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APPENDIX

STATISTICS

1. Mean (\bar{X})

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum X}{N}$$

2. Standard deviation (S.D.)

$$\text{S.D.} = \sqrt{\frac{(X - \bar{X})^2}{N - 1}}$$

3. Standard error of the mean (SEM)

$$\text{SEM} = \frac{\text{S.D.}}{\sqrt{N}}$$

4. Coefficient of Variation

$$\text{C.V.} = \frac{\text{S.D.}}{\bar{X}} \times 100$$

5. Analysis of variance (ANOVA)

ANOVA Table

Source of Variation	Sum of Squares(SS*)	d.f.	Mean Square (MS)	Variation (F)
Between treatments	$\sum_{i=1}^k \frac{T_{i\cdot}^2}{n_i} - C$	k-1	$\frac{SS(\text{between})}{(k-1)}$	$\frac{MS(\text{between})}{MS(\text{within})}$
Within(Err) treatments	SS(Total)-SS(between)	N-k	$\frac{SS(\text{within})}{(N-k)}$	
Total	$\sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} (X_{ij})^2 - C$	N-1		

where X_{ij} = Observed value i at treatment j
 i = 1, 2, ..., n
 j = 1, 2, ..., k

$$*C = \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} X_{ij} \right)^2}{N}$$

$$T_{i\cdot} = \sum_{j=1}^{n_j} X_{ij}$$

$$X_{i\cdot} = \frac{T_{i\cdot}}{n_j}$$

$$T_{\cdot\cdot} = \sum_{j=1}^k T_{i\cdot}$$

$$X_{\cdot\cdot} = \frac{T_{\cdot\cdot}}{N}$$

$$N = \sum_{j=1}^k n_j$$

The F value is compared with the critical value, F , which is obtained from the table at degree of freedom $(k-1)$ and $(N-k)$.

If $F > F(\text{tab})$, the null hypothesis (H_0) that $u_1 = u_2 = \dots = u_k$ is rejected and the alternative hypothesis is accepted. If F is not significant, the null hypothesis stands.

6. Duncan's multiple range test.

In multiple comparisons, we have been able to reject H_0 and therefore conclude that there are some differences among the k population means. In this case, the analysis of the data has just begun, since it is natural to continue the investigation to try to pinpoint where the differences lie.

Duncan's multiple range test is designed to detect differences in population means by comparing sample means. This is done by dividing the k sample means, and therefore the k population means, into subgroups so that means within subgroups are not considered to be significantly different. The test is performed as follows :

1. Linearly order the k sample means.

2. Consider any subset of p sample means $2 \leq p \leq k$. For the means of any of the corresponding populations to be considered different, the range of the means in the subgroup (largest to smallest) must exceed a specific value, called the shortest significant range SSR_p .

3. The shortest significant range is calculated by means of Table A and the following formula :

$$SSR_p = r_p \sqrt{\frac{MS_E}{n}}$$

where r_p = least significant studentized range obtained from Table A.

MS_E = error mean square from ANOVA

n = common sample size

Υ = degrees of freedom for MS_E

4. Results are summarized by underlining any subset of adjacent means that are not considered to be significantly different at the α level selected.

The differences in population means are detected by comparing the largest sample mean with the smallest, the largest with the next smallest, and so forth. Thus potentially we need to consider pairs of the sample means in the order.

However, once a group of means has been found to be not significantly different, no further test will declare them to differ. Thus, in practice, it may not be necessary to perform all the comparisons indicated. No further comparisons need to be made at the point if no differences have been detected among the mean.

If $\alpha = 0.05$ is selected. The value $\alpha = 0.05$ is the probability that at least one of these conclusions is incorreced.

The procedure is illustrated by continuing the analysis of the data of Example 1.

Example 1 Flux of compounds at 24 hours after application.

		Compound					
	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5	X6	
	7.835	4.813	7.640	5.357	6.885	5.357	
	15.861	4.851	10.016	5.613	5.922	5.500	
	10.685	4.235	7.527	5.162	4.400	4.526	
	13.045	4.273	7.046	3.299	5.514	4.118	
\bar{X}	11.857	4.543	8.057	4.858	5.680	4.875	

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

Source of Variation	Sum of Squares	d.f.	Mean Square	Variation (F)	P
Between treatments	163.318	5	32.664	12.128	.000
Within(Err) treatments	48.480	18	2.693		

Duncan's multiple range tests

Ordered means differ at $\alpha = .050$ if they exceed following gaps

Gap order	Difference
2	2.440
3	2.559
4	2.634
5	2.687
6	2.725

This test assumes the counts per group are equal

In linear order, these are

X2	X4	X6	X5	X3	X1
4.543	4.858	4.875	5.680	8.057	11.857

P	2	3	4	5	6
r_p	2.971	3.118	3.210	3.274	3.321
SSRp	2.440	2.559	2.634	2.687	2.725

Difference d	Number in Subgroup p	SSRp	is d > SSRp?
X4-X2 = 0.315	2	2.440	no
X6-X4 = 0.017	2	2.443	no
X5-X6 = 0.805	2	2.440	no
X3-X5 = 2.377	2	2.440	no
X1-X3 = 3.800	2	2.440	yes
X6-X2 = 0.332	3	2.559	no
X5-X4 = 0.822	3	2.559	no
X3-X6 = 3.182	3	2.559	yes
X1-X5 = 6.117	3	2.559	yes
X5-X2 = 1.137	4	2.634	no
X3-X4 = 3.199	4	2.634	yes
X1-X6 = 6.982	4	2.634	yes
X3-X2 = 3.514	5	2.687	yes
X1-X4 = 6.999	5	2.687	yes
X1-X2 = 7.314	6	2.725	yes

Table A : Duncan's table.^a

least significant studentized ranges r_p , $\alpha = 0.05$ P						least significant studentized ranges r_p , $\alpha = 0.01$ P					
r	2	3	4	5	6	r	2	3	4	5	6
1	17.97	17.97	17.97	17.97	17.97	1	90.03	90.03	90.03	90.03	90.03
2	6.085	6.085	6.085	6.085	6.085	2	14.04	14.04	14.04	14.04	14.04
3	4.501	4.516	4.516	4.516	4.516	3	8.261	8.321	8.321	8.321	8.321
4	3.927	4.013	4.033	4.033	4.033	4	6.512	6.677	6.740	6.756	6.756
5	3.635	3.749	3.797	3.814	3.814	5	5.702	5.893	5.898	6.040	6.065
6	3.461	3.587	3.649	3.680	3.694	6	5.243	5.439	5.549	5.614	5.655
7	3.344	3.477	3.548	3.588	3.611	7	4.949	5.145	5.260	5.334	5.383
8	3.261	3.399	3.475	3.521	3.549	8	4.746	4.939	5.057	5.135	5.189
9	3.199	3.339	3.420	3.470	3.502	9	4.596	4.787	4.906	4.986	5.043
10	3.151	3.293	3.376	3.430	3.465	10	4.482	4.671	4.790	4.871	4.931
11	3.113	3.256	3.342	3.397	3.435	11	4.392	4.579	4.697	4.780	4.841
12	3.082	3.225	3.313	3.370	3.410	12	4.320	4.504	4.622	4.706	4.767
13	3.055	3.200	3.289	3.348	3.389	13	4.260	4.442	4.560	4.644	4.706
14	3.033	3.178	3.268	3.329	3.372	14	4.210	4.391	4.508	4.591	4.654
15	3.014	3.160	3.250	3.312	3.356	15	4.168	4.347	4.463	4.547	4.610
16	2.998	3.144	3.235	3.298	3.343	16	4.131	4.309	4.425	4.509	4.572
17	2.984	3.130	3.222	3.285	3.331	17	4.099	4.275	4.391	4.475	4.539
18	2.971	3.118	3.210	3.274	3.321	18	4.071	4.246	4.362	4.445	4.509
19	2.960	3.107	3.199	3.264	3.311	19	4.046	4.220	4.335	4.419	4.483
20	2.950	3.097	3.190	3.255	3.303	20	4.024	4.197	4.312	4.395	4.459
24	2.919	3.066	3.160	3.226	3.276	24	3.956	4.126	4.239	4.322	4.386
30	2.888	3.035	3.131	3.199	3.250	30	3.889	4.056	4.168	4.250	4.314
40	2.858	3.006	3.102	3.171	3.224	40	3.825	3.988	4.098	4.180	4.244
60	2.829	2.976	3.073	3.143	3.198	60	3.762	3.922	4.031	4.111	4.174
120	2.800	2.947	3.045	3.116	3.172	120	3.702	3.858	3.965	4.044	4.107
∞	2.772	2.918	3.017	3.089	3.146	∞	3.643	3.796	3.900	3.978	4.040

^aMilton and Tsoko, 1983

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