# Psy/Educ 6600: Unit 1 Homework

# Exploratory Data Analysis

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## Chapter 1. DATA PREPARATION

## Load Packages

• Make sure the packages are **installed** (Package tab)

```
library(tidyverse)  # Loads several very helpful 'tidy' packages
library(readxl)  # Read in Excel datasets
library(furniture)  # Nice tables
library(psych)  # Lots of nice tid-bits
```

#### Import Data, Define Factors, and Compute New Variables

- Make sure the **dataset** is saved in the same *folder* as this file
- Make sure the that folder is the working directory

NOTE: I added the second line to convert all the variables names to lower case. I still kept the F as a capital letter at the end of the five factor variables.

```
data_clean <- read_excel("Ihno_dataset.xls") %>%
  dplyr::rename_all(tolower) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(genderF = factor(gender,
                                 levels = c(1, 2),
                                 labels = c("Female",
                                            dplyr::mutate(majorF = factor(major,
                                levels = c(1, 2, 3, 4,5),
                                labels = c("Psychology",
                                           "Premed",
                                           "Biology",
                                           "Sociology",
                                           "Economics"))) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(reasonF = factor(reason,
                                 levels = c(1, 2, 3),
                                 labels = c("Program requirement",
                                            "Personal interest",
                                            "Advisor recommendation"))) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(exp_condF = factor(exp_cond,
                                   levels = c(1, 2, 3, 4),
                                   labels = c("Easy",
                                              "Moderate",
                                              "Difficult",
                                              "Impossible"))) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(coffeeF = factor(coffee,
                                 levels = c(0, 1),
                                 labels = c("Not a regular coffee drinker",
                                            "Regularly drinks coffee"))) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(hr_base_bps = hr_base / 60) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(anx_plus = rowsums(anx_base, anx_pre, anx_post)) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(hr_avg = rowmeans(hr_base + hr_pre + hr_post)) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(statDiff = statquiz - exp_sqz)
```

# Chapter 2. DISTRIBUTION and UNIVARIATE PLOTS

# 2C-1. Frequency Distribution and Bar Chart

Request a frequency distribution using the furniture::tableF(continuous\_var) function

# Frequency distrubution: majorF

Create a bar chart using geom\_bar() for the Undergraduate Major (majorF) variable for Ihno's students.

Make sure to add the variable of interest into the asthetics: ggplot(aes(continuous\_var)) before adding the geom\_bar() layer.

# Bar Plot: majorF

# 2C-2. Bar Charts

Repeat Exercise 1 for the variables prevmath and phobia.

IN THE WRITEUP: Would it make sense to request a histogram instead of a bar chart for phobia ? Discuss.

# Bar Plot: prevmath

# Bar Plot: phobia

# 2C-3. Frequency Distribution and Histogram

Request a frequency distribution and a histogram for the variable statquiz. Use the option in the function geom\_histogram(bins = #) to change the number of bins or geom\_histogram(binwidth = #) to change the bin width to give a better figure.

IN THE WRITEUP: Describe the shape of this distribution.

# Frequency distrubution: statquiz

# Histogram: statquiz, with a different number/width of bins

# 2C-4. Frequency Distribution and Histogram

Request a frequency distribution and a histogram for the variables baseline anxiety (anx\_base) and baseline heart rate (hr\_base).

IN THE WRITEUP: Comment on R's choice of class intervals for each histogram.

# Frequency distrubution: anx\_base

# Histogram: anx\_base

# Frequency distrubution: hr\_base

# Histogram: hr\_base

# 2C-6. Histograms -by- a Factor

Request Histograms for the variables anx\_base and hr\_base divided by genderF using an additional facet\_grid(group\_var ~ .) layer to create two plots.

```
# Histogram: anx_base, by genderF

# Histogram: hr_base, by genderF
```

# 2C-9. Deciles and Quartiles

Using the quantile(probs = c(#, #, ..., #)) function, request the deciles and quartiles for the phobia variable.

Make sure to add a dplyr::pull(varname) step to pull out only the one variable you are interested in.

```
# Deciles: phobia
# Quartiles: phobia
```

#### 2C-10. Various Percentiles

Request the following percentiles for the variables hr\_base and hr\_pre: 15, 30, 42.5, 81, and 96.

```
# Percentiles: hr_base
# Percentiles: hr_pre
```

# Chapter 3. SUMMARY DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS

# 3C-1/3. Descriptive Statistics -full-

Use the psych::describe() function to find the the mode, median, and mean, as well as the range, semi-interquartile range, unbiased variance, and unbiased standard deviation for each of the quantitative variables in Ihno's data set.

Make sure to use a dplyr::select(var1, var2, ..., var12) step to select only the variables of interest.

# Descriptive Stats: all quant vars

# 3C-4 Boxplots

# (a) Boxplot

Create a plot for the statquiz variable using a geom\_boxplot() layer.

Make sure to specify the astheticis in ggplot(aes(...)). Since you want to plot the entire sample together, set x = "Full Sample" and  $y = continuous\_var$ 

# Boxplot: statquiz

# (b) Boxplots -by- a Factor

Create a plot for the statquiz variable by majorF.

Make sure to set  $x = grouping\_var$  and  $y = continuous\_var$  in the asthetics.

# Boxplot: statquiz, by majorF

#### (c) Boxplot -for- a Subset

Use a dplyr::filter() step filter the subjects in the dataset to create a **Boxplot** for the statquiz variable for just the female Biology majors.

Make sure to use == instead of = to test for equality within the filter step. It will be helpful to set the asethics such that  $x = one\_grouping\_var$  and fill = another\\_grouping\\_var, while letting  $y = continuous\_var$ .

# Boxplot: statquiz, for a subset

#### (d) Boxplots -by- a Factor and -for- a Subset

Use dplyr::filter() to create a SIDE-by-SIDE Boxplots for the statquiz variable that compares the female Psychology majors to the female Biology majors.

A helpful symbol-set is %in% which test if the thing before it is included in the concatinated list of elements that comes after it.

# Boxplot: statquiz, by a factor, for a subset

# 3C-5. Boxplots -for- Repeated Measures

Create Boxplots for both baseline and prequiz anxiety, so that they appear side-by-side on the same graph.

Some data manipulations is needed to "stack" the two variables (baseline and pre-test) into a single variable. This is done with with the tidyr::gather(key = new\_key\_var, value = new\_value\_var, old\_var\_1, old\_var\_2, ...) function.

# Boxplot: anxiety, compare two repeated measures

# 3C-6. Descriptive Statistics -by- a Factor

Use furniture::table1() to find the *mean* and *standard deviation* for each of the *quantitative variables* separately for the male and female econ majors.

Make sure to use the splitby = ~ grouping\_var option.

# Descriptive Stats: all quant vars, by genderF

## Chapter 4. STANDARDIZED SCORES

#### 4C-1. Calculate z-Scores

Use the dplyr::mutate(new\_zscore\_var = scale(old\_orig\_var)) function to create two new variables consisting of the z scores for the anxiety and heart rate measures at baseline in Ihno's data set.

Request means and SD's of the z-score variables to demonstrate that the means and SD s are 0 and 1, respectively, in each case.

# Descriptive Stats: baseline anx & hr, original and z-scores

# Chapter 5. Intro to Hypothesis Testing: 1 Sample z-Test

#### 5C-3. 1 Sample z-Test compared to historic controls for mathquiz and statquiz

**TEXTBOOK QUESTION:** (A) In the past 10 years, previous stats classes who took the same math quiz that Inho's students took **averaged 28** with a **standard deviation of 8.5**. What is the two-tailed p value for Inho's students with respect to that past population? (Don't forget that the N for mathquiz is not 100.) Would you say that Inho's class performed significantly better than previous classes? Explain. (B) Redo part a assuming that the same previous classes had also taken the same statquiz and **averaged 6.1** with a **standard deviation of 2.5**.

**DIRECTIONS:** Find the mean (M) and sample size (n) for mathquiz and statquiz and then work the rest of the statistical test by hand in the printed homework packet.

**NOTE:** You may use the furniture::table1() function gives the mean, but it only gives the total n for all variables. Since some students were missing the math quiz, but not the stat quiz the sample sizes are different. So use the psych::describe() function to get the means and the sample size for each variable.

# Find the mean and n for: mathquiz, statquiz

#### 5C-4. Test for Normaity for mathquiz and statquiz

**TEXTBOOK QUESTION:** Test both the math quiz and stat quiz variables for their resemblance to normal distributions. Based on skewness, kurtosis, and the Shapiro-Wilk statistic, which variable has a sample distribution that is not very consistent with the assumption of normality in the population?

#### Skewness and Kurtosis

DIRECTIONS: Find the skewness and kurtosis for mathquiz and statquiz

**NOTE:** Yes, you just did this above using the psych::describe() function... so you may skip it here if you want.

# Find the skewness and kurtosis for: mathquiz, statquiz

#### Shapiro-Wilk's Test

**DIRECTIONS:** Use the shapiro.test() function to test for normality in a small'ish sample.

**NOTE:** You must use a dplyr::pull() step to pull out one variable from the dataset before you can use the shapiro.test() function.

# Shapiro-Wilk's Normality Test for: mathquiz

# Shapiro-Wilk's Normality Test for: statquiz

#### Create Histograms

**DIRECTIONS:** Use geom\_histogram() after setting the ggplot(aes()). Make sure to try different bins = # or binwidth = # to get a 'good looking' plot.

**NOTE:** For histograms, you do need to specify the variable name as x in the aes(x = variable) option.

```
# Histogram for: mathquiz
# Histogram for: statquiz
```

# Create QQ Plots

 $\label{eq:def:DIRECTIONS: Use geom_qq() after setting the ggplot(aes()).}$ 

**NOTE:** For qq plots, you do need to specify the variable name as samplein the aes(sample = variable) option.

# Histogram for: mathquiz

# Histogram for: statquiz

## Chapter 6. Confidence Interval Estimation: The t Distribution

#### 6C-1. 1-sample t-tests for anx\_base, anx\_pre, and anx\_post

**TEXTBOOK QUESTION:** Perform one-sample t tests to determine whether the baseline, pre-, or postquiz anxiety scores of Inho's students differ significantly ( $\alpha = .05$ , two-tailed) from the mean ( $\mu = 18$ ) found by a very large study of college students across the country. Find the 95% Cconfidence interval for the population mean for each of the **three** anxiety measures.

**DIRECTIONS:** Use the t.test(mu = #) function to perform a 1 sample t-test. Make sure to sepify the Null hypothesis value for  $\mu$ .

**NOTE:** You must use a dplyr::pull() step to pull out one variable from the dataset before you can use the t.test() function.

```
# 1-sample t-test for: anx_base
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```

#### 6C-2. 1-sample t-tests for hr\_base among MEN

**TEXTBOOK QUESTION:** Perform a one-sample t test to determine whether the average baseline heart rate of Inho's **male** students differs significantly from the **mean** heart rate ( $\mu = 70$ ) for college-aged men at the .01 level, two-tailed. Find the 99% confidence intervals for the population mean represented by Inho's **male** students.

**DIRECTIONS:** Similar to the last problem, use the t.test(mu = #) function to perform a 1 sample t-test. This time, make sure the subset out the males only with a dplyr::filter() step prior to the dplyr::pull() step.

note: To change from the default 95% confidence intervals, make sure to specify conf.level =
0.99 inside the t.test() function.

# 1-sample t-test for MALES: hr\_base

#### 6C-3. 1-sample t-tests for hr\_post among FEMALE

**TEXTBOOK QUESTION:** Perform a one-sample t test to determine whether the average postquiz heart rate of Inho's **female** students differs significantly ( $\alpha = .05$ , two-tailed) from the **mean** resting heart rate ( $\mu = 72$ ) for college-aged women. Find the 95% confidence interval for the population mean represented by Inho's **female** students.

**DIRECTIONS:** This time, subset out WOMEN and choose the post-quiz heart rate. Also, use a different population null value.

# 1-sample t-test for MALES: hr\_base