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The following is an update on the previously published Commentary.

In the original article, random behaviour was demonstrated in Southern Ground Hornbill (*Bucorvus leadbeateri*). Here the observations were tested for normality using a Kolmogorov–Smirnov Test to determine if the observed data are discrete or continuous (<https://www.socscistatistics.com/tests/kolmogorov/default.aspx>). The observed data are normally distributed ($D=0.32325$, $n=12$, $p=0.15977$). This means the data are a type of continuous probability distribution for a real-valued random variable. They are not discrete. In the theory of probability, the normal distribution is a continuous probability distribution defined for a real-valued variable. They are significant in the field of statistics and utilised in the natural and social sciences demonstrating random variables that are real-valued and whose distributions are unknown. The significance is partially due to the central limit theorem. The mean of numerous observations related to a random variable with countable mean and variance is a random variable on its own whose distribution approaches a normal distribution when the sample size sees an increase (<https://probabilityformula.org/normal-distribution/>).