Statistical Inference Assignment Week 3- Part 2

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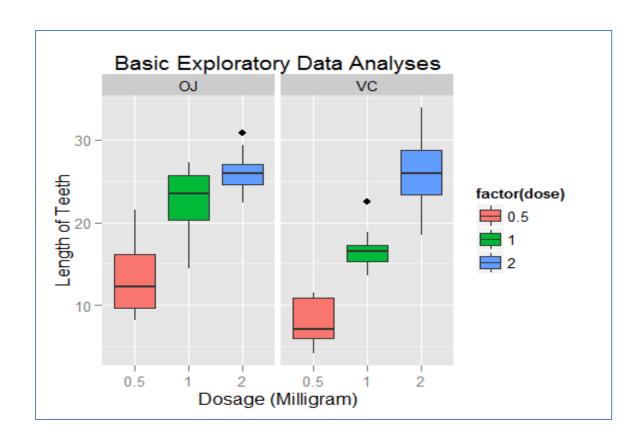
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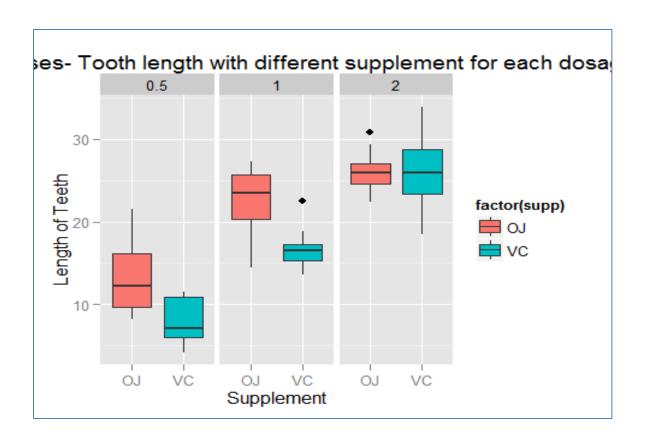
- Load the ToothGrowth data and perform some basic exploratory data analyses
- Provide a basic summary of the data.
- Use confidence intervals and/or hypothesis tests to compare tooth growth by supp and dose. (Only use the techniques from class, even if there's other approaches worth considering)
- State your conclusions and the assumptions needed for your conclusions.

Q1. Load the ToothGrowth data and perform some basic exploratory data analyses.

```
library(ggplot2)
library(datasets)
data(ToothGrowth)
str(ToothGrowth)
head(ToothGrowth)
plot <- ggplot(ToothGrowth,
       aes(x=factor(dose),y=len,fill=factor(dose)))
plot + geom_boxplot(notch=F) + facet_grid(.~supp) +
   scale_x_discrete("Dosage (Milligram)") +
   scale_y_continuous("Length of Teeth") +
   ggtitle("Basic Exploratory Data Analyses")
plot <- ggplot(ToothGrowth,
       aes(x=factor(supp),y=len,fill=factor(supp)))
plot + geom_boxplot(notch=F) + facet_grid(.~dose) +
   scale_x_discrete("Supplement") +
   scale_y_continuous("Length of Teeth") +
   ggtitle("Data Analyses- Tooth length with different supplement for each dosage")
```

```
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 3.1.3
## 'data.frame':
                   60 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ len : num 4.2 11.5 7.3 5.8 6.4 10 11.2 11.2 5.2 7 ...
## $ supp: Factor w/ 2 levels "OJ", "VC": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ dose: num 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 ...
     len supp dose
##
## 1 4.2
           VC 0.5
## 2 11.5
           VC 0.5
## 3 7.3
           VC 0.5
## 4 5.8
           VC 0.5
## 5 6.4
           VC 0.5
## 6 10.0
           VC 0.5
```





Q2. Provide a basic summary of the data.

```
ToothGrowth$dose <- as.factor(ToothGrowth$dose)</pre>
summary(ToothGrowth)
##
         len
                    supp
                             dose
  Min.
          : 4.20
                            0.5:20
##
                    OJ:30
   1st Qu.:13.07
##
                    VC:30
                            1 :20
## Median :19.25
                            2
                              :20
  Mean
           :18.81
##
   3rd Qu.:25.27
##
   Max.
           :33.90
table(ToothGrowth$supp, ToothGrowth$dose)
##
##
        0.5 1 2
##
     OJ 10 10 10
##
    VC 10 10 10
```

Q3. Use confidence intervals and/or hypothesis tests to compare tooth growth by supp and dose. (Only use the techniques from class, even if there's other approaches worth considering).

```
## p.value Conf.Low Conf.High
## Equal Var 0.06039337 -0.1670064 7.567006
## Unequal Var 0.06063451 -0.1710156 7.571016
```

Q4. State your conclusions and the assumptions needed for your conclusions.

Based on the analysis above, we can conclude that

- The 2mg dose has larger impact on tooth growth than 1mg and 0.5mg, while 1mg dose has more impact than 0.5mg dose. So there is a different in the growth of the tooth while the doses are larger.
- There is no doubt that orange juice and vitamin C have obvious different impact on tooth growth.