dimension is indicated by `sg` field with the exception of *c charts* where `sg` field is not needed. It is easy to deal with unequal subgroups size by parameter `sg`.

p chart and np chart

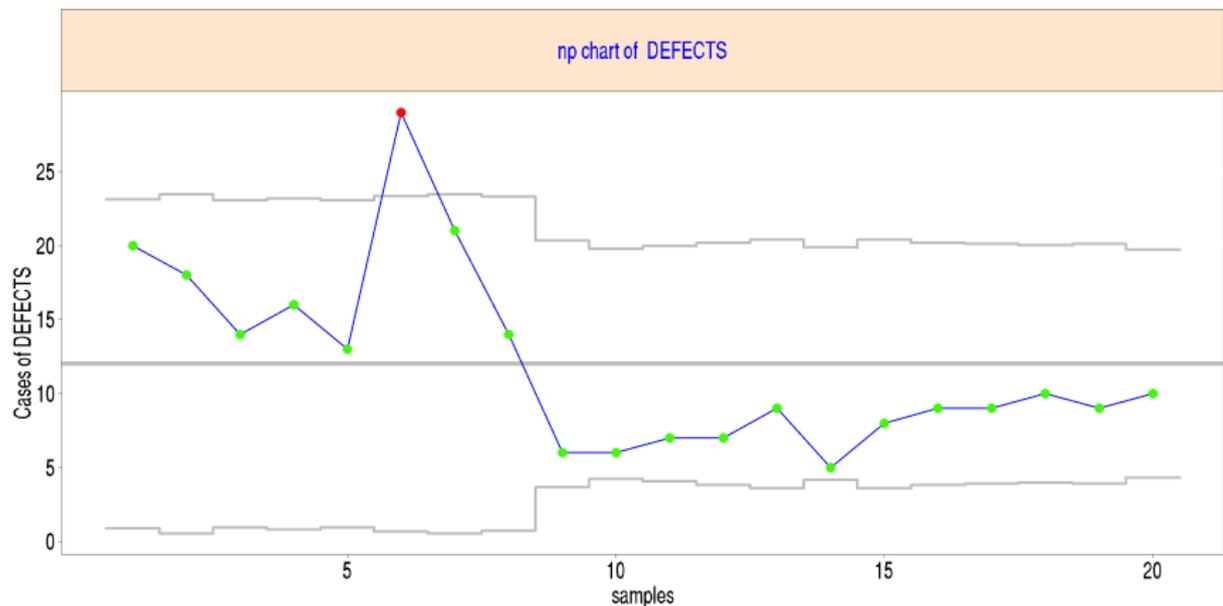
Following examples use data set *tubes*, that is bundled within qAnalyst package. Tubes data set reports results of quality inspections in a televisions tube manufacturing. This example shows how qAnalyst can easily handle different subgroup dimensions.

```
data(tubes)
rejectsPchart=spc(x=tubes$rejects, sg=tubes$sampled, type="p",
name="DEFECTS", testType=1, nSigma=3, k=1, p=1)
rejectsNPchart=spc(x=tubes$rejects, sg=tubes$sampled, type="np",
name="DEFECTS", testType=1, nSigma=3, k=1, p=1)
plot(rejectsPchart)
plot(rejectsNPchart)
```

p chart example



np chart example

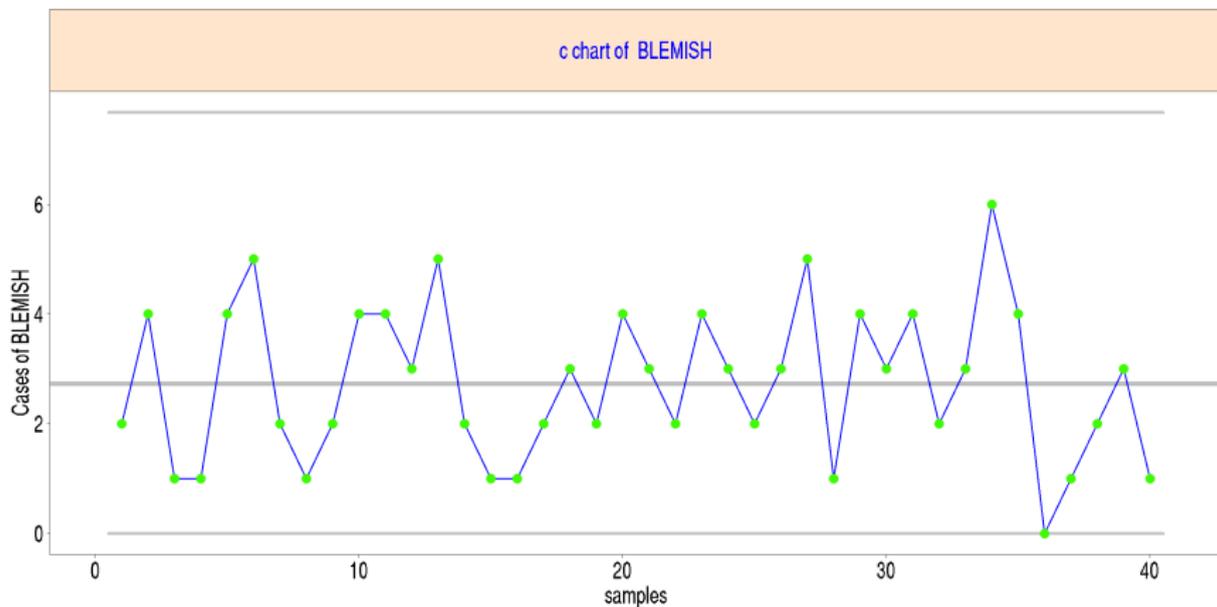


c chart and u chart

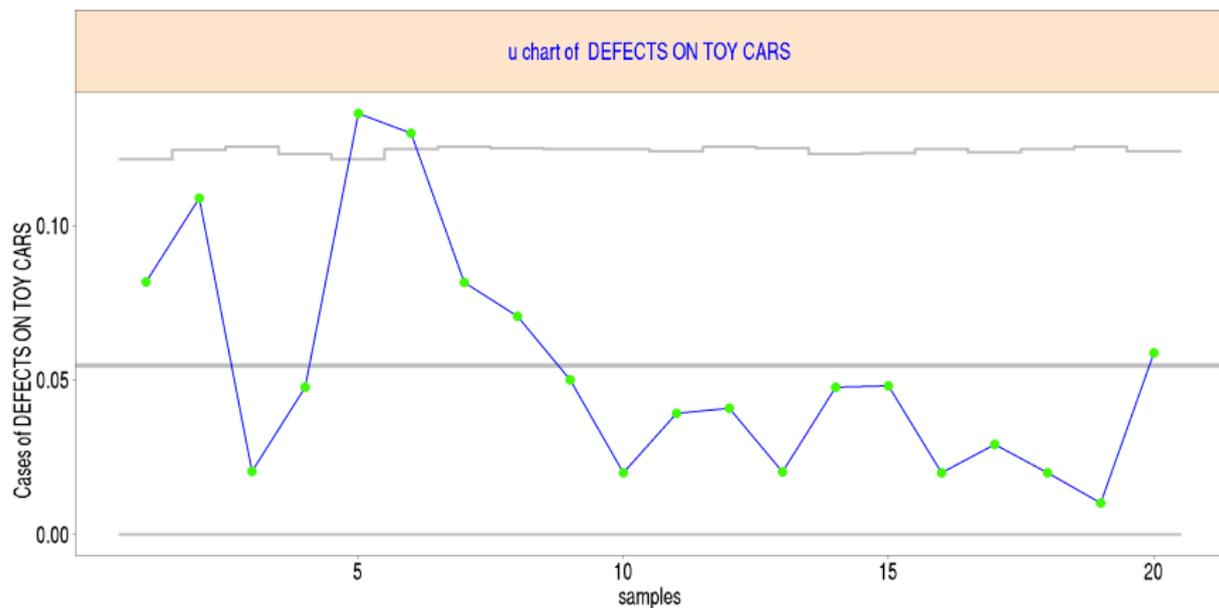
Following examples show statistical process control on Poisson data. Reported examples use data from data set *blemish* and *toys* bundled into qAnalyst package

```
data(blemish); data(toyCarsDefects)
blemishCchart=spc(x=blemish$blemish, type="c", name="BLEMISH")
toysUchart=spc(x=toyCarsDefects$defects,sg=toyCarsDefects$sampled,
type="u", name="DEFECTS ON TOY CARS")
plot(blemishCchart)
plot(toysUchart)
dev.off()
```

c chart example



u chart example



Capability functions overview

qAnalyst package performs capability analysis for both normal and non normal data. Capability analysis is performed creating **capability** object using functions **capabilityNormal** and **capabilityNotNormal**. Methods **plot**, **print**, **summary** permit to plot capability histogram and to print many capability stats. Available capability indexes are:

- PPM, PPL, PPU; these stats can be available in percentage format.
- CP, CPU, CPL, CPK, CPM; these stats can also be reported in zeta format.

Capability functions overview

Two group of analysis, “overall” and “potential” capability, are available if data come from a normal distribution. Otherwise only “overall” analyses are available.

Moreover, **invCPFun** performs inverse capability analysis. In other words, minimum width tolerance limits can be calculated from data variability, given a desired $cp = cpk$.

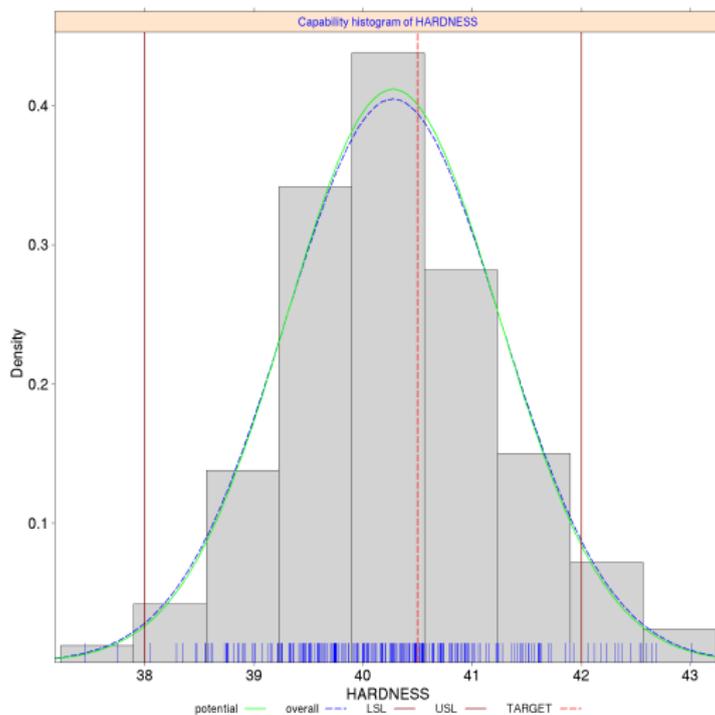
Details about capability background statistical theory can be found in [Bothe].

Capability analysis for normal data

Following example comes from *brakeCap* dataset. Specified tolerance limits for brake hardness are 38 - 42. Moreover, a target of 40.5 would be desired. Hardness is supposed to follow a normal distribution.

```
data(brakeCap)
hardnessCap=capabilityNormal(x=brakeCap$hardness,
sg=brakeCap$subgroup, lsl=38,usl=42, target=40.5, name="HARDNESS")
plot(hardnessCap)
summary(hardnessCap)
print(hardnessCap)
```

Normal capability plot



Normal capability **print** method

Capability analysis of HARDNESS

mean of HARDNESS is 40

Total observations of HARDNESS Non missing observations: 250

total ppm observed of HARDNESS are 64000

Estimated pp of HARDNESS is 0.68

Estimated ppl of is 0.77

Estimated ppu of is 0.58

Estimated ppk of is 0.58

Estimated cpm of is 0.49

Normal capability **summary** method 1/3

summary of HARDNESS capability analysis

Assumed distribution: normal

Summary statistics

	value
Total obs.	250.00000
Non missing obs.	250.00000
Missing Obs.	0.00000
Groups	50.00000
Mean	40.27280
Overall st. dev.	0.98588
Within st. dev.	0.96922

Normal capability **summary** method 2/3

Observed performance

value

PPM Total 64000

PPM < LSL 8000

PPM > USL 56000

Expected overall performance

value

PPM Total 50466

PPM < LSL 10574

PPM > USL 39893

Expected within performance

value

PPM Total 46884

PPM < LSL 9514

PPM > USL 37370

Normal capability **summary** method 3/3

Overall Capability

value

pp 0.67621

ppl 0.76845

ppu 0.58398

ppk 0.58398

cpm 0.49416

Potential Capability

value

cp 0.68784

cpl 0.78166

cpu 0.59402

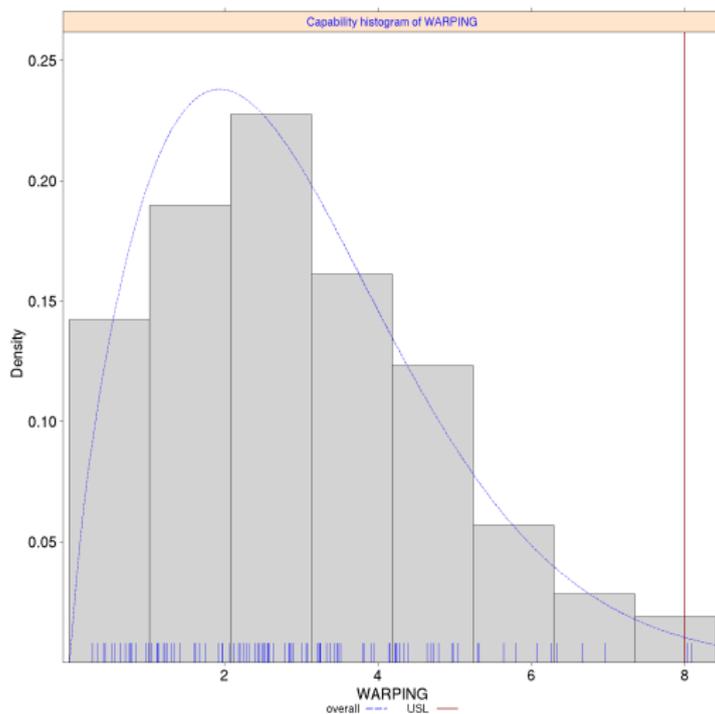
cpk 0.59402

Non normal capability example 1/3

Warptiles data set let to show an example of capability analysis on non-normal data. Warping on sampled tiles has been measured. An upper tolerance limit is equal to eighth. Warping is assumed to follow a weibull distribution.

```
data(warpTiles)
warpCap=capabilityNotNormal(x=warpTiles$warping,
usl=8,distribution="weibull", name="WARPING")
plot(warpCap)
print(warpCap)
```

Non normal capability example 2/3



Non normal capability example 3/3

```
Capability analysis of WARPING
mean of WARPING is 2.9
Total observations of WARPING Non missing observations: 100
total ppm observed of WARPING are 20000
Estimated ppu of is 0.73
Estimated ppk of is 0.73
```

Inverse capability feature

Performing an inverse capability means to state tolerance limits for a desired $cp=cpk$. In other words, user gives a value for $cp=cpk$, *invCpFun* returns the smallest tolerance limits interval consistent with given specifications. E.g., in brakeCap dataset, hardness tolerance limit for a $cp = 1.33$ are 36 – 44, obtained by

```
invCpFun(x=brakeCap$hardness, cp=4/3, fun="normal")
```

command.

Pareto Charts 1/2

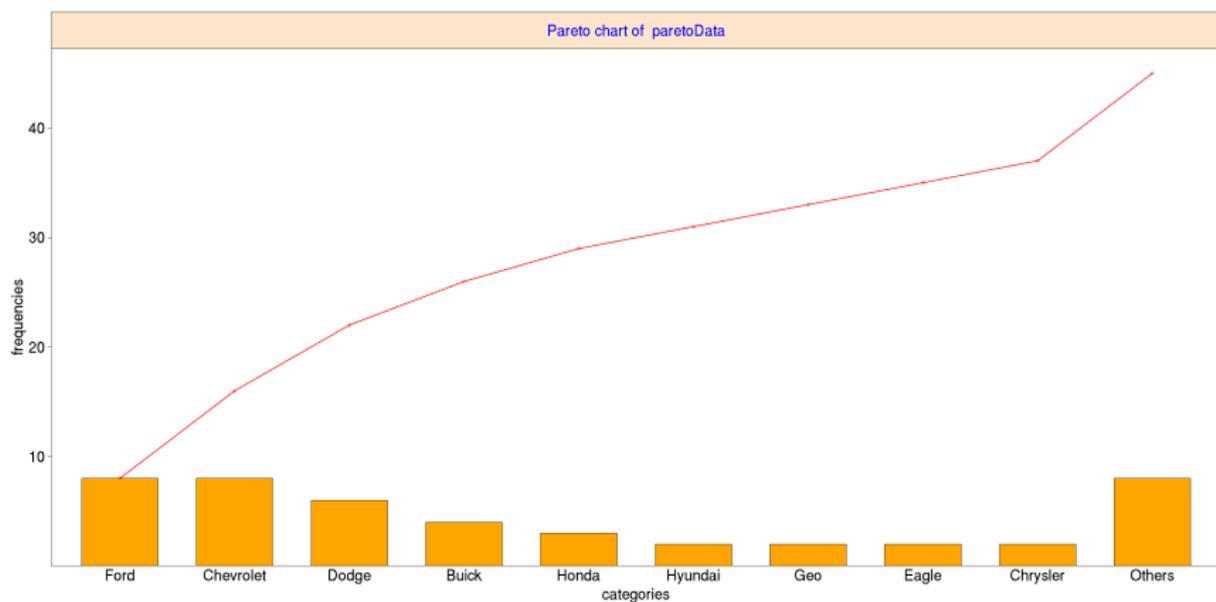
qAnalyst package can plot **Pareto chart** for categorical variables. Pareto chart is a quick tool to identify most frequently occurring categories.

Categories are ordered decreasing by frequency and represented by bars. A percentage threshold can be set to group less frequent items after cumulated frequency exceeds defined threshold.

Cars93 dataset from package MASS contains car characteristics of a random sample of cars owner. Most common makes can be show by a Pareto Chart.

```
data(Cars93) #package MASS
paretoData=Cars93$Manufacturer[1:45]
paretoChart(x=paretoData,mergeThr=.8, addLine=TRUE)
```

Pareto Charts 2/2



Overview of distribution analysis functions

qAnalyst package provides instruments to fit parameters of most important distribution from data. Moreover it provides instruments to check goodness of fit. Box Cox and Johnson transformations are supported too. Most important functions are:

- **funInfoFun**, **rapidFit** and **andersonDarlingFun** functions for single distribution fitting
- **probplot** function to obtain probability plots
- **boxcoxFun** function to obtain Box Cox transformation
- **johnsonFun** function to obtain johnson transformation

Distribution fitting 1/3

Currently supported continuous distributions are: normal, lognormal, the gamma family, weibull, logistic, cauchy.

`funInfoFun` let user to fit parameters for a specific distribution.

`funInfoFun` creates `infoFun` objects for which `summary` method is available.

```
#R script
```

```
data(warpTiles)
```

```
infoX=funInfoFun(warpTiles$warping, "weibull")
```

```
summary(infoX)
```

```
#output
```

```
Hypotized distribution is weibull
```

```
Estimated values for shape scale 1.694 3.278
```

```
AD statistic is 0.248 , corresponding p-value 0.753
```

Distribution fitting 2/3

rapidFitFun helps user to find best fitting distribution within supported distribution, according to Anderson Darling goodness of fit test. Use of rapidFitFun is shown in the example below.

```
#R script
data(brakeCap)
rapidFitFun(brakeCap$centering)
#output
Distributions fit output
-----
distributions parameter1 parameter2  theta1 theta2 ADpvalue
1      normal      mean      sd    41.028  0.977   0.850
2  lognormal  meanlog  sdlog   3.714  0.024   0.871
3      gamma    shape    rate 1757.551 42.838   0.873
4    weibull    shape    scale  43.233 41.507   0.000
```

Distribution fitting 3/3

5	logistic	location	scale	41.024	0.558	0.794
6	cauchy	location	scale	41.018	0.582	0.000

"Distribution with higher AD p-value is gamma"

`andersonDarlingFun` function helps user to numerically assess single distribution goodness of fit, as example below shows.

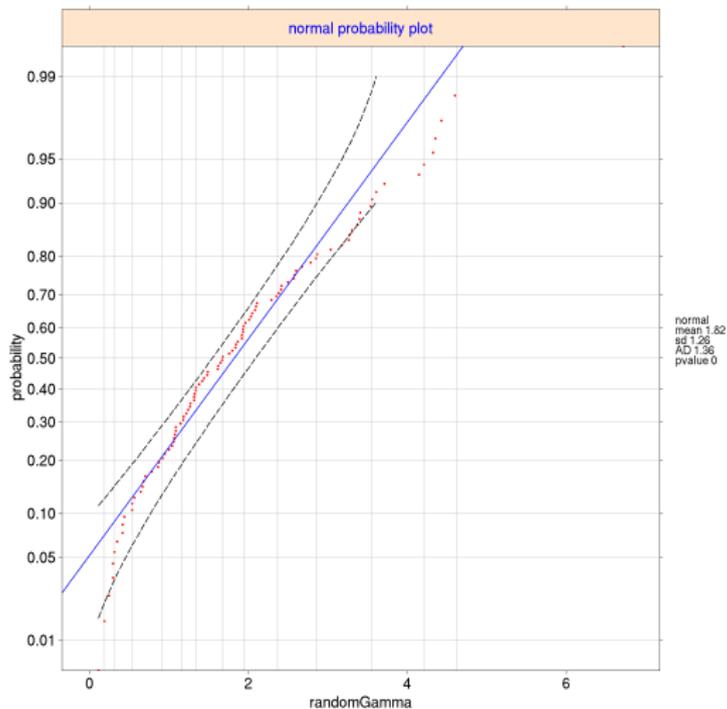
```
#R script
set.seed(100)
randomGamma=rgamma(100,2,1)
andersonDarlingFun(x=randomGamma,distribution="normal", theta=c(mean(x), sd(x)))
#output
      AD      pvalue
1.356429411 0.001635293
```

Probability plots 1/3

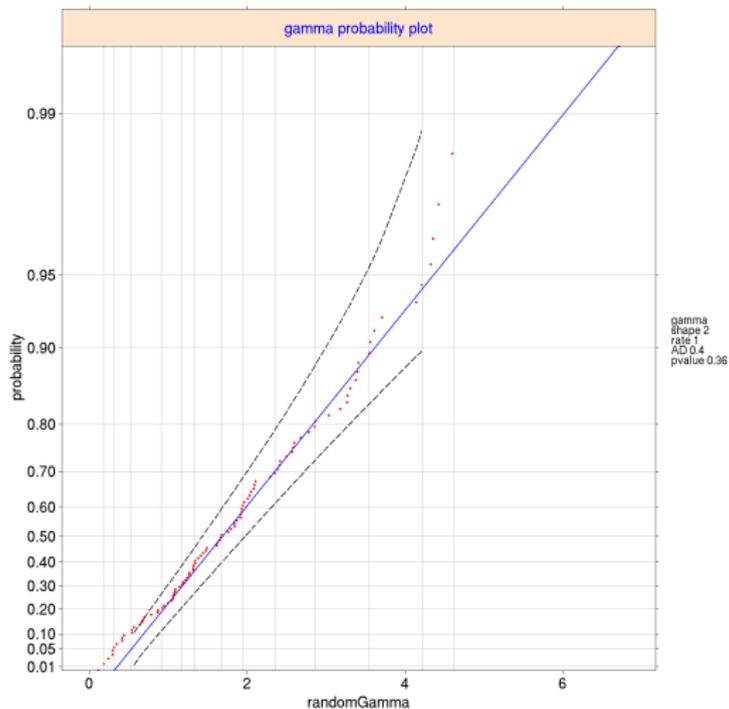
Probability plots let user to graphically asses empirical data fitting with respect to a hypotized distribution. If a theoretical distribution fits adequately data, all plotted points should lie around plotted central line and within confidence bands. A legend reporting parameter fits and Anderson Darling statistics is added to the graph. Probability plot are available for quoted before supported distribution. Following pictures show normal probability plot and gamma probability plot for *randomGamma* data generated in the example before.

```
#R script
probplot(randomGamma,"normal", theta=c(mean(x), sd(x)),confintervals=T)
probplot(randomGamma,"gamma",theta=c(2,1),confintervals=T)
```

Probability plots 2/3



Probability plots 3/3



Variables transformations overview

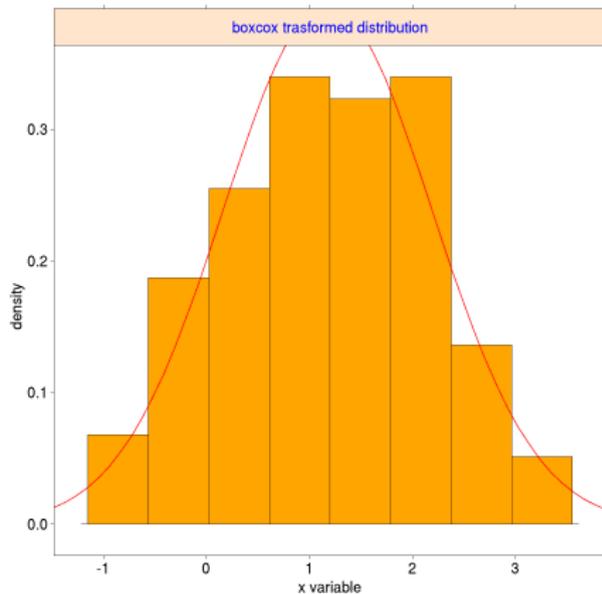
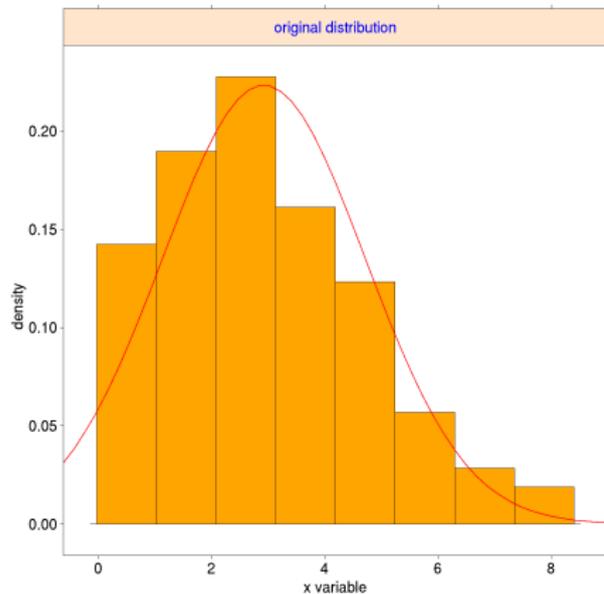
qAnalyst package performs Box Cox and Johnson transformation. Functions `boxcoxFun` and `johnsonFun` creates transformation objects for which `print` and `plot` methods are available. Following examples shows how to use qAnalyst function to handle data transformations. See [Box, Cox, Johnson] for further details about Box Cox and Johnson transformations.

Box cox transformation 1/2

Below code for obtaining Box-Cox transformation of input data is reported.

```
#R code
data(warpTiles)
warpingBC=boxcoxFun(warpTiles$warping)
print(warpingBC)
plot(warpingBC)
#print method output
box cox  transformation of variable  warpingBC
Parameter(s) estimation
0.4272021
```

Box cox transformation 2/2



Johnson transformation 1/3

Below code for obtaining Johnson transformation of input data is reported.

```
#R code
data(brakeCap)
centeringJT=johnsonFun(brakeCap$centering)
print(centeringJT)
plot(centeringJT)
#print method output
  johnson  transformation of variable  centeringJT
Parameter(s) estimation
$gamma
[1] -0.08615386
$delta
[1] 1.775478
```

Johnson transformation 2/3

```
$xi
```

```
[1] 40.94764
```

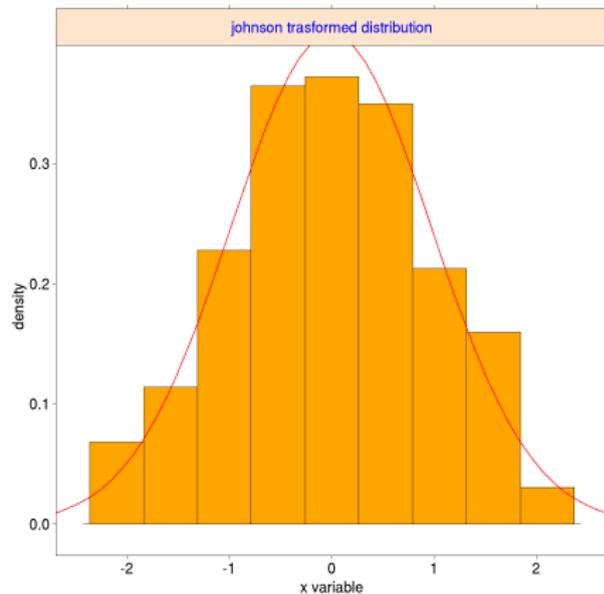
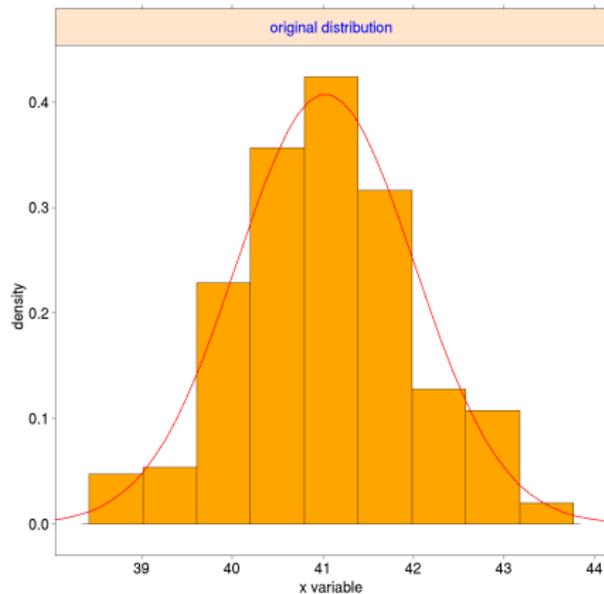
```
$lambda
```

```
[1] 1.570807
```

```
$type
```

```
[1] "SU"
```

Johnson transformation 3/3



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