Lecture 7 – Linear Models

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Recall from last class...

- show how to compare means of different groups (2 or more) using a linear regression model
 - dummy variables to model the levels of a qualitative explanatory variable
- write a linear model using matrix notation
 - understand which matrix is built by R
- distinguish between single and multiple hypotheses
 - t-tests vs F-tests

Quick review: from t-test to linear regression

HOW??

Changing the parametrization and using dummy variables

 $E[Y_{i2}] = heta + au_2 = \mu_1 \ + (\mu_2 - \mu_1) = \mu_2$

Using matrix notation ...

$$Y_{ij} = \theta + \tau_2 \times x_{ij2} + \varepsilon_{ij}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_{11} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{n_11} \\ Y_{12} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{n_22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ \tau_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_{11} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{n_11} \\ \varepsilon_{12} \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{n_22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Y = X\alpha + \varepsilon$$

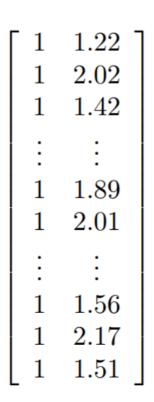
... and similarly beyond 2 groups comparisons (ANOVA)

WHY??

$$Y = X\alpha + \varepsilon$$

This gives us a VERY FLEXIBLE framework!!

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$	0 0 0	1.22 2.02 1.42	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
i	;	:	;
1	0	1.89	0
1 :	1 :	2.01	2.01
1	1	1.56	1.56
1	1	2.17	2.17
1	1	1.51	1.51

Parametrizations

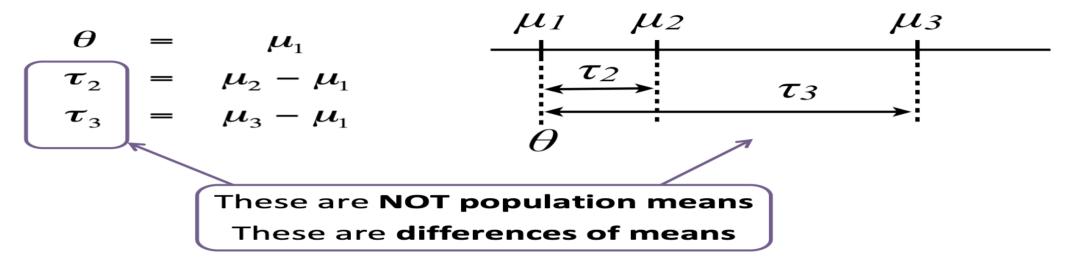
Different ways of writing this [design matrix, parameter vector] pair correspond to different parametrizations of the model

$$Y = [X\alpha] + \varepsilon$$

Understanding these concepts makes it easier ...

- to interpret fitted models
- to fit models such that comparisons you care most about are directly addressed in the inferential "report"

For example: comparisons of mean expression levels between groups!



By default, lm estimates mean differences (with respect to a reference group):

```
summary(lm(gExp~devStage,subset(devDat,gene=="theHit")))$coeff
```

```
## (Intercept) 5.5408571 0.1021381 54.248698 1.307554e-34
## devStageP2 0.3040179 0.1398583 2.173756 3.678022e-02
## devStageP6 0.2433929 0.1398583 1.740282 9.085489e-02
## devStageP10 0.8342679 0.1398583 5.965093 9.559065e-07
## devStage4W 3.6325179 0.1398583 25.972843 5.266481e-24
```

Today... more complex models

- more than one factor with multiple levels
 - how to model many categorical variables and their interaction
- distinguish between simple and main effects
 - lm vs anova tests
- nested models
 - t-tests vs F-tests
- continuous explanatory variables
 - the regression line

Increasing the complexity of the linear model ...

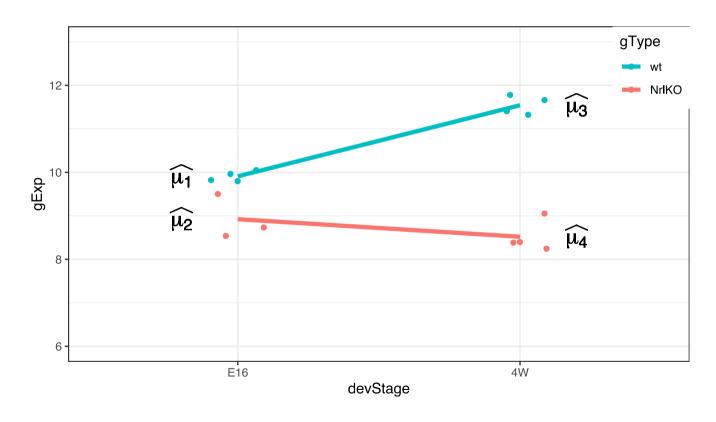
What if you have two categorical variables?

e.g., gType and devStage (for simplicity, let's consider only E16 and 4W)

- ANOVA is usually used to study models with one or more categorical variables (factors)
- Can we combine levels into 4 groups to simplify the analysis??

Two-way ANOVA or a linear model with interaction

Which group means are we comparing in a model with 2 factors?



$$\mu_1 = E[Y_{(wt,E16)}], \; \mu_2 = E[Y_{(NrlKO,E16)}], \; \mu_3 = E[Y_{(wt,4W)}], \; \mu_4 = E[Y_{(NrlKO,4W)}]$$

Reference-treatment effect parametrization

wt.4W 11.542500 1.6345000 1.6345000

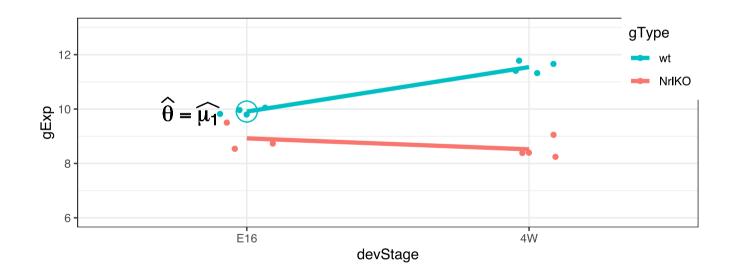
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By default, lm assumes a **reference-treatment effect** parametrization (mathematically, we need *more* dummy variables, see math handout)

```
twoFactFit <- lm(gExp ~ gType * devStage, twoDat)</pre>
##
                          Estimate Std. Error t value
                                                            Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                        9.9080000 0.1574912 62.911469 2.027211e-15
                -0.9856667 0.2405717 -4.097184 1.767824e-03
## gTypeNrlKO
## devStage4W
                        1.6345000 0.2227261 7.338609 1.469261e-05
## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W -2.0380833 0.3278440 -6.216626 6.560671e-05
means.2Fact <- as.data.frame(twoDat %>%
          group by(grp) %>% summarize(cellMeans=mean(gExp)))
 (means.2Fact <-means.2Fact %>%
          mutate(txEffects=cellMeans-cellMeans[1],
          lmEst=summary(twoFactFit)$coeff[,1]))
          grp cellMeans txEffects
##
                                        lmEst
       wt.E16 9.908000 0.0000000 9.9080000
## 2 NrlKO.E16 8.922333 -0.9856667 -0.9856667
```

The reference: wt & E16

As before, comparisons are relative to a reference but in this case there is a reference level in each factor: wt and E16



The reference: wt & E16

Mean of reference group: $heta=E[Y_{wt,E16}]$

Im estimate: $\hat{\theta}$ is the sample mean of the group

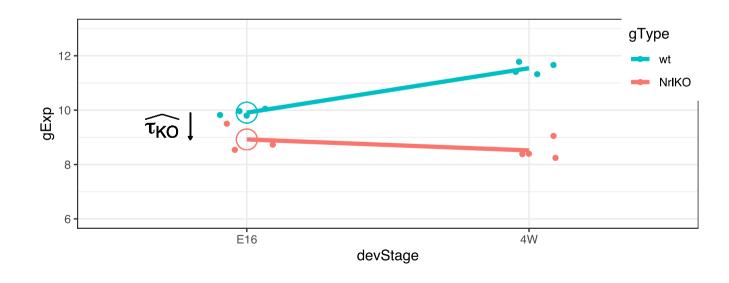
```
##
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## gTypeNrlKO
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##
          grp cellMeans txEffects
                                       lmEst
       wt.E16 9.908000
                         0.0000000
                                   9.9080000
## 2 NrlKO.E16 8.922333 -0.9856667 -0.9856667
## 3
        wt.4W 11.542500
                        1.6345000 1.6345000
## 4 NrlKO.4W 8.518750 -1.3892500 -2.0380833
```

In general, one is not interested in: $H_0: \theta=0$

Simple genotype effect: wt *vs* NrlKO at E16

And now the "treatment effects"...

Important: effects are not marginal but *conditional* effects (at a given level of the other factor, e.g., at E16), usually called **simple** effects



Simple genotype effect: wt *vs* NrlKO at E16

```
Effect of genotype at E16: 	au_{KO} = E[Y_{NrlKO,E16}] - E[Y_{wt,E16}]
```

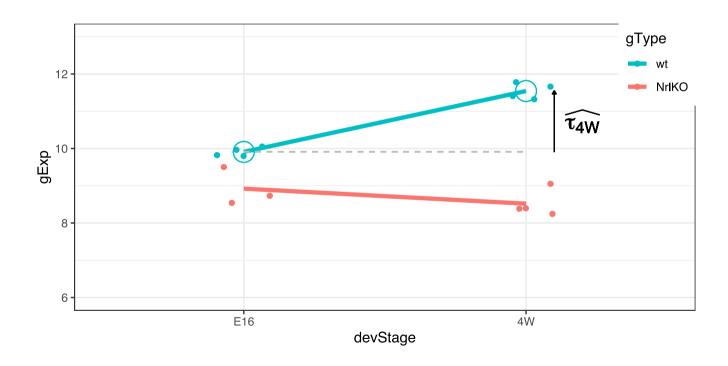
Im estimate: $\hat{\tau}_{KO}$ is the *difference* of sample respective means (check below)

```
Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 9.9080000 0.1574912 62.911469 2.027211e-15
## gTypeNrlK0 -0.9856667 0.2405717 -4.097184 1.767824e-03
## devStage4W
               1.6345000 0.2227261 7.338609 1.469261e-05
## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W -2.0380833 0.3278440 -6.216626 6.560671e-05
         grp cellMeans txEffects
##
                                    lmEst
      wt.E16 9.908000 0.0000000 9.9080000
## 1
## 2 NrlKO.E16 8.922333 -0.9856667 -0.9856667
## 3
       wt.4W 11.542500 1.6345000 1.6345000
## 4 NrlKO.4W 8.518750 -1.3892500 -2.0380833
```

But, do you want to test the *conditional* effect at E16: $H_0: au_{KO} = 0$??

Simple developmental effect: E16 *vs* 4W at wt

Similarly, for the other factor:



Simple developmental effect: E16 *vs* 4W at wt

Effect of development at wt: $au_{4W} = E[Y_{wt,4W}] - E[Y_{wt,E16}]$

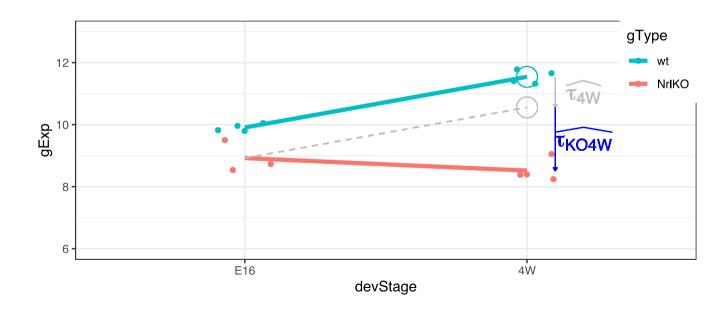
Im estimate: $\hat{\tau}_{4W}$ is the *difference* of respective sample means (check below)

```
##
                          Estimate Std. Error t value
                                                            Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                         9.9080000 0.1574912 62.911469 2.027211e-15
## gTypeNrlKO
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##
          grp cellMeans txEffects
                                        lmEst
       wt.E16 9.908000
## 1
                        0.0000000
                                    9.9080000
## 2 NrlK0.E16 8.922333 -0.9856667 -0.9856667
        wt.4W 11.542500
## 3
                        1.6345000 1.6345000
## 4 NrlKO.4W 8.518750 -1.3892500 -2.0380833
```

Interaction effect

Is the effect of genotype the same at different developmental stages? (or does hte effect of development depend on genotype?)

Yes if, there's no interaction effect, i.e., $au_{KO4W}=0$



Interaction effect

[1] -2.038083

```
	au_{KO4W} = (E[Y_{NrlKO,4W}] - E[Y_{wt,4W}]) - (E[Y_{NrlKO,E16}] - E[Y_{wt,E16}])
                          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept)
                         9.9080000 0.1574912 62.911469 2.027211e-15
                        -0.9856667 0.2405717 -4.097184 1.767824e-03
## gTypeNrlKO
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means, 2Fact
          grp cellMeans txEffects
                                        lmEst
##
       wt.E16 9.908000
## 1
                         0.0000000 9.9080000
## 2 NrlKO.E16 8.922333 -0.9856667 -0.9856667
## 3
        wt.4W 11.542500 1.6345000 1.6345000
## 4 NrlK0.4W 8.518750 -1.3892500 -2.0380833
 ((means.2Fact$cellMeans[4]-means.2Fact$cellMeans[3])-
     (means.2Fact$cellMeans[2]-means.2Fact$cellMeans[1]))
```

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Summary of model parameters: with interaction

model parameter	R estimate	stats	interpretation
heta	(Intercept)	$E[Y_{wt,E16}]$	reference
$ au_{KO}$	gTypeNrlKO	$E[Y_{NrlKO,E16}]-E[Y_{wt,E16}]$	conditional effect of NrlKO at E16
$ au_{4W}$	devStage4_weeks	$E[Y_{wt,4W}]-E[Y_{wt,E16}]$	conditional effect of 4W at wt
$ au_{KO4W}$	gTypeNrlKO: devStage4_weeks	$E[Y_{NrlKO,4W}] - E[Y_{wt,4W}] - au_{KO}$	interaction effect of NrlKO and 4W

It is *important* to remember that lm reports *simple*, *not main* effects!! why?? because of the parametrization used!! (see see math handout)

Let's examine these parameters closer and some examples

For our model, lm tests 4 hypotheses:

$$H_0: heta=0 \ H_0: au_{KO4W}=0 \ H_0: au_{KO4W}=0 \ H_0: au_{KO4W}$$

We may not be interested in these hypotheses, e.g., τ_{KO} and τ_{4W} are conditional effects at a given level of a factor (simple effects)

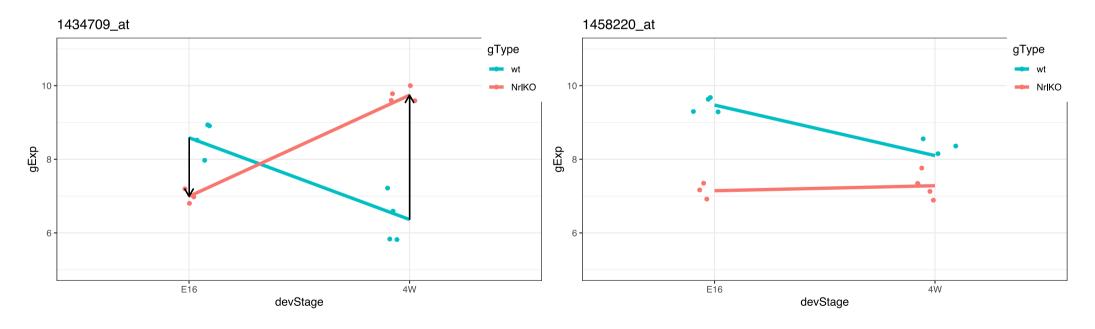
Example 1: nothing is statistically significant, very flat genes *

* Here and in next slides, summary of lm shown for the gene in the left plot

```
## (Intercept) 8.5240000 0.2561305 33.2799114 2.154028e-12
## gTypeNrlKO -0.4336667 0.3912458 -1.1084251 2.913251e-01
## devStage4W -0.2532500 0.3622232 -0.6991545 4.989723e-01
## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W 0.5504167 0.5331781 1.0323317 3.240804e-01
```

Example 2: statistically significant interaction effect: non-parallel

```
## (Intercept) 8.58550 0.2215161 38.757897 4.083165e-13
## gTypeNrlKO -1.59250 0.3383715 -4.706366 6.434783e-04
## devStage4W -2.22075 0.3132711 -7.088907 2.021975e-05
## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W 4.96975 0.4611226 10.777502 3.481389e-07
```



When the interaction effect is significant, the *simple* effects may not agree: compare the genotype effect @E16 with that @4W!

Example 3: balance & only genotype @E16 is statistically significant

To simplify future explanations, I've added a random observation in the NrlKO.E16 group (close to its mean) to have a *balanced* design

In *unbalanced* designs the *main* effects are a *weighted* average of the simple effects, and the weights are not easy to interpret (beyond the scope of this course but worth noting the issue!)

Example 3: only genotype @E16 is statistically significant: parallel

The interaction effect is not significant (almost parallel pattern).

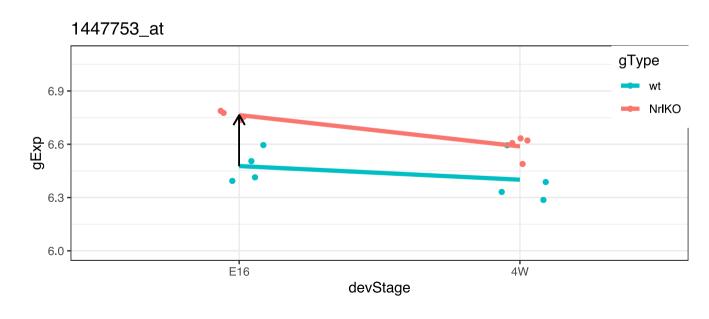
Thus, there may be a genotype effect *regardless* of the developmental stage (*main* effect). However, that hypothesis is *not* tested here!!

How do we test a *main effect*??

How do we test the *main* effects?

The main effect measures the *overall* association between the response and a factor. They are the (weighted) average of an effect over the levels of the other factor

Note: a significant interaction means that the effect of a factor depends on the level of the other one. Thus, main effects may mask interesting results!



Main effects

anova() can be used to test the main effects:

$$H_0: ((E[Y_{KO,E16}]-E[Y_{wt,E16}])+(E[Y_{KO,4W}]-E[Y_{wt,4W}]))/2=0$$

for unbalanced experiments $H_0: w_1 \mathrm{effect}_{E16} + w_2 \mathrm{effect}_{4W} = 0$

```
tidy(anova(lm(gExp ~ gType * devStage, plot1Dat)))
## # A tibble: 4 x 6
## term
                  df
                      sumsq meansq statistic p.value
                      <dbl> <dbl>
                                     <dbl> <dbl>
##
  <chr> <int>
          1 0.225
                           0.225 27.6
## 1 gType
                                          0.000202
## 2 devStage
            1 0.0640 0.0640 7.86 0.0160
## 3 gType:devStage 1 0.00990 0.00990 1.21 0.292
## 4 Residuals
                 12 0.0978 0.00815
                                    NA
                                         NA
```

As we suspected in slide #26, there is a significant genotype effect for this gene (1447753_at), i.e., its mean expression changes in NrlKO group (compared to wt), on average over developmental stages.

Main & interaction effects: important notes

- A **significant interaction effect** means that the effect of one factor depends on the levels of the other one.
 - o e.g., the effect of genotype depends on development
- **Main effects**: are the (weighted) average of an effect over the levels of the other factor.
- A **non-significant main effect** means that, on average, there's no evidence of a factor's effect
 - e.g, no evidence of a genotype effect, on average over both developmental stages
- **Note of caution**: if the interaction is significant, it is possible that one or both simple effects are significant but the average effect (i.e., the main

Additive models

- In some applications, we need to test the interaction term
- However, additive models are easier and smaller
- If there are no statistical or theoretical grounds to include the interaction term, additive models are preferred
- ullet Additive effects: $E[Y_{NrlKO,4W}] E[Y_{wt,E16}] = au_{KO} + au_{4W}$

```
addFit <- summary(lm(formula = gExp ~ gType +devStage,plot1Dat))$coeff
addFit
```

```
## (Intercept) 6.5021239 0.0394084 164.993346 5.609641e-23
## gTypeNrlKO 0.2372478 0.0455049 5.213675 1.670701e-04
## devStage4W -0.1264978 0.0455049 -2.779872 1.561988e-02
```

Additive models

<chr> <int>

<dbl>

<dbl>

- In an additive model, the parameters are **average effects**, over the levels of the other factor. Now, same as in anova()!!
 - Note the agreement!! This is gone in unbalanced designs since weights are computed differently! try!!
- TypeIII sum of squares are required for agreement in unbalanced designs (use Anova in car), beyond our scope

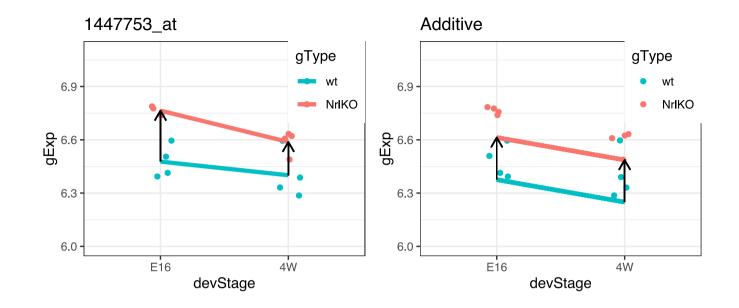
<dbl>

```
## Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 6.5021239 0.0394084 164.993346 5.609641e-23
## gTypeNrlKO 0.2372478 0.0455049 5.213675 1.670701e-04
## devStage4W -0.1264978 0.0455049 -2.779872 1.561988e-02

tidy(anova(lm(gExp ~ gType + devStage,plot1Dat)))

## # A tibble: 3 x 6
## term df sumsq meansq statistic p.value
```

<dbl>



multEst

```
## (Intercept) gTypeNrlKO devStage4W

## 6.47725000 0.28699556 -0.07675000

## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W

## -0.09949556
```

addEst

```
## (Intercept) gTypeNrlKO devStage4W
## 6.5021239 0.2372478 -0.1264978
```

Factors with multiple levels

We can generalize the regression model to factors with more levels (e.g., E16, P2, P10 and 4W): we just additional dummy variables (and parameters)!!

With interaction

```
##
                           Estimate Std. Error
                                                t value
                                                           Pr(>|t|)
  (Intercept)
                                    0.1240289 43.8063081 4.740219e-28
                         5.43325000
## gTypeNrlKO
                         0.1754034 2.2747562 3.049627e-02
## devStageP2
                         0.39900000
## devStageP6
                         0.19525000 0.1754034 1.1131483 2.747868e-01
## devStageP10
                         0.92000000
                                    0.1754034 5.2450520 1.283680e-05
## devStage4W
                         3.96125000
                                    0.1754034 22.5836544 5.952464e-20
## gTypeNrlKO:devStageP2
                        -0.22583333
                                    0.2581868 -0.8746896 3.889296e-01
## gTypeNrlKO:devStageP6
                         0.06041667
                                    0.2581868
                                              0.2340037 8.166263e-01
## gTypeNrlKO:devStageP10 -0.20733333
                                    0.2581868 -0.8030361 4.284868e-01
## gTypeNrlKO:devStage4W
                        -0.69333333
                                    0.2581868 -2.6853939 1.185648e-02
```

Factors with multiple levels (cont.)

Without interaction: additive

```
## (Intercept) 5.52731618 0.11010606 50.1999257 9.574287e-33
## gTypeNrlKO 0.03159559 0.08783425 0.3597183 7.213497e-01
## devStageP2 0.30176103 0.14182289 2.1277315 4.091897e-02
## devStageP6 0.24113603 0.14182289 1.7002617 9.848949e-02
## devStageP10 0.83201103 0.14182289 5.8665498 1.428982e-06
## devStage4W 3.63026103 0.14182289 25.5971450 2.412597e-23
```

Parameters are now *main* effects (on average over the levels of the other factor) but we have more!

Is developmental a significant effect? We haven't tested that!!

Simultaneous hypotheses again

We generally test two types of null hypotheses:

$$H_0: au_i = 0$$

VS

$$H_0: au_i
eq 0$$

for each *j* individually

e.g., Is gene A differencially expressed 2 days after birth?

$$H_0:\tau_{P2}=0$$

$$H_0: au_j=0$$

VS

$$H_0: au_j
eq 0$$

for all *j* at the same time

e.g., Is gene A significantly affected by time (devStage)?

$$H_0: au_{P2} = au_{P6} = au_{P10} = au_{4W} = 0$$

F-test and overall significance: a deja vu

• the *t*-test in linear regression allows us to test single hypotheses. Those are given in the summary of lm

$$H_0: au_i=0$$

$$H_A: au_j
eq 0$$

• but we often like to test multiple hypotheses *simultaneously*:

$$H_0: au_{P2} = au_{P6} = au_{P10} = au_{4W} = 0 \ [ext{AND statement}]$$

$$H_A: au_i
eq 0 ext{ for some i [OR statement]}$$

the *F*-test allows us to test such compound tests

Overall effects: compound tests

With interaction

```
H_0: 	au_{KO}=0 (1 df) H_0: 	au_{P2}=	au_{P6}=	au_{P10}=	au_{4W}=0 (at wt!, 4 df) H_0: 	au_{KOP2}=	au_{KOP6}=	au_{KOP10}=	au_{KO4W}=0 (4 df)
```

```
tidy(anova(lm(gExp~gType*devStage,hitDat)))
```

Tests of overall effects of a factor controlling for the other one

Overall effects: compound tests (cont.)

Without interaction

```
H_0:	au_{KO}=0 (1 df) H_0:	au_{P2}=	au_{P6}=	au_{P10}=	au_{4W}=0 (on average!, 4 df)
```

```
tidy(anova(lm(gExp~gType+devStage,hitDat)))
```

Tests of overall effects of a factor controlling for the other one

The t-test in lm and the F-test (1 df) in anova for gType are not equivalent due to unbalancedness

Nested models

These examples are just special cases of nested models

For example: does development have a significant effect on gene expression?

Compare the models with and without devStage!!

Model 1: gExp~gType

Model 2: gExp~gType + devStage

Mathematically:

Model 1:
$$Y_{ijk} = \theta + au_{KO} x_{KO,ijk} + arepsilon$$

Model 2:

$$Y_{ijk} = \theta + au_{KO} x_{KO,ijk} + au_{P2} x_{P2,ijk} + au_{P6} x_{P6,ijk} + au_{P10} x_{P10,ijk} + au_{4W} x_{4W,ijk} + arepsilon$$

$$H_0: au_{P2} = au_{P6} = au_{P10} = au_{4W} = 0$$

More general!

F-test: selection of nested models

$$H_0: \beta_{k+1} = \ldots = \beta_{k+p} = 0$$

$$F = \frac{\left(SS_{reduced} - SS_{full}\right)/p}{SS_{full}/(n-p-k-1)} \sim \mathcal{F}_{p,n-p-k-1}$$

Compares:

Model 1: $y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \ldots + \beta_k x_{ik} + \varepsilon_i$ (reduced: **1+k** parameters)

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Nested models in R

```
addReduced<- lm(gExp ~ gType, data = hitDat)
addFull<- lm(gExp ~ gType+devStage, data = hitDat)</pre>
anova(addReduced,addFull)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: gExp ~ gType
## Model 2: gExp ~ gType + devStage
##
    Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F
                                       Pr(>F)
## 1
        37 73,498
## 2 33 2.473 4 71.024 236.92 < 2.2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
tidy(anova(addFull))
## # A tibble: 3 x 6
## term
                df
                     sumsq meansq statistic p.value
```

NA

NA

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3 Residuals 33 2.47 0.0749

Another special case: goodness of fit!

Compare the full vs the intercept-only models (compound test)!

$$H_0: au_{KO} = au_{P2} = au_{P6} = au_{P10} = au_{4W} = 0, \; (5 \; \mathrm{df})$$

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## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: gExp ~ 1
## Model 2: gExp ~ gType + devStage
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## 1 38 73.567
## 2 33 2.473 5 71.094 189.72 < 2.2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1</pre>
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summary(addFull)\$fstatistic # also given in the summary of lm

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## value numdf dendf
## 189.7238 5.0000 33.0000
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Summary

- *t*-tests can be used to test the equality of **2** population means
- ANOVA can be used to test the equality of **more than 2** population means simultaneously (main effects)
- **Linear regression** provides a general framework for modelling the relationship between a response and different type of explanatory variables
 - t-tests are used to test the significance of simple effects (individual coefficients)
 - *F*-tests are used to test the significance of *main effects* (*simultaneously* multiple coefficients)
- *F*-tests are used to compare nested models

WHY??

$$Y = X\alpha + \varepsilon$$

This gives us a VERY FLEXIBLE framework!!

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$$\mathbf{1} \text{ categorical covariate} \qquad \mathbf{2} \text{ categorical covariates} \qquad \mathbf{1} \text{ continuous covariate} \qquad \mathbf{1} \text{ continuous covariate}$$

AND MANY MORE

Tip: ?model.matrix

Next class: linear models provides a general flexible framework to study the relation of a response with many variables!