

Solutions to Sample Midterm Examination

The exhibits that were in a separate booklet are included here. Instead of tables of Bonferroni F-probability points, MacAnova output is used.

Exhibit 1 (for problem 1)

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Cmd> dogteeth <- read("", "dogteeth") # read from file
Dogteeth      35      6 labels
) Tooth measurements on Golden retrievers (dogs) from kennels in
) England, France, United States, and Canada
) Col. 1: Country, 1=England, 2 = France, 3 = USA, 4=Canada
) Col. 2: X1=length of mandible
) Col. 3: X2=breadth of mandible below 1st molar
) Col. 4: X3=breadth of articular condyle
) Col. 5: X4=height of mandible below 1st molar
) Col. 6: X5=length of 1st molar
Read from file "TP1:Stat5401:Exams:DogData.txt"

Cmd> country <- factor(dogteeth[,1]); list(country)
country      REAL    35    1    FACTOR with 4 levels (labels)

Cmd> y <- dogteeth[,-1] # 35 by 5 data matrix without factor

Cmd> means <- tabs(y, country, means:T); means # rows are group means
(1,1)      127.2      10.138      21.087      21.85      20.225
(2,1)      120.65      9.57      18.34      21.15      19.3
(3,1)      126.68      9.9444      19.956      21.533      19.933
(4,1)      131.86      10.612      22.387      22.675      20.838
          x1          x2          x3          x4          x5

Cmd> n <- tabs(, country); n # sample sizes from the 4 countries
(1)          8          10          9          8

Cmd> manova("y=country")
Model used is y=country
WARNING: summaries are sequential
NOTE: SS/SP matrices suppressed because of size; use 'manova(,sssp:T)'
          SS and SP Matrices

          DF
CONSTANT      1
              Type 'SS[1,,]' to see SS/SP matrix
country       3
              Type 'SS[2,,]' to see SS/SP matrix
ERROR1       31
              Type 'SS[3,,]' to see SS/SP matrix

Cmd> h <- matrix(SS[2,,])
Cmd> fh <- DF[2]
Cmd> e <- matrix(SS[3,,])
Cmd> fe <- DF[3]
Cmd> p <- ncols(y)

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Exhibit 1 (continued)

Cmd> h # hypothesis matrix

	MandLnth	MandBrdth	CndyleBrdth	MandHt	MolarLnth
MandLnth	574.46	52.4	208.14	75.056	78.248
MandBrdth	52.4	4.9881	19.685	7.3223	7.3637
CndyleBrdth	208.14	19.685	79.304	28.507	29.323
MandHt	75.056	7.3223	28.507	10.946	10.701
MolarLnth	78.248	7.3637	29.323	10.701	10.933

Cmd> e # error matrix

	MandLnth	MandBrdth	CndyleBrdth	MandHt	MolarLnth
MandLnth	1686.5	108.29	438.69	234.21	70.768
MandBrdth	108.29	13.031	36.175	17.569	4.0754
CndyleBrdth	438.69	36.175	202.94	77.266	11.66
MandHt	234.21	17.569	77.266	61.3	1.0675
MolarLnth	70.768	4.0754	11.66	1.0675	20.994

Cmd> s <- e/fe ; s # pooled variance matrix

	MandLnth	MandBrdth	CndyleBrdth	MandHt	MolarLnth
MandLnth	54.404	3.4931	14.151	7.5553	2.2828
MandBrdth	3.4931	0.42035	1.1669	0.56675	0.13147
CndyleBrdth	14.151	1.1669	6.5466	2.4924	0.37612
MandHt	7.5553	0.56675	2.4924	1.9774	0.034435
MolarLnth	2.2828	0.13147	0.37612	0.034435	0.67722

Cmd> # Compute T^2 for all pairs of means

Cmd> names <- vector("England","France","USA","Canada")

Cmd> tsq <- matrix(dmat(4,0),labels:structure(names,names)) #EMPTY

Cmd> for(i,run(4)){for(j,run(4)){ # Fill matrix tsq
 dij <- vector(means[i,]-means[j,]) # difference of mean vectors
 vhatij <- (1/n[i]+1/n[j])*s
 tsq[i,j] <- dij' %*% solve(vhatij) %*% dij}};

Cmd> tsq

	England	France	USA	Canada
England	0	9.4974	2.7166	4.0353
France	9.4974	0	4.9819	24.137
USA	2.7166	4.9819	0	11.069
Canada	4.0353	24.137	11.069	0

Cmd> releigenvals(h,e) # relative eigenvalues

(1) 0.82745 0.069417 0.023853 2.5498e-16 -3.432e-16

1. In **Exhibit 1** are analyses on 5 measurements on the teeth of Golden retriever dogs from breeders in 4 countries, England, France, United States and Canada. **Tables 1a, 1b,** and **1c** on p. 5, 6 and 7 of the exhibit booklet are tables of Bonferronized F probability points, that is $F_{f_1, f_2}(\alpha/k)$, for Bonferronizing factor $k = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$, denominator degrees of freedom $f_2 = 26, 27, \dots, 35$, and numerator degrees of freedom $f_1 = 3, 4$ and 5 , respectively.

(a) (15) Use Bonferronized F -tests to test the null hypothesis that the expected tooth measurements are the same in all four Countries. State the null and alternative hypotheses using μ_1, μ_2, μ_3 , and μ_4 as notation for the four 5 dimensional mean vectors. Hypothesis and error matrices on on p. 2 of the exhibit booklet.

Solution

The null hypothesis is $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_3 = \mu_4$. The alternative hypothesis is $H_1: \mu_i \neq \mu_j$ some $i \neq j$.

The F statistic for variable j is $F_j = (h_{jj}/f_h)/(e_{jj}/f_e) = (f_e/f_h) \times h_{jj}/e_{jj} = (31/3)h_{jj}/e_{jj}$.

From the output

$$F_1 = (31/3) 574.46/1686.5 = 3.520$$

$$F_2 = (31/3) 4.988/13.031 = 3.955$$

$$F_3 = (31/3) 79.304/202.94 = 4.038$$

$$F_4 = (31/3) 10.946/61.3 = 1.845$$

$$F_5 = (31/3) 10.933/20.994 = 5.381$$

Since $p = 5$, you Bonferronize by 5.

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Cmd> invF(.05/5,3,31,upper:T) # or see table 1a
(1) 4.4837 Bonferronized critical value
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Since $F_5 = 5.381 > 4.4837$, you can reject H_0 .

(b) (15) Use Bonferronized Hotelling's T^2 to test the same hypothesis as in (a). Values of T^2 are computed on p. 2 of the Exhibit booklet.

Solution

The MacAnova output provides six T^2 statistics, each of which tests one of the hypothesis $\mu_i = \mu_j$. The largest of these is $T_{2,3}^2 = 24.137$ testing whether France and Canada have the same means. Recalling that $(f_e - p + 1)T^2/(f_e p) = F_{p, f_e - p + 1}$, $(27/155)T^2 = F_{5,27}$. Since there are six T_{ij}^2 tests, you Bonferronize by 6:

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Cmd> invF(.05/6,5,27,upper:T) # or see table 1c
(1) 3.9287
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Since $(27/155) 24.137 = 4.2045 > 3.9287$, again you can reject H_0 at the 5% level. Moreover you can conclude that France and Canada have significantly different mean vectors.

(c) (15) Use a test involving the eigenvalues of \mathbf{H} relative to \mathbf{E} to test the same null hypothesis as in (a). Relative eigenvalues are on p. 2 of the exhibit booklet.

Solution

Roy's **maximum root test statistic** is $\hat{\theta}_{\max} = \frac{\hat{\lambda}_{\max}}{1 + \hat{\lambda}_{\max}} = 0.82745/1.82745 = 0.45279$. $s = \min(p, f_h) = \min(5, 3) = 3$, $m = (|p - f_h| - 1)/2 = (2 - 1)/2 = 1/2$, $n = (f_e - p - 1)/2 = (31 - 5 - 1)/2 = 12.5$. From the 5% chart for $s = 3$, the critical value is about .45 so it's borderline significant. [simulation with 10,000 replicates shows the P-value is about .0445 and the critical value is about $0.445 < 0.453$.]

Wilks likelihood ratio is $\Lambda^* = \frac{1}{\prod_{i=1}^s (1 + \hat{\lambda}_i)}$ and approximately $-m_1 \log(\Lambda^*) = m_1 \sum_{i=1}^s \log(1 + \hat{\lambda}_i)$, $m_1 = f_e - (p - f_h + 1)/2 = 31 - (5 - 3 + 1)/2 = 29.5$

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Cmd> lambdahat <- releigen(h,e); 29.5*sum(log(1 + lambdahat))
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(1) 20.461

The upper 5% of χ_{15}^2 is 25.00, so Wilks test does not provide significant evidence the means differ. Using MacAnova I found that the χ_{15}^2 P-value is 0.15494 and using macro `cumwilks()`, the exact P-value is 0.15716, both greater than $\alpha = .05$.

Hotelling's trace statistic is $\sum_{i=1}^s \hat{\lambda}_i = .82745 + .069417 + .023853 = 0.9207$. $m_2 \sum_{i=1}^s \hat{\lambda}_i$ is approximately χ_{15}^2 where $m_2 = f_e - p - 1 = 31 - 5 - 1 = 25$. $25 \times 0.9207 = 23.017 < 25.00$ so Hotelling's test doesn't reach significance. The P-value from `cumtrace()` is 0.10864 > .05.

Pillai's trace statistic is $(f_e + f_h) \sum_{i=1}^s \frac{\hat{\lambda}_i}{1 + \hat{\lambda}_i} = (31+3) \times (.82745/1.82745 + .069417/1.069417 + .023853/1.023853) = 34 \times .54100 = 18.394 < 25.00$, so Pillai's, too, is non-significant. The P-value from `cumpillai()` is 0.22822.

2. X is a 50 by 4 data matrix whose rows are a random sample from a population with mean $\mu = [\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3, \mu_4]'$ and variance matrix $\Sigma = [\sigma_{ij}]$. The sample variance matrix is $S = [s_{ij}]$ and sample mean is $\bar{x} = [\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \bar{x}_3, \bar{x}_4]'$.

Give the dimensions of each of the following matrices and describe what they represent statistically (for example, "sample regression coefficients in the regression of the last column of X on the first 3 columns" or "variance of \bar{x}_3 "). No justification is necessary.

(a) (10) $(1/50)\mathbf{1}_{50}'X$

Solution

This is a particular case of $(1/n)\mathbf{1}_n'X = (1/n) \sum \mathbf{x}_i' = \bar{\mathbf{x}}' =$ sample mean. Dimensions are 1 by 4.

(b) (10) $\frac{1}{50} [1 \ 1 \ -1 \ -1] S \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Solution

This is a particular case of $(1/n)\mathbf{c}'S\mathbf{c}$ where $\mathbf{c} = [1 \ 1 \ -1 \ -1]'$ is a contrast vector and $n = 50$ is the sample size. Hence $\mathbf{c}'S\mathbf{c}$ is the sample variance of $y = \mathbf{c}'\mathbf{x} = x_1 + x_2 - x_3 - x_4$ and $(1/n)\mathbf{c}'S\mathbf{c}$ is the estimated variance of $\bar{y} = \mathbf{c}'\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2 - \bar{x}_3 - \bar{x}_4$. Dimensions are 1 by 1.

(c) (10) $\begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{11}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{22}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{33}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{44}} \end{bmatrix} \Sigma \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{11}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{22}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{33}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/\sqrt{\sigma_{44}} \end{bmatrix}$

This is the 4 by 4 population correlation matrix

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sigma_{11}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}^2}} & \frac{\sigma_{12}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{22}}} & \frac{\sigma_{13}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{33}}} & \frac{\sigma_{14}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{44}}} \\ \frac{\sigma_{12}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{22}}} & \frac{\sigma_{22}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{22}^2}} & \frac{\sigma_{23}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{22}\sigma_{33}}} & \frac{\sigma_{24}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{22}\sigma_{44}}} \\ \frac{\sigma_{13}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{33}}} & \frac{\sigma_{23}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{22}\sigma_{33}}} & \frac{\sigma_{33}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{33}^2}} & \frac{\sigma_{34}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{33}\sigma_{44}}} \\ \frac{\sigma_{14}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{11}\sigma_{44}}} & \frac{\sigma_{24}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{22}\sigma_{44}}} & \frac{\sigma_{34}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{33}\sigma_{44}}} & \frac{\sigma_{44}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{44}^2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \rho_{12} & \rho_{13} & \rho_{14} \\ \rho_{12} & 1 & \rho_{23} & \rho_{24} \\ \rho_{13} & \rho_{23} & 1 & \rho_{34} \\ \rho_{14} & \rho_{24} & \rho_{34} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Exhibit 3 (for problem 3)

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Cmd> data <- read("", "t04_03")
T04_03      30      4 format
) Data from Table 4.3 p. 187 in
) Applied Multivariate Statistical Analysis, 5th Edition
) by Richard A. Johnson and Dean W. Wichern, Prentice Hall, 2002
) These data were edited from file T4-3.DAT on disk from book
) Omitted was the last column (d^2) as this can be computed directly
) using distcomp(T04_03)
) Four measurements of stiffness
) Col. 1: x1 (from shock wave down board)
) Col. 2: x2 (from vibrating board)
) Col. 3: x3 (from static test)
) Col. 4: x4 (from static test)
Read from file "TP1:Stat5401:Data:JWData5.txt"

Cmd> n <- nrow(data) # sample size

Cmd> stats <- tabs(data, covar:T, mean:T); stats
component: mean
(1)      1906.1      1749.5      1509.1      1725
component: covar
(1,1)  1.0562e+05      94614      87290      94231
(2,1)      94614  1.0151e+05      76137      81064
(3,1)      87290      76137      91917      90352
(4,1)      94231      81064      90352  1.0423e+05

Cmd> xbar <- stats$mean; s <- stats$covar

Cmd> cor(data) #correlation matrix
(1,1)      1      0.91376      0.88593      0.89812
(2,1)      0.91376      1      0.78821      0.7881
(3,1)      0.88593      0.78821      1      0.9231
(4,1)      0.89812      0.7881      0.9231      1

Cmd> eigen(s)
component: values
(1)  3.6322e+05      26814      7688.5      5550.9
component: vectors
(1,1)      0.52638      -0.19881      -0.23971      0.79116
(2,1)      0.48659      -0.72687      0.13627      -0.46511
(3,1)      0.47569      0.44462      0.75856      0.025065
(4,1)      0.50977      0.48421      -0.59039      -0.39637

Cmd> c1 # previously entered 3 by 4 matrix
(1,1)      1      1      -1      -1
(2,1)      1      -1      0      0
(3,1)      0      0      1      -1

Cmd> c1xbar <- c1 %*% xbar; c1xbar'
(1,1)      421.53      156.57      -215.83

Cmd> c1sc1 <- c1 %*% s %*% c1'; c1sc1
(1,1)      95759      -20213      442.6
(2,1)      -20213      17899      -2013.8
(3,1)      442.6      -2013.8      15440

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Exhibit 3 (continued)

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Cmd> c1xbar' %*% solve(c1sc1/n) %*% c1xbar
(1,1)      254.72

Cmd> sqrt(diag(c1sc1/n))
(1)      56.498      24.426      22.686

Cmd> c2 # previously entered matrix
(1,1)      1      -1      0      0
(2,1)      1      0      -1      0
(3,1)      1      0      0      -1
(4,1)      0      1      -1      0
(5,1)      0      1      0      -1
(6,1)      0      0      1      -1

Cmd> c2xbar <- vector(c2 %*% xbar)
Cmd> c2sc2 <- c2 %*% S %*% c2'
Cmd> vhat2 <- c2sc2/n

Cmd> print(format:"10.4f",c2xbar:c2xbar',format:"10.3f",c2sc2,vhat2)
c2xbar:
(1,1)      156.5667      396.9667      181.1333      240.4000      24.5667      -215.8333
c2sc2:
(1,1)      17899.357      -149.843      -2163.595      -18049.200      -20062.953      -2013.753
(2,1)      -149.843      22953.964      14448.246      23103.807      14598.089      -8505.718
(3,1)      -2163.595      14448.246      21382.809      16611.841      23546.405      6934.563
(4,1)      -18049.200      23103.807      16611.841      41153.007      34661.041      -6491.966
(5,1)      -20062.953      14598.089      23546.405      34661.041      43609.357      8948.316
(6,1)      -2013.753      -8505.718      6934.563      -6491.966      8948.316      15440.282
vhat2:
(1,1)      596.645      -4.995      -72.120      -601.640      -668.765      -67.125
(2,1)      -4.995      765.132      481.608      770.127      486.603      -283.524
(3,1)      -72.120      481.608      712.760      553.728      784.880      231.152
(4,1)      -601.640      770.127      553.728      1371.767      1155.368      -216.399
(5,1)      -668.765      486.603      784.880      1155.368      1453.645      298.277
(6,1)      -67.125      -283.524      231.152      -216.399      298.277      514.676

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3. This problem deals with the analysis of data in Table 4.3 in Johnson and Wichern. The stiffness of 30 boards was measured in four different ways, two dynamic testing methods (sending a shock wave down the board and vibrating a board), and using two static methods. Exhibit 3 contains MacAnova output related to analysis of these data.

There is interest in comparing static with dynamic testing methods, comparing the dynamic methods and comparing the static methods.

(a) (15) Describe in words what the 3 elements of variable `c1xbar` on p. 3 of the exhibits are and why they might be relevant things to compute. Is there statistical evidence that expectations of the elements of `c1xbar` are non-zero?

Solution

The three rows of `c1` define contrasts. Row 1 defines the contrast $y_1 + y_2 - y_3 - y_4$, a comparison of the dynamic tests with the static tests and $c1xbar[1] = \bar{y}_1 + \bar{y}_2 - \bar{y}_3 - \bar{y}_4$. Row 2 defines the contrast $y_1 - y_2$, a comparison of the two dynamic tests and $c1xbar[2] = \bar{y}_1 - \bar{y}_2$.

Row 3 defines the contrast $y_3 - y_4$, a comparison of the two static tests and $c1xbar[3] = \bar{y}_3 - \bar{y}_4$. These contrast thus match the interests summarized in paragraph two of the question.

Since $V[Cy] = C\Sigma_y C$, and $\hat{V}[C\bar{y}] = \frac{1}{n}CSC'$, the MacAnova output can be recognized as computing

$T^2 = 254.72$ for testing $H_0: C\mu = 0$, that is $\mu_1 + \mu_2 - \mu_3 - \mu_4 = 0$, $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$ and $\mu_3 - \mu_4$.

Since $f_e = n - 1 = 29$ and the length of $C\mu = p' = p - 1 = 3$, you compare

$(f_e - p' + 1) T^2 / (f_e p') = 27 \times 254.72 / (29 \times 3) = 79.051$ with $F_{3,27}(.05) = 2.96$, so there is strong evidence that $C\mu \neq 0$. The null hypothesis is equivalent to $\mu_1 = \mu_2 = \mu_3 = \mu_4$.

Another way to do it would be to Bonferronize the three t -statistics whose numerators are the elements of $c1xbar$ and whose denominators are the estimated standard errors,

$\text{sqrt}(\text{diag}(c1sc1/n))$. These are $t_1 = 421.53/\sqrt{(95759/30)} = 7.461$, $t_2 = 156.57/\sqrt{(17899/30)} = 6.41$ and $t_3 = -215.83/\sqrt{(15440/30)} = -9.5137$. The critical value is $t_{29}(.025/3) = 2.541$. Since all three t statistics exceed this, you can reject H_0 . Moreover you can conclude there is a difference between the dynamic and static tests, between the two dynamic tests, and between the two static tests.

(b) (15) Find a 95% confidence interval for the difference between the mean measurement using the shock-wave measurement (variable 1) and the mean measurement using the first static test (variable 3). (Hint: Look at row 2 of matrix $c2$ on p. 3 of exhibits.) Do it using a method that would be appropriate for simultaneous confidence intervals of all comparisons of two measurement methods. Use the shortest limits that would be appropriate.

Solution

The most appropriate method is Bonferronized t -based intervals. There are 6 comparisons defined in $c2$ Bonferroning factor is 6.

Each comparison is of the form $\bar{y}_j - \bar{y}_k \pm t\sqrt{\hat{V}[\bar{y}_j - \bar{y}_k]} = \bar{y}_j - \bar{y}_k \pm t\sqrt{c_i'(S/n)c_i}$, where c_i' is the row of $c2$ defining the comparison, in this case row 2. From the output $c_2'(S/n)c_2 = 765.132$ and from tables of Bonferronized t with d.f. = 29, $t = 2.83$. So the interval is

$$396.9667 \pm 2.83 \times \sqrt{765.132} = (318.69, 475.25)$$

A critical value based on the F-distribution, whether or not Bonferronized, is not appropriate.