# Untitled

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```
[14]: import pandas as pd
from pandasql import sqldf
```

# 1 Methods

This was an investigation to determine the growth (weight gain) of coconut rhinoceros beetle (CRB) larva fed four different diets. Initial set up used CRB eggs placed in small vials, allowed to hatch and monitored the growth of the newly emerged larvae. The results from the study showed that the above two diets were the most ideal for larvae growth (Figs.1, 2). The other two "diets" (1) sphagnum peat moss (SM) and (2) "pure" (PF) frass pellets (obtained by manually separating out some of the frass pellets found in the FCT field sample) and then pulverized to form a powder were both poor diets for CRB larvae. Many of the larvae fed PF only survived from 2-3 weeks with little or no gain in weight, while the SM diet was even less supportive of larva growth dying within a week. Moreover, though both CM and FCT out performed PF and SM, CM showed higher larva mortality near the end of the study than FCT. Larva fed FCT also appeared to gain weight faster than CM but after 9 weeks larva fed CM appeared to have a higher overall increase in mean weight.

# 2 Data Preparation

### 2.1 Read Initial Spreadsheet

```
[15]: df = pd.read_excel('Diet study Means.xlsx')
[15]:
                Treatment
                           Larvae ID
                                        Hatch Date
                                                                     Date Weight (mg)
      0
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                    1
                                       5/24/2021 L
                                                     2021-05-24 00:00:00
                                                                                    203
      1
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                       5/24/2021 L
                                                     2021-05-24 00:00:00
                                                                                    114
      2
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                                       5/24/2021 L
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                                       5/24/2021 L
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      4
           FCT 5/11/2021
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                                                     2021-05-24 00:00:00
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            CM 5/17/2021
                                    4
                                       5/25/2021 L
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      171
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                                    7
                                       5/25/2021 L
                                                     2021-05-25 00:00:00
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      172
            CM 5/17/2021
                                       5/25/2021 L
                                                     2021-05-25 00:00:00
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      6/2/2021 L
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1
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                                                            6/8/2021 L
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[173 rows x 50 columns]

### 2.2 Delete Unnecessary Columns

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[16]: # Remove columns with "Date" heading because the data are redundant

cols = df.columns
for col in cols:
    if col.startswith('Date'):
        df.drop(labels=col, axis='columns', inplace=True)

# Drop all columns which donot contain data

df.dropna(how='all', axis='columns', inplace=True)

df
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[16]:
               Treatment Larvae ID
                                       Hatch Date Weight (mg) Hatch Date.1 \
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                   1 5/24/2021 L
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                                                                 6/2/2021 L
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                                                768 6/15/2021 L
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                           1969
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                           3006 7/20/2021 L
                                                       3458 7/28/2021 L
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                           3163 7/20/2021 L
                                                       3467 7/28/2021 L
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     7/14/2021 L
                           2401 7/20/2021 L
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                     8/4/2021 L
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             3820
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[173 rows x 26 columns]

#### 2.3 Normalize Data

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「18]:
               treatment larva_id hatch_date
                                                 mass
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                 1 5/24/2021 L
                                                  203
     0
     1
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                 2 5/24/2021 L
                                                  114
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                 3 5/24/2021 L
                                                  256
     3
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                 4 5/24/2021 L
                                                  145
     4
           FCT 5/11/2021
                                 5 5/24/2021 L
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            CM 5/17/2021
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                                 7
     2074
            CM 5/17/2021
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     2075
            CM 5/17/2021
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                                                 DF.AD
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[2076 rows x 4 columns]

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data['treatment'] = data.apply(lambda x: x['treatment'].split(' ')[0],__
⇔axis='columns')
data['treatment'].replace({'FCT':'frass', 'CM':'manure', 'SM':'peat moss', 'PF':
# Add a new record for setup date of each insect
new_rows = []
for unique_larva_id in data.unique_larva_id.unique():
   new_rows.append({'unique_larva_id':unique_larva_id,
                    'observation_date': unique_larva_id.split(' ')[1],
                    'treatment': unique_larva_id.split(' ')[0],
                    'status':'egg', 'mass':10})
data = data.append(new_rows, ignore_index=True, sort=False)
data['treatment'].replace({'FCT':'frass', 'CM':'manure', 'SM':'peat moss', 'PF':
# Delete rows where mass equals EMPTY or DEAD
data = data[data['mass'] != 'EMPTY']
data = data[data['mass'] != 'DEAD']
# sort
data = data.sort_values(by=['unique_larva_id', 'observation_date'])
data = data[['unique_larva_id','treatment','observation_date','status','mass']]
# write CSV filr
data.to_csv('data.csv', index=False)
data
```

```
[19]:
          unique_larva_id treatment observation_date status
                                                             mass
     2203 CM 5/11/2021 1
                                            5/11/2021
                                                         egg
                                                               10
                              manure
     127
           CM 5/11/2021 1
                                                      larva
                                            5/25/2021
                                                               186
                              manure
     300
           CM 5/11/2021 1
                                             6/1/2021 larva
                                                               381
                              manure
     646
          CM 5/11/2021 1
                                            6/15/2021 larva 1307
                              manure
     819
           CM 5/11/2021 1
                                                             1548
                              manure
                                            6/22/2021 larva
                                                 ...
           SM 5/17/2021 8 peat moss
     84
                                            5/25/2021 larva
                                                                32
     257
           SM 5/17/2021 8 peat moss
                                             6/2/2021
                                                      dead
                                                               37
                                            5/17/2021
     2161 SM 5/17/2021 9
                                                               10
                           peat moss
                                                         egg
     85
           SM 5/17/2021 9 peat moss
                                            5/25/2021 larva
                                                               45
     258
           SM 5/17/2021 9 peat moss
                                            6/2/2021
                                                      dead
                                                               21
```

# 3 Analysis

```
[20]: # get the last observation record for each larva
     df_endpoint = data.groupby('unique_larva_id').tail(1)
     df_endpoint.sort_values(['status', 'unique_larva_id'])
[20]:
           unique_larva_id
                                treatment observation_date status mass
            CM 5/11/2021 2
                                                  7/6/2021
     1166
                                                             dead
                                                                     43
                                   manure
     480
            CM 5/11/2021 8
                                                  6/8/2021
                                                             dead
                                                                    165
                                   manure
     481
            CM 5/12/2021 1
                                   manure
                                                  6/8/2021
                                                             dead
                                                                    341
                                                                    172
     317 CM 5/12/2021 10
                                   manure
                                                  6/1/2021
                                                             dead
     311
            CM 5/12/2021 4
                                   manure
                                                  6/1/2021
                                                             dead
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     1766 FCT 5/17/2021 5
                                    frass
                                                  8/4/2021 larva 4443
     1767 FCT 5/17/2021 6
                                    frass
                                                  8/4/2021 larva 4800
     1769 FCT 5/17/2021 8
                                    frass
                                                  8/4/2021 larva 5142
     469
            PF 5/17/2021 4 fecal pellets
                                                  6/9/2021
                                                            larva
                                                                    141
     470
            PF 5/17/2021 5 fecal pellets
                                                  6/9/2021
                                                            larva
                                                                    201
     [173 rows x 5 columns]
[21]: # Summarize the status variable values for each treatment
      # egg: egg did not hatch
      # dead: larva died before end of experiment
      # larva: larva was alive at end of experiment
     SELECT treatment, status, COUNT(*) AS N
     FROM df endpoint
     GROUP BY treatment, status
     ORDER BY treatment, status;
     sqldf(q, globals())
[21]:
            treatment status
     0 fecal pellets
                        dead 30
     1 fecal pellets
                         egg
     2 fecal pellets larva
                               2
     3
                frass
                         egg 10
     4
                frass larva
                             31
     5
               manure
                        dead 10
                             11
               manure
                         egg
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9 peat moss egg 22

[22]: # Calculate mean weight for surviving larvae

q = """

SELECT treatment, COUNT(*) AS N, AVG(mass) AS mean, MIN(mass) as min, MAX(mass)

→AS max

FROM df_endpoint

WHERE status == 'larva'

GROUP BY treatment;

"""

sqldf(q, globals())
```

# [22]: treatment N mean min max 0 fecal pellets 2 171.000000 141 201 1 frass 31 4832.612903 1965 7592 2 manure 25 2549.040000 108 7335

manure larva 25

peat moss

dead 23

# 3.1 Treatment effect on egg hatch

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| treatment     | hatched | unhatched | proportion hatched |
|---------------|---------|-----------|--------------------|
| frass         | 31      | 10        | 0.76               |
| manure        | 35      | 11        | 0.76               |
| fecal pellets | 32      | 9         | 0.78               |
| peat moss     | 23      | 22        | 0.51               |

### 3.2 Treatment effect on larval survival

| treatment     | alive | dead | proportion surviving |
|---------------|-------|------|----------------------|
| frass         | 31    | 0    | 1.00                 |
| manure        | 25    | 10   | 0.71                 |
| fecal pellets | 2     | 30   | 0.06                 |
| peat moss     | 0     | 23   | 0.00                 |

# 3.3 Treatment effect on larval mass at end of experiment

| treatment     | N  | $\mathrm{mean}\ \{\mathrm{mg})$ | range (mg) |
|---------------|----|---------------------------------|------------|
| frass         | 31 | 4833                            | 1965-7592  |
| manure        | 25 | 2549                            | 108 - 7335 |
| fecal pellets | 2  | 171                             | 141-201    |
| peat moss     | 0  | -                               | -          |