MANOVA

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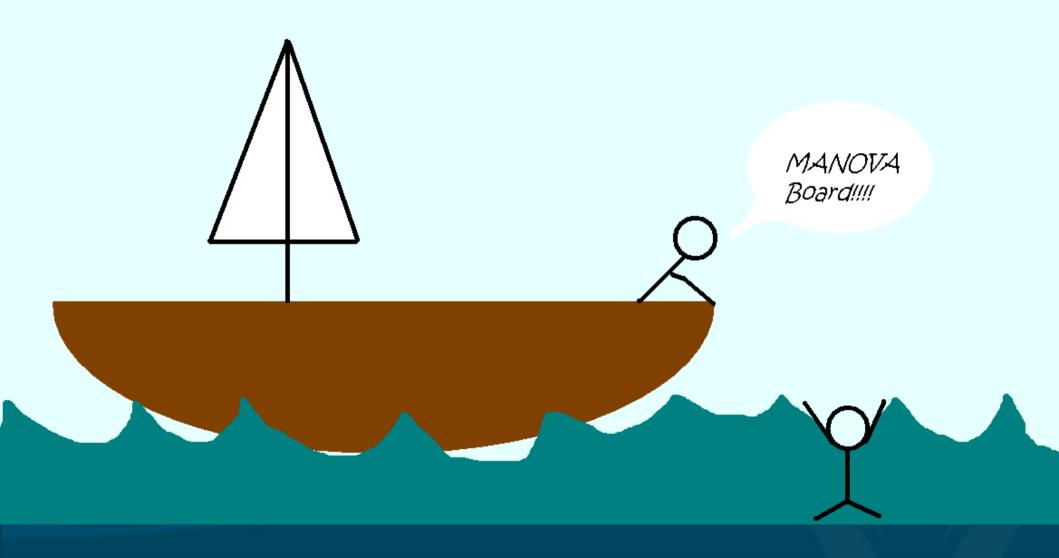
- chicken.sav
- Range et al. paper



Outline for today: MANOVA

- MANOVA: Concepts
 - Assumptions: multivariate normality
 - Assumptions: variance-covariance matrices
 - Running it in SPSS: chicken.sav example
 - Interpreting output
- MANOVA journal article: Range, et al. (2000)
 - Study design: particip., process, measures
 - Results and conclusions
- Further reading: Factor Analysis





MANOVA: Multiple DVs

- Theory developed by Wilks in 1932
 - But not practically computable until recently
- ANOVA with multiple (possibly correlated) DVs
- DVs should be theoretically related
 - e.g., subscales of one measure: Beck Depression Inventory (BDI-II) has affective and physiological subscales
 - e.g., two measures of same outcome: BDI (self-rated) and Hamilton (clinician-rated)
- DVs should be correlated but not collinear



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Hotelling's T² and MANOVA

- ANOVA with just 2 groups is the t-test
- MANOVA with just 2 groups is Hotelling's T²:
 - 1 dichotomous IV; several continuous DVs
 - Null hypothesis: both groups score the same on all the DVs
- General MANOVA compares several groups
 - Omnibus: do the groups differ on the DVs?
 - Follow-up: post-hoc (for several categories)
 - Follow-up: univariate ANOVA (single DV)
- Follow-up: simple effects (for interactions)

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MANOVA: Assumptions

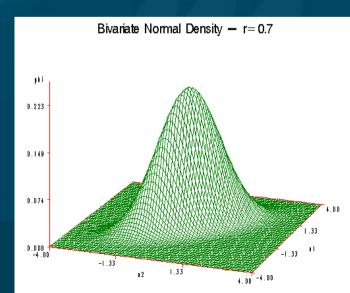
- Same as ANOVA: parametricity
 - But now multi-dimensional!
- DVs all scale-level
- All observations are independent
- Normality → Multi-normality
- Homogeneity of variances → homogeneity of variance-covariance matrices
- Sample size: need min cell count > #DVs
 - If min cell count ≥ 30 , then it is robust to non-normality and variances

Multivariate Normality

- A set of DVs are multi-variate normally distributed if every linear combination of the DVs is normally distrib
- The DVs may be correlated (tilted ellipse)
- The mean of the distribution is a vector
- The variance is described by a symmetric matrix:

the variance-covariance matrix

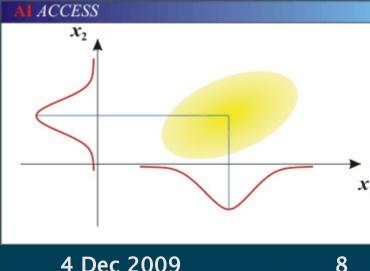
 Diagonal entries are the variances of indiviual DVs





Checking Multi-Normality

- Check that each DV is normal (univariate)
 - Technically, we should check this per-cell, but most articles just combine all groups
 - If all cell counts \geq 20, multi-normality is roughly met (by Central Limit Theorem)
- Check that the DVs do not have non-linear relationships to each other
 - Examine scatterplots of all pairs of DVs (matrix scatter)
 - Watch for any curvilinear structure



Multi-Normality & Collinearity

- Also check the correlations amongst all DVs:
- If too low, then the DVs are not related:
 - We won't gain anything by doing MANOVA instead of separate ANOVAs on each DV
- If too high (|r|>0.8 or so), risk of collinearity: two DVs that give the same info
 - We don't gain anything by adding the DV, only lose power:
 - Should remove that DV or combine them
 - SPSS will abort if it detects collinearity of DV



Variance-Covariance

- The Variance-Covariance matrix describes multidimensional spread of the DVs
 - Different multi-normal distribution of DVs in each cell of the factorial model
 - MANOVA looks for differences in the means of those multi-normals
- MANOVA assumes the variance-covariance matrices of those multi-normals are equal across all cells
 - This is the multi-dimensional equivalent of homogeneity of variance

Checking Variance-Covariance

- Homogeneity of variance-covariance matrices:
- First, if all cell sizes are roughly equal, skip this test and just use Pillai's trace (see output)
- Next, if all cell sizes are ≥ 30, we are reasonably robust to violations of this assum.
- Next, ensure we have multi-normality
- Then run Levene's test on each DV (univariate)
- Lastly, run Box's Test: we want insignificance
 - Box's Test is not reliable if we don't have multi-normality

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MANOVA: Chicken example

- Example dataset: chicken.sav (from Field)
- IV: Group (Manic Psychosis vs. Sussex Lecturer)
- DV: Quality of chicken impers. (score out of 10)
- DV: Quantity of chicken impers. per day
- RQ: Do manic psychotics show a difference from Sussex lecturers in quality+quantity of chicken impersonations?
- Analysis: One-way MANOVA
 - Only two groups: equivalent to Hotelling's T²



Chickens: Check Multi-Normality

- Univariate normality by group: Explore:
 - Dependents: DVs; Factors: IVs
 - Display: Plots
 - Plots: Histogram, Normality plots with tests
 - Result: Lecturers non-normal on Quality (p=.021)
- Check linearity: Graphs → Legacy → Scatter:
 - Simple Scatter (or Matrix if >2 DVs)
- Check correlation: An. → Correlate → Bivariate:
 - Result: 0.788 (almost worry about collinearity)



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MANOVA: SPSS (Chickens)

- Analyze → GLM → Multivariate:
 - Dependent Variables: Quality, Quantity
 - Fixed Factor(s): Group
 - Options:
 Descriptives, Effect Size, Homogeneity
- Other buttons for Model, Plots,
 Planned Contrasts,
 Post-Hoc (multiple comparisons),
 Save (residuals, etc.)
 are as in regular ANOVA/Regression



Output: Check Variance/Covar

- Cell sizes are roughly equal: can use Pillai's tr
- Cell sizes not > 30
- Not so sure about multi-normality
- Levene's Test (univariate):
 - inhomogeneity of variance on Quality
- Box's Test (covar matrices):
 - Inhomogeneity of variance-covariance matrices
- But we are okay because of balanced design



MANOVA: Output

- Multivariate Tests:
 - Wilks' Lambda (most commonly used)
 - Pillai's Trace (robust to inhomogeneity of variance, as long as cells are balanced)
 - Roy's Largest Root (too optimistic)
 - (see Tabachnick & Fidell, 2007)
- Tests of Between-Subjects Effects
 - Use a Bonferroni adjustment
- Effect size Partial η^2 : proportion of variance in DV



MANOVA: Follow-Up

- Remember MANOVA is omnibus: need follow-up
 - Try univariate ANOVAs: which DVs show differences? (Possibly none show diffs individually, only when taken together!)
 - Try post-hoc multiple comparisons: if an IV has several groups, which groups differ?
 - Try simple effects: if there is a significant interaction of multiple IVs, try to understand it by fixing one of the Ivs

■ Try plots: Scatter → Panel by: IVs

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MANOVA: Further Reading

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MANOVA Article: Range et al.

- Range, L. M., Kovac, S. H., & Marion, M. S. (2000). Does writing about the bereavement lessen grief following sudden, unintentional death? Death Studies, 24, 115–134.
- Writing about traumatic events produces improvement even after intervention ends:
 - physical health, psychological functioning
- Need more systematic research to assess with specific populations
- Writing about events/emotions surrounding death of a loved one by sudden, unintentional

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Range: Participants

- N = 64 undergraduate students
 - (20 did not complete...)
- Bereaved within the past 2.5 years:
 - due to an accident or homicide,
 - mildly to extremely close to the deceased,
 - and upset by the death
- Experimental design: random assignment to 2 different writing conditions:
 - Profound



Range: Therapy Procedure

- Pre-test measures: depression, anxiety, grief, impact, and non-routine health visits
- Wrote 15 min per day for 4 days on either
 - profound (on death of loved one) OR
 - trivial (unrelated topic) topics
- Post-test with same measures
- Follow-up after 6 weeks

IVs? Between-subjects? Within-subjects?



Range: Measures (DVs) (p.120)

- Self-rating Depression Scale (SDS)
- Impact of Event Scale (IES)
- Grief Recovery Questions (GRQ)
- Grief Experience Questionnaire (GEQ)
- Multiple Affect Adjective Checklist-Revised (MAACL-R)
 - 5 subscales grouped into 2 summary scales:
 - Dysphoria: Anxiety, Depr, Hostility
 - PASS: Positive Affect, Sensation Seeking



Range: Research Question

- RQ: Does writing about the accidental or homicidal deaths of loved ones improve bereavement recovery in the areas of physical and psychological functioning?
- Hypotheses The profound condition will show:
 - More negative emotions and mood at post-testing than trivial condition
 - More positive mood, more bereavement recovery, and fewer health centre visits at follow-up than trivial condition

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Why not multiple ANOVAs?

Separate 2 (Condition: Profound/Trivial) x 3 (Time: Pre/Post/Follow) ANOVA for each DV?

Groups	F(2,38)	p	Time Difference
Anxiety	5.35	0.009	Pre > F
Depression	4.66	0.016	Pre > F

■ If Anxiety and Depression had a correlation of r = .80, how would we interpret the ANOVAs?



Why MANOVA?

- Controlling against Type I error
- Multivariate analysis of effects
 - If outcome measures (DV) are correlated,
 - they may be partially redundant:
- MANOVA takes these correlations into account, removing redundancy
 - Dependent variables treated as a whole system rather than as separate variables



Range: Research Design

- 2x3 (Condition x Time) mixed-design MANOVA
- DVs: SDS (depr), IES (impact), GRQ (recovery), GEQ (exp), and MAACL-R (affect adjectives)

	Pre-Test					Post-Test				Follow-Up					
	S D S	I E S	G R Q	G E Q	M A A C L	S D S	I E S	G R Q	G E Q	M A A C L	S D S	I E S	G R Q	G E Q	MAACL
Profound															
Trivial															



Range: Results

- Did not report multivariate statistic (Wilks' \(\Lambda\))
- "No significant interaction"
- "No significant main effect for condition"
- "Significant main effect for time" (p.125)
 - F(18, 22) = 4.80, p = .001
- Follow-up: Separate 2 (Condition) x 3 (Time) ANOVAs for each DV (see Tables 3 & 4)
 - Focus on Time main effect in each one
 - Post-hoc (Tukey's HSD) to find which times , differ (Pre- / Post- / Follow-up)

Range: Conclusions

- Original RQs: The profound condition will show:
 - More negative emotions and mood at post-testing than trivial condition
 - More positive mood, more bereavement recovery, and fewer health centre visits at follow-up than trivial condition
- Hypotheses not supported!
- Only conclusion: "Time heals all wounds"?



Factor Analysis

- Typically in Psych, can have lots of IVs!
 - Which are important?
 - Exclude non-useful IVs → increase power
- Exploratory factor analysis (EFA)
 - Explore the interrelationships among a given set of variables, w/o a-priori ideas
- Confirmatory factor analysis (CFA)
 - Confirm specific hypotheses or theories concerning the structure underlying a set of variables



Factor Analysis: References

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