Deliverable 4:

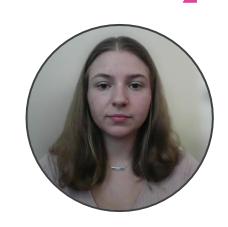
Casual bike rentals on holidays vs non-holidays

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Research Question

Is there a difference in the amount of daily count of casual bike rentals on holidays versus days that are not holidays?



Research Variable

WHO	WHAT measuren	nent is made on each	TYPE OF MEASURE	
VVIIO	Name of Variable	Question Asked	I TPE OF WIEASORE	
A day in 2011 and 2012	Holiday	Is it a Holiday?	Categorical Variable Unit: holiday/not a holiday	
A day in 2011 and 2012	Casual Counts How many casual E		Quantitative Variable Unit: Bike Rentals	

One quantitative variable being tested among one categorical variable to see difference amongst levels.

1. Two Mean t Test (Pooled)

3. Wilcoxon Rank Sum

2. Two Mean t Test (Satterthwaite)

4. Welch's Test on Ranked Data

SAS Code: Renaming



```
/st Make a new data set and RENAMING variables and cat. varsst /
data work.bike;
    set work.bike full (keep = holiday casual);
    length holidayC $50;
    if holiday = 1 then holidayC = 'Holiday';
    else if holiday = 0 then holidayC = 'Not a Holiday';
    else holidayC = "Missing";
    drop holiday;
    rename holidayC=Holiday;
    rename casual='Casual Counts'n;
run;
```

Inspecting Data and Normality

```
/*QQ Plots and normality test*/
title "Figure 1: QQ Plots";
proc univariate data=work.bike normaltest plots;
class Holiday;
VAR 'Casual Counts'n;
run;
title;
```



Table 1: Summary Statistics for Holiday

Moments					
N	21	Sum Weights			
Mean	1084.71429	Sum Observations	22359		
Std Deviation	860.046809	Variance	739680.514		
Skewness	1.0267872	Kurtosis	0.16546868		
Uncorrected SS	38599557	Corrected SS	14793610.3		
Coeff Variation	80.7772396	Std Error Mean	187.6776		

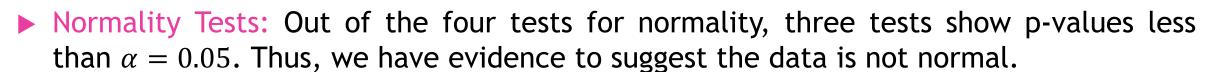
Table 2: Summary Statistics for not a Holiday

Moments					
N	710	Sum Weights			
Mean	841.771831	Sum Observations	597658		
Std Deviation	680.528529	Variance	463119.079		
Skewness	1.27060148	Kurtosis	1.36760645		
Uncorrected SS	831443096	Corrected SS	328351427		
Coeff Variation	80.8447734	Std Error Mean	25.5397806		

Assessing Normality--Holiday

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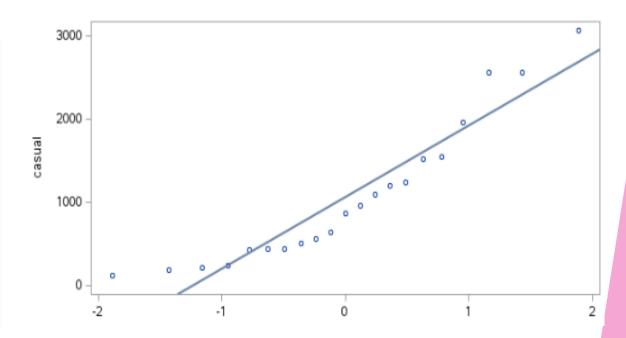
 H_A : The data did not come from a normal population



▶ QQ Plot: The data shows large amounts of deviation from the agreement line, contradicting normality. Further, this agrees with the normality tests that say that the

data is not normal.

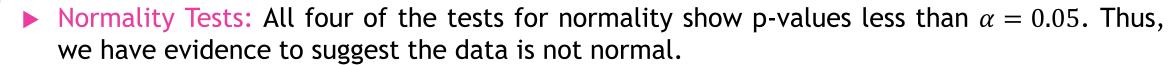
Tests for Normality						
Test	St	Statistic p Value				
Shapiro-Wilk	W	0.882208	Pr < W	0.0161		
Kolmogorov-Smirnov	D	0.164655	Pr > D	0.1404		
Cramer-von Mises	W-Sq	0.135192	Pr > W-Sq	0.0359		
Anderson-Darling	A-Sq	0.872208	Pr > A-Sq	0.0218		

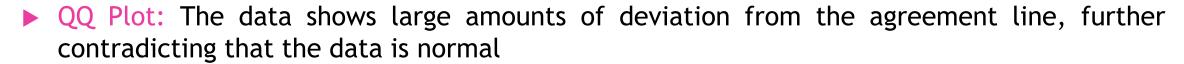


Assessing Normality—Not a Holiday

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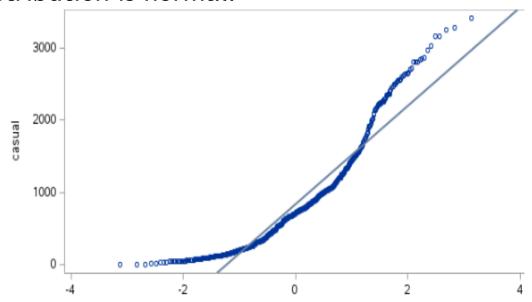
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▶ Sample size: The sample size of non-holidays is 710 days. This follows the Central Limit Theorem as 710 is above 30. Thus, the data distribution is normal.

Tests for Normality						
Test	Statistic p Value					
Shapiro-Wilk	W	0.885581	Pr < W	<0.0001		
Kolmogorov-Smirnov	D	0.114097	Pr > D	<0.0100		
Cramer-von Mises	W-Sq	3.314881	Pr > W-Sq	<0.0050		
Anderson-Darling	A-Sq	21.89839	Pr > A-Sq	<0.0050		



Assessing Homogeneity

 $ightharpoonup H_0$: Data is Homogeneous

*H*_A: Data is Non-Homogeneous

- To assess homogeneity, we will look at the ratio of the standard deviations.
- ► The ratio is less than 2. Thus, the standard deviations are close enough to use a test that requires homogeneity.
- ► Conclusion: Use Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test.



Ratio of standard deviations:

$$= \frac{SD_{Holiday}}{SD_{Not\ a\ Holiday}}$$

$$=\frac{860.05}{680.53}$$

$$= 1.2638$$

Choosing Hypothesis Test: Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test

Since the data is not normal and homogeneous, we will perform the Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test.

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H_0: \eta_{non-holiday} = \eta_{holiday}

H_A: \eta_{non-holiday} \neq \eta_{holiday}

\alpha = 0.05
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- ► The null hypothesis is that the median of casual rentals on non-holidays is the same as the median of casual rentals on holidays.
- The alternative hypothesis is that the median of casual rentals on non-holidays is different than the median of casual rentals on holidays.
- The level of significance, $\alpha=0.05$, tells us that 5% of the time we will conclude $\eta_{non-holiday} \neq \eta_{holiday}$ when $\eta_{non-holiday} = \eta_{holiday}$ is actually true.



Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test--Calculations



The Expected Sum of Rank

$$= \left(\frac{n_{smallest}}{n}\right) \left(\frac{(n)(n+1)}{2}\right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{21}{731}\right) \left(\frac{(731)(732)}{2}\right)$$

$$= 7,686$$

 $\frac{(Sum \ of \ Scores + 0.5) - Expected \ Sum \ of \ Ranks}{Standard \ Deviation}$

$$=\frac{(8740.5+0.5)-7,686}{953.681216}$$

$$= 1.1062$$

Performing Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test

```
/*Running the Wilcoxon Rank Sum with correction*/
PROC NPAR1WAY DATA = work.bike WILCOXON CORRECT=YES;
CLASS Holiday;
VAR 'Casual Counts'n;
RUN;
```



Wilcoxon Scores (Rank Sums) for Variable Casual Counts Classified by Variable Holiday							
Holiday N Scores Under H0 Under H0 Score							
Not a Holiday	710	258805.50	259860.0	953.681216	384.514789		
Holiday 21 8740.50 7686.0 953.681216 416.214286							
	Average scores were used for ties.						

Wilcoxon Two-Sample Test						
		t Approximatio				
Statistic	Z	Pr > Z	Pr > Z	Pr > Z	Pr > Z	
8740.500	1.1052	0.1345	0.2691	0.1347	0.2694	
Z includes a continuity correction of 0.5.						

Performing Wilcoxon Rank Sum Test

- **Z-value:** The Wilcoxon statistic (sum of ranks for holiday sample), which is 8740.50 is 1.1052 standard deviations to the right of the hypothesized sum of the ranks, 7686. It is the proportion of the sum of the ranks 1 to 21 that we should see for the holiday sample.
- p-value: There is a 26.91% chance of observing this sum of ranks for the smallest sample (holiday) if there was no difference in the medians for casual bike rentals on non-holidays and holidays.
- Conclusion: Since the sample results are so likely to happen by chance when $\eta_{non-holiday} = \eta_{holiday}$, p-value = 0.2691 > α = 0.05, we cannot say that there is a difference in the casual bike rental counts for holidays and non-holidays.



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Figure 3: Histogram of Casual Bike Rental Counts by Whether it is a Holiday

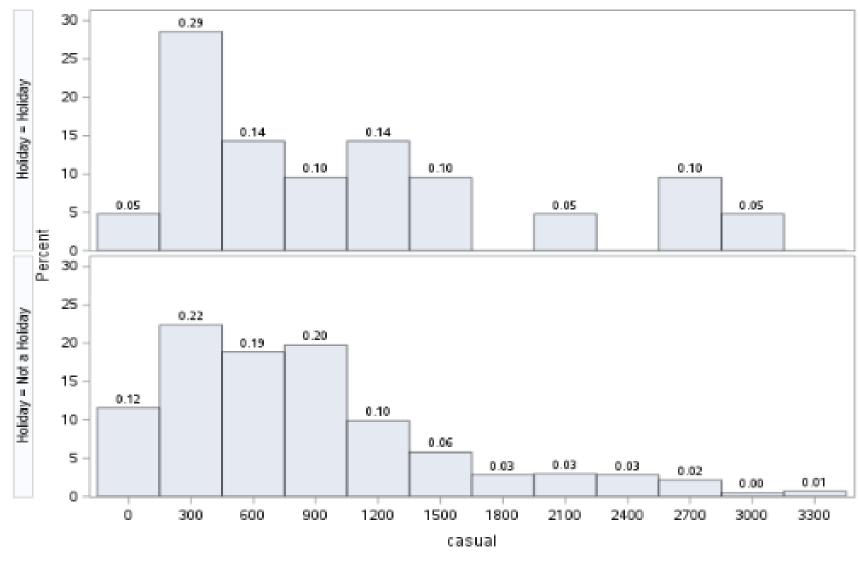
Bin width is 300 rental counts

The UNIVARIATE Procedure



Supporting Graphic: Histogram

Distribution of Casual Counts



SAS Code—Stratified Histogram



```
/*Stratified Histogram*/
PROC UNIVARIATE DATA = work.bike noprint;
   VAR 'Casual Counts'n;
   CLASS Holiday;
   HISTOGRAM/barlabel=proportion midpoints=0 to 3500 by 300;
   TITLE1 height=16pt 'Figure 3: Histogram of Casual Bike Rental Counts by Whether it is a Holiday';
   Title2 height=12pt 'Bin width is 300 rental counts';
RUN;
title;
```

Taking Action

This analysis may be helpful not only for bike sharing companies, but also to the cities that use these companies.

- Companies: Bike Sharing companies may be interested in casual bike rentals on holidays vs non-holidays as it helps them gain insight on how to price, when and how to promote, and upkeeping resources.
- ▶ Cities: Cities may be interested in casual bike rentals on holidays vs non-holidays when assessing the mobility of the city, going-ons, and other patterns about their population.



SAS Code Screen Recording

