

Problem #4

(4a) The 2 sampled t test is the one that should be used because it's possible that the variances of Auditory reaction time are different than the variance of visual reaction time.

$$b) H_0: \mu_v = \mu_a$$

$$H_a: \mu_v < \mu_a$$

$$\bar{X}_v = 194.3 \quad S_v = 25.53$$

$$\bar{X}_a = 192.3 \quad S_a = 29.14$$

$$t = \frac{\bar{X}_v - \bar{X}_a - (\mu_v - \mu_a)}{\sqrt{\frac{S_v^2}{n} + \frac{S_a^2}{n}}} = \frac{194.3 - 192.3 - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{25.53^2}{6} + \frac{29.14^2}{6}}} = 0.145$$

$$V = \frac{(S_{ev}^2 - S_{ea}^2)^2}{\frac{S_{ev}^2}{n-1} + \frac{S_{ea}^2}{n-1}} \quad \text{where} \quad S_{ev} = \frac{S_v}{\sqrt{n}} = 21.15$$

$$S_{ea} = \frac{S_a}{\sqrt{n}}$$

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$$P\text{val} = P(T < +) = 0.46 > \alpha = 0.05$$

the p value > 0.05 , so we should not reject the null hypothesis.

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xv <- c(161, 203, 235, 176, 201, 188)
m <- length(xv)

xa <- c(157, 207, 198, 161, 234, 197)
n <- length(xa)

xv_bar <- mean(xv)
xa_bar <- mean(xa)

sv <- sqrt(var(xv))
sa <- sqrt(var(xa))

t <- (xv_bar - xa_bar) / sqrt(sv^2/m + sa^2/n)

sev <- sv/sqrt(m)
sea <- sa/sqrt(n)
v <- (sev^2 - sea^2)^2/(sev^2/(m-1) + sea^2/(n-1))

p <- pt(t, v, lower.tail=FALSE)
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Calculations

