Statistical Analysis: Linear Regression and ANOVA

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- All information related to this course can be found at https://eclass.uoa.gr/courses/MATH861/
- Data used for the examples are part of several R packages, from Kaggle and from our own analyses
- Introductory notes on R can be found on the above site
- For further questions email at **fsiannis@math.uoa.gr** or contact through the above site





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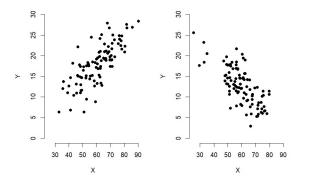
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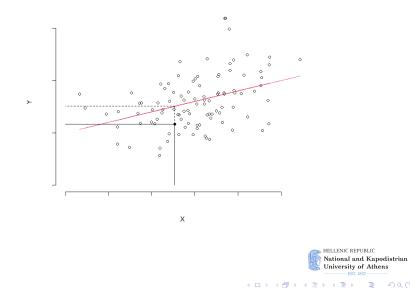
- It is the simplest version of the linear models, with one dependent variable (Y) and only one independent (prognostic) variable (X)
- The model takes the form:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i,$$

where:

- β_0 : the *intercept*
- β_1 : the *slope*
- $i = 1, 2, \ldots, n$ where *n* the size of the sample





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We have pairs of observations (x_i, y_i) for i = 1, 2, ..., n, where

- X: fixed variable (not random), called <u>covariate</u> or explanatory variable
- Y: random variable, from population with mean

$$E(Y) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X,$$

called the response, and

• ϵ : random errors, for which we assume

(a)
$$E(\epsilon_i) = 0$$

(b) $Var(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2$, ie. common variance for all *i*
(c) $Cov(\epsilon_i, \epsilon_j) = 0$, ie. independence for *i*, *j*
(d) Usual assumption:

$$\epsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$



Ordinary Least Squares Estimation (OLS)

- In simple linear model we have to estimate β_0 , β_1 (and σ^2)
- We take $\hat{\beta}_0$ and $\hat{\beta}_1$ to be the parameters estimates. Then:

$$\hat{y}_i = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_i$$

is an estimate of the mean for Y for every value of x_i

- The OLS priciple is to find β̂₀ and β̂₁ such that the square distance between y_i and ŷ_i to become minimum
- Therefore, we want to minimize the following quantity

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \hat{\epsilon}_{i}^{2} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_{i} - \hat{y}_{i})^{2} = SSE$$

(Residual Sum of Square or Sum of Square Error)



• We obtain the fitted regression line

$$\hat{Y} = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 X,$$

• The above equation helps us estimate E(Y) for various values of X

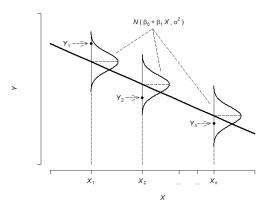
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- The power (quality) of our estimates depends on the assumption that our model is appropriate (correct) or at least a good approximation of the true model
- "All models are wrong, but some are useful" George Box (1976)



- Every \hat{Y}_i obtained from the fitted regression line can be used for:
 - (a) Estimation of population mean E(Y) for given value of X
 - (b) <u>Prediction</u> of Y that may be obtained in the future for specific value of X
- The point estimates of (a) and (b) are the same, however they differ in how much we believe them to be the "correct" values
- Therefore, is the uncertainty (variability) that makes the difference
- This is reflected on the confidence intervals (CI), where the CI for prediction is greater







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Assume the model

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i, \quad \epsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

Then:

• We have

$$\hat{\beta}_0 \sim N\left(\beta_0, V(\hat{\beta}_0)\right)$$

and

$$\hat{\beta}_1 \sim N\left(\beta_1, V(\hat{\beta}_1)\right).$$

• We know that:

$$V(\hat{\beta}_1) = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}.$$

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Confidence Interval for β_1

Knowing the distribution of $\hat{\beta}_1$, we can construct a $(1-\alpha)100\%$ confidence interval for β_1 .

• We know that:

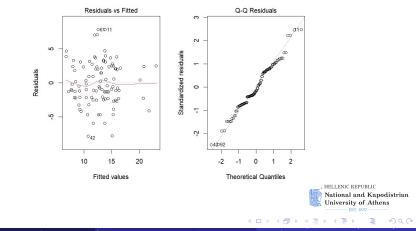
$$\mathbf{t} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - \beta_1}{\sqrt{\hat{V}(\hat{\beta}_1)}} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - \beta_1}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}}} \sim t_{n-2}$$

• This leads to the $(1-\alpha)100\%$ confidence interval

$$\hat{\beta}_1 - t_{n-2,\alpha/2} \frac{\hat{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sum\limits_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}} \leq \beta_1 \leq \hat{\beta}_1 + t_{n-2,\alpha/2} \frac{\hat{\sigma}}{\sqrt{\sum\limits_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}}$$



After fitting the model, it is always wise to check the residuals $(y_i - \hat{y}_i)$ to see if the initial model assumptions hold.



- The simple model can be extended to incorporate more than one explanatory variables
- If we have k-variables, the model takes the form:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{1i} + \beta_2 x_{2i} + \ldots + \beta_k x_{ki} + \epsilon_i, \quad i = 1, 2, ..., n.$$

- β_0 : the *intercept*
- β_j : the *j*-th predictor's regression *slope* (j = 1, 2, ..., k)
- $\epsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$

Parameter interpretation: β_j represents the amount by which y_i will change if x_{ji} increase by one unit and all other covariates remain unchanged



Analysis of Variance (ANOVA)

In the linear model, total variability is expressed:

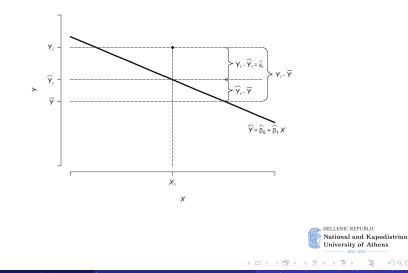
$$SST = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2.$$

We can show that it can be broken down to two components:

$$SST = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - \hat{y})^2 = SSR + SSE$$

- SSR is the sum-of-squares explained by the model (regression sum-of-squares)
- SSE is the sum-of-squares that cannot be explained by the model (sum-of-squares error)

In the simple model the analysis of variance can be represented as follow:



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ANOVA TABLE

Source	DF	SS	MS	F-test
Model	k	SSR	$MSR = \frac{SSR}{k}$	$\mathbf{F} = MSR/MSE$
Residuals	n-k-1	SSE	$MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-k-1}$	
Total	n – 1	SST		

- We can show that MSE is an unbiased estimate of σ^2
- The ratio in the last column of ANOVA

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{MSR}{MSE}$$

serves as an overall test for the model

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \ldots = \beta_k = 0$$

 \bullet Quantity F follows an $\mathcal F$ distribution, thus

$$\mathbf{F} \sim \mathcal{F}_{k,n-k-1}$$



- A dummy variable *d* is a 0/1 variable
- Basically, a dummy variable represents the existence of a binary (qualitative) characteristic
- Typical examples: (a) male/female, (b) treatment/no-treatment, (c) age < 50/ > 50, where d = 1 represents one level and d = 0 the other
- Notice that this type of categorization is not unique. A dummy variable can be expressed in many other ways
- A set of dummy variables can be used to express a qualitative characteristic with more than 2 levels



Assume the following model with a binary (dummy) variable

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 d_i + \beta_2 x_i + \epsilon_i.$$

The model can take the following forms:

• If <u>d = 0</u>, then:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_2 x_i + \epsilon_i$$

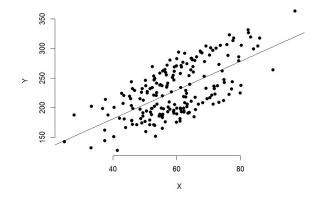
If <u>d = 1</u>, then:

$$y_i = (\beta_0 + \beta_1) + \beta_2 x_i + \epsilon_i$$



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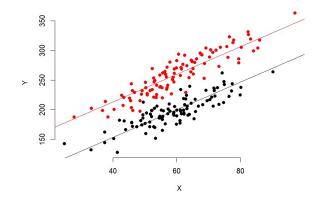
For example, consider the following case:





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In reality we have two populations:





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- Observations are split in two groups, according to variable d
- The group with d = 0 is called *baseline* group
- Parameter β₁ reflects the expected impact of group with d = 1 vs group with d = 0, keeping all other variables fixed
- Therefore, a statistical test of the form

$$H_0:\beta_1=0$$

practically tests whether the expected value of y is the same in the two groups



- Dummy variables can be used to describe a categorical variable with m-levels, where m>2
- For a variable with *m*-levels we need m-1 dummy variable
- For <u>example</u>, 'Education Level' (*edu*) can be a variable with the following levels

 edu

 1
 High School

 2
 University Degree

 3
 Post-Graduate Degree

and the question is about the impact of edu on income (Y)



• Introducing *edu* straight in the model (continuous variable)

 $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{edu} + \epsilon$

means that the impact of a 'University Degree' compared to 'High-School' would be exactly the same with the impact of a 'Post-Graduate Degree' compared to 'University Degree'

• To include edu in the model, we need 2 dummy variables

	edu	d_1	d_2
1	High School	0	0
2	University Degree	1	0
3	University Degree Post-Graduate Degree	0	1



- Baseline group has all dummy variables equal to zero (High School)
- Value $d_1 = 1$ then 'University Degree', else 0
- Value $d_2 = 1$ then 'Post-Graduate Degree', else 0
- Clearly, we cannot have $d_1 = 1$ and $d_2 = 1$ at the same time
- The model takes the form

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 d_1 + \beta_2 d_2 + \epsilon$$

• Since edu=High School (i.e. $d_1 = d_2 = 0$), then

$$y = \beta_0 + \epsilon,$$

where β_0 represents baseline



• β_1 is the effect of 'University Degree' compared to 'High School'

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \epsilon,$$

• β_2 is the effect of 'Post-Graduate Degree' compared to 'High School'

$$y=\beta_0+\beta_2+\epsilon,$$

- Various tests regarding β_1 and β_2 can test various hypothesis
- Interpretation remains the same in the presence of other explanatory variables



• The Coeficient of Determination is

$$R^2 = \frac{SSR}{SST} = 1 - \frac{SSE}{SST}$$

- Represents the percentage of total variability of y_i's explained by the model, and serves as a 'quality' measure of the model
- The Adjusted Coeficient of Determination takes the form

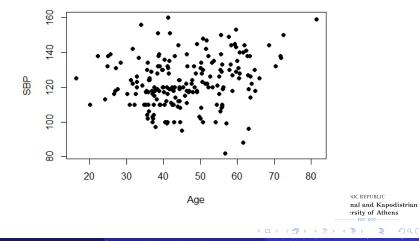
$$R_{Adj}^2 = 1 - rac{MSE}{MST} < R^2$$

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- R²_{Adj} takes into account the number of observations as well as the number of explanatory variables.
- If sample size is large then $R^2_{Adj} \simeq R^2$

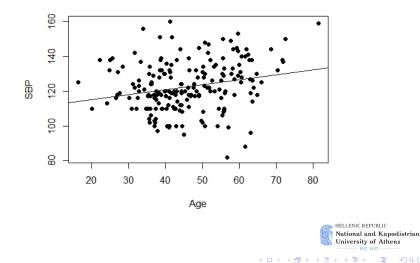
Example

Systolic Blood Pressure (SBP) \sim Age



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Fit Regression Line



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R output:

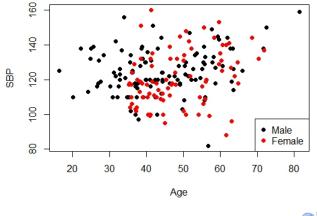
```
> lm1 = lm(systolic~age3,data=smokew)
> summary(]m1)
Call:
lm(formula = systolic ~ age3, data = smokew)
Residuals:
   Min
           10 Median
                        3Q
                              Max
-43.769 -8.854 -1.211 9.178 38.637
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
0.28510 0.08652 3.295 0.00117 **
age 3
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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Residual standard error: 13.95 on 198 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.05199, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0472 F-statistic: 10.86 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 0.001165



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Systolic Blood Pressure (SBP) \sim AGE + Gender



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R output:

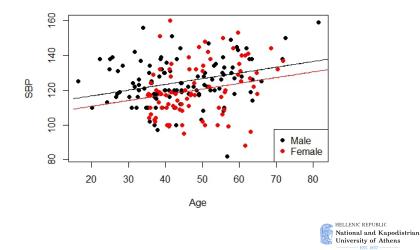
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> 1m2 = 1m(svstolic~age3+gender.data=smokew)
> summary(1m2)
Call:
lm(formula = systolic ~ age3 + gender, data = smokew)
Residuals:
          10 Median
   Min
                        30
                              Max
-46.852 -7.571 -0.994 9.053 42.220
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
0.32979 0.08608 3.831 0.000171 ***
age 3
           5.97539 1.97969 3.018 0.002878 **
genderM
             0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Signif. codes:
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Residual standard error: 13.67 on 197 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.09389, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0847 F-statistic: 10.21 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: 6.055e-05



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Fit Regression Lines:



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- Many times we have several explanatory variables to consider
- Not all of them are important (explanatory for Y)
- We can adopt model selection strategies so we can come up with the optimal model
 - Forward Selection
 - Backward Elimination
 - Stepwise Selection
- We can select the criterion of our choice (AIC, BIC,p-value, R^2 ,etc)
- If the number of covariates is not big, we can run a grid search (fit all the models) and choose the optimal one





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- We need to understand (at least qualitatively) what are the likely sources of random variation
- One possible source is Random Effects, when units are sampled at random from a population and various aspects of their behavior may show stochastic variation between units
- We introduce Linear Random Effects model where
 - the response is assumed to be a linear function of exploratory variables with regression coefficients that vary from one individual to the next
 - variability reflects natural heterogeneity due to unmeasured factors



Example: Children birth weight and growth rate

- A RE model is reasonable if the set of coefficients of children can be thought of as a sample from a population
- Association (correlation) arises because we cannot observe the underlying growth curve but we have only imperfect measurements of weight on each infant
- RE models allow for this association on the observations of the same infant over time
- So a (simple) model with random intercept takes the form

$$E(Y_{ij}|U_i) = (\beta_0 + b_i) + \beta_1(\mathsf{time})_{ij}$$

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where $(time)_{ii}$ are the times where measurements were taken.

• Typically, b_i follows $N(0, \sigma_b^2)$

• The Usual Linear Model

$$y = X\beta + \epsilon,$$

where

- $y = (y_1, ..., y_n)'$ is an $n \times 1$ vector of independent observations
- β is a $p \times 1$ vector of unknown parameters
- X an $n \times p$ design (model) matrix
- $\epsilon = (\epsilon_1,...,\epsilon_n)'$ is an n imes 1 vector of independent errors



• The linear mixed model has the following (general) form

$$Y_i = X_i\beta + Z_ib_i + \epsilon_i,$$

• Y_i , β and e as before with

- Matrix Z is a given $n \times q$ matrix (columns of Z a subset of X)
- b_i is an unobservable random vector of dimensions $q \times 1$, following any multivariate distribution (usually MVN) with
 - *E*(*b_i*) = 0
 Var(*b_i*) = *B*
- In addition, vectors b_i and e_i are assumed uncorrelated.

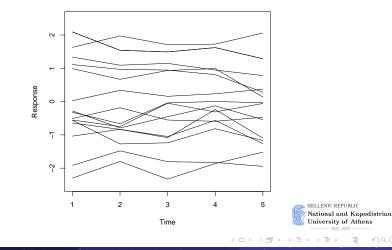
Consider the model

$$Y_{ij} = (\beta_1 + b_i) + X_{ij2}\beta_2 + \dots + X_{ijp}\beta_p + \epsilon_{ij}$$

- Each subject's profile appears flat or parallel (over time)
- Observations Y_{ij} vary around a different value for each subject
- These values are the intercepts of the lines for each subject's responses vary around
- *b_i* represents the deviations of subject's *i* intercept from the population one (β₁)
- The set of intercepts are sample from the population of intercepts
- This implies that there is between-subject variability

Example

Consider observations measured in subjects over time. Such profiles support the assumption of a model with random intercept.



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• Furthermore, the variance of Y_{ij} takes the form

$$Var(Y_{ij}) = Var(b_i) + Var(e_{ij}) = \sigma_b^2 + \sigma^2$$

• The covariance between any pair of observations of the same subject

$$Cov(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = Cov(b_i, b_i) = \sigma_b^2.$$

• The correlation between two observations becomes

$$\rho = Corr(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = \frac{\sigma_b^2}{\sigma_b^2 + \sigma^2}.$$

• The presence of random effect induce correlation among repeated measurements. This is also known as *intra-class correlation*.

<u>Note</u>: In statistics, the intraclass correlation is a descriptive statistic that can be used when quantitative measurements are made on units that are organized into groups. It describes how strongly units in the same group resemble each other. While it is viewed as a type of correlation, unlike most other correlation measures it operates on data structured as groups, rather than data structured as paired observations.

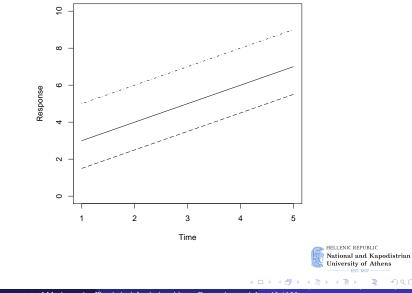
• The model

$$E(Y_{ij}|b_i) = X'_{ij}\beta + b_i$$

is referred to as the *conditional* or *subject specific* mean model • The model

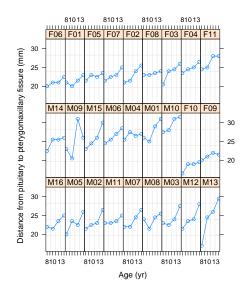
$$\mathsf{E}(\mathsf{Y}_{ij}) = \mathsf{X}_{ij}^{'}\beta$$

is referred to as the marginal or population averaged mean model



- A set of measurements of the distance from the pituitary gland to the pterygomaxillary fissure taken every 2 years.
- Measurements taken from 8 till 14 years of age.
- We have 27 children: 16 males 11 females
- Data collected from x-rays.

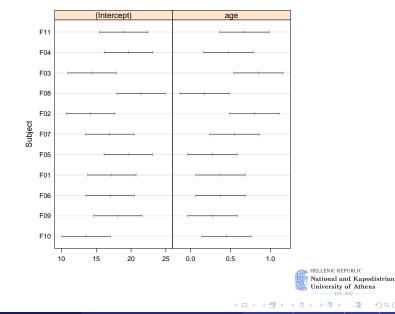
Plot the data:



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Parameter estimates:



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Run a random intercept model and get:

R Console

> coef(lmeOrth1)#subject specific coefficients (random intercept only)

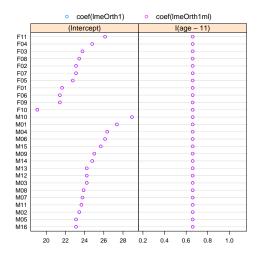
	(Intercept)	I(age - 11)
M16	23.10517	0.6601852
M05	23.10517	0.6601852
M0 2	23.44163	0.6601852
M11	23.66593	0.6601852
M07	23.77808	0.6601852
M08	23.89023	0.6601852
M0 3	24.22668	0.6601852
M12	24.22668	0.6601852
M13	24.22668	0.6601852
M14	24.78744	0.6601852
M0 9	25.01174	0.6601852
M15	25.68464	0.6601852
M06	26.13325	0.6601852
M04	26.35755	0.6601852
M01	27.36691	0.6601852
M10	28.93702	0.6601852
F10	19.06774	0.6601852
F09	21.42291	0.6601852
F06	21.42291	0.6601852
F01	21.64721	0.6601852
F05	22.76872	0.6601852
F07	23.10517	0.6601852
F02	23.10517	0.6601852
F08	23.44163	0.6601852
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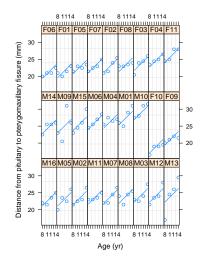
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Consider the model

$$Y_{ij} = (\beta_1 + b_{1i}) + (\beta_2 + b_{2i})t_{ij} + e_{ij}.$$

- Each subject varies with respect
 (i) baseline level when t_{i1} = 0 and
 (ii) rate of change of response over time
- In this case we have the same fixed and random terms
- The variance is a function of time $Var(Y_{ij}) = Var(b_{1i}) + 2t_{ij}Cov(b_{1i}, b_{2i}) + t_{ij}^2Var(b_{2i}) + Var(e_{ij})$ and the covariance too $Cov(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = Var(b_{1i}) + (t_{ij} + t_{ik})Cov(b_{1i}, b_{2i}) + t_{ij}t_{ik}Var(b_{2i})$



Covariance Structure

In the linear mixed model

$$Y_i = X_i\beta + Z_ib_i + e_i,$$

the matrix $W_i = Cov(e_i)$ introduces the covariance between the repeated observations when focusing on the conditional mean response profile of a specific individual. In other words, it is the covariance of the *i*th individual's deviations from the response profile

$$E(Y_i|b_i) = X_i\beta + Z_ib_i.$$

- The usual assumption is $W = \sigma^2 I_n$. This is referred as the *conditional independence* assumption.
- The conditional covariance becomes

$$Cov(Y_i|b_i) = Cov(e_i) = W_i$$

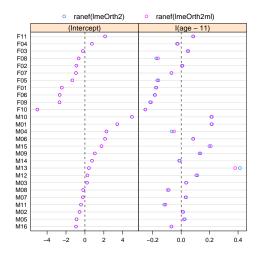
• The marginal then takes the form

$$Cov(Y_i) = Z_i B Z'_i + W_i$$

- There is no need of balanced data.
- The covariances are functions of time. As a result, if time is included in Z_i, each patient can have his own sequence of measurement times. This property makes these models suitable for the analysis of *real life* longitudinal data.
- The number of covariance parameters that need to be estimated remains unchanged regardless of the number of measurements.
- The random effects covariance structure allows the variances and covariances to change (increase or decrease) as a function of measurement times, without introducing restrictive structures as the covariance pattern models do.



Example: Ortodont data (cont)

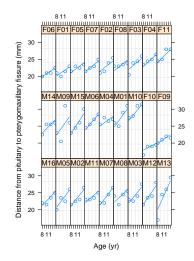




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General Information

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ANOVA - MANOVA



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- In general ANOVA serves as a generalization of t-tests (comparison between 2 groups)
- It can be seen as a special case of linear models, separately developed with great use in experimental (designs) studies
- One-way ANOVA involves one dependent variable (DV) and one independent (IV), while two-way ANOVA involves two IVs
- The DV must be a continuous variable
- The IV is the grouping/categorical variable, called 'factor'
- In a linear model it is expressed through a collection of dummy variables
- ANOVA compares the within classes variances to overall one

- A main effect is the direct effect of an IV on the DV
- ANOVA uncovers the main (and interaction) effects of IVs
- An interaction effect is the joint effect of two IVs on the DV
- Key statistic in ANOVA is the F-test for difference of means
- It tests if the means of groups (formed by factor levels or combinations of them) are different enough not to have occurred by chance
- If the group means do not differ significantly then it is inferred that the IV(s) do not have an effect on the DV
- If the *F*-test shows that overall the IV(s) is (are) related to the DV, then multiple comparison tests will follow to explore which levels of the IV(s) have the most to do with the DV



One-way ANOVA

The usual equation presented for ANOVA is

$$Y_{ij} = \mu_i + \epsilon_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \epsilon_{ij},$$

where Y_{ij} is the response for the *j*-individual in the *i*-group/level

- Parameter μ represent the grand/overall mean (average of the population means)
- The effect of level *i* to the total overall mean is expressed as

$$\alpha_i = \mu_i - \mu$$

The question is whether the values of Y differ across groups or not

$$H_0: \ \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_k = \mu$$

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Factor								
Level – 1	Level – 2	•••	Level – k					
<i>x</i> ₁₁	<i>x</i> ₂₁	•••	x _{k1}					
<i>x</i> ₁₂	<i>x</i> ₂₁		<i>x</i> _{k2}					
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<i>x</i> _{1<i>n</i>1}	x _{2n2}		x _{knk}					

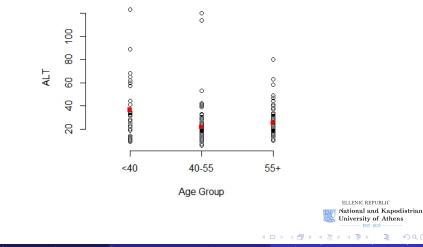


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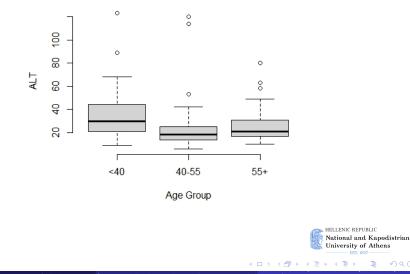
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Example: ALT (alanine transaminase) from blood test for three Age Groups



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- n: total number of subjects
- k: number of groups/levels
- x
 : overall mean

Group *i* (i = 1, 2, ..., k)

- n_i: number of subjects in group i
- x_{ij} : value of subject *i* in group *j*
- \bar{x}_i : mean for group *i*



ANOVA measures two sources of variation in the data and compares them

• BETWEEN groups variation

$$SSB = \sum_i (\bar{x}_i - \bar{x})^2$$

• WITHIN groups variation

$$SSW = \sum_i \sum_j (x_{ij} - \bar{x}_i)^2$$

• Test:

$$F = rac{MSB}{MSW} = rac{SSB/(k-1)}{SSW/(n-k)}$$

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Source of Variation	DF	SS	MS	F – test
Between	k-1	SSB	$MSB = \frac{SSB}{k-1}$	$F = \frac{MSB}{MSW}$
Within	n – k	SSW	$MSW = \frac{SSW}{n-k}$	
Total	n-1			



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ALT example (R output):



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- The dependent variable has a normal distribution
- The F-test is robust to this assumption if the sample sizes are large
- Identical variances in each group (homoscedasticity assumption)
- Independence between groups and random sampling (in general these assumptions cannot be tested and the best thing we can do is to obtain the data in such a way that we are certain about these assumptions)



- A natural extension of the one-way ANOVA
- Now we have two independent variables, with k and r levels respectively
- We have three sets of hypotheses, so we have to test:
 - The means of the first factor are equal (like one-way ANOVA for the factor A - row factor)
 - The means of the second factor are equal (like one-way ANOVA for the factor B column factor)
 - There is no interaction between the two factors



Treatment Groups: these are formed by making all possible combinations of the two factors (if one has 2 levels and the other has 2, then $2 \times 2 = 6$ groups)

(if one has 3 levels and the other has 2, then $3 \times 2 = 6$ groups)

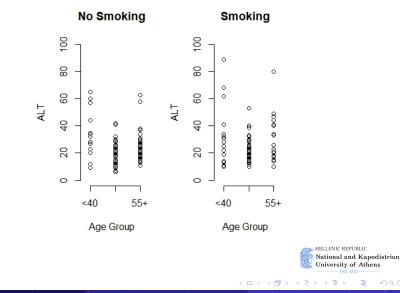
Main Effect: Is the effect of one variable at a time

Interaction: Is the combined effect of both variables

Source of Variation	DF	SS	MS	F – test
Main effect A				
Main effect B				
Interaction				
Within				
Total				

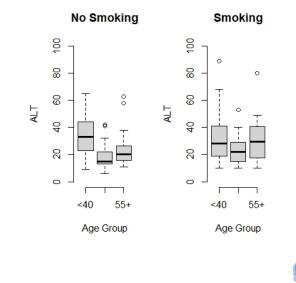


ALT example with Age Group and Smoking Status as factors:



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ALT example with Age Group and Smoking Status and Interaction:

```
> summary( aov(ALT ~ as.factor(age2) * as.factor(smoking),data=smoke[w,]) )
                                    Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                                                Pr(>F)
as.factor(age2)
                                     2
                                         5391 2695.4 9.808 8.76e-05 ***
as.factor(smoking)
                                              2859.4 10.405 0.00147 **
                                         2859
as.factor(age2):as.factor(smoking)
                                     2
                                              139.8 0.509 0.60201
                                          280
Residuals.
                                   194
                                                274.8
                                        53314
_ _ _
                  '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Signif. codes:
                0
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ALT example with Age Group and Smoking Status main effects:



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- What if we are interested in two or more DVs (outcomes)?
- Why do MANOVA, when one can get much more information by doing a series of ANOVAs?
- Even if all our DVs are completely independent of one another, when we do lots of tests like that, (Type I) error inflates
- Nevertheless, in many biological or ecological studies, the variables are not independent at all
- Many times they have strong interactions, inflating the (Type I) error even more
- In many cases where multiple ANOVAs are done, MANOVA is actually the more appropriate test



- Essentially MANOVA is the ANOVA application to a vector (list) of DVs, rather than just one
- Therefore, instead of looking into different means across groups we look into different locations in the DVs space across groups
- The null hypothesis (H_0) is that the different groups all have the same centroid (like the center of mass or center of gravity in purely geometrical terms) in the DV-space
- The alternative hypothesis (*H*₁) is that at least one group has a distinct centroid in the DV-space

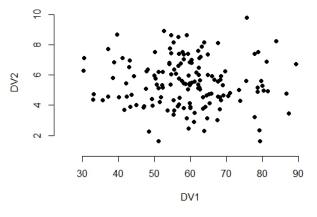


We will go through the MANOVA with the help of a simple hypothetical example.

- Assume we are trying to compare the performance of three cars
- We have 150 drivers and we equally allocate them (n = 50) to three different groups
- The drivers in each group drive the same car and they rate "Performance" (scale 0-100) and "Enjoyment" (scale 0-10)
- Our job is to investigate if there are differences in performance and/or enjoyment for the three cars
- We have: DV1=Performance, DV2=Enjoyment and IV=Car (3 levels)
- So our dependent variable is not a scalar quantity, but a collection of points in the (Performance, Enjoyment) space

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Scenario 1: A complete random case:

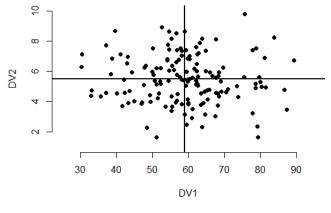




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...and their mean values:

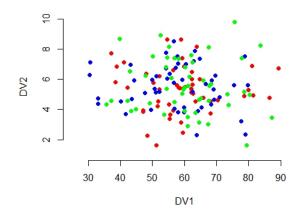




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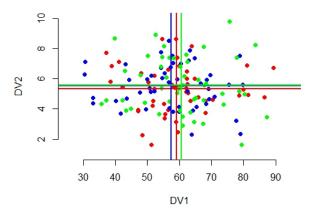
Plot the data per factor level (three cars: red/blue/green):





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Get the means per factor level:

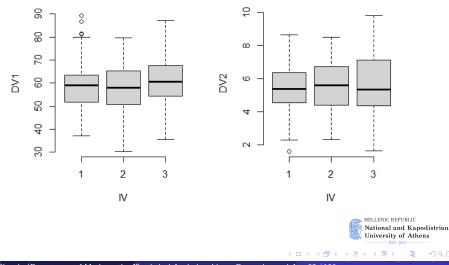




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Check the boxplots:



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MANOVA:

```
> m1 = manova(W~d1$group)
> summary(m1,test='Wilks')
          Df Wilks approx F num Df den Df Pr(>F)
d1$group 2 0.96524 1.3029
                                  4 292 0.269
Residuals 147
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
d1$group
             2
                 289.3 144.64 0.8772 0.4181
Residuals 147 24237.3 164.88
Response 2 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
d1$group
             2
                 6.523 3.2615 1.7269 0.1814
Residuals
           147 277.626 1.8886
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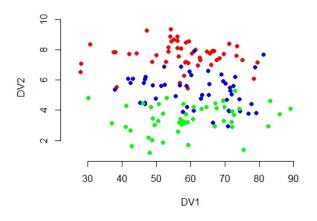
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Scenario 1: MANOVA output

- P-value is not significant in this case, as expected.
- We can't reject the null hypothesis that groups A, B and C have the same centroid in the Performance-Enjoyment space



Scenario 2: Differences in DV2:

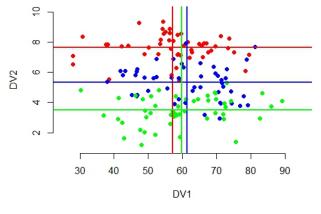




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Plot data with means:



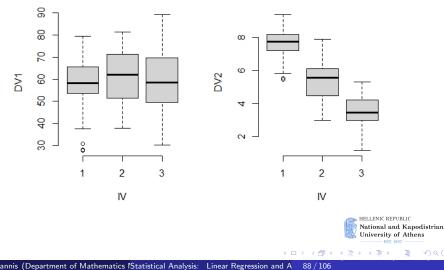


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Boxplots:



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Analysis in R:

```
> summary(m1,test='Wilks')
          Df Wilks approx F num Df den Df Pr(>F)
d1$group 2 0.24352 74.93
                                 4
                                      292 < 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals 147
---
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
d1$group
          2 460.3 230.16 1.5207 0.222
Residuals 147 22248.1 151.35
Response 2 :
            Df Sum Sg Mean Sg F value Pr(>F)
             2 437.45 218.726 224.02 < 2.2e-16 ***
d1$group
Residuals 147 143.53 0.976
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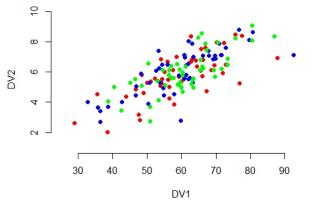
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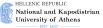
Scenario 2: MANOVA output

- We can reject the null hypothesis that the three groups share the same centroid in DVs space
- From MANOVA we know there are differences, but we do not know *how* they are different
- A univariate analysis confirms that there are differences in DV2 (Enjoyment) but not in DV1 (performance)



Scenario 3: DV1 and DV2 are related:

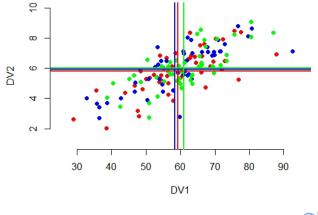




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Plot with means:



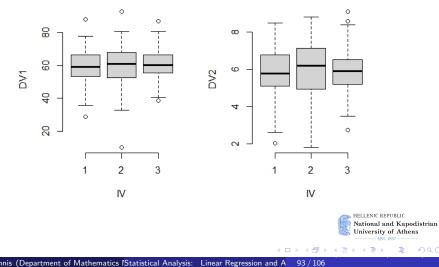


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Boxplots:



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Analysis in R:

```
> summary(m1,test='Wilks')
          Df Wilks approx F num Df den Df Pr(>F)
           2 0.982 0.66593
d1$group
                                 4
                                      292 0.6161
Residuals 147
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
                Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
            Df
                 170.5 85.248
d1$aroup
             2
                                 0.601 0.5496
           147 20851.5 141.847
Residuals
Response 2 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                 0.99 0.4973 0.2264 0.7977
d1$group
             2
Residuals
           147 322.87 2.1964
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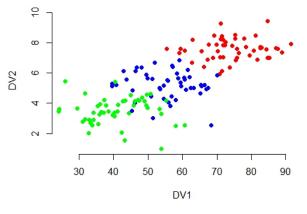
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Scenario 3: MANOVA output

- The fact that DV1 and DV2 are related doesn't change the fact that they have similar centroid in the DVs space
- As such, the MANOVA results are not significant



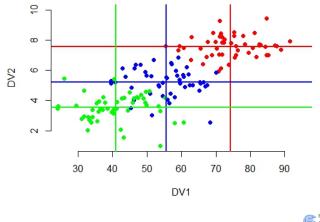
Scenario 4: Differences in both DV1 and DV2 across levels:





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Plot with means:



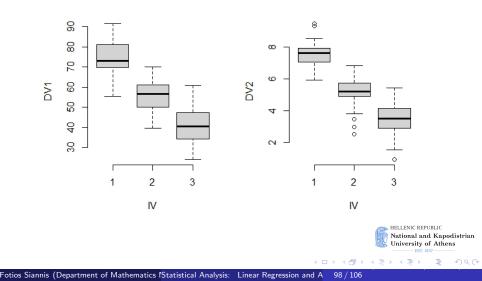


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Boxplots:



Analysis in R:

```
> summarv(m1.test='Wilks')
          Df Wilks approx F num Df den Df Pr(>F)
d1$group 2 0.12861 130.56 4 292 < 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals 147
---
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
d1$group 2 27808 13903.8 201.2 < 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals 147 10158 69.1
---
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Response 2 :
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
d1$group 2 417.12 208.559 296.79 < 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals 147 103.30 0.703
signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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Scenario 4: MANOVA output

- The overall MANOVA model is highly significant, because the three groups occupy different parts in the DVs space
- The univariate analyses confirms that there are between groups differences in both DV1 and DV2

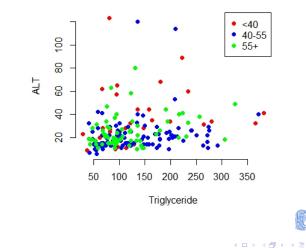


Generalization

- This was a very simple example with two DVs and one IV with three levels
- In such cases the results are easy to visualize, and from these visualizations we can get all the information we need
- We can have more DVs, which means that we move to ¿2 dimensions in the DVs space
- If the IV has more levels or additional IVs are considered in the model, then things can become even more complicated
- In more complex scenarios, interactions between IVs are also of interest



Let's go back to the Smoking example. Assume: DV1=ALT, DV2=Triglycerides, IV=Age Group (3 levels)



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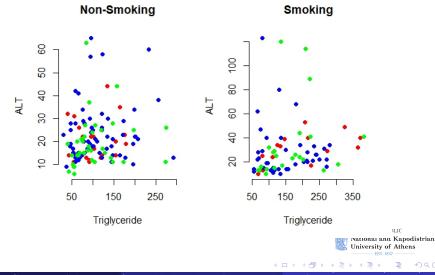
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> m1 = manova(w~as.factor(smokew$age2))
> summary(m1,test='Wilks')
                       Df
                          Wilks approx F num Df den Df Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                       2 0.90218
                                     5.176
                                                4
                                                     392 0.0004504 ***
Residuals.
                      197
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
                       Df Sum Sg Mean Sg F value Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                        2
                            5391 2695.37 9.4059 0.0001255 ***
Residuals
                      197
                           56453 286.56
____
Signif. codes:
               0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1
Response 2 :
                       Df
                           Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                        2
                            14379 7189.4 1.4073 0.2473
Residuals
                      197 1006441 5108.8
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Smoke Example: DV1=ALT, DV2=Triglyceride, IV1=Age Group (3 levels) and IV2=Smoking Status (2 levels)



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```
> m1 = manova(w~as.factor(smokew$age2)*as.factor(smokew$smoking))
> summary(m1,test='Wilks')
                                                       Wilks approx F num Df den Df
                                                   Df
                                                                                        Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                                                   2 0.89598
                                                                5.4478
                                                                                 386 0.0002821
                                                                            4
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                   1 0.84304
                                                               17,9665
                                                                            2
                                                                                 193 6.989e-08 ***
as.factor(smokew$age2):as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                   2 0.98942
                                                               0.5146
                                                                                 386 0.7250322
                                                                            4
Residuals.
                                                 194
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
> summary.aov(m1)
Response 1 :
                                                  Df Sum Sg Mean Sg F value
                                                                                Pr(>F)
                                                        5391 2695.37
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                                                                      9.8081 8.755e-05 ***
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                        2859 2859.42 10.4050 0.001475 **
                                                   1
as.factor(smokew$age2):as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                         280 139.83 0.5088 0.602008
Residuals.
                                                 194
                                                      53314 274.81
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Response 2 :
                                                  Df Sum Sg Mean Sg F value
                                                                                Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                                                     14379
                                                                7189 1.6051
                                                                                0.2035
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                   1 132680
                                                             132680 29.6228 1.573e-07 ***
as.factor(smokew$age2):as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                                        4836
                                                                2418
                                                                      0.5398
                                                                                0.5837
                                                    2
Residuals.
                                                 194 868925
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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> m1 = manova(w~as.factor(smokew$age2)+as.factor(smokew$smoking))
> summarv(m1.test='Wilks')
                           Df
                                Wilks approx F num Df den Df
                                                                Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                            2 0.89648
                                        5.4755
                                                    4
                                                         390 0.0002682 ***
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                            1 0.84382 18.0463
                                                         195 6.445e-08 ***
                                                    2
Residuals
                          196
signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
> summary.aov(m1)
 Response 1 :
                           Df Sum Sg Mean Sg F value
                                                        Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                            2
                                5391 2695.37 9.8575 8.334e-05 ***
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                                2859 2859.42 10.4574 0.001434 **
                           1
Residuals
                          196 53593 273.43
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
 Response 2 :
                           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                                        Pr(>F)
as.factor(smokew$age2)
                            2 14379
                                        7189 1.6127
                                                         0.202
as.factor(smokew$smoking)
                            1 132680 132680 29.7625 1.462e-07 ***
Residuals.
                          196 873760
                                        4458
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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