

Final Project Report

I. Data description

1. General information

Dataframe is taken from wage1.csv (data 1 folder). It contains 526 rows and 6 columns, which are: wage, educ, exper, nonwhite, female, married.

2. Dataframe structure

No.	Attribute	Description
1	wage	Worker's average hourly earnings
2	educ	Worker years of education
3	exper	Worker's years potential experience
4	nonwhite	Worker's race (=1 if nonwhite, =0 if white)
5	female	Worker's gender (=1 if female, =0 if male)
6	married	Worker's marriage status (=1 if married, =0 if single)

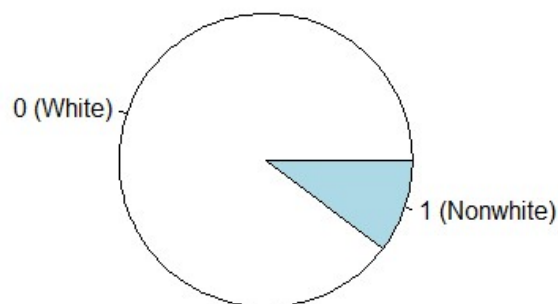
II. Descriptive statistics

1. Data overview

wage	educ	exper	nonwhite
Min. : 0.530	Min. : 0.00	Min. : 1.00	0 (white) : 472
1st Qu.: 3.330	1st Qu.: 12.00	1st Qu.: 5.00	1 (Nonwhite): 54
Median : 4.650	Median : 12.00	Median : 13.50	
Mean : 5.896	Mean : 12.56	Mean : 17.02	
3rd Qu.: 6.880	3rd Qu.: 14.00	3rd Qu.: 26.00	
Max. : 24.980	Max. : 18.00	Max. : 51.00	
female	married		
0 (Male) : 274	0 (Single) : 206		
1 (Female) : 252	1 (Married) : 320		

2. "nonwhite" attribute

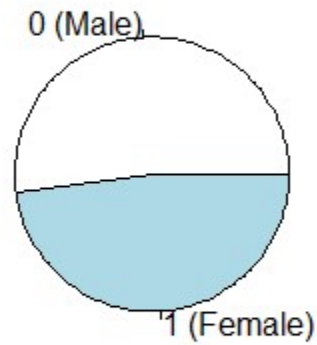
White to nonwhite worker



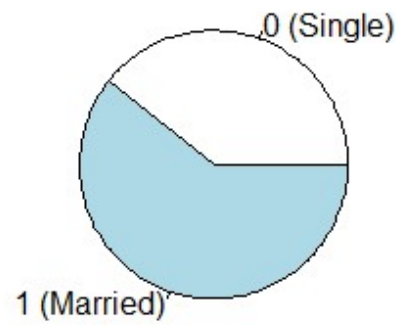
Overall, white workers outnumber the nonwhite workers.

3. “female” attribute

workers' gender

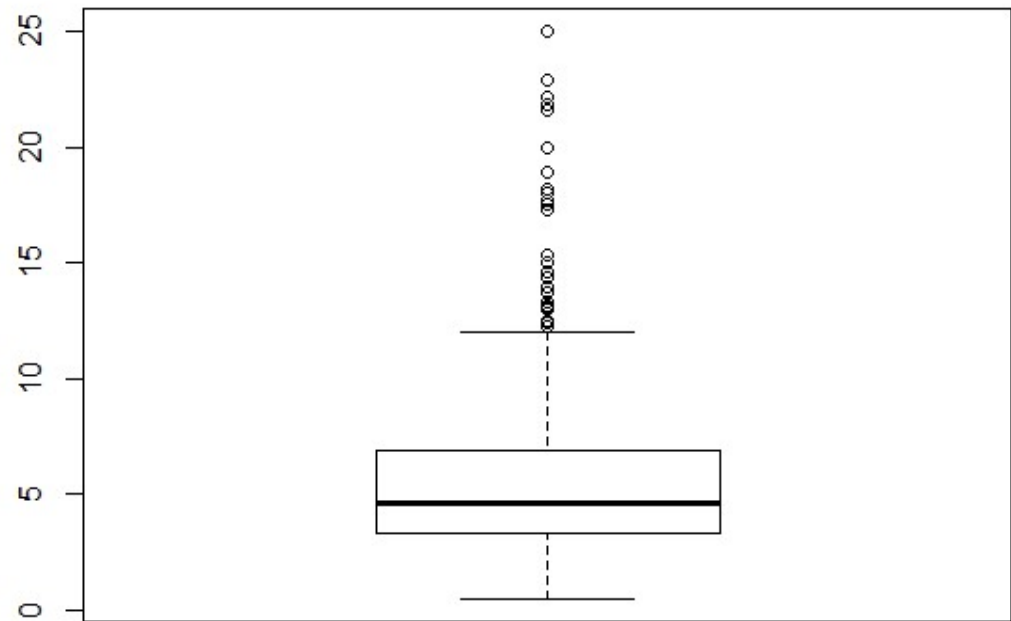


Overall, the amount of female workers is almost the same to the amount of male workers

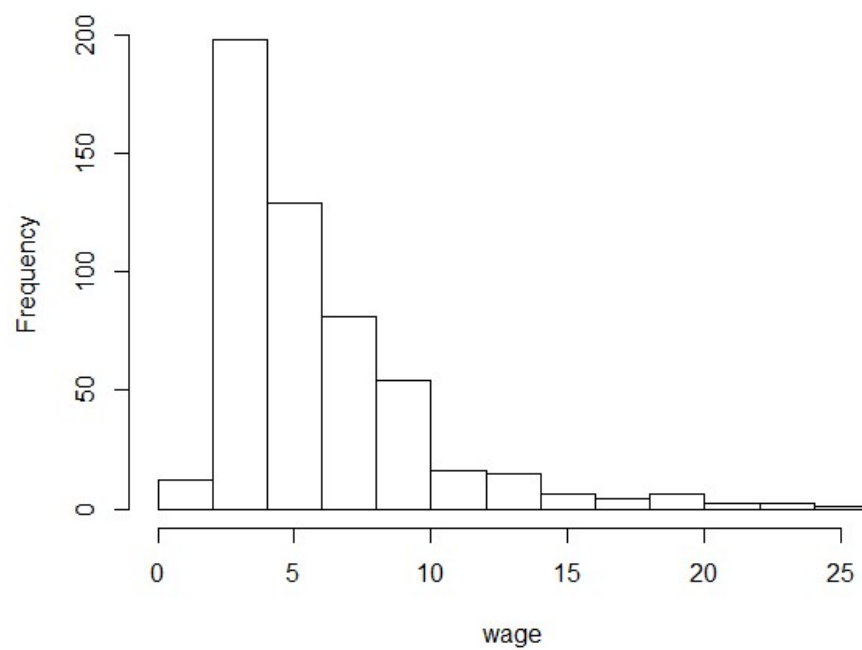
4. “married” attribute**worker's marriage status**

Overall, there are more married workers than single workers.

5. “wage” attribute
Boxplot of “wage”

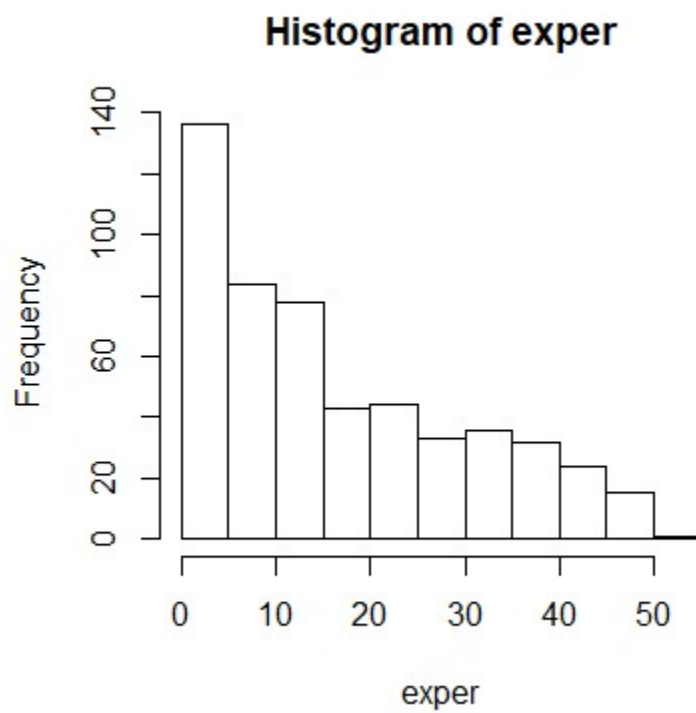
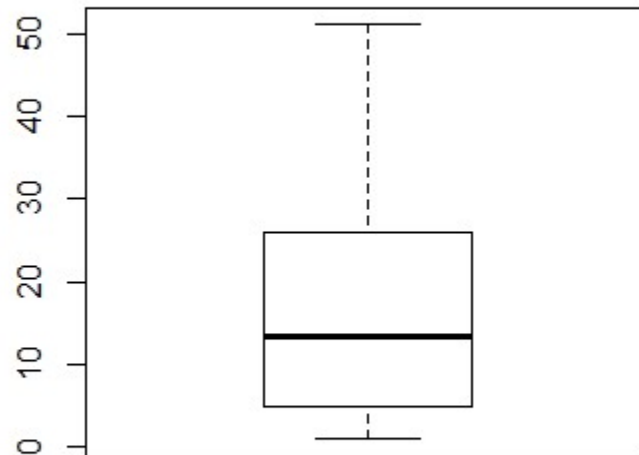


Histogram of wage

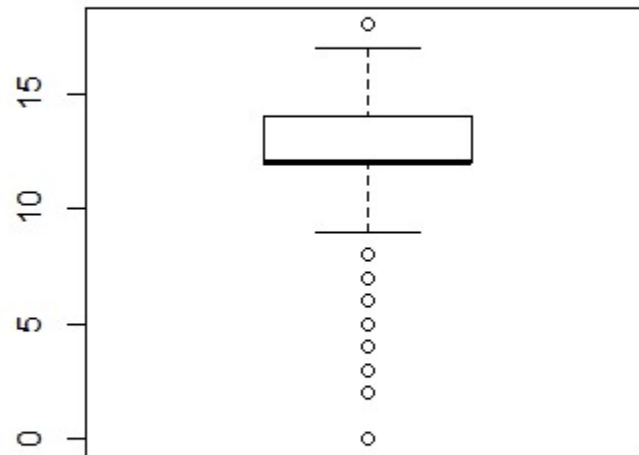
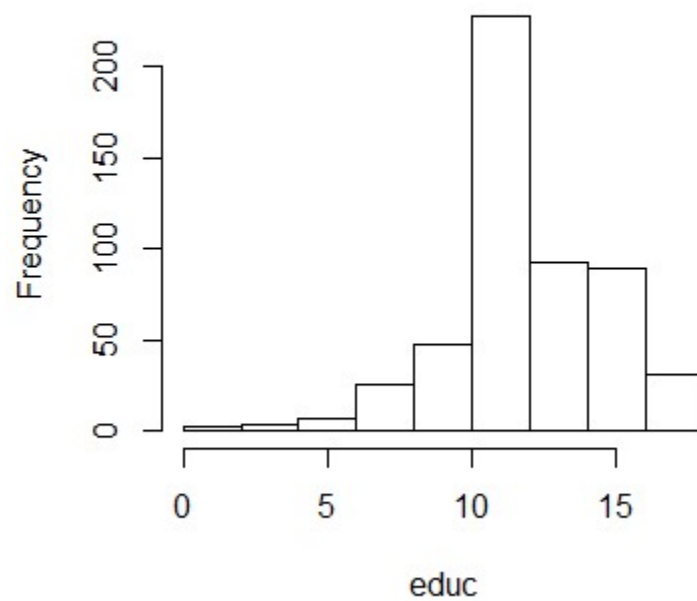


As can be seen, the median of the workers' hourly earning is about 5

6. "exper" attribute
Boxplot of "exper"



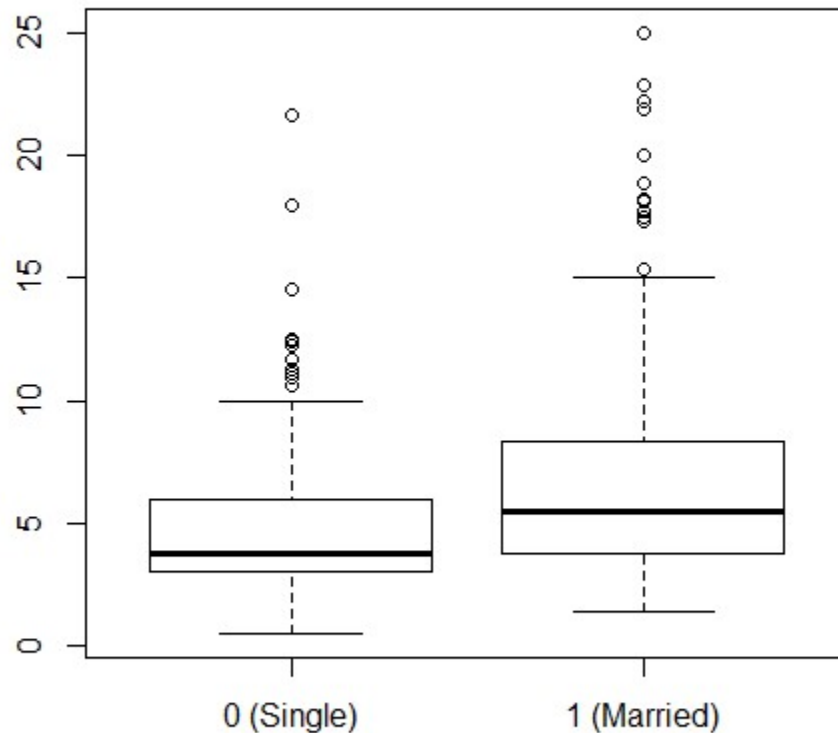
As can be seen, the median of the workers' years of experience is about 12.

7. “educ attribute”**Histogram of educ**

As can be seen, the median of the workers' years of education is about 12.

III. Inference statistics

1. Wage and marriage status



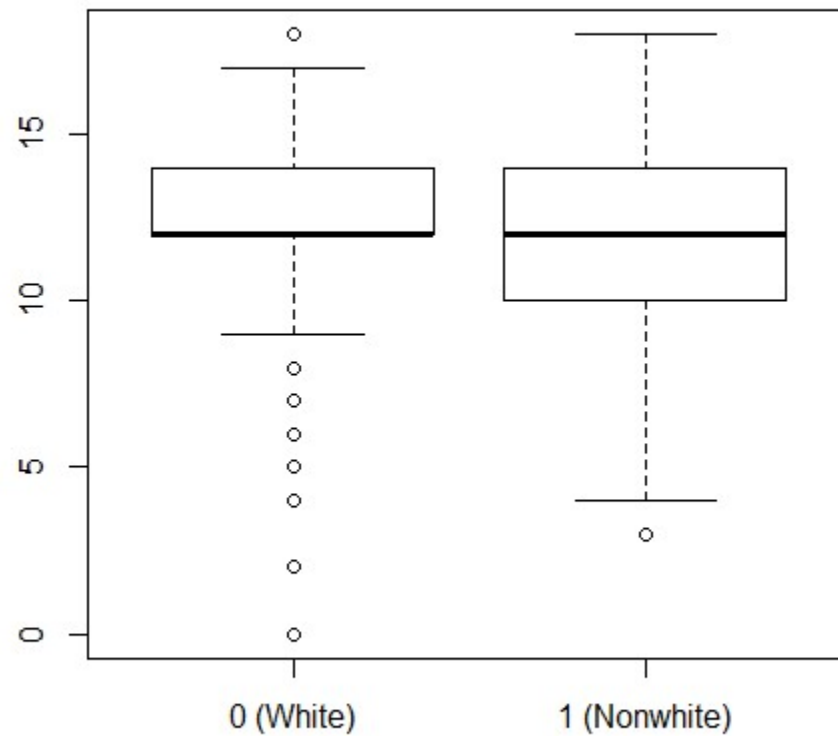
We will test if the single workers have the same wage than the married workers.

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> t.test(wage~married)

welch Two Sample t-test

data: wage by married
t = -5.7569, df = 516.62, p-value = 1.471e-08
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
95 percent confidence interval:
 -2.319814 -1.139357
sample estimates:
mean in group 0 (Single) mean in group 1 (Married)
      4.843883           6.573469
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Since the p-value is almost unnoticeable, we reject the null hypothesis at 90%, 95%, 99% test and conclude that the average wage of single worker is not equal to the wage of married worker

2. Year of education and ethnicity

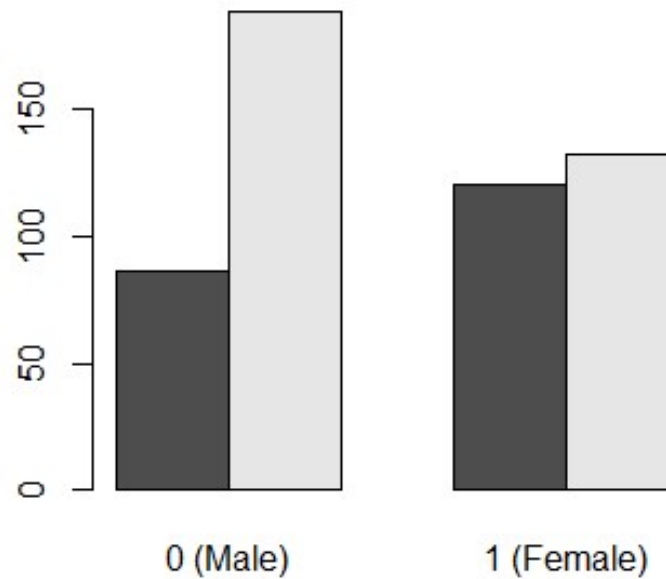
We will test if the white workers have greater average years of education than the married workers.

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> t.test(educ~nonwhite, alternative = "great")

welch Two sample t-test

data:  educ by nonwhite
t = 1.6471, df = 61.233, p-value = 0.05233
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is greater than 0
95 percent confidence interval:
 -0.01077181      Inf
sample estimates:
 mean in group 0 (white) mean in group 1 (Nonwhite)
      12.64195           11.87037
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We accept the null hypothesis at 95% test and conclude that the average years of educations of white worker is not greater to that of nonwhite worker

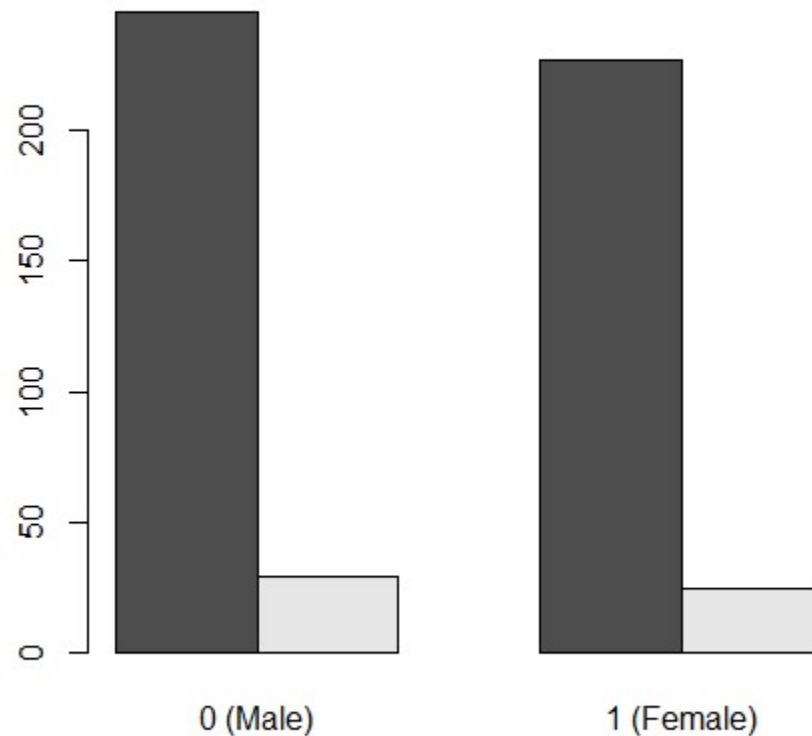
3. Marriage status and gender

We will test if the proportion of male that is married is equal to the proportion of married women that is married.

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2-sample test for equality of proportions without continuity
correction

data: marriedgender
X-squared = 14.517, df = 1, p-value = 0.0001389
alternative hypothesis: two.sided
95 percent confidence interval:
 -0.25630404 -0.08374451
sample estimates:
 prop 1      prop 2 
0.4174757 0.5875000
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Since p-value is small (< 0.001) we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that the proportion of male that is married is not equal to the proportion of women that is married.

4. Race and gender

We will test if the proportion of male that is white is equal to the proportion of married women that is white.

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> prop.test(racegender, alternative="two.sided", correct = FALSE)

      2-sample test for equality of proportions without continuity
      correction

data:  racegender
X-squared = 0.062695, df = 1, p-value = 0.8023
alternative hypothesis: two.sided
95 percent confidence interval:
 -0.1583924  0.1224539
sample estimates:
 prop 1    prop 2 
0.5190678 0.5370370
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Since p-value is large, we accept the null hypothesis at 90%, 95% , and 99% test and conclude that the proportion of male that is white is equal to the proportion of women that is white.

IV. Regression models

We will construct a multiple regression model for “wage” with “educ” and “exper” with the formula :

$$wage = \beta_0 + \beta_1 educ + \beta_2 exper + \varepsilon$$

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> summary(model)

Call:
lm(formula = wage ~ educ + exper)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-5.5532 -1.9801 -0.7071  1.2030 15.8370

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -3.39054    0.76657  -4.423 1.18e-05 ***
educ         0.64427    0.05381  11.974 < 2e-16 ***
exper        0.07010    0.01098   6.385 3.78e-10 ***
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 3.257 on 523 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.2252,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.2222
F-statistic: 75.99 on 2 and 523 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

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- The estimate for the intercept β_0 is -3.39054, which means when the average educ is 0 and exper is 0 , average wage is -3.39054.
- The estimate for educ coefficient β_1 is 0.64427 ,which means whenever the average educ increase by 1, the average wage increase by 0.64427
- The estimate for educ coefficient β_2 is 0.07010, which means whenever the average educ increase by 1, the average wage increase by 0.07010

The 95% confident intervals of three coefficients:

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              2.5 %      97.5 %
(Intercept) -4.89646645 -1.88461261
educ         0.53856950  0.74997466
exper        0.04852972  0.09166107
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V. Goodness of fit test

We will categorize the “wage” attribute into 3 categories: Low (below 3.5), Med(from 3.5 to 10), High(above 10):

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type.wage
1. Low  2. Med 3. High
161    313   52
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We will test if the distribution of those 3 categories are equal to 1/3, 1/2 and 1/6 respectively.

Null hypothesis: the distribution of 3 categories are equal to 1/3, 1/2 and 1/6 respectively

Alternative hypothesis: : the distribution of 3 categories are not equal to 1/3, 1/2 and 1/6 respectively

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> chisq.test(c(162,313,52),p=c(1/3,1/2,1/6))  
  
Chi-squared test for given probabilities  
  
data:  c(162, 313, 52)  
X-squared = 24.981, df = 2, p-value = 3.762e-06
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Since p-value is insignificant, we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that the distribution of 3 categories are not equal to $1/3$, $1/2$ and $1/6$ respectively