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Two-factor ANOVA with interactions

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- In some experiments there is more than one *factor* that might affect the response.
- We can think of such an experiment as a "big one-way ANOVA" where each *combination of factors* is a different "treatment".
- Interest lies in determining not only if there are differences between each treatment, but other questions, such as whether
 - each factor has an effect;
 - the effect of one factor is the same across all levels of the other factor(s).
- We shall focus on the case of **two factors**.

General setup

We have observations

$$\{y_{ijk}: i = 1, \dots, a; j = 1, \dots, b; k = 1, \dots, n\}$$

where y_{ijk} is the k -th observation receiving the treatment combination corresponding to level i of factor A and level j of factor B.

- There are n observations receiving each treatment combination.
- The **full model** is that y_{ijk} is the value taken by $Y_{ijk} \sim N(\mu_{ij}, \sigma^2)$.

Examples



Poisons and antidotes

- In a famous paper Box and Cox (1964) analyse an experiment where one of each of **3 poisons** and **4 antidotes** were administered to a sample of 4 animals, giving 48 observations all together (4 observations on each of the 12 treatment combinations).
 - The response was **survival time**.
 - They showed the **reciprocal** of the survival time was an appropriate transformation to use on the response.
- The aim of the study was to determine how each antidote affected survival in the presence of each poison.
- This is a "3-by-4 factorial experiment".



Poisons and antidotes

The data can be found in the **BHH2** package (Barrios, 2016).

```
# install.packages("BHH2")
data("poison.data", package = "BHH2")
glimpse(poison.data)
```

```
## Rows: 48
## Columns: 3
## $ poison <fct> I, I, I, I, II, II, II, II, III, III, III, ...
## $ treat  <fct> A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, B, B, B...
## $ y      <dbl> 0.31, 0.45, 0.46, 0.43, 0.36, 0.29, 0.40, 0...
```

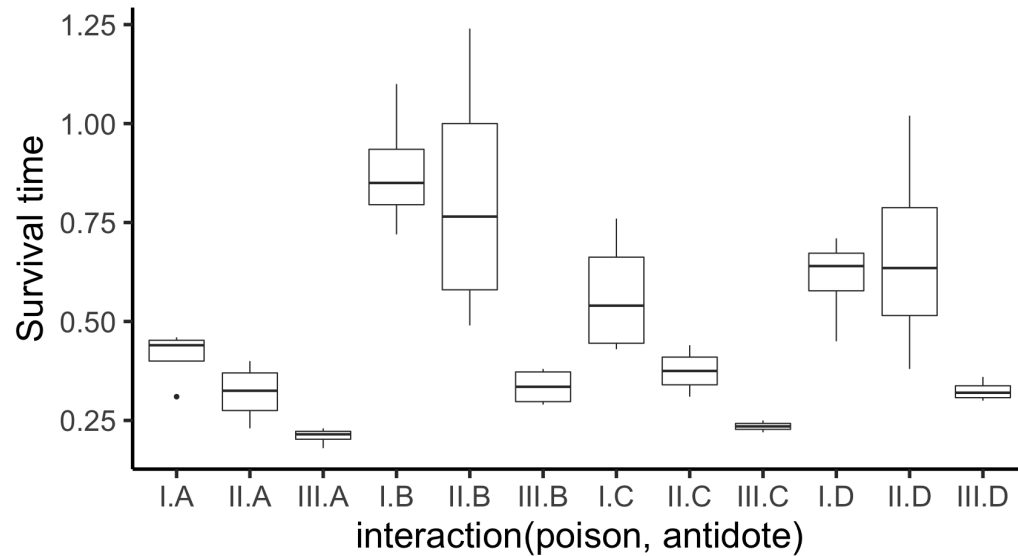
```
# rename treat as antidote to avoid confusion with the general term "treatment"
poison.data = poison.data %>%
  rename(antidote = treat)
glimpse(poison.data)
```

```
## Rows: 48
## Columns: 3
## $ poison  <fct> I, I, I, I, II, II, II, II, III, III, III...
## $ antidote <fct> A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, B, B,...
## $ y       <dbl> 0.31, 0.45, 0.46, 0.43, 0.36, 0.29, 0.40,...
```

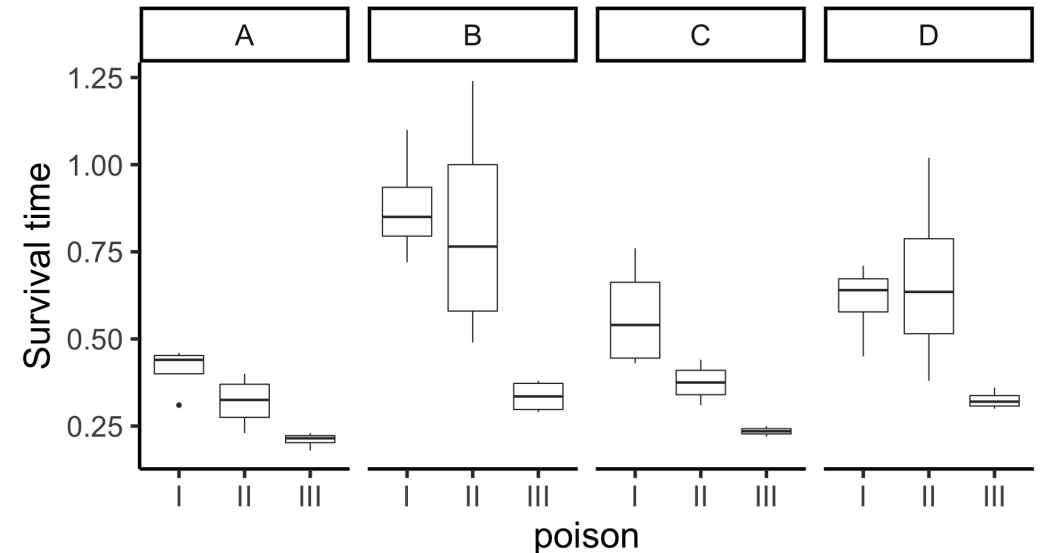



Visualising the data

```
poison.data %>% ggplot() +  
  aes(x = interaction(poison, antidote), y = y)  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 30) +  
  labs(y = "Survival time")
```



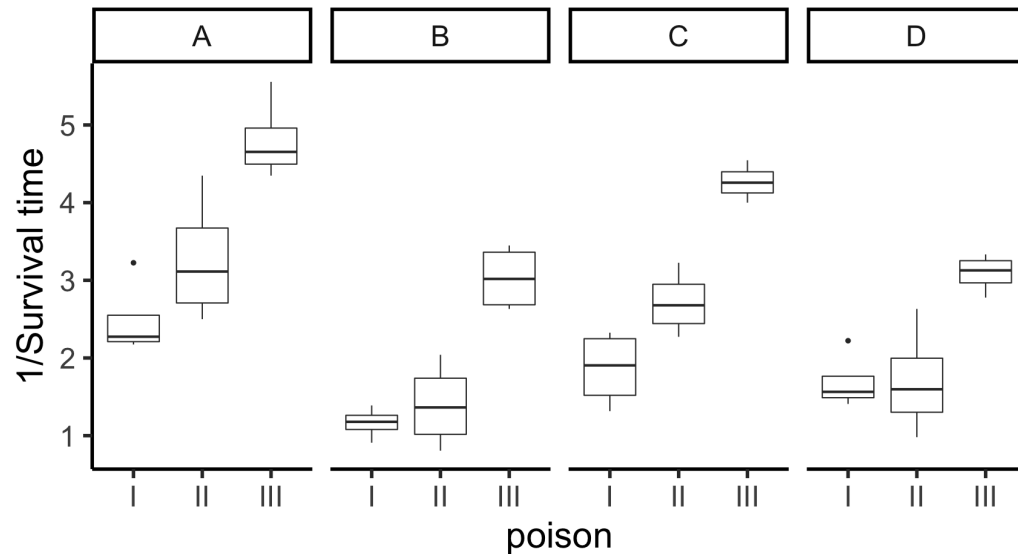
```
poison.data %>% ggplot() +  
  aes(x = poison, y = y) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 30) +  
  facet_wrap(~antidote, ncol = 4) +  
  labs(y = "Survival time")
```



The variance is much less for groups with lower means. A transformation is clearly needed here to satisfy normality, equal variance assumptions.



```
poison.data = poison.data %>%  
  mutate(inv_survival = 1/y)  
poison.data %>% ggplot() +  
  aes(x = poison, y = inv_survival) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 30) +  
  facet_wrap(~antidote, ncol = 4) +  
  labs(y = "1/Survival time")
```



- The reciprocal transformation is much better;
 - while spreads still differ somewhat, they don't get systematically smaller with smaller mean.

Paper planes

- Mackisack (1994) has the results from an experiment where statistics students launched paper planes in a controlled environment, controlling for various factors, including
 - Paper quality: 1 (80gsm) and 2 (50gsm);
 - Plane design: 1 (High-performance glider) and 2 (Incredibly simple glider).
- The response was distance travelled in mm.
- Four "flights" were conducted at each of the 4 treatment combinations.
- Do either Paper or Plane (or both) have any impact on the distance "flown"?
- This is a "2-by-2 factorial experiment".



```
planes = read_tsv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/DATA2002/data/master/planes.txt")
glimpse(planes)
```

```
## Rows: 16
## Columns: 5
## $ Distance <dbl> 2160, 1511, 4596, 3706, 3854, 1690, 5088,...
## $ Paper    <dbl> 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2,...
## $ Angle    <dbl> 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2,...
## $ Plane    <dbl> 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 1,...
## $ Order    <dbl> 12, 11, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1, 7, 3, 9, 14, 5, 16...
```

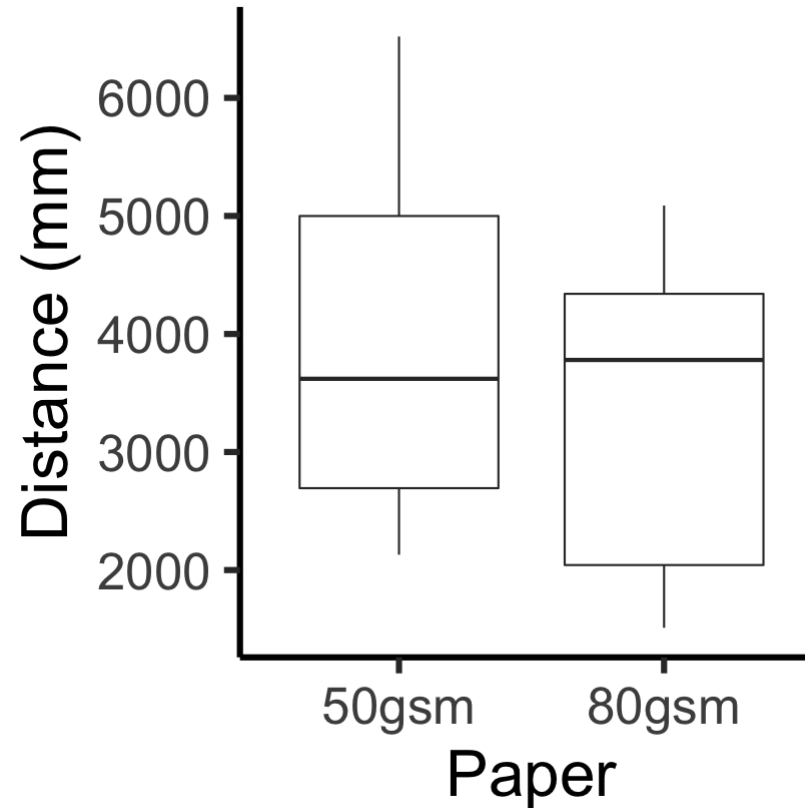
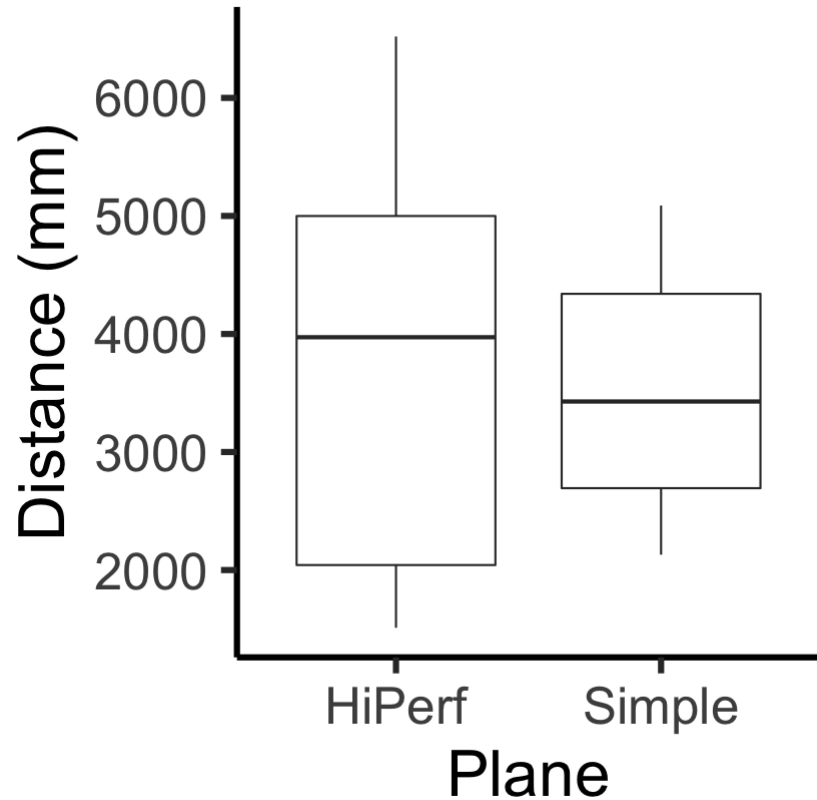
```
planes = planes %>%
  mutate(
    Paper = case_when(
      Paper == 1 ~ "80gsm",
      Paper == 2 ~ "50gsm"
    ),
    Plane = case_when(
      Plane == 1 ~ "HiPerf",
      Plane == 2 ~ "Simple"
    )
  )
```

```
glimpse(planes)
```

```
## Rows: 16
## Columns: 5
## $ Distance <dbl> 2160, 1511, 4596, 3706, 3854, 1690, 5088,...
## $ Paper    <chr> "80gsm", "80gsm", "80gsm", "80gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm", "50gsm"
## $ Angle    <dbl> 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2,...
## $ Plane    <chr> "HiPerf", "HiPerf", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple", "Simple"
## $ Order    <dbl> 12, 11, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1, 7, 3, 9, 14, 5, 16...
```

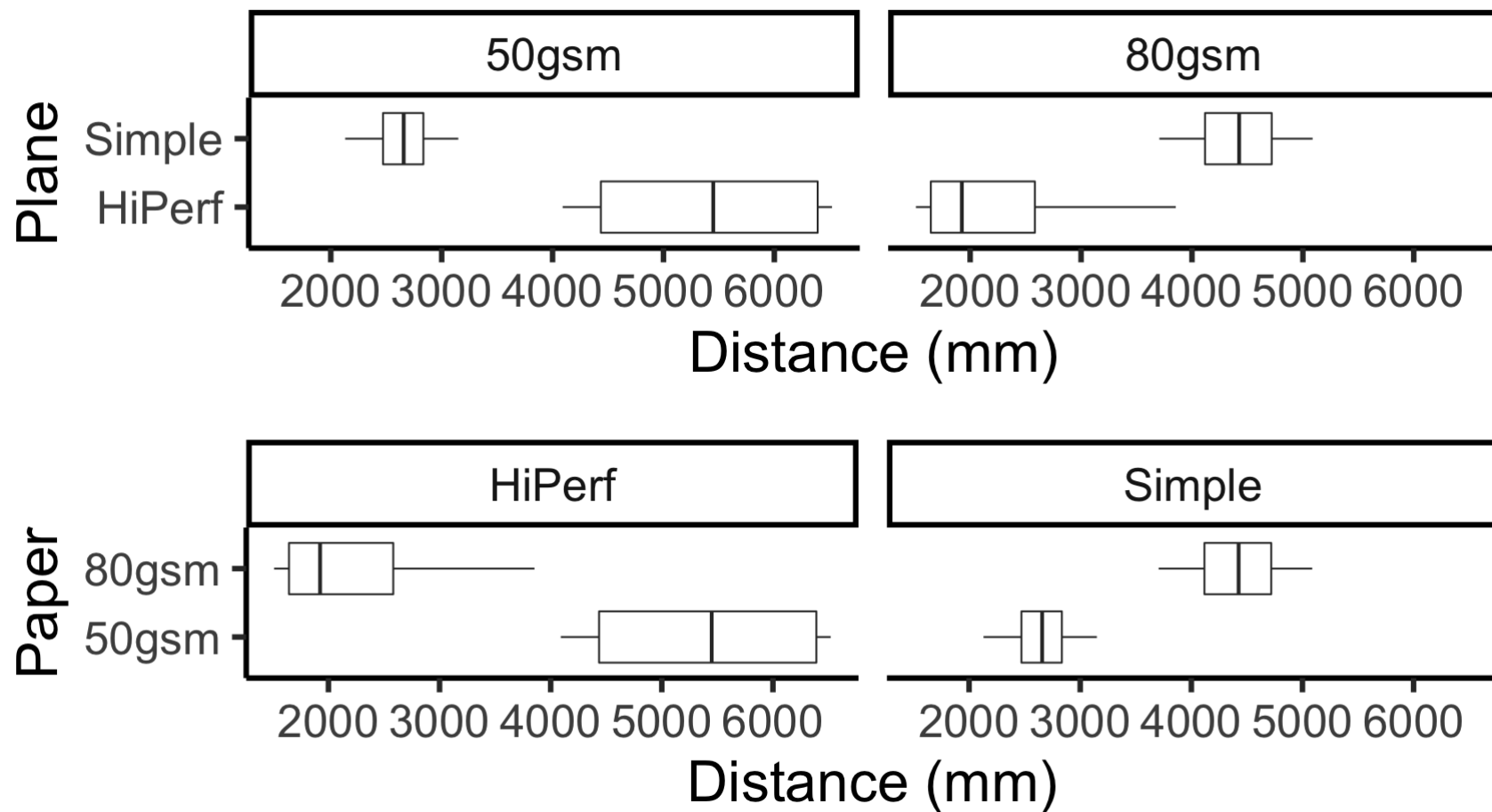


```
p1 = ggplot(planes, aes(x = Plane, y = Distance)) +  
  geom_boxplot() + labs(y = "Distance (mm)")  
p2 = ggplot(planes, aes(x = Paper, y = Distance)) +  
  geom_boxplot() + labs(y = "Distance (mm)")  
gridExtra::grid.arrange(p1, p2, ncol = 2)
```





```
p3 = p1 + facet_wrap(~ Paper) + coord_flip()  
p4 = p2 + facet_wrap(~ Plane) + coord_flip()  
gridExtra::grid.arrange(p3, p4, ncol = 1)
```



General setup

- For each $i = 1, \dots, a$, $j = 1, \dots, b$, $k = 1, \dots, n$, y_{ijk} is the k -th observation receiving level i of factor A and level j of factor B and is modelled as the value taken by the random variable,

$$Y_{ijk} \sim N(\mu_{ij}, \sigma^2),$$

and all random variables are assumed independent.

Various "questions"

- We might "ask various questions" about the structure of the μ_{ij} 's (i.e. *test various null hypotheses*), e.g.:
 - $H_0: \mu_{ij} \equiv \mu$ (i.e. straight 1-way ANOVA between all treatment combinations)
 - $H_0: \mu_{ij} \equiv \mu_i$ for all j (so factor B has no effect)
 - $H_0: \mu_{ij} \equiv \mu_j$ for all i (so factor A has no effect)
- We can also ask if an **interaction** is present
 - $H_0: \mu_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j$ for some constants μ, α_i ($i = 1, \dots, a$), γ_j ($j = 1, \dots, b$), so that the two factors combine **additively**.
 - If this is true then the adjustment for each level of factor A is *the same within each level of factor B*, and vice versa.
 - If this is **not** true, then we say there is some **interaction** between factors A and B.
 - This is (therefore) known as a "*test of no interaction*".

This is **not** a two-way ANOVA (in the sense of adjusting for blocks)

- This looks very similar to our earlier model where we were adjusting for blocks.
- However, it is **very different**.
- When adjusting for blocks:
 - the full model is $E(Y_{ij}) = \mu_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j$ (i.e. treatments and blocks combine additively);
 - the null hypothesis is that $\mu_{ij} = \mu + \beta_j$ (i.e. all "treatment effects" α_i are zero);
 - the β_j 's are **not** treatment effects, they are block effects.
- In **this** scenario,
 - the full model is $E(Y_{ijk}) = \mu_{ij}$ (i.e. unrestricted);
 - the null hypothesis is $\mu_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j$ (factor A and factor B effects combine additively);
 - both α_i and γ_j are related to treatment effects.

- We therefore use γ_j (i.e. a different Greek letter to β_j) to stress this difference.
- In many books
 - β_j is used for both: **bad!**;
 - this setup is called "two-way ANOVA with replicates": **also bad**;
 - better to call it "two-factor ANOVA".

Some theory!

Reparametrisation: contrasts!

- We introduce some new "parameters".
- Define
 - $\mu = \bar{\mu}_{\bullet\bullet}$ ("overall mean")
 - $\alpha_i = \bar{\mu}_{i\bullet} - \bar{\mu}_{\bullet\bullet}$ ("main effect due to i -th level of factor A")
 - $\gamma_j = \bar{\mu}_{\bullet j} - \bar{\mu}_{\bullet\bullet}$ ("main effect due to j -th level of factor B")
 - and the interaction effect between level i of factor A and level j of factor B:

$$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij} = \mu_{ij} - (\mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j) = \mu_{ij} - \bar{\mu}_{i\bullet} - \bar{\mu}_{\bullet j} + \bar{\mu}_{\bullet\bullet}$$

- Then we may write

$$\mu_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j + (\alpha\gamma)_{ij} .$$

- The α_i 's, γ_j 's and $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$'s are all **contrasts** in the μ_{ij} 's!

Main effects: contrasts!

- Each α_i is a contrast in the μ_{ij} 's. For example,

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha_1 = \bar{\mu}_{1\bullet} - \bar{\mu}_{\bullet\bullet} &= \frac{1}{b}(\mu_{11} + \dots + \mu_{1b}) - \frac{1}{ab}(\mu_{11} + \dots + \mu_{ab}) \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{ab} \right] \underbrace{(\mu_{11} + \dots + \mu_{1b})}_{b \text{ terms here}} - \frac{1}{ab} \underbrace{(\mu_{21} + \dots + \mu_{ab})}_{(a-1)b \text{ terms here}}\end{aligned}$$

- This is of the form $\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b c_{ij} \mu_{ij}$ where
 - b of the c_{ij} 's are equal to $\frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{ab} = \frac{a-1}{ab}$;
 - the remaining $(a-1)b$ terms are equal to $-\frac{1}{ab}$.
 - these add to

$$b \frac{(a-1)}{ab} - (a-1)b \frac{1}{ab} = 0.$$

so α_1 is a contrast in the μ_{ij} 's!

Main effects: interpretation

- So each α_i in fact is a contrast in the (treatment combination) group means that measures in some overall sense how the means for level i of factor A differ from the overall average.
- In exactly the same way, each γ_j is a contrast (in the μ_{ij} 's) that compares (in some overall sense) level j of factor B to the overall average.

Interaction effects

- A similar (but more complicated) calculation can be used to show that each $(\alpha\gamma)_{ij}$ is also a contrast in the μ_{ij} 's.
- Each

$$(\alpha\gamma)_{ij} = \mu_{ij} - (\mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j)$$

compares a mean μ_{ij} to the corresponding "additive prediction" $\mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j$.

- If the factor levels *actually do* combine additively, then each such interaction (population) contrast is zero.
- Therefore a "test for no interaction" can be formulated as the following null hypothesis:

$$H_0: (\alpha\gamma)_{ij} = 0 \text{ for all } i, j.$$

Constraints: main effects degrees of freedom

- Note that (as with our earlier models) these "effects" satisfy certain constraints:
- Both sets of main effects add to zero:

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \alpha_i = \sum_{j=1}^b \gamma_j = 0.$$

- There are thus
 - $a - 1$ "free" α_i 's and
 - $b - 1$ "free" γ_j 's.
- That is to say, there are
 - $a - 1$ degrees of freedom for the factor A main effects;
 - $b - 1$ degrees of freedom for the factor B main effects.

Constraints: interaction effects degrees of freedom

- The interaction terms are such that for each fixed i ,

$$\sum_{j=1}^b (\alpha\gamma)_{ij} = 0$$

and vice versa for each fixed j .

- There are thus $(a - 1)(b - 1)$ "free" interaction effects (like in an a by b two-way contingency table where all row and column sums are fixed).
- That is to say, there are $(a - 1)(b - 1)$ degrees of freedom for the interaction effects.

Fitted values and residuals for each model

- We thus have two models:
 - the full model where μ_{ij} is "unrestricted";
 - the ("no interaction") null hypothesis where $\mu_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \gamma_j$.
- Under each model, each observation y_{ijk} is decomposed into two parts:
 - a fitted value $\hat{\mu}_{ij}$;
 - a residual $y_{ijk} - \hat{\mu}_{ij}$.
- Under the full model $\hat{\mu}_{ij} = \bar{y}_{ij\bullet}$, the mean of the (i, j) -th **treatment combination**.
- Under the "no interaction" model, the fitted value is

$$\hat{\mu}_{ij} = \hat{\mu} + \hat{\alpha}_i + \hat{\gamma}_j = \bar{y}_{\dots} + (\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots}) + (\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots}) = \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots}$$

Residual sum of squares for each model

- So for the **full model**:
 - the (i, j, k) -th residual is $y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{ij\bullet}$;
 - the **residual sum of squares** is

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n \left(y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{ij\bullet} \right)^2 .$$

- For the **no interaction model**:
 - the (i, j, k) -th residual is $y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet}$;
 - the **residual sum of squares** is

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n \left(y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet} \right)^2 .$$

Decomposition

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Total SS} &= \sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n (y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2 \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n \left[(\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots}) + (\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots}) + (y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\dots}) \right]^2 \\
 &= \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^a bn(\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2}_{\text{Factor A Sum Sq.}} + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^b an(\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2}_{\text{Factor B Sum Sq.}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n (y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\dots})^2}_{\text{no interaction model Res Sum Sq.}} + \text{cross-product terms (all 0)} \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^a bn(\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2 + \sum_{j=1}^b an(\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n \left[(\bar{y}_{ij\bullet} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\dots}) + (y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{ij\bullet}) \right]^2 \\
 &= \sum_{i=1}^a bn(\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2 + \sum_{j=1}^b an(\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\dots})^2 \\
 &\quad + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b n(\bar{y}_{ij\bullet} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\dots})^2}_{\text{Interaction Sum Sq.}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n (y_{ijk} - \bar{y}_{ij\bullet})^2}_{\text{full model Res Sum Sq.}} + \text{a cross-product term which is zero.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Interaction sum of squares

- The "no interaction" model **residual sum of squares** can itself be decomposed into two pieces:
 - the *full model residual sum of squares* and
 - whatever is left over, which is

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b n(\bar{y}_{ij\bullet} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet})^2.$$

- This is the **interaction sum of squares**.
- To see why, note that the (i, j) -th *estimated interaction effect* is

$$(\widehat{\alpha\gamma})_{ij} = \hat{\mu}_{ij} - [\hat{\mu} + \hat{\alpha}_i + \hat{\gamma}_j] = \bar{y}_{ij\bullet} - [\bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet} + (\bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet}) + (\bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet})] = \bar{y}_{ij\bullet} - \bar{y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet},$$

so the **interaction sum of squares** is precisely n times the sum of squares of the *estimated interaction effects*.

F -test for no interaction

- As usual, under the full model, the (random variable version of the) **residual sum of squares**

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b \sum_{k=1}^n (Y_{ijk} - \bar{Y}_{ij\bullet})^2 \sim \sigma^2 \chi_{ab(n-1)}^2,$$

since

- the total sample size is $N = abn$;
 - the number of groups is $g = ab$ so
 - the degrees of freedom for residuals is $N - g = abn - ab = ab(n - 1)$.
- It turns out that *under the no interaction model* (the null hypothesis) the (random variable version of the) interaction sum of squares

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \sum_{j=1}^b n(\bar{Y}_{ij\bullet} - \bar{Y}_{i\bullet\bullet} - \bar{Y}_{\bullet j\bullet} + \bar{Y}_{\bullet\bullet\bullet})^2 \sim \sigma^2 \chi_{(a-1)(b-1)}^2$$

(we have already established there are $(a - 1)(b - 1)$ df for interactions).

- The F -statistic for testing the null hypothesis of no interactions is

$$\frac{\text{Interaction Mean Square}}{(\text{full model}) \text{ Residual Mean Square}} = \frac{(\text{Int Sum Sq.})/[(a-1)(b-1)]}{(\text{full model Residual Sum Sq.})/[ab(n-1)]}$$

$$\sim F_{(a-1)(b-1), ab(n-1)}$$

if the null hypothesis of no interactions is true.

Back to our examples



Poisons and antidotes

Recall we have two factors, `poison` with 3 levels:

```
levels(poison.data$poison)
```

```
## [1] "I"  "II" "III"
```

and `antidote` with 4 levels:

```
levels(poison.data$antidote)
```

```
## [1] "A" "B" "C" "D"
```



poison:antidote

- Given the two separate factors `poison` and `antidote`, the R object `poison:antidote` is a new factor which has as its levels every possible `poison:antidote` combination:

```
poison.data$poison:poison.data$antidote
```

```
## [1] I:A I:A I:A I:A II:A II:A II:A II:A III:A
## [10] III:A III:A III:A I:B I:B I:B I:B II:B II:B
## [19] II:B II:B III:B III:B III:B III:B I:C I:C I:C
## [28] I:C II:C II:C II:C II:C III:C III:C III:C III:C
## [37] I:D I:D I:D I:D II:D II:D II:D II:D III:D
## [46] III:D III:D III:D
## 12 Levels: I:A I:B I:C I:D II:A II:B II:C II:D ... III:D
```

- This factor indicates the 12 groups in the "big 1-way ANOVA" where each `poison:antidote` combination is a different treatment;
 - there are 4 observations on each "treatment".

```
poison.data %>%
  group_by(poison, antidote) %>%
  count()
```

```
## # A tibble: 12 × 3
## # Groups:   poison, antidote [12]
##   poison antidote     n
##   <fct>   <fct>   <int>
## 1 I      A         4
## 2 I      B         4
## 3 I      C         4
## 4 I      D         4
## 5 II     A         4
## 6 II     B         4
## 7 II     C         4
## 8 II     D         4
## 9 III    A         4
## 10 III   B         4
## 11 III   C         4
## 12 III   D         4
```



- We could fit the full model (the "big 1-way ANOVA"):

```
a1 = aov(inv_survival ~ poison:antidote, data = poison.data)
anova(a1)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: inv_survival
##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## poison:antidote 11  56.862   5.1693   21.531 1.289e-12 ***
## Residuals      36   8.643   0.2401
## ---
## Signif. codes:
## 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

- There is a clear treatment effect
- Note there are 47 df in total:
 - 11 for treatments
 - 36 for residuals



A better approach

- A full, appropriate two-factor ANOVA table can be produced by using an appropriate formula:
 - fit `poison:antidote` *after* fitting the main effects:

```
a3 = aov(inv_survival ~ poison + antidote + poison:antidote,
        data = poison.data)
summary(a3)
```

```
##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## poison          2  34.88   17.439    72.64 2.31e-13 ***
## antidote         3  20.41    6.805    28.34 1.38e-09 ***
## poison:antidote  6   1.57    0.262     1.09  0.387
## Residuals       36   8.64    0.240
## ---
## Signif. codes:
## 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

- The sum of squares for `poison:antidote` here only contains the variation explained by treatments *not already explained by main effects*.
- This provides a convenient *partition* of the "big 1-way ANOVA" **treatment sum of squares** (11 df in total) into 3 contributions:
 - 2 df for `poison` main effect;
 - 3 df for `antidote` (antidote) main effect;
 - 6 df for the interaction effect.



Alternate formula for two-factor ANOVA

- An *equivalent* formula which includes main effects followed by interactions is given as follows:

```
summary(aov(inv_survival ~ poison * antidote, data = poison.data))
```

```
##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## poison          2   34.88   17.439    72.64 2.31e-13 ***
## antidote         3   20.41    6.805    28.34 1.38e-09 ***
## poison:antidote  6    1.57    0.262     1.09   0.387
## Residuals       36    8.64    0.240
## ---
## Signif. codes:
## 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

- This is what most people use, although the equivalent (but longer) form used initially (i.e. `poison+antidote+poison:antidote`) is perhaps more useful for beginners.
- The poison and antidote main effects **are significant** (i.e. there is a significant difference between the levels of each treatment group).

Paper planes

- Let us perform a similar analysis on the Paper Planes data.
- First, we check the "big 1-way ANOVA":

```
summary(aov(Distance ~ Paper:Plane, data = planes))
```

```
##              Df    Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## Paper:Plane   3 25491258 8497086    10.66 0.00106 **
## Residuals    12  9561029  796752
## ---
## Signif. codes:
## 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

There is a strong Treatment effect.



- Now we partition the **treatment sum of squares** into main effects and interactions:

```
plane_aov = aov(Distance ~ Paper * Plane, data = planes)
summary(plane_aov)
```

```
##              Df    Sum Sq  Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## Paper          1   1718721   1718721     2.157 0.167628
## Plane          1    385641    385641     0.484 0.499861
## Paper:Plane    1  23386896  23386896    29.353 0.000156 ***
## Residuals     12   9561029    796752
## ---
## Signif. codes:
## 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

- There is a *strong* interaction effect.
- Note the large p-values for the main effects.
 - Are they significant? No.
 - Should they be dropped from the model: **absolutely not!**
- If an interaction is significant, we must retain the **full model**.

Interaction plots

Interaction plots

- We can graphically examine interactions using **interaction plots**.
- These involve choosing one of the factors as the `x.factor` and one as the `trace.factor`:
 - levels of the `x.factor` are marked, equally spaced, on the "x-axis";
 - then a *trace* of each level of the (other) `trace.factor` is created by
 - plotting mean responses for that level against the corresponding level on the x-axis;
 - joining the mean responses within in each level by a piecewise linear curve.
- If there is **no interaction** the traces should be "roughly parallel".
- If there **is** an interaction, the traces may cross or deviate from parallelism in some other way.



Poisons/antidotes interaction plots

- The mean responses by treatment combination:

```
sum_dat = poison.data %>% group_by(poison, antidote) %>%  
  summarise(mean = mean(inv_survival))  
glimpse(sum_dat)
```

```
## Rows: 12  
## Columns: 3  
## Groups: poison [3]  
## $ poison    <fct> I, I, I, I, II, II, II, II, III, III, III...  
## $ antidote  <fct> A, B, C, D, A, B, C, D, A, B, C, D  
## $ mean      <dbl> 2.486881, 1.163464, 1.862724, 1.689682, 3...
```

```
sum_dat %>% spread(key = poison, value = mean)
```

```
## # A tibble: 4 × 4  
##   antidote      I      II      III  
##   <fct>    <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>  
## 1 A      2.49  3.27  4.80  
## 2 B      1.16  1.39  3.03  
## 3 C      1.86  2.71  4.26
```

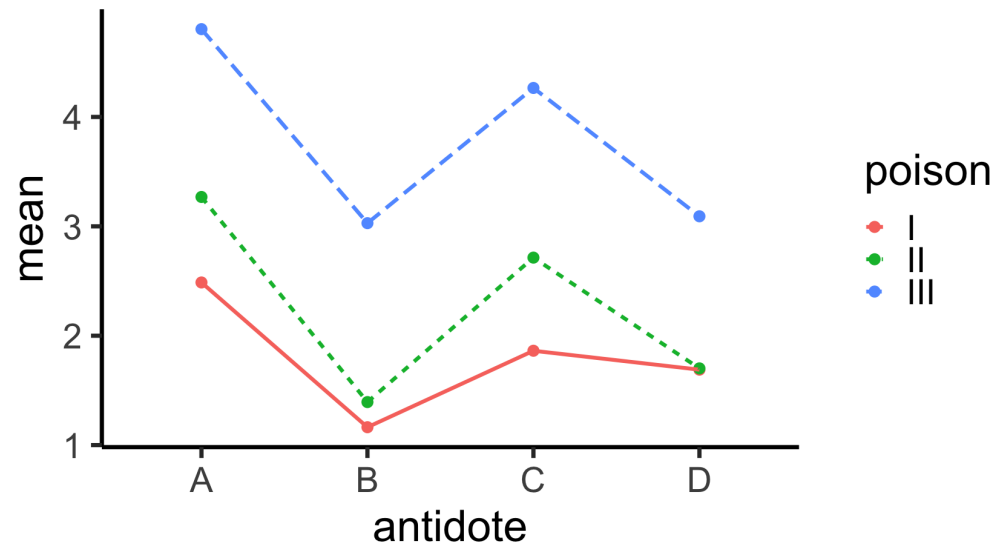
wide

id	wide		
	x	y	z
1	a	c	e
2	b	d	f

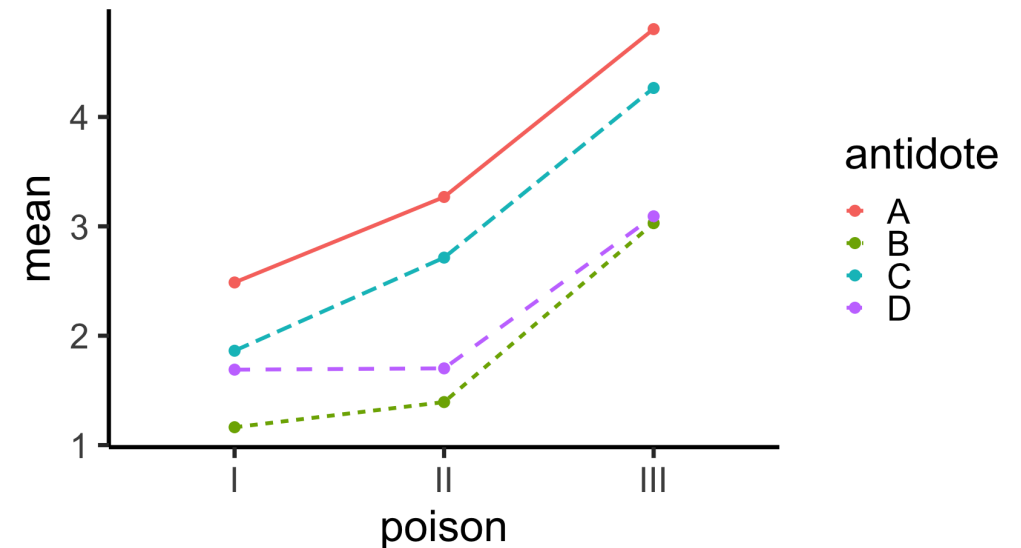


Poisons/antidotes interaction plots

```
sum_dat %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = antidote, y = mean,  
             group = poison,  
             linetype = poison,  
             colour = poison)) +  
  geom_point(size = 4) +  
  geom_line(size = 1.5) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



```
sum_dat %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = poison, y = mean,  
             group = antidote,  
             linetype = antidote,  
             colour = antidote)) +  
  geom_point(size = 4) +  
  geom_line(size = 1.5) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```

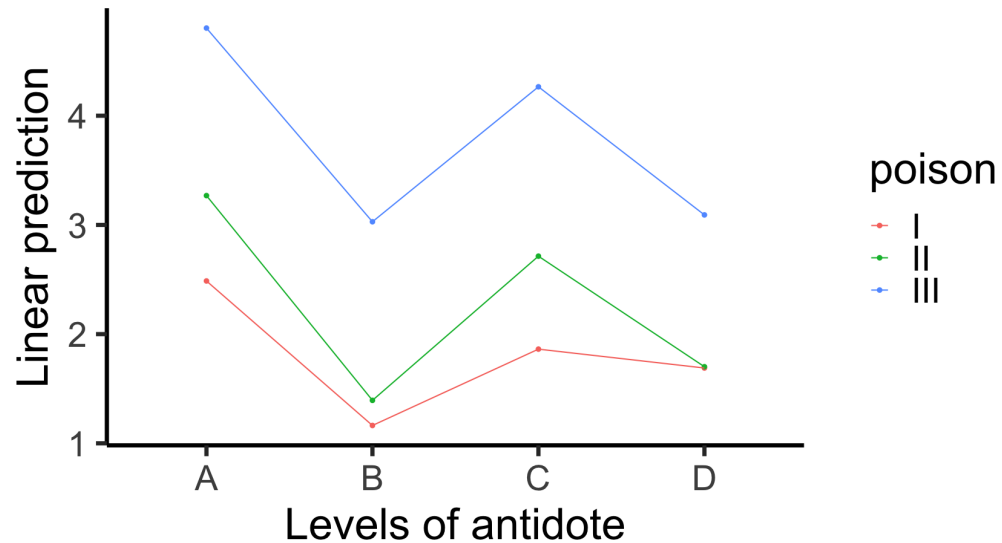




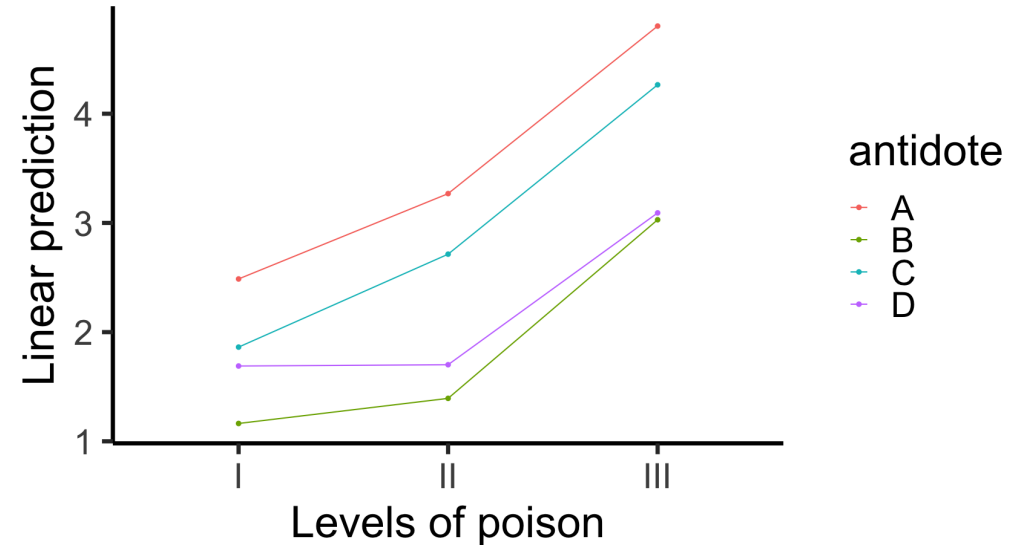
Using emmeans

The `emmip()` function from the **emmeans** package can do this for us:

```
library(emmeans)
emmip(a1, poison ~ antidote) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



```
emmip(a1, antidote ~ poison) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



Paper planes interaction plots

- Recall that there was a strong interaction effect.
- What would be expect to see here?

```
plane_sum_dat = planes %>%  
  group_by(Plane, Paper) %>%  
  summarise(mean = mean(Distance))  
plane_sum_dat
```

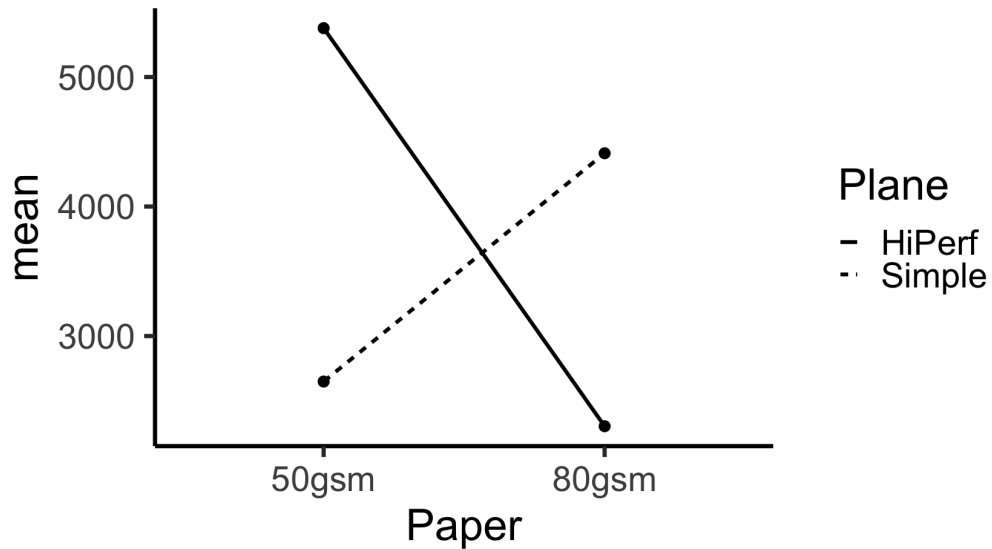
```
## # A tibble: 4 × 3  
## # Groups:   Plane [2]  
##   Plane Paper mean  
##   <chr> <chr> <dbl>  
## 1 HiPerf 50gsm 5377.  
## 2 HiPerf 80gsm 2304.  
## 3 Simple 50gsm 2649.  
## 4 Simple 80gsm 4411.
```

```
plane_sum_dat %>%  
  spread(key = Plane, value = mean)
```

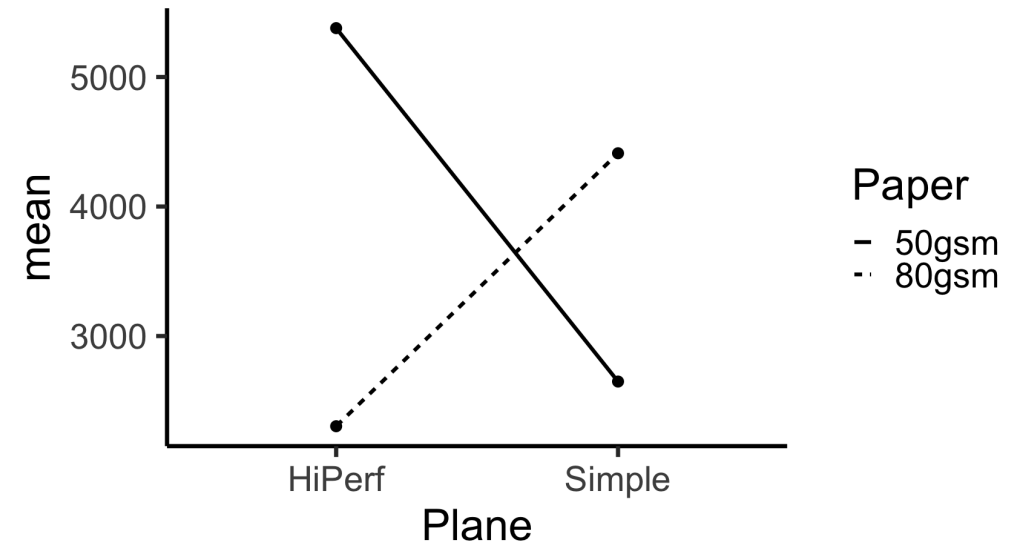
```
## # A tibble: 2 × 3  
##   Paper HiPerf Simple  
##   <chr> <dbl> <dbl>  
## 1 50gsm 5377. 2649.  
## 2 80gsm 2304. 4411.
```

Paper planes interaction plots

```
plane_sum_dat %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = Paper, y = mean,  
             group = Plane,  
             linetype = Plane)) +  
  geom_point(size = 4) +  
  geom_line(size = 1.5) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



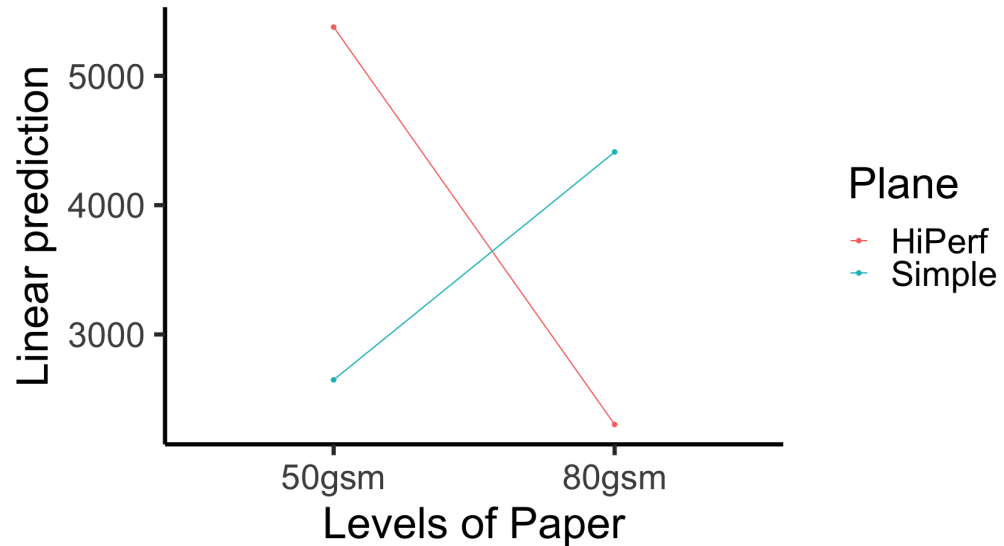
```
plane_sum_dat %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = Plane, y = mean,  
             group = Paper,  
             linetype = Paper)) +  
  geom_point(size = 4) +  
  geom_line(size = 1.5) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



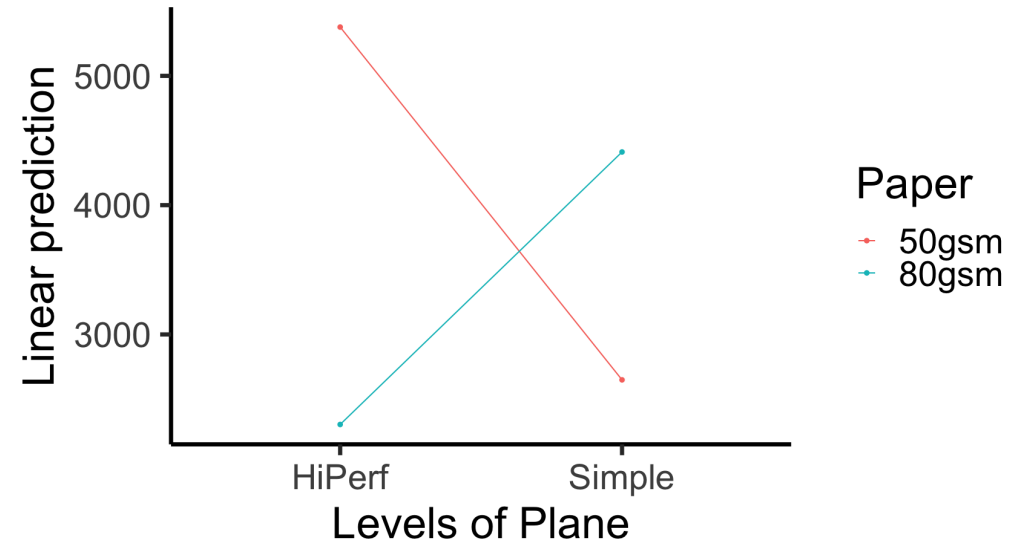
Using emmeans

The `emmip()` function from the **emmeans** package can do this for us:

```
emmip(plane_aov, Plane ~ Paper) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



```
emmip(plane_aov, Paper ~ Plane) +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 36)
```



Crossing traces: interaction

- The traces cross dramatically, highlighting the **strong interaction effect**.
- What is going on here?
 - The high performance design flies further with lighter paper;
 - the simple design flies further with heavier paper.

Post hoc comparisons

Post hoc comparisons

- As with any analysis of variance, once we establish that there is something going on, we would like to "zoom in" and learn more about what is leading to the significance.
- **However** in this two-factor scenario, *exactly which* comparisons one might be interested in *may depend on whether there was a significant interaction or not*.
- If there **is a significant interaction**, we might like to know if one factor has a strong effect of the *other* factor within some or all of its levels.
- If there is **no significant interaction**, the levels of factor A can be compared "independently" of levels of factor B. We may wish to determine:
 - which levels of factor A are significantly different from one another, or
 - which levels of factor B are significantly different from one another.
- The main thing to realise is that any within-factor comparison is, at the end of the day, just a *contrast* in the original μ_{ij} 's and so an appropriate multiple comparisons adjustment can be made accordingly.



Comparing poisons

- We determined that there is no interaction between poison and antidote, so we can perhaps go ahead and compare different poison (to each other) and also compare antidote treatments (antidote) (to each other).

```
poison.data %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = poison, y = inv_survival)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 30)
```

```
poison.data %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = antidote, y = inv_survival)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_classic(base_size = 30)
```



Pairwise difference t -statistics

```
a2 = aov(inv_survival ~ poison + antidote, data = poison.data)
emmeans(a2, ~ poison) %>% contrast(method = "pairwise", adjust = "none")
```

```
## contrast estimate      SE df t.ratio p.value
## I - II          -0.469 0.174 42  -2.688  0.0103
## I - III         -1.996 0.174 42 -11.451  <.0001
## II - III        -1.528 0.174 42  -8.763  <.0001
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: antidote
```

```
emmeans(a2, ~ antidote) %>% contrast(method = "pairwise", adjust = "none")
```

```
## contrast estimate      SE df t.ratio p.value
## A - B           1.657 0.201 42   8.233  <.0001
## A - C           0.572 0.201 42   2.842  0.0069
## A - D           1.358 0.201 42   6.747  <.0001
## B - C          -1.085 0.201 42  -5.391  <.0001
## B - D          -0.299 0.201 42  -1.485  0.1449
## C - D           0.786 0.201 42   3.905  0.0003
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: poison
```



Assessing significance

- We have a few options, when it comes to comparing these:
 - use a Bonferroni approach;
 - Tukey's method;
 - Scheffe's method.
- There may be some doubt as to the validity of the first two, depending on whether the decision of **which** comparisons to look at came **after the initial hypothesis test** or not.
- **If** the $3+6=9$ within-factor comparisons were planned *before looking at the data* then a Bonferroni adjustment could be made as follows:
 - multiply all *unadjusted* two-sided *t*-test p-values by 9.

```
p_emm = contrast(emmeans(a2, ~poison), method = "pairwise", adjust = "bonferroni")
p_emm
```

```
## contrast estimate      SE df t.ratio p.value
## I - II      -0.469 0.174 42  -2.688  0.0308
## I - III     -1.996 0.174 42 -11.451  <.0001
## II - III    -1.528 0.174 42  -8.763  <.0001
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: antidote
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 3 tests
```

```
a_emm = contrast(emmeans(a2, ~antidote), method = "pairwise", adjust = "bonferroni")
a_emm
```

```
## contrast estimate      SE df t.ratio p.value
## A - B          1.657 0.201 42   8.233  <.0001
## A - C           0.572 0.201 42   2.842  0.0414
## A - D           1.358 0.201 42   6.747  <.0001
## B - C          -1.085 0.201 42  -5.391  <.0001
## B - D          -0.299 0.201 42  -1.485  0.8693
## C - D           0.786 0.201 42   3.905  0.0020
##
## Results are averaged over the levels of: poison
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 6 tests
```

Bonferroni method

The **emmeans** package didn't know we were looking at **9** tests. But we can tell it that we are:

```
pa_emm = update(p_emm + a_emm)
pa_emm
```

```
## contrast estimate      SE df t.ratio p.value
## I - II      -0.469 0.174 42  -2.688  0.0924
## I - III     -1.996 0.174 42 -11.451 <.0001
## II - III    -1.528 0.174 42  -8.763 <.0001
## A - B        1.657 0.201 42   8.233 <.0001
## A - C         0.572 0.201 42   2.842 0.0620
## A - D         1.358 0.201 42   6.747 <.0001
## B - C        -1.085 0.201 42  -5.391 <.0001
## B - D        -0.299 0.201 42  -1.485 1.0000
## C - D         0.786 0.201 42   3.905 0.0030
```

```
##
```

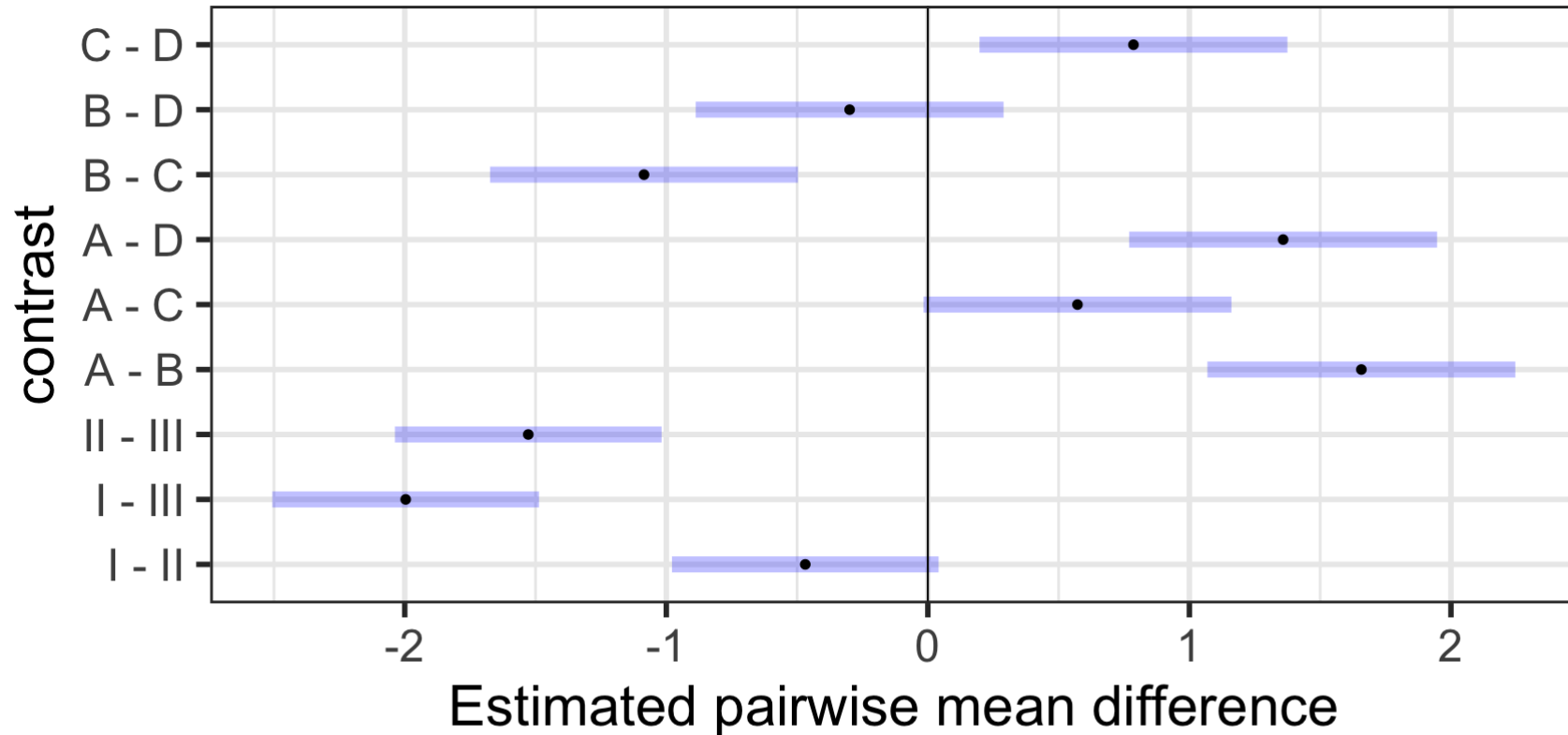
```
## Results are averaged over some or all of the levels of: antidote, poison
```

```
## P value adjustment: bonferroni method for 9 tests
```

- For poison: the I-III and II-III differences are highly significant, while the I-II has an adjusted p-value of about 0.09 (not really significant).
- For antidote: all differences are highly significant except B-D (not at all significant) and A-C (p=0.06).



```
plot(pa_emm) + theme_bw(base_size = 30) + geom_vline(xintercept = 0) +  
  labs(x = "Estimated pairwise mean difference",  
       caption = "95% confidence intervals adjusted for\nmultiple testing using the Bonferroni method")
```



95% confidence intervals adjusted for
multiple testing using the Bonferroni method

Paper planes

- For this case, where the full model must be retained, we really do have a "big 1-way ANOVA".
- In such a case, all pairwise comparisons between *all treatment combinations*, or some other set of comparisons, may be of interest. For example, we can use Tukey's all pairwise comparisons:

```
plane_aov = aov(Distance ~ Plane*Paper, data = planes)
plane_emm = emmeans(plane_aov, ~ Paper + Plane)
contrast(plane_emm, method = "pairwise", adjust = "tukey")
```

```
##      contrast                estimate    SE df t.ratio p.value
## 50gsm HiPerf - 80gsm HiPerf         3074 631 12   4.870  0.0019
## 50gsm HiPerf - 50gsm Simple         2728 631 12   4.323  0.0047
## 50gsm HiPerf - 80gsm Simple          966 631 12   1.530  0.4508
## 80gsm HiPerf - 50gsm Simple        -345 631 12  -0.547  0.9457
## 80gsm HiPerf - 80gsm Simple       -2108 631 12  -3.339  0.0262
## 50gsm Simple - 80gsm Simple       -1762 631 12  -2.792  0.0677
##
## P value adjustment: tukey method for comparing a family of 4 estimates
```

- Note that all *within-level* comparisons are quite significant.

Want to know more?

Applied Linear Models - STAT3022 runs in Semester 1.

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