

Question 1. Random Effects Model for a single Factor

Factor: Location/Field

Response: Sunflower Yield

Treatments: fields

→ Graded on completion. See solutions.

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a) Researchers are interested in a factor that has a large number of possible levels,

Researchers randomly select a # of factor levels from this large population,

In this case, a random effects model should be used,

where the treatment effects are considered random variables.

b)

$$y_{ij} = \mu + \tau_i + \epsilon_{ij}, \quad \begin{cases} i=1, 2, \dots, 10, \\ j=1, 2, 3, 4 \end{cases} \quad (\alpha=10) \quad \leftarrow \text{Index Range}$$

 y_{ij} represents the j th observation of yield of sunflower in i th field. μ represents the overall population mean response of yield of sunflower. τ_i represents the effect of the i th treatment group on yield of sunflower. ϵ_{ij} represents the random error component of y_{ij}

$$\tau_i \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(0, \sigma^2_{\tau})$$

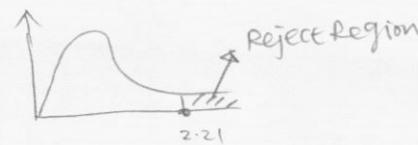
$$\epsilon_{ij} \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(0, \sigma^2_{\epsilon})$$

c) make inference on variance component σ^2_{τ} ,If $\sigma^2_{\tau}=0$ then all treatment effects are identical,If $\sigma^2_{\tau}>0$ then variability exists among the treatment effects.

$$H_0: \sigma^2_{\tau}=0 \quad H_a: \sigma^2_{\tau}>0$$

$$d) \text{ test statistic } F_0 = \frac{MS_{\text{Tre}}}{MS_E} = \frac{5.211}{3.406} = 1.530$$

$$\text{Critical Value} = F_{\alpha, \alpha-1, n-\alpha} = F_{0.05, 9, 30} = 2.21$$

Reject H_0 if $F_0 > F_{0.05, 9, 30} = 2.21$.

$$F_0 = 1.530 < F_{0.05, 9, 30} = 2.21,$$

Thus, DO NOT Reject H_0 .

There's NO sufficient evidence to claim that the variability exists among the treatment effects.

e) $\alpha = 10$,

$n = 4$

$N = 40$

$$\sigma^2 = MSE = 3.406$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{MS_{\text{Trt}} - MSE}{n} = \frac{5.211 - 3.406}{4} = 0.45125$$

f) 95% C.I.

$$\frac{(N-\alpha)MSE}{\chi^2_{\alpha/2, N-\alpha}} \leq \sigma^2 \leq \frac{(N-\alpha)MSE}{\chi^2_{1-\alpha/2, N-\alpha}}$$

$$\frac{30 \times 3.406}{46.979} \leq \sigma^2 \leq \frac{30 \times 3.406}{16.791}$$

$$2.175 \leq \sigma^2 \leq 6.085$$

$$N - \alpha = 30$$

$$\alpha = 0.05$$

$$\chi^2_{0.025, 30} = 46.979$$

$$\chi^2_{0.975, 30} = 16.791$$

Question 2. Two-Factor Factorials with Random Effects

Sunflower Varieties : fixed

fields : random

$$a) Y_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j + (\alpha\gamma)_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}$$

(fixed) (random)

Y_{ijk} represents sunflower yield at i th level of variety and j th level of field
 kth observation of

μ : represents overall population mean

α_i : represents fixed effect corresponding to the i th level of variety.

γ_j : represents random effect corresponding to the j th level of field.

$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$: Random interaction effect for the i th level of variety of sunflower and j th level of field.

$$\alpha_i: i=1, 2, \dots, a; a=3; \sum_{i=1}^a \alpha_i = 0$$

$$K = ?$$



$$\gamma_j: j=1, 2, \dots, b; b=8; \gamma_j \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0, \sigma_\gamma^2)$$

$$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0, \sigma_{\alpha\gamma}^2)$$

$$\epsilon_{ijk} \stackrel{iid}{\sim} N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$\gamma_j, (\alpha\gamma)_{ij}, \epsilon_{ijk}$ are all independent.

$$b) \alpha_i: H_0: \alpha_i = 0 \quad \forall i=1, 2, 3, \quad H_a: \text{at least one } \beta \text{ non-zero}$$

↙ sunflower variety

$$\gamma_j: H_0: \sigma_\gamma^2 = 0, \quad H_a: \sigma_\gamma^2 > 0$$

↙ fields

$$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}: H_0: \sigma_{\alpha\gamma}^2 = 0, \quad H_a: \sigma_{\alpha\gamma}^2 > 0$$

↙ interactions

| Test statistics | Fixed | Random | Mixed - restricted | Mixed - unrestricted |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| A α_i | $\frac{MSA}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSA}{MSAB}$ | $\frac{MSA}{MSAB}$ | $\frac{MSA}{MSAB}$ |
| B γ_j | $\frac{MSB}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSB}{MSAB}$ | $\frac{MSB}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSB}{MSAB}$ |
| AB $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$ | $\frac{MSAB}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSAB}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSAB}{MSE}$ | $\frac{MSAB}{MSE}$ |

c) Reject H_0

d). α_i : Reject H_0

e). α_i : Reject H_0

f). γ_j : Reject H_0

g). $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$: Reject H_0

h). $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$: Fail to Reject H_0

i). γ_j : Fail to Reject H_0

j). $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$: Fail to Reject H_0

{The differences of decisions made in c), d), e).
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Unrestricted

c) $\alpha_i : F_0 = \frac{MS_A}{MS_{AB}} = \frac{32.602}{2.937} = 11.100$ Critical value = $F_{0.05, 2, 14} = 3.74$

Reject H_0 if $F_0 > F_{0.05, 2, 14} = 3.74$. ✓

$F_0 = 11.100 > 3.74$, Thus, Reject H_0 . There's sufficient evidence to claim that the fixed factor of sunflower variety have different effects on sunflower yield.

$\gamma_j : F_0 = \frac{MS_B}{MS_{AB}} = \frac{5.830}{2.937} = 1.985$ Critical value = $F_{0.05, 7, 14} = 2.76$

Reject H_0 if $F_0 > F_{0.05, 7, 14} = 2.76$. ✓

$F_0 = 1.985 < 2.76$.

Thus, DO NOT Reject H_0 . There's no sufficient evidence to claim that the variability among the treatment effects of fields exist.

$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij} : F_0 = \frac{MS_{AB}}{MS_E} = \frac{2.937}{1.807} = 1.625$ Critical value = $F_{0.05, 14, 24} = 2.145$

Reject H_0 if $F_0 > F_{0.05, 14, 24} = 2.145$. ✓

$F_0 = 1.625 < 2.145$.

Thus, DO NOT Reject H_0 . There's no sufficient evidence to claim that the variability among the interaction treatment effects exist.

d) restricted

$\alpha_i : F_0 = \frac{MS_A}{MS_{AB}} = \frac{32.602}{2.937} = 11.100$

$F_{0.05, 2, 14} = 3.74$

$F_0 = 11.100 > 3.74$,

Reject H_0 .

Sunflower variety has different effects.

e) Random effects

$\Rightarrow F_0 = \frac{MS_A}{MS_{AB}} = 11.100$

$F_{0.05, 2, 14} = 3.74$

$F_0 = 11.100 > 3.74$

Reject H_0 .

Sunflower variety has different effects.

* Clearly indicate which conclusions differ / do not differ.

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$\gamma_j : F_0 = \frac{MS_B}{MS_E} = \frac{5.830}{1.807} = 3.226$

$F_{0.05, 7, 14} = 2.42$

$F_0 = 3.226 > 2.42$.

Reject H_0 .

variability of fields exists.

$\Rightarrow F_0 = \frac{MS_B}{MS_{AB}} = 1.985$

$F_{0.05, 7, 14} = 2.76$

$F_0 = 1.985 < 2.76$

DO NOT Reject H_0

No sufficient evidence to claim variability of fields effects exists.

$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij} : F_0 = \frac{MS_{AB}}{MS_E} = \frac{2.937}{1.807} = 1.625$

$F_{0.05, 14, 24} = 2.145$

$F_0 = 1.625 < 2.145$,

DO NOT Reject H_0 .

No sufficient evidence to claim

variability of interaction treatments exists.

$\Rightarrow F_0 = \frac{MS_{AB}}{MS_E} = 1.625$

$F_{0.05, 14, 24} = 2.145$

$F_0 = 1.625 < 2.145$

DO NOT Reject H_0 .

No sufficient evidence to claim variability of interaction treatments exists.

f) unrestricted:

$$\sigma^2 = \text{MSE} = 1.807$$

$$\sigma_{\alpha}^2 = \frac{\text{MSB} - \text{MSAB}}{an} = \frac{5.830 - 2.937}{3 \times 2} = 0.482$$

$$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 = \frac{\text{MSAB} - \text{MSE}}{n} = \frac{2.937 - 1.807}{2} = 0.565$$

a=3

n=2

b=8



g) restricted

$$\sigma^2 = \text{MSE} = 1.807$$

$$\sigma_{\alpha}^2 = \frac{\text{MSB} - \text{MSE}}{an} = \frac{5.830 - 1.807}{3 \times 2} = 0.6705$$



$$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 = \frac{\text{MSAB} - \text{MSE}}{n} = \frac{2.937 - 1.807}{2} = 0.565$$

h) $\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 = 0.5651$, $SE(\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2) = 0.6133$, $\alpha = 0.05$ Interaction effect

① Normal distribution:

$$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \pm Z_{\alpha/2} \cdot SE(\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2)$$

$$(0.5651 \pm 1.96 \times 0.6133) \Rightarrow (-0.637, 1.767)$$



② χ^2 distribution

$$Z_0 = \frac{\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2}{SE(\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2)} = \frac{0.5651}{0.6133} = 0.921$$

$$V = 2 \cdot Z_0^2 = 2 \times (0.921)^2 = 1.698$$

If use df = 1 (N=1)

If df = 2 (N=2)

$$\chi^2_{1, \alpha/2} = 5.024$$

$$\chi^2_{2, 0.025} = 7.378$$

$$\chi^2_{1, 1-\alpha/2} = 0.001$$

$$\chi^2_{2, 0.975} = 0.051$$

$$\frac{V \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2}{\chi^2_{N, \alpha/2}} \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq \frac{V \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2}{\chi^2_{N, 1-\alpha/2}}$$

$$\frac{V \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2}{\chi^2_{N, \alpha/2}} \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq \frac{V \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2}{\chi^2_{N, 1-\alpha/2}}$$

$$\frac{1 \times 0.5651}{5.024} \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq \frac{1 \times 0.5651}{0.001}$$

$$\frac{2 \times 0.5651}{7.378} \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq \frac{2 \times 0.5651}{0.051}$$

$$0.112 \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq 565.1$$

$$0.153 \leq \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 \leq 22.161$$



Question 3.

Random A α_i
 fixed \rightarrow B β_j
 Random C γ_k
 Random D δ_l

(AB) $(\alpha\beta)_{ij}$

$\sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2$

other terms contain AB: ABC, ABD, ABCD

C, D are random,

so, ABC, ABD, ABCD are considered in $MS(AB)$

Random

AC $(\alpha\gamma)_{ik}$

AD $(\alpha\delta)_{il}$

BC $(\beta\gamma)_{jk}$

BD $(\beta\delta)_{jl}$

(CD) $(\gamma\delta)_{kl}$

$\sigma_{\gamma\delta}^2$

other terms contain CD: ACD, BCD, ABCD

A is random, B is fixed,

so ACD is included in $MS(CD)$

ABC $(\alpha\beta\gamma)_{ijk}$

ABD $(\alpha\beta\delta)_{ijl}$

ACD $(\alpha\gamma\delta)_{ikl}$

BCD $(\beta\gamma\delta)_{jkl}$

ABCD $(\alpha\beta\gamma\delta)_{ijkl}$

a) If an interaction contains at least one random effect,
 the entire interaction is considered random.



* All interaction terms are random.

* A, C, D random

* B: fixed

b) $MS(AB) = \sigma^2 + cdm \sigma_{AB}^2 + \boxed{dm \sigma_{ABC}^2 + cm \sigma_{ABD}^2 + m \sigma_{ACD}^2}$

$$= \sigma^2 + cdm \sigma_{\alpha\beta}^2 + dm \sigma_{\alpha\gamma}^2 + cm \sigma_{\alpha\delta}^2 + m \sigma_{\beta\gamma\delta}^2$$

Additional terms

* Use specific
values of
 a, b, c, n -0.5

c) $MS(CD) = \sigma^2 + abm \sigma_{CD}^2 + \boxed{bm \sigma_{ACD}^2}$

Additional term.

$$= \sigma^2 + abm \sigma_{\gamma\delta}^2 + bm \sigma_{\alpha\gamma\delta}^2$$

+ no terms

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