

DATA ANALYSIS

Week 11: F-tests/ANOVAs for nominal data

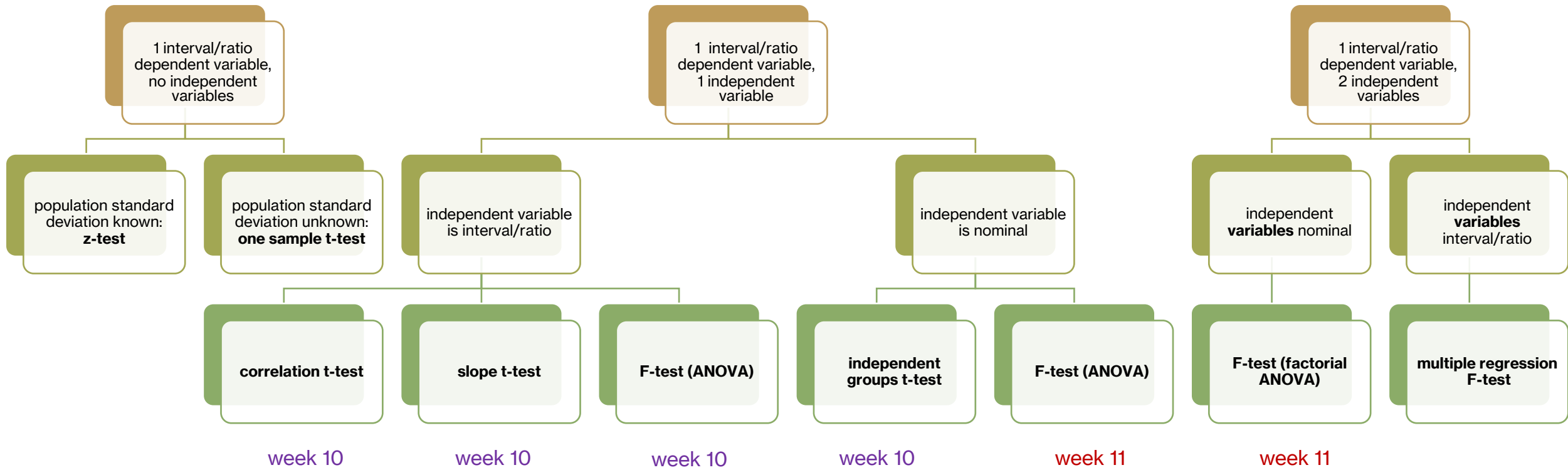
logistics

- no week 11 or week 12 quiz!
- office hours only 2-4 today
- problem set #4 second attempt due tonight
- problem set #6 (due Apr 9)
- class survey (due Apr 9, Canvas)
- midterm 2 review materials (on Canvas by Friday):
 - midterm 2 practice quiz
 - midterm 2 computational questions
- Apr 10 is a review class for midterm 2

11	W: April 3, 2024	W11: Modeling Relationships II
11	F: April 5, 2024	W11 continued...
12	T: April 9, 2024	Problem Set 6 due
12	W: April 10, 2024	W12: Loose Ends / Exam 2 review
12	F: April 12, 2024	Exam (Midterm) 2
13	W: April 17, 2024	W13: Non-Independent Data
13	F: April 19, 2024	W13 continued...
14	T: April 23, 2024	Problem Set Opt-out Deadline 3
14	W: April 24, 2024	W14: Miscellaneous Data
14	F: April 26, 2024	W14 continued...
15	T: April 30, 2024	Problem Set 7 due
15	W: May 1, 2024	W15: Odds and Ends
15	F: May 3, 2024	Final Exam
16	W: May 8, 2024	Wrapping Up!

the chart of doom (so far)

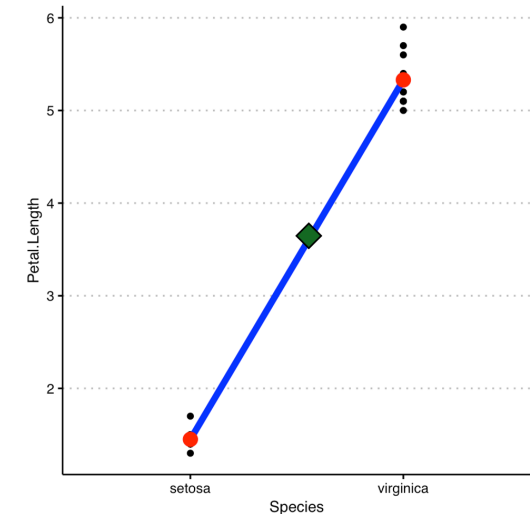
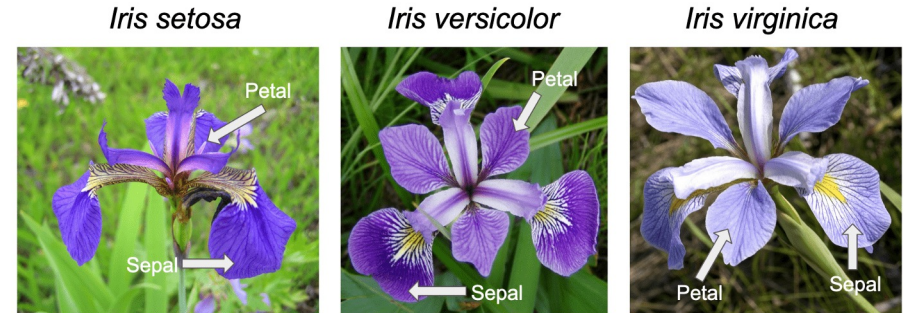
week 7



only for
two groups!

review: iris dataset

- our goal is to build the **best model for petal lengths**
- petal length (Y) = $a + b$ (species: X)
- we conducted an **independent groups t-test** to evaluate the significance of adding a “species” mean to our model over and above the grand mean
- t-test compared the M_{setosa} to $M_{virginica}$



review: independent groups t-test

step 1:
state the
hypotheses

$$H_0: \beta = 0 \text{ or } \mu_2 - \mu_1 = 0$$
$$H_1: \beta \neq 0 \text{ or } \mu_2 - \mu_1 \neq 0$$

step 2:
set criteria
for decision

$$\alpha = .05$$

find $t_{critical}$ based on
one vs. two tailed
test and degrees of
freedom

$$df = n_1 + n_2 - 2$$

step 3:
collect
data

(1) compute $s_{M2-M1} = \sqrt{\frac{s_p^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_p^2}{n_2}}$
and $b = M_2 - M_1$

(2) compute $t_{observed} = \frac{b - \beta}{s_{M2-M1}}$

(3) find p-value for t-score

step 4:
make a
decision!

check whether $t_{observed}$ is
beyond $t_{critical}$ and
p-value < .05. if so, reject
null hypothesis!

review: independent groups t-test

- **step 1: state the hypotheses**

- $H_0: \mu_{\text{virginica}} - \mu_{\text{setosa}} = 0$: mean petal lengths for both species are equal, i.e.,
- $H_1: \mu_{\text{virginica}} - \mu_{\text{setosa}} \neq 0$: mean petal lengths for both species are not equal, i.e.,

- **step 2: set criteria for decision**

$$df = n_1 + n_2 - 2 = 10 + 10 - 2 = 18$$

$$t_{18} = t_{\text{critical}} = 2.1009$$

- **step 3: collect data**

$$s_p^2 = \frac{SS_1 + SS_2}{df_1 + df_2} = .0525$$

$$s_{M_2 - M_1} = \sqrt{\frac{s_p^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_p^2}{n_2}} = .1025$$

$$b = M_2 - M_1 = 3.88$$

$$t_{\text{observed}} = \frac{b - 0}{s_{M_2 - M_1}} = \frac{(3.88) - 0}{.1025} = 37.844 \text{ and p-value} < .0001$$

- **step 4: make a decision!**

assumptions: t-test

$$s_p^2 = \frac{SS_1 + SS_2}{df_1 + df_2}$$
$$s_{M2-M1} = \sqrt{\frac{s_p^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_p^2}{n_2}}$$

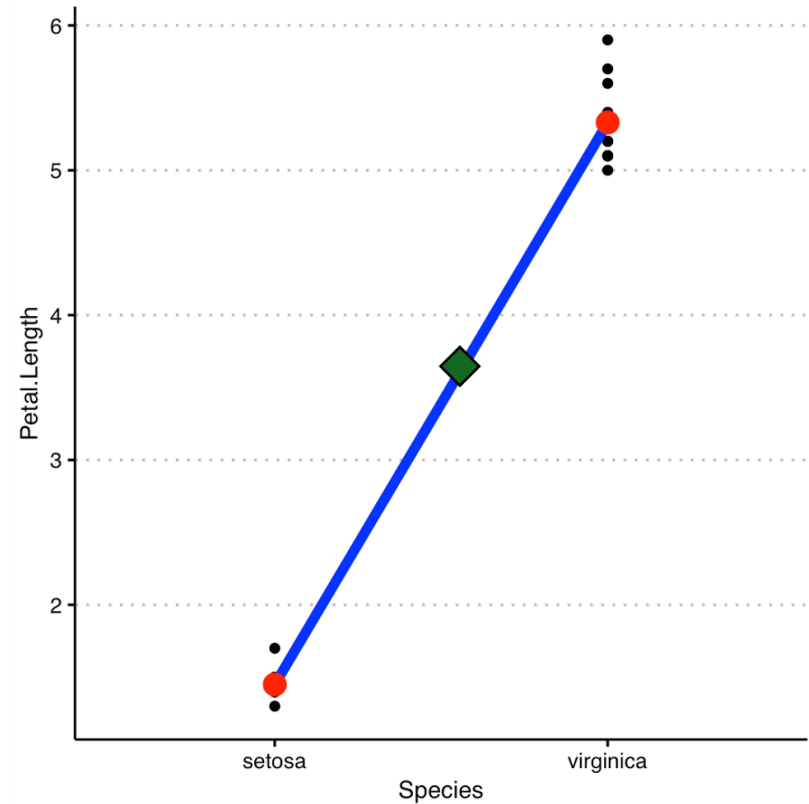
- interval/ratio dependent variable
- independent observations (between-subjects design)
- normality
 - when data are not normal, the t-test is not appropriate
 - BUT: t-tests are fairly robust to minor violations for large n
- homogeneity of variances
 - we assume that the populations from which samples are drawn have equal variances to compute a “pooled” estimate of variance for the independent groups t-test
 - Welch’s test is done for unequal variances



questions?

F-test for two groups

- just as we did an “overall” test for linear regression, we can do the same here for the iris dataset, where we **compare** the grand mean model with the species mean model
- recall that $F = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}} = \frac{SS_{model}/df_{model}}{SS_{error}/df_{error}}$
- and $SS_{total} = SS_{model} + SS_{error}$
- how do we obtain SS_{total} , SS_{error} , and SS_{model} ?



F-test for two groups

- SS_{total} represents score deviations from grand mean (M_Y)

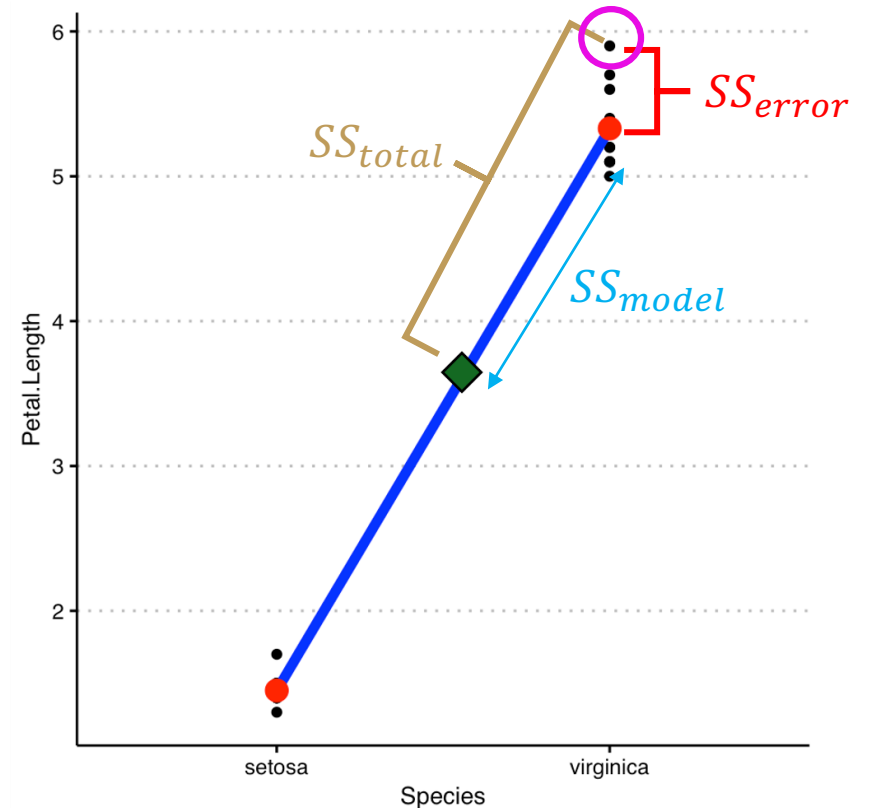
$$SS_{total} = \sum (Y - M_Y)^2$$

- SS_{error} represents the deviations of each score from its group mean

$$SS_{error} = \sum (Y - \hat{Y})^2 = \sum (Y - M_{group})^2$$

- SS_{model} represents the **gains** we get if we substitute each score with the group mean instead of the grand mean

$$SS_{model} = \sum \sum n_i (M_{group} - M_Y)^2 = SS_{total} - SS_{error}$$



NHST for two independent groups (F-test)

step 1:
state the
hypotheses

$$H_0: \mu_2 - \mu_1 = 0$$
$$H_1: \mu_2 - \mu_1 \neq 0$$

step 2:
set criteria
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$$\alpha = .05$$

find $F_{critical}$ based
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and degrees of
freedom

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$$df_2 = n - k$$

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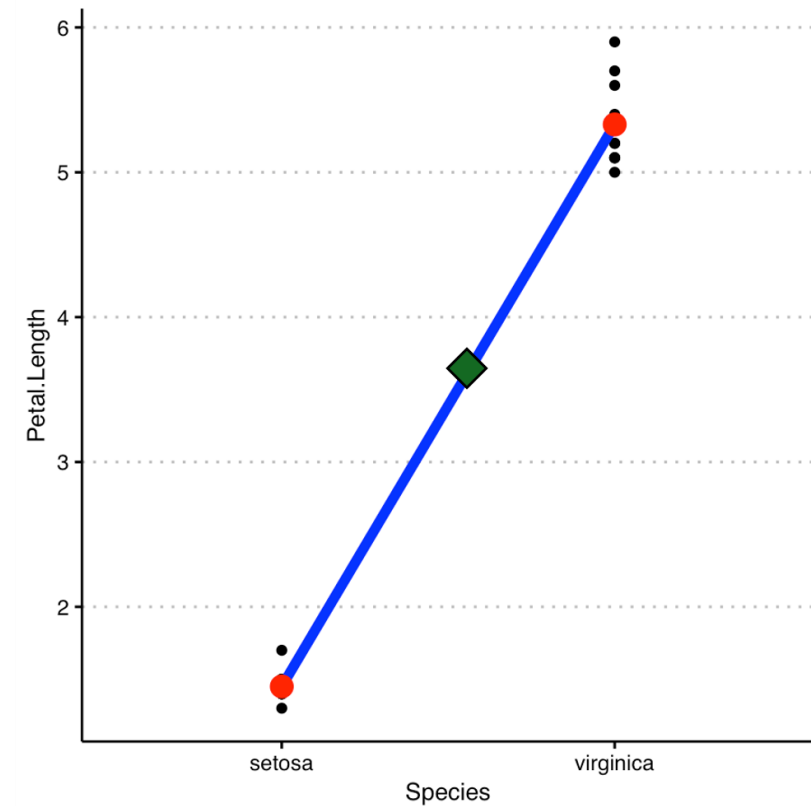
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- (3) find p-value for F-score

step 4:
make a
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check whether F is
beyond $F_{critical}$ and
p-value < .05. if so, reject
null hypothesis!

activity: F-test for iris dataset

- conduct the F test for the [iris dataset](#)



F-test for iris dataset

- **step 1: state the hypotheses**

- $H_0: \mu_{\text{virginica}} - \mu_{\text{setosa}} = 0$: petal lengths for both species are equal
- $H_1: \mu_{\text{virginica}} - \mu_{\text{setosa}} \neq 0$: petal lengths for species are different

- **step 2: set criteria for decision**

$k = 2$: number of levels of independent variable OR estimated parameters

$$df_1 = k - 1 = 2 - 1 = 1$$

$$df_2 = n - k = 20 - 2 = 18$$

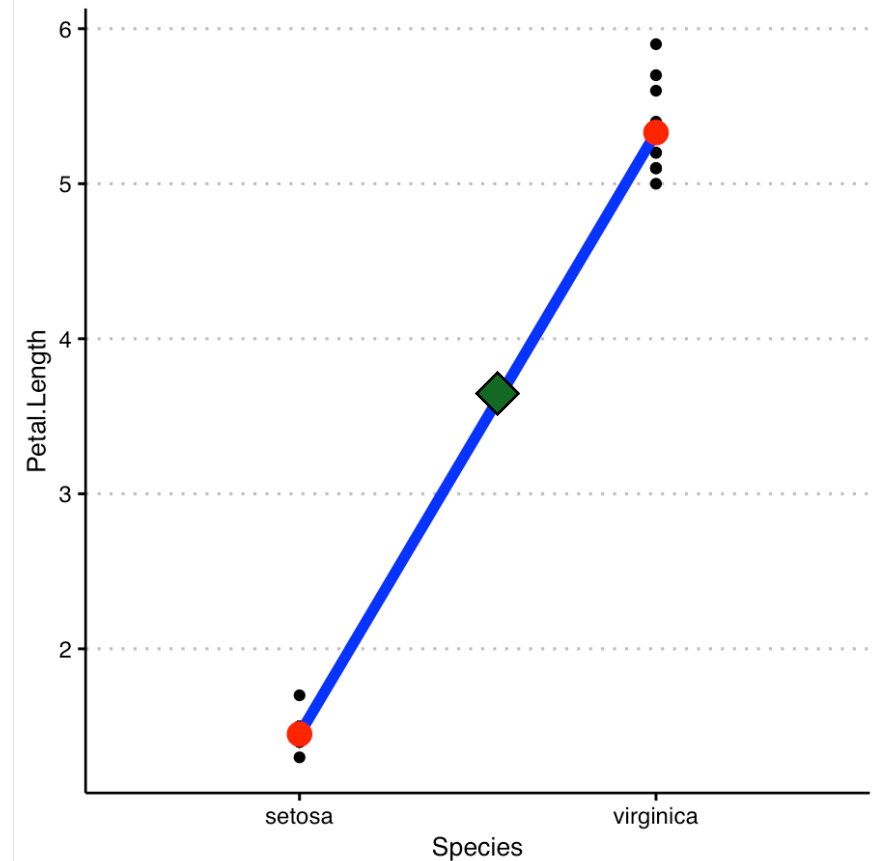
$$F(df_1, df_2) = F(1, 18) = F_{\text{critical}} = 4.414$$

step 3a: obtaining SS_{total}

- what is SS_{total} ? SS_{total} is the error left over after the grand mean has been fit to the data

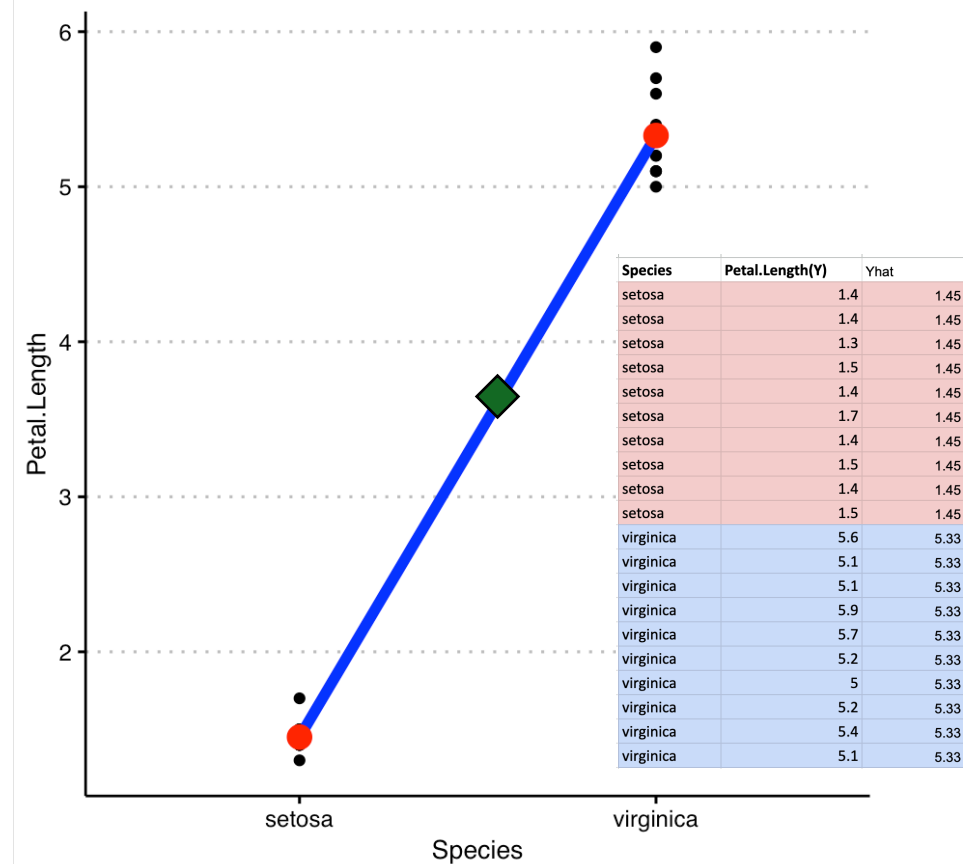
$$SS_{total} = \sum (Y - M_Y)^2$$

- for iris, $SS_{total} = 76.218$



step 3b: obtaining SS_{error}

- SS_{error} is the error that is left over after our species model has been fit
- our species model substitutes each raw score with the mean of the specific species
- $SS_{error} = \sum(Y - \hat{Y})^2 = \sum(Y - M_{group})^2$
- for iris, $SS_{error} = .946$



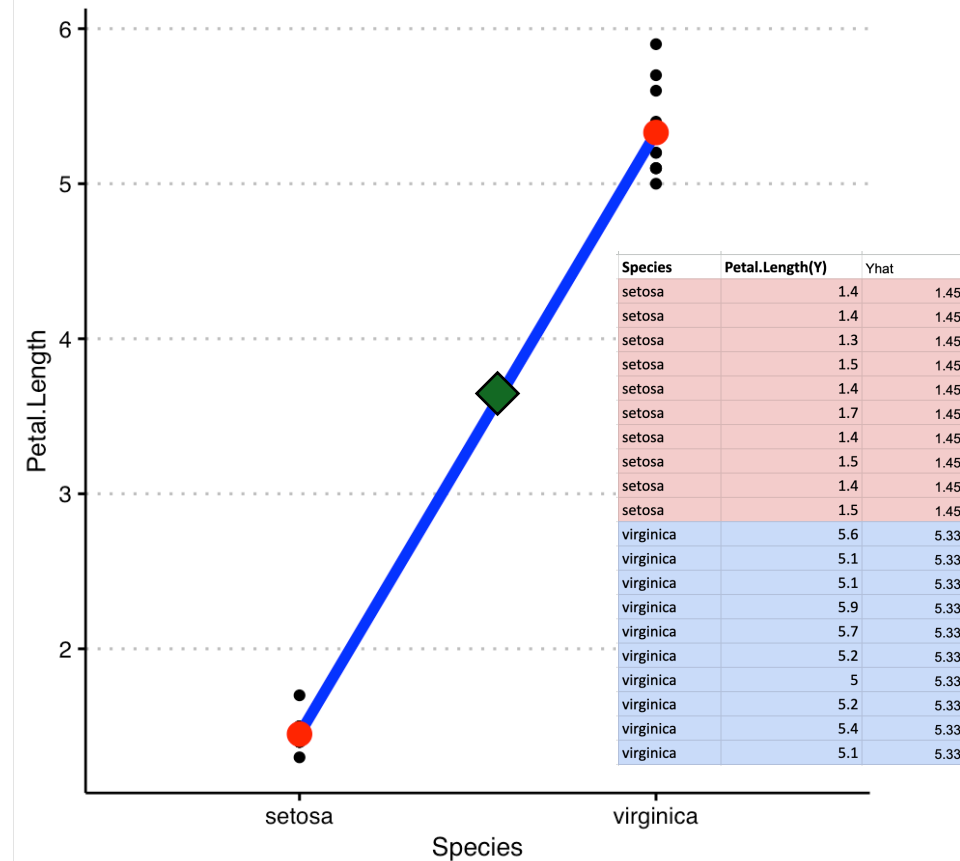
step 3c: obtaining SS_{model}

- how can we obtain SS_{model} ?

$$SS_{total} = SS_{model} + SS_{error}$$

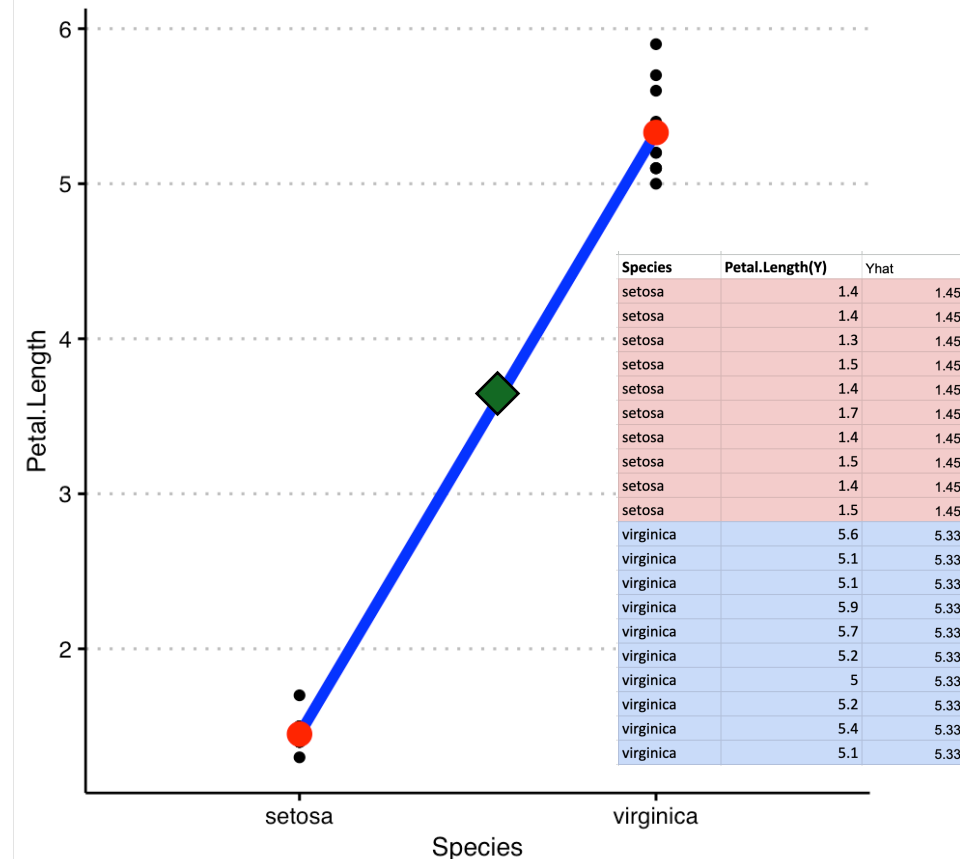
$$\text{thus, } SS_{model} = SS_{total} - SS_{error}$$

- for iris, $SS_{total} = 76.218$ and $SS_{error} = .946$
- $SS_{model} = 75.272$



step 3d: obtaining $F_{observed}$

- $F_{observed} = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}} = \frac{SS_{model}/df_{model}}{SS_{error}/df_{error}} = 1432.24$
- p-value = <.0001
- $F_{critical} = 4.414$
- thus, $F(1,18) = 1432.24$, $p < .0001$
 - we can reject the null hypothesis
 - petal lengths of setosa and virginica are significantly different
 - also, $t^2 = F!!$



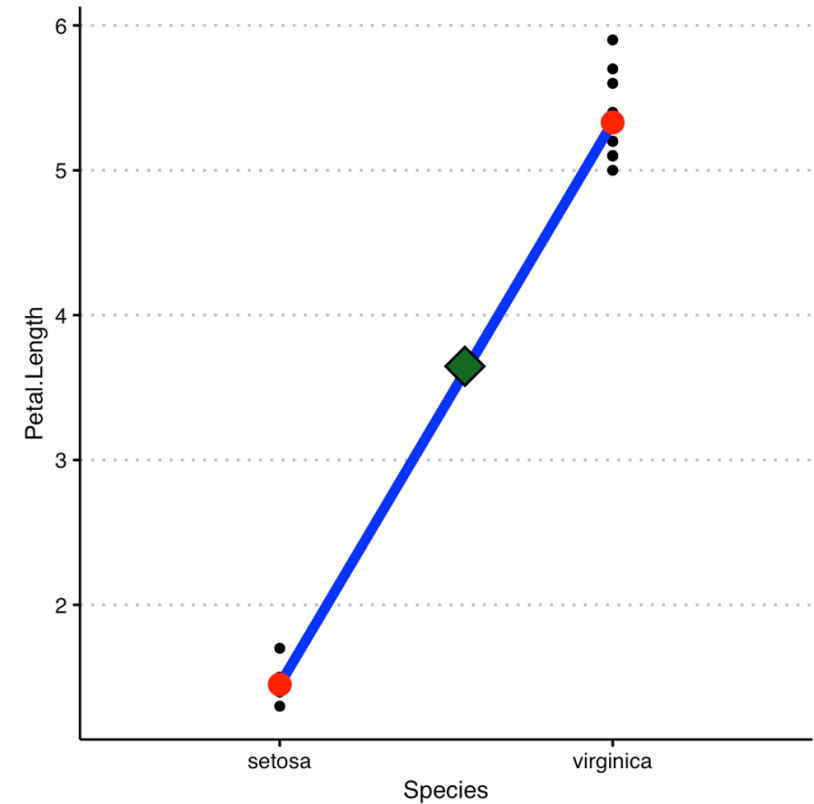
F-table

		SS	df	MS	F	p-value
SS_{model}	species	75.272	1	75.272	1432.24	<.0001
SS_{error}	residual	0.946	18	0.0526		

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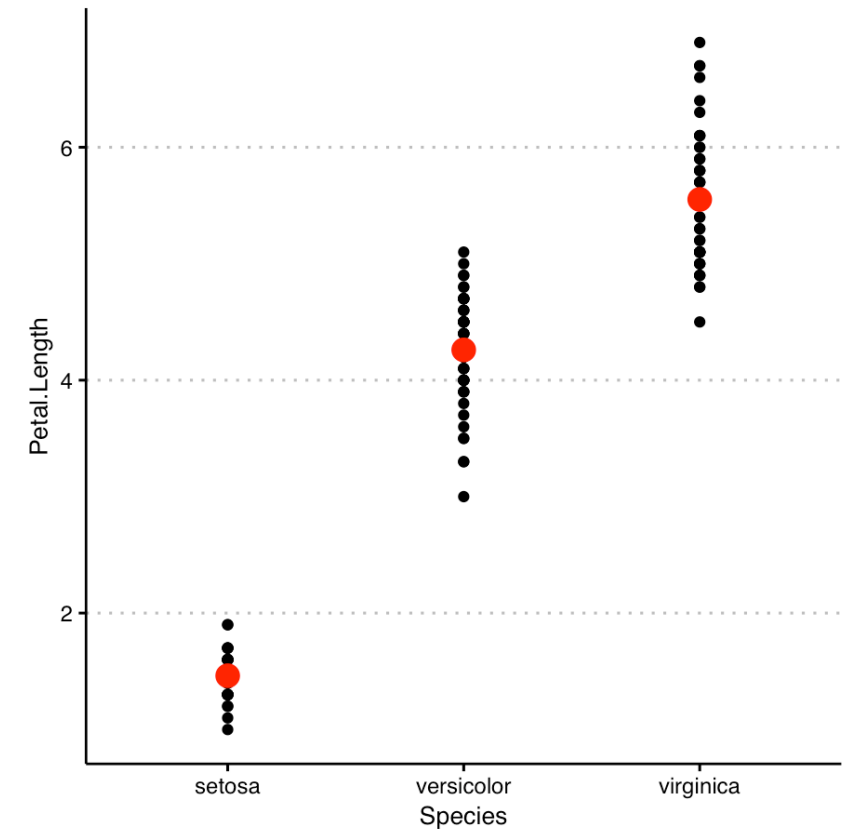
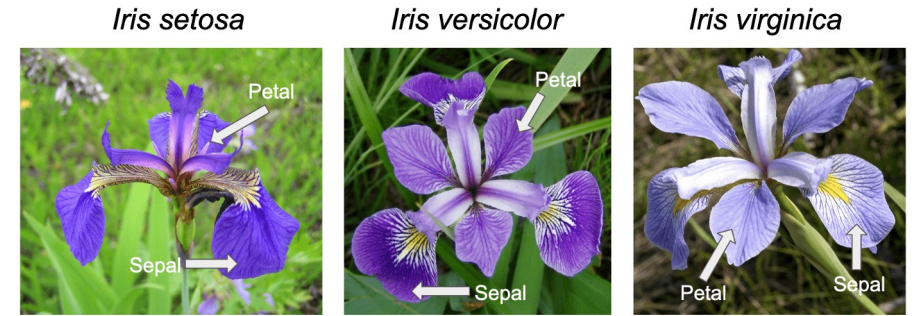
testing more than two groups

- an independent groups t-test is a special case of linear models ($Y = a + bX$) when X is nominal
- it is *also* a special case of only comparing two groups
- example of comparing more than two groups?

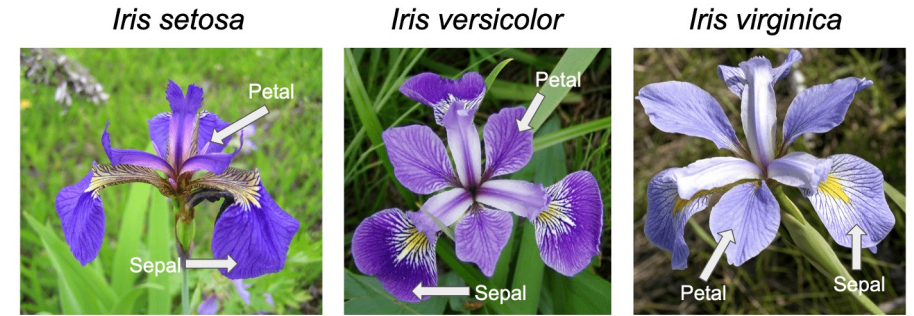


revisiting iris

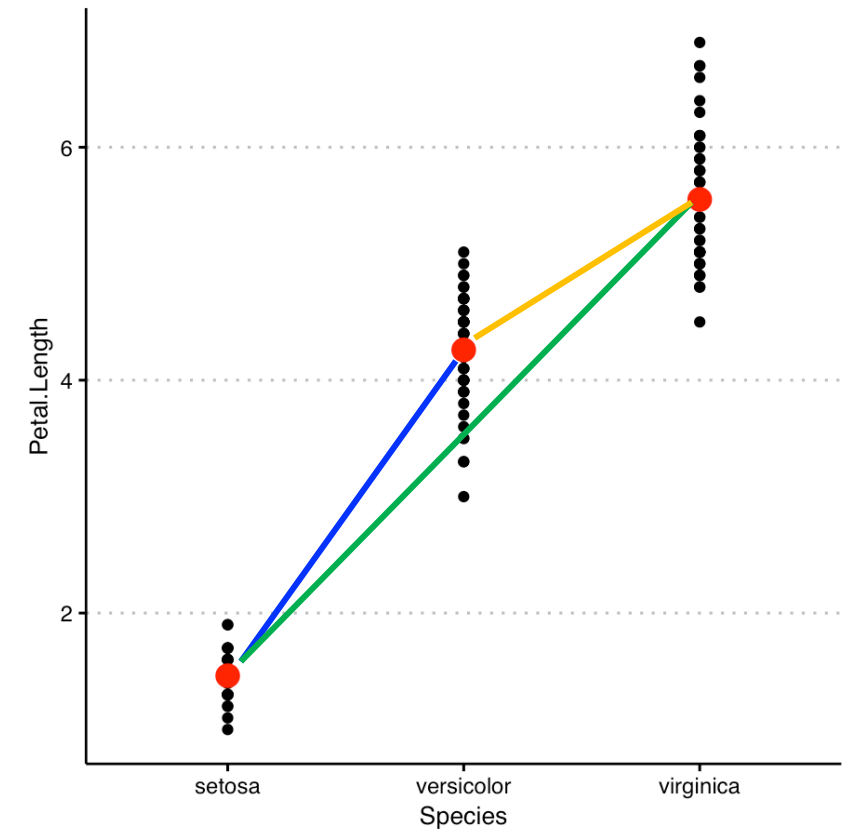
- recall that the iris dataset actually contains information about **three** species (setosa, virginica, and versicolor)



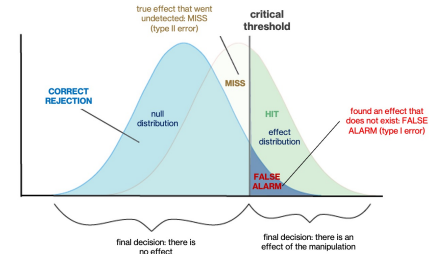
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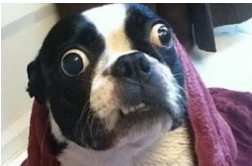
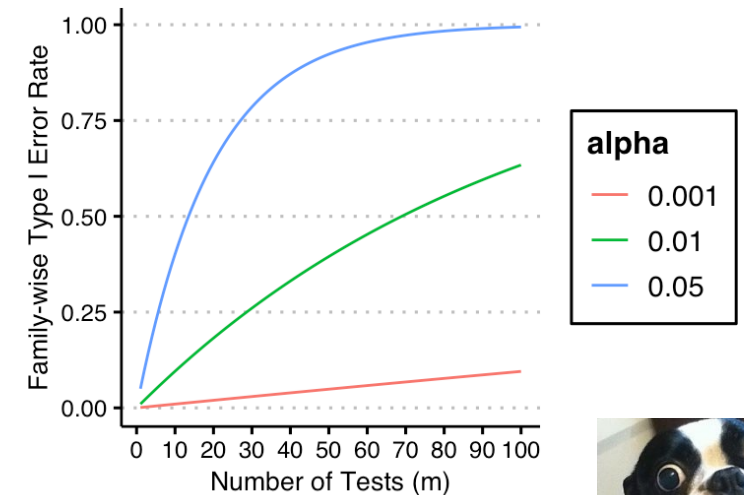
- what if we wanted to look at all three species?
- how many possible comparisons are involved?
 - $M_{virginica} - M_{setosa}$
 - $M_{versicolor} - M_{setosa}$
 - $M_{virginica} - M_{versicolor}$
- we could fit individual linear models for each comparison and conduct the t-test/F-test for each comparison



multiple tests and type I errors



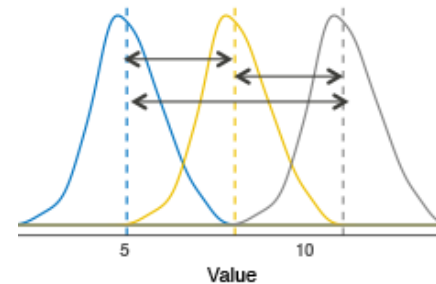
- each time a hypothesis test is conducted with some α -level, there is α % probability of making a type I error
- as more tests are conducted, this probability increases
 - $P(\text{type I error in one test}) = \alpha$
 - $P(\text{no type I error in one test}) = 1 - \alpha$
 - $P(\text{no type I error in } m \text{ tests}) = (1 - \alpha)^m$
 - $P(\text{at least one type I error in } m \text{ tests}) = 1 - (1 - \alpha)^m$
- two solutions
 - correct for multiple comparisons
 - do an “overall” test before jumping in



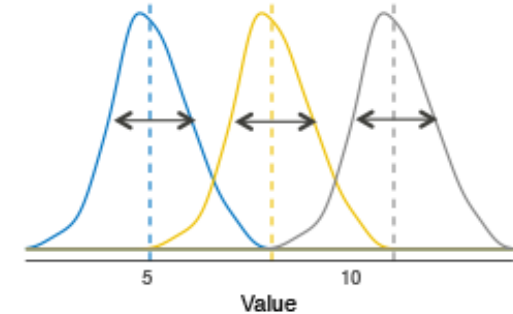
F test aka ANOVA!

- we already saw how an analysis of variance / F-test can help us assess “overall” fit of the model
- formally, ANOVA is a *generalized* t-test for more than two means/groups!
- we first evaluate whether the overall model explains variance over and above random chance
 - $F = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}} = \frac{SS_{model}/df_{model}}{SS_{error}/df_{error}}$
 - If $F > 1$, the group differences are greater than what would be expected as random variation within groups
- if this test is significant, we then go in to look for pairwise differences between groups

Between-group variation
(i.e. Differences among group means)

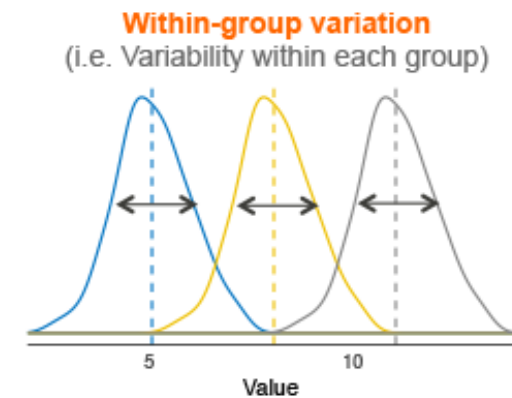
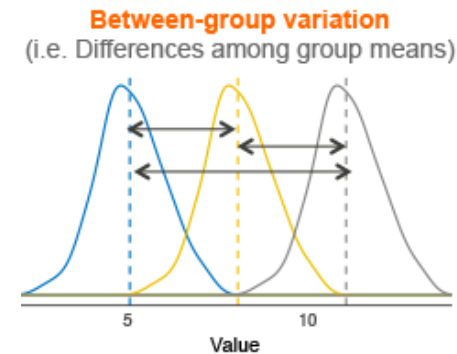


Within-group variation
(i.e. Variability within each group)



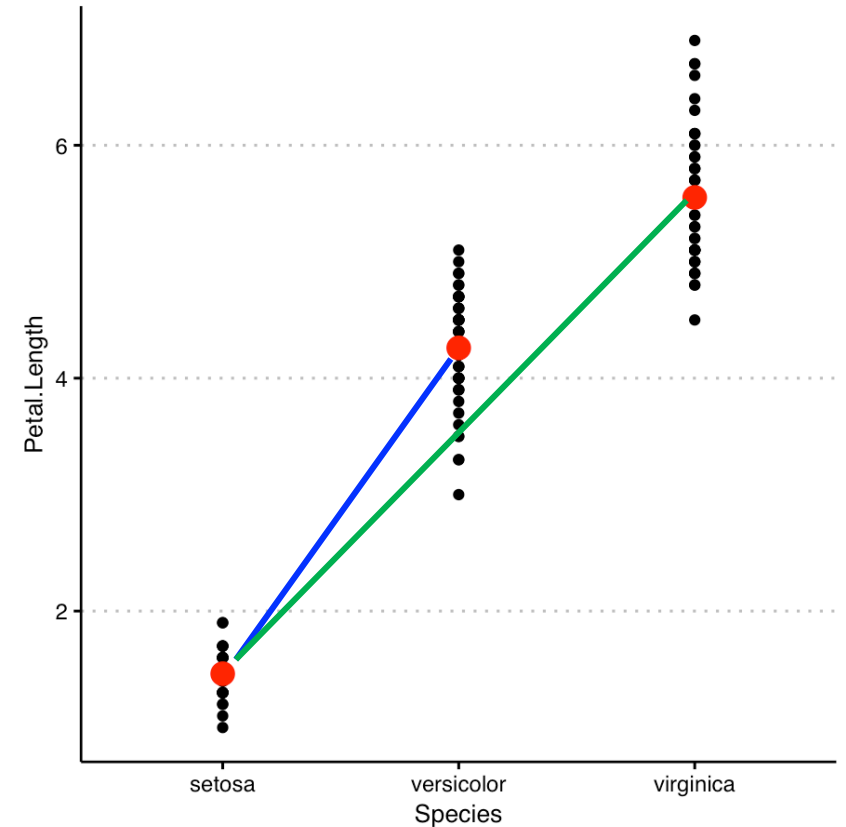
types of ANOVAs = complex linear models

- n (independent variables)
 - one-way: one independent variable
 - two-way / three-way
 - ($n > 3$)-way: crazy land
- within or between subjects
 - between subjects: regular ANOVA
 - independent observations: each raw score comes from *different* individuals!
 - within-subjects: repeated measures ANOVA
 - non-independent observations: multiple raw scores from from the same individuals



revisiting iris

- when more than two groups are involved, we need to **expand our model** to include multiple groups
- petal length = $a + b(\text{virginica}) + c(\text{versicolor})$
 - $a = M_{\text{setosa}}$
 - $b = M_{\text{virginica}} - M_{\text{setosa}}$
 - $c = M_{\text{versicolor}} - M_{\text{setosa}}$



NHST for one-way ANOVA

- **step 1: state the hypotheses**

- H_0 : no change in mean petal lengths due to species, i.e., $\mu_{setosa} = \mu_{virginica} = \mu_{versicolor}$
- H_1 : there is **at least one mean difference (no claims about where!)**

- **step 2: set criteria for decision**

$$F(df_1, df_2) = F_{critical}$$

- **step 3: collect data**

- **step 4: make a decision!**

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$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_n$
 $H_1: \text{at least one mean difference}$

$\alpha = .05$
find $F_{critical}$ based
on **right** tailed test
and degrees of
freedom
 $df_1 = k - 1$
 $df_2 = n - k$

(1) compute SS_{model} and SS_{error}

(2) compute $F_{observed} = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}}$

(3) find p-value for F-score

check whether F is
beyond $F_{critical}$ and
p-value < .05. if so, reject
null hypothesis!

step 2: set criteria for decision

- we need to find the values of df_1 and df_2 and the corresponding critical F value

$$F(df_1, df_2) = F_{critical}$$

- k denotes the number of levels of the independent variable OR estimated parameters

- $df_{model} = k - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2$

- $df_{error} = n - k = 30 - 3 = 27$

- $F_{critical} = F(df_1, df_2)$ at $\alpha = 0.05$

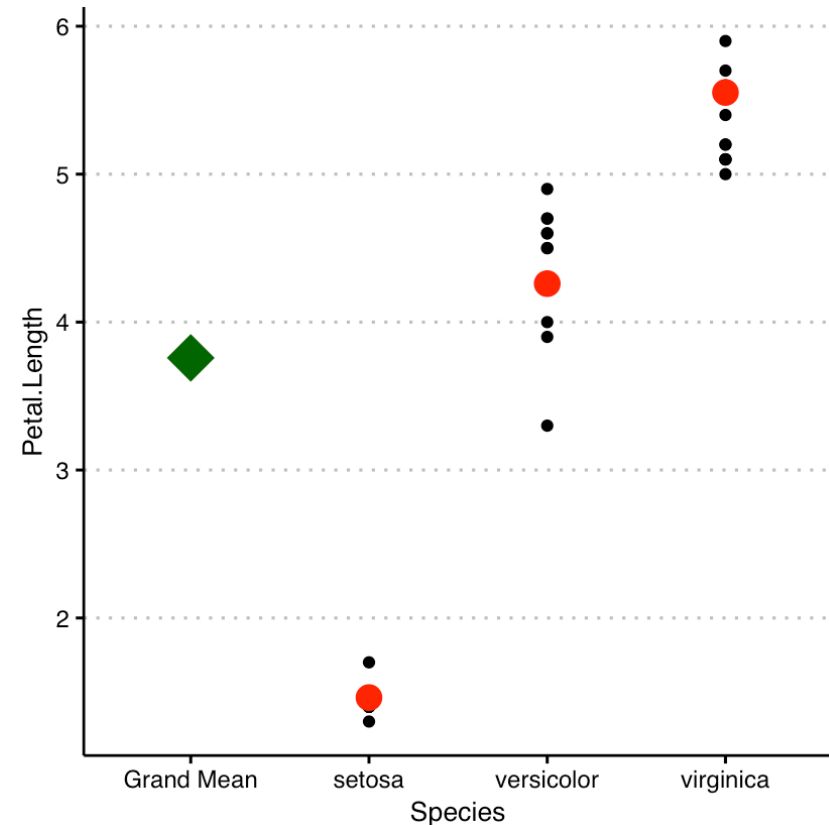
- $F(2,27)$ at $\alpha = 0.05 = 3.59$

step 3: obtaining $F_{observed}$

- we need to obtain estimates of

$$F_{observed} = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}} = \frac{SS_{model}/df_{model}}{SS_{error}/df_{error}}$$

- $SS_{total} = SS_{model} + SS_{error}$
 - SS_{total} represents error left over after grand mean
 - SS_{error} represents error left over after species mean model
 - $SS_{model} = SS_{total} - SS_{error}$



step 3: obtaining $F_{observed}$

- SS_{total} represents deviations from grand mean (M_Y)

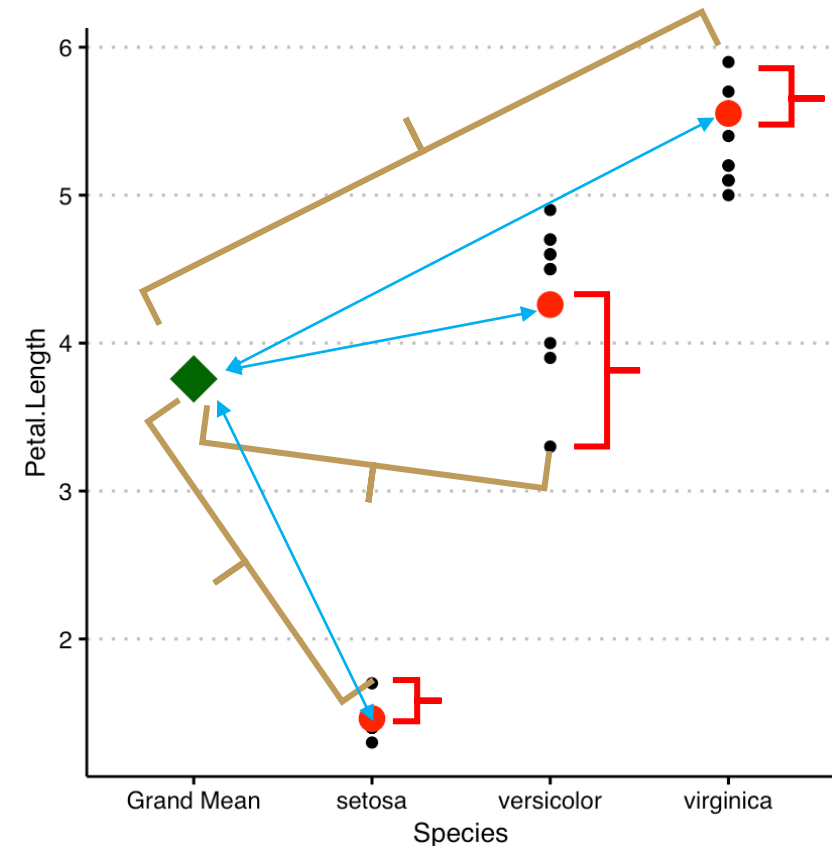
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$$SS_{model} = \sum \sum n_i (M_{group} - M_Y)^2 = SS_{total} - SS_{error}$$



step 3 and 4: obtaining F & decisions

- calculate each of these for iris
 - $SS_{total} = 84.76$
 - $SS_{error} = 3.087$
 - $SS_{model} = 81.67$
- calculate $F_{observed} = \frac{MS_{model}}{MS_{error}} = \frac{SS_{model}/df_{model}}{SS_{error}/df_{error}} = 357.1778, p < .0001$
- $F_{critical} = 3.59$ at $\alpha = 0.05$
- therefore, the null hypothesis can be rejected! i.e., species differ in their petal lengths
- $F(2,27) = 357.18, p < .0001$

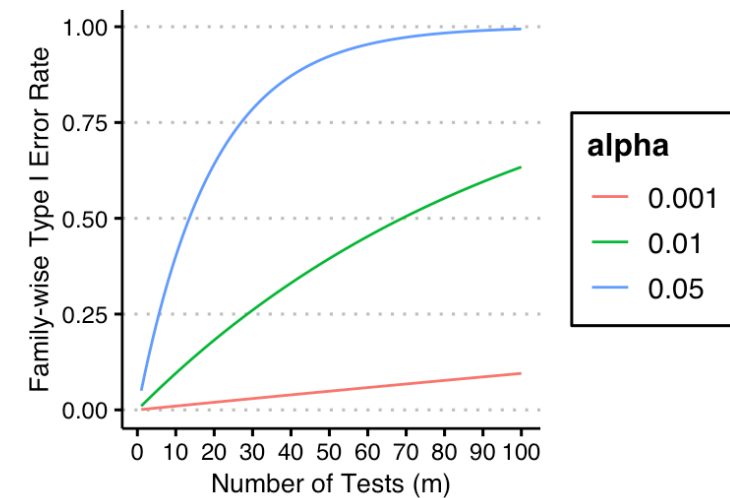
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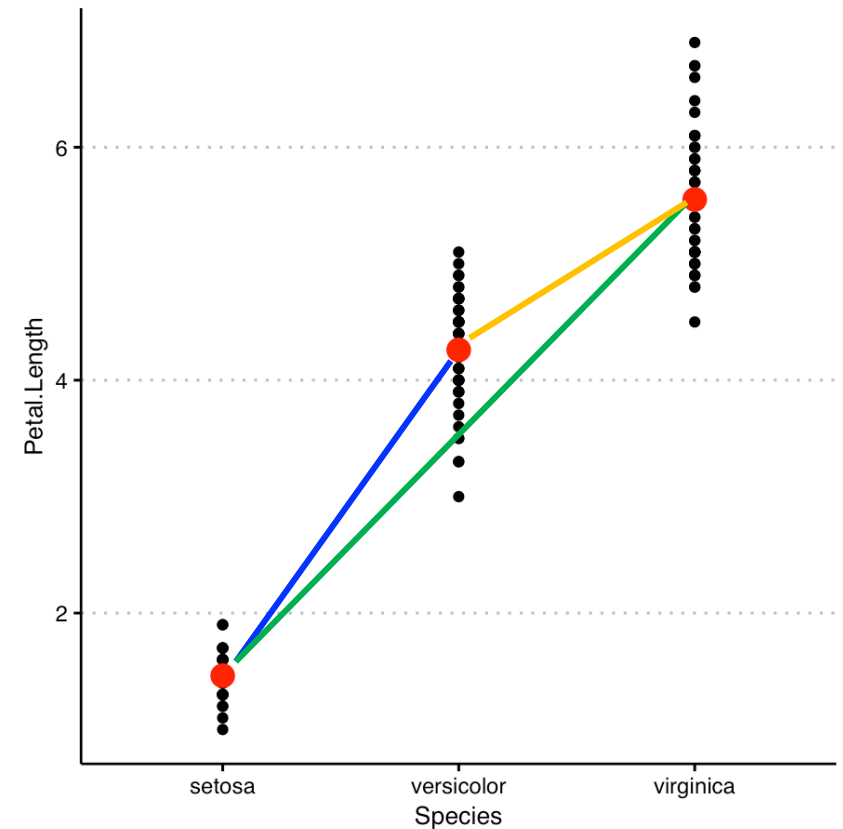
what now?

- once we know that the “overall” test has detected something meaningful, we can look for specific differences by conducting pairwise t-tests
 - $M_{virginica} - M_{setosa}$
 - $M_{versicolor} - M_{setosa}$
 - $M_{virginica} - M_{versicolor}$
- BUT...what about the type I error??
- we correct for multiple comparisons



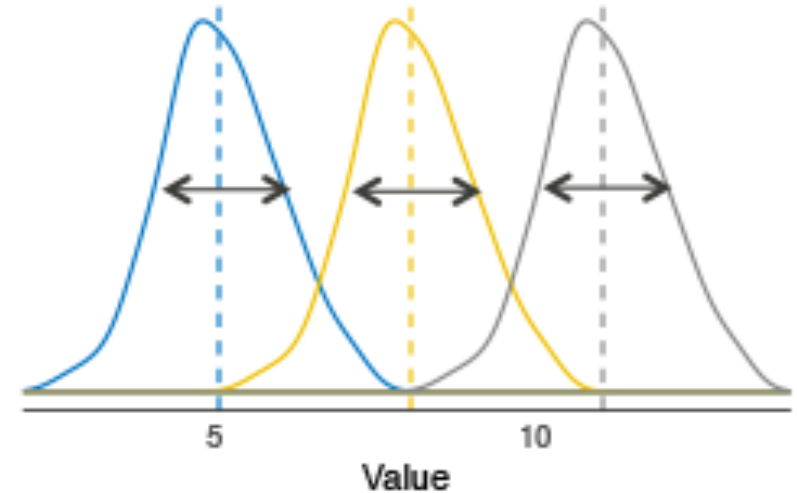
post-hoc tests

- when pairwise t-tests are conducted after an “overall” / omnibus test (ANOVA), they are called **post-hoc** tests
- several **corrections** exist in the literature
 - Tukey’s Honest Significant Difference Test: moderately conservative
 - Scheffe’s test: very conservative
 - Fisher LSD: very liberal
- most statistical software will allow you to apply a correction, so we will not cover the specifics
- visual inspection is useful in these situations



one-way ANOVA assumptions

- independent observations within each sample
- normality
- homogeneity of variances



next time

- **before** class
 - *watch*: [Hypothesis Testing \(two-groups: F-test\)](#) [12 min]
 - *watch*: [Hypothesis Testing \(one-way ANOVA: F-test\)](#) [18 min]
 - *read*: [optional] Read Chapter 14 from the Gravetter & Wallnau (2017) textbook.
 - *start*: Problem Set #6 (Chapter 10 and Chapter 12 problems)
- **during** class
 - two independent variables / two-way ANOVA