## **Experimental Unit**

The **smallest** unit of experimental material to which a **single treatment** (or treatment combination) is assigned by the experimenter and which is dealt with **independently** of other such systems **under that treatment** at **all stages in the experiment** at which important variation may enter.

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Person Posture Pulse
s1 Sitting 69
s2 Standing 92
s3 Standing 80
s4 Standing 76
s5 Sitting 68
s6 Sitting 82
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'``{r echo = F}
pulse_data <- read.csv('Pulse experiment response.csv')
str(pulse_data)

'data.frame': 77 obs. of 3 variables:
    $ Person : Factor w/ 77 levels "s1","s10","s11",..: 1 12 23 34 45 56 67 76 77 2
    $ Posture: Factor w/ 2 levels "Sitting","Standing": 1 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 1 ...
$ Pulse : int 69 92 80 76 68 82 70 84 94 72 ...</pre>
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