

# BIOCOMPUTING FINAL PROJECT

## 1. THINGS TO DO

- Analyze antibiotics.txt using an ANOVA-design linear model and likelihood ratio test.
  - Generate a plot to summarize the results of the experiment.
  - Write code to perform an ANOVA test comparing the three different treatments and the control.
  - Write a markdown document to summarize the results of the ANOVA test and make conclusions about hypotheses.
- Analyze sugar.txt using a regression design linear model and likelihood ratio test.
  - Generate a plot to summarize the results of the experiment.
  - Using a regression-design linear model and a likelihood ratio test, test for significance of treatment.
  - Write a markdown document to summarize the results and make conclusions about hypotheses.
- Perform a statistical power analysis comparing ANOVA and regression-designed experiments.
  - Assume a variable  $y$  depends on an independent variable  $x$  with slope  $\beta_1 = 0.4$  and a  $y$ -intercept of  $\beta_0 = 10$ .
  - Compare regression-design to a two-level ANOVA with 24 experimental units.
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with a regression design for  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$  for  $x \in [0, 50]$ .
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with a two-level ANOVA design  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$   $x \in [0, 50]$ .
  - Compare regression-design to a four-level ANOVA with 24 experimental units.
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with a regression design for  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$  for  $x \in [0, 50]$ .
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with a four-level ANOVA design  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$   $x \in [0, 50]$ .
  - Compare regression-design to an eight-level ANOVA with 24 experimental units.
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with a regression design for  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$  for  $x \in [0, 50]$ .
    - \* Simulate 10 random experiments with an eight-level ANOVA design  $\sigma \in \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24\}$   $x \in [0, 50]$ .
  - Write a Markdown file summarizing results
    - \* How did the ANOVA vs regression design perform?
      - Use the average  $p$ -values from the likelihood ratio tests across Monte-Carlo simulations as a metric of statistical power
    - \* Does the relative performance of the experimental designs depend on the number of levels in the ANOVA experiment?