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## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Last regular lecture!!

Major news:

- course evaluation will take place in the next lecture,
- course syllabus for final exam added to homepage,
- last home assignment due today...
- midterm mark: by April 16th, each of you must tell me (in writing/per e-mail) whether you want to use it.

Today's lecture:

- summary worksheet (Chapter 10) on regression,
- main topic: 2-way ANOVA (analysis of variance),
  - \* non-parametric Friedman's test (extra topic),
- textbook chapters<sup>1</sup> are very (too) brief — some more details in lecture and in home assignment 4 of 2003 (and even more details in VHM 802 and 812),
- tips for comparing and presenting groups (11L-2) apply here as well.

Next (absolutely last!) lecture:

- details about exam,
- brief course review (call for requested topics!).

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<sup>1</sup> PSLS 3e Supplement: Sections 26.4-6 (in course syllabus!); S: not covered; IPS 7e: Chapter 13.

DATA EXAMPLES FOR 2-WAY ANOVA

Energy expenditures in Burkina Faso:<sup>2</sup>

- mean energy expenditures in farming families, divided into man/woman and dry/wet season,
- summarized data (no raw data available),

| Energy expenditure<br>(calories per day) |     | Gender |       |
|--|-----|--------|-------|
|  |     | men    | women |
| Season                                   | dry | 2310   | 2320  |
|  | wet | 3460   | 2890  |

Phosphorus levels in tomato plants: (PSLS 3e, Ex. 26.12)

- 3 levels of nitrogen fertilizer (0/28/160 *kg/ha*) applied to two genotypes of tomato plants (wild/mutant, wild being susceptible to Mycorrhizal fungi),
- genotypes ~ blocks, 6 replicates per treatment × block.

Lymphocytes (1000's per  $\mu l$  blood) in mice:

- 4 treatments (A-D), of which D is placebo,
- 4 litters of mice, and 4 mice used from each litter,
- block design.

| Treatment | Litter |     |     |     |
|-----------|--------|-----|-----|-----|
|           | 1      | 2   | 3   | 4   |
| A         | 7.1    | 6.1 | 6.9 | 5.6 |
| B         | 6.7    | 5.1 | 5.9 | 5.1 |
| C         | 7.1    | 5.8 | 6.2 | 5.0 |
| D         | 6.7    | 5.4 | 5.7 | 5.2 |

<sup>2</sup> Based on Payne: Nutrition adaptation in man: social adjustments and their nutritional implications, in Blaxter & Waterlow (eds.): *Nutrition Adaptation in Man.*, Libbey, London, 1985.

## FACTORIAL DESIGNS

Factor (categorical variable):

- grouping of observations into categories/levels, either by symbols (e.g. letters, roman numbers) or numbers,
- explanatory variable, e.g. treatment/control, litter ...
- usually, it does not matter if factors are coded by numbers or symbols: use most natural coding,
- if factors are coded numerically, check DF to ensure their modelling as a grouping.<sup>3</sup>

Several factors in the same design?

Yes! — in good designs it is possible to separate effects of different factors from each other  $\Rightarrow$

- cheaper (less exp. units) than in separate experiments,<sup>4</sup>
- possible to study combined effect of several factors,
- increased scope of the experiment,

and analyzing multi-factorial data by each factor separately: is generally wrong and only gives valid results if at most one factor is of importance.

Two types of randomization for factorial experiments:

- completely randomized design,
- (randomized) block design.

<sup>3</sup> The software may misunderstand the factor as continuous and estimate a slope.

<sup>4</sup> The advantage arises e.g. if assessment of nitrogen effects can be done on wild and mutant tomato plants combined, in *additive* models introduced later.

## NOTATION FOR 2-WAY ANOVA

Data layout and notation:

| obs.<br>$X_{ijk}$ | column (C) factor $\sim j$     |          |                                |          |                                |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|
|                   | 1                              | ...      | $j$                            | ...      | $J$                            |
| row (R)           | $X_{111}, \dots, X_{11n_{11}}$ | ...      | $X_{1j1}, \dots, X_{1jn_{1j}}$ | ...      | $X_{1J1}, \dots, X_{1Jn_{1J}}$ |
| factor            | $\vdots$                       | $\ddots$ | $\vdots$                       | $\ddots$ | $\vdots$                       |
| $i$               | $X_{i11}, \dots, X_{in_{i1}}$  | ...      | $X_{ij1}, \dots, X_{ijn_{ij}}$ | ...      | $X_{iJ1}, \dots, X_{iJn_{iJ}}$ |
| $\sim i$          | $\vdots$                       | $\ddots$ | $\vdots$                       | $\ddots$ | $\vdots$                       |
| I                 | $X_{I11}, \dots, X_{In_{I1}}$  | ...      | $X_{Ij1}, \dots, X_{Ijn_{Ij}}$ | ...      | $X_{IJ1}, \dots, X_{IJn_{IJ}}$ |

- $X_{ijk}$  =  $k$ th observation in the group defined by row factor  $R=i$  and column factor  $C=j$ ,<sup>5</sup>
  - \*  $i = 1, \dots, I$ , and  $I$  = number of levels of R/rows,
  - \*  $i = j, \dots, J$ , and  $J$  = no. of levels of C/columns,
  - \*  $k = 1, \dots, n_{ij}$ , and  $n_{ij}$  = no. of obs. in  $(i, j)$ th group.
- denote also by  $N = \sum_{ij} n_{ij}$  the total no. of observations, and by  $\bar{X} = \sum_{ijk} X_{ijk}/N$  the overall mean,
- terminology: the dataset/design
  - \* is balanced, if all groups equally large, ( $n_{11} = \dots = n_{IJ}$ ), otherwise unbalanced (not necessarily a problem),
  - \* is complete, if all  $IJ$  groups present, otherwise incomplete (*difficult* design, avoid if possible!),
  - \* has replication, if some of the  $n_{ij}$ 's  $> 1$ , otherwise no replication (all  $n_{ij} = 1$ ; see 13L-14).

<sup>5</sup> IPS uses the notation: A=row factor, B=column factor.

## 1-WAY ANOVA FOR 2-WAY FACTORIAL

In a 2-way design with replication, focusing only on the grouping from the row and column factors ( $IJ$  groups) and otherwise forgetting about row and column factors

$\Rightarrow$  1-way ANOVA for combined factor with  $IJ$  levels:

- Model:

$X_{ijk} = \mu_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijk}$ , for  $\varepsilon_{ijk}$ 's i.i.d. and  $\sim N(0, \sigma)$ ,  
and where  $\mu_{ij}$ 's are group (population) means,

- Estimation:

$\hat{\mu}_{ij} = \bar{X}_{ij}$ . (combined group means),  
 $\hat{\sigma}^2 = s_p^2 = \sum_{ij} \frac{n_{ij}-1}{N-IJ} s_{ij}^2 = \text{MSE}$ , and  $\text{DFE} = N - IJ$ ,  
where  $s_{ij}$  = sample standard deviation in group  $(i, j)$ ,

- ANOVA table:

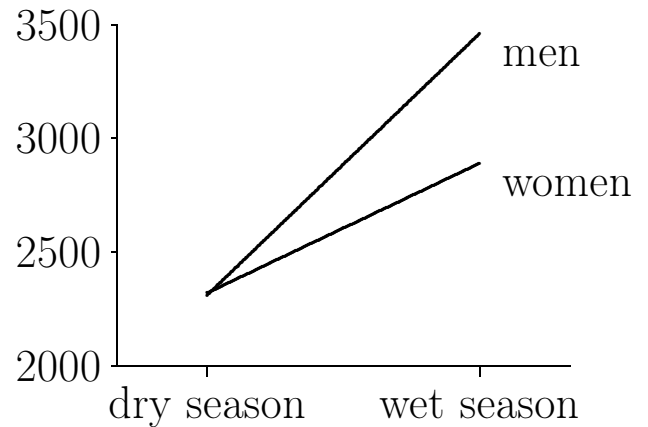
| Source | DF       | SS  | MS      | $F$     |
|--------|----------|---|---------|---------|
| Groups | $IJ - 1$ | $\sum_{ij} n_{ij} (\bar{X}_{ij} - \bar{X})^2$ | SSG/DFG | MSG/MSE |
| Error  | $N - IJ$ | $\sum_{ijk} (X_{ijk} - \bar{X}_{ij})^2$       | SSE/DFE |         |
| Total  | $N - 1$  | $\sum_{ijk} (X_{ijk} - \bar{X})^2$            |         |         |

- Problem: analysis does not directly give information about row and column factors separately  $\Rightarrow$  need to decompose (split up) model's group terms.

## DECOMPOSING A 2-WAY TABLE OF MEANS I

Example: Energy expenditures in Burkina Faso:

| Energy exp.<br>(calories) |     | Gender |       | Mean |
|---------------------------|-----|--------|-------|------|
|                           |     | men    | women |      |
| Season                    | dry | 2310   | 2320  | 2315 |
|                           | wet | 3460   | 2890  | 3175 |
| Mean                      |     | 2885   | 2605  | 2745 |



Different ways to look at the data:

- (i) four separate groups,
- (ii) two gender groups for each season,
- (iii) two season groups for each gender,
- (iv) (overall level), two season groups, two gender groups, association between gender and season.

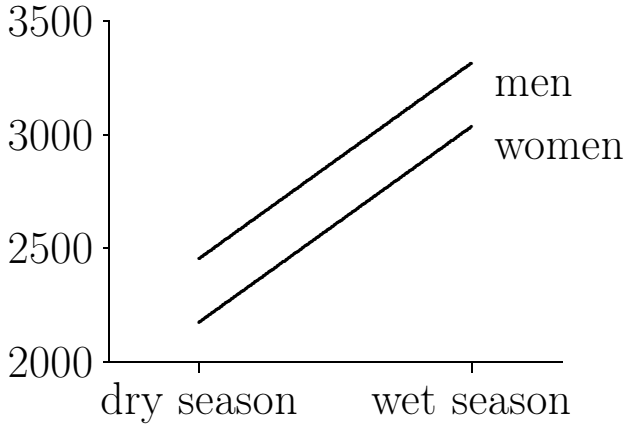
Decomposition of means corresponding to (iv):

|                          |             |            |                               |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------------------|
| $\bar{X}$                | 2745   2745 | 140   -140 | $\bar{X}_{.j} - \bar{X}$      |
| overall mean             | 2745   2745 | 140   -140 | gender effect                 |
| $\bar{X}_{i.} - \bar{X}$ | -430   -430 | -145   145 | $\bar{X}_{ij} - \bar{X}_{i.}$ |
| season effect            | 430   430   | 145   -145 | $-\bar{X}_{.j} + \bar{X}$     |

DECOMPOSING A 2-WAY TABLE OF MEANS II

Modified energy expenditures in Burkina Faso:

| Energy exp.<br>(calories) |     | Gender |       | Mean |
|---------------------------|-----|--------|-------|------|
|                           |     | men    | women |      |
| Season                    | dry | 2455   | 2175  | 2315 |
|                           | wet | 3315   | 3035  | 3175 |
| Mean                      |     | 2885   | 2605  | 2745 |



Decomposition of means corresponding to (iv):

|                          |             |            |                               |
|--------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------------------|
| $\bar{X}$                | 2745   2745 | 140   -140 | $\bar{X}_{.j} - \bar{X}$      |
| overall mean             | 2745   2745 | 140   -140 | gender effect                 |
| $\bar{X}_{i.} - \bar{X}$ | -430   -430 | 0   0      | $\bar{X}_{ij} - \bar{X}_{i.}$ |
| season effect            | 430   430   | 0   0      | $-\bar{X}_{.j} + \bar{X}$     |

Comparison of two variants of Burkina Faso data:

- same overall level, same overall (average) effects of gender and season,
- modified data: parallel lines  $\Rightarrow$  additive effects, (same effect of one factor at all levels of other factor(s)),
- original data: non-parallel lines  $\Rightarrow$  non-additive effects, or interaction between the factors gender and season.

## INTERACTION AND ADDITIVITY

Interaction — some other words:

- synergism,
- epistasy (genetics),
- covariation,
- association.

Interaction between two factors:

- the main effects provide an incomplete description, i.e.: the combined effect of two factors is not predictable from the isolated effect of each of them when examined separately,
- the effect of the first factor depends on the level of the second factor (or vice versa) — “it depends...”
- no additivity between factors,
- non-parallel lines.

Always remember!

- interaction is the opposite of additivity, or
- additivity means no interaction!

## 2-WAY ANOVA MODELS

Basic model (in two equivalent formulations):

$$X_{ijk} = \mu_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \gamma_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijk},$$

where the random terms (“errors”)  $\varepsilon_{ijk}$  are i.i.d. and  $\sim N(0, \sigma)$ , and  $i = 1, \dots, I; j = 1, \dots, J; k = 1, \dots, n_{ij}$ .

Parameters and interpretations:

- $\mu_{ij}$  = mean of  $(i, j)$ th group,
  - $\mu$  = overall mean,
  - $\alpha_i$  = “main effect” of  $i$ th row group,
  - $\beta_j$  = “main effect” of  $j$ th column group,
  - $\gamma_{ij}$  = “interaction effect” of  $(i, j)$ th group,
  - $\sigma$  = population standard deviation (for  $X$ 's and  $\varepsilon$ 's),
- technical note: it is necessary to put some restrictions on  $\alpha$ 's,  $\beta$ 's and  $\gamma$ 's (otherwise too many parameters).

Overview of models:<sup>6</sup> (R  $\sim$  row factor, C  $\sim$  column factor):

| $EX_{ij}$                  | Model formula   | Interpretation  | Corresponding model |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| $\mu_{ij}$                 | $(\mu+)R+C+R*C$ | interaction R*C | 1-way ANOVA for R×C |
| $\mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j$ | $(\mu+)R+C$     | additivity      | <i>new</i> model    |
| $\mu + \alpha_i$           | $(\mu+)R$       | no effect of C  | 1-way ANOVA for R   |
| $\mu + \beta_j$            | $(\mu+)C$       | no effect of R  | 1-way ANOVA for C   |
| $\mu$                      | $(\mu)$         | no effects      | 1-sample analysis   |

note: often the overall mean  $\mu$  is not included in the model formula.

<sup>6</sup> Final models, i.e. after disregarding non-significant terms

## 2-WAY ANOVA ANALYSIS

Very similar to 1-way ANOVA

- same steps: estimation, model check, ANOVA table with  $F$ -tests, contrasts and/or graphical presentation,
- more rows in ANOVA table and more tests,
- $\sigma$  estimated as  $\sqrt{\text{MSE}}$  with DFE degrees of freedom.

General 2-way ANOVA table:

| Source of variation | Degrees of freedom | Sum of squares                                | Mean square | Hypothesis/<br>$F$ -statistic                          |
|---------------------|--------------------|---|-------------|--|
| Row factor R        | $I - 1$            | $\sum_{ij} n_{ij} (\bar{X}_{i.} - \bar{X})^2$ | SSR/DFR     | $H_0$ : no row eff.<br>$F = \text{MSR}/\text{MSE}$     |
| Column factor C     | $J - 1$            | $\sum_{ij} n_{ij} (\bar{X}_{.j} - \bar{X})^2$ | SSC/DFC     | $H_0$ : no column eff.<br>$F = \text{MSC}/\text{MSE}$  |
| Interaction R×C     | $(I - 1)(J - 1)$   | $\text{SSG} - \text{SSR} - \text{SSC}$        | SSRC/DFRC   | $H_0$ : no interaction<br>$F = \text{MSRC}/\text{MSE}$ |
| Error               | $N - IJ$           | $\sum_{ijk} (X_{ijk} - \bar{X}_{ij})^2$       | SSE/DFE     |  |
| Total               | $N - 1$            | $\sum_{ijk} (X_{ijk} - \bar{X})^2$            |             |  |

Some hints for analysis:

- test for interaction first: if significant, base conclusions on  $\hat{\mu}_{ij}$ 's ( $\bar{X}_{ij}$ 's) alone (contrasts, pairwise comparisons),
- tests for main effects not meaningful in presence of strong interaction! (“read ANOVA table from bottom to top”),
- estimation and interpretation for additive model: separately for row and column factors (based on row and column means).

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| SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISES 13.3 AND 13.4 |
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Suppl. ex. 13.3: (response, factors, no. of repl.,  $I$ ,  $J$ ,  $N$ )

- (a) response=number of hours of sleep “on a typical night”,  
factors: smoking categories ( $I=3$ ), gender ( $J=2$ ),  
 $n_{ij}=120$ , and  $N=720$ ,
- (b) response=strength of concrete specimens, factors: mix-  
tures ( $I=4$ ), cycles of freezing and thawing ( $J=3$ ),  
 $n_{ij}=2$ , and  $N=24$ ,
- (c) response=score on final exam, factors: teaching meth-  
ods ( $I=3$ ), student’s subject of study ( $J=2$ ),  $n_{ij}=7$   
and  $N=42$ .

Suppl. ex. 13.4: (sources and degrees of freedom)

- (a) smoking categories (DF = 2), gender (DF = 1), interac-  
tion (DF = 2), error (DF = 714) and total (DF = 719),
- (b) mixtures (DF = 3), cycles (DF = 2), interaction (DF = 6),  
error (DF = 12) and total (DF = 23),
- (c) teaching methods (DF = 2), study subject (DF = 1),  
interaction (DF = 2), error (DF = 36) and total (DF = 41).

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| SUMMARY OF 2-WAY ANOVA FOR TOMATO DATA |
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Statistical model:

$$X_{ijk} = \mu_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \gamma_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijk},$$

where  $i = 1, 2, 3$  (nitrogen: 0, 28, 160),  $j = 1, 2$  (mutant, wild), and  $k = 1, \dots, 6$ , or as a model formula:

$$\ln(\text{Phosphorus}) = \text{N} + \text{Type} + \text{N*Type} + \text{Error}.$$

ANOVA table:

| Source          | DF | SS     | MS                              | $F$  | $P$ -value |
|-----------------|----|--------|---------------------------------|------|------------|
| Nitrogen        | 2  | 0.9171 | 0.4586                          | 28.4 | <0.0005    |
| Genotype        | 1  | 3.9654 | 3.9654                          | 246  | <0.0005    |
| Interaction N*G | 2  | 0.0536 | 0.0268                          | 1.66 | 0.21       |
| Error           | 30 | 0.4843 | 0.0161                          |      |            |
| Total           | 35 | 5.4204 | $s = \sqrt{\text{MSE}} = 0.127$ |      |            |

Hypothesis  $H_0$ : all  $\gamma_{ij}$ 's=0 (no interaction),  $H_a$ : not  $H_0$ ,

\* Test of  $H_0$ :  $F_{\text{obs}} = 1.66$ ,  $DF = (2, 30)$ ,  $P = 0.21$ ,

\* Conclusion: no evidence of interaction (on log-scale!),

Main effect hypotheses: strong significance for both N and type (both  $P < 0.0005$ )  $\Rightarrow$  clear evidence of (some) differences among N groups and between the two genotypes.

Presentation (on log-scale): (using  $t^* = t_{.975}(30) = 2.042$ )

| statistic                  | Nitrogen                            |        |        | Genotype                            |        |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|
|                            | 0                                   | 28     | 160    | Mutant                              | Wild   |
| $\bar{X}_i$ or $\bar{X}_j$ | -1.040                              | -1.223 | -1.431 | -1.563                              | -0.900 |
| 95% CI                     | $\pm t^* s / \sqrt{12} = \pm 0.075$ |        |        | $\pm t^* s / \sqrt{18} = \pm 0.061$ |        |
| $\text{LSD}_{0.95}$        | $t^* s \sqrt{2/12} = 0.106$         |        |        | N/A                                 |        |

Conclusion: all N groups clearly statistically different.

## MODEL CHECKING

Assumptions for 2-way ANOVA model:

same as for 1-way ANOVA (independence, normality, variance homogeneity, same means in row $\times$ column groups).

ANOVA models with (1), 2 or more factors:

- often few replications  $\Rightarrow$  difficult to check model assumptions separately for each group,
- use instead residuals (“observed – expected”) to check model assumptions, similar to linear regression:
  - \* variance homogeneity:  
plot stand. residuals against model’s fitted/expected values and look for unequal variances across range of fitted values,<sup>7</sup>
  - \* normal distribution:  
normal probability plot of standardized residuals,
  - \* outliers:  
look for extreme stand. residuals (with same rules as for linear regression),
  - \* other model violations:  
plot stand. residuals against data order (if applicable) or other variables.

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<sup>7</sup> In a two-way ANOVA with replication, the one-way tools: i) max/min rule, ii) variance test, still apply, when groups are defined by combinations of both factors.

## 2-WAY ANOVA WITHOUT REPLICATION

No replication:

- only one obs. per row  $\times$  column cell (all  $n_{ij} = 1$ ),
- usually the case in *block designs*,
- data example: lymphocyte data for mice.

Special considerations for ANOVAs without replication:

- cannot estimate interaction, must use *additive model*:  
 $X_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \varepsilon_{ij}$ , for  $\varepsilon_{ij}$ 's i.i.d. and  $\sim N(0, \sigma)$ ,  
model formula: Lymph = Treatm + Litter + Error,
- the model standard deviation  $\sigma$  *includes* any interaction between the two factors  $\Rightarrow$  model most useful when interaction believed to be absent or weak.

ANOVA table for lymphocyte data:

| Source     | DF | SS     | MS     | $F$  | $P$ -value |
|------------|----|--------|--------|------|------------|
| Treatments | 3  | 1.3250 | 0.4417 | 8.83 | 0.005      |
| Litters    | 3  | 6.3950 | 2.1317 | 42.6 | <0.0005    |
| Error      | 9  | 0.4500 | 0.0500 |      |            |
| Total      | 15 | 8.1700 |        |      |            |

Conclusions:

- clear treatment effect: only treatment A significantly (5% level) different from placebo (D):  $LSD_{0.95} = 0.36$ ,
- very clear litter effect, and litter 1 has highest values.

## FRIEDMAN'S TEST

= nonparametric (rank) test for treatment effect in a randomized (unreplicated)<sup>8</sup> block design,

- two factors: treatment ( $\mathbf{tx}$ ) and block, and one observation per  $\mathbf{tx}$  in each block,
- hypothesis  $H_0$  : no difference between  $\mathbf{tx}$  in the outcome, against a two-sided alternative ( $\sim$  ANOVA model),
- no test for (or assumptions about) block effects,<sup>9</sup>
- the tests works by ranking observations within blocks, summing ranks across across blocks, and comparing rank sums in a similar way as for Kruskal-Wallis test (with an approximate  $\chi^2$ -distribution,  $df = I - 1$ )  
 $\Rightarrow$  computed by software (Minitab).

Lymphocyte data example — observations and ranks:

| Treatment | Litter    |         |         |         | Rank sum |
|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
|           | 1         | 2       | 3       | 4       |          |
| A         | 7.1 (3.5) | 6.1 (4) | 6.9 (4) | 5.6 (4) | 15.5     |
| B         | 6.7 (1.5) | 5.1 (1) | 5.9 (2) | 5.1 (2) | 6.5      |
| C         | 7.1 (3.5) | 5.8 (3) | 6.2 (3) | 5.0 (1) | 10.5     |
| D         | 6.7 (1.5) | 5.4 (2) | 5.7 (1) | 5.2 (3) | 7.5      |

Test statistic:  $S = 7.74$ ,  $P$ -value (adj. for ties):  $P = 0.052$   
 $\Rightarrow$  close to significant (here, higher  $P$  than for ANOVA).

<sup>8</sup> A less commonly used extension to designs with replication and interaction exists, termed the Scheirer-Rare-Hare test: *Biometrics* **32**, 429–434.

<sup>9</sup> It is possible to get a test for block effects by switching the roles of treatment and block, and recomputing the test.

## REVIEW: MULTI-PURPOSE STATISTICAL TESTS

Some statistical tests are specific to a single situation/use, e.g. tests for normality and rank-based tests. However, tests that bear the name of a probability distribution usually have multiple uses: <sup>10</sup>

| Name                           | Use(s) in course  | Instances/Versions  |
|--------------------------------|---|---|
| $z$ -test                      | normal distrib. inference<br>with known $\sigma$<br>binomial distrib. inference | 1-sample $z$ -test<br>2-sample <sup>1</sup> $z$ -test (barely covered)<br>$z$ -test for 1 and 2 proportions   |
| $t$ -test<br>(“Student” $t$ )  | normal distrib. inference<br>with unknown $\sigma$                              | 1-sample and 2-sample <sup>1</sup> $t$ -tests<br>$t$ -test for regression parameters<br>$t$ -test for correlation coefficient<br>$t$ -test for (contrasts and) pairwise comparisons |
| $\chi^2$ -test<br>(chi-square) | inference for counts<br>rank-based tests  | 2-way table tests for homogeneity<br>and independence<br>Kruskal-Wallis test  |
| $F$ -test                      | effects in normal distrib.<br>models  | linear regression (slope)<br>factorial effects (ANOVA)  |

<sup>1</sup> 2 independent samples

### Relations between tests:

- $t$ -test (df) with very large df  $\approx z$ -test,
- $z$ -test squared  $\sim \chi^2(\text{df}=1)$ -test,
- $t$ -test (df) squared  $\sim F(\text{df}_1 = 1, \text{df}_2 = \text{df})$ -test.

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<sup>10</sup> The table shows examples from VHM 801 only, many more exist for other statistical models/procedures!

## SUMMARY NOTES

### Key words and concepts for 2-way ANOVA:

- multifactorial designs:
  - \* advantages over single factor designs: larger scope, allows assessment of combined effects, potentially more efficient,
  - \* characterizations: factors, factorial notation (e.g.  $2 \times 2$ -design), balancedness, completeness, replication,
- modelling: 1-way ANOVA for combined factor, decomposition of combined means into main effects and interaction, parametrization and parameter restrictions (technical),
- interaction: non-parallel curves, non-additive effects, effect of one factor depends on another factor,
- analysis: ANOVA table,  $F$ -tests for different hypotheses: testing interaction first, interaction plot, model checking by residuals, post-ANOVA analysis using LSD-values and pairwise comparisons (possibly with Bonferroni adjustments),
- nonparametric Friedman's test.