

- Simplified procedure.

- Rank all obs from the smallest to the largest

- $H = \frac{12}{N(N+1)} \sum_{i=1}^g n_i (\bar{R}_i - \frac{N+1}{2})^2$, where $\bar{R}_i = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} R_{ij}$

If no ties, this is the T.S.; otherwise, proceed.

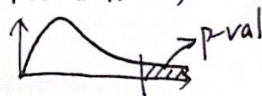
- $D = 1 - \frac{\sum(t^3 - t)}{(N-1)N(N+1)}$, where t is the number of ties for each rank value.

$$\Rightarrow H_{adj} = \frac{H}{D}$$

- p-value: Under the null, $T.S. \sim \chi_{g-1}^2$, i.e., χ^2 distribution w/ df ~~#gr~~ = #group - 1.

(Recall in ANOVA, $T.S. \sim F_{g-1, N-g}$ if H_0 is true)

so $P(Y \geq T.S.)$ where $Y \sim \chi_{g-1}^2$.



- Conclusions: (As usual)

Not enough / some / (pretty) strong / very strong

evidence to say H_a is true

(Replace it w/ the desired ("actual") statement in English)

$$N = 15$$

$g = 3$ groups

Quant. var = wt loss

Example: A pharmaceuticals company is developing a new appetite suppressant. 15 random selected lab mice are given 3 different treatments (Phentermine, Cathine, and Benfluorex) and their weight losses are recorded as follows:

Phentermine	Cathine	Benfluorex
2.2 (4)	1.3 (1)	3.2 (12)
1.6 (2)	2.7 (7)	2.9 (9)
3.6 (13.5)	2.9 (9)	3.6 (13.5)
2.4 (5)	1.8 (3)	2.5 (6)
2.9 (9)	3.1 (11)	6.2 (15)

Ordered ranks:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 9, 9, 11, 12, 13.5, 13.5, 15

check if $W_p + W_c + W_b = \frac{N(N+1)}{2}$

- Which statistical inference procedures could we use on this data? Which one should we use?

Could: ANOVA, K-W

KW: • SRS (both need it)

Should: Examine assumptions.

• min 5 obs per group ✓

K-W preferred

ANOVA: • SRS

• normal distribution of res var per group
• equal variances

- Using the output below, conduct the test and interpret the results.

ΔH_0 : All three trts have the same median (or distribution) of weight loss in population.

H_a : Not all of the population medians are the same.

ΔTS : • Rank from the smallest to the largest (shown in the table)

• $\bar{R}_1 = \frac{4+2+13.5+5+9}{5} = 6.7$, $\bar{R}_2 = 6.2$, $\bar{R}_3 = 11.1$, $\bar{R} = \frac{N+1}{2} = 8$

$$H = \frac{12}{N(N+1)} \sum_{i=1}^g n_i (\bar{R}_i - \bar{R})^2 = \frac{12}{15 \times 16} \times 5 \times [(6.7-8)^2 + (6.2-8)^2 + (11.1-8)^2]$$

$$= 3.635$$

• Now adjust for ties. $\sum (t^3 - t) = (3^3 - 3) + (2^3 - 2) = 24 + 6 = 30$

$$D = 1 - \frac{\sum (t^3 - t)}{(N-1)N(N+1)} = 1 - \frac{30}{14 \times 15 \times 16} = 0.9911$$

Kruskal-Wallis Test: Weight Loss versus Drug

Kruskal-Wallis Test on Weight Loss

Drug	N	Median	Ave Rank	Z
Benfluorex	5	3.200	11.1	1.90
Cathine	5	2.700	6.2	-1.40
Phentermine	5	2.400	6.7	-0.20
Overall	15		8.0	

$$H_{adj} = \frac{H}{D} = \frac{3.635}{0.9911} = 3.67$$

$\Delta p\text{-value} = P(Y \geq 3.67) = 0.16$

$H = 3.63$ DF = 2 P = 0.162
→ $H = 3.67$ DF = 2 P = 0.160 (adjusted for ties)

Δ Conclusions: We do not have enough evidence to say that there is some difference between the 3 trts in terms of the median/distribution of the weight loss in population (of lab mice).

6.2 is an outlier, so not normal, and ~~pro~~ no equal variances.

Example: Compare 4 teaching techniques - say, Method 1, Method 2, Method 3, and Method 4. Different students are assigned at random to different methods. The exam scores for the students are given below, with the ranks in parentheses:

Method 1	Method 2	Method 3	Method 4
65 (3)	72 (7.5)	59 (1)	94 (23)
87 (19)	69 (5.5)	78 (11)	89 (21)
73 (9)	83 (17.5)	67 (4)	80 (14)
79 (12.5)	81 (15.5)	62 (2)	88 (20)
81 (15.5)	72 (7.5)	83 (17.5)	
69 (5.5)	79 (12.5)	76 (10)	
	90 (22)		

Resp var - exam scores (Quant)

$g = 4$ groups, indep

$n_1 = 6, n_2 = 7, n_3 = 6, n_4 = 4$

$N = 6 + 7 + 6 + 4 = 23$

- Which statistical inference procedures could we use on this data? Which one should we use?

ANOVA

- SRS
- normal distribution } looks OK
- equal variances → can compute s.d. for each group.
- Using the output below, conduct the test and interpret the results.

K-W

SRS

5 obs per group ⊗ Method 4 has 4 ppl.

K-W: H_0 : No diff in median/distribution of exam scores for these 4 teaching methods.

H_a : some diff.

OR $H_0: \eta_1 = \eta_2 = \eta_3 = \eta_4$ H_a : Not all of the η_i 's are the same.

Δ TS: $\bar{R}_1 = \frac{3+19+9+12.5+15.5+5.5}{6} = 10.75$, $\bar{R}_2 = 12.57$, $\bar{R}_3 = 7.58$, $\bar{R}_4 = 19.5$

$\bar{R} = \frac{23+1}{2} = 12$

$H = \frac{12}{23 \times 24} \times [6 \times (10.75 - 12)^2 + 7 \times (12.57 - 12)^2 + 6 \times (7.58 - 12)^2 + 4 \times (19.5 - 12)^2]$
 $= 7.69$

Ordered ranks: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.5, 5.5, 7.5, 7.5, 9, 10, 11, 12.5, 12.5, 14, 15.5, 15.5, 17.5, 17.5, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23

Kruskal-Wallis Test: Grade versus Method

Method	N	Median	Ave Rank	Z
1	6	76.00	10.6	-0.60
2	7	79.00	12.7	0.33
3	6	71.50	7.6	-1.86
4	4	88.50	19.5	2.43
Overall	23		12.0	

$H = 7.78$ DF = 3 P = 0.051

$H = 7.79$ DF = 3 P = 0.051 (adjusted for ties)

NOTE * One or more small samples

$\sum (t^2 - t) = 5 \times (2^2 - 2) = 30$

$D = 1 - \frac{30}{22 \times 23 \times 24} = 0.9975$

$H_{adj} = \frac{H}{D} = \frac{7.69}{0.9975} = 7.71$

Δ p-val = $P(Y \geq 7.71) = 0.052$

$Y \sim \chi^2_{4-1} = \chi^2_3$

Δ Conclusions: some evidence of some difference

Δ Follow-up: Wilcoxon rank sum tests to compare methods (1-2, 2-3, 3-4)

See Canvas for correct output

- Using the output below, conduct the One-Way ANOVA test and interpret the results.

$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_3 = \mu_4$ H_a : some diff

TS: $F = 3.77$

p-val: 0.028

Conclusions: Pretty strong evidence of some diff in avg exam scores

Follow-up: Bonferroni, Tukey, Fisher, Individual CIs.

One-way ANOVA: Grade versus Method

Source	DF	SS	MS	F	P
Method	3	712.6	237.5	3.77	0.028
Error	19	1196.6	63.0		
Total	22	1909.2			

S = 7.936 R-Sq = 37.32% R-Sq(adj) = 27.43%

				Individual 95% CIs For Mean Based on Pooled StDev	
Level	N	Mean	StDev		
1	6	75.667	8.165	-----+-----	
2	7	78.429	7.115	(------)	
3	6	70.833	9.579	(------)	
4	4	87.750	5.795	(------+-----)	
				70	80 90 100

- Compare the Kruskal-Wallis H -test and the one-way ANOVA test. Which one is preferred in this scenario?

ANOVA — assumptions were ALL satisfied
also ANOVA is more powerful