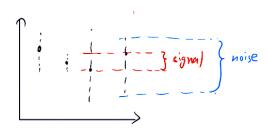
- ANOVA: Abbreviation of Analysis of Variance.
- Methods for comparing means of continuous responses between multiple groups.
- **F-ratio**: Signal/noise



- Reasons why using "2+2+2=3" is undesirable:
  - It's more work than we need to do. Three tests may not seem too bad, but to compare 10 groups we would have to do 45 different pairwise t-tests.
  - It can lead to lots of false positive results. Every test has the potential to incorrectly reject H0; i.e. falsely identify a difference between a pair of groups. If we do lots of tests then we risk generating lots of false positives.
- ANOVA model:

$$Y_{ij} = \mu_i + e_{ij}$$

 $\mu_i$  is the true mean response for the ith group at the population level.  $e_{ij}$  is the error term for the jth response in the ith group. The error terms are assumed to be independent and to follow a N(0,  $\sigma^2$ ) with constant variance. The number of different groups is denoted K, and the number of responses in the ith group is denoted  $n_i$ .

• Est. mean for ANOVA: The "." = est. Value.

$$\hat{\mu}_i = \bar{y}_i$$
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• Sample mean for the ith group:

$$\bar{y}_{i\cdot} = \frac{1}{n_i} \sum_{j=1}^n y_{ij}$$

• Formula for residual sum of squares in ANOVA (no need to memorise):

$$RSS = \sum_{i=1}^{K} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (y_{ij} - \hat{\mu}_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{K} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_i)^2$$

• Total sum of squares in ANOVA (no need to memorise):

$$TSS = \sum_{i=1}^{K} \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (y_{ij} - \bar{y}..)^2$$

• y.. is the sample mean overall the data.

• Formula for GSS in ANOVA (no need to memorise):

$$GSS = TSS - RSS$$

$$GSS = \sum_{i=1}^{k} n_i (\bar{y}_i. - \bar{y}..)^2$$

GSS can be interpreted as a measure of the variation that is explained by differences between groups.

• Setting up the hypotheses to test ANOVA:

As usual, the null hypothesis will be the 'no difference' hypothesis:

$$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_K$$

The alternative is simply an expression that the null is incorrect:

$$H_A: \mu_1, \mu_2, ..., \mu_K \text{ not all equal.}$$

• Equation for F statistic:

$$F = \frac{GSS/(K-1)}{RSS/(n-K)}$$

- **GMS**: GSS/(K 1) is the group mean square.
- RMS: RSS/(n K) is the residual mean square.
- What situations would let  $H_0$  fail: Large differences between group means. Relatively large value of GSS. A large value of F.
- ANOVA table:

Source	SS	DF	MS
Groups	GSS	K-1	$\frac{GSS}{K-1}$
Residuals	RSS	n-K	$\frac{\bar{R}S\bar{S}}{n-K}$
Total	TSS	n-1	

- P-value is right censored.
- Blocking variable: A second treatment variable that when included in ANOVA analysis will have the effect of reducing the SSE term (noise).