

stripchart(coag ~ diet, vertical=TRUE, method="jitter")



> stripchart(coag ~ diet, vertical=TRUE, add=TRUE, col="blue", pch=1, method="jitter")

Diagnostics

- Q-Q plot for residuals.
- Check outliers.
- Test for equal variance.

Levene's test: run regression $abs(residual) \sim X$, i.e., use abs(residuals) as the response in a new one-way ANOVA. If the *p*-value for the *F*-test is less than 1% level, then we conclude that there is no evidence of a non-constant variance.

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> g = lm(coag \sim diet)
> summary(lm(abs(g$res) ~ diet))
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.5000 0.7159 2.095 0.0491 *
dietB 0.5000 0.9242 0.541 0.5945
dietC -0.5000 0.9242 -0.541 0.5945
dietD 0.5000 0.8768 0.570 0.5748
Residual standard error: 1.432 on 20 df
Multiple R-squared: 0.09559,
Adjusted R-squared: -0.04007
F-statistic: 0.7046 on 3 and 20 DF, p-value: 0.5604
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Detecting the Difference among Groups

 $\bullet\,$ Consider the one-way ANOVA model $^{\rm a}$

$$y_{ij} = \alpha_i + e_{ij}, \quad e_{ij} \text{ iid } \sim \mathsf{N}(0, \sigma^2).$$

 After detecting some difference among the groups using the F-test, interest centers on which groups or combinations of them are different.

^aHere we use the parameterization which sets $\mu = 0$.

There are two cases:

- Pairwise difference: $\alpha_i \alpha_j$
- Contrasts: $\sum_{i=1}^{g} c_i \alpha_i$, $\sum_i c_i = 0$. (Of course, the pairwise diff is a special case of contrasts).

We'll focus on CIs for differences, which also tells us the corresponding testing result due to the duality between statistical tests and CIs.

Pairwise Comparisons

• α_i : unknown group mean

Estimate $\hat{\alpha}_i = \bar{y}_i$ with s.e. $\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{1/n_i}$.

• $\alpha_i - \alpha_j$: unknown group difference

Estimate $\hat{\alpha}_i - \hat{\alpha}_j = \bar{y}_{i} - \bar{y}_j$ with s.e. $\hat{\sigma}_{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}}$.

•
$$(1 - \alpha)$$
 CI for $\alpha_i - \alpha_j$

$$\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} \pm t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2} \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}.$$

- The ordinary t-based CI (on the previous slide) is the CI for just one comparison.
- Recall its interpretation (assume $\alpha = 5\%$):

The (random) CI covers the true parameter $\alpha_i - \alpha_j$ with prob 95%. In other words, the chance of making an error (i.e., not covering the true difference) is controlled to be 5%.

- In practice we need to construct CIs for multiple pairwise differences, e.g., for the coagulation data, there are totally 6 pairwise comparisons
- If we construct 95% CI for each pairwise difference, then the chance of making an error is 5% for each CI. However, the chance that at least one of the CI does not cover the true difference (i.e., the family wise error rate) will be much bigger than 5%.
- We need to adjust for multiple comparisons. How?

Bonferroni Correction

- Suppose there are m pairwise comparisons. To control the family wise error rate to be α , we need to reduce the error rate for each individual comparison to be α/m .
- That is, we need to incase the significant level from (1α) to be $(1 \alpha/m)$. For example, if m = 10 and $\alpha = 5\%$, then we need to set the significant level for each individual comparison to be as high as 99.5%.
- Not applicable when *m* is large, since the CIs would be too wide (of little practical interest) due to the increase of the significant level.

Tukey's Honest Significant Difference (HSD)

• The Tukey's CIs for $\alpha_i - \alpha_j$ are

$$\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} \pm \frac{q_{g,n-g}^{\alpha}}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}.$$

• Let X_1, \ldots, X_m be iid $N(0, \sigma^2)$ and the following random variable

$$\frac{\max_i X_i - \min_j X_j}{\hat{\sigma}} \sim q_{m,v}$$

aka the studentized range distribution, where v is the df used in estimating σ .

• $q_{g,n-g}^{\alpha}$ is the $(1-\alpha)$ quantile of $q_{g,n-g}$.

Recall how we derive the t-based CI.

$$\frac{\bar{y}_{i} - \bar{y}_{j} - (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)}{\hat{\sigma}_{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}}} \sim t \text{-dist } (\mathrm{df} = n - g)$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{|\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} - (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)|}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}} \le t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} \pm t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2} \hat{\sigma}_{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}}$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{|\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} - (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)|}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}} \le t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

$$\max_{i,j=1,\dots,g} \qquad \qquad \mathsf{C}$$

Suppose
$$n_i = n_j = n_0$$
.

$$\frac{\left|\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} - (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)\right|}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_0} + \frac{1}{n_0}}}$$



$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{|X_i - X_j|}{\hat{\sigma}}$$
$$X_1, \dots, X_g \text{ iid } \sim \mathsf{N}(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{|\bar{y}_{i\cdot} - \bar{y}_{j\cdot} - (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)|}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\frac{1}{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_j}}} \le t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$
$$\max_{i,j=1,\dots,g}$$

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\max_{i,j}\frac{|X_i - X_j|}{\hat{\sigma}} \le C\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

> TukeyHSD(aov(coag~diet, coagulation))
Tukey multiple comparisons of means
95% family-wise confidence level

Fit: aov(formula = coag ~ diet, data =
coagulation)

\$diet

	diff	lwr	upr	p adj
B-A	5	0.7245544	9.275446	0.0183283
C-A	7	2.7245544	11.275446	0.0009577
D-A	0	-4.0560438	4.056044	1.000000
C-B	2	-1.8240748	5.824075	0.4766005
D-B	-5	-8.5770944	-1.422906	0.0044114
D-C	-7	-10.5770944	-3.422906	0.0001268

Scheffé's Method for Contrasts

A linear combination of the group means ∑^g_{i=1} c_iα_i is called a contrast if ∑_i c_i = 0.

 $- \alpha_1 - \alpha_2$: $c_1 = 1$, $c_2 = -1$, and other c_i 's = 0.

$$- (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)/2 - \alpha_3$$
: $c_1 = c_2 = 1/2$, $c_3 = -1$, and other c_i 's = 0.

- The estimate of $\sum_{i=1}^{g} c_i \alpha_i$ is $\sum_{i=1}^{g} c_i \bar{y}_i$ with s.e. $\hat{\sigma} \sqrt{\sum_i c_i^2/n_i}$.
- The Scheffé's Cls are

$$\sum_{i} c_i \bar{y}_{i.} \pm \sqrt{(g-1)} F^{\alpha}_{g-1,n-g} \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{\sum_{i} \frac{c_i^2}{n_i}}$$

$$\frac{\left(\sum_{i} c_{i} \bar{y}_{i} - \sum_{i} c_{i} \alpha_{i}\right)^{2}}{\hat{\sigma}^{2} \left(\sum_{i} c_{i}^{2} / n_{i}\right)}$$

$$=\frac{\left[\sum_{i}c_{i}(\bar{y}_{i.}-\alpha_{i})\right]^{2}/(\sum_{i}c_{i}^{2}/n_{i})}{\hat{\sigma}^{2}}$$

$$\leq \frac{\chi_{g-1}^2}{\chi_{n-g}^2/(n-g)} = (g-1)F_{g-1,n-g}$$

 $\left(\frac{\left|\sum_{i}c_{i}\bar{y}_{i}.-\sum_{i}c_{i}\alpha_{i}\right|}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{\sum_{i}c_{i}^{2}/n_{i}}} \leq t_{n-g}^{\alpha/2}\right) = 1 - \alpha$ \mathbb{P} max $c_1,...,c_g$

A Summary

- One pairwise/contrast: The ordinary *t*-based CI
- A small number of comparisons: Bonferroni CIs
- A large number of pairwise diffs: Tukey's CIs (adjusted for all possible pairwise comparisons)
- A large number of contrasts: Scheffé's CIs (adjusted for all possible contrasts)

How to decided between Bonferroni and Tukey's (or Scheffé's)? Just pick the approach giving your CIs of (overall) shorter length.