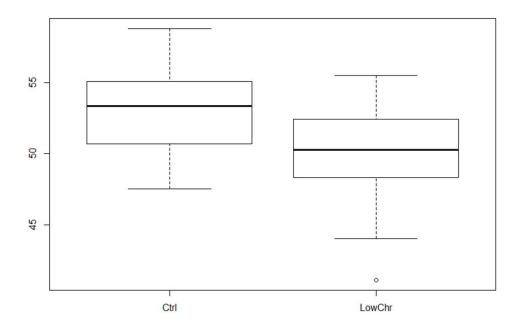
1.A)



B) 
$$df1 = num df = df_{cntrl} = 9$$

$$df2 = denom df = df_{LowChr} = 13$$

$$H_0: \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} = \frac{\sigma_{cntrl}}{\sigma_{LowChr}} = 1$$

$$H_1$$
:  $\frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} = \frac{\sigma_{cntrl}}{\sigma_{LowChr}} \neq 1$ 

Test Statistic, F =  $\frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2}$  = 0.78978; Rejection Region, F>3.312032 or F<0.261056.

P-value = 0.7373 >  $\alpha$  (=0.05), which means we fail to reject the null hypothesis that the true ratio of variances  $(\frac{\sigma_{cntrl}}{\sigma_{LowChr}})$  is equal to 1 with 95% confidence.

- C) Levene test P value = 0.6789 >  $\alpha$  (=0.05), which means we fail to reject (with 95% confidence) the null hypothesis that the true ratio of variances  $(\frac{\sigma_{cntrl}}{\sigma_{LowChr}})$  is equal to 1.
- D) As we fail to reject that  $\frac{\sigma_{cntrl}}{\sigma_{LowChr}}=1$ , pooled variance t-test would be preferred.

E) H<sub>0</sub>: 
$$\mu_{cntrl} - \mu_{LowChr} = 0$$

$$H_0$$
:  $\mu_{cntrl} - \mu_{LowChr} \neq 0$ 

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Test statistic, t = 2.1709
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p-value =  $0.041 < \alpha$  (=0.05), which means we can reject null hypothesis H<sub>0</sub> with 95% confidence.

F)

Comparing the results to E, we see that the p value of ANOVA test is 0.041, which is the same as the p-value obtained from two-sample t-test. And F-value obtained from ANOVA is  $4.713 = 2.1709^2 = t^2$