

Hypothesis Testing

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Tooth Growth Data

The response is the length of odontoblasts (cells responsible for tooth growth) in 60 guinea pigs. Each animal received one of three dose levels of vitamin C (0.5, 1, and 2 mg/day) by one of two delivery methods, orange juice or ascorbic acid (a form of vitamin C and coded as VC).

```
str(ToothGrowth)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 60 obs. of 3 variables:
## $ len : num  4.2 11.5 7.3 5.8 6.4 10 11.2 11.2 5.2 7 ...
## $ supp: Factor w/ 2 levels "OJ","VC": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ dose: num  0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5 ...
```

The dataset consist of 60 observations, They are adminstrated different level of dosage with different explore methods Lets look into it more closely

```
df <- ToothGrowth
table(df$supp,df$dose)
```

```
##
##      0.5  1  2
##   OJ  10 10 10
##   VC  10 10 10
```

The dataset is well consistent with 10 observation of tooth length for each of the differnt supplement type and dosage

Exploratory Data Analysis

- There Seems to be some relationship Between the Tooth Growth and Dosage , with Higher Dosage leading to Higher Tooth Growth (Figure 1)
- The Relationship here between the Dosage and Delivery Method isn't quite Strong (Figure 2)

Hypothesis Testing

We want to Check for the Hypothesis that

- There is a substantial Increase in the Tooth Growth when adminstrated Different Doses
- Tooth Growth does not depend on the Delivery Method

Asumptions

- The Tooth Growth resembles normally distributed
- There would be equal Variances between dfferent pairs of observations as these observation are from the same population distrbution

Part-1

(H0 -> There is no difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a dosage of 2 and 1) (H1 -> There is a Substantial Difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a dosage of 2 and 1)

```
filter(df,((dose==1) | (dose==2))) -> experiment
t.test(experiment$len~as.factor(experiment$dose),var=TRUE)
```

```
##
## Two Sample t-test
##
## data: experiment$len by as.factor(experiment$dose)
## t = -4.9005, df = 38, p-value = 1.811e-05
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -8.994387 -3.735613
## sample estimates:
## mean in group 1 mean in group 2
##      19.735      26.100
```

A small P value well below the significiance level of 0.5 indicates a substantial difference and null hypotheis can be discarded in favour of alternative

Part-2

(H0 -> There is no difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a dosage of 1 and 0.5) (H1 -> There is a Substantial Difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a dosage of 1 and 0.5)

```
filter(df,((dose==1) | (dose==0.5))) -> experiment
t.test(experiment$len~as.factor(experiment$dose),var=TRUE)
```

```
##
## Two Sample t-test
##
## data: experiment$len by as.factor(experiment$dose)
## t = -6.4766, df = 38, p-value = 1.266e-07
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -11.983748 -6.276252
## sample estimates:
## mean in group 0.5 mean in group 1
##      10.605      19.735
```

Here the Same Low p value indicates there indeed is a strong relationship between the tooth length and whether dose is adminstrated as 1mg or 0mg

Part-3

(H0 -> There is no difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a injection using VJ Or VC supplement) (H1 -> There is a Substantial Difference in Tooth Length when adminstrated a injection using VJ or VC Supplement)

```
t.test(df$len~df$supp,var=TRUE)
```

```
##
## Two Sample t-test
```

```
##
## data: df$len by df$supp
## t = 1.9153, df = 58, p-value = 0.06039
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -0.1670064 7.5670064
## sample estimates:
## mean in group OJ mean in group VC
##      20.66333      16.96333
```

A p value of 0.6 is not below the significant value and hence we cannot reject null in favour of alternative

Conclusions

- From Part 1, Part 2 and Figure 1 and Figure 2 we can conclude that the toothlength indeed differs depended on the dose administered
- We cannot statically conclude that the tooth length differs depending on the delievery method as illustrated in Part 3 of hypothesis Testing

Appendix

```
ggplot(aes(x=as.factor(dose),y=len),data=df)+geom_boxplot()+labs(x="Dosage")
```

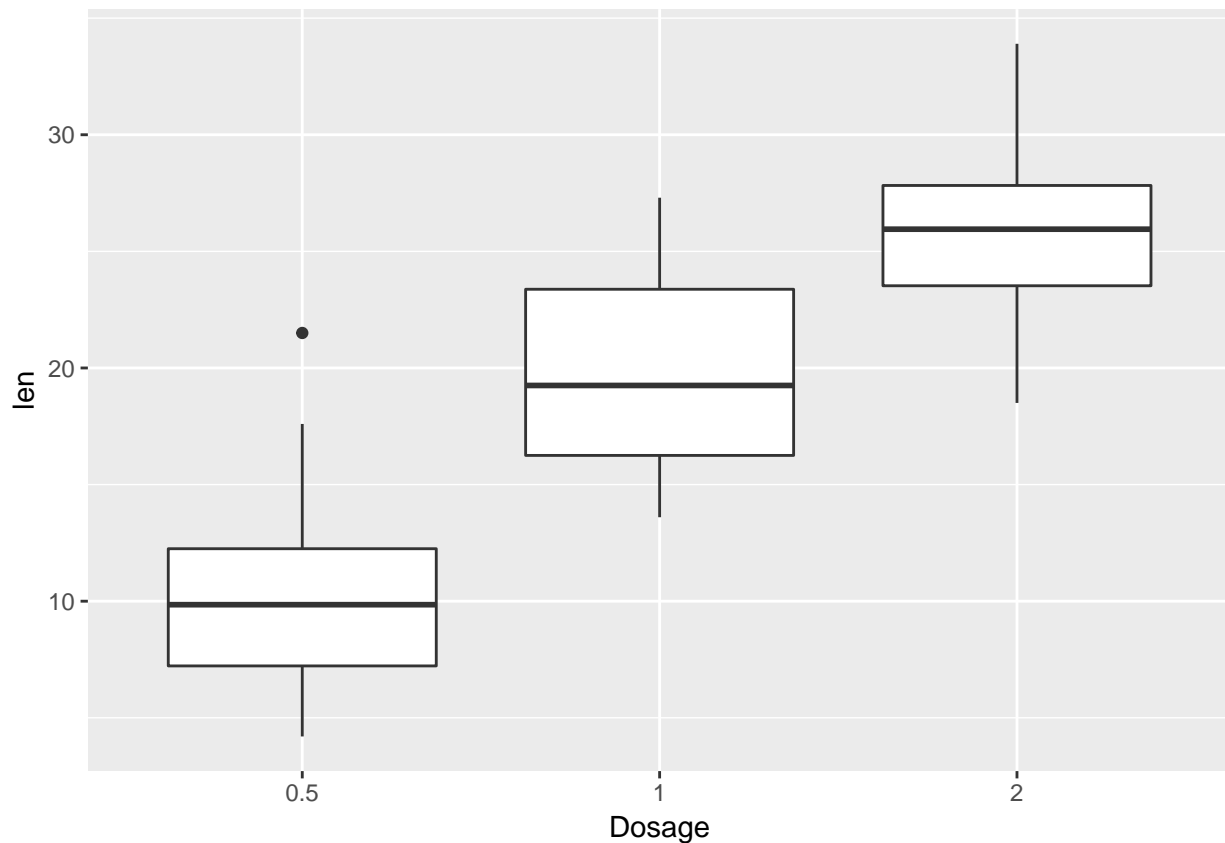


Figure 1 Boxplot of tooth length vs dosage

```
ggplot(aes(x=as.factor(supp),y=len),data=df)+geom_boxplot()+labs(x="Dosage")
```

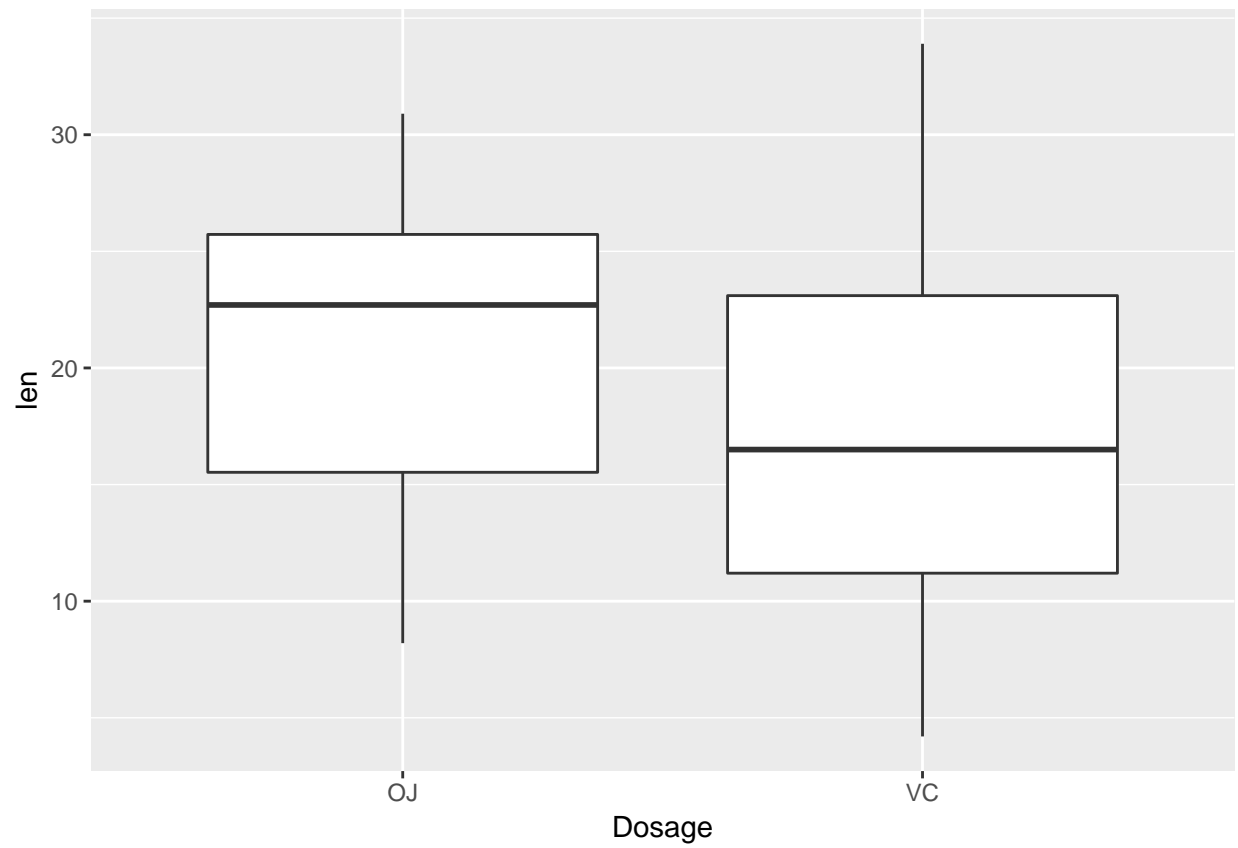


Figure 2 Boxplot of tooth length vs injection method