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1. The buffet bar at the Acquiring the Taste Bistro offers five different items, which the bistro sells individually by weight. Customers may add whatever they want to their plate, but they pay for each item separately. Because the bistro customers are health conscious, the nutritional information is posted at the buffet bar.

Make the chart

```
df <- data.frame(Per_Ounce = c("Fat(g)", "Protein(g)", "Carbohydrates(g)", "Sodium(mg)", "Sugar(g)", "Calories", "Cost(cents)"),  
df
```

##	Per_Ounce	Garden_salad	Grilled_veggies	Pasta	Meatballs	Curried_chicken
## 1	Fat(g)	1	1	3	6	4
## 2	Protein(g)	0	1	2	10	12
## 3	Carbohydrates(g)	3	4	12	6	3
## 4	Sodium(mg)	10	12	15	25	20
## 5	Sugar(g)	12	5	6	4	1
## 6	Calories	15	20	40	60	50
## 7	Cost(cents)	25	40	30	50	60

Derek just moved to town and has a new job, so he is most concerned with saving money. When he eats at the bistro, his objective is to minimize cost. However, he does have some dietary requirements, namely the following:

- He would like to limit his fat intake to 40 grams or less.
- He wants a minimum of 80 grams protein.
- He wants a minimum of 60 grams carbohydrates.
- Because he has high blood pressure, Derek must limit his sodium intake to at most 200 milligrams.
- He would like to limit his calorie intake to at most 700 calories.

(a) What is the objective function?

$$z = 25 * \text{garden_salad} + 40 * \text{grilled_veggies} + 30 * \text{pasta} + 50 * \text{meatballs} + 60 * \text{curried_chicken}$$

Here is the cost function as a vector in R:

```
cost <- c(25,40,30,50,60)
```

Where z is the cost function of lunch and the variables represent the quantity of food items purchased

(b) What are the constraints?

The constraints are that

```
fat_intake <= 40g
protein_intake >= 80g
carb_intake >= 60g
sodium_intake <= 200mg
calorie_intake <= 700cal
```

(c) What is the optimal combination of foods?

Write values as matrix

```
library(lpSolve)

# note that we don't need to include sugar here.

val_matrix <- matrix(c(1,1,3,6,4,0,1,2,10,12,3,4,12,6,3,10,12,15,25,20,15,20,40,60,50),nrow = 5, byrow = TRUE)

constraints <- c(40,80,60,200,700)

constraint_dir <- c("<=", ">=", ">=", "<=", "<=")

lp_sol <- lp("min", cost, val_matrix, constraint_dir, constraints)

print(lp_sol$solution)

## [1] 0.000000 0.000000 2.666667 2.666667 4.000000

print(lp_sol$objval)

## [1] 453.3333
```

We don't need to round up, as the food is weighed, so the optimal quantity of foods is: 2.66 pasta, 2.66 meatballs, and 4 curried chicken salad.

The total cost will be \$4.53 , and all the constraints will be met.

2. In an experiment to investigate the effect of colour paper (blue, green, orange) on the response rate for questionnaires distributed by the “windshield method” in supermarket partaking lots, 15 lots were chosen, and each colour was assigned at random to five of the lots. The response rate (in %) are given below. Let μ_1 , μ_2 , μ_3 be the population mean response rates for blue, green and orange questionnaires respectively.

Blue: 27 25 30 26 34

Green: 34 29 25 31 29

Orange: 28 22 24 26 25

(a) Define the response variable, the factor, and the treatment.

The response variable is the response rate of different questionnaires.

The factor is the color of the questionnaire paper.

The treatments are the colors blue, green and orange.

(b) What are the experimental units?

The experimental units are the flyers.

(c) State the hypotheses needed to conduct a one-way ANOVA. Perform a one-way ANOVA procedure on the data above. Is there sufficient evidence at the 10% level of significance to indicate that there is a difference in the mean response rates under the different colours? Use the p-value approach.

The null hypothesis is that the color does not change the response rate, and the alternative hypothesis is that the color of flyers DOES change the response rate.

```
blue <- c(27, 25, 30, 26, 34)
green <- c(34, 29, 25, 31, 29)
orange <- c(28, 22, 24, 26, 25)

mean(blue)
```

```
## [1] 28.4
```

```
mean(green)
```

```
## [1] 29.6
```

```
mean(orange)
```

```
## [1] 25
```

```
response_rates <- c(blue, green, orange)

colors <- factor(rep(c("Blue", "Green", "Orange"), each = 5))

anova_result <- aov(response_rates ~ colors)

summary(anova_result)
```

```
##           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## colors      2  56.93   28.47   2.935 0.0917 .
## Residuals  12 116.40    9.70
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

As the p value is 0.0917 which is LESS than 0.1, there is sufficient evidence at the 10% level of significance to indicate that there is a difference in the mean response rates under the different colors.

(d) Use a 90% Tukey simultaneous confidence interval. Discuss the nature of any differences in the mean response rate under the different colours, Is there a particular colour that is a clear winner when it comes to mean response rate?

```
tukey_result <- TukeyHSD(anova_result, conf.level = 0.90)

print(tukey_result)
```

```
## Tukey multiple comparisons of means
## 90% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = response_rates ~ colors)
##
## $colors
##          diff          lwr          upr          p adj
## Green-Blue    1.2 -3.262581  5.6625813 0.8178869
## Orange-Blue  -3.4 -7.862581  1.0625813 0.2358108
## Orange-Green -4.6 -9.062581 -0.1374187 0.0888902
```

All this information shows is that Orange is a worse color than green for paper color of flyer response rates. There is no clear winner, as the interval containing green and blue and the interval containing orange and blue contains zero.

3. Safety in resorts is a growing concern among travelers. In order to compare four national resorts, a randomized block design was conducted in which four people were randomly selected who had stayed overnight in a resort in each of the four resorts in the past two years. Each traveler was asked to rate each resort on a scale from 0 to 100 to indicate how safe they felt; the higher the score, the safer they felt.

Resort	Traveler 1	Traveler 2	Traveler 3	Traveler 4
Xcaret	40	60	60	20
Moon Palace	30	50	50	40
Garza Blanca	40	70	60	50
Riu	50	80	60	60

- (a) Define the response variable, treatment factor, block factor.

The response variable is the safety score of the resort. The treatment factors are the different resorts. A block factor is the use of 4 different travelers.

- (b) Give the ANOVA Table.

```
# Create a data frame with the provided data
dframe <- data.frame(Traveler = rep(c("Traveler_1", "Traveler_2", "Traveler_3", "Traveler_4"), each = 4),
  Resort = rep(c("Xcaret", "Moon Palace", "Garza Blanca", "Riu"), times = 4),
  Outcomes = c(40, 30, 40, 50, 60, 50, 70, 80, 60, 50, 60, 60, 20, 40, 50, 60)
)

dframe
```

```
##      Traveler      Resort Outcomes
## 1 Traveler_1      Xcaret         40
## 2 Traveler_1 Moon Palace         30
## 3 Traveler_1 Garza Blanca         40
## 4 Traveler_1         Riu         50
```

```
## 5 Traveler_2 Xcaret 60
## 6 Traveler_2 Moon Palace 50
## 7 Traveler_2 Garza Blanca 70
## 8 Traveler_2 Riu 80
## 9 Traveler_3 Xcaret 60
## 10 Traveler_3 Moon Palace 50
## 11 Traveler_3 Garza Blanca 60
## 12 Traveler_3 Riu 60
## 13 Traveler_4 Xcaret 20
## 14 Traveler_4 Moon Palace 40
## 15 Traveler_4 Garza Blanca 50
## 16 Traveler_4 Riu 60
```

```
model <- aov(Outcomes ~ Resort + Traveler, data = dframe)
summary(model)
```

```
##           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## Resort      3   1025    341.7    4.92 0.0272 *
## Traveler    3   1725    575.0    8.28 0.0059 **
## Residuals   9    625     69.4
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

(c) Give the Anova table

Repeated question, so already answered

(d) Is there sufficient evidence at $\alpha = 0.05$ to indicate that there is a difference in the mean safety scores of the resorts. Use a critical value approach, and make sure to define each mean in your hypotheses.

The null hypothesis is that all the resorts have the same mean safety score, and the alternative hypothesis is that at least one resort has a different mean safety score than the others.

```
critical_F <- qf(0.05, 3,7, lower.tail = F)
critical_F
```

```
## [1] 4.346831
```

As the F value of 4.92 is greater than the critical value of 4.34, there is sufficient evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

(e) Is there sufficient evidence at $\alpha = 0.05$ to indicate that there is a difference in the mean safety scores assigned by the different travellers? Use a critical value approach, and make sure to define each mean in your hypotheses.

The null hypothesis is that all the travelers give the same mean safety score, and the alternative hypothesis is that at least one traveler gives a different mean safety score than the others.

```
critical_F <- qf(0.05,3,7,lower.tail = F)

critical_F
```

```
## [1] 4.346831
```

As the F value of 8.28 is greater than the critical value of 4.34, there is sufficient evidence to reject the null hypothesis.

- (f) Compute a 95% simultaneous Tukey confidence interval to discuss the nature of any differences in the mean safety scores of the different resorts.

```
tukey_result <- TukeyHSD(model,conf.level = 0.95)

tukey_result
```

```
## Tukey multiple comparisons of means
## 95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = Outcomes ~ Resort + Traveler, data = dframe)
##
## $Resort
##          diff          lwr          upr      p adj
## Moon Palace-Garza Blanca -12.5 -30.895376  5.8953755 0.2174850
## Riu-Garza Blanca          7.5 -10.895376 25.8953755 0.6005945
## Xcaret-Garza Blanca      -10.0 -28.395376  8.3953755 0.3786531
## Riu-Moon Palace          20.0  1.604624 38.3953755 0.0332115
## Xcaret-Moon Palace        2.5 -15.895376 20.8953755 0.9728629
## Xcaret-Riu               -17.5 -35.895376  0.8953755 0.0628466
##
## $Traveler
##          diff          lwr          upr      p adj
## Traveler_2-Traveler_1 25.0  6.6046245 43.395376 0.0095723
## Traveler_3-Traveler_1 17.5 -0.8953755 35.895376 0.0628466
## Traveler_4-Traveler_1  2.5 -15.8953755 20.895376 0.9728629
## Traveler_3-Traveler_2 -7.5 -25.8953755 10.895376 0.6005945
## Traveler_4-Traveler_2 -22.5 -40.8953755 -4.104624 0.0176911
## Traveler_4-Traveler_3 -15.0 -33.3953755  3.395376 0.1183609
```

We observe that Riu gets higher safety scores than the Moon Palace, and that traveler 2 gives higher safety scores than traveler 1 and traveler 4.

4. A telemarketing firm has studied the effects of two factors on the response to its television advertisements. The first factor is the time of day at which the ad is run, while the second is the position of the ad within the hour.

Position of Advertisement	Time of Day	On the hour	On the half hour	Early in program	Late in program
10 AM	42	36	62	51	
37	41	68	47		
41	38	64	48		
4 PM	62	57	88	67	
60	60	85	60		

```

58 55 81 66
9 PM 100 97 127 105
96 96 120 101
103 101 126 107

```

(a) Define the treatments

The treatments are both the time of day, and the position of the advertisement.

(b) Perform a graphical analysis to check for interaction between time of day and position of advertisement.

```

library(ggplot2)

# Create a data frame with the provided data
df <- data.frame(
  TimeOfDay = rep(c("10 AM", "4 PM", "9 PM"), each = 12),
  Position = rep(c("On the hour", "On the half hour", "Early in program", "Late in program"), times = 3),
  Response = c(
    42, 36, 62, 51, 37, 41, 68, 47, 41, 38, 64, 48, 62, 57, 88, 67, 60, 60, 85, 60, 58, 55, 81, 66, 100, 97, 127, 105, 96, 96, 120, 103, 101, 126, 107
  )
)

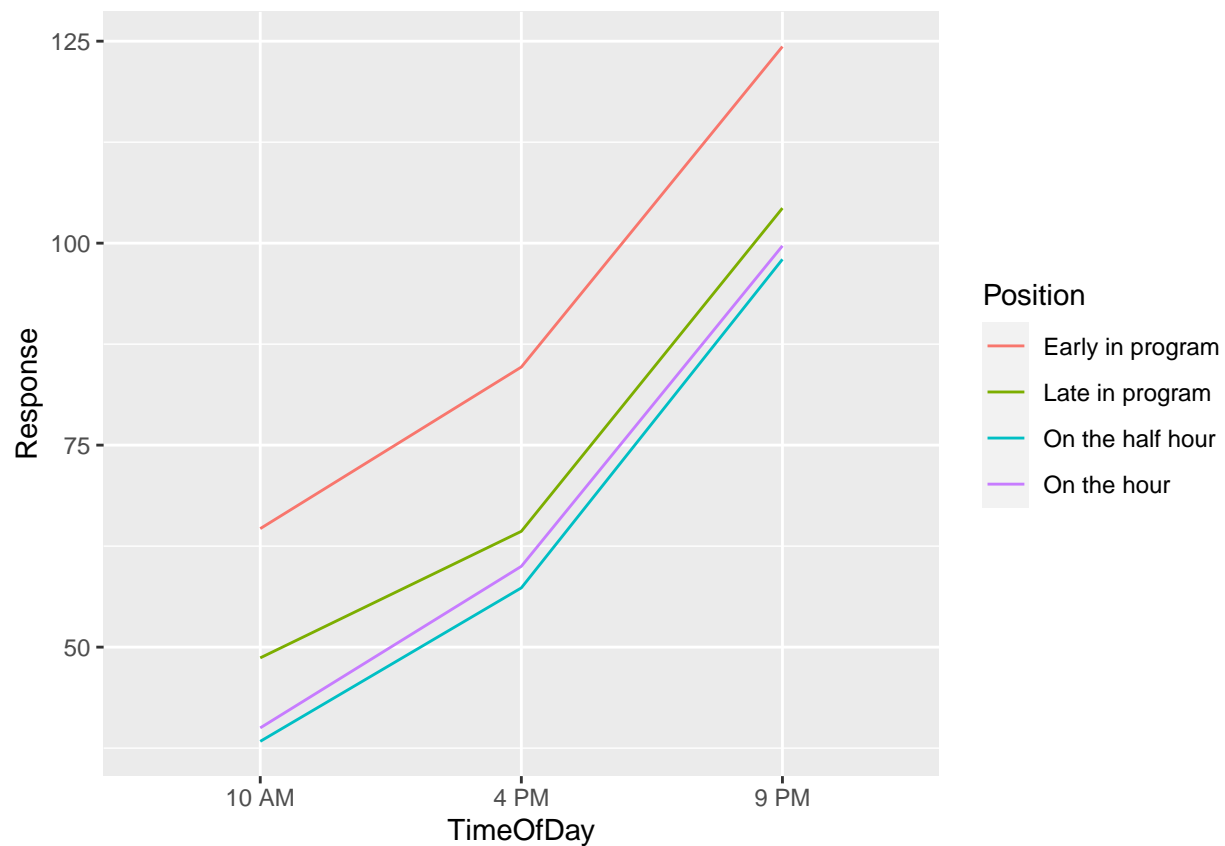
df

```

##	TimeOfDay	Position	Response
## 1	10 AM	On the hour	42
## 2	10 AM	On the half hour	36
## 3	10 AM	Early in program	62
## 4	10 AM	Late in program	51
## 5	10 AM	On the hour	37
## 6	10 AM	On the half hour	41
## 7	10 AM	Early in program	68
## 8	10 AM	Late in program	47
## 9	10 AM	On the hour	41
## 10	10 AM	On the half hour	38
## 11	10 AM	Early in program	64
## 12	10 AM	Late in program	48
## 13	4 PM	On the hour	62
## 14	4 PM	On the half hour	57
## 15	4 PM	Early in program	88
## 16	4 PM	Late in program	67
## 17	4 PM	On the hour	60
## 18	4 PM	On the half hour	60
## 19	4 PM	Early in program	85
## 20	4 PM	Late in program	60
## 21	4 PM	On the hour	58
## 22	4 PM	On the half hour	55
## 23	4 PM	Early in program	81
## 24	4 PM	Late in program	66
## 25	9 PM	On the hour	100
## 26	9 PM	On the half hour	97
## 27	9 PM	Early in program	127

```
## 28      9 PM Late in program      105
## 29      9 PM   On the hour       96
## 30      9 PM On the half hour    96
## 31      9 PM Early in program    120
## 32      9 PM Late in program     101
## 33      9 PM   On the hour       103
## 34      9 PM On the half hour    101
## 35      9 PM Early in program    126
## 36      9 PM Late in program     107
```

```
ggplot(data=df, aes(x=TimeOfDay, y = Response, col = Position, group = Position)) + stat_summary(fun = m
```



(c) Test for interaction with $\alpha = 0.05$. State your hypotheses.

Here the null hypothesis is that both time and position of advertisement have no effect on each other. The alternative hypothesis is that these DO have an effect on each other.

```
model2 <- aov(Response ~ Position*TimeOfDay, data = df)
summary(model2)
```

```
##           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq  F value    Pr(>F)
## Position    3   3989    1330  149.137 1.19e-15 ***
## TimeOfDay    2  21561   10780 1209.022 < 2e-16 ***
```



```
## Position:TimeOfDay  6      25      4    0.474    0.821
## Residuals          24     214      9
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

As the comparison p value of 0.82 is NOT less than 0.05, we accept the null hypothesis.

(d) Test the significance of time of day effects with $\alpha = 0.05$. State your hypotheses.

The null hypothesis is that the time of day for an advertisement has no impact on the responses. The alternative hypothesis is that the time of day does have significance on responses. As seen in the ANOVA table, the p value is very small, (2×10^{-16}) which is less than 0.05, so we reject the null hypothesis. This makes sense, as there is clearly a correlation between the variables as seen on the graph (the slope of the lines are all positive).

(e) Test the significance of position of advertisement effects with $\alpha = 0.05$. State your hypotheses.

The null hypothesis is that the position of advertisement has no impact on the number of responses. The alternative hypothesis is that the position of advertisement has significance on the number of responses. As the p value of 1.19×10^{-15} is very small and less than 0.05, we reject the null hypothesis. This makes sense, as there is clearly a correlation between the variables (each line has a different height for all times that never crosses).

(f) Make a pairwise comparison of the four ad positions by using Tukey simultaneous 95% confidence interval.

```
TukeyHSD(model2, "Position", conf.level = 0.95)
```

```
##    Tukey multiple comparisons of means
##      95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = Response ~ Position * TimeOfDay, data = df)
##
## $Position
##              diff          lwr          upr      p adj
## Late in program-Early in program -18.777778 -22.660936 -14.894619 0.0000000
## On the half hour-Early in program -26.666667 -30.549825 -22.783508 0.0000000
## On the hour-Early in program      -24.666667 -28.549825 -20.783508 0.0000000
## On the half hour-Late in program  -7.888889 -11.772047  -4.005730 0.0000509
## On the hour-Late in program       -5.888889  -9.772047  -2.005730 0.0017611
## On the hour-On the half hour       2.000000  -1.883159   5.883159 0.4991417
```

(g) Make a pairwise comparison of the morning, afternoon, and evening times by using Tukey simultaneous 95% confidence interval.

```
TukeyHSD(model2, "TimeOfDay", conf.level = 0.95)
```

```
##    Tukey multiple comparisons of means
##      95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = Response ~ Position * TimeOfDay, data = df)
```

```
##
## $TimeOfDay
##          diff          lwr          upr p adj
## 4 PM-10 AM 18.66667 15.62232 21.71101    0
## 9 PM-10 AM 58.66667 55.62232 61.71101    0
## 9 PM-4 PM  40.00000 36.95565 43.04435    0
```

- (h) Which time of day and advertisement position maximizes consumer response? Does your answers depend on each other? Why?

We could compare using the Tukey tables, but the graph shows a much clearer relationship between time of day and advertisement position with consumer response. From this, we can see that earlier in the program has higher response rates, (also seen using Tukey table in (f)). Additionally, we can see that the response rates are higher at 9pm than any other time (seen using Tukey table in (g)), and as these variables do not influence each other (from (c)), the best combination of these variables is just the best selection from both categories. So earlier in the program and 9pm are the best times to get higher response rates for ads.