



MODULE 6: CHALLENGE PROBLEM Scenario Analysis

- **Challenge**
 - Perform convergence, sensitivity and epistemic uncertainty analyses for several scenarios as instructed.
- **Skills**
 - Reading in data
 - Performing convergence analysis
 - Calculating epistemic quantiles
 - Determining sensitive inputs
 - Generating output plots
 - Comparing results from scenarios

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- For the Challenge problem, we will be looking at results from several different scenarios

| Scenario | Initiation | Growth | Flaw Orientation | Mitigation | |
|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------|
| | | | | Type | Timing |
| Scenario 1 | Initial Flaw | Fatigue | Circumferential | None | --- |
| Scenario 2 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential | None | --- |
| Scenario 3 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | None | --- |
| Scenario 4 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | MSIP | 20 Years |
| Scenario 5 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | MSIP | 40 Years |
| Scenario 6 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | Zn | 20 Years |
| Scenario 7 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | H2 | 20 Years |
| Scenario 8 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | Zn & H2 | 20 Years |
| Scenario 9 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | Inlay | 40 Years |
| Scenario 10 | PWSCC & Fatigue | PWSCC & Fatigue | Circumferential & Axial | MSIP, Zn, & H2 | 20 Years |
| Scenario 11 | Fatigue | Fatigue | Circumferential & Axial | None | --- |

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| Scenario 3 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | None | --- |
| Scenario 4 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | MSIP | 20 Years |
| Scenario 5 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | MSIP | 40 Years |
| Scenario 6 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | Zn | 20 Years |
| Scenario 7 | PWSCC | PWSCC | Circumferential & Axial | H2 | 20 Years |
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- The goals for the challenge problem are to:
 - Find a converged solution for a given scenario
 - Perform a sensitivity analysis on the converged solution
 - Calculate epistemic quantiles for the converged solution
 - Compare the results from different scenarios
- All xLPR results for each scenario have already been generated.

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- Navigate to **Exercises/Challenge Problems**.

There are 4
scenario folders

Within each scenario, there are
folders containing the sampled inputs
and results for the following sample
sizes:

- 100 Epistemic, 50 Aleatory
- 500 Epistemic, 50 Aleatory
- 1000 Epistemic, 50 Aleatory

Some runs use SRS, while others use
LHS.

| | | |
|------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Scenario 3 | 3/9/2018 9:53 AM | File folder |
| Scenario 5 | 3/9/2018 10:22 AM | File folder |
| Scenario 8 | 3/9/2018 10:30 AM | File folder |
| Scenario 9 | 3/9/2018 10:36 AM | File folder |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| S9_100_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_SRS | 3/9/2018 10:40 AM | File folder |
| S9_500_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_SRS | 3/9/2018 10:39 AM | File folder |
| S9_1000_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS | 3/9/2018 10:42 AM | File folder |

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- Open **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario_Analysis_Results.xlsx**.
- This file contains a table to record the results of the challenge problem. Make sure to fill out the table as you work through the problem.

| Scenario Analysis Results | | | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 5 | Scenario 8 | Scenario 9 |
| Description of Scenario | | | | |
| CI Width for 100 Samples | | | | |
| CI Width for 500 Samples | | | | |
| CI Width for 1000 Samples | | | | |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | | | | |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | | | | |
| Sample Mean | | | | |
| Bootstrap CI | | | | |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | | | | |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | | | | |
| Top 3 Important Variables | | | | |
| 95th Quantile | | | | |
| 50th Quantile | | | | |
| 5th Quantile | | | | |

Next



- Open R Studio and set your working directory to **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 3**
- Open an R script and save it as “Scenario_3.R”
- Open **S3_100_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_SRS/S3_Simulation_Results_100E_50A_SRS.xlsx** and notice how the data doesn't start until the 5th row.

What sheet contains the results for
Occurrence of Circumferential Rupture?

Answer

Next



- Read in the occurrence of circumferential rupture results from the run with **100 epistemic and 50 aleatory SRS** samples and save it to a variable called **dat**.
- Make sure to set *startRow* = 5 so that only the data is read in.

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SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 100 SAMPLES

- Select the row of **dat** where the first column = 60 and save this to a variable called **ep100**.
- Remove the first element of **ep100** that contains the year.
- Change **ep100** to a numeric vector.

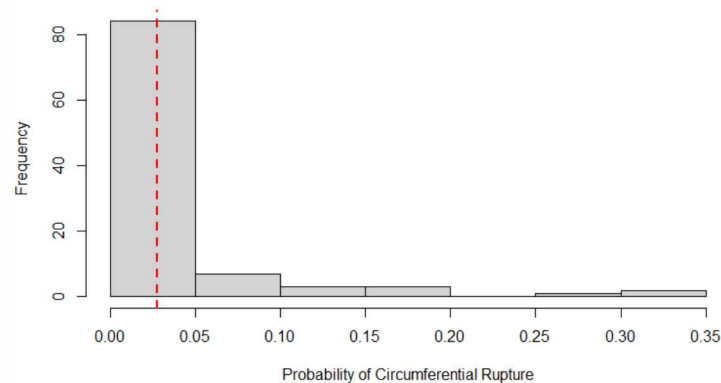
How

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SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 100 SAMPLES

- Plot a histogram of the **ep100** with a vertical line at the mean.



What is the mean probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture using 100 epistemic samples?

Answer

How

Next



SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 100 SAMPLES



- Perform a bootstrap for the mean probability of occurrence of rupture using 1000 samples. Make sure to save the bootstrap means to a vector.

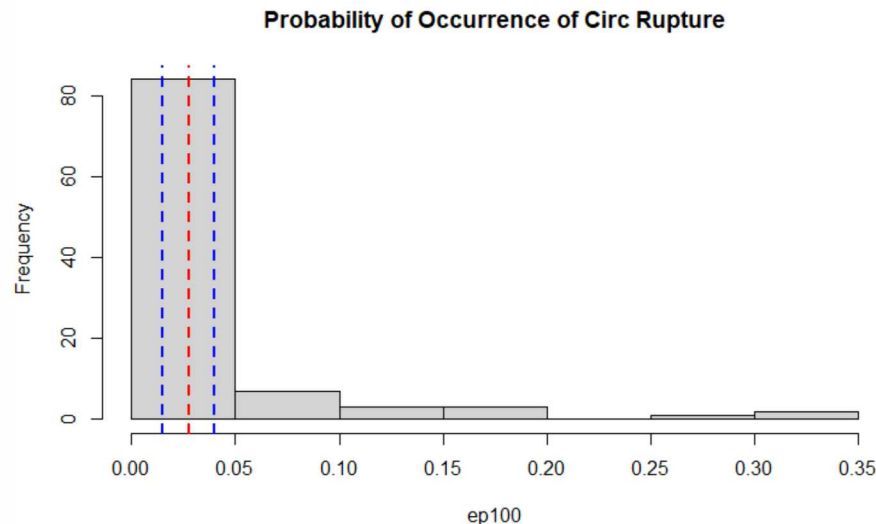
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SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 100 SAMPLES

- Calculate a 95% basic confidence interval for the mean. Save the lower and upper bounds as **lb100** and **ub100**, respectively.
- Plot the confidence interval as blue, dashed, vertical lines on histogram of **ep100**.
- Plot the sample mean as a red, dashed, vertical line.
- Save your figure.



How

Next



SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 100 SAMPLES

- Calculate the width of your confidence interval by subtracting your lower bound from your upper bound. Save this to a variable called **ciWidth100**.
- For this example, we will consider a QoI to be converged if the confidence interval width is less than 0.01.

How wide is your confidence interval?
What does this tell you?

Answer

How

Next



- This too much sampling uncertainty for our application since the CI width is greater than 0.01.

How can we reduce the amount
of sampling uncertainty?

Answer

Next



- We will now increase our sample size to 500 samples and change our sampling scheme from SRS to LHS.
- Perform the steps on Slides 7 to 13 for the results in the **S3_500_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Simulation_Results_500E_50A_LHS.xlsx** file.
- Make sure to change your variable names (e.g., **ep100** should now be **ep500**).

How

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SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 500 SAMPLES

What is the width of your confidence interval
after using 500 LHS samples?
How does this compare with the 100 SRS
samples?

Answer

Next



- We will again increase our sample size. Now we will use 1000 epistemic samples.
- Perform the steps on Slides 7 to 13 for the results in the **S3_1000_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Simulation_Results_1000E_50A_LHS.xlsx** file.
- Make sure to change your variable names (e.g., **ep100** should now be **ep1000**).

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SCENARIO 3 CONVERGENCE ANALYSIS 1000 SAMPLES

What is the width of your confidence interval
after using 1000 LHS samples?
How does this compare with the 500 LHS
samples?

Answer

Next



- 1000 LHS samples provides sufficient QoI convergence for our application since the CI width is less than 0.01.
- We will now perform a sensitivity analysis on this converged solution to determine which inputs are contributing to the most uncertainty in the results.

Next



- Read in the sampled inputs located in **S3_1000_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Sensitivity_1000E_50A_LHS.csv** and save it to a variable called **inputs1000**
- Perform a rank regression using the sampled inputs and the epistemic output that is saved as **ep1000**.
- **Hint:** Use the following command after reading in your data to make your regression results easier to read

```
colnames(inputs1000) <- substr(colnames(inputs1000), 1, 5)
```

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- What is the model R^2 value?
 - What does this tell us?
- What variable is most important?
 - What is its SRRC value?
- What could we do with important variables?

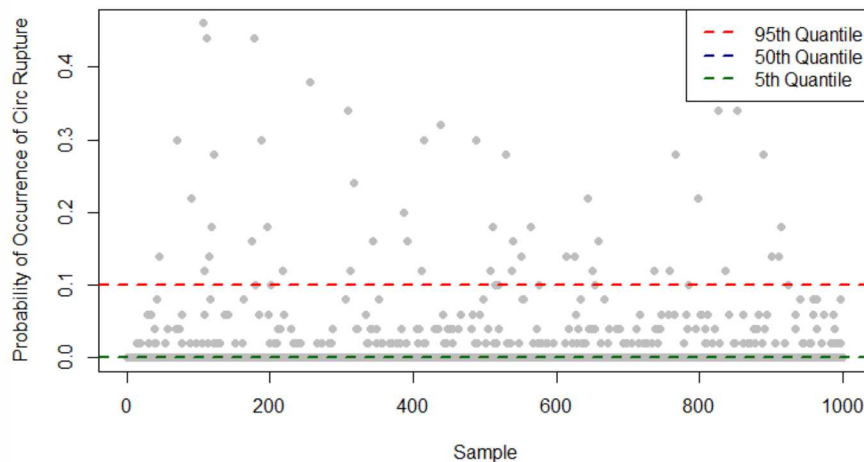
Answer

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SCENARIO 3 EPISTEMIC QUANTILES

- Now we will calculate epistemic quantiles.
- Create a scatterplot of **ep1000**. Make sure to add axes labels.
- Calculate the **5th**, **50th**, and **95th** quantiles for **ep1000**. Plot them as horizontal dashed lines on the scatterplot. Make sure to add a legend. Save your figure.



How

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SCENARIO 3 EPISTEMIC QUANTILES

What probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture do 95% of the realizations fall below?

What do these quantiles tell us?

Answer

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SCENARIO 3 RESULTS

- Make sure you have filled out all of the information in **Exercises/Scenario_Analysis_Results.xlsx**

Answer

Next



Choose a new scenario:

Scenario 5
MSIP
Mitigation

Scenario 8
Zn & H₂
Mitigation

Scenario 9
Inlay
Mitigation



- Scenario 5 MSIP Mitigation
 - Use the data located in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 5**. Set your working directory to this folder.
 - Create a new R script called “Scenario_5.R”. Clear your environment variables.

Next



- Scenario 5 MSIP Mitigation

- Find a converged solution by calculating a bootstrap confidence interval for the mean probability of occurrence of circumferential crack.
 - For this example, we will consider a QoI to be converged if the confidence interval width is less than 0.01.
- Perform a sensitivity analysis and determine which inputs account for most of the variation in the response.
- Calculate the 95th, 50th and 5th epistemic quantiles.
- Save all figures in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 5** and record your results in the **Scenario_Analysis_Results.xlsx** file.

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SCENARIO 5 RESULTS

- How do your results compare to Scenario 3?

Answer

Choose Another Scenario

Compare All Scenarios



- Scenario 8 Zn & H₂ Mitigation
 - Use the data located in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 8**. Set your working directory to this folder.
 - Create a new R script called “Scenario_8.R”. Clear your environment variables.

Next



- **Scenario 8 Zn & H2 Mitigation**
 - Find a converged solution by calculating a bootstrap confidence interval for the mean probability of occurrence of circumferential crack.
 - For this example, a converged QoI is achieved when the confidence interval width is less than 0.01.
 - Perform a sensitivity analysis and determine which inputs account for most of the variation in the response.
 - Calculate the 95th, 50th and 5th epistemic quantiles.
 - Save all figures in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 8** and record your results in the **Scenario_Analysis_Results.xlsx** file.

Next



SCENARIO 8

- How do your results compare to Scenario 3?

Answer

Choose Another Scenario

Compare All Scenarios



- **Scenario 9 Inlay Mitigation**
 - Use the data located in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 9**. Set your working directory to this folder.
 - Create a new R script called “Scenario_9.R”. Clear your environment variables.

Next



- **Scenario 9 Inlay Mitigation**

- Find a converged solution by calculating a bootstrap confidence interval for the mean probability of occurrence of circumferential crack.
 - For this example, a converged QoI is achieved when the confidence interval width is less than 0.01.
- Perform a sensitivity analysis and determine which inputs account for most of the variation in the response.
- Calculate the 95th, 50th and 5th epistemic quantiles.
- Save all figures in **Exercises/Challenge Problems/Scenario 9** and record your results in the **Scenario_Analysis_Results.xlsx** file.

Next



SCENARIO 9 RESULTS

- How do your results compare to Scenario 3?

Answer

Choose Another Scenario

Compare All Scenarios



SCENARIO COMPARISONS

| Scenario Analysis Results | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 5 | Scenario 8 | Scenario 9 |
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation | PWSCC MSIP Mitigation | PWSCC Zn & H2 Mitigation | PWSCC Inlay Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 Samples | 0.0248 | 0.0176 | 0.0166 | 0.0138 |
| CI Width for 500 Samples | 0.0096 | 0.0164 | 0.0087 | 0.006 |
| CI Width for 1000 Samples | 0.0068 | 0.0048 | 0.005 | 0.0036 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 | 1000 | 500 | 500 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS | LHS | SRS | SRS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 | 0.0121 | 0.0155 | 0.01056 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 | 0.00964, 0.01444 | 0.01072, 0.01968 | 0.0072, 0.0134 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression | Rank Regression | Rank Regression | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 | 0.416 | 0.457 | 0.341 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p1102, p2592 | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p2593, p4352 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.061 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

What conclusions can you draw from comparing the scenarios?

Answer

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End of Challenge Problem



Answer Key



Sheet 2 contains the
results from Occurrence
of Circumferential Rupture

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ANSWER KEY

```
library(openxlsx)
# Scenario 3

# 100 ep 50 aleatory SRS
# Read in data
dat <- read.xlsx('S3_100_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_SRS/S3_Simulation_Results_100E_50A_SRS.xlsx',
sheet = 2, startRow = 5)
```

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Get data at year 60
ep100 <- dat[which(dat[,1] == 60),]

# Remove first observation
ep100 <- ep100[-1]

# Change to numeric vector
ep100 <- as.numeric(as.character(ep100))
```

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The mean probability of circumferential rupture for 100 epistemic samples is **0.0278**.

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Plot histogram of data with vertical line at mean  
hist(ep100, col = "lightgrey", xlab = "Probability of Circumferential Rupture")  
abline(v = mean(ep100), lty = 2, lwd = 2, col = "red")
```

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Bootstrap confidence interval
# Create bootstrap samples
B <- 1000 # Number of bootstrap samples
mn <- vector()
n <- length(ep100)
for(i in 1:B){
  samp <- sample(ep100, size = n, replace = TRUE) # Take a sample with replacement
  mn[i] <- mean(samp) # Calculate mean of the bootstrap sample
}
```

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Calculate "basic" bootstrap confidence interval
alpha <- .05
lb100 <- 2*mean(ep100) - quantile(mn, probs = (1-alpha/2))
ub100 <- 2*mean(ep100) - quantile(mn, probs = alpha/2)

# Plot confidence interval on original data
hist(ep100, col = 'lightgrey', main = "Probability of Occurrence of Circ Rupture")
abline(v = c(lb100, ub100), col = "blue", lty = 2, lwd = 2)
abline(v = mean(ep100), col = "red", lty = 2, lwd = 2)
```

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ANSWER KEY

The width of my confidence interval is **.0248**. (This might be slightly different than yours).

This gives an indication of how much **sampling uncertainty** we have in our estimate of the mean probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture.

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Calculate CI width  
ciwidth100 <- ub100 - lb100
```

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We can reduce sampling uncertainty by:

- 1) Increasing our sample size and/or
- 2) Changing our sampling scheme

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ANSWER KEY

```
# 500 ep 50 aleatory LHS
# Read in data
dat <- read.xlsx('S3_500_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Simulation_Results_500E_50A_LHS.xlsx',
sheet = 2, startRow = 5)

# Get data at year 60
ep500 <- dat[which(dat[,1] == 60),]

# Remove first observation
ep500<- ep500[-1]

# Change to numeric vector
ep500 <- as.numeric(as.character(ep500))

# Plot histogram of data with vertical line at mean
hist(ep500, col = "lightgrey", xlab = "Probability of Circumferential Rupture")
abline(v = mean(ep500), lty = 2, lwd =2, col = "red")

# Bootstrap confidence interval
# Create bootstrap samples
B <- 1000 # Number of bootstrap samples
mn <- vector()
n <- length(ep500)
for(i in 1:B){
  samp <- sample(ep500, size = n, replace = TRUE) # Take a sample with replacement
  mn[i] <- mean(samp) # Calculate mean of the bootstrap sample
}

# Calculate "basic" bootstrap confidence interval
alpha <- .05
lb500 <- 2*mean(ep500) - quantile(mn, probs = (1-alpha/2))
ub500 <- 2*mean(ep500) - quantile(mn, probs = alpha/2)

# Plot confidence interval on original data
hist(ep500, col = 'lightgrey', main = "Probability of Occurrence of Circ Rupture")
abline(v = c(lb500, ub500), col = "blue", lty = 2, lwd =2)
abline(v = mean(ep500), col = "red", lty = 2, lwd = 2)

# Calculate confidence interval width
ciwidth500 <- ub500 - lb500
```

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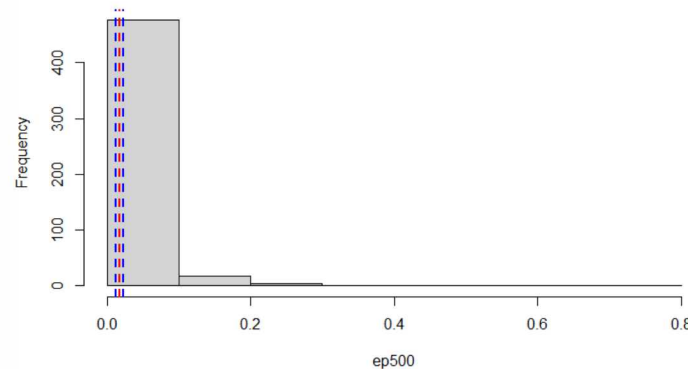
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ANSWER KEY

The width of my confidence interval is **.0096**. (Again, this might be slightly different than yours).

This is **smaller** than the width of our CI using 100 epistemic SRS samples. Since we increased our sample size and used LHS, our sampling uncertainty has decreased.



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ANSWER KEY

```
# 1000 ep 50 aleatory LHS
# Read in data
dat <- read.xlsx('S3_1000_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Simulation_Results_1000E_50A_LHS.xlsx',
sheet = 2, startRow = 5)

# Get data at year 60
ep1000 <- dat[which(dat[,1] == 60),]

# Remove first observation
ep1000<- ep1000[-1]

# Change to numeric vector
ep1000 <- as.numeric(as.character(ep1000))

# Plot histogram of data with vertical line at mean
hist(ep1000, col = "lightgrey", xlab = "Probability of Circumferential Rupture")
abline(v = mean(ep1000), lty = 2, lwd =2, col = "red")

# Bootstrap confidence interval
# Create bootstrap samples
B <- 1000 # Number of bootstrap samples
mn <- vector()
n <- length(ep1000)
for(i in 1:B){
  samp <- sample(ep1000, size = n, replace = TRUE) # Take a sample with replacement
  mn[i] <- mean(samp) # Calculate mean of the bootstrap sample
}

# Calculate "basic" bootstrap confidence interval
alpha <- .05
lb1000 <- 2*mean(ep1000) - quantile(mn, probs = (1-alpha/2))
ub1000 <- 2*mean(ep1000) - quantile(mn, probs = alpha/2)

# Plot confidence interval on original data
hist(ep1000, col = 'lightgrey', main = "Probability of Occurrence of Circ Rupture")
abline(v = c(lb1000, ub1000), col = "blue", lty = 2, lwd =2)
abline(v = mean(ep500), col = "red", lty = 2, lwd = 2)

# Calculate confidence interval width
ciwidth1000 <- ub1000 - lb1000
ciwidth1000
```

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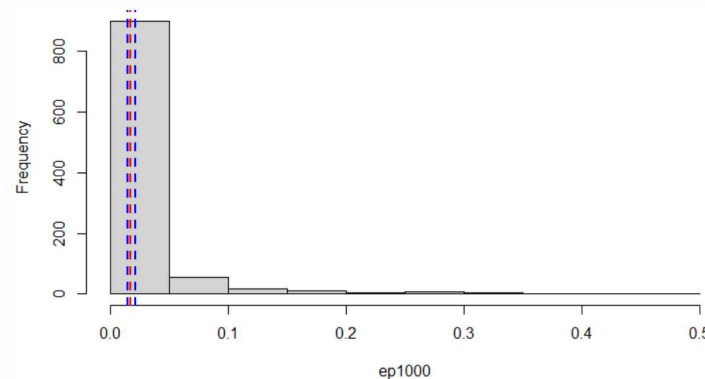
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ANSWER KEY

The width of my confidence interval is **.0068**. (Again, this might be slightly different than yours).

This is **smaller** than the width of our CI using 500 epistemic LHS samples. Note that the change in CI width when we went from 100 to 500 samples was larger than when we went from 500 to 1000 samples.



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ANSWER KEY

```
# Perform sensitivity analysis
# Read in sampled input data
library(CompModSA)
inputs1000 <- read.csv("S3_1000_Epistemic_50_Aleatory_LHS/S3_Sensitivity_1p00E_50A_LHS.csv",
header = TRUE)
colnames(inputs1000) <- substr(colnames(inputs1000), 1, 5)
# Combine inputs1000 and ep1000 into a data frame

dataCombined <- data.frame(cbind(inputs1000, ep1000))
x.pos <- c(1:42)
y.pos <- 43
rankReg <- CompModSA::sensitivity(dataCombined, x.pos, y.pos, surface = "rank")
print.sensitivity(rankReg)
```

Output = ep1000

surface = rank

Estimated Model Summary:

Model: ep1000 = f(p2543, p2592, p4352, p1102, p3102, p2591, p2594, p2595)

Rsqr = 0.4827032

dfmod = 9

| Input | Rsqr | src | pcc^2 | 95% pcc^2 CI | p-val |
|-------|-------|--------|-------|----------------|-------|
| p2543 | 0.372 | 0.457 | 0.404 | (0.356, 0.450) | 0.000 |
| p2592 | 0.412 | 0.153 | 0.071 | (0.043, 0.105) | 0.000 |
| p4352 | 0.445 | -0.140 | 0.060 | (0.035, 0.092) | 0.000 |
| p1102 | 0.471 | -0.126 | 0.049 | (0.026, 0.078) | 0.000 |
| p3102 | 0.474 | 0.039 | 0.005 | (0.000, 0.017) | 0.028 |
| p2591 | 0.476 | 0.035 | 0.004 | (0.000, 0.016) | 0.048 |
| p2594 | 0.477 | -0.091 | 0.012 | (0.002, 0.030) | 0.000 |
| p2595 | 0.483 | 0.085 | 0.011 | (0.002, 0.027) | 0.001 |

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- What is the model R^2 value? **0.483**
 - What does this tell us? **It tells us what percentage of the variance in the output rank regression is able to account for.**
- What variable is most important? **p2543 Multiplier proportional constant**
 - What is its SRRC value? **0.457**
- What could we do with important variables? **We could use them for importance sampling, or try to reduce the amount of uncertainty for those inputs.**

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ANSWER KEY

```
# Perform epistemic uncertainty analysis
epQuantile <- quantile(ep1000, probs = c(0.95, 0.50, 0.05))

plot(ep1000, pch = 16, xlab = "Sample", col = "grey", ylab = "Probability of Occurrence of Circ
Rupture")

abline(h=epQuantile, col = c("red", "darkblue", "darkgreen"), lty = 2, lwd =2 )

legend('topright', legend = c('95th Quantile', '50th Quantile', '5th Quantile'),
      col =c("red", "darkblue", "darkgreen"), lty = c(2,2,2), lwd = c(2,2,2))
```

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- 95% of the realizations fall below **0.1** probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture.
- These quantiles give us an estimation of **uncertainty due to lack of knowledge**.

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- Scenario 3 Results

| | Scenario 3 |
|---|---------------------|
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 SRS | 0.0248 |
| CI Width for 500 LHS | 0.0096 |
| CI Width for 1000 LHS | 0.0068 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 |

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• Scenario 5 Results

| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 5 |
|---|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation | PWSCC MSIP Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 SRS | 0.0248 | 0.0176 |
| CI Width for 500 LHS | 0.0096 | 0.0172 |
| CI Width for 1000 LHS | 0.0068 | 0.0048 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 | 1000 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS | LHS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 | 0.0121 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 | 0.00964, 0.01444 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 | 0.416 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p1102, p2592 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 | 0.08 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 | 0 |

Scenario 5 has a lower mean probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture.

p2543 is the most important variable in both cases.

The 95th quantile for scenario 5 is .02 lower than scenario 3.

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• Scenario 8 Results

| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 8 |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation | PWSCC Zn & H2 Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 SRS | 0.0248 | 0.0166 |
| CI Width for 500 LHS | 0.0096 | 0.0087 |
| CI Width for 1000 LHS | 0.0068 | 0.005 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 | 500 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS | SRS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 | 0.0155 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 | 0.01072, 0.01968 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 | 0.457 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p2592, p4352 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 | 0.08 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 | 0 |

Scenario 8 has a slightly lower mean probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture.

Both scenarios have the same top 3 important variables.

The 95th quantile for scenario 8 is .02 lower than scenario 3.

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• Scenario 9 Results

| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 9 |
|---|---------------------|------------------------|
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation | PWSCC Inlay Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 SRS | 0.0248 | 0.0138 |
| CI Width for 500 LHS | 0.0096 | 0.006 |
| CI Width for 1000 LHS | 0.0068 | 0.0036 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 | 500 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS | SRS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 | 0.01056 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 | 0.0072, 0.0134 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 | 0.341 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p2593, p4352 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 | 0.061 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 | 0 |

Scenario 9 has a lower mean probability of occurrence of circumferential rupture.

p2543 is the most important variable in both cases.

The 95th quantile for scenario 5 is ~.04 lower than scenario 3.

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ANSWER KEY

| Scenario Analysis Results | | | | |
|---|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| | Scenario 3 | Scenario 5 | Scenario 8 | Scenario 9 |
| Description of Scenario | PWSCC No Mitigation | PWSCC MSIP Mitigation | PWSCC Zn & H2 Mitigation | PWSCC Inlay Mitigation |
| CI Width for 100 Samples | 0.0248 | 0.0176 | 0.0166 | 0.0138 |
| CI Width for 500 Samples | 0.0096 | 0.0164 | 0.0087 | 0.006 |
| CI Width for 1000 Samples | 0.0068 | 0.0048 | 0.005 | 0.0036 |
| Number of Samples in Converged Solution | 1000 | 1000 | 500 | 500 |
| Sampling Scheme in Converged Solution | LHS | LHS | SRS | SRS |
| Sample Mean | 0.0183 | 0.0121 | 0.0155 | 0.01056 |
| Bootstrap CI | 0.0148, 0.0215 | 0.00964, 0.01444 | 0.01072, 0.01968 | 0.0072, 0.0134 |
| Sensitivity Analysis Model | Rank Regression | Rank Regression | Rank Regression | Rank Regression |
| Sensitivity Analysis R2 | 0.483 | 0.416 | 0.457 | 0.341 |
| Top 3 Important Variables | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p1102, p2592 | p2543, p2592, p4352 | p2543, p2593, p4352 |
| 95th Quantile | 0.1 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.061 |
| 50th Quantile | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5th Quantile | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

- **Inlay mitigation** results in the **lowest mean probability** of occurrence of circumferential rupture, as well as the **smallest amount of uncertainty due to lack of knowledge**.
- **p2543** is the most **significant variable** in all scenarios.
- All methods of mitigation result in a decrease in the mean probability of circumferential rupture.

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