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## Stat 421, Test 2, Fall, Nov. 15, 2017; Marzban

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ONLY a half-size "cheat sheet" is allowed

Multiple choice: Circle all the correct answers; there is wrong-answer penalty

For rest, SHOW answer &amp; work; NO CREDIT for correct answer without explanation

Points

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$$E[MS] = \sigma_{\epsilon}^2 + \dots \text{ (e.g. lect 13)}$$

1. Suppose the **true model** for a certain problem is known to be  $y_{ij} = \mu + \tau_i + \beta_j + \epsilon_{ij}$ ,  $i = 1 \dots a, j = 1 \dots b$ , where  $\tau_i$  is the treatment effect, and  $\beta_j$  is the block effect. Then  $E[\sum_j (\bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{..})^2]$  is proportional to

$$E[SS_{block}] = \sigma_{\epsilon}^2 + \sum \beta_j^2$$

SS<sub>block</sub>

a) 0

b)  $\sigma_{\epsilon}^2$ 

(c) none of the above.

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2. In an RCBD involving one treatment and one block factor, the predicted response (or the fitted value) depends on (or varies with)

a) The level of the treatment factor

(c) Both a and b

b) The level of the block factor

d) none of the above

$$\hat{y}_{ij} = \hat{\mu} + \hat{\alpha}_i + \hat{\beta}_j$$

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3. Suppose we are interested in performing a 1-sided test of whether a specific contrast is greater than zero. The most appropriate test(s) is/are

(a) t-test

b) chi-squared test

c) F test

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4. In a replicated factorial design involving 3 treatments A, B, C, which of the following is true?

a) An F-test of A effect cannot be performed, if there exists an AB interaction term in the model.

b) An F-test of A effect cannot be performed, if there exists an ABC interaction term in the model.

c) An F-test of ABC effect cannot be performed.

(d) None of the above.

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5. We have two treatment factors A, B, and two block factors C, D, respectively with 3, 3, 9, and 9 levels. Possible models/designs are

(a)  $\text{lm}(y \sim A + B + C + D)$  on  $3 \times 3 \times 9 \times 9$  runs from a factorial design.(b)  $\text{lm}(y \sim A * B * C * D)$  on  $3 \times 3 \times 9 \times 9 \times n$  runs from a replicated factorial design.(c)  $\text{lm}(y \sim A + B + C + D)$  on  $9 \times 9$  runs from an LSD, with A and B combined into a 9-level factor.d)  $\text{lm}(y \sim E + C + D)$  on  $9 \times 9$  runs from an LSD, with E defined as a 9-level factor combining A and B.

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6. In a  $2^3$  design, involving factors A, B, and C. Which statement is FALSE?

(a) In a model without an ABC interaction, the numerical estimate of the A effect will not depend on *abc* sum of *y*'s. *Just look at the expression for the A effect. You will see (abc).*

b) In a model without an ABC interaction, the numerical estimate of the A effect will be equal to that from a model with ABC interaction.

c) In a model without a BC interaction, the numerical estimate of the A effect will be equal to that from a model with BC interaction.

d) None of the above.

*The effect of A does not change as we add things to model. SSA does not change either. SSE does. And therefore, p-value of  $H_0: \alpha_i = 0$  changes.*

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7. In  $2^k$ , if there are only two blocks, then it's natural to confound \_\_\_\_\_ with the block effect

a) a main effect

b) a 2-way interaction

(c) the highest-order interaction

d) None of the above.

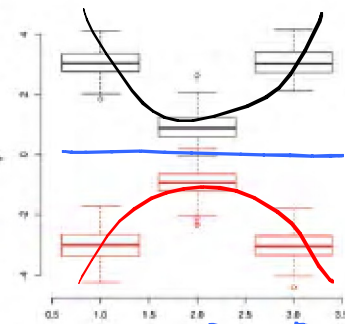
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8. Consider a problem involving a response  $Y$  observed at each of 3 levels of factor  $A$ . The data are shown in the adjacent figure. The black (red) boxplot denotes the data collected on day 1 (2).

a) Without doing any tests (i.e., based on the figure only), is factor  $A$  useful? Explain in 1 sentence.

No, because The mean of  $Y$  does not vary with  $A$ .

Yes, if you pay attention to "within Day."



b) If you run a test of  $\alpha_i = 0$  in the model  $y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \epsilon_{ij}$  what kind of p-value would you expect? Circle: Small Large

c) If you run a test of  $\alpha_i = 0$  in the model  $y_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \epsilon_{ijk}$  with  $\beta$  corresponding to the Day factor, what kind of p-value would you expect? Circle: Small Large

for each level of  $B$ , 1 box plot is different from the other 2.

d) If you run a test of  $(\alpha\beta)_{ij} = 0$  in the model  $y_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + (\alpha\beta)_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}$ , what kind of p-value would you expect? Circle: Small Large

The effect of  $A$  on  $Y$  is different across the levels of  $B$

9. The following values of the response have been observed in a Standard LSD. Compute  $SS_{\text{treatment}}$ . Hint: recall there is a "quick" way and a "long" way.

$$SS_{\text{treatment}} = \frac{1}{3} [(+1+0+2)^2 \leftarrow C_1 + (-1+0+1)^2 \leftarrow C_2 + (-1-1-1)^2 \leftarrow C_3]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} [9+0+9] - 0 = \boxed{6}$$

	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$
$A_1$	+1 $C_1$	-1 $C_2$	-1 $C_3$
$A_2$	0 $C_2$	-1 $C_3$	0 $C_1$
$A_3$	-1 $C_3$	+2 $C_1$	+1 $C_2$

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10. Consider the model  $y_{ijk} = (\alpha\beta)_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}$ ,  $i = 1 - a, j = 1 - b, k = 1 - n$ .

a) Starting from the expression for SSE, find the least-squares equations, and estimate the interaction term.

$$SSE = \sum_{ijk} (y_{ijk} - (\alpha\beta)_{ij})^2, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial (\alpha\beta)_{ij}} \Rightarrow \sum_k (y_{ijk} - (\alpha\beta)_{ij}) = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{(\alpha\beta)_{ij} = \bar{y}_{ij}}$$

b) How many independent parameters does this model have, and which are they?  $ab, (\alpha\beta)_{ij}$

c) How many independent least-squares equations are there for this problem?  $ab$

d) How many constraints are necessary? 0 Graded according to consistency with b, c.

11. For the model  $y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \epsilon_{ij}$ , the estimated SSE is  $\sum_{ij} (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_{i.} - \bar{y}_{.j} + \bar{y}_{..})^2$ . Similarly, for the model  $y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \epsilon_{ij}$ , the estimated SSE is  $\sum_{ij} (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_{i.})^2$ . Show that the difference between these two SSE's is related to the SS of another effect; what is that effect?

$$SSE_{\text{red.}} - SSE_{\text{full}} = \sum_{ij} [(y_{ij} - \bar{y}_{i.})^2 - (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_{i.} - \bar{y}_{.j} + \bar{y}_{..})^2]$$

$$= \sum_{ij} [\cancel{y_{ij}} - \bar{y}_{i.} - \cancel{y_{ij}} + \bar{y}_{i.} + \bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{..}] [\cancel{y_{ij}} - \bar{y}_{i.} + \cancel{y_{ij}} - \bar{y}_{i.} - \bar{y}_{.j} + \bar{y}_{..}]$$

$$= \sum_j (\bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{..}) \sum_i (2y_{ij} - 2\bar{y}_{i.} - \bar{y}_{.j} + \bar{y}_{..}) = a \sum_j (\bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{..})^2 = SS_B$$

$$2a\bar{y}_{.j} - 2a\bar{y}_{..} - a\bar{y}_{.j} + a\bar{y}_{..} = a(\bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{..})$$

Many students did  
 $SST = SSA + SSB + SSE_f$   
 $SST = SSA + SSE_r$   
 $\therefore SSE_r - SSE_f = SSB$

This is OK, IF you show the 2 SSAs are equal.

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12. In a  $2^4$  design involving factors A, B, C, D, what is the contrast vector for the AB effect, in the Yates order (i.e., A changes fastest).

(1) a ...  $2^4 = 16$  runs

A - + - + - + - + - + - + - + - +

B - - + + - - + + - - + + - - + +

AB + - - + + - - + + - - + + - - + + **Answer.**

C ... } not necessary,  
D ... }

~2 (1.5) lec 16/p4

13. In  $2^k$  design with  $n$  replications, every individual effect can be tested with a t-test. If there are  $p$  terms in the model (including  $\mu$ , but excluding  $\epsilon$ ), what is the df of that test (i.e., the df of SSE)? Show work.

$p$  terms.

$y_i: y_{ij...} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \dots + \epsilon_{ij...}$

SS:  $SST = SSA + SSB + \dots + SSE$

df:  $2^k \cdot n - 1 = \underbrace{p - 1}_{\text{each SS has df=1}} + \boxed{2^k \cdot n - p}$

~2 (1.5) lec 17/p.8

14. A scientist who does not know much about experimental design performed the 8 runs in a  $2^3$  design in the following 4 blocks: [(1), a], [b, ab], [c, ac], [bc, abc]. Which effects are going to be confounded with block? Show work.

The runs in [(1), a] have B and C low  
 " [b, ab] have B high  
 [c, ac] have C high  
 [bc, abc] have B and C high

$\Rightarrow B$  and  $C$

FYI

	A	B	C
(1)	-	-	-
a	+	-	-
b	-	+	-
ab	+	+	-
c	-	-	+
ac	+	-	+
bc	-	+	+
abc	+	+	+

$\therefore B$  and  $C$  (and consequently  $BC$ ) are confounded with block

~2 (1.5)

15. Consider a  $2^4$  design performed in 8 blocks. What is the total number of effects that will be confounded with blocks? Show work.

Blocking The  $2^4$  runs according to The levels of 1 factor gives 2 blocks.

" " 2 factors " 4 " "

" " 3 " " 8 " "

Denote These 3 factors  $X, Y, Z$ , which are confounded with block.  
 But Then,  $XY, XZ, YZ$ , and  $XYZ$  are also confounded. Total = 7

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