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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 & work; NO CREDIT for correct answer without explanation

## Points

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- 1. Suppose the true model for a certain problem is known to be  $y_{ij} = \mu + \tau_i + \beta_j + \epsilon_{ij} i = 1 \cdots a, j = 1 \cdots b$ , where  $\tau_i$  is the treatment effect, and  $\beta_j$  is the block effect. Then  $E[\sum_j (\overline{y_{.j}} \overline{y_{..}})^2]$  is proportional to
- a) 0

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

- c) none of the above.
- 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
- **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
- 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.
- 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)  $lm(y \tilde{A} + B + C + D)$  on  $3 \times 3 \times 9 \times 9$  runs from a factorial design.
- b)  $lm(y \ \tilde{A} \ B \ C \ D)$  on  $3 \times 3 \times 9 \times 9 \times n$  runs from a replicated factorial design.
- c)lm(y  $\tilde{A} + B + C + D$ ) on  $9 \times 9$  runs from an LSD, with A and B combined into a 9-level factor.
- d)Im(y  $\tilde{}$  E + C + D) on 9 × 9 runs from an LSD, with E defined as a 9-level factor combining A and B.
- **6.** In a 2<sup>3</sup> 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.
  - 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.
- 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.

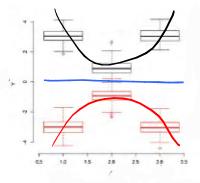


8. Consider a problem involving a response Y observed at each of 3 levels of factor A. The data are shown in the adjacent figure.

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.





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- **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
- 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

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

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} & B_1 & B_2 & B_3 \\ \hline A_1 & +1 & -1 & -1 \\ A_2 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ A_3 & -1 & +2 & +1 \\ \end{array}$$



- 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.



- b) How many independent parameters does this model have, and which are they?
- c) How many independent least-squares equations are there for this problem?
- d) How may constraints are necessary?



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



12. In a 2<sup>4</sup> 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).



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.



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.



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.

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