

Assignment 18.2 :

Using the following data, perform a oneway analysis of variance using $\alpha=.05$. Write up the results in APA format.

[Group1: 51, 45, 33, 45, 67]

[Group2: 23, 43, 23, 43, 45]

[Group3: 56, 76, 74, 87, 56]

Answer:

Sample means (\bar{x}) for the groups: = 48.2, 35.4, 69.8

Intermediate steps in calculating the group variances:

[[1]]

	value	mean	deviations	sq deviations
1	51	48.2	2.8	7.84
2	45	48.2	-3.2	10.24
3	33	48.2	-15.2	231.04
4	45	48.2	-3.2	10.24
5	67	48.2	18.8	353.44

[[2]]

	value	mean	deviations	sq deviations
1	23	35.4	-12.4	153.76
2	43	35.4	7.6	57.76
3	23	35.4	-12.4	153.76
4	43	35.4	7.6	57.76
5	45	35.4	9.6	92.16

[[3]]

	value	mean	deviations	sq deviations
1	56	69.8	-13.8	190.44
2	76	69.8	6.2	38.44
3	74	69.8	4.2	17.64
4	87	69.8	17.2	295.84
5	56	69.8	-13.8	190.44

Sum of squared deviations from the mean (SS) for the groups:

612.8 515.2 732.8

Var1 = $[612.8 / (5-1)] = 153.2$

Var2 = $[515.2 / (5-1)] = 128.8$

Var3 = $[732.8 / (5-1)] = 183.2$

MS_{Error} = $[(153.2+128.8+183.2) / 3] = 155.07$

Note: this is just the average within-group variance; it is not sensitive to group mean differences!
 Calculating the remaining *error* (or *within*) terms for the ANOVA table:

$$Df_{\text{error}} = 15 - 3 = 12$$

$$SS_{\text{error}} = (155.07)(15 - 3) = 1860.8$$

Intermediate steps in calculating the variance of the sample means:

$$\text{Grand mean } (\bar{X}) = 48.2 + 35.4 + 69.83 = 51.13$$

group mean	grand mean	deviations	sq deviations
48.2	51.13	-2.93	8.58
35.4	51.13	-15.73	247.43
69.8	51.13	18.67	348.57

$$\text{Sum of squares } (SS_{\text{means}}) = 604.58$$

$$\text{Var}_{\text{means}} = [604.58 / (3 - 1)] = 302.29$$

$$MS_{\text{between}} = (302.29) (5) = 1511.45$$

Note: This method of estimating the variance IS sensitive to group mean differences!

Calculating the remaining *between* (or *group*) terms of the ANOVA table:

$$Df_{\text{groups}} = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$SS_{\text{group}} = (1511.45) (3 - 1) = 3022.9$$

Test statistic and critical value

$$F = (1511.45 / 155.07) = 9.75$$

$$F_{\text{critical}}(2, 12) = 3.89$$

Decision: reject H0

ANOVA table

source	SS	df	MS	F
group	3022.9	2	1511.45	9.75
error	1860.8	12	155.07	
total	4883.7			

Effect size

$$\eta^2 = [3022.9 / 4883.7] = 0.62$$

APA writeup

$$F(2, 12) = 9.75, p < 0.05, \eta^2 = 0.62$$