HW6

Erik Andersen

2023-12-01

```
here::i_am("HW6/HW6.Rmd")
## here() starts at /Users/erikandersen/Documents/Classes/ECON 587
# Load packages
pacman::p_load(tidyverse, magrittr, estimatr, broom, ri2)
# Load data
vote_df = haven::read_dta(here::here("HW6", "data", "GriffithNoonen2022_Econ587.dta"))
# Clean names
vote_df = janitor::clean_names(vote_df)
# Add variables of interest for Did.
# Post = after 2017 which is the year of interest
# Seattle = in seattle
# Treat = interaction of post and seattle
# city cycle = interaction of city and cycle
vote_df = vote_df |>
  mutate(post = if_else(election_year>= 2017, 1, 0),
                    seattle = if_else(city == 'Seattle', 1, 0),
                    treatment = post * seattle,
                    city = as.factor(city),
                    cycle = as.factor(cycle),
                    city_cycle = city:cycle) |>
  select(post, seattle, treatment, everything())
```

Question 1

```
se_type = 'stata')
# Extract standard error again
tidy(did_reg_hc) |> select(term, std.error, p.value) |> filter(term == 'treatment') # 0.987
         term std.error p.value
## 1 treatment
                  0.985 0.003913
rm(did_reg_hc)
# Construct residuals for both regressions. The lm_robust function doesn't calculat these automatically
vote_df = vote_df |> mutate(resids = candidates_ballot - did_reg_classical$fitted.values)
# Naive test for heteroskedasticity
# resids^2 ~ treatment
reg_hetero = lm_robust(I(resids^2) ~ treatment,
                      vote_df,
                      se_type = 'classical')
tidy(reg_hetero)
b)
           term estimate std.error statistic p.value conf.low conf.high df
                            0.8667
                                      6.9117 1.096e-11
                                                          4.289
                                                                    7.692 686
## 1 (Intercept)
                   5.991
## 2 treatment
                   1.627
                            7.5780
                                      0.2147 8.300e-01 -13.252
                                                                   16.506 686
##
        outcome
## 1 I(resids^2)
## 2 I(resids^2)
rm(reg_hetero)
rm(did_reg_classical)
# Cluster by city_cycle
reg_city_cycle = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ post + seattle + treatment + at_large * special,
                   vote df,
                   clusters = city_cycle,
                   se_type = 'CR2') # CR2 is stata standard errors
tidy(reg city cycle)
c)
##
                term estimate std.error statistic p.value conf.low conf.high
## 1
         (Intercept)
                       3.4816
                                0.1671
                                           20.839 5.447e-37 3.14991
                                                                        3.8134
## 2
                post 0.4161 0.2447
                                            1.701 9.717e-02 -0.07919
                                                                        0.9113
                                            3.928 3.706e-03 0.54871
## 3
             seattle
                      1.3031
                               0.3317
                                                                        2.0576
           treatment 2.8517 0.5370
## 4
                                           5.311 4.185e-02 0.28117
                                                                        5.4222
            at_large -1.2364 0.1856
## 5
                                           -6.663 1.354e-07 -1.61390
                                                                       -0.8590
                                 0.6512
                                           3.602 1.024e-03 1.02072
                                                                       3.6704
## 6
             special
                       2.3456
## 7 at_large:special -2.4827
                                 0.8282
                                           -2.998 1.198e-02 -4.30288
                                                                       -0.6624
##
        df
                     outcome
## 1 93.911 candidates ballot
## 2 38.066 candidates_ballot
```

```
## 3 8.698 candidates ballot
## 4 1.803 candidates_ballot
## 5 33.173 candidates ballot
## 6 33.041 candidates_ballot
## 7 11.135 candidates_ballot
rm(reg_city_cycle)
# Cluster by only city
reg_city = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ post + seattle + treatment + at_large * special,
                   vote_df,
                   clusters = city,
                   se_type = 'CR2') # CR2 is stata standard errors
tidy(reg_city)
d)
##
                term estimate std.error statistic p.value conf.low conf.high
## 1
          (Intercept)
                       3.4816
                                 0.3273 10.636 4.705e-07
                                                             2.7595
                                                                       4.2038
## 2
                post 0.4161 0.2914
                                           1.428 1.787e-01 -0.2185
                                                                       1.0507
## 3
             seattle 1.3031 0.1786
                                           7.296 1.341e-02
                                                           0.6065
                                                                       1.9998
## 4
           treatment 2.8517
                              0.2368
                                           12.043 3.353e-07
                                                             2.3228
                                                                       3.3806
                                         -3.885 3.551e-02 -2.3060
## 5
            at_large -1.2364
                                0.3183
                                                                       -0.1669
## 6
             special
                       2.3456
                               1.0675
                                           2.197 7.167e-02 -0.2850
                                                                       4.9761
## 7 at_large:special -2.4827
                                1.1434
                                           -2.171 1.504e-01 -6.9967
                                                                       2.0314
##
        df
                     outcome
## 1 10.790 candidates_ballot
## 2 12.046 candidates_ballot
## 3 2.233 candidates_ballot
## 4 9.820 candidates_ballot
## 5 2.740 candidates_ballot
## 6 5.830 candidates_ballot
## 7 2.201 candidates_ballot
rm(reg_city)
# Cluster by only cycle
reg cycle = lm robust(candidates ballot ~ post + seattle + treatment + at large * special,
                   vote_df,
                   clusters = cycle,
                   se_type = 'CR2') # CR2 is stata standard errors
tidy(reg_cycle)
##
                term estimate std.error statistic
                                                    p.value conf.low conf.high
## 1
                       3.4816
                                0.09349
                                           37.240 9.346e-10
                                                              3.2633
                                                                       3.6999
          (Intercept)
## 2
                       0.4161
                                0.09950
                                            4.182 8.091e-02 -0.1607
                                                                       0.9929
                post
## 3
             seattle 1.3031
                                0.28976
                                            4.497 4.121e-03
                                                            0.5940
                                                                       2.0123
## 4
           treatment
                      2.8517
                                0.42981
                                            6.635 3.931e-02
                                                             0.4170
                                                                       5.2864
## 5
            at_large -1.2364
                                0.09288
                                         -13.313 7.435e-07 -1.4496
                                                                      -1.0233
                       2.3456
                                0.91581
                                          2.561 3.435e-02 0.2233
                                                                       4.4678
             special
                                1.24859
                                         -1.988 9.765e-02 -5.5965
                                                                       0.6312
## 7 at_large:special -2.4827
##
        df
                    outcome
## 1 7.469 candidates_ballot
## 2 1.541 candidates_ballot
## 3 5.997 candidates_ballot
```

```
## 4 1.568 candidates ballot
## 5 8.231 candidates_ballot
## 6 7.780 candidates ballot
## 7 5.566 candidates_ballot
rm(reg_cycle)
# Redo the earlier parts with the following new specification
# candidates_ballot = cycle_fixed_effct + city_fixed_effect + treatment
# First redo part a
# Classical errors
reg_two_way_classic = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
                                vote_df,
                                se_type = "classical")
tidy(reg two way classic)
e)
##
                                                       p.value conf.low conf.high
                   term estimate std.error statistic
## 1
            (Intercept) 2.99313
                                    0.7685
                                             3.89496 1.082e-04 1.48420
                                                                            4.5021
## 2
              cycle2003 -0.10968
                                    0.4056 -0.27042 7.869e-01 -0.90613
                                                                            0.6868
## 3
              cycle2005 -0.38077
                                            -0.94347 3.458e-01 -1.17322
                                                                            0.4117
                                    0.4036
## 4
              cycle2007 -0.55282
                                    0.4088 -1.35222 1.768e-01 -1.35557
                                                                           0.2499
## 5
              cycle2009 0.09001
                                    0.4125
                                             0.21823 8.273e-01 -0.71990
                                                                           0.8999
## 6
              cycle2011 -0.30115
                                    0.4073 -0.73934 4.600e-01 -1.10097
                                                                           0.4987
## 7
              cycle2013 -0.26897
                                    0.4105
                                            -0.65516 5.126e-01 -1.07510
                                                                           0.5372
## 8
                                    0.3993 -0.77164 4.406e-01 -1.09211
              cycle2015 -0.30810
                                                                           0.4759
## 9
              cycle2017 0.28212
                                    0.4202
                                             0.67142 5.022e-01 -0.54295
                                                                           1.1072
## 10
              cycle2019 0.09605
                                    0.4092
                                             0.23474 8.145e-01 -0.70742
                                                                           0.8995
## 11
            cityEverett -0.01794
                                    0.5452
                                            -0.03290 9.738e-01 -1.08842
                                                                            1.0525
## 12
             cityFresno 0.15972
                                    0.8165
                                             0.19562 8.450e-01 -1.44344
                                                                            1.7629
## 13
               cityKent -0.55572
                                    0.8187
                                            -0.67883 4.975e-01 -2.16320
                                                                           1.0518
## 14
         cityLong Beach 0.55547
                                    0.8027
                                             0.69200 4.892e-01 -1.02069
                                                                            2.1316
## 15
        cityLos Angeles 0.90663
                                    0.7645
                                             1.18596 2.361e-01 -0.59445
                                                                           2.4077
                                             1.12083 2.628e-01 -0.63606
## 16
            cityOakland 0.84596
                                    0.7548
                                                                           2.3280
## 17
         citySacramento -0.19787
                                    0.8034
                                            -0.24631 8.055e-01 -1.77532
                                                                            1.3796
## 18
          citySan Diego 1.61675
                                    0.7952
                                             2.03318 4.243e-02 0.05536
                                                                            3.1781
## 19 citySan Francisco 2.51049
                                    0.7802
                                             3.21763 1.356e-03 0.97846
                                                                           4.0425
## 20
           citySan Jose 0.77741
                                    0.7849
                                             0.99050 3.223e-01 -0.76372
                                                                            2.3185
## 21
                                             2.83658 4.700e-03 0.48077
                                                                           2.6435
            citySeattle
                        1.56212
                                    0.5507
## 22
            citySpokane 0.94533
                                    0.7616
                                             1.24127 2.149e-01 -0.55009
                                                                            2.4408
## 23
             cityTacoma 0.02720
                                    0.8097
                                             0.03359 9.732e-01 -1.56277
                                                                           1.6172
## 24
          cityVancouver -0.15675
                                    0.8290
                                            -0.18909 8.501e-01 -1.78451
                                                                           1.4710
                                             3.29190 1.048e-03 1.30427
## 25
              treatment 3.23227
                                    0.9819
                                                                           5.1603
## 26
               at_large -0.66214
                                    0.6007
                                            -1.10221 2.708e-01 -1.84172
                                                                           0.5174
## 27
                special 2.09710
                                    0.3986
                                             5.26179 1.931e-07 1.31451
                                                                            2.8797
## 28
      at_large:special -2.13876
                                    0.9733 -2.19747 2.833e-02 -4.04987
                                                                           -0.2277
##
       df
                    outcome
## 1
     660 candidates_ballot
## 2
     660 candidates ballot
## 3
     660 candidates_ballot
## 4
     660 candidates ballot
## 5 660 candidates_ballot
```

```
## 7
      660 candidates_ballot
      660 candidates ballot
      660 candidates_ballot
## 10 660 candidates ballot
## 11 660 candidates ballot
## 12 660 candidates ballot
## 13 660 candidates ballot
## 14 660 candidates ballot
## 15 660 candidates_ballot
## 16 660 candidates_ballot
## 17 660 candidates_ballot
## 18 660 candidates_ballot
## 19 660 candidates_ballot
## 20 660 candidates_ballot
## 21 660 candidates_ballot
## 22 660 candidates_ballot
## 23 660 candidates ballot
## 24 660 candidates_ballot
## 25 660 candidates ballot
## 26 660 candidates_ballot
## 27 660 candidates ballot
## 28 660 candidates_ballot
rm(reg_two_way_classic)
# Het robust errors
reg two way hc = lm robust(candidates ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at large * special,
                                 vote_df,
                                 se_type = "stata")
tidy(reg_two_way_hc)
##
                   term estimate std.error statistic
                                                         p.value conf.low conf.high
                                              5.52402 4.770e-08 1.92919
## 1
            (Intercept)
                         2.99313
                                     0.5418
                                                                             4.0571
## 2
              cycle2003 -0.10968
                                     0.4249
                                             -0.25812 7.964e-01 -0.94408
                                                                             0.7247
## 3
              cycle2005 -0.38077
                                     0.3953
                                             -0.96332 3.357e-01 -1.15689
                                                                             0.3954
## 4
              cycle2007 -0.55282
                                     0.3551
                                             -1.55666 1.200e-01 -1.25014
                                                                             0.1445
## 5
              cycle2009 0.09001
                                     0.4518
                                              0.19924 8.421e-01 -0.79708
                                                                             0.9771
## 6
              cycle2011 -0.30115
                                     0.3656
                                             -0.82362 4.105e-01 -1.01912
                                                                             0.4168
## 7
                                     0.3794
                                             -0.70897 4.786e-01 -1.01391
                                                                             0.4760
              cvcle2013 -0.26897
## 8
              cycle2015 -0.30810
                                     0.3820
                                             -0.80657 4.202e-01 -1.05816
                                                                             0.4420
## 9
              cycle2017 0.28212
                                     0.4427
                                              0.63722 5.242e-01 -0.58723
                                                                             1.1515
## 10
              cycle2019 0.09605
                                     0.3746
                                              0.25639 7.977e-01 -0.63957
                                                                             0.8317
## 11
            cityEverett -0.01794
                                     0.1949
                                             -0.09200 9.267e-01 -0.40073
                                                                             0.3649
## 12
             cityFresno 0.15972
                                     0.5906
                                              0.27045 7.869e-01 -0.99989
                                                                             1.3193
## 13
               cityKent -0.55572
                                     0.5071
                                             -1.09586 2.735e-01 -1.55148
                                                                             0.4400
## 14
         cityLong Beach 0.55547
                                     0.5529
                                              1.00473 3.154e-01 -0.53009
                                                                             1.6410
## 15
        cityLos Angeles
                         0.90663
                                     0.6072
                                              1.49312 1.359e-01 -0.28566
                                                                             2.0989
                                                                             1.8495
## 16
                                              1.65524 9.835e-02 -0.15758
            cityOakland
                         0.84596
                                     0.5111
## 17
         citySacramento -0.19787
                                     0.5360
                                             -0.36919 7.121e-01 -1.25027
                                                                             0.8545
## 18
          citySan Diego
                                              2.70508 7.005e-03 0.44318
                                                                             2.7903
                        1.61675
                                     0.5977
## 19
      citySan Francisco
                         2.51049
                                     0.7289
                                              3.44426 6.089e-04 1.07927
                                                                             3.9417
                         0.77741
                                              1.35007 1.775e-01 -0.35327
## 20
                                     0.5758
           citySan Jose
                                                                             1.9081
## 21
                                     0.2923
            citySeattle
                         1.56212
                                              5.34403 1.253e-07
                                                                  0.98815
                                                                             2.1361
## 22
            citySpokane
                         0.94533
                                     0.4581
                                              2.06370 3.944e-02 0.04587
                                                                             1.8448
## 23
             cityTacoma
                         0.02720
                                     0.5252
                                              0.05179 9.587e-01 -1.00398
                                                                             1.0584
```

660 candidates ballot

```
## 24
          cityVancouver -0.15675
                                    0.5296 -0.29600 7.673e-01 -1.19661
                                                                            0.8831
                                              3.29835 1.025e-03 1.30804
## 25
                                    0.9800
                                                                            5.1565
              treatment 3.23227
## 26
               at large -0.66214
                                    0.4567
                                            -1.44979 1.476e-01 -1.55892
                                                                            0.2346
## 27
                special 2.09710
                                    0.6198
                                             3.38358 7.578e-04 0.88011
                                                                            3.3141
## 28
       at_large:special -2.13876
                                    0.8023
                                            -2.66572 7.870e-03 -3.71417
                                                                            -0.5634
       df
##
                    outcome
## 1
      660 candidates ballot
## 2
      660 candidates ballot
## 3
      660 candidates ballot
      660 candidates_ballot
      660 candidates_ballot
     660 candidates_ballot
## 6
## 7
      660 candidates_ballot
## 8
      660 candidates_ballot
      660 candidates_ballot
## 9
## 10 660 candidates_ballot
## 11 660 candidates_ballot
## 12 660 candidates ballot
## 13 660 candidates_ballot
## 14 660 candidates ballot
## 15 660 candidates_ballot
## 16 660 candidates ballot
## 17 660 candidates_ballot
## 18 660 candidates ballot
## 19 660 candidates ballot
## 20 660 candidates ballot
## 21 660 candidates_ballot
## 22 660 candidates_ballot
## 23 660 candidates_ballot
## 24 660 candidates_ballot
## 25 660 candidates_ballot
## 26 660 candidates_ballot
## 27 660 candidates_ballot
## 28 660 candidates_ballot
rm(reg_two_way_hc)
# Redo part c
# Clustered errors at city and cycle level
reg_two_way_city_cycle = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
                    vote df,
                    clusters = city_cycle,
                    se_type = 'CR2') # CR2 is stata standard errors
tidy(reg_two_way_city_cycle)
##
                   term estimate std.error statistic
                                                        p.value conf.low conf.high
## 1
                                              4.43651 0.0003004
                                                                  1.5784
                                                                            4.4078
            (Intercept) 2.99313
                                    0.6747
## 2
              cycle2003 -0.10968
                                    0.5780
                                            -0.18977 0.8510046
                                                                 -1.2993
                                                                             1.0800
## 3
              cycle2005 -0.38077
                                    0.4228
                                            -0.90048 0.3769442
                                                                 -1.2542
                                                                            0.4926
## 4
              cycle2007 -0.55282
                                    0.4279
                                             -1.29192 0.2083597
                                                                            0.3291
                                                                 -1.4347
                                                                 -1.0996
## 5
              cycle2009 0.09001
                                    0.5767
                                             0.15609 0.8772564
                                                                            1.2796
                                    0.4249
## 6
              cycle2011 -0.30115
                                             -0.70870 0.4851368
                                                                 -1.1768
                                                                            0.5745
## 7
              cycle2013 -0.26897
                                    0.4652
                                            -0.57820 0.5685008
                                                                -1.2289
                                                                            0.6910
## 8
              cycle2015 -0.30810
                                    0.4356
                                            -0.70725 0.4858319 -1.2044
                                                                             0.5882
```

```
## 9
              cycle2017 0.28212
                                     0.4389
                                              0.64281 0.5263061
                                                                 -0.6226
                                                                             1.1869
## 10
              cycle2019 0.09605
                                     0.4469
                                              0.21492 0.8315953
                                                                 -0.8250
                                                                             1.0171
                                             -0.06761 0.9468600
                                                                             0.5403
## 11
            cityEverett -0.01794
                                     0.2653
                                                                 -0.5761
## 12
             cityFresno 0.15972
                                     0.6828
                                              0.23392 0.8173684
                                                                 -1.2624
                                                                             1.5819
## 13
               cityKent -0.55572
                                     0.6408
                                             -0.86726 0.3959808
                                                                 -1.8915
                                                                             0.7800
## 14
         cityLong Beach 0.55547
                                     0.7010
                                              0.79236 0.4374621
                                                                 -0.9070
                                                                             2.0179
## 15
        cityLos Angeles
                         0.90663
                                     0.7201
                                              1.25896 0.2245400
                                                                 -0.6092
                                                                             2.4224
## 16
            cityOakland 0.84596
                                     0.6162
                                              1.37295 0.1878130
                                                                 -0.4552
                                                                             2.1471
## 17
         citySacramento -0.19787
                                     0.6729
                                             -0.29407 0.7717735
                                                                 -1.6026
                                                                             1.2068
## 18
                                                                             3.1144
         citySan Diego
                        1.61675
                                     0.7166
                                              2.25609 0.0357711
                                                                  0.1191
## 19
      citySan Francisco
                        2.51049
                                     0.9169
                                              2.73804 0.0133611
                                                                  0.5866
                                                                             4.4343
## 20
           citySan Jose 0.77741
                                     0.7045
                                                                 -0.6987
                                                                             2.2535
                                              1.10343 0.2838168
## 21
            citySeattle
                        1.56212
                                     0.4066
                                              3.84224 0.0013598
                                                                  0.7026
                                                                             2.4216
## 22
            citySpokane 0.94533
                                     0.5773
                                              1.63744 0.1196765
                                                                 -0.2715
                                                                             2.1622
## 23
             cityTacoma 0.02720
                                     0.6524
                                              0.04169 0.9671543
                                                                 -1.3329
                                                                             1.3873
## 24
          cityVancouver -0.15675
                                     0.6241
                                             -0.25116 0.8041179
                                                                 -1.4542
                                                                             1.1407
## 25
              treatment 3.23227
                                     0.7230
                                              4.47036 0.0419910
                                                                  0.2772
                                                                             6.1873
## 26
               at large -0.66214
                                     0.5701
                                             -1.16154 0.2790835
                                                                 -1.9779
                                                                             0.6537
## 27
                special 2.09710
                                                                  0.7953
                                                                             3.3989
                                     0.6401
                                              3.27644 0.0024636
## 28
       at large:special -2.13876
                                     0.8301
                                            -2.57654 0.0253148
                                                                 -3.9604
                                                                            -0.3171
##
          дf
                       outcome
      18.493 candidates ballot
      25.307 candidates ballot
      23.653 candidates ballot
## 4 24.665 candidates ballot
## 5 24.231 candidates ballot
     24.735 candidates_ballot
## 7
     24.079 candidates_ballot
## 8 25.483 candidates_ballot
## 9 24.537 candidates_ballot
## 10 24.662 candidates_ballot
## 11 17.619 candidates_ballot
## 12 20.473 candidates_ballot
## 13 20.207 candidates_ballot
## 14 19.969 candidates ballot
## 15 17.542 candidates_ballot
## 16 16.804 candidates ballot
## 17 19.757 candidates_ballot
## 18 19.423 candidates ballot
## 19 18.328 candidates_ballot
## 20 18.729 candidates ballot
## 21 16.570 candidates ballot
## 22 17.225 candidates ballot
## 23 20.186 candidates_ballot
## 24 21.139 candidates_ballot
## 25 2.114 candidates_ballot
## 26 7.956 candidates_ballot
## 27 33.247 candidates_ballot
## 28 11.270 candidates_ballot
# Redo part d
# Cluster by city only
reg_two_way_city = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
                    vote_df,
```

```
##
                   term estimate std.error statistic p.value conf.low conf.high
## 1
                                              3.53099 0.041997
                                                                  0.2103
            (Intercept) 2.99313
                                     0.8477
                                                                             5.7759
## 2
              cycle2003 -0.10968
                                     0.5104
                                             -0.21490 0.833232
                                                                 -1.2142
                                                                             0.9948
## 3
              cycle2005 -0.38077
                                     0.4622
                                             -0.82379 0.426155
                                                                 -1.3880
                                                                             0.6265
## 4
              cycle2007 -0.55282
                                     0.5030
                                             -1.09905 0.292491
                                                                 -1.6441
                                                                             0.5384
## 5
              cycle2009 0.09001
                                     0.6183
                                              0.14558 0.886622
                                                                 -1.2542
                                                                             1.4343
## 6
              cycle2011 -0.30115
                                     0.4421
                                             -0.68120 0.508200
                                                                 -1.2604
                                                                             0.6581
                                             -0.60591 0.555699
## 7
              cycle2013 -0.26897
                                     0.4439
                                                                 -1.2346
                                                                             0.6966
## 8
              cycle2015 -0.30810
                                     0.4445
                                             -0.69308 0.500591
                                                                 -1.2696
                                                                             0.6534
## 9
              cycle2017 0.28212
                                     0.3161
                                              0.89246 0.389235
                                                                 -0.4046
                                                                             0.9689
## 10
              cycle2019 0.09605
                                     0.4129
                                              0.23264 0.819809
                                                                 -0.7997
                                                                             0.9918
## 11
            cityEverett -0.01794
                                     0.0304
                                             -0.58993 0.625797
                                                                 -0.1793
                                                                             0.1434
## 12
             cityFresno 0.15972
                                     0.7601
                                              0.21013 0.852774
                                                                 -3.0643
                                                                             3.3837
## 13
               cityKent -0.55572
                                     0.7668
                                             -0.72471 0.543381
                                                                 -3.8280
                                                                             2.7166
## 14
         cityLong Beach 0.55547
                                     0.7743
                                              0.71736 0.544940
                                                                 -2.6481
                                                                             3.7590
## 15
        cityLos Angeles 0.90663
                                     0.7600
                                              1.19299 0.351544
                                                                 -2.2557
                                                                             4.0690
## 16
            cityOakland 0.84596
                                     0.6748
                                              1.25366 0.334843
                                                                 -2.0114
                                                                             3.7033
## 17
         citySacramento -0.19787
                                     0.7620
                                             -0.25969 0.819079
                                                                 -3.4313
                                                                             3.0355
## 18
          citySan Diego 1.61675
                                     0.7660
                                              2.11068 0.165373
                                                                 -1.5853
                                                                             4.8188
## 19
      citySan Francisco
                         2.51049
                                     0.7669
                                              3.27346 0.079399
                                                                 -0.7150
                                                                             5.7360
           citySan Jose
## 20
                         0.77741
                                     0.7613
                                              1.02122 0.412731
                                                                 -2.4361
                                                                             3.9910
## 21
            citySeattle
                         1.56212
                                     0.1568
                                              9.96305 0.001897
                                                                  1.0712
                                                                             2.0530
## 22
            citySpokane 0.94533
                                     0.6577
                                              1.43744 0.285098
                                                                 -1.8371
                                                                             3.7277
## 23
             cityTacoma 0.02720
                                     0.7623
                                              0.03568 0.974731
                                                                 -3.2003
                                                                             3.2547
## 24
          cityVancouver -0.15675
                                     0.7618
                                                                 -3.3542
                                             -0.20576 0.855584
                                                                             3.0407
## 25
              treatment 3.23227
                                     0.5093
                                              6.34631 0.003085
                                                                  1.8220
                                                                             4.6425
## 26
               at_large -0.66214
                                     0.7584
                                             -0.87309 0.474055
                                                                 -3.9008
                                                                             2.5765
## 27
                special 2.09710
                                     1.1008
                                              1.90512 0.108263
                                                                 -0.6351
                                                                             4.8293
## 28
       at_large:special -2.13876
                                     1.1735
                                             -1.82262 0.198568
                                                                 -6.7809
                                                                             2.5034
##
          df
                        outcome
## 1
       2.845 candidates ballot
## 2
     12.790 candidates_ballot
      11.979 candidates_ballot
## 3
## 4
     12.485 candidates_ballot
     12.239 candidates ballot
     12.471 candidates_ballot
## 6
      12.181 candidates ballot
## 8
     12.854 candidates_ballot
     12.327 candidates_ballot
## 10 12.486 candidates_ballot
       1.650 candidates_ballot
## 11
## 12
       2.030 candidates_ballot
       2.017 candidates_ballot
       2.086 candidates_ballot
## 14
       2.073 candidates_ballot
## 15
## 16
      2.034 candidates_ballot
       2.029 candidates ballot
## 17
## 18
      2.062 candidates ballot
       2.049 candidates_ballot
## 19
## 20 2.041 candidates_ballot
```

```
## 21 3.090 candidates ballot
## 22 2.036 candidates_ballot
## 23 2.034 candidates ballot
## 24 2.054 candidates_ballot
## 25 4.028 candidates ballot
## 26 2.016 candidates ballot
## 27 5.668 candidates ballot
## 28 2.195 candidates ballot
# Cluster by only cycle
reg_two_way_cycle = lm_robust(candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
                    vote_df,
                    clusters = cycle,
                    se_type = 'CR2') # CR2 is stata standard errors
tidy(reg_two_way_cycle)
##
                                                       p.value conf.low conf.high
                   term estimate std.error statistic
## 1
            (Intercept)
                        2.99313
                                   0.53039
                                             5.64331 2.153e-03 1.64434
                                                                           4.34192
## 2
              cycle2003 -0.10968
                                   0.05259
                                            -2.08556 6.846e-02 -0.22973
                                                                           0.01036
## 3
              cycle2005 -0.38077
                                   0.01618 -23.53738 1.657e-06 -0.42181
                                                                          -0.33972
## 4
              cycle2007 -0.55282
                                   0.06098
                                            -9.06617 1.148e-05 -0.69191
                                                                          -0.41373
## 5
              cycle2009 0.09001
                                   0.04652
                                             1.93489 8.967e-02 -0.01759
                                                                           0.19761
## 6
              cycle2011 -0.30115
                                   0.06156
                                            -4.89196 1.020e-03 -0.44173
                                                                          -0.16057
              cycle2013 -0.26897
## 7
                                   0.03646
                                            -7.37807 1.330e-04 -0.35470
                                                                          -0.18324
## 8
              cycle2015 -0.30810
                                   0.05532
                                            -5.56939 4.524e-03 -0.45936
                                                                          -0.15684
## 9
                                             4.09404 5.748e-03 0.11550
              cycle2017 0.28212
                                   0.06891
                                                                           0.44875
## 10
              cycle2019 0.09605
                                   0.03834
                                             2.50530 1.837e-01 -0.16741
                                                                           0.35952
                                   0.33557
## 11
            cityEverett -0.01794
                                            -0.05345 9.586e-01 -0.77872
                                                                           0.74285
## 12
             cityFresno 0.15972
                                   0.71201
                                             0.22432 8.297e-01 -1.56733
                                                                           1.88676
## 13
               cityKent -0.55572
                                            -0.85286 4.266e-01 -2.15175
                                   0.65160
                                                                           1.04030
## 14
         cityLong Beach 0.55547
                                             1.16048 2.884e-01 -0.60515
                                   0.47865
                                                                           1.71608
## 15
        cityLos Angeles
                        0.90663
                                   0.61352
                                             1.47775 1.923e-01 -0.61282
                                                                           2.42607
## 16
            cityOakland 0.84596
                                   0.63331
                                             1.33577 2.320e-01 -0.71970
                                                                           2.41162
## 17
         citySacramento -0.19787
                                   0.64983
                                            -0.30450 7.710e-01 -1.78508
                                                                           1.38934
## 18
          citySan Diego 1.61675
                                   0.62646
                                             2.58076 4.189e-02 0.08228
                                                                           3.15121
## 19 citySan Francisco 2.51049
                                   1.00187
                                             2.50582 4.791e-02 0.03233
                                                                           4.98866
## 20
           citySan Jose 0.77741
                                   0.41295
                                             1.88260 1.099e-01 -0.23891
                                                                           1.79374
## 21
                                             4.19807 2.716e-03 0.71062
            citySeattle
                         1.56212
                                   0.37210
                                                                           2.41361
## 22
            citySpokane 0.94533
                                   0.56199
                                             1.68213 1.443e-01 -0.43506
                                                                           2.32573
## 23
             cityTacoma 0.02720
                                   0.63632
                                             0.04275 9.673e-01 -1.52183
                                                                           1.57623
## 24
                                            -0.29127 7.801e-01 -1.45687
          cityVancouver -0.15675
                                   0.53817
                                                                           1.14337
## 25
              treatment 3.23227
                                   0.65067
                                             4.96764 5.136e-02 -0.05319
                                                                           6.51773
## 26
               at_large -0.66214
                                   0.46316
                                            -1.42962 2.330e-01 -2.00164
                                                                           0.67737
## 27
                special 2.09710
                                   0.91738
                                             2.28596 5.246e-02 -0.02855
                                                                           4.22275
                                   1.23447 -1.73254 1.378e-01 -5.21770
## 28
       at_large:special -2.13876
                                                                           0.94018
##
         df
                      outcome
## 1
     5.186 candidates_ballot
     8.502 candidates_ballot
     5.228 candidates_ballot
     8.536 candidates_ballot
     7.865 candidates_ballot
     8.476 candidates ballot
     7.194 candidates ballot
## 8 4.162 candidates_ballot
```

9 6.311 candidates_ballot

```
## 10 1.372 candidates ballot
## 11 8.871 candidates_ballot
## 12 6.226 candidates ballot
## 13 5.975 candidates_ballot
## 14 6.235 candidates ballot
## 15 5.717 candidates ballot
## 16 5.757 candidates ballot
## 17 6.045 candidates ballot
## 18 5.975 candidates ballot
## 19 5.744 candidates_ballot
## 20 5.860 candidates_ballot
## 21 8.371 candidates_ballot
## 22 5.907 candidates_ballot
## 23 6.130 candidates_ballot
## 24 6.336 candidates_ballot
## 25 1.720 candidates_ballot
## 26 3.629 candidates_ballot
## 27 7.786 candidates ballot
## 28 5.564 candidates_ballot
```

f)

Question 2

```
a)
##
          term estimate two_tailed_p_value
## 1 treatment
                   3.29
                                     0.051
rm(randomization_naive)
# Now define randomization procedure based on clustering structure
randomization_intersection = declare_ra(N = nrow(vote_df),
                                        m = 2
                                        clusters = vote_df$city_cycle)
# Inference
conduct_ri(candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
           declaration = randomization_intersection,
           assignment = "treatment",
           data = vote_df,
           sharp_hypothesis = 0,
           progress_bar = TRUE)
b)
          term estimate two_tailed_p_value
## 1 treatment
                  3.286
                                     0.001
rm(randomization_intersection)
# Here we're manually doing the permutation. So first we're going to group gy city cycle and only retur
# We also drop seattle so we only have untreated units
city_cycle_df = vote_df |>
  group_by(city_cycle) |>
  summarise(treatment = mean(treatment),
            city = unique(city),
            cycle = unique(cycle),
            candidates_ballot = mean(candidates_ballot, na.rm = T),
            at_large = mean(at_large, na.rm = T),
            special = mean(special, na.rm = T)) |>
  filter(treatment == 0)
# Create empty 148 by 148 matrix to put all permutations into
mean_effect = matrix(NA, nrow(city_cycle_df), nrow(city_cycle_df))
# Calculate mean effect for every permutation of two city-cycle pairs being treated
for (i in 1:(nrow(city_cycle_df) - 1)) {
  # this only goes to 147 so we don't double count
  # Outer loop. Two loops just make all the permutations of treatments
  city_cycle_df$treatment[i] = 1
 for (j in (i + 1):nrow(city_cycle_df )) {
    # This starts at i+1 to avoid double counting
    # Inner loop
   city_cycle_df$treatment[j] = 1
```

```
# Calculate the treatment effect for treated and untreated groups
   effect = lm_robust( # I could use lm_robust_fit but I'm lazy so we can have a slow loop
      candidates_ballot ~ cycle + city + treatment + at_large * special,
     city_cycle_df,
     clusters = city,
      se_type = 'CR2'
    # Calculate the treatment effect for each permutation and store it in output matrix
   mean_effect[i, j] = coef(effect)["treatment"]
    # Reset treatment for inner loop. We need to do this so we only have two treated units at at time
    city_cycle_df$treatment[j] = 0
  # Reset outer loop so we only have two treated units at at time
  city_cycle_df$treatment[i] = 0
# Now, to calculate the p value, we see what proportion of the treatment effects we generated above are
greater = c(mean_effect) |> as_tibble() |> abs() |> filter(value > 3.23227)
(p_value = nrow(greater)/length(mean_effect))
## [1] 0.0004109
rm(greater)
rm(p_value)
# Standardize generated treatment effects
mean_effect = mean_effect[!is.na(mean_effect)] |> c()
mean_effect_standardized = (mean_effect - mean(mean_effect)) / sd(mean_effect)
# plot the density
mean_effect_standardized |>
 as_tibble() |>
  ggplot(aes(value)) +
   geom_density(color = 'red') +
   stat_function(fun = dnorm, args = list(mean = mean(mean_effect), sd = sd(mean_effect)), color = 'bl'
   cowplot::theme_cowplot() +
   xlab("Standardized Treatment Effect") + ylab("") +
   labs(caption = "Red is data, blue is simulated distribution")
```

```
0.4
   0.3
   0.2
   0.1
   0.0
                      -2
                                       0
                                                      2
                                                                      4
                                                                                      6
                              Standardized Treatment Effect
                                                  Red is data, blue is simulated distribution
d)
ggsave(here::here("HW6", "plots", "ks.test.jpg"))
## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
# Test formally if densities are the same with ks density
ks.test(mean_effect_standardized, "pnorm", mean = 0, sd = 1)
## Warning in ks.test.default(mean_effect_standardized, "pnorm", mean = 0, : ties
## should not be present for the Kolmogorov-Smirnov test
##
   Asymptotic one-sample Kolmogorov-Smirnov test
##
## data: mean_effect_standardized
## D = 0.029, p-value = 4e-08
## alternative hypothesis: two-sided
rm(city_cycle_df)
# This is just gonna be copy pasted code from earlier but only collapsed by city. I should write a func
city_vote_df = vote_df |>
  group_by(city) |>
  summarise(treatment = mean(treatment),
            city = unique(city),
            candidates_ballot = mean(candidates_ballot, na.rm = T),
            at_large = mean(at_large, na.rm = T),
            special = mean(special, na.rm = T)) |>
  filter(treatment == 0)
```

0.5 -

```
# Create empty 148 by 148 matrix to put all permutations into
mean_effect = matrix(NA, nrow(city_vote_df), nrow(city_vote_df))
# Calculate mean effect for every permutation of two city-cycle pairs being treated
for (i in 1:(nrow(city_vote_df) - 1)) {
  # this only goes to 147 so we don't double count
  # Outer loop. Two loops just make all the permutations of treatments
  city_vote_df$treatment[i] = 1
  for (j in (i + 1):nrow(city_vote_df)) {
    # This starts at i+1 to avoid double counting
    # Inner loop
   city_vote_df$treatment[j] = 1
    # Calculate the treatment effect for treated and untreated groups
   effect = lm_robust( # I could use lm_robust_fit but I'm lazy so we can have a slow loop
      candidates_ballot ~ city + treatment + at_large * special,
     city_vote_df,
     clusters = city,
     se_type = 'CR2'
    # Calculate the treatment effect for each permutation and store it in output matrix
   mean_effect[i, j] = coef(effect)["treatment"]
    # Reset treatment for inner loop. We need to do this so we only have two treated units at at time
    city_vote_df$treatment[j] = 0
  # Reset outer loop so we only have two treated units at at time
 city_vote_df$treatment[i] = 0
# Now, to calculate the p value, we see what proportion of the treatment effects we generated above are
greater = c(mean_effect) |> as_tibble() |> abs() |> filter(value > 3.23227)
(p_value = nrow(greater)/length(mean_effect))
e)
## [1] 0
rm(greater)
rm(p_value)
```

Quesiton 3