

Workshop 8 Solutions

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We'll begin by loading all the packages we might need.

```
library(MASS)
library(plyr)
library(reshape) # You may need to install this one first!
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'reshape'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:plyr':
##
##   rename, round_any
```

```
library(ggplot2)
require(moonBook)
```

```
## Loading required package: moonBook

require(webr)
```

```
## Loading required package: webr
```

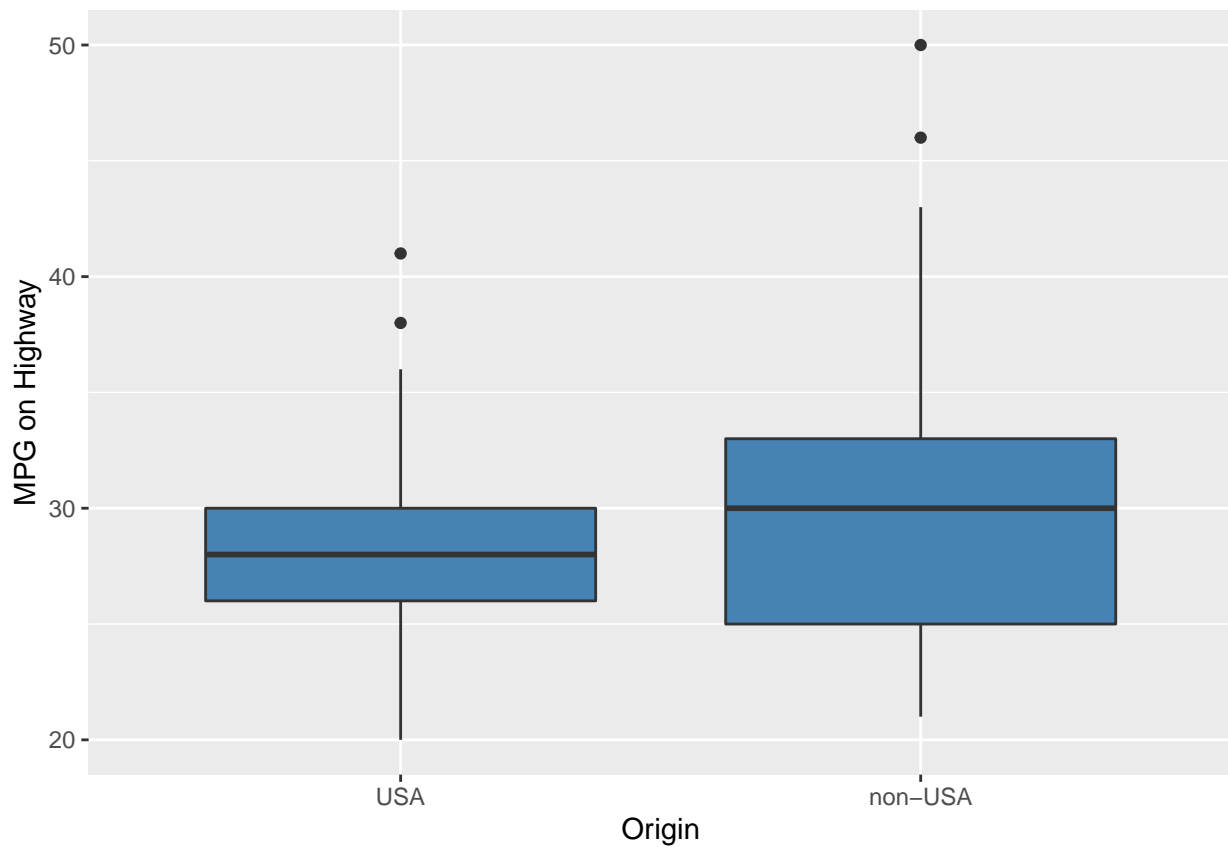
Check Means of each group

```
aggregate(MPG.highway ~ Origin, data=Cars93, FUN= function(x) {
  c(mean=mean(x), sd=sd(x))
} )
```

```
##   Origin MPG.highway.mean MPG.highway.sd
## 1   USA      28.145833      4.151337
## 2 non-USA      30.088889      6.247990
```

Check Box Plot

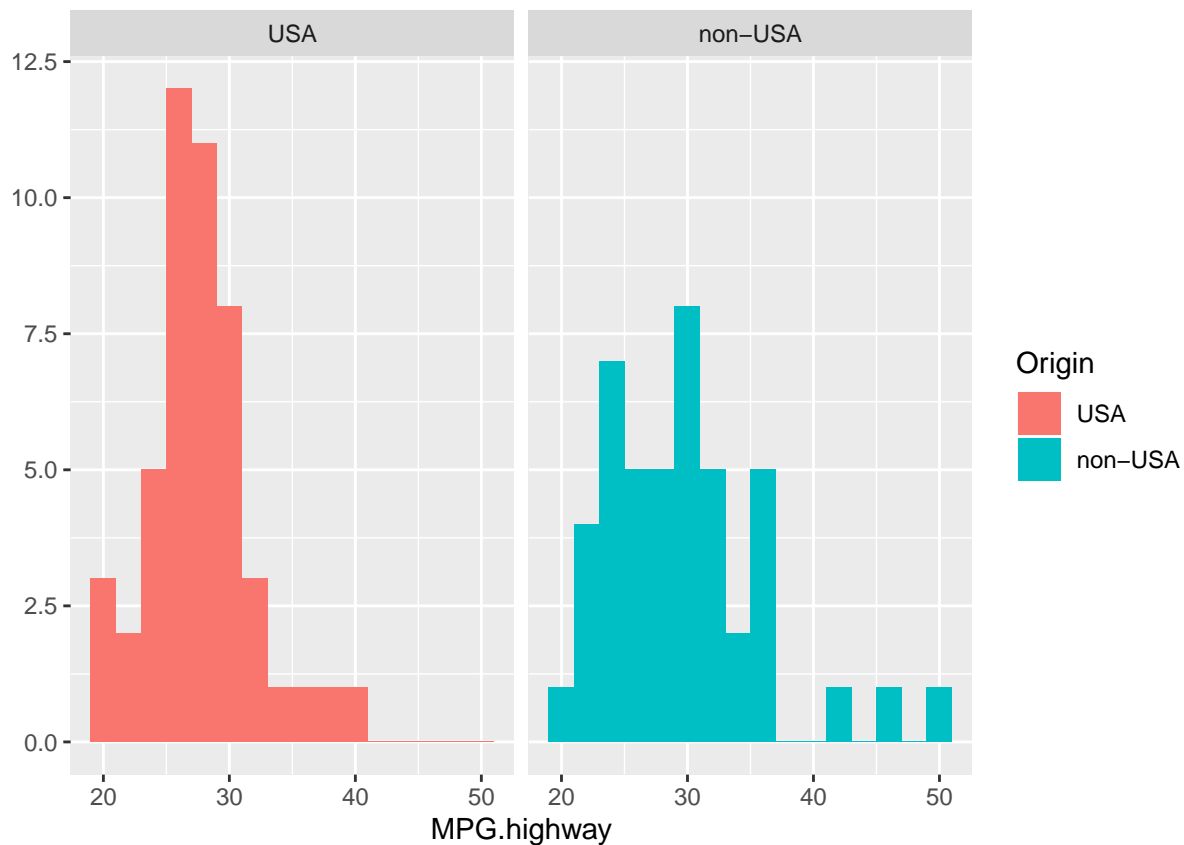
```
qplot(x = Origin, y = MPG.highway, geom="boxplot", data = Cars93,
      xlab = "Origin", ylab="MPG on Highway", fill=I("steelblue"))
```



Is the data normal?

(a) Construct histograms of `MPG.highway`, one plot for each `Origin` category.

```
qplot(x = MPG.highway, data = Cars93, facets = ~Origin, geom = "histogram", fill = Origin, binwidth = 2)
```

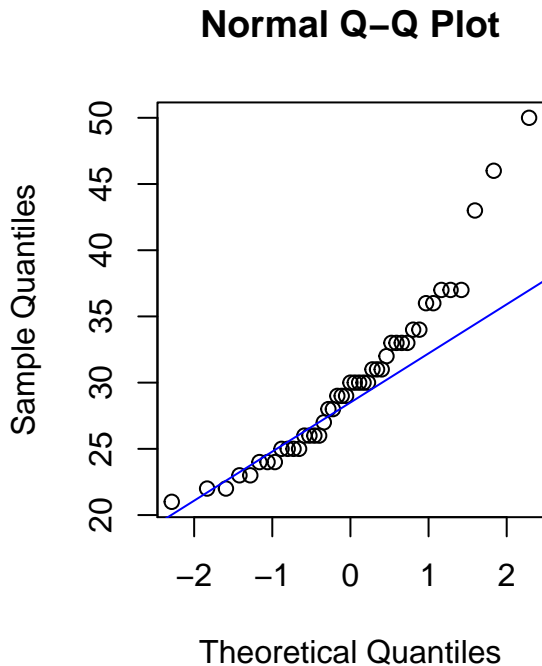
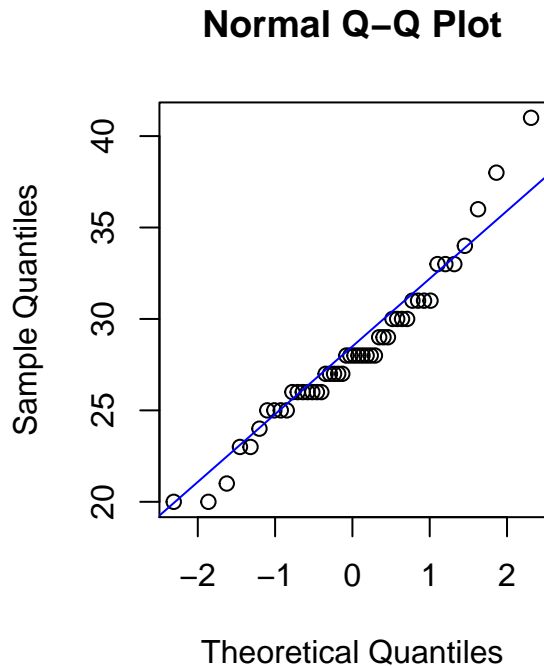


(b) Does the data look to be normally distributed?

The histograms don't really look normally distributed, so we might be better off using the non-parametric test.

(c) Construct qqplots of `MPG.highway`, one plot for each `Origin` category. Overlay a line on each plot using with `qqline()` function.

```
par(mfrow = c(1,2))
# USA cars
with(Cars93, qqnorm(MPG.highway[Origin == "USA"]))
with(Cars93, qqline(MPG.highway, col = "blue"))
# Foreign cars
with(Cars93, qqnorm(MPG.highway[Origin == "non-USA"]))
with(Cars93, qqline(MPG.highway, col = "blue"))
```



(d) Does the data look to be normally distributed?

The non-USA MPG.highway data looks very far from normally distributed.

Testing means between two groups

(a) Using the Cars93 data and the `t.test()` function, run a t-test to see if average MPG.highway is different between US and non-US vehicles.

Try doing this both using the formula style input and the x, y style input.

```
# Formula version
mpg.t.test <- t.test(MPG.highway ~ Origin, data = Cars93)
mpg.t.test

##
##  Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data:  MPG.highway by Origin
## t = -1.7545, df = 75.802, p-value = 0.08339
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
##  -4.1489029  0.2627918
## sample estimates:
##      mean in group USA mean in group non-USA
##      28.14583          30.08889
```

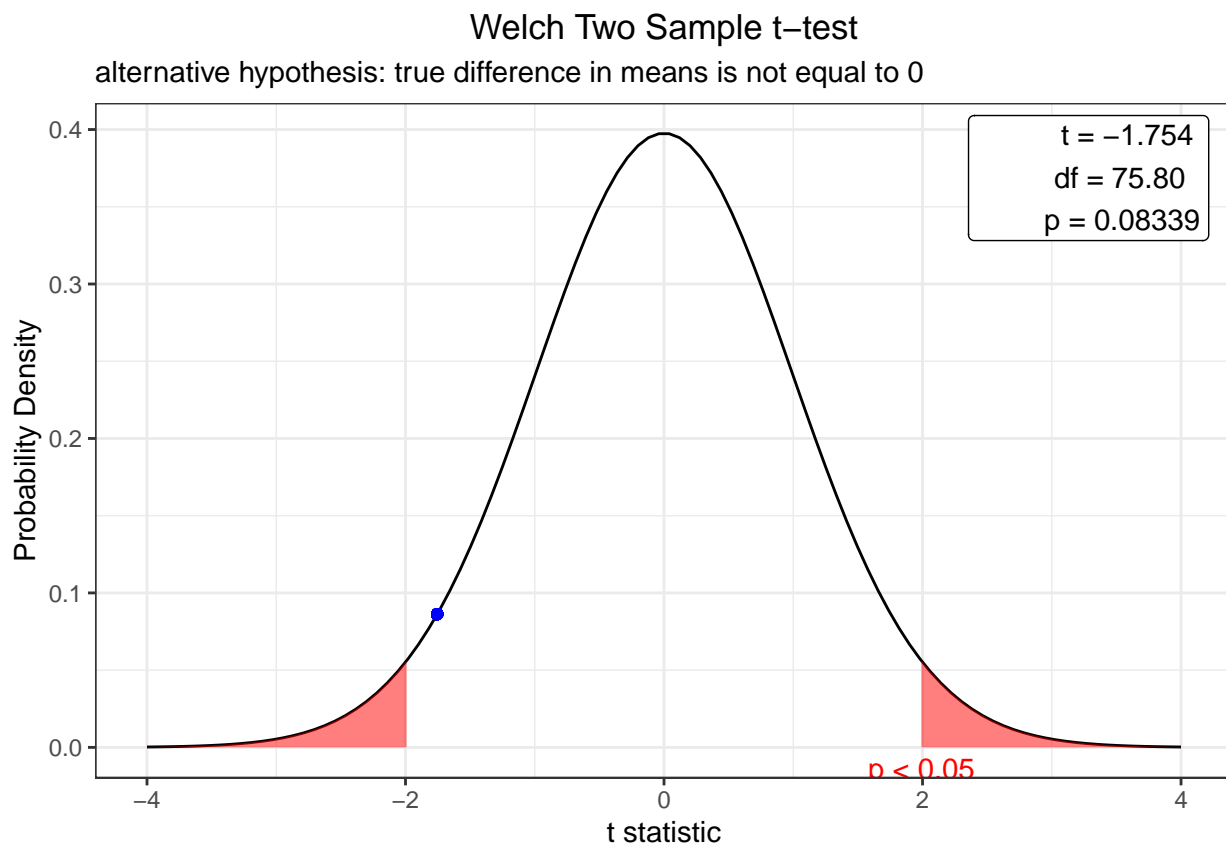
x, y version

```
with(Cars93, t.test(x = MPG.highway[Origin == "USA"], y = MPG.highway[Origin == "non-USA"], alternative = "two.sided"))
##
```

```
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: MPG.highway[Origin == "USA"] and MPG.highway[Origin == "non-USA"]
## t = -1.7545, df = 75.802, p-value = 0.9583
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is greater than 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -3.787251      Inf
## sample estimates:
## mean of x mean of y
## 28.14583 30.08889
```

Plot t-test

```
#install.packages("devtools")
#devtools::install_github("cardiomoon/webr")
plot(mpg.t.test)
```



(b) What is the confidence interval for the difference?

```
mpg.t.test$conf.int
```

```
## [1] -4.1489029 0.2627918
## attr("conf.level")
## [1] 0.95
```

If it is not normal distribution, we can use Wilcox Test

```
wilcox <- wilcox.test(MPG.highway ~ Origin, exact = FALSE, data=Cars93)
wilcox
```

```
##
##  Wilcoxon rank sum test with continuity correction
##
## data:  MPG.highway by Origin
## W = 910, p-value = 0.1912
## alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
```