

## ANSWERS

### TAMS38 – Experimental Design and Biostatistics, 4 p / 6 hp Examination on 19 April 2017 kl 8–12.

- 1 a) Model:  $Y_{ij} = \mu + \tau_i + \varepsilon_{ij}$  where  $\varepsilon_{ij} \sim N(0, \sigma)$  (independent) and  $\tau_i \sim N(0, \sigma_\tau)$  (independent) for each  $i = 1, \dots, 5$ .

$$SS_E = 4 \cdot (0.0687^2 + 0.0630^2 + 0.0688^2 + 0.0652^2 + 0.0650^2) = 0.087600$$

$$SS_{TR} = 5 \cdot ((23.458 - 23.444)^2 + (23.492 - 23.444)^2 + (23.524 - 23.444)^2 + (23.380 - 23.444)^2 + (23.364 - 23.444)^2) = 0.0970$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = s^2 = 0.087600 / (25 - 5) = 0.004380$$

$$E(SS_{TR}) = (a - 1)(n\sigma_\tau^2 + \sigma^2), \text{ so } (E(SS_{TR}) - (a - 1)\sigma^2) / (N - a) = \sigma_\tau^2$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_\tau^2 = (0.0970 - 4 \cdot 0.004380) / (25 - 5) = 0.0040$$

- b)  $H_0 : \sigma_\tau = 0$  mot  $H_1 : \sigma_\tau \neq 0$

Test statistic:

$$v = \frac{0.0970 / (5 - 1)}{0.087600 / (25 - 5)} = 5.54$$

$F_{0.95}(4, 20) \approx 2.87$ .  $v > 2.87$  so we can reject  $H_0$  on  $\alpha = 5\%$ . There is a difference between calcium content for batches.

- c) We want to test equality of variances for batch 2 and 3 i.e.,  $H_0 : \sigma_2 = \sigma_3$  mot  $H_1 : \sigma_2 \neq \sigma_3$  on level 5%.

Test statistic

$$v = \frac{s_2^2}{s_3^2} = 0.063^2 / 0.0688^2 = 0.8385.$$

Underlying random variable  $V \sim F(4, 4)$  under  $H_0$ , so we reject  $H_0$  if  $v < a$  or if  $v > b$  where  $a$  and  $b$  come from F-table.

$b = F_{0.975}(4, 4) = 9.61$  and  $a = \frac{1}{F_{0.975}(4, 4)} = \frac{1}{9.61} = 0.1041$ , i.e., we cannot reject  $H_0$ . Batch 2 and 3 have the same variance with probability 95%.

- 2 a) Model  $Y_{ijk} = \mu + \tau_i + \beta_j + \gamma_k + \varepsilon_{ij(k)}$ , where  $\varepsilon_{ij(k)} \sim N(0, \sigma)$  (independent),  $\tau_i$  denotes method  $i$ ,  $\beta_j$  denotes operator  $j$ ,  $\gamma_k$  denotes order of assembly  $k$ . Moreover  $\sum_{i=1}^4 \tau_i = 0$ ,  $\sum_{j=1}^4 \beta_j = 0$ ,  $\sum_{k=1}^4 \gamma_k = 0$ .

- b)  $H_0 : \tau_1 = \dots = \tau_4 = 0$  against  $H_0 : \tau_i \neq 0$  for some  $i$ .

F-test statistic for method =  $(72.5/3) / (10.5/6) = 13.81$  and  $F_{0.95}(3, 6) = 4.76$ . We should reject  $H_0$  on  $\alpha = 5\%$ . With high probability there is difference between methods regarding assembly time.

c) One can do for example two Tukey-intervals each at level of 5% as follows

$$I_{\tau_i - \tau_j} = \left( \bar{y}_{i..} - \bar{y}_{j..} \mp \underbrace{q_{0.95}(4, 6)}_{=4.896} \frac{s}{\sqrt{4}} \right) = \left( \bar{y}_{i..} - \bar{y}_{j..} \mp 3.2384 \right)$$

where  $s^2 = 10.5/6 = 1.75$ . Method 1 is better than method 3 and 4. No significant difference between method 1 and 2.

$$I_{\beta_i - \beta_j} = \left( \bar{y}_{.i} - \bar{y}_{.j} \mp \underbrace{q_{0.95}(4, 6)}_{=4.896} \frac{s}{\sqrt{4}} \right) = \left( \bar{y}_{.i} - \bar{y}_{.j} \mp 3.2384 \right)$$

Operator 1 and 4 are better than operator nr 2. No significant difference between operators 1, 4 and 3.

**3 a)** We test  $H_0$  : maximal model and logistic regression model are equally good against

$H_1$  : maximal model is better.

Test statistics *deviance* = 6.39 and the corresponding r.v. is  $\chi^2(6)$ -distributed. Critical region is given by  $c = \chi_{0.95}^2(6) = 12.6$ . As  $6.39 < 12.6$ , we cannot reject  $H_0$  i.e., logistic regression model is ok.

b)  $I_{\beta_1} = (\hat{\beta}_1 \mp \underbrace{z_{0.975}}_{=1.96} d(\hat{\beta}_1)) = (-0.2694 \mp 1.96 \cdot 0.055) = (-0.2694 \mp 0.1078) < 0$

c)  $H_0 : \beta_2 = 0$  against  $H_0 : \beta_2 \neq 0$ .

Test statistic is  $z = 0.831/0.134 = 6.2$  and critical region is  $(-\infty, -1.96) \cup (1.96, \infty)$ . We should reject  $H_0$  on  $\alpha = 5\%$ . With high probability the new variable is significant.

**4 a)** nr 3 -B, nr 5 -C, nr 7- BC.

b) No. We would have  $df_E = 0$ .

c)  $E(\widehat{Y}_{111}) = \hat{\mu} + \hat{\tau}_1 + \hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\gamma}_1 = 24.125 + 0.375 + 11.375 + 10.750 = \underline{\underline{46.625}}$ .

d)  $s = \sqrt{SS_E/df_E} = \sqrt{152.13/3} = 7.12$

t-interval gives

$$I_{\tau_1 - \tau_{-1}} = \left( \bar{y}_{1..} - \bar{y}_{-1..} \mp \underbrace{t_{0.995}(3)}_{=5.84} s \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}} \right) = \left( 23.75 - 24.5 \mp 29.4 \right) \ni 0$$

No significance difference between results for  $A = 1$  and  $A = -1$ .

e) Tukey-interval gives

$$I_{\mu_{jk} - \mu_{mn}} = \left( \bar{y}_{.jk} - \bar{y}_{.mn} \mp \underbrace{q_{0.05}(4, 3)}_{=6.825} s \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \left( \bar{y}_{.jk} - \bar{y}_{.mn} \mp 34.36 \right).$$

The highest value is obtained for  $B = 1, C = 1$ .

f)  $1 - \alpha_{sim} \geq 1 - 5\% - 1\% = 94\%$