

# One-Way Analysis of Variance: ANOVA

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## Background to ANOVA

- Recall from the Independent Samples  $t$  test that we are testing to see if two means drawn from independent samples are statistically significantly different. With such, we are testing:

$$H_0 : \bar{X}_1 = \bar{X}_2$$

- where  $\bar{X}_1$  and  $\bar{X}_2$  are two sample means drawn from independent populations.
- While this is helpful for when  $k = 2$ , we must use alternative techniques when  $k > 2$ .
- In this case, we must use an  $F$  test instead of the previously used  $t$  test since we now have two sources of  $dfs$ .

## Hypothesis Test in One-Way ANOVA

- In the ANOVA, we refer to the number of independent variables as either “ways” or “factors.”
- The number of divisions of each “way” is referred to as “levels.”
- Therefore, an analysis in which we are testing for the mean difference of 3 recognized ethnicities on a single dependent variable would be referred to as a one-way ANOVA with 3 levels.
- The null hypothesis for this test could then be written as:

$$H_0 : \bar{Y}_1 = \bar{Y}_2 = \bar{Y}_3$$

- assuming  $\bar{Y}_1$ ,  $\bar{Y}_2$  and  $\bar{Y}_3$  are random samples drawn from  $Y_{i1} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$ ,  $Y_{i2} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$  and  $Y_{i3} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_3, \sigma^2)$  distributions, respectively. Or alternatively as  $Y_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_j, \sigma^2)$ .

# The One-Way ANOVA Summary Table

Source	SS	df	MS	F	p	$\eta^2$
Between	$SS_t - SS_w$	$k - 1$	$\frac{SS_b}{df_b}$	$\frac{MS_b}{MS_w}$		$\frac{SS_b}{SS_t}$
Within	$SS_t - SS_b$	$df_t - df_b$	$\frac{SS_w}{df_w}$			
Total	$SS_b + SS_w$	$n - 1$				

- The statistical significance of  $F$  can be obtained by computing the  $F$ -critical value. Determining statistical significance follows the same pattern for the  $t$  test only we have two sources of  $df$ : between and within.
- For a one-way ANOVA with 5 levels and 50 people, the critical value of  $F$  at  $\alpha = 0.05$  would be:

> qf(0.95, 4, 45)

[1] 2.578739

# One-Way ANOVA Practice

- Fill in the Missing Values Below
- $F$ -crit=2.690

Source	SS	df	MS	F	p	$\eta^2$
Between	50	4				
Within		30				
Total	100					

- Fill in the Missing Values Below
- $F$ -crit=2.922

Source	SS	df	MS	F	p	$\eta^2$
Between			10			0.15
Within		30				
Total	200					

## Computing the Probability of $F$

- Based on our  $F$  from the ANOVA Summary Table previously, we can compute the probability of matching or exceeding the probability that there are no differences between the groups/levels.
- We compute this in R by:

```
> pf(7.5, 4, 30, lower = FALSE)
```

```
[1] 0.0002593994
```

```
> pf(1.765, 3, 30, lower = FALSE)
```

```
[1] 0.1750938
```

## The “effects” form of the model

- An alternative representation of the model for testing mean differences among the way/factor is:

$$Y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_j + \epsilon_{ij}, \quad \epsilon_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2), \quad j = 1, \dots, k, \quad i = 1, \dots, n_j$$

This is a “signal + noise” form like the simple linear model.

- $\alpha_j$  is called the *effect* of level  $j$  of the factor.
- This means that an individual's score ( $Y_{ij}$ ) can be thought of as the sum of the grand mean ( $\mu$ ) plus that individual group's deviation around the grand mean ( $\alpha_j$ ) and their own deviation around their group mean ( $\epsilon_{ij}$ ).

# The Null Hypothesis for One-Way ANOVA

- In the effects form we write the null and alternative hypotheses as

$$H_0 : \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \cdots = \alpha_k = 0$$

$$H_a : \text{at least one } \alpha_i \neq 0$$

- Note that in order to reject  $H_0$  we only need to have *one* mean different from the other means.
- This null may also be written as

$$H_0 : \bar{Y}_1 = \bar{Y}_2 = \cdots = \bar{Y}_k$$

$$H_a : \text{at least one } \bar{Y}_j \neq \text{any other } \bar{Y}_j$$



## Computation of Sums of Squares

- Computation for  $SS_{total}$ .

$$SS_t = \sum_{i=1}^N (Y_{ij} - \bar{Y})^2$$

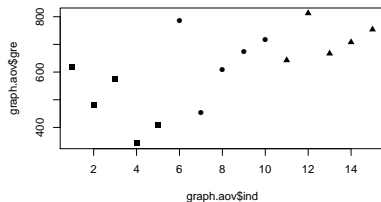
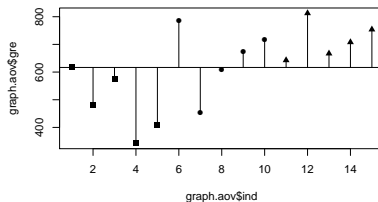
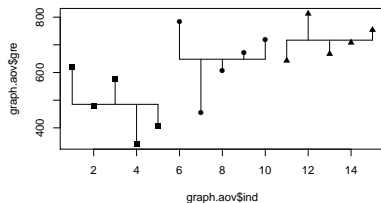
- Computation for  $SS_{between}$ .

$$SS_b = \sum_{j=1}^k n_j (\bar{Y}_j - \bar{Y})^2$$

- Computation for  $SS_{within}$ .

$$SS_w = \sum_{i=1}^N (Y_{ij} - \bar{Y}_{.j})^2$$

# Graphical Representation of Computation of $SS$

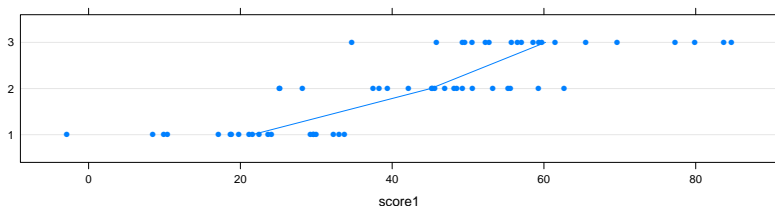
**Index Plot****SS Total****SS Error**

## Understanding $\eta^2$ as a Measure of Effect Size

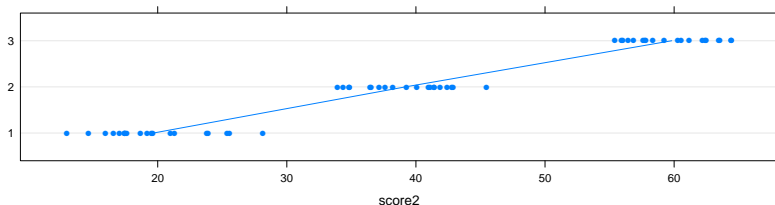
- Recall that for the  $t$  test, we measure the size of the effect of the mean difference as a function of the standardized difference between the two means. This distance we called  $d$  or  $\Delta$ .
- In the case of the ANOVA, we cannot compute a standardized difference of movement since we have no basis by which we would compute the difference in a case where  $k > 2$ .
- Instead we are going to compute the amount of variance in the dependent variable that is “explained” by the grouping variable.
- We compute this explained variance as  $\eta^2 = SS_b/SS_t$ , or as a ratio of the  $SS_t$  that is in  $SS_b$  (thus we can think of this as a percent since  $SS_b$  will never exceed  $SS_t$ ).

## Understanding $\eta^2$ cont.

- Consider the following two cases where  $k = 3$ .
- Assessment 1



- Assessment 2



## Running ANOVA in R

- Consider the following dataset:
- Ethnicity 1-8,7,6,7,9,11,13
- Ethnicity 2-11,13,14,18,17,14,12,15
- Ethnicity 3-14,13,15,15,20,21,22

```
> ethdata <- data.frame(ethn = factor(rep(1:3, c(7,  
+   8, 7))), score = c(8, 7, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 11,  
+   13, 14, 18, 17, 14, 12, 15, 14, 13, 15, 15, 20,  
+   21, 22))  
> tapply(ethdata$score, ethdata$ethn, mean)
```

```
      1      2      3  
8.714286 14.250000 17.142857
```

```
> tapply(ethdata$score, ethdata$ethn, sd)
```

```
      1      2      3  
2.497618 2.375470 3.716117
```

# Assumptions for ANOVA

- Relatively the same number of people in each level
- Normality in the population for each of the levels
- Homogeneity of variance

$$H_0 : \sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2 = \dots = \sigma_k^2$$

```
> fligner.test(score ~ ethn, ethdata)
```

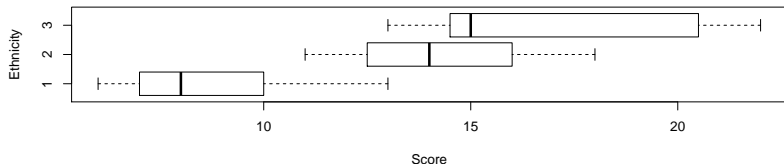
Fligner-Killeen test of homogeneity of variances

data: score by ethn

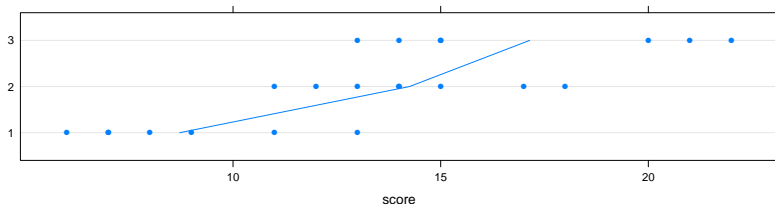
Fligner-Killeen:med chi-squared = 1.3404, df = 2, p-value  
= 0.5116

## Graphing Ethnicity Data

```
> boxplot(score ~ ethn, ethdata, ylab = "Ethnicity",  
+         xlab = "Score", horizontal = TRUE)
```

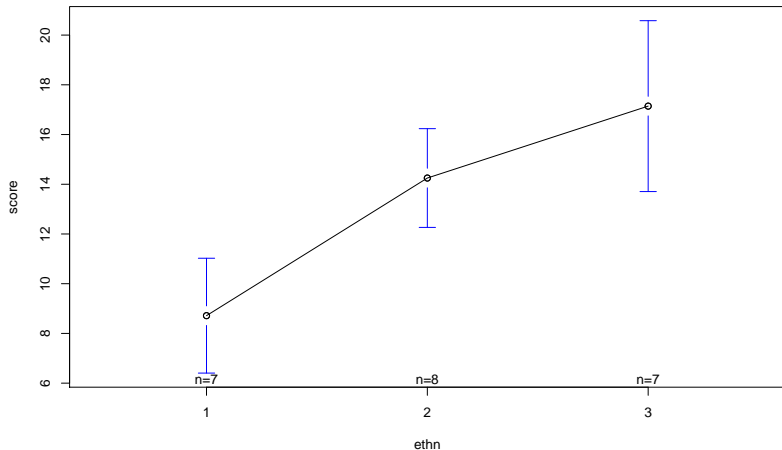


```
> print(dotplot(ethn ~ score, ethdata, type = c("p",  
+         "a"))) 
```



## Graphing Ethnicity Data, cont.

```
> library(gregmisc)
> plotmeans(score ~ ethn, ethdata)
```





## ANOVA in R cont.

```
> m1 <- aov(score ~ ethn, ethdata)
> anova(m1)
```

### Analysis of Variance Table

Response: score

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
ethn	2	257.53	128.77	15.312	0.0001094
Residuals	19	159.79	8.41		

- Note that R puts the ANOVA summary table in a slightly different format than we will report. There is no “Total” row and there is no  $\eta^2$ .
- For this case  $\eta^2$  is computed as  $257.53 / (257.53 + 159.79) = 0.617$ .

## Testing Pairwise Comparisons

- If we reject  $H_0$  for the F test, we conclude that there are significant differences between the groups. Usually we follow up and determine which groups are significantly different.
- If we test all possible pairs of groups for significant differences we will perform  $\binom{k}{2} = k(k-1)/2$  separate tests. We say we are doing *multiple comparisons*.
- Using  $t$  tests without any adjustment for the multiple comparisons inflates the probability of declaring a significant difference when there isn't one.
- There are several techniques for adjusting the tests. One of the most common is Tukey's "honest significant difference" (function *TukeyHSD*), which is based on the Studentized range.

## Tukey's HSD for ANOVA

- The Tukey's HSD provides a correction factor to the pairwise comparisons such that the p-value is slightly inflated.
- These adjustments are based on the number of comparisons.

```
> TukeyHSD(m1)
```

```
Tukey multiple comparisons of means
```

```
95% family-wise confidence level
```

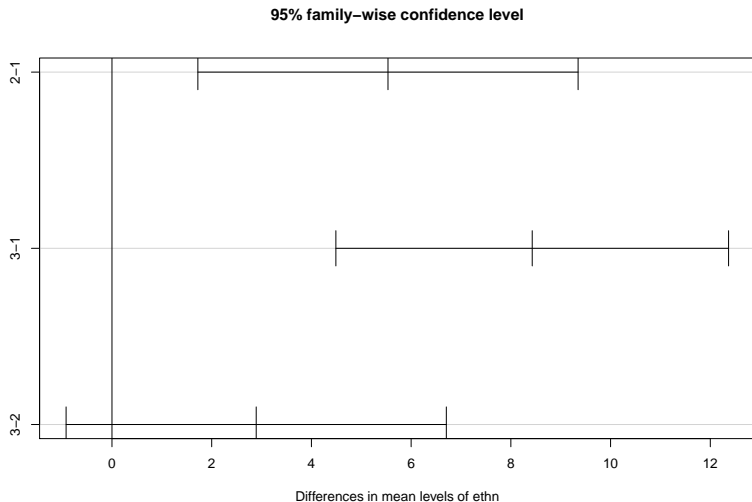
```
Fit: aov(formula = score ~ ethn, data = ethdata)
```

```
$ethn
```

	diff	lwr	upr	p adj
2-1	5.535714	1.7228228	9.348606	0.0042454
3-1	8.428571	4.4906341	12.366509	0.0000860
3-2	2.892857	-0.9200343	6.705749	0.1582960

# Plotting Tukey HSD

```
> plot(TukeyHSD(m1))
```



## What to do if you do not meet the homogeneity of variance assumption

Suppose that you have a dataset in which you run the Fligner Test and discover that  $p < 0.05$ . In this case, we can apply a correction factor to the within  $df$  to compute the relative  $F$  when this assumption is not met.

```
> hovdata <- data.frame(score = c(1:10, 200), grp = factor(rep(1  
+      c(5, 6))))  
> fligner.test(score ~ grp, hovdata)
```

Fligner-Killeen test of homogeneity of variances

data: score by grp

Fligner-Killeen:med chi-squared = 0.4948, df = 1, p-value  
= 0.4818

```
> oneway.test(score ~ grp, hovdata)
```

One-way analysis of means (not assuming equal variances)

data: score and grp

F = 1.3358, num df = 1.000, denom df = 5.005, p-value =  
0.2999

## Proving the Importance of the Way

- Consider the following dataset in which there are two separate ways `g1` and `g2` for the `dv`.

```
> newtrial <- data.frame(dv = c(1:9, 11), g1 = rep(1:2,  
+      5), g2 = rep(1:2, each = 5))
```

- Run two separate ANOVAS for both `g1` and `g2` on `dv`. Why is it that the first ANOVA was not statistically significant and the second one was when we used the *same* dependent variable?

## In-Class Practice Example with 5 Levels

- Create the following dataset in R.
- Test all assumptions and run all appropriate post-hoc tests.

Program 1	Program 2	Program 3	Program 4	Program 5
30	32	31	43	44
33	35	34	47	50
31	28	33	53	50
25	29	32	54	49
26	19	29	52	47
29	20	30	55	49
29	20	31	45	49
31		31		

## Out of Class Homework Assignment

- Create heuristic data for a one-way ANOVA with 4 levels. You must have at least 10 people in each level.
1. Create the first ANOVA such that results are statistically significant and in which the post-hoc tests reveal:

$$\bar{Y}_1 \neq \bar{Y}_2, \bar{Y}_1 \neq \bar{Y}_3, \bar{Y}_1 \neq \bar{Y}_4$$

but

$$\bar{Y}_2 = \bar{Y}_3 = \bar{Y}_4$$

2. Create the second ANOVA such that results are statistically significant and in which the post-hoc tests reveal:

$$\bar{Y}_1 = \bar{Y}_2 \text{ and } \bar{Y}_3 = \bar{Y}_4$$

but

$$\bar{Y}_1 \text{ and } \bar{Y}_2 \neq \bar{Y}_3 \text{ and } \bar{Y}_4$$