## MSDS UNIT 3 HW 3

## PART I

1. Back in Unit 1 we considered a study in which 4 different fertilizers were tested by researchers for their yield (in mm of growth) on a local grass: Red Fescue (Just for fun .. this is a real mountain grass! http://fescue.com/info/creepingred.html#.Wlu6rbYrKu4). To conduct their study researchers had enough money to run three replicates of each fertilizer. They knew the red fescue was a mountain grass so they went out to the mountains and carefully fertilized plots of land as you see in the diagram below. The data is contained in the *growth3* data set.



Given the information you have available, run a simple ANOVA to test for the effects (if any) of the fertilizers. From a previous study, we know that the yields from each fertilizer are normally distributed with equal variances. For now assume that independence is not a concern here. You may assume the assumptions are met for all questions in this homework.

Deliverables: 1. ANOVA table. 2. Means Plot (Interaction Plot from SAS) 2. Conclusion for the ANOVA. 3. Confidence intervals with multiple comparison corrections for **SIGNIFANT** differences (between Fertilizers). 4. SAS Code: proc glm or Proc mixed code. Your answer should fit in the given box.



With only one factor, no interaction plot is needed. From the ANOVA, there is not sufficient evidence to suggest that the mean growth of plants under different fertilizers is different (p-value .1064 from an ANOVA).

proc glm data=growth3 plots=(diagnostics residuals);

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class fertilizer;
model growth = fertilizer;
lsmeans fertilizer / pdiff tdiff CL adjust=bon;
run;
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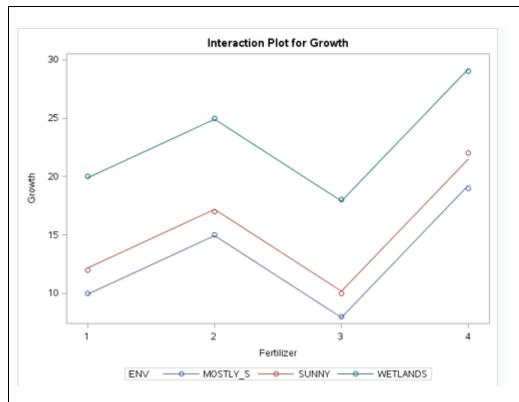
2. Now assume that you get to thinking about it and realize that we may really be looking at three different environments here: Sunny, Wetlands and Mostly Shady. This data has been recorded in the *growth4* data set. Conduct a similar analysis as in 1 but now account for the environment variable (ENV).

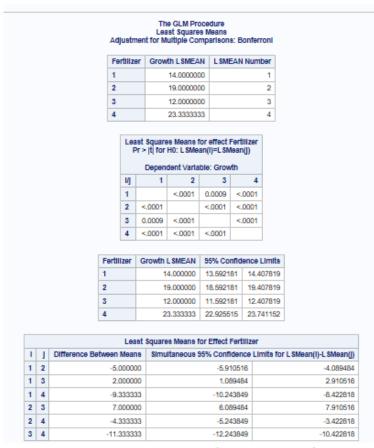


Deliverables: 1. ANOVA table. 2. Means Plot (Interaction Plot from SAS) 2. Conclusion for the ANOVA (only step 6 is required.) 3. The researchers were specifically interested in (a) Inference on the main effect of the fertilizer. (b) If Fertilizer 4 performed significantly better in one environment than another. (c) Which fertilizer will perform best in the wetlands. Answer each QOI (question of interest) with a confidence interval and a 1 sentence conclusion. Your answer should fit in the space below (on this page.) 4. SAS Code: Proc glm or proc mixed statement. Answer should fit in the given box.



There is strong evidence from the ANOVA that at least one fertilizer and/or at at least one environment group has a deferent mean growth score than the others (pvalue < .0001).





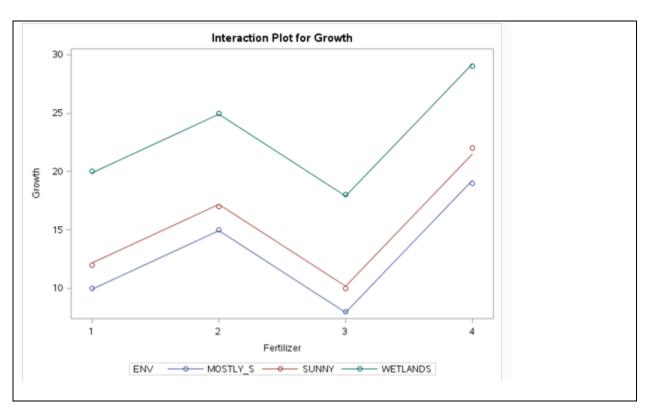
proc glm data= growth4 plots = (ResidualPanel); class fertilizer env; model growth = fertilizer env; lsmeans fertilizer env / CL adjust = bon; run; 3a. There is strong evidence that, after accounting for the environments, there is a significant difference in mean growth between at least 1 pair of fertilizers from the Type 3 tests. The table above indicates that each fertilizer has a mean growth that is significantly different that the others. For instance, the mean growth with Fertilizer 1 is estimated to be between 5.9mm and 4.1mm less than the mean growth with fertilizer 2, also Fertilizer 3 is estimated to be between 12.2 and 10.4mm less than the mean growth with fertilizer 4(after a Bonferroni adjustment).

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proc glm data= growth4 plots = (ResidualPanel);
class fertilizer env;
model growth = fertilizer | env;
lsmeans fertilizer env / CL adjust = bon;
run;
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3b. If we model each Fertilizer / Environment combination separately (the non-addititve model), while fertilizer 4 performed best in the Wetlands, we only had one observation at this fertilizer / environment combination and thus we do not have an estimate of the standard deviation in which to run a test. For the same reason, we cannot construct a confidence interval for the difference between the mean growth with fertilizer 4 in the different environments.

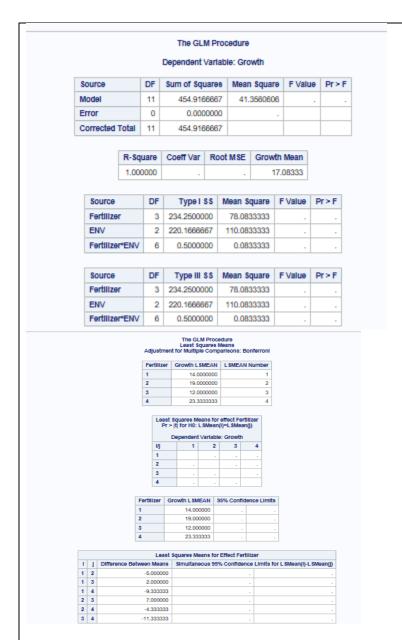
3c. Again, while fertilizer 4 performed best in the Wetlands, we only had one observation at each fertilizer / environment combination and thus we do not have an estimate of the standard deviation in which to run a test. For the same reason, we cannot construct a confidence interval for the difference between the mean growth with the different fertilizers in the Wetlands.

3. Consider the model you used in problem 2. Inspect the Means Plot (Interaction Plot). Does it look like there will be a significant interaction? Explain by interpreting what an interaction is and then comparing that to what you see in the plot.



An interaction in this case would be one in which the effect of the fertilizer depended on the environment that the fertilizer was used in. Since all the lines in the interaction plot above are close to parallel, there is not a lot of evidence of an interaction effect.

4. Fit the full model that includes the interaction term? What do you notice? Why? Discuss.



With a degrees of freedom of '0' so we do not have an estimate of the MSE and can't perform any tests or construct any confidence intervals. This underlines the importance of repeat observations at different treatments (fertilizer/environment combinations).

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proc glm data= growth4 plots = (ResidualPanel);
class fertilizer env;
model growth = fertilizer | env;
Ismeans fertilizer env / CL adjust = bon;
run;
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Extra credit: Repeat number 2. With a regression model instead of a 2 way ANOVA. Show that the results are the same.

Deliverables: 1. Parameter Estimate Table, 2. Written conclusion showing that the estimates from the regression analysis is equivalent to the ANOVA analysis. 3. SAS proc glm or proc mixed code.

## **PART II**

## Exercise 13.15:

Blood–Brain Barrier. Analyze the effect of the design variables—sacrifice time and treatment—on the log of the ratio of brain count to liver count in the data set described in Section 11.1.2 (file: case1102). (a) Ignore the covariates and use an analysis of variance procedure to fit the data. Fit a model that includes interaction terms; plot the residuals versus the fitted values. (b) Test whether there is an interactive effect of treatment and sacrifice time. What are the F-statistic, the degrees of freedom, and the p-value? (c) If there are no interactive effects, test whether there are main effects of treatment and sacrifice time. (d) Complete the analysis by describing the effects of treatment and sacrifice time, either by estimating the appropriate contrasts or by using a regression procedure with indicator variables to model treatment (one indicator) and sacrifice time (three indicators).

PatNum	Brain	Liver	Time	Treatment		
1	41081	1456164	0.5	BD		
2	44286	1602171	0.5	BD		
3	102926	1601936	0.5	BD		
4	25927	1776411	0.5	BD		
1	31342	1790863	0.5	NS		
2	22815	1633386	0.5	NS		
3	16629	1618757	0.5	NS		
4	22315	1567602	0.5	NS		
5	77961	1060057	3	BD		
6	73178	715581	3	BD		
7	76167	620145	3	BD		
8	123730	1068423	3	BD		
9	25569	721436	3	NS		
10	33803	1019352	3	NS		
11	24512	667785	3	NS		
12	50545	961097	3	NS		
1	84616	48815	24	BD		
2	55153	16885	24	BD		
3	48829	22395	24	BD		
4	89454	83504	24	BD		
5	37928	20323	24	NS		
6	12816	15985	24	NS		
7	23734	25895	24	NS		
8	31097	33224	24	NS		
9	35395	4142	72	BD		
10	18270	2364	72	BD		

11	5625	1979	72	BD	
12	7497	1659	72	BD	
13	6250	928	72	NS	
14	11519	2423	72	NS	
15	3184	1608	72	NS	
16	1334	3242	72	NS	

PatNum	Brain	Liver	Time	Treatment	depVar	N	32		ybar					
1	41081	1456164	0.5	BD	-3.568	n	4	Time\trt	BD	NS				
2	44286	1602171	0.5	BD	-3.5884	#levels Time	4	0.5	-3.5321	-4.2867				
3	102926	1601936	0.5	BD	-2.745	#levels Trt	2	3	-2.2857	-3.2491				
4	25927	1776411	0.5	BD	-4.2271			24	0.64553	0.0624				
5	31342	1790863	0.5	NS	-4.0455	ybar All	-1.2681	72	1.6858	0.81535				
6	22815	1633386	0.5	NS	-4.271									
7	16629	1618757	0.5	NS	-4.5783	Time	ybar		sigma2					
8	22315	1567602	0.5	NS	-4.252	0.5	-3.9094	Time\trt	BD	NS				
9	77961	1060057	3	BD	-2.6099	3	-2.7674	0.5						
10	73178	715581	3	BD	-2.2802	24	0.35396	3						
11	76167	620145	3	BD	-2.097	72	1.25058	24						
12	123730	1068423	3	BD	-2.1558			72						
13	25569	721436	3	NS	-3.3399	trt	ybar							
14	33803	1019352	3	NS	-3.4064	BD	-0.8716							
15	24512	667785	3	NS	-3.3048	NS	-1.6645							
16	50545	961097	3	NS	-2.9452			Source of Variation ss		SS	df	MS	F	Pr(F)
17	84616	48815	24	BD	0.5501			Between Groups 1		150.784	7	21.541	64.073	0.0001
18	55153	16885	24	BD	1.1837			Time 14		145.594	3	48.531	144.36	0.0001
19	48829	22395	24	BD	0.7795			Trt		5.029	1	5.029	14.96	0.0007
20	89454	83504	24	BD	0.0688			Interaction		0.161	3	0.0536	0.16	0.9224
21	37928	20323	24	NS	0.6239			Error		8.068	24	0.0336		
22	12816	15985	24	NS	-0.221			Total		158.852				
23	23734	25895	24	NS	-0.0871									
24	31097	33224	24	NS	-0.0662									
25	35395	4142	72	BD	2.1454									
26	18270	2364	72	BD	2.0449									
27	5625	1979	72	BD	1.0446									
28	7497	1659	72	BD	1.5083									
29	6250	928	72	NS	1.9073									
30	11519	2423	72	NS	1.559									
31	3184	1608	72	NS	0.6831									
32	1334	3242	72	NS	-0.888									