

Tutorial 08: ANOVA

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  envir_prep, last_value, engine, stage, ...
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    # No grading code, so just skip grading
    invisible(NULL)
  } else if (is.null(label)) {
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      message = "All exercises must have a label."
    )
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          htmltools::tags$code("gradethis"),
          "package requires a model solution to be included in the document."
        )
      )
    )
  } else {
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```

```

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    evaluate_result = evaluate_result, envir_prep = envir_prep,
    last_value = last_value, stage = stage, engine = engine)
  }
})

```

Q1 — One-way ANOVA (manual): Happiness score by region

We start this tutorial with the city lifestyle dataset, that gives info about In the city lifestyle dataset, we want to test whether the **mean happiness score** differs across four regions: Europe, Asia, North America, and Africa.

We test:

$$H_0 : \mu_{\text{Europe}} = \mu_{\text{Asia}} = \mu_{\text{NorthAm}} = \mu_{\text{Africa}}$$

vs

$$H_1 : \text{at least one regional mean is different.}$$

Use a **one-way ANOVA** on happiness score, computed *manually* from sums of squares.

Your task:

- Subset to those four regions.
- Remove rows with missing happiness scores.
- Compute SSR, SSE, $df1$, $df2$, MSR, MSE, F, and the p-value

$$F = \frac{\text{MSR}}{\text{MSE}}, \quad p = P(F_{df1, df2} \geq F).$$

Return a named numeric vector: `c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)`.

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i Info

For a one-way ANOVA with response y_{ij} in group (i) (of size n_i), group means \bar{y}_i , and overall mean \bar{y} :

Between-group sum of squares

$$SSR = \sum_i n_i (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2$$

Within-group sum of squares

$$SSE = \sum_i (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

Degrees of freedom

$$df_{\text{between}} = k - 1, \quad df_{\text{within}} = N - k$$

Mean squares

$$MSR = \frac{SSB}{df_{\text{between}}}, \quad MSE = \frac{SSW}{df_{\text{within}}}$$

Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

table(sub$country)

tapply(sub$happiness_score, sub$country, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(happiness_score ~ country, data = sub,
        main = "Happiness by region", xlab = "Region",
        ylab = "Happiness score")
hist(sub$happiness_score,
     main = "Histogram of happiness", xlab = "Happiness score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q1_city_anova_manual
#| exercise.lines: 18
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

y <- sub$happiness_score
g <- sub$region

group_means <- tapply(y, g, ___)
group_ns <- tapply(y, g, ___)
```

```

overall_mean <- ___(y)

SSR <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)

SSE <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - ___(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- ___
df2 <- ___

MR <- ___
MSE <- ___

Fstat <- ___ / ___
pval <- pf(___, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

```

Use mean for both group and overall means. $df1 = k - 1$, $df2 = N - k$. $MSR = SSB / df1$, $MSE = SSW / df2$, then $Fstat = MSR / MSE$.

Solution.

```

#| exercise: q1_city_anova_manual
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

y <- sub$happiness_score
g <- sub$region

```

```

group_means <- tapply(y, g, mean)
group_ns    <- tapply(y, g, length)

overall_mean <- mean(y)

SSB <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)

SSW <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - mean(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- k - 1
df2 <- N - k

MSR <- SSB / df1
MSE <- SSW / df2

Fstat <- MSR / MSE
pval <- pf(Fstat, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

```

```

#| exercise: q1_city_anova_manual
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
df <- tryCatch(read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'city_lifestyle_dataset.csv'.")

sub <- subset(
df,
country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
& is.finite(happiness_score)
)
sub$region <- factor(sub$country)
y <- sub$happiness_score
g <- sub$region

group_means <- tapply(y, g, mean)
group_ns    <- tapply(y, g, length)
overall_mean <- mean(y)

```

```

SSR <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)
SSE <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - mean(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- k - 1
df2 <- N - k

MSR <- SSR / df1
MSE <- SSE / df2

Fstat <- MSR / MSE
pval <- pf(Fstat, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

exp <- c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

res <- .result
if (!is.numeric(res) || length(res) != 4L || any(!is.finite(res))) {
  fail("Return c(F = ..., df1 = ..., df2 = ..., p_value = ...).")
} else if (max(abs(res - exp)) < 1e-6) {
  pass("Correct manual one-way ANOVA for happiness by region.")
} else {
  fail("Something is off in SSR/SSE, degrees of freedom, or the F to p-value step.")
}
})

```

Q2 — One-way ANOVA (built-in): Happiness score by region

Now we will redo the same test using R's built-in `aov()` function on the same subset of the city dataset.

Return `c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_region, df2 = df_resid, p_value = p)` extracted from the ANOVA table.

Info

For a one-way ANOVA fit with `fit <- aov(y ~ group, data = ...)`, you can extract the ANOVA table with `summary(fit)[[1]]`. The row corresponding to the factor has columns:
 “Df”: factor degrees of freedom
 “F value”: F statistic

“Pr(>F)”: p-value

Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

table(sub$country)

tapply(sub$happiness_score, sub$country, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(happiness_score ~ country, data = sub,
        main = "Happiness by region", xlab = "Region",
        ylab = "Happiness score")
hist(sub$happiness_score,
     main = "Histogram of happiness", xlab = "Happiness score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q2_city_anova_builtin
#| exercise.lines: 10
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

fit <- aov( ~ , data = sub)
```



```

tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_region <- tab[" ", "Df"]
df_resid  <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat     <- tab[" ", "F value"]
pval      <- tab[" ", "Pr(>F)"]

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_region, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)

```

Use `happiness_score ~ region` in `aov()`, and “region” as the row name in the ANOVA table.

Solution.

```

#| exercise: q2_city_anova_builtin
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

fit <- aov(happiness_score ~ region, data = sub)

tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_region <- tab["region", "Df"]
df_resid  <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat     <- tab["region", "F value"]
pval      <- tab["region", "Pr(>F)"]

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_region, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)

#| exercise: q2_city_anova_builtin
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
  df <- tryCatch(read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)

```

```

if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'city_lifestyle_dataset.csv'.")

sub <- subset(
df,
country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
& is.finite(happiness_score)
)
sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

fit <- aov(happiness_score ~ region, data = sub)
tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_region <- tab["region", "Df"]
df_resid  <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat     <- tab["region", "F value"]
pval      <- tab["region", "Pr(>F)"]

exp <- c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_region, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)

res <- .result
if (!is.numeric(res) || length(res) != 4L || any(!is.finite(res))) {
fail("Return c(F = ..., df1 = ..., df2 = ..., p_value = ...).")
} else if (max(abs(res - exp)) < 1e-6) {
pass("Correct one-way ANOVA using aov() for happiness by region.")
} else {
fail("Revisit the aov() call or the extraction from summary(fit)[[1]].")
}
})

```

Q3 — Fisher’s LSD (no adjustment): Pairwise region comparisons

Using the same city subset as in Q1–Q2, perform pairwise t-tests on happiness scores between regions without multiple-comparison adjustment. This corresponds to Fisher’s LSD after a significant global ANOVA.

Use `pairwise.t.test()` with `p.adjust.method = "none"` and return the matrix of p-values.

Info

Fisher’s LSD (Least Significant Difference) is essentially:
Run a global ANOVA to check that at least one mean differs.

If significant, run unadjusted pairwise t-tests between groups, using the same residual variance.

In R, `pairwise.t.test(y, group, p.adjust.method = "none")$p.value` gives a matrix of unadjusted pairwise p-values.

i Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

table(sub$country)

tapply(sub$happiness_score, sub$country, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(happiness_score ~ country, data = sub,
        main = "Happiness by region", xlab = "Region",
        ylab = "Happiness score")
hist(sub$happiness_score,
     main = "Histogram of happiness", xlab = "Happiness score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q3_city_lsd
#| exercise.lines: 8
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)
```

```
out <- pairwise.t.test( , , p.adjust.method = " ")
out$p.value
```

Use `sub$happiness_score` as the response, `sub$region` as the group, and “none” for `p.adjust.method`.

Solution.

```
##| exercise: q3_city_lsd
##| solution: true

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

out <- pairwise.t.test(sub$happiness_score,
  sub$region,
  p.adjust.method = "none")

out$p.value
```

```
##| exercise: q3_city_lsd
##| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
  df <- tryCatch(read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
  if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'city_lifestyle_dataset.csv'.")

  sub <- subset(
    df,
    country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa") &
    is.finite(happiness_score)
  )
  sub$region <- factor(sub$country)
```

```

exp <- pairwise.t.test(sub$happiness_score,
sub$region,
p.adjust.method = "none")$p.value

res <- .result

if (!is.matrix(res)) {
fail("Return the p-value matrix from pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# check dimensions and dimnames match

if (!identical(dim(res), dim(exp)) ||
!identical(dimnames(res), dimnames(exp))) {
fail("Row/column structure should match pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# numeric comparison, ignoring NA entries

if (max(abs(res - exp), na.rm = TRUE) < 1e-8) {
pass("Correct Fisher's LSD pairwise p-values (no adjustment).")
} else {
fail("Check your pairwise.t.test() call and that you used p.adjust.method = 'none'.")
}
})

```

Q4 — Bonferroni-adjusted pairwise region comparisons

Now repeat the previous question but use a Bonferroni correction for multiple comparisons. Again, return the matrix of p-values.

i Info

The Bonferroni adjustment is a simple and conservative way to control the family-wise error rate when making many comparisons. In R, use `p.adjust.method = "bonferroni"` in `pairwise.t.test()`.

Preview

```
##| echo: true
df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

table(sub$country)

tapply(sub$happiness_score, sub$country, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(happiness_score ~ country, data = sub,
        main = "Happiness by region", xlab = "Region",
        ylab = "Happiness score")
hist(sub$happiness_score,
     main = "Histogram of happiness", xlab = "Happiness score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
##| exercise: q4_city_bonferroni
##| exercise.lines: 8
##| echo: false

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe","Asia","North America","Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

out <- pairwise.t.test( , ,
p.adjust.method = " ")

out$p.value
```

Use the same `sub$happiness_score` and `sub$region`, but set `p.adjust.method = "bonferroni"`.

Solution.

```
#| exercise: q4_city_bonferroni
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv")

sub <- subset(
  df,
  country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa")
  & is.finite(happiness_score)
)

sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

out <- pairwise.t.test(sub$happiness_score,
  sub$region,
  p.adjust.method = "bonferroni")

out$p.value
```

```
#| exercise: q4_city_bonferroni
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
  df <- tryCatch(read.csv("city_lifestyle_dataset.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
  if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'city_lifestyle_dataset.csv'.")

  sub <- subset(
    df,
    country %in% c("Europe", "Asia", "North America", "Africa") &
    is.finite(happiness_score)
  )
  sub$region <- factor(sub$country)

  exp <- pairwise.t.test(sub$happiness_score,
    sub$region,
    p.adjust.method = "bonferroni")$p.value

  res <- .result
```

```

# Must be a matrix

if (!is.matrix(res)) {
  fail("Return the p-value matrix from pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# Structure (dims + names) must match

if (!identical(dim(res), dim(exp)) ||
    !identical(dimnames(res), dimnames(exp))) {
  fail("Row/column structure should match pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# Compare numeric entries, ignoring NAs

if (max(abs(res - exp), na.rm = TRUE) < 1e-8) {
  pass("Correct Bonferroni-adjusted pairwise p-values.")
} else {
  fail("Check that you used p.adjust.method = 'bonferroni' on the same subset.")
}
})

```

Q5 — One-way ANOVA (manual): Exam score by motivation level

In the student performance dataset, we want to test whether the **mean exam score** differs across **motivation levels** (Low, Medium, High).

We test

$$H_0 : \mu_{\text{Low}} = \mu_{\text{Medium}} = \mu_{\text{High}}$$

vs

$$H_1 : \text{at least one of } \mu_{\text{Low}}, \mu_{\text{Medium}}, \mu_{\text{High}} \text{ is different.}$$

Use a **one-way ANOVA** on `Exam_Score`, computed *manually* from sums of squares.

Your task:

- Subset to rows with non-missing `Exam_Score` and `Motivation_Level`.

- Treat `Motivation_Level` as a factor with three levels (Low, Medium, High).
- Compute SSR, SSE, `df1`, `df2`, MSR, MSE, (F), and the p-value

$$F = \frac{\text{MSR}}{\text{MSE}}, \quad p = P(F_{df_1, df_2} \geq F).$$

Return a named numeric vector:

`c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)`.

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Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

table(sub$Motivation_Level)

tapply(sub$Exam_Score, sub$Motivation_Level, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(Exam_Score ~ Motivation_Level, data = sub,
main = "Exam score by motivation",
xlab = "Motivation level", ylab = "Exam score")
hist(sub$Exam_Score,
main = "Histogram of exam scores",
xlab = "Exam score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q5_stud_anova_manual
#| exercise.lines: 18
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
```

```

!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

y <- sub$Exam_Score
g <- sub$mot

group_means <- tapply(y, g, ___)
group_ns <- tapply(y, g, ___)

overall_mean <- ___(y)

SSR <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)

SSE <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - ___(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- ___
df2 <- ___

MSR <- ___
MSE <- ___

Fstat <- ___ / ___
pval <- pf(___, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

```

Same pattern as Q1: use mean for group and overall means. $df1 = k - 1$, $df2 = N - k$, $MSR = SSR/df1$, $MSE = SSE/df2$.

Solution.

```

#| exercise: q5_stud_anova_manual
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &

```

```

!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

y <- sub$Exam_Score
g <- sub$mot

group_means <- tapply(y, g, mean)
group_ns     <- tapply(y, g, length)

overall_mean <- mean(y)

SSB <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)

SSW <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - mean(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- k - 1
df2 <- N - k

MSR <- SSB / df1
MSE <- SSW / df2

Fstat <- MSR / MSE
pval <- pf(Fstat, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

```

```

#| exercise: q5_stud_anova_manual
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
df <- tryCatch(read.csv("student_performance.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'student_performance.csv'.")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

```

```

y <- sub$Exam_Score
g <- sub$mot

group_means <- tapply(y, g, mean)
group_ns    <- tapply(y, g, length)

overall_mean <- mean(y)

SSR <- sum(group_ns * (group_means - overall_mean)^2)
SSE <- sum(tapply(y, g, function(x) sum((x - mean(x))^2)))

k <- length(group_means)
N <- length(y)

df1 <- k - 1
df2 <- N - k

MSR <- SSR / df1
MSE <- SSE / df2

Fstat <- MSR / MSE
pval <- pf(Fstat, df1, df2, lower.tail = FALSE)

exp <- c(F = Fstat, df1 = df1, df2 = df2, p_value = pval)

res <- .result
if (!is.numeric(res) || length(res) != 4L || any(!is.finite(res))) {
  fail("Return c(F = ..., df1 = ..., df2 = ..., p_value = ...).")
} else if (max(abs(res - exp)) < 1e-6) {
  pass("Correct manual one-way ANOVA for exam score by motivation.")
} else {
  fail("Re-check your SSR/SSE, degrees of freedom, and F to p-value computation.")
}
})

```

Q6 — One-way ANOVA (built-in): Exam score by motivation level

Now use `aov()` to test for differences in mean exam score across motivation levels.

Return `c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_mot, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)`.

Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

table(sub$Motivation_Level)

tapply(sub$Exam_Score, sub$Motivation_Level, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(Exam_Score ~ Motivation_Level, data = sub,
main = "Exam score by motivation",
xlab = "Motivation level", ylab = "Exam score")
hist(sub$Exam_Score,
main = "Histogram of exam scores",
xlab = "Exam score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q6_stud_anova_builtin
#| exercise.lines: 10
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

fit <- aov( ~ , data = sub)

tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_mot <- tab[" ", "Df"]
df_resid <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat <- tab[" ", "F value"]
pval <- tab[" ", "Pr(>F)"]
```

```
c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_mot, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)
```

Use Exam_Score ~ mot, and the row name “mot” in the ANOVA table.

Solution.

```
#| exercise: q6_stud_anova_builtin
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

fit <- aov(Exam_Score ~ mot, data = sub)

tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_mot    <- tab["mot", "Df"]
df_resid  <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat     <- tab["mot", "F value"]
pval      <- tab["mot", "Pr(>F)"]

c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_mot, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)

#| exercise: q6_stud_anova_builtin
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
df <- tryCatch(read.csv("student_performance.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'student_performance.csv'.")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)
```

```

fit <- aov(Exam_Score ~ mot, data = sub)
tab <- summary(fit)[[1]]

df_mot    <- tab["mot", "Df"]
df_resid  <- tab["Residuals", "Df"]
Fstat     <- tab["mot", "F value"]
pval      <- tab["mot", "Pr(>F)"]

exp <- c(F = Fstat, df1 = df_mot, df2 = df_resid, p_value = pval)

res <- .result
if (!is.numeric(res) || length(res) != 4L || any(!is.finite(res))) {
  fail("Return c(F = ..., df1 = ..., df2 = ..., p_value = ...).")
} else if (max(abs(res - exp)) < 1e-6) {
  pass("Correct ANOVA via aov() for exam score by motivation.")
} else {
  fail("Check your aov() model formula and extraction from summary().")
}
})

```

Q7 — Fisher's LSD: Exam score pairwise comparisons by motivation

Using the same subset as Q5–Q6, compute unadjusted pairwise t-tests on Exam_Score across motivation levels (Fisher's LSD).

Return the matrix of p-values.

Preview

```
##| echo: true
df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

table(sub$Motivation_Level)

tapply(sub$Exam_Score, sub$Motivation_Level, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(Exam_Score ~ Motivation_Level, data = sub,
main = "Exam score by motivation",
xlab = "Motivation level", ylab = "Exam score")
hist(sub$Exam_Score,
main = "Histogram of exam scores",
xlab = "Exam score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
##| exercise: q7_stud_lsd
##| exercise.lines: 8
##| echo: false

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

out <- pairwise.t.test( , ,
p.adjust.method = " ")

out$p.value
```

Use `sub$Exam_Score`, `sub$mot`, and “none” as the adjustment method.

Solution.


```

#| exercise: q7_stud_lsd
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level))

sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

out <- pairwise.t.test(sub$Exam_Score,
sub$mot,
p.adjust.method = "none")

out$p.value

```

```

#| exercise: q7_stud_lsd
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
df <- tryCatch(read.csv("student_performance.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'student_performance.csv'.")

sub <- subset(
df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Motivation_Level)
)
sub$mot <- factor(sub$Motivation_Level)

exp <- pairwise.t.test(
sub$Exam_Score,
sub$mot,
p.adjust.method = "none"
)$p.value

res <- .result

# Must be a matrix

if (!is.matrix(res)) {

```

```

fail("Return the p-value matrix from pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# Dimensions and dimnames should match

if (!identical(dim(res), dim(exp)) ||
    !identical(dimnames(res), dimnames(exp))) {
fail("Row/column structure should match pairwise.t.test(...).")
}

# Compare numeric entries, ignoring NAs

if (max(abs(res - exp), na.rm = TRUE) < 1e-8) {
pass("Correct Fisher's LSD pairwise p-values for motivation levels.")
} else {
fail("Check your pairwise.t.test() call and that you used p.adjust.method = 'none'.")
}
})

```

Q8 — Bonferroni: Exam score pairwise comparisons by parental education

Finally, investigate another factor: parental education level (High School, College, Postgraduate).

Use the student dataset to:

Subset to rows with non-missing Exam_Score and Parental_Education_Level.

Treat Parental_Education_Level as a factor with three levels.

Run pairwise.t.test() on Exam_Score across parental education levels, using Bonferroni adjustment.

Return the p-value matrix.

Preview

```
#| echo: true
df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")
sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Parental_Education_Level))

table(sub$Parental_Education_Level)

tapply(sub$Exam_Score, sub$Parental_Education_Level, summary)

par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
boxplot(Exam_Score ~ Parental_Education_Level, data = sub,
main = "Exam score by parental education",
xlab = "Parental education", ylab = "Exam score")
hist(sub$Exam_Score,
main = "Histogram of exam scores",
xlab = "Exam score")
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

```
#| exercise: q8_stud_bonf_edu
#| exercise.lines: 8
#| echo: false

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Parental_Education_Level))

sub$edu <- factor(sub$Parental_Education_Level)

out <- pairwise.t.test( , ,
p.adjust.method = " ")

out$p.value
```

Use `sub$Exam_Score` and `sub$edu` with `p.adjust.method = "bonferroni"`.

Solution.

```
#| exercise: q8_stud_bonf_edu
#| solution: true

df <- read.csv("student_performance.csv")

sub <- subset(df,
!is.na(Exam_Score) &
!is.na(Parental_Education_Level))

sub$edu <- factor(sub$Parental_Education_Level)

out <- pairwise.t.test(sub$Exam_Score,
sub$edu,
p.adjust.method = "bonferroni")

out$p.value
```

```

#| exercise: q8_stud_bonf_edu
#| check: true

gradethis::grade_this({
  df <- tryCatch(read.csv("student_performance.csv"), error = function(e) NULL)
  if (is.null(df)) fail("Couldn't read 'student_performance.csv'.")

  sub <- subset(df, !is.na(Exam_Score) & !is.na(Parental_Education_Level))
  sub$edu <- factor(sub$Parental_Education_Level)

  exp <- pairwise.t.test(sub$Exam_Score, sub$edu, p.adjust.method = "bonferroni")$p.value
  res <- .result

  if (!is.matrix(res)) fail("Return the p-value matrix from pairwise.t.test(...).")

  if (!identical(dim(res), dim(exp)) || !identical(dimnames(res), dimnames(exp))) {
    fail("Row/column structure should match pairwise.t.test(...).")
  }

  if (max(abs(res - exp), na.rm = TRUE) < 1e-8) {
    pass("Correct Bonferroni-adjusted pairwise p-values by parental education.")
  } else {
    fail("Re-check the subset, the grouping factor, and p.adjust.method = 'bonferroni'.")
  }
})

```