Announcements:
• Special office hours for final exam: Friday, Jason will have 1-3 (instead of 1-2)
  Monday (just before exam) I will have 10-noon.
  Exam is Monday, 1:30 – 3:30.
• Homework assigned today and Wed not due, but solutions on website.
• Final exam review sheets posted on web (in list of lectures).
• Form and instructions for disputing points will be sent by email. Watch for it if you plan to do that.
  Fill out and bring to final exam to hand in.
Homework: Chapter 16: 1, 7, 8, 16, 17 (not due)

Analysis of Variance

ANOVA = Analysis of variance
• Compare means for more than 2 groups.
• We have \( k \) independent samples and measure a quantitative variable on all units in all \( k \) samples.
• We want to know if the population means are all equal (null hypothesis) or if at least one is different (alternative hypothesis).
• This is called one-way ANOVA because we analyze variability in order to compare means.

Example: Friend or Pet to Relieve Stress?
• Randomized experiment using 45 women volunteers who said they love dogs.
• Each woman assigned to do a stressful task:
  – 15 did it alone
  – 15 did it with a good friend present
  – 15 did it with their dog present
• Response variable = heart rate

16.1 Comparing Means with an ANOVA F-Test
\[ H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \ldots = \mu_k \]
\[ H_a: \text{The means are not all equal.} \]

Example: Parameters of interest are the population mean heart rates for all such women if they were to do the task under the 3 conditions:
\( \mu_1 \): if doing the task alone.
\( \mu_2 \): if doing the task with good friend present.
\( \mu_3 \): if doing the task with dog present.

Step 1 for the example (defining hypotheses)

Step 2 (In general):
The test statistic is called an F-statistic. In words, it is defined as:
\[ F = \frac{\text{Variation among sample means}}{\text{Natural variation within groups}} \]
**F** = Variation among sample means

Natural variation within groups

Variation among sample means is 0 if all $k$ sample means are equal and gets larger the more spread out they are.

If large enough $\Rightarrow$ evidence at least one population mean is different from others $\Rightarrow$ reject null hypothesis.

$p$-value found using an $F$-distribution (more later)

**Assumptions for the $F$-Test**

- Samples are independent random samples.
- Distribution of response variable is a normal curve within each population (but ok as long as large $n$).
- Different populations may have different means.
- All populations have same standard deviation, $\sigma$.

- c.g. How $k = 3$ populations might look …

**Conditions for Using the $F$-Test**

- $F$-statistic can be used if data are not extremely skewed, there are no extreme outliers, and group standard deviations are not markedly different.
- Tests based on $F$-statistic are valid for data with skewness or outliers if sample sizes are large.
- A rough criterion for standard deviations is that the largest of the sample standard deviations should not be more than twice as large as the smallest of the sample standard deviations.

**Notation for Summary Statistics**

- $k =$ number of groups
- $\bar{x}_i$, $s_i$, and $n_i$ are the mean, standard deviation, and sample size for the $i^{th}$ sample group
- $N =$ total sample size ($N = n_1 + n_2 + \ldots + n_k$)

**Example: Friends, Pets and Stress**

Three different conditions $\Rightarrow k = 3$

$n_1 = n_2 = n_3 = 15$; so $N = 45$

$\bar{x}_1 = 82.52$, $\bar{x}_2 = 91.33$, $\bar{x}_3 = 73.48$

$s_1 = 9.24$, $s_2 = 8.34$, $s_3 = 9.97$

**Example, continued**

Do friends, pets, or neither reduce stress more than when alone? Boxplots of sample data:

**Conditions for Using the $F$-Test: Does the example qualify?**

- $F$-statistic can be used if data are not extremely skewed, there are no extreme outliers.
  - In the example there is one possible outlier but with a sample of only 15 it is hard to tell.
- A rough criterion for standard deviations is that the largest of the sample standard deviations should not be more than twice as large as the smallest of the sample standard deviations.
  - That condition is clearly met. The sample standard deviations are very similar.
16.2 Details of the F Statistic for Analysis of Variance

**Fundamental concept:** the variation among the data values in the overall sample can be separated into:
1. differences between group means
2. natural variation among observations within a group

*Total variation = Variation between groups + Variation within groups*

“The ANOVA Table” displays this information in summary form, and gives F statistic and p-value.

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**Measuring variation between groups:** How far apart are the means?

*Sum of squares for groups = SS Groups*

\[ SS \text{Groups} = \sum_{i} n_i \left( \bar{x}_i - \bar{x} \right)^2 \]

Numerator of F-statistic = mean square for groups

\[ MS \text{Groups} = \frac{SS \text{Groups}}{k-1} \]

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**Measuring variation within groups:** How variable are the individuals?

*Sum of squared errors = SS Error*

\[ SS \text{Errors} = \sum_{i} \left( \bar{x}_i - \bar{x} \right)^2 \]

Denominator of F-statistic = mean square error

\[ MSE = \frac{SS \text{Error}}{N-k} \]

Pooled standard deviation: \( s_p = \sqrt{MSE} \)

Measures internal variability within each group.

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**Measuring Total Variation**

*Total sum of squares = SS Total = SSTO*

\[ SS \text{Total} = \sum_{values} \left( x_{ij} - \bar{x} \right)^2 \]

\[ SS \text{Total} = SS \text{Groups} + SS \text{Error} \]

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**General Format of a One-Way ANOVA Table**

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<th>df</th>
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<th>MS</th>
<th>F</th>
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<td>Between groups</td>
<td>( k-1 )</td>
<td>( SS \text{Groups} = \sum_{i} n_i \left( \bar{x}_i - \bar{x} \right)^2 )</td>
<td>( SS \text{Groups} \kern 1em / \kern 1em k-1 )</td>
<td>( = )</td>
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<td>Error (within groups)</td>
<td>( N-k )</td>
<td>( SSE = \sum_{i} \sum_{j} \left( x_{ij} - \bar{x}_i \right)^2 )</td>
<td>( SSE \kern 1em / \kern 1em N-k )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>( N-1 )</td>
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**Example: Stress, Friends and Pets**

H₀: \( \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_3 \)

H₁: The means are not all equal.

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<td>2387.7</td>
<td>1193.8</td>
<td>14.08</td>
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<td>Error</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>3561.3</td>
<td>84.8</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>5949.0</td>
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The F-statistic is 14.08 and p-value is 0.000...

p-value so small => reject H₀ and accept H₁.

Conclude there are differences among population means. MORE LATER ABOUT FINDING P-VALUE.
Conclusion in Context:

• The population mean heart rates would differ if we subjected all people similar to our volunteers to the 3 conditions (alone, good friend, pet dog).

• Now we want to know which one(s) differ!

Individual 95% confidence intervals (next slide for formula):

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95% Confidence Intervals for the Population Means

In one-way analysis of variance, a confidence interval for a population mean \( \mu_i \) is

\[
X_i \pm t^* \left( \frac{S_p}{\sqrt{n_i}} \right)
\]

where \( S_p = \sqrt{\text{MSE}} \) and \( t^* \) is from Table A.2:

\( t^* \) is such that the confidence level is the probability between \(-t^*\) and \( t^* \) in a \( t\)-distribution with \( \text{df} = N - k \).

Multiple Comparisons

Multiple comparisons: Problem is that each C.I. has 95% confidence, but we want overall 95% confidence. Can do multiple C.I.s and/or tests at once.

Most common: all pairwise comparisons of means.

Ways to make inferences about each pair of means:

• Significance test to assess if two means significantly differ.

• Confidence interval for difference computed and if 0 is not in the interval, there is a statistically significant difference.

Tukey method: Family confidence level of 0.95

Confidence intervals for \( \mu_i - \mu_j \) (differences in means):

Difference is Alone subtracted from:

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<th>Group</th>
<th>Lower</th>
<th>Center</th>
<th>Upper</th>
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<tr>
<td>Friend</td>
<td>2.015</td>
<td>8.801</td>
<td>15.587</td>
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(Friend – Alone)

(Pet – Alone)

Difference is Friend subtracted from:

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<td>Pet</td>
<td>-24.628</td>
<td>-17.842</td>
<td>-11.056</td>
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(Pet – Friend)

None of the confidence intervals cover 0! That indicates that all 3 population means differ. Ordering is Pet < Alone < Friend

The Family of \( F \)-Distributions

• Skewed distributions with minimum value of 0.

• Specific \( F \)-distribution indicated by two parameters called degrees of freedom: numerator degrees of freedom and denominator degrees of freedom.

• In one-way ANOVA, numerator df = \( k - 1 \), and denominator df = \( N - k \)

• Looks similar to chi-square distributions
Determining the p-Value

Statistical Software reports the p-value in output. Table A.4 provides critical values (to find rejection region) for 1% and 5% significance levels.

- If the F-statistic is > than the 5% critical value, the p-value < 0.05.
- If the F-statistic is > than the 1% critical value, the p-value < 0.01.
- If the F-statistic is between the 1% and 5% critical values, the p-value is between 0.01 and 0.05.

Example: Stress, Friends and Pets

Reported F-statistic was F = 14.08 and p-value < 0.000

N = 15 women:
num df = k – 1 = 3 – 1 = 2
den df = N – k = 45 – 3 = 42

Table A.4 with df of (2, 42), closest available is (2, 40):
The 5% critical value is 3.23.
The 1% critical value is 5.18 and
The F-statistic was much larger, so p-value < 0.01.

Example 16.1 Seat Location and GPA

Q: Do best students sit in the front of a classroom?

Data on seat location and GPA for n = 384 students;
88 sit in front, 218 in middle, 78 in back

The boxplot showed two outliers in the group of students who typically sit in the middle of a classroom, but there are 218 students in that group so these outliers don’t have much influence on the results.

• The standard deviations for the three groups are nearly the same.
• Data do not appear to be skewed.

Necessary conditions for F-test seem satisfied.

Notation for Summary Statistics

k = number of groups
\( \overline{x} \), s, and n, are the mean, standard deviation, and sample size for the \( i \)th sample group
N = total sample size (\( N = n_1 + n_2 + \ldots + n_k \))

Example 16.1 Seat Location and GPA (cont)

Three seat locations \( \Rightarrow k = 3 \)

\( n_1 = 88 \), \( n_2 = 218 \), \( n_3 = 78 \); \( N = 88+218+78 = 384 \)

\( \overline{x}_1 = 3.2029 \), \( \overline{x}_2 = 2.9853 \), \( \overline{x}_3 = 2.9194 \)

\( s_1 = 0.5491 \), \( s_2 = 0.5577 \), \( s_3 = 0.5105 \)

The F-statistic is 6.69 and the p-value is 0.001.

p-value so small \( \Rightarrow \) reject \( H_0 \) and conclude there are differences among the means.
Example 16.1 Seat Location and GPA (cont)

95% Confidence Intervals for 3 population means:

Interval for “front” does not overlap with the other two intervals => significant difference between mean GPA for front-row sitters and mean GPA for other students.

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<tr>
<td>Front</td>
<td>88</td>
<td>3.0529</td>
<td>0.5491</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Middle</td>
<td>76</td>
<td>2.8853</td>
<td>0.5377</td>
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<tr>
<td>Back</td>
<td>76</td>
<td>2.9394</td>
<td>0.5505</td>
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Paired SDev = 0.5455

2.85 3.00 3.15 3.30

Example 16.2 Testosterone and Occupation

P-value picture shows exact p-value is 0.032:

There are 21 possible comparisons! Significant differences were found for only these occupations:

Actors > Ministers
Football players > Ministers

Using R Commander

Statistics – Means – One-way ANOVA

Then click “pairwise comparisons”

Fit: aov(formula = rate ~ group, data = PetStress)

Quantile = 2.4298
95% family-wise confidence level

Linear Hypotheses:

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<th>Estimate</th>
<th>lwr</th>
<th>upr</th>
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<tbody>
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<td>Friend - Alone == 0</td>
<td>8.8011</td>
<td>16.9709</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pet - Alone == 0</td>
<td>-9.0410</td>
<td>-17.2108</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pet - Friend == 0</td>
<td>-17.8421</td>
<td>-26.0119</td>
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</table>

Simultaneous Confidence Intervals

Example 16.4 Testosterone and Occupation

To illustrate how to find p-value.

Study: Compare mean testosterone levels for k = 7 occupational groups:
Ministers, salesmen, firemen, professors, physicians, professional football players, and actors.

Reported F-statistic was $F = 2.5$ and $p$-value < 0.05

N = 66 men:
num df = $k - 1 = 7 - 1 = 6$
den df = $N - k = 66 - 7 = 59$

From Table A.4, rejection region is $F \geq 2.25$. Since the calculated $F = 2.5 > 2.25$, reject null hypothesis.