

# **Development of the Postoperative Adjusted Percentile Tool (PAPT) for weight evolution assessment after gastric bypass**

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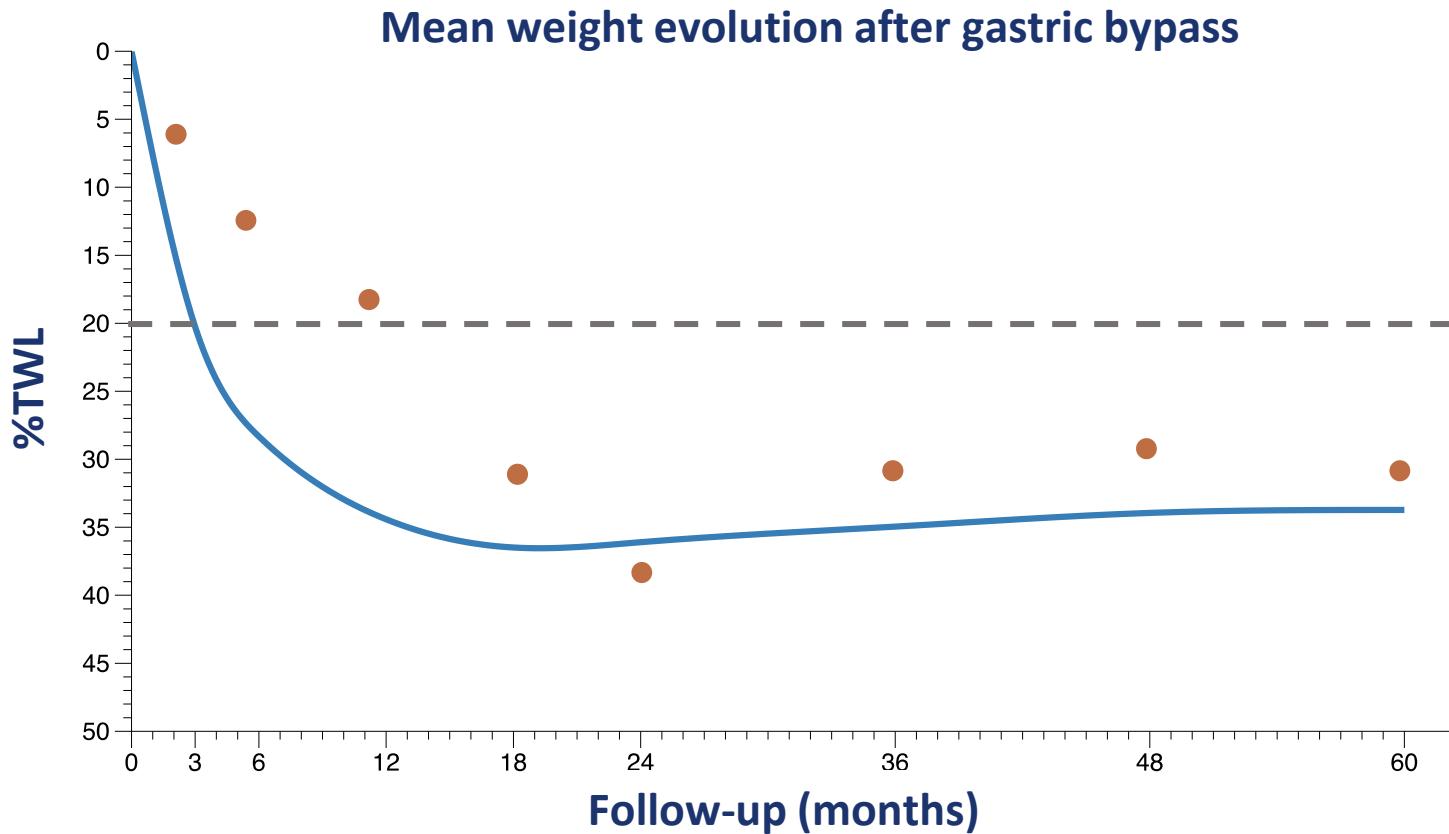
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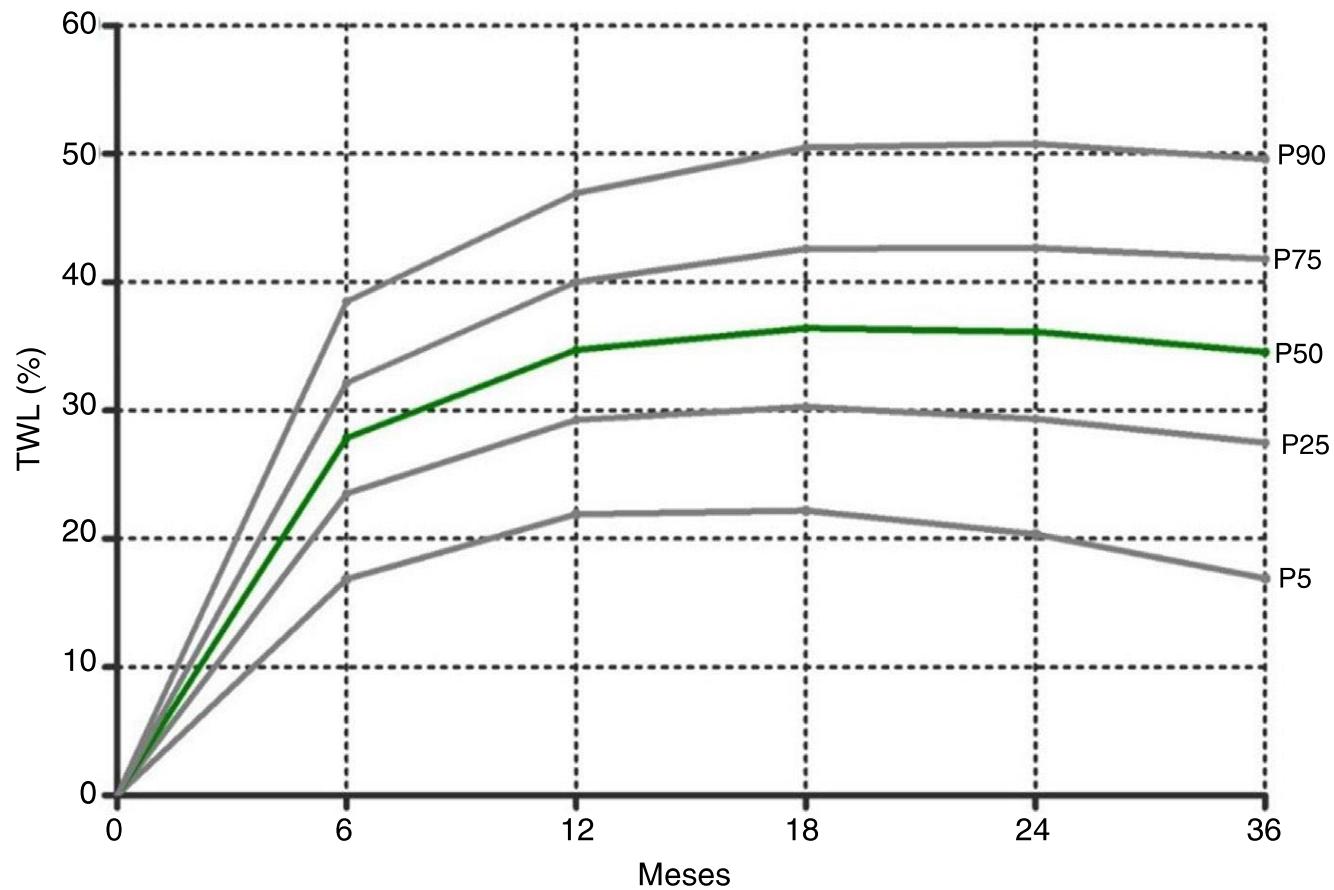
“But... how am I doing?”



- Non-linear weight evolution
- Unintuitive outcomes
- Unadapted objectives:
  - Age
  - Sex
  - Preoperative T2D
  - Initial BMI

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# BACKGROUND



Van de Laar, SOARD 2019 / Sabench, Cir Esp 2019 / Tan, Obes Surg 2021

To develop a digital tool that provides charts of %TWL over time,  
expressed as percentiles and adjusted by the key baseline factors  
that modify weight trajectories after a gastric bypass

**INCLUSION CRITERIA**

- Laparoscopic gastric bypass
- Primary surgery
- Age: 18 - 65 years
- Initial BMI: 35 - 80 kg/m<sup>2</sup>

**EXCLUSION CRITERIA**

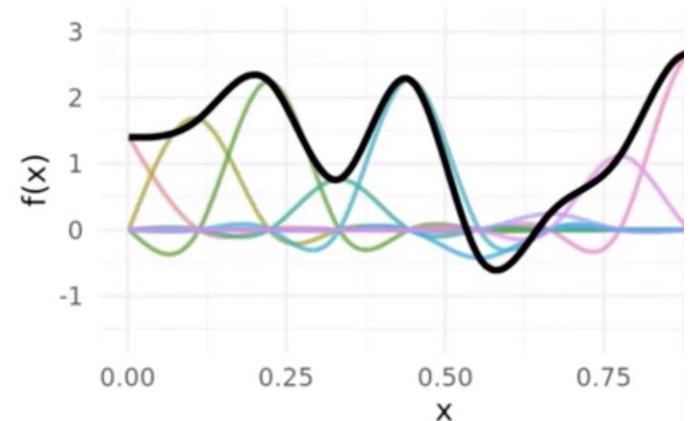
- Use of GLP-1 agonists
- Complications
- Non-standard trajectory

**COLLECTED DATA**

- Age
- Sex
- Preoperative T2D
- Height
- Initial weight
- Postoperative weight  
at 3, 6, 12, 28, 24, 36, 48  
and 60 months

**MODEL DEVELOPMENT**

- SPSS / R Studio
- Generalized Additive  
Model for Location, Scale  
and Shape (GAMLSS)



# RESULTS

- Retrospective (1998-2023) multicentric (n=18) database
- 4060 patients / ≈17000 data points
- Mean age: 44 ( $\pm 10$ ) yo / Sex: 76% female / Preop T2D: 71%
- Mean initial BMI: 46 ( $\pm 6$ ) kg/m<sup>2</sup>
- Follow-up: 42%, 79%, 82%, 58%, 67%, 56%, 17%, and 25% at 3, 6, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, and 60 months, respectively



Test Set (20%)	1 year	2 years	5 years
%TWL	-0.46% ( $\pm 7,5$ )	-0.33% ( $\pm 8$ )	-0.46% ( $\pm 8,3$ )
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	-0.29 ( $\pm 3,5$ )	-0.20 ( $\pm 3,7$ )	-0.23 ( $\pm 3,9$ )

MAD: 0.082  
RMSPE: 12.94%

# RESULTS

BAP About BAP

## Baseline data

Age (years): 30 Sex: Male

Height: 175 cm

Preoperative type 2 diabetes mellitus: Yes

Preoperative Weight: 200 kg

Type of bariatric surgery: Bypass

## Follow-Up

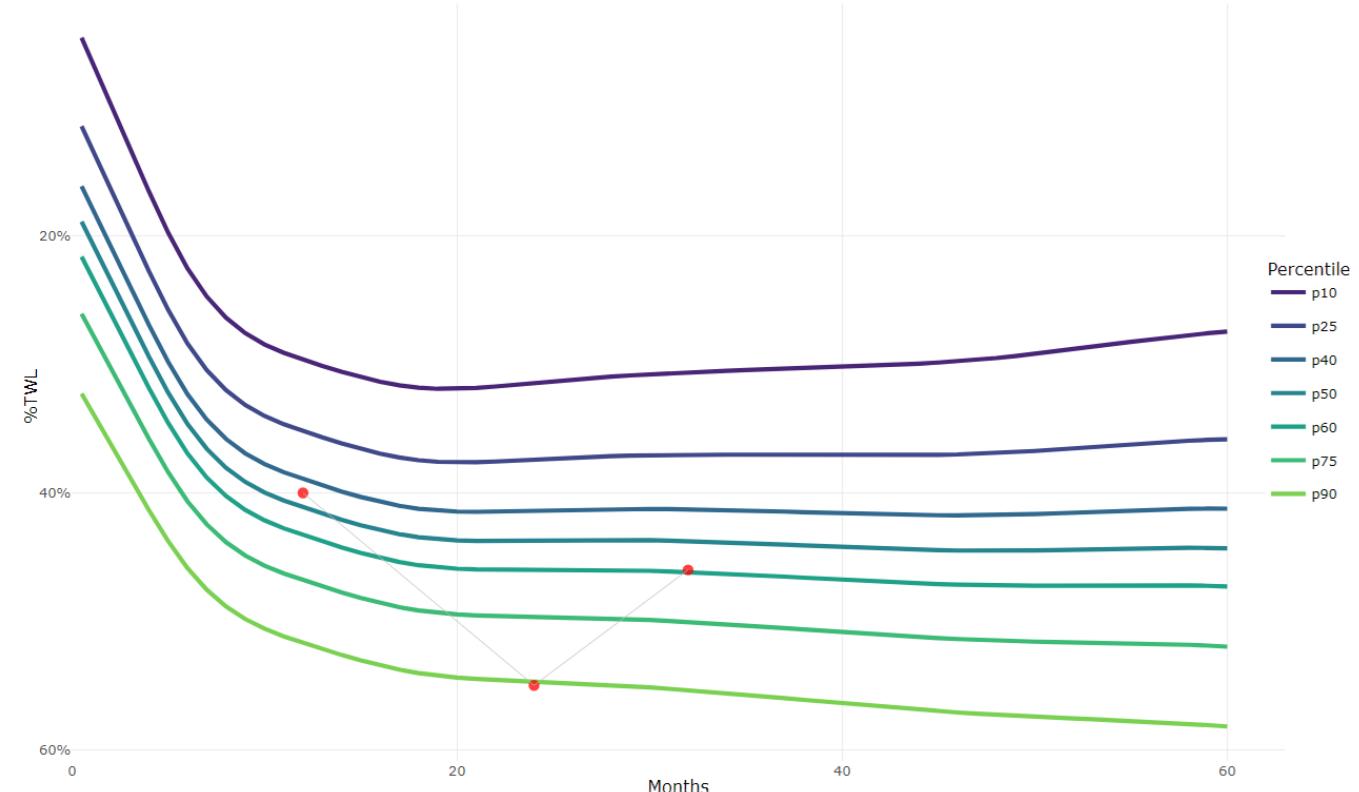
Postoperative time (months): 12 Postoperative weight: 120 kg

Postoperative time (months): 24 Postoperative weight: 90 kg

Postoperative time (months): 32 Postoperative weight: 108 kg

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## DISCUSSION

### MARY

- Woman, 25yo
  - No T2D
  - BMI<sub>preop</sub>: 50
  - BMI<sub>15m</sub>: 35
  - %TWL ≈ 30%
- Better outcomes expected

### JOHN

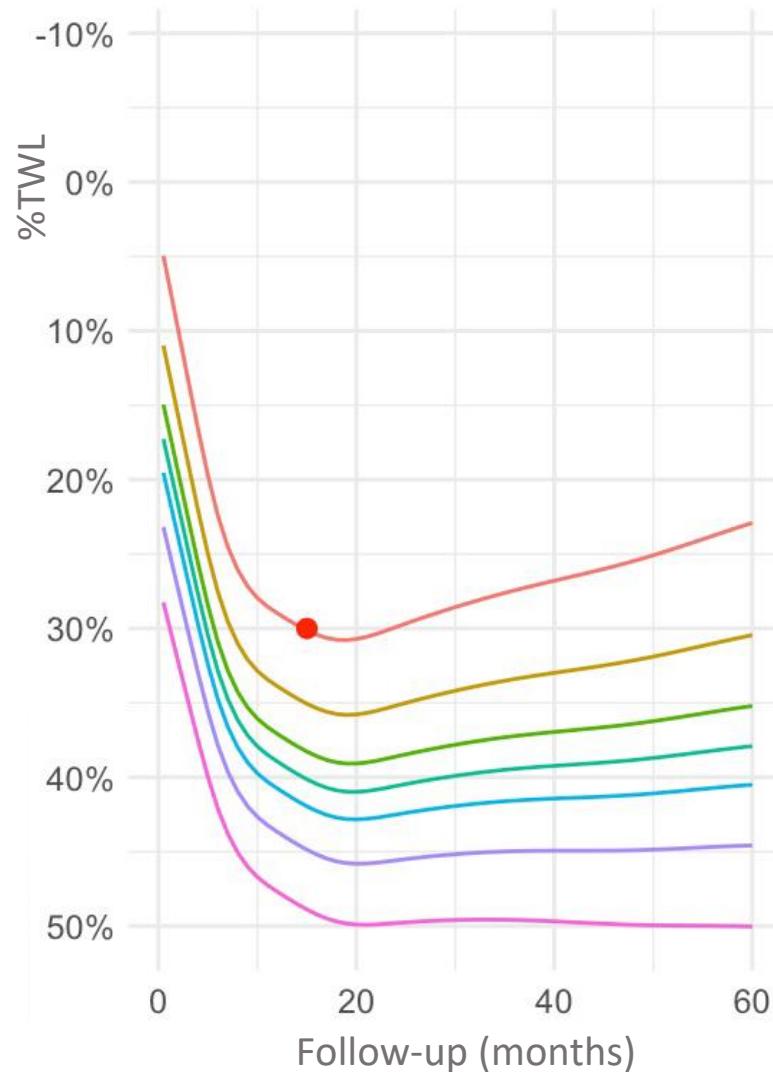
- Man, 50yo
  - T2D
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# DISCUSION

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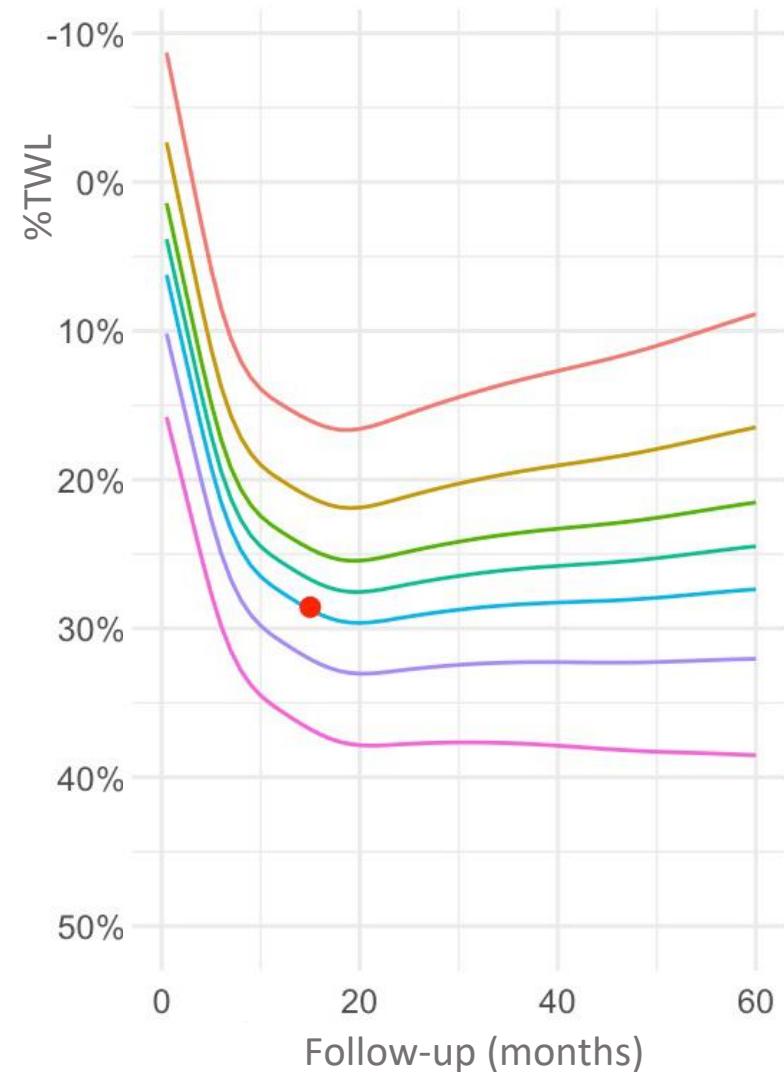
Adjusted  
Percentile:  
**10th**



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Adjusted  
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**60th**



## CONCLUSIONS

- This percentiles-based tool is an innovative digital resource that offers a personalized, straightforward, and visually engaging way to monitor weight evolution after a gastric bypass.
- External validation is underway.

# THANK YOU VERY MUCH!!

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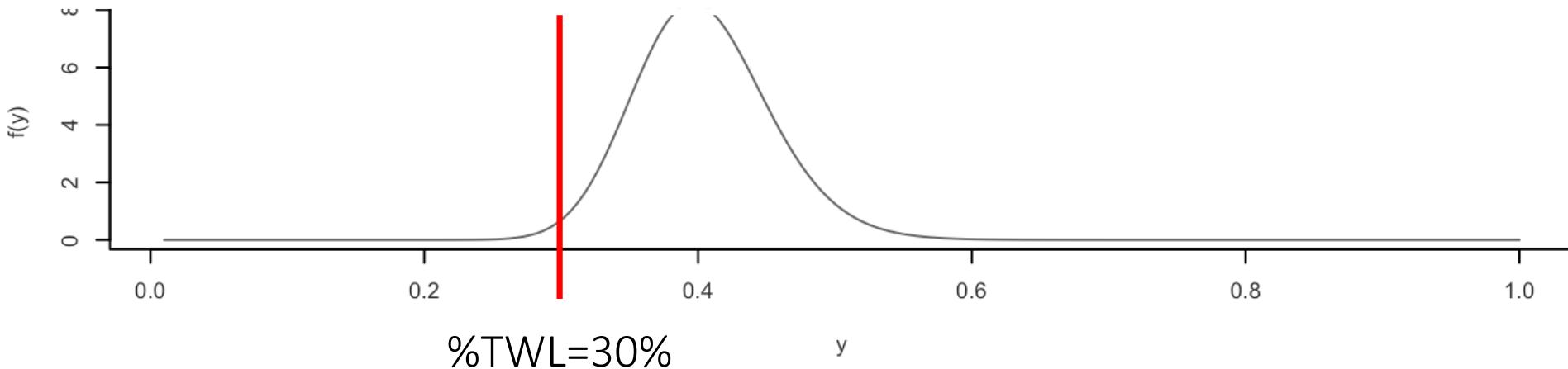
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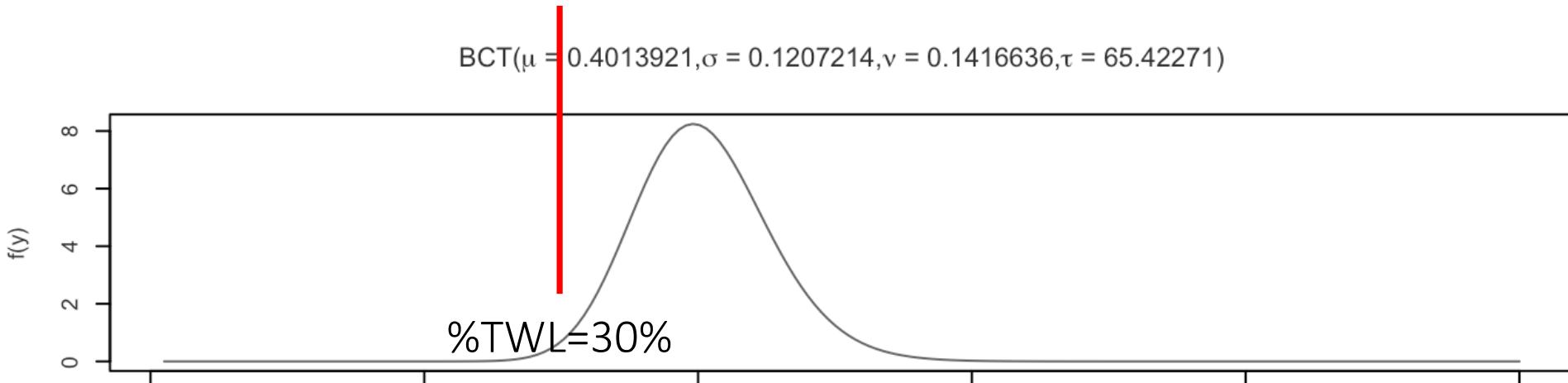
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# DISCUSION

MARY



JOHN



# DISCUSION

