

STA4211 Question 3

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```
group_A <- c(14, 18, 11, 13, 18, 17, 21, 9, 16, 17, 14, 15) # Sleep (Group 1)
group_B <- c(12, 12, 14, 13, 6, 18, 14, 16, 10, 7, 15, 10) # Caffeine (Group 2)

# Combine data
data <- c(group_A, group_B)
n_A <- length(group_A)
n_B <- length(group_B)
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(a)

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# Observed difference in means
obs_diff <- mean(group_A) - mean(group_B)
cat("Observed Difference in Means:", obs_diff, "\n")
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## Observed Difference in Means: 3
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(b)

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# Null hypothesis : No difference in mean
# Alternative hypothesis : Two-sided difference in mean
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(c)

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# Randomization test
n_perm <- 1000
perm_diffs <- numeric(n_perm)
set.seed(347)

for (i in 1:n_perm) {
  shuffled <- sample(data)
  perm_group_A <- shuffled[1:n_A]
  perm_group_B <- shuffled[(n_A + 1):(n_A + n_B)]
  perm_diffs[i] <- mean(perm_group_A) - mean(perm_group_B)
}
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(d)

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# One simulation run (seed = 347, 1,000 permutations)

p_value <- mean(abs(perm_diffs) >= abs(obs_diff))
cat("Randomization test p-value", p_value, "\n")

## Randomization test p-value 0.048

cat("This is not surprising because it seems likely that we will reject the null hypothesis")

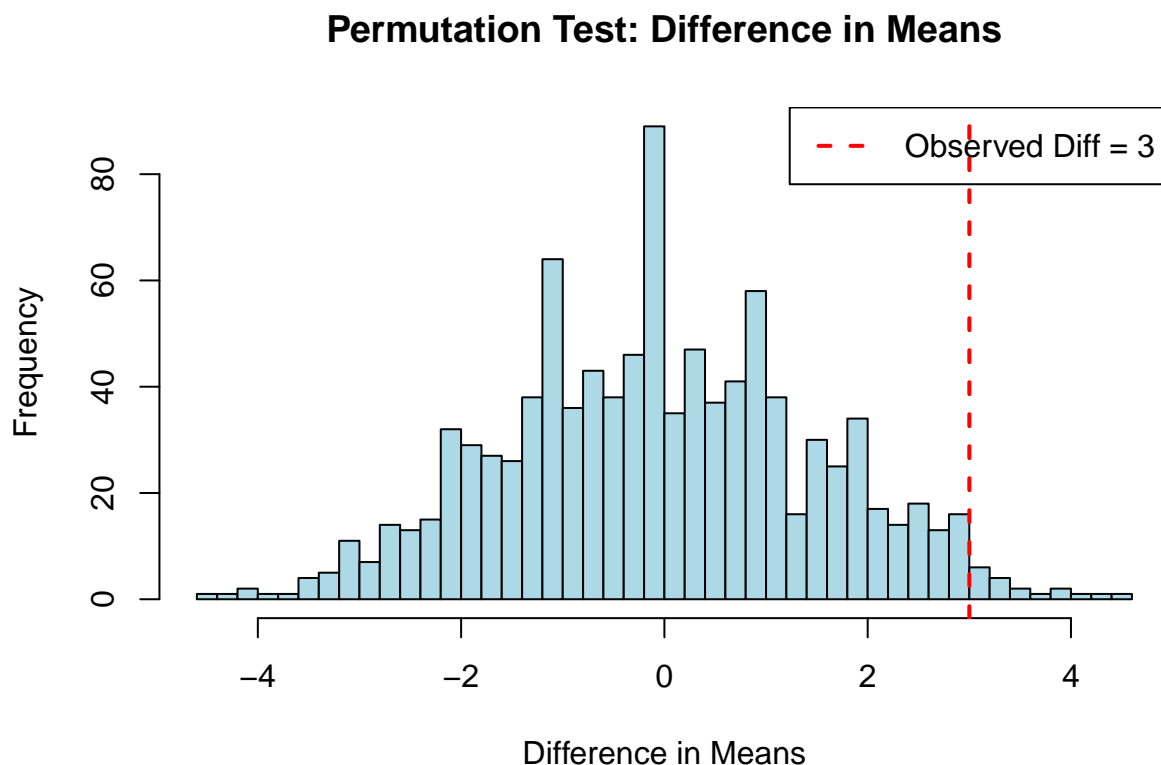
## This is not surprising because it seems likely that we will reject the null hypothesis

cat("Seed value used: 347\n")

## Seed value used: 347

# Histogram
hist(perm_diffs, breaks = 50, col = "lightblue",
     main = "Permutation Test: Difference in Means",
     xlab = "Difference in Means")

abline(v = obs_diff, col = "red", lwd = 2, lty = 2)
legend("topright", legend = paste("Observed Diff =", round(obs_diff, 3)),
      col = "red", lty = 2, lwd = 2)
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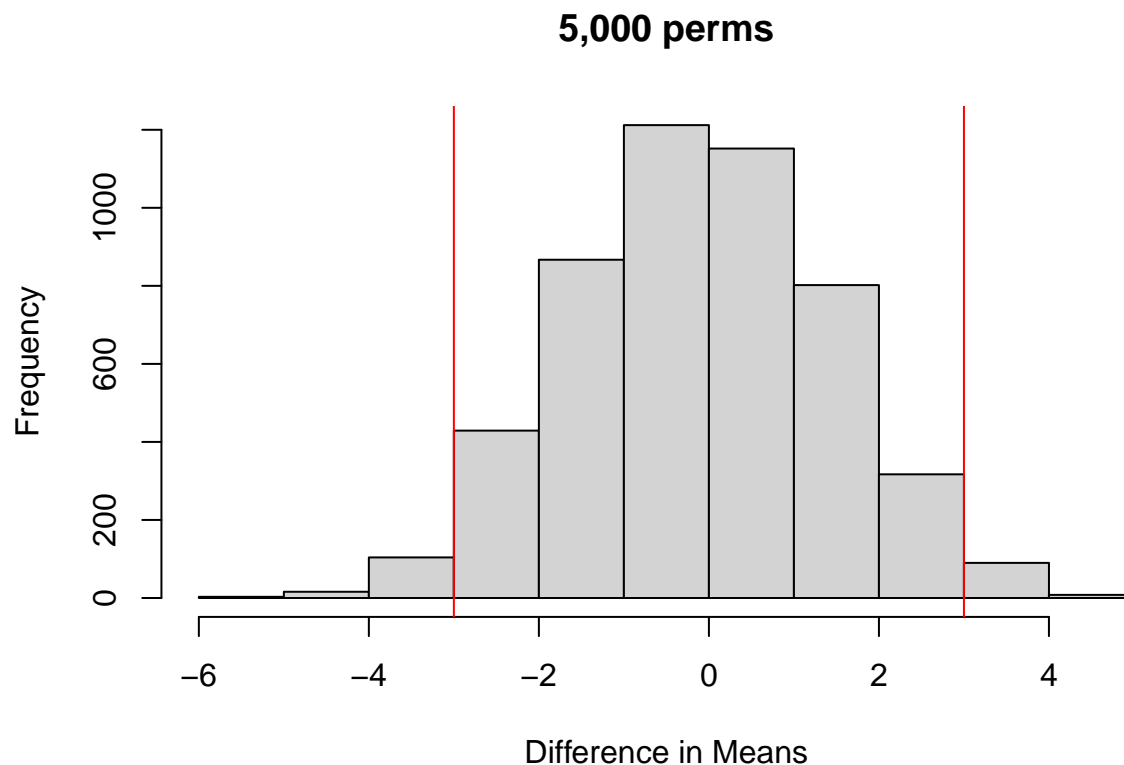
(e)

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# 5,000 permutations, seed=913
n_perm <- 5000; set.seed(913)
perm_diffs <- replicate(n_perm, {
  s <- sample(data)
  mean(s[1:n_A]) - mean(s[(n_A+1):(n_A+n_B)])
})

cat("Center:", mean(perm_diffs),
    " SD:", sd(perm_diffs),
    " Shape: bell-shaped around 0\n")
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## Center: -0.02406667 SD: 1.520956 Shape: bell-shaped around 0
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hist(perm_diffs,
     main="5,000 perms",
     xlab="Difference in Means")
abline(v=c(-obs_diff, obs_diff), col="red")
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(f)

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p_value <- mean(abs(perm_diffs) >= abs(obs_diff))
cat("(f) P-value (5,000 perms):", p_value, "\n")
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## (f) P-value (5,000 perms): 0.0494
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# At the 5% level, we reject the null hypothesis but not so convincingly
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(g)

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t_test_result <- t.test(group_A, group_B,
                        alternative = "two.sided",
                        var.equal = FALSE)
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p_value
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## [1] 0.0494
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t_test_result
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##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: group_A and group_B
## t = 2.1438, df = 21.894, p-value = 0.04342
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 0.09699633 5.90300367
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 15.25 12.25
```

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# Both p-values are very close, so can make the same conclusion
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