

STATS 209 - Midterm

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QUESTION 1

part a

Let X_1 =fitness, X_2 =stress, X_3 =illness

```
r12=-.13
r13=-.29
r23=.34
r13.2=(r13-r12*r23)/((1-r12^2)*(1-r23^2))^.5
r13.2

[1] -0.2636
```

-.264 is not much less than -.29

Obtain CI by converting r to Fisher z' and back.

```
r.con(-.264,373)

[1] -0.3560 -0.1669
```

95% CI does not include 0. No evidence for fitness-illness association to be spurious.

part b

```
corPred=matrix(
  c(1,-.03,.39,-.05,-.03,1,.07,-.23,.39,.07,1,-.13,-.05,-.23,-.13,1),
  byrow=F,ncol=4)
corPred

      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]  1.00 -0.03  0.39 -0.05
[2,] -0.03  1.00  0.07 -0.23
[3,]  0.39  0.07  1.00 -0.13
[4,] -0.05 -0.23 -0.13  1.00
```

```

corResp=matrix(c(-.08,-.16,-.29,.34),ncol=1,byrow=F)
coefs = t(corResp)%*%solve(corPred)
coefs

      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]
[1,] 0.03381 -0.07387 -0.2602 0.2909

# same as direct effects in Table 5.2. (kleine p.121)

# compute R-squared (not adjusted)
rsq=coefs%*%corResp
rsq

      [,1]
[1,] 0.1835

# covariance matrix with standardized values
covB = as.numeric(1-rsq)*solve(corPred)
covB

      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]
[1,] 0.96694 0.05844 -0.37958 0.01244
[2,] 0.05844 0.86716 -0.05817 0.19481
[3,] -0.37958 -0.05817 0.98101 0.09517
[4,] 0.01244 0.19481 0.09517 0.87433

# Note that standard errors for standardized coeffs
# are just square roots of the diagonals adjusted for sample size

# standardized SE for Exccercise
sqrt((covB[1,1]/(373))*(373 / (373-4)))

[1] 0.05119

# standardized SE for Hardiness
sqrt((covB[2,2]/(373))*(373 / (373-4)))

[1] 0.04848

# standardized SE for Fitness
sqrt((covB[3,3]/(373))*(373 / (373-4)))

[1] 0.05156

# standardized SE for Stress
sqrt((covB[4,4]/(373))*(373 / (373-4)))

[1] 0.04868

```

```

# c-c' = beta32 * beta13.2 =a*b #where X1=ill,X2=fit,X3=stress
# using Tab 5.2.
mediation=-.11*.29 # = -0.0319
#need to obtain se of fitness, do regression on stress
newCov=cbind(rbind(corPred,t(corResp)),c(corResp,1))
newPred=newCov[-4,-4]
newPred

      [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4]
[1,]  1.00 -0.03  0.39 -0.08
[2,] -0.03  1.00  0.07 -0.16
[3,]  0.39  0.07  1.00 -0.29
[4,] -0.08 -0.16 -0.29  1.00

newResp=t(t(newCov[-4,4]))
newCoefs = t(newResp)%*%solve(newPred)
newRsqr=newCoefs%*%newResp
newRsqr

      [,1]
[1,] 0.1485

# covariance matrix with standardized values
newCov = as.numeric(1-newRsqr)*solve(newPred)

# standardized SE for Fitness
sqrt((newCov[3,3]/(373))*(373 / (373-4)))

[1] 0.05443

# var(c-c')=b^2 Sa^2 + a^2 Sb^2
sobel=(-.11)^2 * 0.05442998 + .29^2 *.048677
sobel # standardized

[1] 0.004752

```

There mediation effects seems to be rather weak.

part c

I would expect measurement error to spuriously increase the mediation effect, or even reverse the direction.

QUESTION 2

part 1

From the results in Table 3 (use 18-month change from baseline) and Table 5 (use 18-month systolic) estimate the dose-response relation for decrease in systolic blood pressure for each unit decrease in salt intake (as measured by sodium excretion).

-43.9 = difference between trt and ctr salt (18 months)

-2.06 = difference between trt and ctr blood pressure (18 months)

$2.06/43.9 = 0.047$ reduction in blood pressure for 1 unit reduction in salt intake

What strong assumption did you need to make to justify this estimator?

I assumed a linear dose-response relation (as opposed to a different functional form).

Briefly justify that assumption for this study?

```
2.03/((154.6-103)-(156.4-159.3))    # (6months)
[1] 0.03725

1.9/((154.6-100.2)-(156.4-152.1))    # (12months)
[1] 0.03792

2.06/((154.6-99.4)-(156.4-146.5))    # (18months)
[1] 0.04547
```

The dose-response relation measured after 6 and 12 months are very similar, which points at a linear functional form.

However, after 18 months, the relation becomes stronger. Note (!) that there is a mistake in Table 3, the "18-Month change from baseline" value for Control, does not correspond to the difference between Baseline and 18-Month.

part 2

```
#install.packages("mediation")
library(mediation)
data(framing)
table(framing$treat) # yes, corresponds

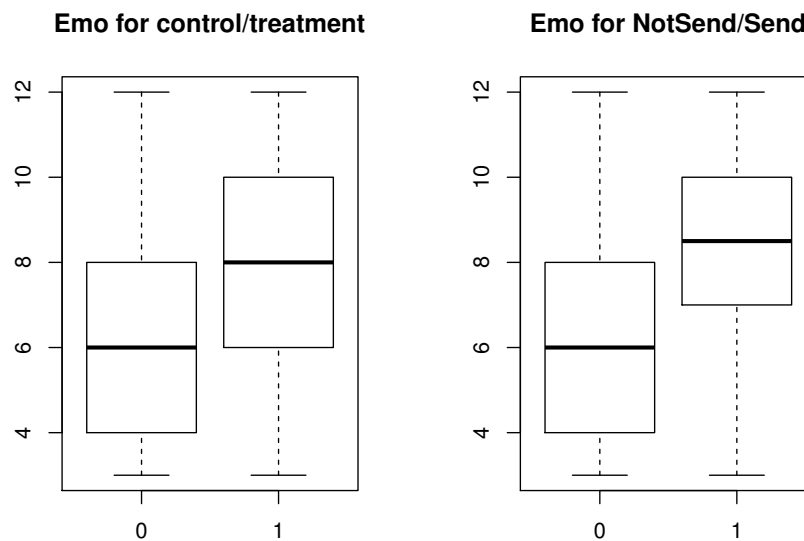
  0    1
197  68
```

```
dim(framing) # and yes, also corresponds
```

```
[1] 265 15
```

Let us look at plots of these variables to see what might be going on. It looks like emotional stability is higher for those in the treatment condition (0=ctr, 1=trt) and even more so for those who decide to send a message (0=NotSend, 1=Send).

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
boxplot(framing$emo~framing$treat, main="Emo for control/treatment")
boxplot(framing$emo~framing$cong_mesg, main="Emo for NotSend/Send")
```



Is there a significant effect of treatment on emo?

```
summary(lm(emo ~ treat, framing))
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = emo ~ treat, data = framing)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-5.074	-2.074	-0.074	1.926	5.406

```

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)    6.594      0.193   34.23  < 2e-16 ***
treat          1.480      0.380    3.89  0.00013 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 2.7 on 263 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.0544, Adjusted R-squared:  0.0508
F-statistic: 15.1 on 1 and 263 DF,  p-value: 0.000126

```

Treatment effect significantly reduces anxiety (increases emo) $est = 1.48$, $se = 0.38$, $t = 3.89$

Is there a significant effect of treatment on cong_mesg?

```

summary(lm(cong_mesg ~ treat, framing))

Call:
lm(formula = cong_mesg ~ treat, data = framing)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-0.412 -0.305 -0.305  0.588  0.695

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)    0.3046      0.0335    9.09  <2e-16 ***
treat          0.1072      0.0662    1.62    0.11
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.47 on 263 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.00988, Adjusted R-squared:  0.00612
F-statistic: 2.63 on 1 and 263 DF,  p-value: 0.106

```

No, treatment has no significant effect on cong_mesg, $t = 1.62$, $p = .11$

Estimate the effect on probability of sending congressional message of a unit change in "emo" (negative feelings).

```

summary(lm(cong_mesg ~ emo, framing))

Call:
lm(formula = cong_mesg ~ emo, data = framing)

```

```

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-0.649 -0.334 -0.144  0.477  0.919

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.10814    0.07305   -1.48    0.14
emo          0.06313    0.00974    6.48 4.4e-10 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.439 on 263 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.138, Adjusted R-squared:  0.135
F-statistic: 42 on 1 and 263 DF, p-value: 4.4e-10

```

The prob. of sending message increases by 6.3% points for each additional unit of emo. Note that at emo=0, the intercept (baseline prob.) is out of bound (below unit interval). This is a result of using OLS instead of logistic regression.

Compare the "path analysis" estimator (see week 3) for the encouragement design with the estimator you used in part 1.

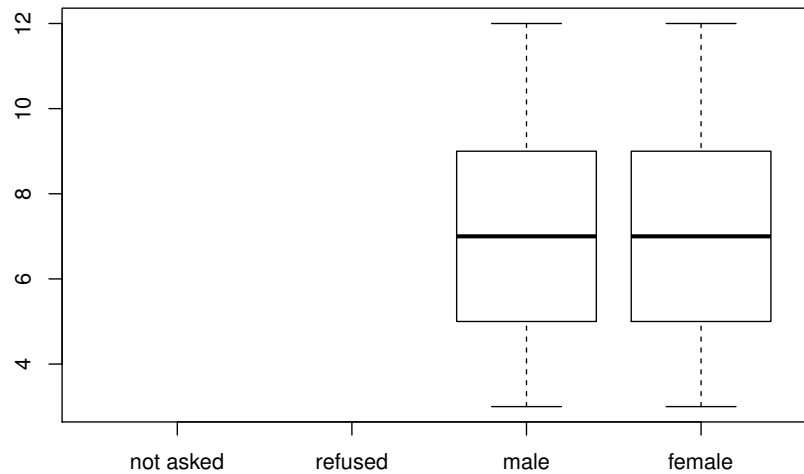
The estimator in part 1 is result of computing two difference-in-difference points and calculating the slope of straight line that passes through both points. The 'path analysis' estimator is based on two regressions $BP \sim Salt + Group$, and $Salt \sim Group$.

However, these regressions reveal that the 'path analysis' coefficients are biased. There is support for a zero relation between treat and cong_mesg here (like $\tau = 0$ in class). Still, even under this assumption, the 'p.a.' estimator is biased, due to individual differences in cong_mesg.

Why do the needed assumptions in this study seem far less reasonable than for the salt example? It seems unlikely that assignment to group (treat) has no effect on cong_mesg because people are exposed to media stories in both conditions, which likely raises their awareness of current issues either way (ctr and trt) and thereby increase prob. of sending message. (however, this is not supported by the regression above)

An important individual difference that in this study is gender, given that changes in "emo" are likely to differ between gender. (Females more emotional than males?)

```
boxplot(framing$emo~framing$gender)
```



It doesn't look like there is a gender difference in emotional stability from this plot.

Repeat these questions just for the females in the study. Find anything different?

```
summary(lm(emo ~ treat, subset(framing, gender=="female")))
```

Call:
lm(formula = emo ~ treat, data = subset(framing, gender == "female"))

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-4.921	-1.762	0.079	2.079	5.238

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	6.762	0.270	25.02	<2e-16 ***
treat	1.159	0.517	2.24	0.027 *

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 2.72 on 137 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.0354, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0283

F-statistic: 5.02 on 1 and 137 DF, p-value: 0.0266

Significant and similar to above, 1.16 increase in emo (anxiety reduction) due to treatment.

```
summary(lm(cong_mesg ~ treat,subset(framing,gender=="female")))
```

Call:
lm(formula = cong_mesg ~ treat, data = subset(framing, gender ==
"female"))

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.289	-0.277	-0.277	0.711	0.723

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	0.2772	0.0450	6.16	7.7e-09 ***
treat	0.0122	0.0861	0.14	0.89

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.453 on 137 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.000148, Adjusted R-squared: -0.00715
F-statistic: 0.0202 on 1 and 137 DF, p-value: 0.887

Not significant (t=0.14), just like above.

```
summary(lm(cong_mesg ~ emo,subset(framing,gender=="female")))
```

Call:
lm(formula = cong_mesg ~ emo, data = subset(framing, gender ==
"female"))

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.557	-0.276	-0.164	0.443	0.949

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-0.1173	0.0997	-1.18	0.24
emo	0.0562	0.0131	4.28	3.5e-05 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.425 on 137 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.118, Adjusted R-squared: 0.112
F-statistic: 18.3 on 1 and 137 DF, p-value: 3.47e-05

Significant 5.6% points prob. increase associated with additional unit emo.
Similar to above. Not much different compared to above.

QUESTION 3

```
#install.packages("mlmRev")
library(mlmRev)
data(Exam)
```

Check if 'schavg' is really the school mean of 'standLRT'. Looks like schavg and mean(standLRT) correspond very well.

```
ddply(Exam, .(school,schavg), summarize, "mean(standLRT)"=mean(standLRT))
```

	school	schavg	mean(standLRT)
1	1	0.166175	0.166175
2	2	0.395149	0.395149
3	3	0.514155	0.514156
4	4	0.091764	0.091764
5	5	0.210525	0.210525
6	6	0.637656	0.637656
7	7	-0.029003	-0.029003
8	8	-0.040532	-0.040532
9	9	-0.494304	-0.494304
10	10	0.189272	0.189272
11	11	0.635056	0.635056
12	12	-0.008740	-0.008740
13	13	-0.149341	-0.149341
14	14	0.326440	0.326440
15	15	0.270288	0.270288
16	16	0.323204	0.323205
17	17	-0.118244	-0.118244
18	18	0.142436	0.142436
19	19	0.384630	0.384630
20	20	0.441041	0.441041
21	21	0.201273	0.201273
22	22	-0.062356	-0.062356
23	23	-0.254685	-0.254685
24	24	-0.415201	-0.415201
25	25	-0.649018	-0.649018
26	26	-0.654875	-0.654875
27	27	-0.635548	-0.635547
28	28	-0.353908	-0.353908
29	29	-0.351834	-0.351834
30	30	0.268775	0.268775
31	31	-0.490832	-0.490832
32	32	-0.650231	-0.650231
33	33	0.075921	0.075921

34	34	-0.360043	-0.360043
35	35	-0.120454	-0.120454
36	36	-0.096466	-0.096466
37	37	-0.755961	-0.755960
38	38	-0.212047	-0.212047
39	39	-0.197124	-0.197124
40	40	-0.013050	-0.013050
41	41	-0.288729	-0.288729
42	42	-0.146179	-0.146179
43	43	0.433432	0.433432
44	44	-0.241656	-0.241656
45	45	-0.187182	-0.187182
46	46	-0.143724	-0.143724
47	47	-0.139923	-0.139923
48	48	-0.414084	-0.414084
49	49	-0.001192	-0.001192
50	50	0.006533	0.006533
51	51	-0.396984	-0.396984
52	52	0.196317	0.196318
53	53	0.380551	0.380551
54	54	0.588065	0.588065
55	55	0.267385	0.267385
56	56	-0.085653	-0.085653
57	57	-0.064455	-0.064455
58	58	0.210270	0.210270
59	59	-0.545095	-0.545095
60	60	-0.088644	-0.088644
61	61	-0.020198	-0.020198
62	62	0.167386	0.167387
63	63	0.156211	0.156211
64	64	0.434144	0.434144
65	65	-0.235350	-0.235350

part 1 a

Individual Level Regression

```
summary(lm(normexam~standLRT, Exam))
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = normexam ~ standLRT, data = Exam)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
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```
-2.6562 -0.5185  0.0126  0.5440  2.9740
```

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-0.00119	0.01264	-0.09	0.92
standLRT	0.59506	0.01273	46.74	<2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.805 on 4057 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.35, Adjusted R-squared: 0.35

F-statistic: 2.19e+03 on 1 and 4057 DF, p-value: <2e-16

Aggregate by school and run group level regression

```
agg=ddply(Exam, .(school,schavg), summarize, normexam=mean(normexam))
summary(lm(normexam~schavg, agg))
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = normexam ~ schavg, data = agg)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-1.1579	-0.1382	-0.0034	0.1987	0.6627

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	0.00457	0.03974	0.11	0.91
schavg	0.88372	0.11602	7.62	1.7e-10 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.319 on 63 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.479, Adjusted R-squared: 0.471

F-statistic: 58 on 1 and 63 DF, p-value: 1.67e-10

Compute aggregation bias: difference in individual and group slope coefficient

```
0.595057-0.883722
```

```
[1] -0.2887
```

part 1 b

Contextual model

```
summary(lm(normexam~standLRT+schavg, Exam))

Call:
lm(formula = normexam ~ standLRT + schavg, data = Exam)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-2.6856 -0.5074 -0.0012  0.5482  2.8185

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.00177    0.01253   -0.14    0.89
standLRT      0.55948    0.01331   42.04 <2e-16 ***
schavg       0.35402    0.04198    8.43 <2e-16 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 0.799 on 4056 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.361, Adjusted R-squared:  0.361
F-statistic: 1.15e+03 on 2 and 4056 DF,  p-value: <2e-16
```

Contextual effect (=0.354017) is the increase in normexam for unit increase in school LRT score "controlling" for indiv. score.

part 2 c

```
coed=subset(Exam, type=="Mxd") # extract coed schools
# check schools with id 43 and 47
table(coed[coed$school==47,"sex"]) # only 1 female, not really coed

  F  M
1 81

table(coed[coed$school==43,"sex"]) # only 1 male, not really coed

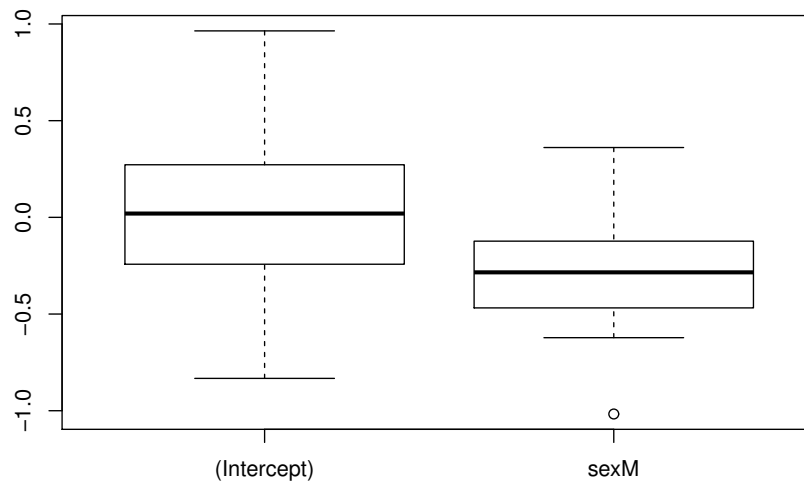
  F  M
60  1
```

SFYS regression: $outcome \sim sex|school$

```
regc=lmList(normexam~sex|school, data=coed)
summary(coef(regc))
```

(Intercept)		sexM	
Min.	:-0.8328	Min.	:-1.017
1st Qu.	:-0.2425	1st Qu.	:-0.468
Median	: 0.0197	Median	:-0.284
Mean	: 0.0273	Mean	:-0.269
3rd Qu.	: 0.2720	3rd Qu.	:-0.123
Max.	: 0.9643	Max.	: 0.361

```
boxplot(coef(regc))
```



Males do worse on average by 0.2693. Outlier slope detected in boxplot, but leaving it in. Looks like a significant gender effect.

Multilevel (very basic, each school has own inter./slope)

Level 1: $normexam_{ij} = a_{0i} + a_{1i}sex_{ij} + e_{ij}$

Level 2: $a_{0i} = b_{00} + e_{0i}$

$a_{1i} = b_{10} + e_{1i}$

Combined: $normexam_{ij} = b_{00} + b_{10}sex_{ij} + [e_{ij} + e_{0i} + e_{1i}]$

```
lmer(normexam~sex+(sex|school), coed)
```

Linear mixed model fit by REML

```

Formula: normexam ~ sex + (sex | school)
Data: coed
AIC   BIC logLik deviance REMLdev
5836 5870 -2912    5816    5824
Random effects:
Groups   Name             Variance Std.Dev. Corr
school  (Intercept)  0.18449  0.4295
        sexM        0.00123  0.0351  -1.000
Residual                0.82187  0.9066
Number of obs: 2169, groups: school, 35

Fixed effects:
              Estimate Std. Error t value
(Intercept)   0.0331    0.0789    0.42
sexM          -0.2614    0.0416   -6.28

Correlation of Fixed Effects:
      (Intr)
sexM  -0.402

```

b_{00} intercept (female score avg): .03311 (slightly above SFYS)
 b_{10} gender effect -.2614 (se=.04163) for males (similar to SFYS)
 There is a significant gender gap in normexam.

part 2 d

Note: I just saw the correction today (Thu) before class. There was no email about it and I finished the midterm before 2/12. I'm trying to correct the below, but I hope you are mindful that this is a quick fix.

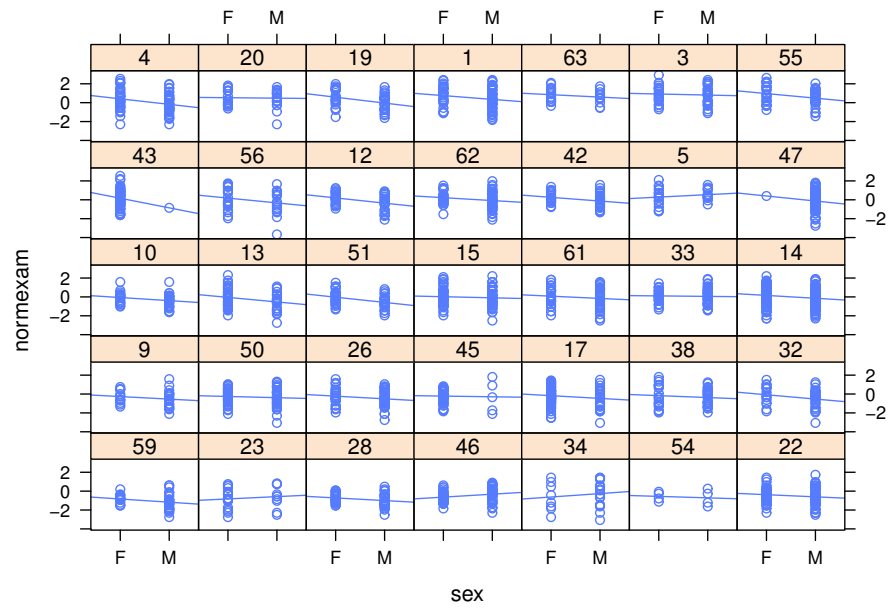
Here are some plots that help compare gender. The first one shows normexam for male and female and fits a line that goes through the means for each school. A horizontal line would indicate gender balance in normexam. (This also illustrates the problem with schools 47 and 43).

The second plot shows these individual lines and we see that these lines show a downwards trend, confirming that males have lower normexam scores.

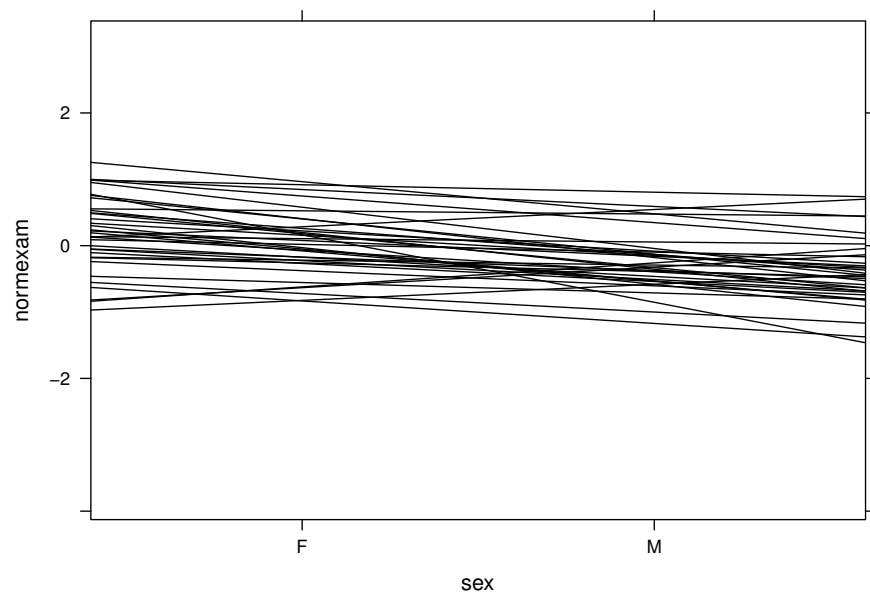
```

library(lattice)
xyplot(normexam ~ sex | school, type=c("p", "r"),
       index.cond=function(x,y)
         {coef(lm(y ~ x))[1]}, data=coed)

```

```
xyplot(normexam ~ sex , groups=school, type=c("r"),
       index.cond=function(x,y) {coef(lm(y ~ x))[1]},
       data=coed, col = c("black"))
```



Multilevel (intercept/slope depend on intake)

Level 1: $normexam_{ij} = a_{0i} + a_{1i}sex_{ij} + e_{ij}$

Level 2: $a_{0i} = b_{00} + b_{01}intake_i + e_{0i}$

$a_{1i} = b_{10} + b_{11}intake_i + e_{1i}$

Combined: $normexam_{ij} = b_{00} + b_{01}intake_i + b_{10}sex_{ij} + b_{11}intake_i : sex_{ij} + [e_{ij} + e_{0i} + e_{1i}]$

```
m1=lmer(normexam~sex*schavg+(sex|school), coed)

Warning: singular convergence (7)

m1

Linear mixed model fit by REML
Formula: normexam ~ sex * schavg + (sex | school)
Data: coed
AIC   BIC logLik deviance REMLdev
5822 5868 -2903    5794    5806
Random effects:
Groups   Name             Variance Std.Dev. Corr
school  (Intercept)  0.09617  0.3101
         sexM        0.00304  0.0551  -1.000
Residual                    0.82298  0.9072
Number of obs: 2169, groups: school, 35

Fixed effects:
              Estimate Std. Error t value
(Intercept)  0.05754    0.06088    0.95
sexM         -0.25863    0.04216   -6.13
schavg        0.90510    0.19566    4.63
sexM:schavg   0.00787    0.14071    0.06

Correlation of Fixed Effects:
              (Intr) sexM  schavg
sexM         -0.539
schavg        0.054  0.002
sexM:schavg   0.003  0.007 -0.552
```

b_{00} intercept (intake=0,sex=F): -0.072

b_{01} intake effect on intercept: est=0.909030, t=5 significant

b_{10} gender effect/gap (for male): est=0.129313, t=6 significant

b_{11} additional intake effect for males: not significant

Maybe better model without interaction effect fits better

```
m2=lmer(normexam~sex+schavg+(sex|school), coed)
anova(m1,m2) # simpler model favored by AIC and BIC
```

Data: coed

Models:

```
m2: normexam ~ sex + schavg + (sex | school)
m1: normexam ~ sex * schavg + (sex | school)
      Df    AIC    BIC logLik Chisq Chi Df Pr(>Chisq)
m2   7  5808  5848  -2897
m1   8  5810  5855  -2897      0      1      0.97
```

Level 1: $normexam_{ij} \sim a_{0i} + a_{1i}sex_{ij} + e_{ij}$

Level 2: $a_{0i} = b_{00} + b_{01}intake_i + e_{0i}$

$a_{1i} = b_{10} + e_{1i}$

Combined: $normexam_{ij} \sim b_{00} + b_{01}intake_i + b_{10}sex_{ij} + [e_{ij} + e_{0i} + e_{1i}]$

m2

Linear mixed model fit by REML

Formula: normexam ~ sex + schavg + (sex | school)

Data: coed

AIC	BIC	logLik	deviance	REMLdev
5818	5858	-2902	5794	5804

Random effects:

Groups	Name	Variance	Std.Dev.	Corr
school	(Intercept)	0.09537	0.3088	
	sexM	0.00282	0.0531	-1.000
Residual		0.82262	0.9070	

Number of obs: 2169, groups: school, 35

Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value
(Intercept)	0.0574	0.0607	0.95
sexM	-0.2585	0.0421	-6.14
schavg	0.9111	0.1632	5.58

Correlation of Fixed Effects:

	(Intr)	sexM
sexM	-0.534	
schavg	0.067	0.008

b_{00} intercept (intake=0,sex=F): est=-0.07183

b_{01} intake effect on intercept: est=0.91113, t=5.6 significant: higher intake associated with higher normalized examscore

b_{10} gender effect/gap (for male): est=0.12926, t=6.1 significant

The gender effect (and its significance in the model) is almost the same as before we added intake to the model. This suggests that the gender gap cannot be explained by the difference in intake, even though intake itself stands out as an important predictor in the model.