

Intro to 1-way ANOVA: impacts of diet on deer antlers

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Introduction

The purpose of this lab is to learn the basics of 1-way ANOVA in R. We will explore data where white-tailed deer were fed different diets over the course of the spring and summer of one year.

- Diet 1: “Hi.Hi” = deer fed high protein diets during spring and summer
- Diet 2: “Hi.Lo” = deer fed high quality diets during spring, but low quality diet during summer
- Diet 3: “Lo.Hi” = deer fed low-protein diet during spring but high quality diet during summer.

Note: there is no “Lo.Lo” treatment

Analysis with 1-way ANOVA will allow us to determine whether

1. All of the means are similar or if at least one differs
2. Which treatment, if any, is most likely impacting antler growth.

References

Data were simulated from summary parameters in:

Asleson et al. 1997. Effects of seasonal protein restriction on antlerogenesis and body mass in adult male white-tailed deer. *Journal of Wildlife Management* 61.

For more information see ?antlers

Part 1: Summary stats & plotting means

1) Summary stats on all data

In this section the grand mean on ALL the data is calculated; data is NOT broken up by treatment! Data is considered by subgroup below

Load data

```
library(wildlifeR)
data(antlers)
```

```
# total sample size (all observations)
dim(antlers)
```

```
## [1] 30 5
```

```
n.total <- length(antlers$mass)
```

```
#mean of ALL samples
summary(antlers)
```

##	diet	mass	circum	beam
##	Hi.Hi:10	Min. :346.0	Min. : 57.95	Min. :247.3
##	Hi.Lo:10	1st Qu.:526.9	1st Qu.: 87.85	1st Qu.:392.9
##	Lo.Hi:10	Median :648.4	Median : 96.67	Median :424.5

```
##           Mean   :635.9   Mean   : 99.43   Mean   :412.0
##           3rd Qu.:762.4   3rd Qu.:112.17   3rd Qu.:440.2
##           Max.   :919.3   Max.    :136.06   Max.    :568.2
##      spread
## Min.      :223.8
## 1st Qu.   :295.1
## Median    :346.0
## Mean      :341.4
## 3rd Qu.   :383.5
## Max.      :459.7
```

```
mean(antlers$mass)
```

```
## [1] 635.9164
```

```
#variance of ALL samples
```

```
var(antlers$mass)
```

```
## [1] 25767.67
```

```
#stdev of ALL samples
```

```
mass.sd <- sd(antlers$mass)
```

2) Standard error for all data

This ignores treatments. All data are combined / pooled.

We'll do this a couple different ways to show how R code can vary.

Broken up into steps, saving an object at each step

```
#square root of N
```

```
sqrt.n <- sqrt(n.total)
```

```
#the se
```

```
mass.se <- mass.sd/sqrt.n
```

```
mass.se
```

```
## [1] 29.30738
```

Doing it a little "on fly"

```
mass.se <- mass.sd/sqrt(n.total)
```

Totally on the fly - nothing pre-saved as an object

```
#Using raw data
```

```
mass.se <- sd(antlers$mass)/
           sqrt(length(antlers$mass))
```

3) 95% CI for all data

This is the 95% confidence interval around the overall/grand mean. We approximate the CI as $1.96 \times SE$

```
1.96*mass.se
```

```
## [1] 57.44246
```

4) Calculate summary stats for each group

- Calculate the mean for each diet treatment using dplyr.
- The `group_by()` function split it up by treatment
- `summarize()` calculates the mean
- Recall the “`%>%`” is called a “pipe”

See pages 70-73 in “Getting started with R: An INtroduction for Biologists” for information on `summarize()` and `group_by()`. In particular see section 3.7.3 on page 72: “Method 2: Pipe, no nesting”

```
library(dplyr)

antlers %>% group_by(diet) %>%
  summarize(mass.mean = mean(mass))
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##   diet mass.mean
##   <fctr>      <dbl>
## 1 Hi.Hi    605.9653
## 2 Hi.Lo    561.9856
## 3 Lo.Hi    739.7984
```

We can get the SD like this

```
antlers %>% group_by(diet) %>%
  summarize(mass.sd = sd(mass))
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##   diet mass.sd
##   <fctr>      <dbl>
## 1 Hi.Hi   154.6435
## 2 Hi.Lo   134.9401
## 3 Lo.Hi   147.8019
```

And the sample size like this

```
antlers %>% group_by(diet) %>%
  summarize(mass.N = length(mass))
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##   diet mass.N
##   <fctr> <int>
## 1 Hi.Hi     10
## 2 Hi.Lo     10
## 3 Lo.Hi     10
```

We can calculate all of them like below. this time we'll store the output in an object “mass.means”

```
mass.means <- antlers %>% group_by(diet) %>%
  summarize(mass.mean = mean(mass),
            mass.sd = sd(mass),
            mass.N = length(mass))
```

5) Calculate the 3 SE values

```
mass.SEs <- mass.means$mass.sd/sqrt(mass.means$mass.N)
```

Add them to the dataframe

```
mass.means$mass.SEs <- mass.SEs
```

We can convert these to approximately 95% confidence intervals like this

```
mass.means$mass.CI95 <- mass.means$mass.SEs*1.96
```

What do you notice about the relationship between the SD, SE, and 95% CI?

6) Plot the 3 mean values

We'll plot means using ggpubr. We'll give the function ggerrorplot() the raw data and it will calculate the means etc to make the plot.

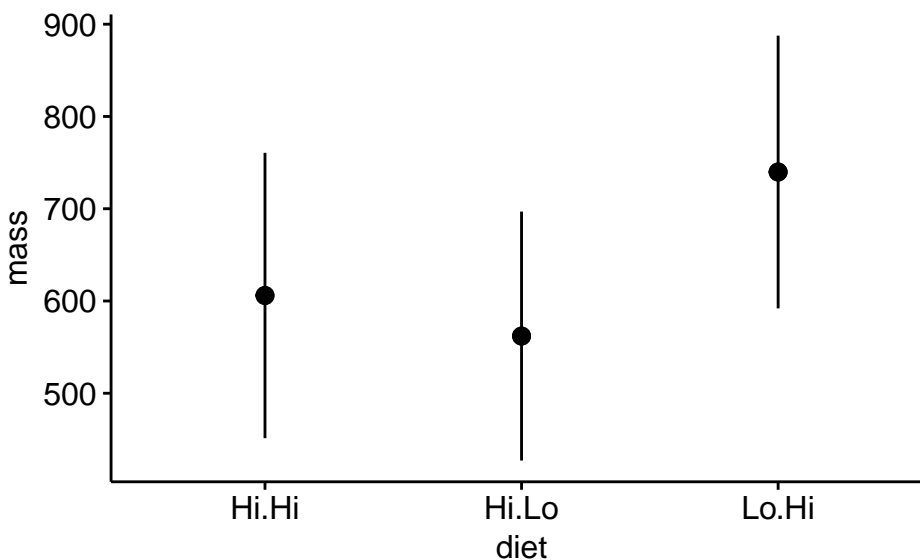
See the link below for more information <http://www.sthda.com/english/articles/24-ggpubr-publication-ready-plots/79-plot-meansmedians-and-error-bars/>

mean_se mean_sd mean_range

First, we'll plot the means and their standard deviations SD

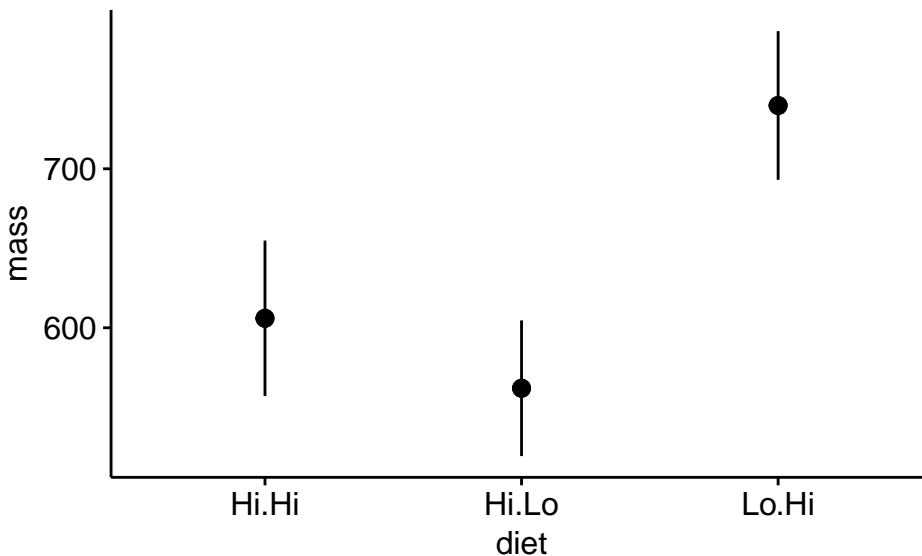
```
library(ggpubr)

ggerrorplot(antlers,
  x = "diet",
  y = "mass",
  desc_stat = "mean_sd",
  add = "mean"
)
```



Next we'll plot the standard errors. What happens to the x-axis?

```
ggerrorplot(antlers,
  x = "diet",
  y = "mass",
  desc_stat = "mean_se",
  add = "mean"
)
```



We can make a plot with both if we save the plots to R objects. We'll use the argument `ylim = c(400,1000)` to make it so they both have the same y axes

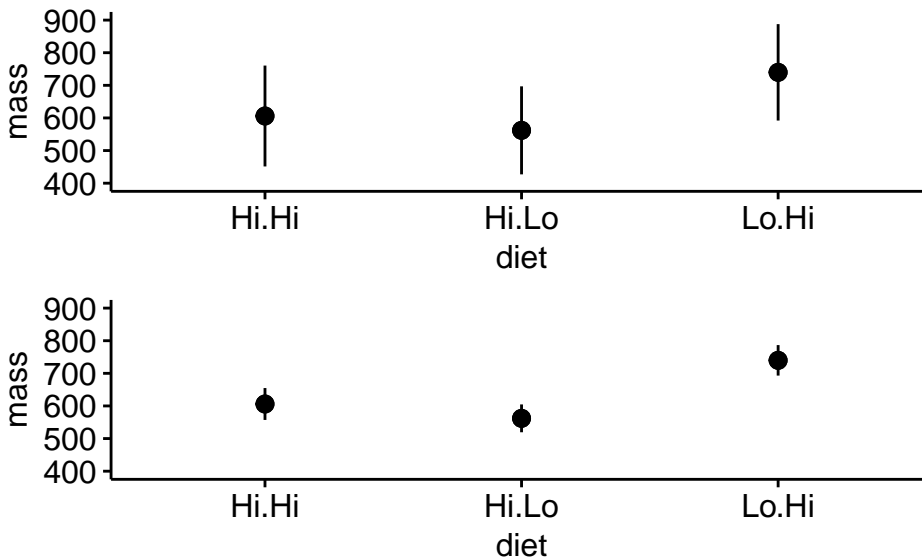
Note: We'll need to load the `gridExtra` package

```
library("gridExtra")
plot1 <- ggerrorplot(antlers,
  x = "diet",
  y = "mass",
  desc_stat = "mean_sd",
  add = "mean",
  ylim = c(400,900) #set axes
)

plot2 <- ggerrorplot(antlers,
  x = "diet",
  y = "mass",
  desc_stat = "mean_se",
  add = "mean",
  ylim = c(400,900) #set axes
)
```

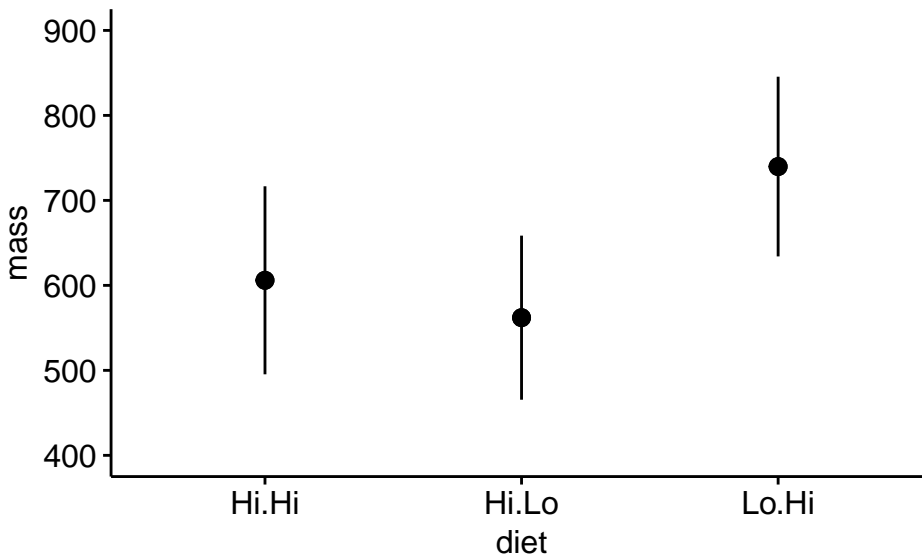
Plot both plots. What do you notice about the standard errors?

```
grid.arrange(plot1,plot2)
```



We can also easily make a plot using confidence intervals.

```
ggerrorplot(antlers,
  x = "diet",
  y = "mass",
  desc_stat = "mean_ci",
  add = "mean",
  ylim = c(400,900) #set axes
)
```



We have not calculated any p-values yet, but can you use the “inference by eye” approach to judge whether any of the means are likely to be “significantly” different based on the 95% confidence intervals?

Part 2: Omnibus ANOVA test

An “omnibus ANOVA test” (or “omnibus F test”) is used to gauge whether all the means are approximately equal or whether at least one is likely to be different than the others. “Omnibus” means “overall”.

7 & 8) Build the null (H₀) and alternative (H_a) models

We build a null model to represent the null hypothesis that there is no difference between any of the groups. Note that we code “mass ~ 1” to represent this null model, which has just a single mean value for all of the data.

```
model.null <- lm(mass ~ 1,
                 data = antlers)
```

We build an alternative model or “model of interest” to test the hypothesis we are interested in: that diet impacts antler growth in some way. This model will have 3 means: one for each treatment.

```
model.alt <- lm(mass ~ diet,
                data = antlers)
```

9-12) Conduct the Omnibus test and get the ANOVA output

Produce the ANOVA table using the `anova()` command. This will give us the F statistics (the test statistics for ANOVA), degrees of freedom, and our p-values. (It will also give us some other info that we’ll ignore for now but that is typically reported when you do an ANOVA)

```
anova(model.null,
       model.alt)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: mass ~ 1
## Model 2: mass ~ diet
##   Res.Df    RSS Df Sum of Sq    F Pr(>F)
## 1      29 747262
## 2      27 575719  2    171543 4.0225 0.02958 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

OPTIONAL:

If you are curious and things are going well, do the optional activities. These are completely optional

Optional: The summary command on an `lm()` object

Look at the output and how it compares to what we did with `anova()` on the two models.

```
summary(model.null)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = mass ~ 1, data = antlers)
##
## Residuals:
```

```
##      Min      1Q Median      3Q      Max
## -289.9 -109.0   12.5  126.5  283.4
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   635.92     29.31    21.7   <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 160.5 on 29 degrees of freedom
```

```
summary(model.alt)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = mass ~ diet, data = antlers)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min      1Q  Median      3Q      Max
## -322.09 -103.31   14.16   99.22  313.33
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   605.97     46.18  13.123 3.12e-13 ***
## dietHi.Lo     -43.98     65.30  -0.673  0.5064
## dietLo.Hi     133.83     65.30   2.049  0.0503 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 146 on 27 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2296, Adjusted R-squared:  0.1725
## F-statistic: 4.022 on 2 and 27 DF,  p-value: 0.02958
```

Optional: The anova command on a single lm() object

Look at the output and how it compares to what we did with anova() on the two models.

```
anova(model.alt)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: mass
##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value  Pr(>F)
## diet           2 171543   85772  4.0225 0.02958 *
## Residuals    27 575719   21323
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Optional: Change how model is defined

We'll add a "-1" to the model statement and call summary(). How does this differ from summary(model.alt)? (The difference is subtle...)

```
model.alt.2 <- lm(mass ~-1 + diet, data = antlers)
```

```
summary(model.alt.2)
```



```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = mass ~ -1 + diet, data = antlers)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -322.09 -103.31   14.16   99.22  313.33
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## dietHi.Hi      605.97      46.18   13.12 3.12e-13 ***
## dietHi.Lo      561.99      46.18   12.17 1.80e-12 ***
## dietLo.Hi      739.80      46.18   16.02 2.59e-15 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 146 on 27 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9553, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9503
## F-statistic: 192.3 on 3 and 27 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Optional: Plotting model diagnostics

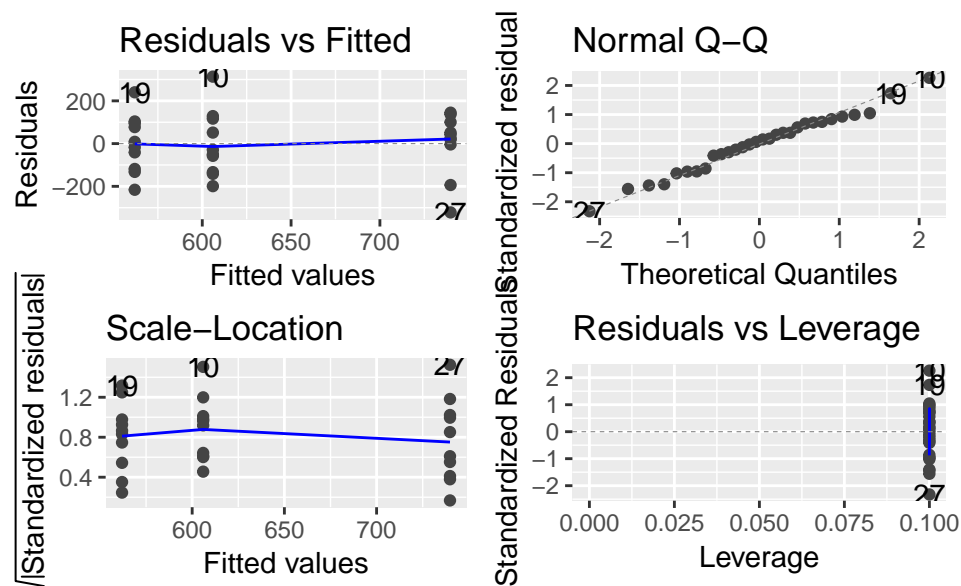
We can plot the “model diagnostics” using `plot()`. We will go into further details on this topic in the future.

Note: the `par(mfrow = c(2,2))` is a bit of cryptic R code that sets up the plotting window to have 4 panels

Also note: we’ll use the `ggplot2` addon library `ggfortify` for this, which has a fabulous function `autoplot()`

```
#load the library
library(ggfortify)

#plot the residuals
autoplot(model.alt)
```



Part 3: Pairwise comparisons

The traditional way of doing a 1-way ANOVA is to follow up a “significant” Omnibus test with separate t-tests that compare pair of means. This is called doing “pairwise” comparison - you go pair by pair doing t-tests.

The function `pairwise.t.test()` is used. Note that `p.adjust.method = “none”` line, which means we are given raw p-values that have *not* been corrected for multiple comparisons (see below)

13-15) Get pairwise p-values

```
pairwise.t.test(x = antlers$mass,
               g = antlers$diet,
               p.adjust.method = "none")

##
## Pairwise comparisons using t tests with pooled SD
##
## data: antlers$mass and antlers$diet
##
##      Hi.Hi Hi.Lo
## Hi.Lo 0.506 -
## Lo.Hi 0.050 0.011
##
## P value adjustment method: none
```

Part 4: Pairwise comparisons, correcting for multiple comparisons, & effect sizes

The more t-tests you do, the more likely you are to get a “Significant” (low) p-value just due to chance. Remember - the definition of a p-value is such that it always leaves open the possibility that the patterns you see are just due to random noise. This is called the “problem of multiple comparisons.”

One way that is advocated to deal with this issue of multiple comparisons is to increase p-values. One way of doing this is to use a “Bonferroni” correction. This can be done using `pairwise.t.test()` and setting `p.adjust.method = “bonferroni”`

```
pairwise.t.test(x = antlers$mass,
               g = antlers$diet,
               p.adjust.method = "bonferroni")

##
## Pairwise comparisons using t tests with pooled SD
##
## data: antlers$mass and antlers$diet
##
##      Hi.Hi Hi.Lo
## Hi.Lo 1.000 -
## Lo.Hi 0.151 0.034
##
## P value adjustment method: bonferroni
```

17) Build model with aov() function

When doing a 1-way ANOVA with three groups, a good option is to do a Tukey Test using the TukeyHSD() function. However, to do this you need first need to jump through a hoop: you need to redo the model using the aov() function. (aov stands for “analysis of variance”)

```
model.alt.aov <- aov(mass ~ diet,  
                    data = antlers)
```

18) Get p-values with Tukey’s HSD

When the model is fit using aov() you can then use TukeyHSD(). This gives you p-values for each set of pairwise comparisons and, more importantly effect sizes and their confidence intervals for each comparison. Importantly, the p-values and CIs have been increased to deal with the fact that you are making multiple comparisons.

```
TukeyHSD(model.alt.aov)
```

```
##    Tukey multiple comparisons of means  
##      95% family-wise confidence level  
##  
## Fit: aov(formula = mass ~ diet, data = antlers)  
##  
## $diet  
##           diff           lwr          upr      p adj  
## Hi.Lo-Hi.Hi -43.97973 -205.89517 117.9357 0.7807326  
## Lo.Hi-Hi.Hi 133.83308  -28.08236 295.7485 0.1198088  
## Lo.Hi-Hi.Lo 177.81281   15.89737 339.7282 0.0292046
```

19) Plot effect sizes

The wildlifeR package contains a function that makes nice plots (IMHO) of the output of the TukeyHSD function.

```
par(mfrow = c(1,1))  
  
tukey.out <- TukeyHSD(model.alt.aov)  
  
plotTukeysHSD(tukey.out)  
abline(h = 0, col = 2, lty = 2)
```

