

Hierarchical ANOVA

Psychology 3256

Introduction

- Usually all of our factors (independent variables) are crossed with each other
- Each level of A occurs with each level of B for example
- I am not talking about subjects here, they of course are often nested
- Sometimes, things are different

Different drugs and hospitals

H1	H1	H2	H2	H3	H3
D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6
G1	G2	G3	G4	G5	G6

- Drugs are nested within hospital
- n=5 burn survivors per group

So, this is a bit different..

- So both are tested with S (DH)
- Note, it is NOT $S(D(H))$
- There are cases where this is useful

sv	df	test
H	$(h-1) = 2$	$S(DH)$
$D(H)$	$(d-1)h = 3$	$S(DH)$
$S(DH)$	$(n-1)dh = 24$	

Example 2 (n=3)

●		A1	A1	A2	A2	
		B1	B2	B3	B4	
●		C1	G1	G2	G3	G4
		C2	G1	G2	G3	G4

er, Yates' your friend

SV	df	test
A	$(a-1) = 1$	S(AB)
B(A)	$(b-1)a = 2$	S(AB)
S(AB)	$(n-1)ab = 8$	
C	$(c-1) = 1$	CS(AB)
CA	$(c-1)(a-1) = 1$	CS(AB)
CB(A)	$(c-1)(b-1)a = 2$	CS(AB)
CS(AB)	$(c-1)(n-1)ab = 8$	
TOTAL	$N-1 = 23$	

You should be able to go the other way too..

SV	df
B	2
S(B)	9
A	2
BA	4
AS(B)	18
TOTAL	35

remember...

- Using Yates' order we can figure out any design and the error terms
- We have a little problem here though, is hospital a fixed or a random factor?
- Avoid these designs like the plague...