Course Project Part Two

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#In this project we will analyze the ToothGrowth data
library(datasets)
data (ToothGrowth)
#This datasets consists of 60 observations and three variables. Variables are
#len (numeric: tooth length increase),
#supp (categorical: VC or OJ) and
#dose (numerical: dose level - 0.5mg, 1mg or 2mg)
summary(ToothGrowth)
##
        len
                                dose
                   supp
## Min. : 4.20
                           Min. :0.500
                   OJ:30
## 1st Qu.:13.07
                   VC:30
                           1st Qu.:0.500
## Median :19.25
                           Median :1.000
## Mean :18.81
                           Mean :1.167
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table(ToothGrowth\$supp, as.factor(ToothGrowth\$dose))

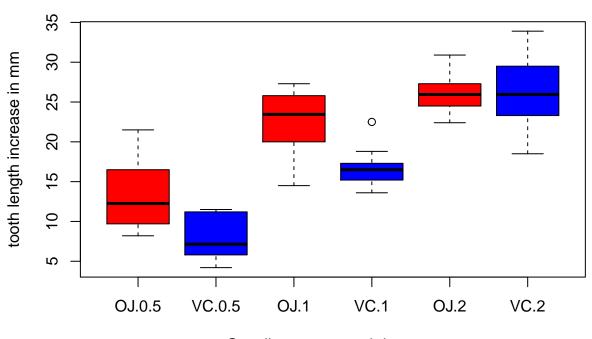
3rd Qu.:2.000

Max. :2.000

3rd Qu.:25.27

Max. :33.90

Tooth Growth



Suppliment type and dose mg

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#We can see that as dosage increases, tooth length also increases
#We will prove this for dosages 1.0mg vs 2.0mg which is not obvious
ToothGrowth.dose1.0= subset(ToothGrowth, dose == 1)
ToothGrowth.dose2.0= subset(ToothGrowth, dose == 2)
doseEffect1.0_to_2.0 <- t.test( ToothGrowth.dose2.0$len,ToothGrowth.dose1.0$len)</pre>
doseEffect1.0_to_2.0$conf.int
## [1] 3.733519 8.996481
## attr(,"conf.level")
## [1] 0.95
#95% C.I. of the difference in tooth-length means between observations
#that received 1.0mg and 2.0mg dosage does not contain 0.
#We reject the null hypothesis that the true difference in means is zero.
#Now lets compare the tooth length increase between different suppliment types.
ToothGrowth.typeOJ = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "OJ")
ToothGrowth.typeVC = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "VC")
typeEffect <- t.test(ToothGrowth.typeOJ$len, ToothGrowth.typeVC$len)</pre>
typeEffect$conf.int
## [1] -0.1710156 7.5710156
## attr(,"conf.level")
## [1] 0.95
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[1] 0.06063451

typeEffect\$p.value

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#The 95% c.i. of the difference in mean tooth length increase between observations of
#supp type OJ and supp type VC does contain O. We fail to reject the
#null hypothesis that states the difference in means is zero.
#However p-value is only 6%. We will perform more tests. From the boxplots we can see that
#the means for 2.0mg between the two supp types looks the same. We will perform different tests
#for 2mg dosage and less than 2.0mg dosage
ToothGrowth.typeOJ.doselt2.0 = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "OJ" & dose<2.0)
ToothGrowth.typeOJ.doseeq2.0 = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "OJ" & dose==2.0)
ToothGrowth.typeVC.doselt2.0 = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "VC" & dose<2.0)
ToothGrowth.typeVC.doseeq2.0 = subset(ToothGrowth, supp == "VC" & dose==2.0)
typeEffect_lt2.0 <- t.test(ToothGrowth.typeOJ.doselt2.0 $len, ToothGrowth.typeVC.doselt2.0 $len)</pre>
typeEffect_eq2.0<- t.test(ToothGrowth.typeOJ.doseeq2.0$len, ToothGrowth.typeVC.doseeq2.0$len)</pre>
#For the tests below:
#Null Hypothesis: True difference in means is equal to 0
#Alternative hypothesis: True difference in means is not equal to 0
#Significance level: 5%
typeEffect_lt2.0$conf.int
## [1] 1.875234 9.304766
## attr(,"conf.level")
## [1] 0.95
#95% C.I. does not contain zero. We reject the null hypothesis and conculde there is a
#difference in tooth length increase between types when dosage is less than 2.0mg
typeEffect_eq2.0$conf.int
## [1] -3.79807 3.63807
## attr(,"conf.level")
## [1] 0.95
#95% C.I. does contain zero. We fail to reject the null hypothesis
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