Lesson 6 Hands-On

Directions

For your Hands On, you will be analyzing 20 years of suicide data from different countries around the world. Although this is a depressing topic, it's an important issue to analyze, so they can be prevented.

Requirements

This hands on uses this data.

You will determine whether suicide rates (suicides/100k pop) has changed over the years (year), and see if the generation has any influence. To do so, you will be using a mixed measures ANOVA, since there is both a repeated time element and a between subjects element. Provide a one-sentence conclusion at the bottom of your program file about the analysis you performed.

Caution!

Lesson 6 Hands-On Solution

Below you will find the R code to come up with the solution for the Lesson 6 Hands-On.

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library("rcompanion")
library("car")
library("IDPmisc")
library("dplyr")

# Number of suicides by generation by country, with country
being the repeated factor

## Check Assumptions

### Normality
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plotNormalHistogram(suicide$suicides.100k.pop)
suicide$suicides.100k.popSQRT <- sqrt(suicide$suicides.100k.pop)</pre>
plotNormalHistogram(suicide$suicides.100k.popSQRT)
suicide$.100k.popLOG <- log(suicide$suicides.100k.pop)</pre>
suicide4 <- NaRV.omit(suicide)</pre>
plotNormalHistogram(suicide4$suicides.100k.popLOG)
#### Use the log
### Homogeneity of Variance
leveneTest (suicides.100k.popLOG ~ generation, data=suicide4)
#### This failed the assumption, but proceed anyway for learning
purposes
### Sample size -you have more than enough data
## Run the analysis
RManoval <-
aov(suicides.100k.popLOG~(generation*year)+Error(i..country/(yea
r)), suicide4)
summary(RManoval)
### Looks like there is a generational effect to suicide, and an
interaction to how the year has affected the generation
## Post hocs
pairwise.t.test(suicide4$suicides.100k.popLOG,
suicide4$generation, p.adjust="bonferroni")
### Looks like there is a difference in suicide rates among ALL
the generations
## Determine Means and Draw Conclusions
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suicideMeans <- suicide4 %>% group_by(generation, year) %>%
summarize(Mean=mean(suicides.100k.pop))

Generation Z is the least likely to commit suicide. They were born mid 90's to early 2000s. The GI generation is the most likely. They were born 1901-1924. You can see that these differ over time as well - looks like the GI generation as do millenials just keeps rising in terms of suicide rates, while others like gen z and gen x are staying steady.