

model:

$$Y_{ijl} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \varepsilon_{ij} + \delta_{ijl}$$

where

$i = 1, \dots, k$	indexes treatments
$j = 1, \dots, b$	indexes blocks
$l = 1, \dots, s$	indexes subsamples (within each plot)
$\varepsilon_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_\varepsilon^2)$	corresponds to plot error, e.g. variation from plot to plot
$\delta_{ijl} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_\delta^2)$	corresponds to subsample error, e.g. variation between subsamples

ANOVA table

Source	df	SS	MS	IE(MS)
Blocks	$b - 1$	$ks \sum_j (\bar{y}_{.j} - \bar{y}_{...})^2$	MSBlk	$\sigma_\delta^2 + s\sigma_\varepsilon^2 + ks \sum_j \beta_j^2 / (b - 1)$
Treatment	$k - 1$	$bs \sum_i (\bar{y}_{i..} - \bar{y}_{...})^2$	MSTrt	$\sigma_\delta^2 + s\sigma_\varepsilon^2 + bs \sum_i \alpha_i^2 / (k - 1)$
Plot Error	$(k - 1)(b - 1)$	$s \sum_i \sum_j (\bar{y}_{ij.} - \bar{y}_{i..} - \bar{y}_{.j} + \bar{y}_{...})^2$	MSPE	$\sigma_\delta^2 + s\sigma_\varepsilon^2$
Subsampling Error	$kb(s - 1)$	$\sum_i \sum_j \sum_l (y_{ijl} - \bar{y}_{ij.})^2$	MSSSE	σ_δ^2
Total	$kbs - 1$	$\sum_i \sum_j \sum_l (y_{ijl} - \bar{y}_{...})^2$		

R syntax for this design, using the `lme4` package: make sure that plots are interpreted as being nested within blocks (or treatments), such that if several plots have the same label, they are still allowed to have different effects.

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lmer( response ~ block + treatment + (1 | block:plot) )
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