

FORELESNING 6

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**RIGHT CENSORED DATA FOR "FORELESNING 6"
EXPONENTIAL MODEL**

Row	C1	C2
1	0,35	1
2	0,50	0
3	0,75	0
4	1,00	1
5	1,30	1
6	1,80	1
7	3,00	0
8	3,15	0
9	4,85	0
10	5,50	1
11	5,50	0
12	6,25	0

Variable: C1 Censoring Information

Count Uncensored value 5 Right censored value 7 Censoring value: C2 = 0

Estimation Method: Maximum Likelihood

Distribution: Exponential

Parameter Estimates

Parameter	Estimate	Standard Error	95,0% Normal CI	
			Lower	Upper
Shape	1,00000			
Scale	6,790	3,037	2,826	16,313

Log-Likelihood = -14,577

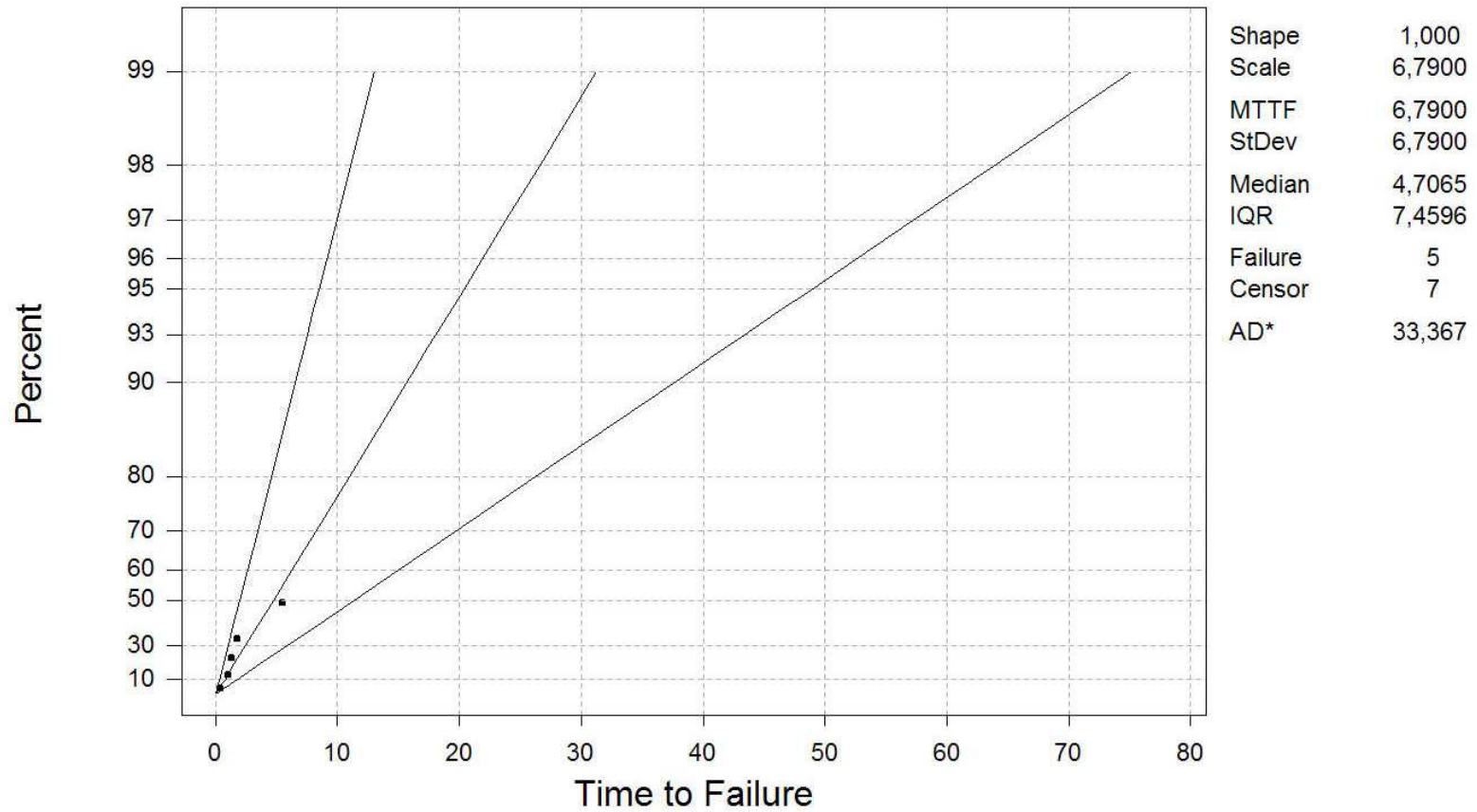
PLOT USING MINITAB 13

Plots the points

$$(t_i, -\ln(1 - F(t_i; \theta)))$$

Probability Plot for C1

Exponential Distribution - ML Estimates - 95,0% CI
Censoring Column in C2



WEIBULL MODEL

Variable: C1

Censoring Information Count Uncensored value
5 Right censored value 7 Censoring value: C2 = 0

Estimation Method: Maximum Likelihood

Distribution: Weibull

Parameter Estimates

Parameter	Estimate	Standard Error	95,0% Normal CI	
			Lower	Upper
Shape	0,9780	0,3694	0,4665	2,0504
Scale	6,880	3,517	2,526	18,740

Log-Likelihood = -14,576

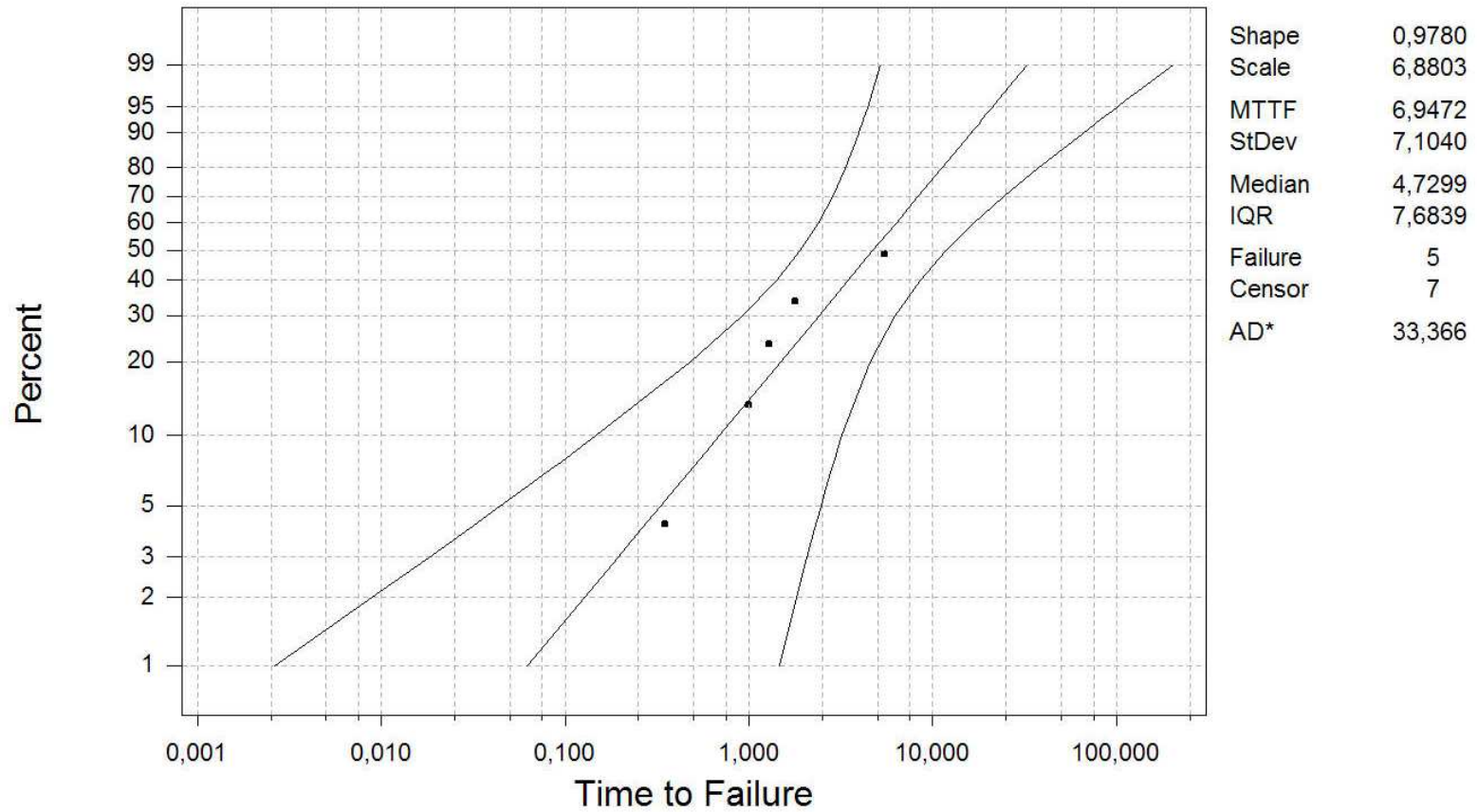
PLOT USING MINITAB 13

Plots the points

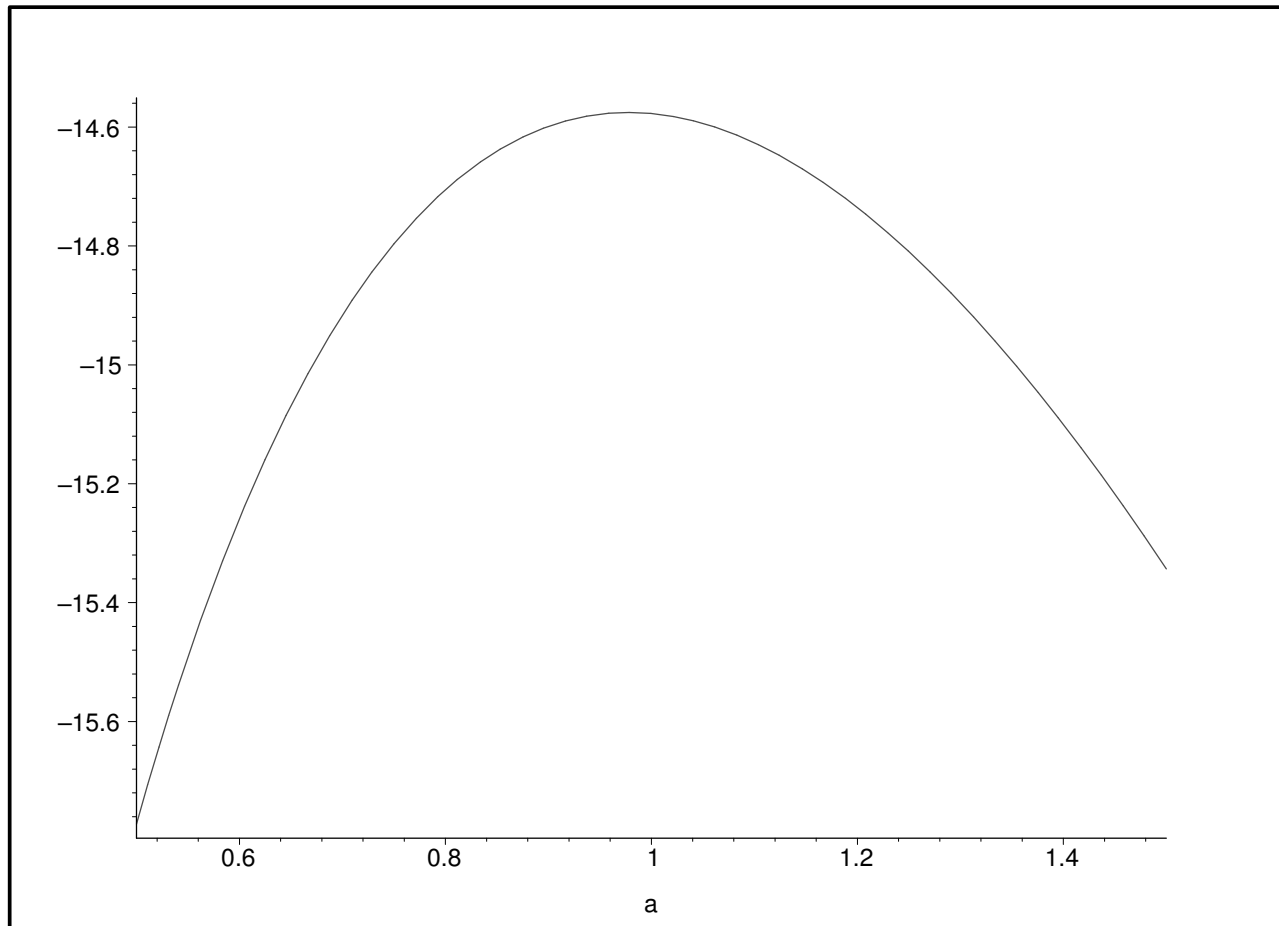
$$(\ln t_i, \ln(-\ln(1 - F(t_i; \theta))))$$

Probability Plot for C1

Weibull Distribution - ML Estimates - 95,0% CI
Censoring Column in C2



PROFILE LIKELIHOOD FOR SHAPE PARAMETER α IN WEIBULL DISTRIBUTION



**BASED ON OUTPUT FROM
MINITAB-MACRO "barlowpro"**

Row	Time	Censor	No at risk	Total time	Cum total time	
1	0,35	1	12	4,20	4,20	4,2
2	0,50	0	11	1,65	5,85	10,6
3	0,75	0	10	2,50	8,35	13,0
4	1,00	1	9	2,25	10,60	16,5
5	1,30	1	8	2,40	13,00	33,2
6	1,80	1	7	3,50	16,50	
7	3,00	0	6	7,20	23,70	
8	3,15	0	5	0,75	24,45	
9	4,85	0	4	6,80	31,25	
10	5,50	1	3	1,95	33,20	
11	5,50	0	2	0,00	33,20	
12	6,25	0	1	0,75	33,95	

Row	i/n	TTT
1	0,2	0,12651
2	0,4	0,31928
3	0,6	0,39157
4	0,8	0,49699
5	1,0	1,00000

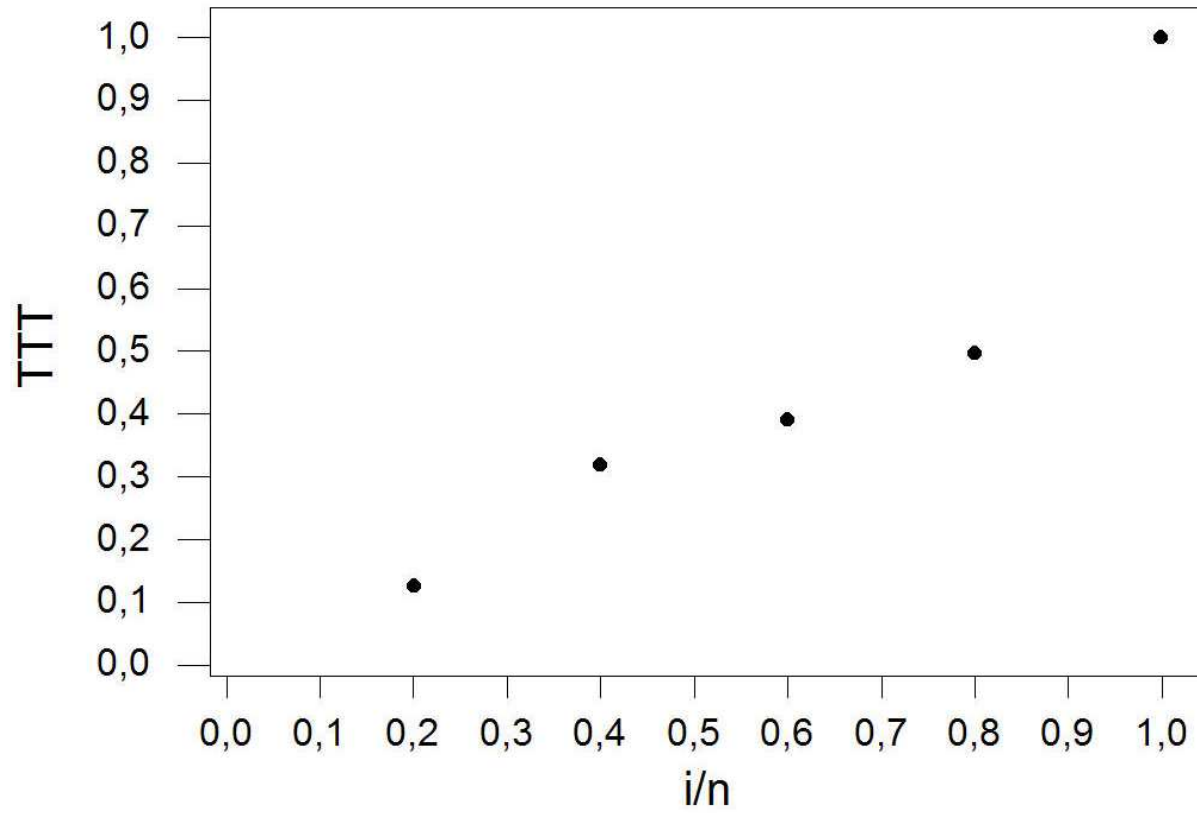
BARLOW-PROSCHAN'S TEST:

$$W = (4.2+10.6+13.0+16.5)/33.2 = 1.33$$

$$\text{alt. } W = 0.13 + 0.32 + 0.39 + 0.50 = 1.34$$

$$(k-1 = 4)$$

TTT-plot censored data





Method – Probability Plot for Uncensored/Right Censored Data

[main topic](#)

Probability plots are based on a scheme that plots the observed failure times (or a transformation of the failure times) on the x-axis vs. the estimated cumulative probabilities (p) on the y-axis. The cumulative probabilities are transformed. Transformations of both the x and y data are needed to ensure that the plotted y values are a linear function of the plotted x values. To help assess the linearity of the plotted data, a fitted line is also drawn on the probability plots. The table below shows how the actual x and y plot points are constructed:

Distribution	x coordinate	y coordinate
Weibull	$\ln(\text{failure time})$	$\ln(-\ln(1 - p))$
Extreme value	failure time	$\ln(-\ln(1 - p))$
Exponential	failure time	$-\ln(1-p)$
Normal	failure time	$\Phi^{-1}(p)$
Lognormal basee	$\ln(\text{failure time})$	$\Phi^{-1}(p)$
Lognormal base10	$\log_{10}(\text{failure time})$	$\Phi^{-1}(p)$
Logistic	failure time	$\ln\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right)$
Loglogistic	$\ln(\text{failure time})$	$\ln\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right)$

where

$\Phi^{-1}(p)$ = value of standard normal distribution, Z, such that $\text{prob}(Z \leq \Phi^{-1}(p)) = p$

$\ln(x)$ = natural log of x

$\log_{10}(x)$ = log base 10 of x

Minitab estimates the cumulative probabilities (p) using the Default, Modified Kaplan-Meier, Herd-Johnson, or Kaplan-Meier method. The Default method is the normal score for uncensored data; the modified Kaplan-Meier method for censored data. Each of these methods generates nonparametric estimates of F(t), the cumulative distribution function for the random variable T, which is time to failure.

Note If the largest observation is uncensored, the Kaplan-Meier method results in $p=1$ for the largest uncensored observation. In this case, the Kaplan-Meier estimate for the largest observation results in a number that cannot be used in the plot. This problem is corrected by recalculating the largest p as 90% of the distance between the prior p and 1.

This table displays the differences among the methods. For a sample of n observations, let $x(1), x(2), \dots, x(n)$ be the order statistics, or the data ordered from smallest to largest. Then i is the rank of the ith ordered observation $x(i)$. The formulas are as follows:

For uncensored data...

This method . . .	Uses this equation
Normal score (default)	$\frac{i - 3/8}{n + 1/4}$
Modified Kaplan-Meier	$\frac{i - 1/2}{n}$
Herd-Johnson	$\frac{i}{n + 1}$
Kaplan-Meier	$\frac{i}{n}$

For censored data...

This method...

Modified Kaplan-Meier (default)

Uses this equation

$$P_i = 1 - \frac{\langle 1 - P'_i \rangle + \langle 1 - P'_{i-1} \rangle}{2}$$

where P'_i is the P_i from the Kaplan-Meier estimate and $P'_0 = 0$.

Herd-Johnson estimate

$$P_i = 1 - \prod_{j=1:i} \frac{(n - j + 1)}{\langle n - j + 2 \rangle^{\delta_j}}$$

Kaplan-Meier product limit estimate

$$P_i = 1 - \prod_{j=1:i} \frac{(n - j)}{\langle n - j + 1 \rangle^{\delta_j}}$$

where

$\delta_j = 0$ if the j th observation is censored

1 if the j th observation is uncensored

If there are tied failure times in the data, either all points (default), the average (median), or the maximum of the tied points is plotted. If the tie involves failures and suspensions, the failures are considered to occur before the suspensions.