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Assignment 1
Intermediate Statistics - 90-777

1.)

a.)

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hw1 X
1 set type double
2 set more off
3 clear all
4
5 cd "C:\Users\Lara\Documents\Stats\Assignment 1"
6
7 import excel "C:\Users\Lara\Documents\Stats\Assignment 1\Water_Conservation_Data.xlsx"
8 , sheet("Sheet1") firstrow clear
9
10 summarize WATER_2006 SUMMER_07, detail
11
12 total TREAT1 TREAT2 TREAT3
13
14 count if GROUP==4
15
16 graph box SUMMER_07, over(GROUP)
17
18 sort GROUP
19 by GROUP: summarize SUMMER_07, detail
20
21 by GROUP: summarize WATER_2006, detail
22
23 graph twoway scatter SUMMER_07 WATER_2006, ytitle("Summer 2007 Usage ('000s)") xtitle(
24 "2006 Usage ('000s)") title("Water Usage from 2006 to 2007")
25
26 mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==4
27 mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==1
28 mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==2
29 mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==3
30
31 display binomial(135, 133, 0.9931)
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. summarize WATER_2006 SUMMER_07, detail
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| WATER_2006 | | | | | |
|------------|-------------|----------|-------------|--|----------|
| | Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 23 | 20 | | | |
| 5% | 25 | 20 | | | |
| 10% | 27 | 20 | Obs | | 106,669 |
| 25% | 33 | 20 | Sum of Wgt. | | 106,669 |
| 50% | 46 | | Mean | | 58.31386 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | | 41.13629 |
| 75% | 69 | 1000 | | | |
| 90% | 104 | 1000 | Variance | | 1692.194 |
| 95% | 133 | 1048 | Skewness | | 5.402207 |
| 99% | 211 | 2441 | Kurtosis | | 139.449 |
| SUMMER_07 | | | | | |
| | Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 3 | 0 | | | |
| 5% | 11 | 0 | | | |
| 10% | 14 | 0 | Obs | | 106,669 |
| 25% | 20 | 0 | Sum of Wgt. | | 106,669 |
| 50% | 28 | | Mean | | 36.16832 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | | 28.96305 |
| 75% | 43 | 656 | | | |
| 90% | 68 | 1000 | Variance | | 838.8581 |
| 95% | 88 | 1211 | Skewness | | 5.811943 |
| 99% | 142 | 1632 | Kurtosis | | 150.9183 |

b.)

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.
. total TREAT1 TREAT2 TREAT3

Total estimation              Number of obs   =   106,669


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| | Total | Std. Err. | [95% Conf. Interval] | |
|--------|-------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| TREAT1 | 11675 | 101.967 | 11475.15 | 11874.85 |
| TREAT2 | 11675 | 101.967 | 11475.15 | 11874.85 |
| TREAT3 | 11676 | 101.9708 | 11476.14 | 11875.86 |

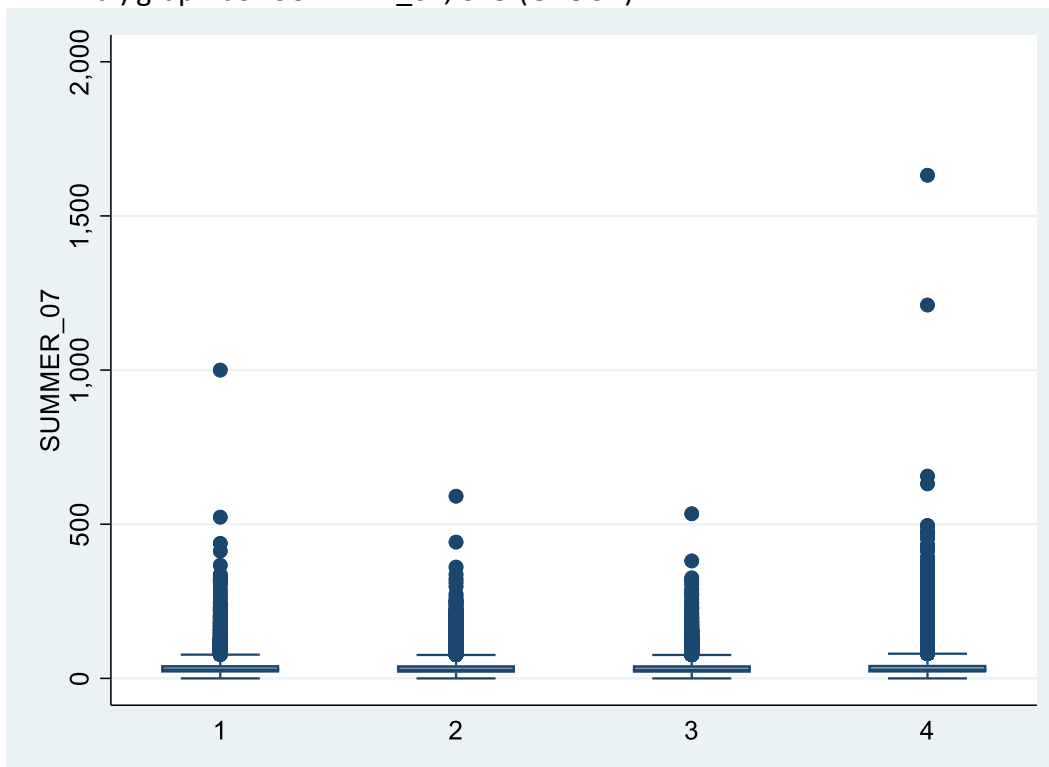
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.
. count if GROUP==4
71,643

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c.)

d.) graph box SUMMER_07, over(GROUP)



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. by GROUP: summarize SUMMER_07, detail
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```
-> GROUP = 1
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| SUMMER_07 | | | | |
|-------------|----------|---------|-------------|----------|
| Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 3 | 0 | | |
| 5% | 11 | 0 | | |
| 10% | 14 | 0 | Obs | 11,675 |
| 25% | 20 | 0 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,675 |
| 50% | 28 | | Mean | 36.35281 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | 30.4252 |
| 75% | 43 | 413 | | |
| 90% | 69 | 438 | Variance | 925.693 |
| 95% | 88 | 523 | Skewness | 5.991404 |
| 99% | 147 | 1000 | Kurtosis | 112.3092 |

```
-> GROUP = 2
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| SUMMER_07 | | | | |
|-------------|----------|---------|-------------|----------|
| Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 3 | 0 | | |
| 5% | 11 | 0 | | |
| 10% | 14 | 0 | Obs | 11,675 |
| 25% | 19 | 0 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,675 |
| 50% | 27 | | Mean | 35.42741 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | 28.13309 |
| 75% | 42 | 337 | | |
| 90% | 66 | 361 | Variance | 791.4707 |
| 95% | 85 | 442 | Skewness | 3.702768 |
| 99% | 145 | 591 | Kurtosis | 33.43722 |

```
-> GROUP = 3
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| SUMMER_07 | | | | |
|-------------|----------|---------|-------------|----------|
| Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 4 | 0 | | |
| 5% | 11 | 0 | | |
| 10% | 14 | 0 | Obs | 11,676 |
| 25% | 19 | 0 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,676 |
| 50% | 27 | | Mean | 34.858 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | 26.33525 |
| 75% | 42 | 322 | | |
| 90% | 65 | 326 | Variance | 693.5454 |
| 95% | 84 | 381 | Skewness | 3.506011 |
| 99% | 132 | 534 | Kurtosis | 30.59214 |

```
-> GROUP = 4
```

| SUMMER_07 | | | | |
|-------------|----------|---------|-------------|----------|
| Percentiles | Smallest | | | |
| 1% | 3 | 0 | | |
| 5% | 11 | 0 | | |
| 10% | 15 | 0 | Obs | 71,643 |
| 25% | 20 | 0 | Sum of Wgt. | 71,643 |
| 50% | 28 | | Mean | 36.47254 |
| | | Largest | Std. Dev. | 29.25198 |
| 75% | 44 | 631 | | |
| 90% | 68 | 656 | Variance | 855.6785 |
| 95% | 89 | 1211 | Skewness | 6.342103 |
| 99% | 142 | 1632 | Kurtosis | 186.4384 |

All of the treatment groups are positively(right) skewed because the means are greater than the medians.

e.)

-> GROUP = 1

WATER_2006

| Percentiles | | Smallest | | |
|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|----------|
| 1% | 23 | 20 | | |
| 5% | 25 | 20 | | |
| 10% | 27 | 20 | Obs | 11,675 |
| 25% | 33 | 20 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,675 |
| 50% | 46 | Largest | Mean | 58.42647 |
| | | | Std. Dev. | 39.95928 |
| 75% | 69 | 475 | Variance | 1596.744 |
| 90% | 104 | 574 | Skewness | 3.30767 |
| 95% | 131 | 580 | Kurtosis | 24.37675 |
| 99% | 215 | 676 | | |

-> GROUP = 2

WATER_2006

| Percentiles | | Smallest | | |
|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|----------|
| 1% | 23 | 20 | | |
| 5% | 25 | 20 | | |
| 10% | 27 | 20 | Obs | 11,675 |
| 25% | 33 | 20 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,675 |
| 50% | 45 | Largest | Mean | 58.17559 |
| | | | Std. Dev. | 41.24874 |
| 75% | 68 | 462 | Variance | 1701.459 |
| 90% | 103 | 550 | Skewness | 3.723298 |
| 95% | 134 | 714 | Kurtosis | 31.86967 |
| 99% | 214 | 801 | | |

-> GROUP = 3

WATER_2006

| Percentiles | | Smallest | | |
|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|----------|
| 1% | 23 | 20 | | |
| 5% | 25 | 20 | | |
| 10% | 27 | 20 | Obs | 11,676 |
| 25% | 34 | 20 | Sum of Wgt. | 11,676 |
| 50% | 46 | Largest | Mean | 58.43559 |
| 75% | 69 | | Std. Dev. | 40.66821 |
| 90% | 104 | | Variance | 1653.903 |
| 95% | 132 | 746 | Skewness | 4.176852 |
| 99% | 210 | 1000 | Kurtosis | 48.74561 |

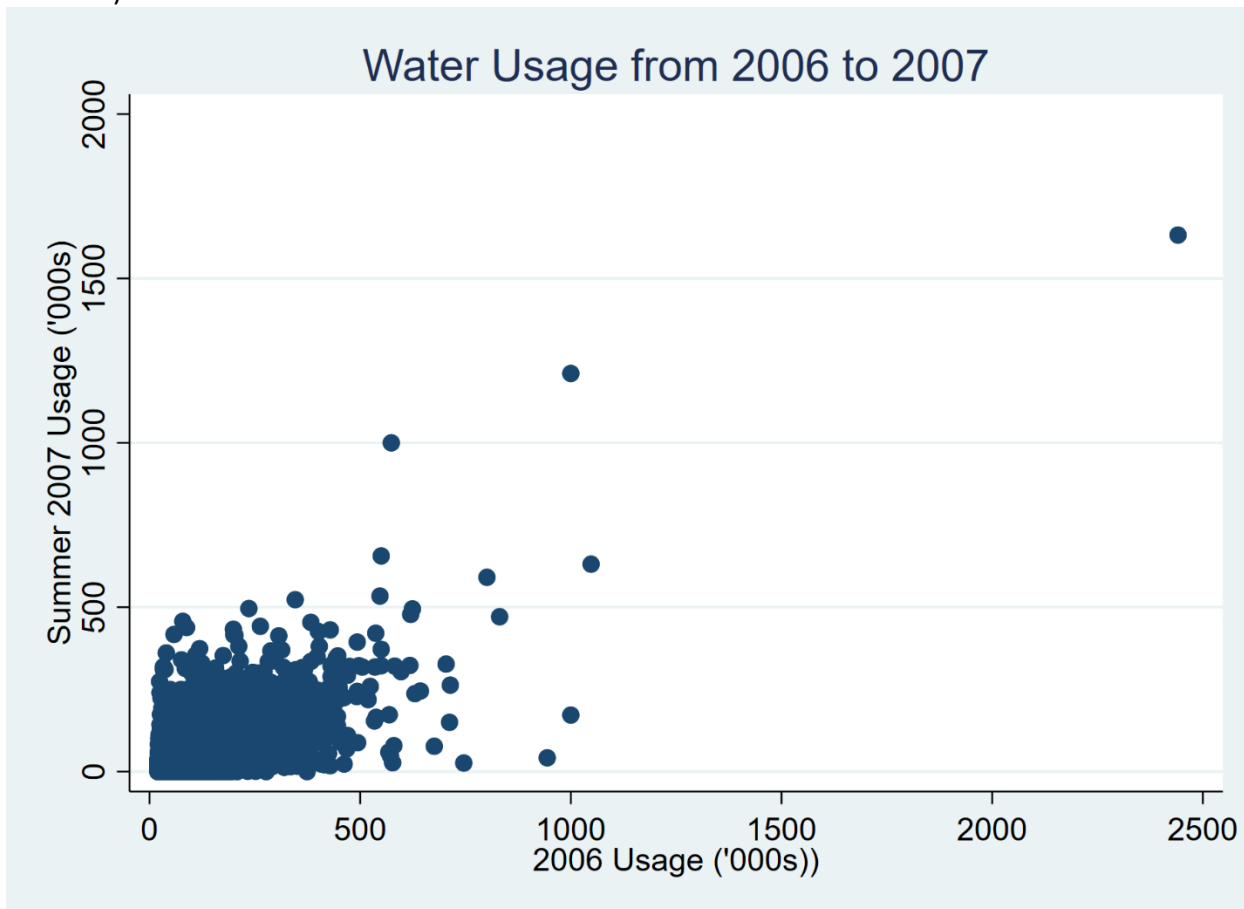
-> GROUP = 4

WATER_2006

| Percentiles | | Smallest | | |
|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|----------|
| 1% | 23 | 20 | | |
| 5% | 25 | 20 | | |
| 10% | 27 | 20 | Obs | 71,643 |
| 25% | 33 | 20 | Sum of Wgt. | 71,643 |
| 50% | 46 | Largest | Mean | 58.2982 |
| 75% | 69 | | Std. Dev. | 41.38286 |
| 90% | 104 | | Variance | 1712.541 |
| 95% | 133 | 1048 | Skewness | 6.16856 |
| 99% | 211 | 2441 | Kurtosis | 186.7398 |

The mean of the Control group is 58.3, while the mean of treatment groups 1, 2 and 3 are 58.43, 58.18, and 58.44 respectively. The differences between groups are very close. The median of the Control group is 46, while the medians of groups 1, 2, and 3 are 46, 45 and 46. There are almost no differences here. This means that randomization was successful in balancing the mean and median water consumption between the treatment groups in 2006.

f.)



There appears to be a slightly positive relationship between the water usage in 2006 vs 2007. This may be supportive of the idea that the treatments have an affect on usage. I would expect usage from one year to be predictive of the next year's usage, which would create a strong positive correlation. However the lack of strength in the correlation may have been disturbed by the treatments. This can only be teased out if the correlation is examined between groups.

g.) If high water using household were assigned to the control group, it would dampen the possible positive outcomes on the treatments, because household that are already more conservative in their water usage would be the ones receiving the treatment, leaving less room for water usage reduction.

h.)

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. mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==4
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Mean estimation Number of obs = 71,643

| | Mean | Std. Err. | [95% Conf. Interval] | |
|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| SUMMER_07 | 36.47254 | .109287 | 36.25834 | 36.68674 |

```
. mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==1
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Mean estimation Number of obs = 11,675

| | Mean | Std. Err. | [95% Conf. Interval] | |
|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| SUMMER_07 | 36.35281 | .2815821 | 35.80086 | 36.90475 |

```
. mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==2
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Mean estimation Number of obs = 11,675

| | Mean | Std. Err. | [95% Conf. Interval] | |
|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| SUMMER_07 | 35.42741 | .2603688 | 34.91704 | 35.93778 |

```
. mean(SUMMER_07) if GROUP==3
```

Mean estimation Number of obs = 11,676

| | Mean | Std. Err. | [95% Conf. Interval] | |
|-----------|--------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| SUMMER_07 | 34.858 | .2437196 | 34.38027 | 35.33573 |

Treatment 1 difference= (control) $36.47 - 36.35 = 0.12$ >> about 120 gallons less

Treatment 2 difference = (control) $36.47 - 35.43 = 1.04$ >> about 1040 gallons less

Treatment 3 difference = (control) $36.47 - 34.86 = 1.61$ >> about 1610 gallons less

Treatment 1 % difference = $(0.12/36.47)*100 = 0.329\%$

Treatment 2 % difference = $(1.04/36.47)*100 = 2.852\%$

Treatment 3 % difference = $(1.61/36.47)*100 = 4.415\%$

Treatment 3 appears to have the strongest effect, though Treatment 2 also appears to have some effect. The statistical significance of these differences would have to be calculated to determine if these differences are not simply due to chance.

2.)

a.) $p^x \cdot q^{(n-x)}$
= $(144/145)^{135}$
= 0.393
or 39.3%

b.) Yes, I believe the independence assumption is reasonable in this circumstance. Each launch of the shuttle requires a set of rigorous checks and tests to assure that the equipment is prepared for the extreme conditions of the launches. These tests should allow for the technicians to correct for any errors or flaws, so that the equipment is at the same standards of condition at the beginning of each launch, making the chances of each launch success independent of the previous launches.

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end of do-file  
  
. do "C:\Users\Lara\AppData\Local\Temp\STDd68_000000.tmp"  
  
. display binomial(135, 133, 0.9931)  
.23897302  
  
. end of do-file
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c.)