The Statistical Sleuth in R: Chapter 5

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1 Introduction

This document is intended to help describe how to undertake analyses introduced as examples in the Second Edition of the *Statistical Sleuth* (2002) by Fred Ramsey and Dan Schafer. More information about the book can be found at http://www.proaxis.com/~panorama/home.htm. This file as well as the associated knitr reproducible analysis source file can be found at http://www.amherst.edu/~nhorton/sleuth.

This work leverages initiatives undertaken by Project MOSAIC (http://www.mosaic-web.org), an NSF-funded effort to improve the teaching of statistics, calculus, science and computing in the undergraduate curriculum. In particular, we utilize the mosaic package, which was written to simplify the use of R for introductory statistics courses. A short summary of the R needed to teach introductory statistics can be found in the mosaic package vignette (http://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/mosaic/vignettes/MinimalR.pdf).

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To use a package within R, it must be installed (one time), and loaded (each session). The package can be installed using the following command:

```
> install.packages('mosaic') # note the quotation marks
```

Once this is installed, it can be loaded by running the command:

```
> require(mosaic)
```

This needs to be done once per session.

In addition the data files for the *Sleuth* case studies can be accessed by installing the **Sleuth2** package.

```
> install.packages('Sleuth2') # note the quotation marks
```

```
> require(Sleuth2)
```

We also set some options to improve legibility of graphs and output.

```
> trellis.par.set(theme=col.mosaic()) # get a better color scheme
> options(digits=3)
```

The specific goal of this document is to demonstrate how to calculate the quantities described in Chapter 5: Comparisons Among Several Samples using R.

2 Diet and lifespan

Does restricting the diet of female mice lead to increased lifespan? This is the question addressed in case study 5.1 in the *Sleuth*.

2.1 Summary statistics and graphical display

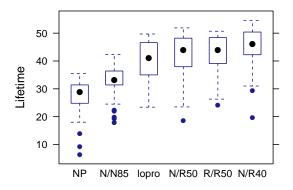
We begin by reading the data and summarizing the variables.

```
> summary(case0501)
    Lifetime
                   Diet
Min. : 6.4
                NP :49
 1st Qu.:31.8
                N/N85:57
Median:39.5
                lopro:56
        :38.8
                N/R50:71
 Mean
 3rd Qu.:46.9
                R/R50:56
        :54.6
                N/R40:60
Max.
> favstats(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501)
```

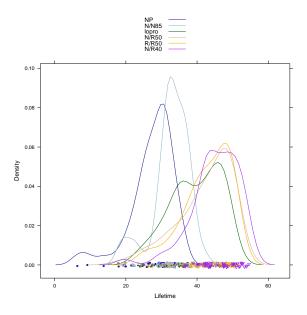
```
Diet
               Q1 median
       min
                           Q3 max mean
                                           sd n missing
    NP
        6.4 24.8
                    28.9 31.4 35.5 27.4 6.13 49
1
2 N/N85 17.9 31.4
                    33.1 36.4 42.3 32.7 5.13 57
                                                       0
3 lopro 23.4 35.0
                   41.0 46.4 49.7 39.7 6.99 56
                                                       0
4 N/R50 18.6 38.0
                    43.9 48.2 51.9 42.3 7.77 71
                                                       0
5 R/R50 24.2 39.2
                    44.0 48.3 50.7 42.9 6.68 56
                                                       0
6 N/R40 19.6 42.3
                    46.0 50.3 54.6 45.1 6.70 60
                                                       0
```

There were a total of 349 female mice. These mice were randomly assigned to one of 6 diets. Their lifetimes were then recorded, as shown in Display 5.2 (page 115 of the *Sleuth*).

```
> bwplot(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501) # Display 5.1
```



> densityplot(~ Lifetime, groups=Diet, auto.key=TRUE, data=case0501)



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2.2 One-way ANOVA

First we fit the one way analysis of variance (ANOVA) model, using all of the groups.

There is evidence of a highly statistically significant difference between the diets.

By default, the use of the linear model (regression) function displays the pairwise differences between the first group and each of the other groups. Note that the overall test of the model is the same.

```
> summary(lm(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501))
Call:
lm(formula = Lifetime ~ Diet, data = case0501)
Residuals:
   Min 1Q Median 3Q
                                 Max
-25.517 -3.386 0.814 5.183 10.014
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 27.402 0.954 28.72 < 2e-16
DietN/N85
            5.289
                      1.301 4.07 5.9e-05
Dietlopro
           12.284
                      1.306 9.40 < 2e-16
         14.895
                      1.240
DietN/R50
                               12.01 < 2e-16
DietR/R50
            15.484
                      1.306
                             11.85 < 2e-16
DietN/R40
            17.715
                       1.286
                               13.78 < 2e-16
Residual standard error: 6.68 on 343 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.454, Adjusted R-squared: 0.446
F-statistic: 57.1 on 5 and 343 DF, p-value: <2e-16
```

The reference group is NP, followed by N/N85, lopro, N/R50, R/R50, N/R40.

2.3 Pairwise comparisons

Next we used contrasts for the results on page 121, Display 5.7, and part (a) on page 115:

The results for (b) on page 115-116:

The results for (c) on page 116:

```
> # N/R40 vs N/R50 (c)
> fit.contrast(lm(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501), "Diet", c(0, 0, 0, -1, 0, 1), conf.int=0.95
                      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) lower CI
                                    1.17 2.41 0.0166 0.516
Diet c=( 0 0 0 -1 0 1 )
                         2.82
                      upper CI
Diet c=( 0 0 0 -1 0 1 ) 5.12
> # N/N85 vs N/R40
> fit.contrast(lm(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501), "Diet", c(0, -1, 0, 0, 0, 1), conf.int=0.95
                      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) lower CI
Diet c=( 0 -1 0 0 0 1 )
                                    1.24 10.1 4.96e-21
                         12.4
                                                               10
                      upper CI
Diet c=( 0 -1 0 0 0 1 ) 14.9
```

The results for (d) on page 116:

```
upper CI
Diet c=( 0 0 1 -1 0 0 ) -0.264
```

The results for (e) on page 116:

Another way of viewing these results is through a model table, which displays the differences between the grand mean and the group means.

Another way of calculating the above results is done with the following code:

```
> mean(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501)-mean(~ Lifetime, data=case0501)

NP N/N85 lopro N/R50 R/R50 N/R40
-11.395 -6.106 0.889 3.500 4.089 6.320
```

2.4 Other analyses

We will next demonstrate how to calculate the quantities on page 120 (Display 5.6).

```
NP N/N85 lopro N/R50 R/R50 N/R40
49 57 56 71 56 60

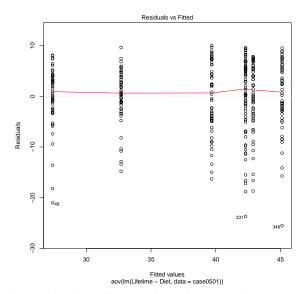
> pooledsd = sum(sdvals*nvals)/sum(nvals); pooledsd
[1] 6.63
```

Note that the pooled standard deviation reported in chapter 5 is not the same as the root MSE from the ANOVA. For the rest of this document we will use the ANOVA estimate of the root mean squared error.

2.5 Residual analysis and diagnostics

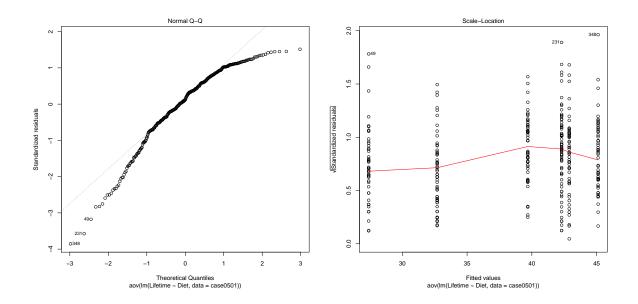
The residuals versus fitted graph does not demonstrate dramatic lack of fit (though some of the mice had very small residuals). The following figure is akin to Display 5.14 (page 132).

```
> aov1 = aov(lm(Lifetime ~ Diet, data=case0501))
> plot(aov1, which=1)
```



The quantile plot of the residuals indicates that the normality assumption may be violated.

```
> plot(aov1, which=2)
> plot(aov1, which=3)
```



3 Spock Conspiracy Trial

Did Dr. Benjamin Spock have a fair trial? More specifically, were women underrepresented on his jury pool? This is the question considered in case study 5.2 in the *Sleuth*.

3.1 Summary statistics and graphical display

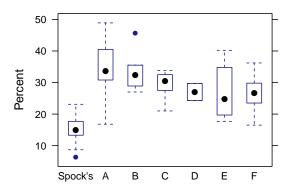
We begin by reading the data and summarizing the variables.

```
> summary(case0502)
    Percent
                     Judge
                 Spock's:9
        : 6.4
Min.
 1st Qu.:20.0
                         :5
                 Α
Median:27.5
                         :6
                 В
                        :9
Mean
        :26.6
                 \mathbb{C}
 3rd Qu.:32.4
                 D
                         :2
                 Ε
 Max.
        :48.9
                        :6
                 F
                         :9
> case0502$Judge = with(case0502, as.factor(Judge))
> favstats(Percent ~ Judge, data=case0502)
                  Q1 median
                               Q3
    Judge
           min
                                  max mean
                                                sd n missing
1 Spock's
           6.4 13.3
                       15.0 17.7 23.1 14.6
                                              5.04 9
                                                            0
2
                       33.6 40.5 48.9 34.1 11.94 5
                                                            0
        A 16.8 30.8
3
        B 27.0 29.7
                       32.4 34.8 45.6 33.6
                                                            0
                                              6.58 6
        C 21.0 27.5
                       30.5 32.5 33.8 29.1 4.59 9
```

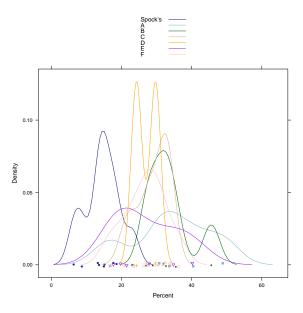
```
5 D 24.3 25.6 27.0 28.4 29.7 27.0 3.82 2 0
6 E 17.7 20.2 24.7 33.1 40.2 27.0 9.01 6 0
7 F 16.5 23.5 26.7 29.8 36.2 26.8 5.97 9 0
```

There were a total of 46 venires. They compared Spock's judge with 6 other judges. The precent of women within each venire was recorded as shown in Display 5.4 (page 117 of the *Sleuth*).

```
> bwplot(Percent ~ Judge, data=case0502) # Display 5.5 (page 118)
```



> densityplot(~ Percent, groups=Judge, auto.key=TRUE, data=case0502)



3.2 One-way ANOVA

First we fit the one way analysis of variance (ANOVA) model, with all of the groups. These results are summarized on page 118 and shown in Display 5.10 (page 127).

By default, the use of the linear model (regression) function displays the pairwise differences between the first group and each of the other groups. Note that the overall test of the model is the same.

```
> summary(lm(Percent ~ Judge, data=case0502))
Call:
lm(formula = Percent ~ Judge, data = case0502)
Residuals:
  Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
-17.32 -4.37 -0.25 3.32 14.78
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 14.62 2.30 6.34 1.7e-07
            19.50 3.86 5.06 1.1e-05
18.99 3.64 5.21 6.4e-06
14.48 3.26 4.44 7.2e-05
JudgeA
JudgeB
JudgeC
                       5.41 2.29 0.0275
JudgeD
             12.38
JudgeE
             12.34
                       3.64 3.39 0.0016
             12.18 3.26 3.74 0.0006
JudgeF
Residual standard error: 6.91 on 39 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.508, Adjusted R-squared: 0.433
F-statistic: 6.72 on 6 and 39 DF, p-value: 6.1e-05
```

Then we can fit the one way analysis of variance F-test of whether the mean percentage is the same for judges A-F (page 118).

3.3 Additional analyses

Now we will demonstrate how to fit the reduced model comparing Spock's judge to a combination of the other judges. First we create a 2 level version of the grouping variable.

```
> case0502$twoJudge = as.character(case0502$Judge)
> case0502$twoJudge[case0502$Judge!="Spock's"] = "notspock"
> tally(twoJudge ~ Judge, format="count", data=case0502)

Judge
twoJudge Spock's A B C D E F
Spock's 9 0 0 0 0 0 0
notspock 0 5 6 9 2 6 9
```

Recall that the book calculates the extra sum of squares as (2,190.90 - 1864.45)/(44-39))/(1864.45/39) = 1.37, with df 5 and 39. P(F > 1.366) = 0.26 (page 130). Below are the calculations for the results found on page 128.

```
> df2 = aov2["Residuals", "Df"]; df2 # Spock and others
[1] 44
> ss2 = aov2["Residuals", "Sum Sq"]; ss2 # Spock and others
[1] 2191
> Fstat = ((ss2 - ss1)/(df2 - numdf1)) / (ss1 / numdf1); Fstat
[1] 1.37
> 1-pf(Fstat, length(levels(case0502$Judge))-2, numdf1)
[1] 0.258
```

We can also compare the two models using ANOVA (Display 5.12, page 130).

```
> anova(lm(Percent ~ as.factor(twoJudge), data=case0502), lm(Percent ~ as.factor(Judge), data=
Analysis of Variance Table

Model 1: Percent ~ as.factor(twoJudge)
Model 2: Percent ~ as.factor(Judge)
    Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
1     44 2191
2     39 1864 5     326 1.37     0.26
```

There are some other ways to compare whether the other judges differ from Dr. Spock's judge in their female composition using contrasts.

3.3.1 Kruskal-Wallis Nonparametric Analysis of Variance

For the results of the Kruskal-Wallis test on page 136 we can use the following code:

```
> kruskal.test(Percent ~ Judge, data=case0502)

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test

data: Percent by Judge
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 20, df = 6, p-value = 0.001
```