R07 - Contrasts

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Simple hypothesis

Consider the one-way ANOVA model: $Y_{ij} \overset{ind}{\sim} N(\mu_j, \sigma^2)$ where $j = 1, \ldots, J$.

Here are a few simple alternative hypotheses:

1. Mean lifetimes for N/R50 and R/R50 diet are different.
2. Mean lifetimes for N/R40 is different than for N/R50 and R/R50 combined.
3. Mean lifetimes for high calorie (NP and N/N85) diets is different than for low calorie diets combined.

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$$\begin{aligned}
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\gamma_2 &= \mu_{N/R40} - \tfrac{1}{2}(\mu_{N/R50} + \mu_{R/R50}) \\
\gamma_3 &= \tfrac{1}{4}(\mu_{N/R50} + \mu_{R/R50} + \mu_{N/R40} + \mu_{lopro}) - \tfrac{1}{2}(\mu_{NP} + \mu_{N/N85})
\end{aligned}$$

Contrasts

Definition

A linear combination of group means has the form

$$\gamma = C_1\mu_1 + C_2\mu_2 + \ldots + C_J\mu_J$$

where C_j are known coefficients and μ_j are the unknown population means.

Definition

A linear combination with $C_1 + C_2 + \cdots + C_J = 0$ is a contrast.

Remark Contrast interpretation is usually best if $|C_1| + |C_2| + \cdots + |C_J| = 2$, i.e. the positive coefficients sum to 1 and the negative coefficients sum to -1.

Inference on contrasts

Contrast

$$\gamma = C_1\mu_1 + C_2\mu_2 + \cdots + C_J\mu_J$$

Estimated by

$$g = C_1\overline{Y}_1 + C_2\overline{Y}_2 + \cdots + C_J\overline{Y}_J$$

with standard error

$$SE(g) = \hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\frac{C_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{C_2^2}{n_2} + \cdots + \frac{C_J^2}{n_J}}$$

t-statistic (compare to t_{n-J}) and CI:

$$t = \frac{g}{SE(g)} \qquad g \pm t_{n-J,1-\alpha/2}SE(g)$$

Contrasts for mice lifetime dataset

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\end{aligned}$$

	N/N85	N/R40	N/R50	NP	R/R50	lopro
early rest - none @ 50kcal	0.00	0.00	-1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00
40kcal/week - 50kcal/week	0.00	1.00	-0.50	0.00	-0.50	0.00
lo cal - hi cal	-0.50	0.25	0.25	-0.50	0.25	0.25

Mice lifetime examples

	Diet	n	mean	sd
1	N/N85	57	32.69	5.13
2	N/R40	60	45.12	6.70
3	N/R50	71	42.30	7.77
4	NP	49	27.40	6.13
5	R/R50	56	42.89	6.68
6	lopro	56	39.69	6.99

Contrasts:

	g	SE(g)	t	p	L	U
early rest - none @ 50kcal	0.59	1.19	0.49	0.62	-1.76	2.94
40kcal/week - 50kcal/week	2.53	1.05	2.41	0.02	0.46	4.59
lo cal - hi cal	12.45	0.78	15.96	0.00	10.92	13.98

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m = lm(Lifetime ~ Diet, data = Sleuth3::case0501)
summary(m)


Call:
lm(formula = Lifetime ~ Diet, data = Sleuth3::case0501)

Residuals:
     Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-25.5167  -3.3857   0.8143   5.1833  10.0143

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)  32.6912     0.8846  36.958  < 2e-16 ***
DietN/R40    12.4254     1.2352  10.059  < 2e-16 ***
DietN/R50     9.6060     1.1877   8.088 1.06e-14 ***
DietNP       -5.2892     1.3010  -4.065 5.95e-05 ***
DietR/R50    10.1945     1.2565   8.113 8.88e-15 ***
Dietlopro     6.9945     1.2565   5.567 5.25e-08 ***
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Residual standard error: 6.678 on 343 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.4543,Adjusted R-squared:  0.4463
F-statistic:  57.1 on 5 and 343 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16


K


                          N/N85 N/R40 N/R50   NP R/R50 lopro
early rest - none @ 50kcal   0.0  0.00 -1.00  0.0  1.00  0.00
40kcal/week - 50kcal/week    0.0  1.00 -0.50  0.0 -0.50  0.00
lo cal - hi cal             -0.5  0.25  0.25 -0.5  0.25  0.25
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library("emmeans")
ls = emmeans(m, ~ Diet)
ls
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 Diet    emmean        SE  df lower.CL upper.CL
 N/N85 32.69123 0.8845544 343 30.95139 34.43106
 N/R40 45.11667 0.8621570 343 43.42089 46.81245
 N/R50 42.29718 0.7925612 343 40.73829 43.85608
 NP    27.40204 0.9540342 343 25.52555 29.27853
 R/R50 42.88571 0.8924172 343 41.13041 44.64101
 lopro 39.68571 0.8924172 343 37.93041 41.44101

Confidence level used: 0.95
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co = contrast(ls,
              #                                  N/N85 N/R40 N/R50  NP R/R50 lopro
              list("early rest - none @ 50kcal"=c(    0,    0,   -1,  0,    1,    0),
                   "40kcal/week - 50kcal/week" =c(    0,    2,   -1,  0,   -1,    0) / 2,
                   "lo cal - hi cal"           =c(   -2,    1,    1, -2,    1,    1) / 4))
confint(co)
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 contrast                    estimate        SE  df   lower.CL  upper.CL
 early rest - none @ 50kcal  0.5885312 1.1935501 343 -1.7590676  2.936130
 40kcal/week - 50kcal/week   2.5252180 1.0485490 343  0.4628224  4.587614
 lo cal - hi cal            12.4496851 0.7800142 343 10.9154718 13.983899

Confidence level used: 0.95
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Summary

- Contrasts are linear combinations of means where the coefficients sum to zero
- t-test tools are used to calculate pvalues and confidence intervals

Sulfur effect on scab disease in potatoes

The experiment was conducted to investigate the effect of sulfur on controlling scab disease in potatoes. There were seven treatments: control, plus spring and fall application of 300, 600, 1200 lbs/acre of sulfur. The response variable was percentage of the potato surface area covered with scab averaged over 100 random selected potatoes. A completely randomized design was used with 8 replications of the control and 4 replications of the other treatments.

Cochran and Cox. (1957) Experimental Design (2nd ed). pg96 and Agron. J. 80:712-718 (1988)

Scientific question:

- Does sulfur have any impact at all?
- What is the difference between spring and fall application of sulfur?
- What is the effect of increased sulfur application?

Data

	inf	trt	row	col	sulfur	application	treatment
1	9	F3	4	1	300	fall	F3
2	12	0	4	2	0	(Missing)	0
3	18	S6	4	3	600	spring	S6
4	10	F12	4	4	1200	fall	F12
5	24	S6	4	5	600	spring	S6
6	17	S12	4	6	1200	spring	S12
7	30	S3	4	7	300	spring	S3
8	16	F6	4	8	600	fall	F6
9	10	0	3	1	0	(Missing)	0
10	7	S3	3	2	300	spring	S3
11	4	F12	3	3	1200	fall	F12
12	10	F6	3	4	600	fall	F6
13	21	S3	3	5	300	spring	S3
14	24	0	3	6	0	(Missing)	0
15	29	0	3	7	0	(Missing)	0
16	12	S6	3	8	600	spring	S6
17	9	F3	2	1	300	fall	F3
18	7	S12	2	2	1200	spring	S12
19	18	F6	2	3	600	fall	F6
20	30	0	2	4	0	(Missing)	0
21	18	F6	2	5	600	fall	F6
22	16	S12	2	6	1200	spring	S12
23	16	F3	2	7	300	fall	F3
24	4	F12	2	8	1200	fall	F12
25	9	S3	1	1	300	spring	S3
26	18	0	1	2	0	(Missing)	0
27	17	S12	1	3	1200	spring	S12
28	19	S6	1	4	600	spring	S6
29	32	0	1	5	0	(Missing)	0
30	5	F12	1	6	1200	fall	F12

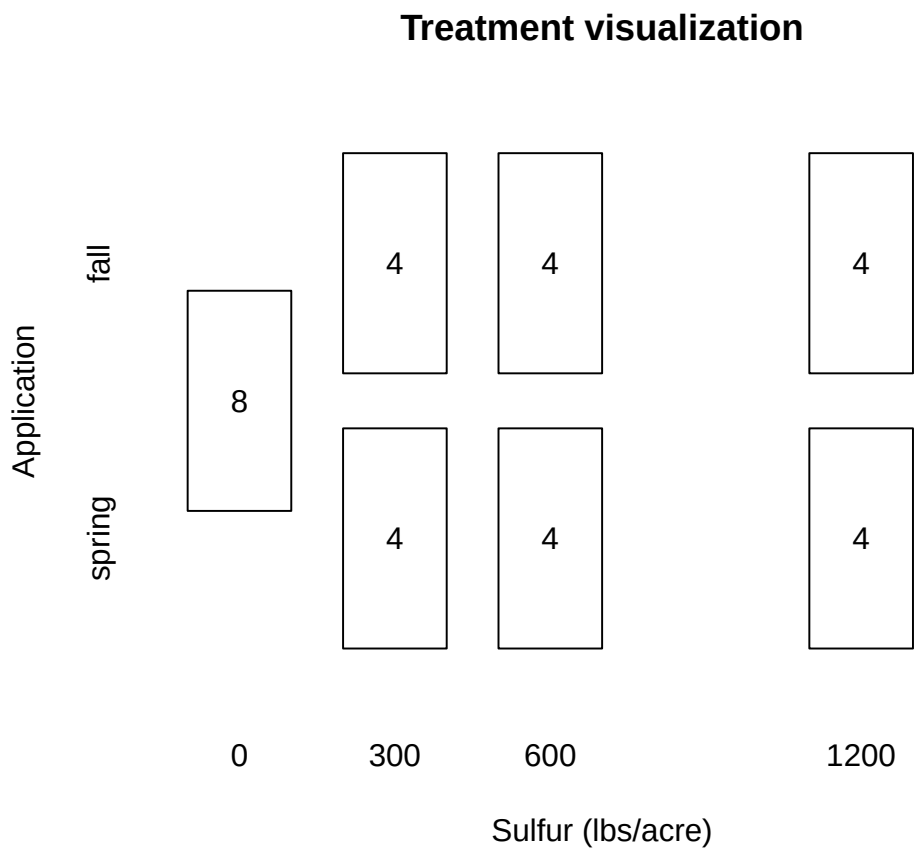
Design

Completely randomized design
potato scab experiment

row	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
4	F3	O	S6	F12	S6	S12	S3	F6
3	O	S3	F12	F6	S3	O	O	S6
2	F3	S12	F6	O	F6	S12	F3	F12
1	S3	O	S12	S6	O	F12	O	F3

col

Design


Treatment visualization
Application
fall
spring
8
4
4
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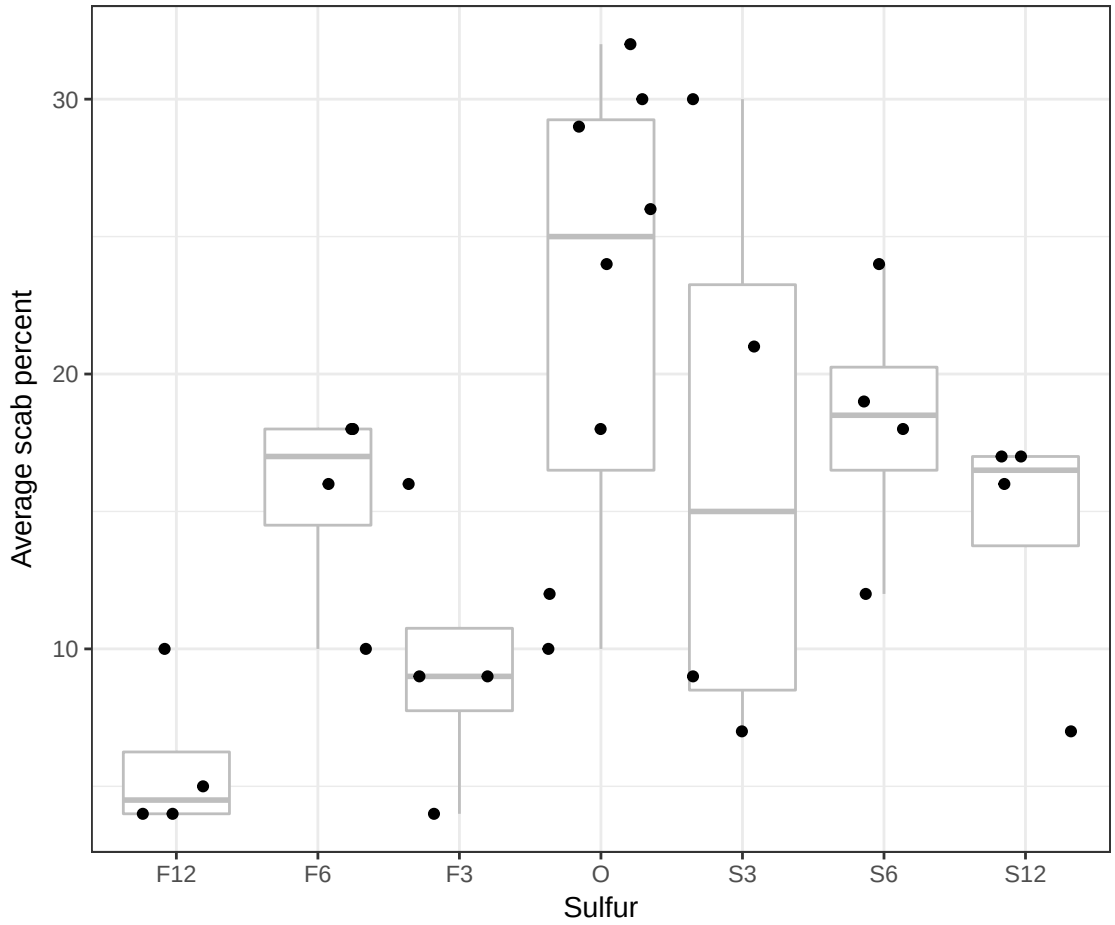
4
4
4
0
300
600
1200
Sulfur (lbs/acre)

Data



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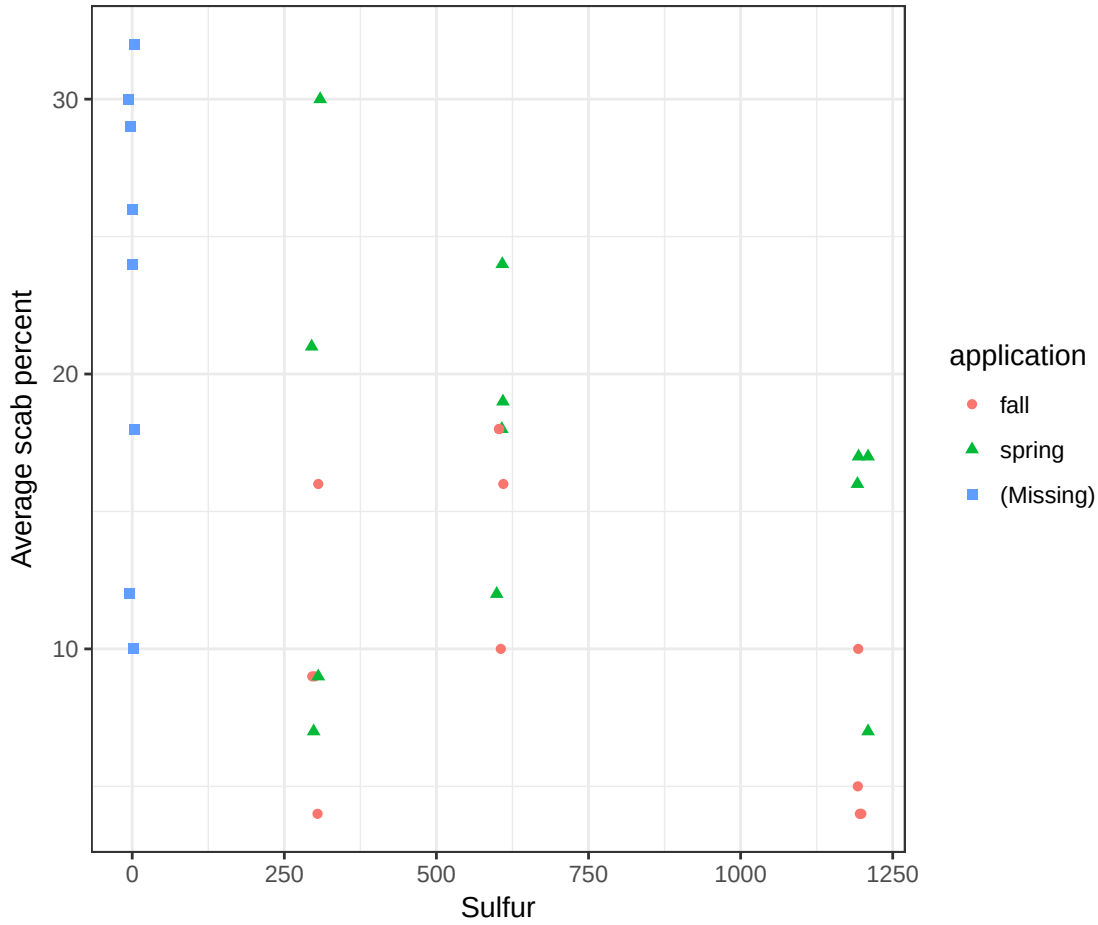
Average scab percent
30
20
10
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250
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750
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1250
Sulfur
application
fall
spring
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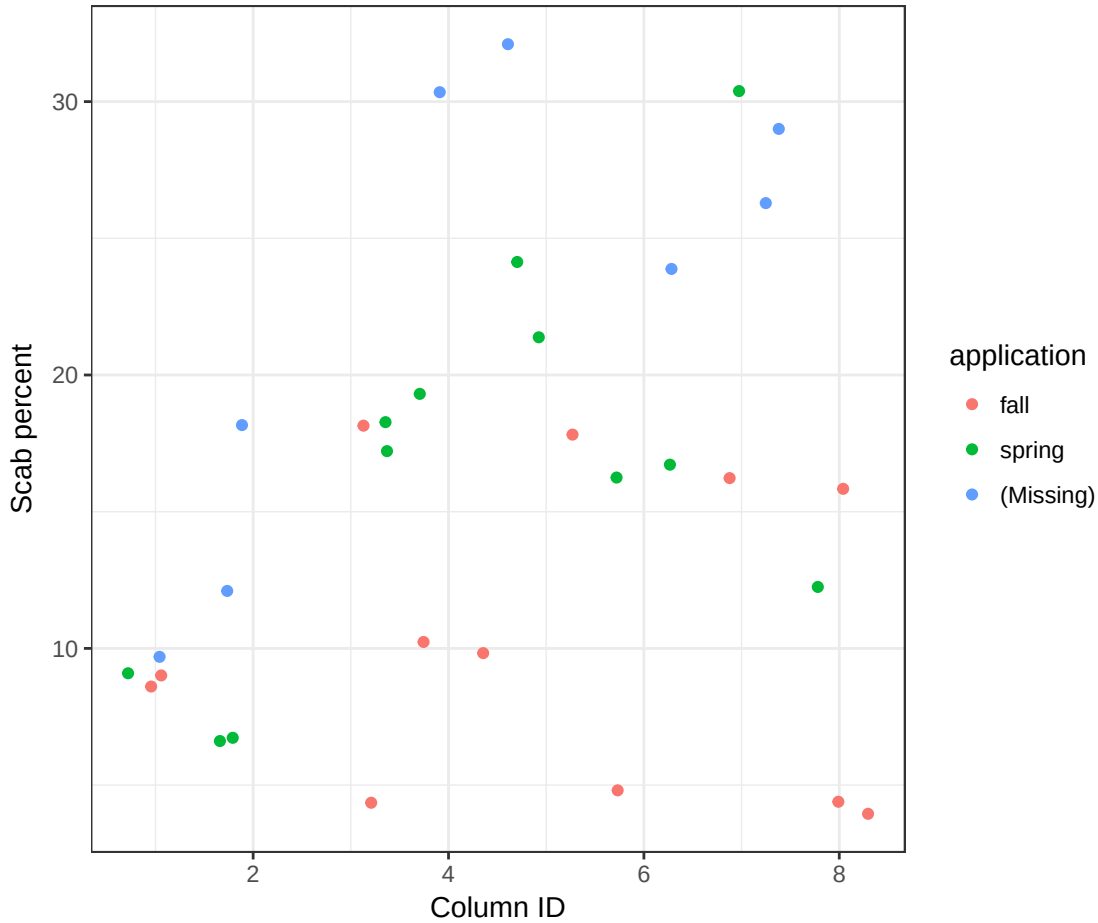
Data


Scab percent
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Column ID
application
fall
spring
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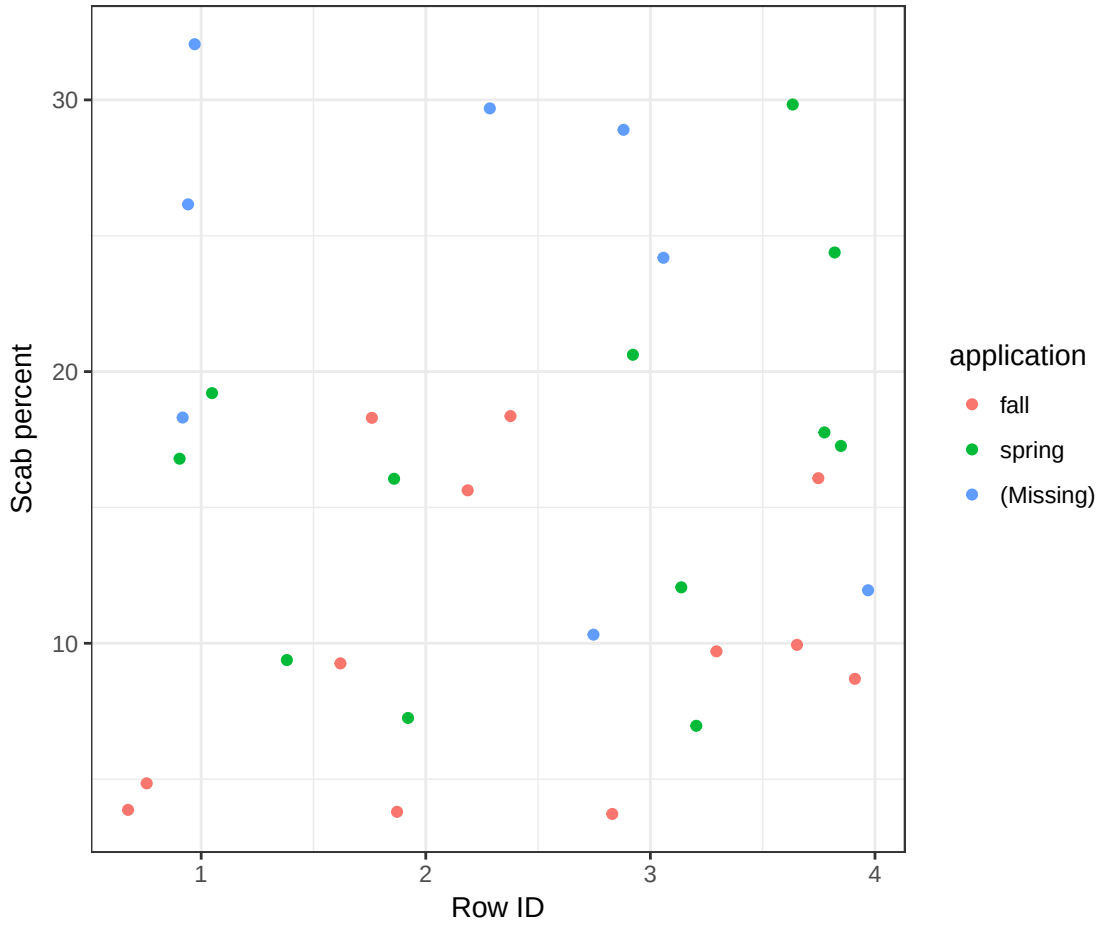
Data


Scab percent
30
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Row ID
application
fall
spring
(Missing)

Model

Y_{ij}: avg % of surface area covered with scab for plot i in treatment j for $j = 1, \ldots, 7$.

Assume $Y_{ij} \overset{ind}{\sim} N(\mu_j, \sigma^2)$.

Hypotheses:

- Difference amongst any means: One-way ANOVA F-test
- *Any effect*: Control vs sulfur
- *Fall vs spring*: Contrast comparing fall vs spring applications
- *Sulfur level*: Linear trend contrast

Contrasts

- *Sulfur effect*: Any sulfur vs none

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma &= \tfrac{1}{6}(\mu_{F12} + \mu_{F6} + \mu_{F3} + \mu_{S3} + \mu_{S6} + \mu_{S12}) - \mu_O \\ &= \tfrac{1}{6}(\mu_{F12} + \mu_{F6} + \mu_{F3} + \mu_{S3} + \mu_{S6} + \mu_{S12} - 6\mu_O)\end{aligned}$$

- *Fall vs spring*: Contrast comparing fall vs spring applications

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma &= \tfrac{1}{3}(\mu_{F12} + \mu_{F6} + \mu_{F3}) + 0\mu_O - \tfrac{1}{3}(\mu_{S3} + \mu_{S6} + \mu_{S12}) \\ &= \tfrac{1}{3}\left[1\mu_{F12} + 1\mu_{F6} + 1\mu_{F3} + 0\mu_O - 1\mu_{S3} - 1\mu_{S6} - 1\mu_{S12}\right]\end{aligned}$$

Contrasts (cont.)

- Sulfur linear trend
  - The group sulfur levels (X_j) are 12, 6, 3, 0, 3, 6, and 12 (100 lbs/acre)
  - and a linear trend contrast is $X_j - \overline{X}$

X_i	12	6	3	0	3	6	12
$X_i - \overline{X}$	6	0	-3	-6	-3	0	6

$$\gamma = 6\mu_{F12} + 0\mu_{F6} - 3\mu_{F3} - 6\mu_{O} - 3\mu_{S3} + 0\mu_{S6} + 6\mu_{S12}$$

Trt	F12	F6	F3	O	S3	S6	S12	Div
Sulfur v control	1	1	1	-6	1	1	1	6
Fall v Spring	1	1	1	0	-1	-1	-1	3
Linear Trend	-6	0	-3	-6	-3	0	6	1

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K =
#                                        F12 F6 F3  0 S3 S6 S12
              list("sulfur - control" = c( 1, 1, 1,-6, 1, 1,  1)/6,
                   "fall - spring"    = c( 1, 1, 1, 0,-1,-1, -1)/3,
                   "linear trend"     = c( 6, 0,-3,-6,-3, 0,  6)/1)
m = lm(inf ~ trt, data = d)
anova(m)


Analysis of Variance Table

Response: inf
          Df  Sum Sq Mean Sq F value  Pr(>F)
trt        6  972.34 162.057  3.6081 0.01026 *
Residuals 25 1122.88  44.915
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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par(mfrow=c(2,3))
plot(m,1:6)
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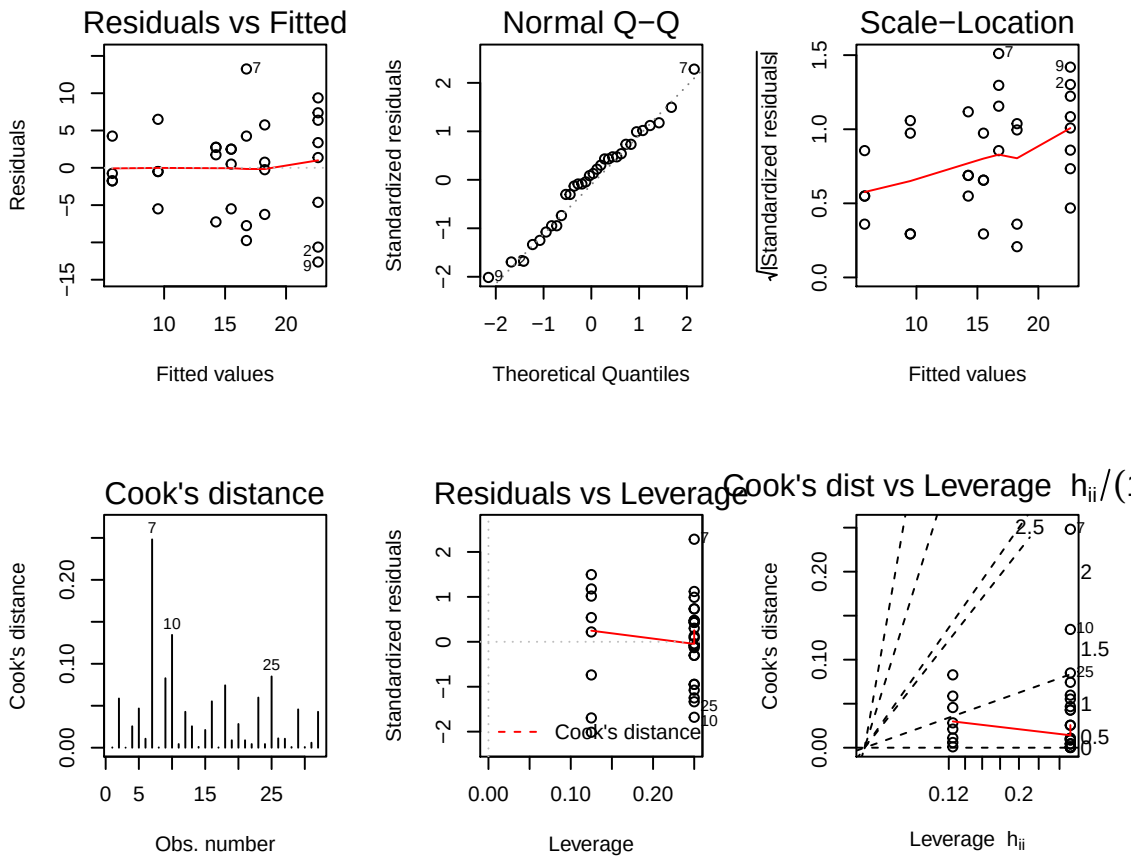

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em <- emmeans(m, ~trt); em
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 trt emmean       SE df  lower.CL upper.CL
 F12  5.750 3.350933 25 -1.151375 12.65138
 F3   9.500 3.350933 25  2.598625 16.40138
 F6  15.500 3.350933 25  8.598625 22.40138
 O   22.625 2.369467 25 17.744991 27.50501
 S12 14.250 3.350933 25  7.348625 21.15138
 S3  16.750 3.350933 25  9.848625 23.65138
 S6  18.250 3.350933 25 11.348625 25.15138

Confidence level used: 0.95
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co <- contrast(em, K)
confint(co)
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 contrast           estimate        SE df   lower.CL   upper.CL
 sulfur - control  -9.291667  2.736025 25  -14.92662 -3.6567175
 fall - spring     -6.166667  2.736025 25  -11.80162 -0.5317175
 linear trend     -81.000000 34.823914 25 -152.72119 -9.2788062

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d$residuals <- residuals(m)
ggplot(d, aes(col, residuals)) + geom_point() + stat_smooth(se=FALSE) + theme_bw()
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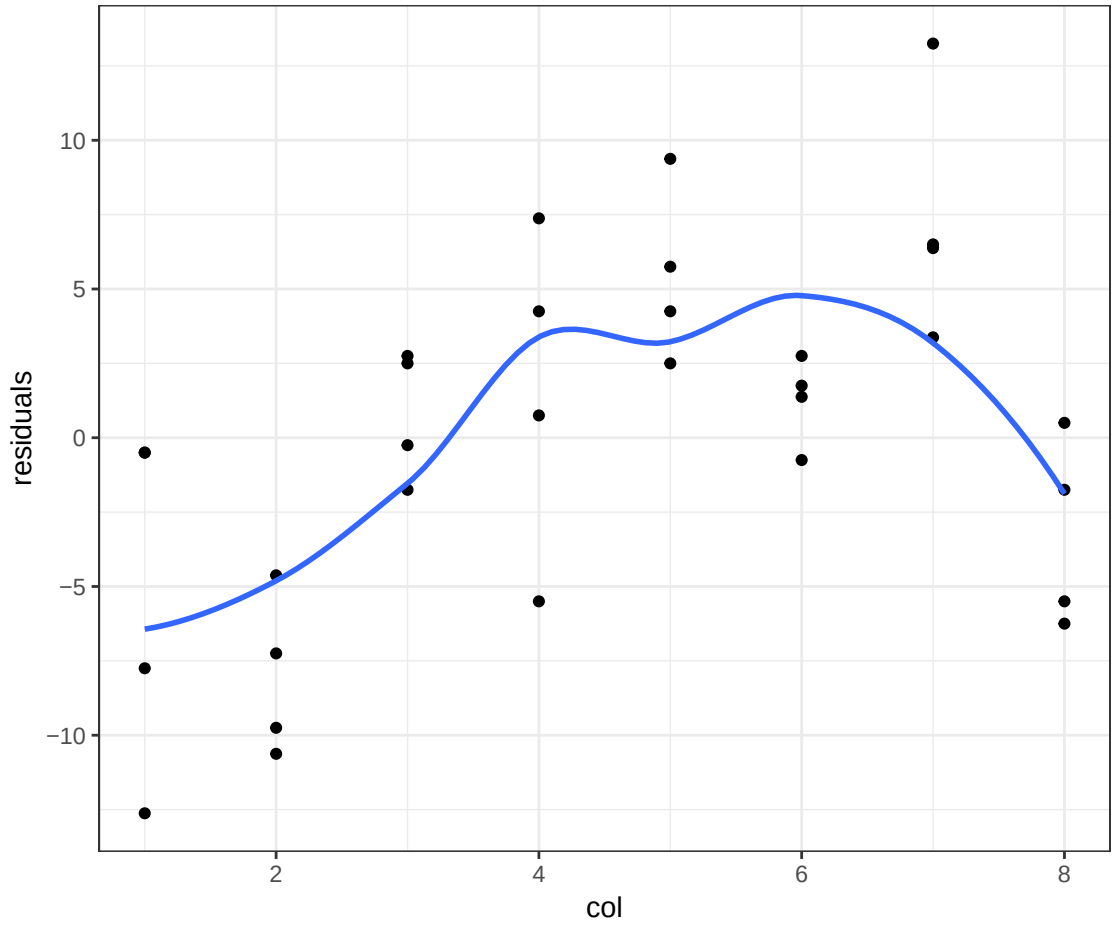

Summary

For this particular data analysis

- Significant differences in means between the groups (ANOVA $F_{6,25} = 3.61$ p=0.01)
- Having sulfur was associated with a reducted scab % of 9 (4,15) compared to no sulfur
- Fall application reduced scab % by 6 (0.5,12) compared to spring application
- Linear trend in sulfur was significant (p=0.01)

- Concerned about spatial correlation among columns
- Consider a transformation of the response
  - CI for F12 (-1.2, 12.7) (not shown)
  - Non-constant variance (residuals vs predicted, sulfur, application)