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The exam paper contains 36 pages.

Multiple choice questions: Note that in each question, one and <u>only</u> one of the answer options is correct. Furthermore, not all the suggested answers are necessarily meaningful. Always remember to round your own result to the number of decimals given in the answer options before you choose your answer. Also remember that there may be slight discrepancies between the result of the book's formulas and corresponding built-in functions in R.

Exercise I

The birth weight of 50 newborn girls has been recorded in an unknown country, and the sample mean and standard deviation were found to be $\bar{x}_{\rm p} = 3505.7$ g and $s_{\rm p} = 467.9$ g.

Question I.1 (1)

What is the 95% confidence interval for the mean birth weight of girls, $\mu_{\rm p}$?

 $1 \square [3328.3, 3683.0]$ $2^* \square [3372.7, 3638.7]$ $3 \square [3371.4, 3640.0]$ $4 \square [3328.4, 3683.0]$ $5 \square [3499.6, 3511.8]$

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Following equation (3-10):

 $3505.7 - t_{0.975} \cdot 467.9 / \sqrt{50} = 3505.7 - 2.009575 \cdot 467.9 / \sqrt{50} = 3372.724$

 $3505.7 + t_{0.975} \cdot 467.9 / \sqrt{50} = 3505.7 + 2.009575 \cdot 467.9 / \sqrt{50} = 3638.676$

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Question I.2 (2)

The mean birth weight of Danish girls is known to be 3449 g. We want to test if the birth weight from the unknown country differs significantly from the birth weight of Danish girls, so we test the hypothesis $H_0: \mu_p = 3449$ g using the observed data.

The corresponding test statistic is computed as $t_{obs} = 0.857$. Which of the following statements is correct, when we use a significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$ (both *p*-value and conclusion must be correct)?

- $1 \square$ p-value = 0.198, and the hyptothesis cannot be rejected.
- $2 \square$ p-value = 0.198, and the hyptothesis is rejected.
- $3^* \square$ p-value = 0.396, and the hyptothesis cannot be rejected.
- 4 \Box p-value = 1.604, and the hyptothesis is rejected.
- 5 \Box p-value = 0.396, and the hyptothesis is rejected.

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The p-value is computed by:

2*(1-pt(0.857,df = 49))

which gives p-value = 0.396. Since the p-value is greater than 0.05, the hypothesis cannot be rejected.

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The birth weight of 50 newborn boys has also been recorded (in the same country). The sample mean and standard deviation were found to be $\bar{x}_{\rm d} = 3619.4$ g and $s_{\rm d} = 409.0$ g. We want to test the hypothesis that girls and boys have the same mean birth weight against the alternative hypothesis that the means are different. We use a significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$ in the remainder of the questions.

Question I.3 (3)

Under the null-hypothesis of no difference between the mean birth weight of girls and boys, the (Welch) two-sample statistic, T, follows a t-distribution with ν degrees of freedom. What is ν in our case equal to?

1 🗆	100
$2\square$	98.24
3	49
4	98
5* 🗌	96.28

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The result is found by using equation (3-50).

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Question I.4 (4)

Assume that the number of degrees of freedom, ν , is stored in R as v. Which command results in the correct critical value in the *t*-distribution, mentioned in the previous question, to be used for the hypothesis test of equal means?

1* 🗆	qt(0.975,v)			
$2 \square$	1-pt(0.975,v)			
$3 \square$	pt(0.95,v)			
$4 \square$	1-qt(0.95,v)			
$5 \square$	qt(0.95,v)			
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The critical value is always a quantile, and therefore the qt() function is used. Since $\alpha = 0.05$ and we make a two-sided test, we are looking for the 97.5% quantile.				

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Question I.5 (5)

The sampled birth weights of girls and boys are stored in xp and xd, respectively. Which of the commands below would generate the correct confidence interval for the difference in means?

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Exercise II

A Danish company wants to investigate whether the employees' professional training on a virtual reality (VR) platform affect their task quality score. 200 employees participated. The following count data provides an overview of task quality (poor, medium and good) versus VR training engagement level (below average, average, and above average).

Task Quality Score \VR engagement	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Row Total
Poor	11	27	15	53
Medium	14	40	30	84
Good	5	23	35	63
Column Total	30	90	80	200

The null-hypothesis of independence between task quality score and VR training engagement score is to be tested by χ^2 -test.

Employees with "medium" and "good" task quality score are considered as "Efficient Employees".

Question II.1 (6)

What is the expected number of individuals with below average VR training engagement score and poor task quality score under H_0 (i.e assuming H_0 is true)?

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The expected number under the null hypothesis for each cell is found as

"column total"
$$\cdot \frac{\text{"row total"}}{\text{"total"}}$$
,

for table cell (1,1), which is the number of individuals with below average VR training engagement score and poor task quality score. So, the answer is

$$e_{11} = 30 \cdot \frac{53}{200} = 7.95$$

Question II.2 (7)

What is the 95% confidence interval for the proportion of "Efficient Employees" based on the data given above?

- $1^* \square [0.674, 0.796]$
- $2 \square [0.621, 0.749]$
- $3 \square [0.532, 0.668]$
- $4 \square [0.426, 0.578]$
- $5 \square [0.706, 0.824]$

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This answer is given by the formula

$$\hat{p} \pm \sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}} z_{1-\alpha/2} \tag{1}$$

which can be calculated in R by

```
n <- 200
p <- (84+63)/n
p + c(-1, 1) * sqrt(p * (1 - p) / n) * qnorm(0.975)
## [1] 0.6738355 0.7961645
```

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Question II.3 (8)

What is the 95% confidence interval for the difference in the proportion of good task quality scorers with VR training engagement score "above average" and "average" $(p_{AbAvg, good} - p_{Avg, good})$?

- $1 \square [0.019, 0.361]$
- $2 \square [0.043, 0.212]$
- $3 \square [0.011, 0.313]$

 $4^* \square [0.041, 0.323]$

 $5 \square [0.044, 0.091]$

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The CI is calculated by

$$\hat{p}_1 - \hat{p}_2 \pm z_{1-\alpha/2} \sqrt{\hat{p}_1(1-\hat{p}_1)/n_1 + \hat{p}_2(1-\hat{p}_2)/n_2}$$
(2)

The result can be found in R by

p1 <- 35/80
p2 <- 23/90
p1-p2 + c(-1,1) * sqrt(p1*(1-p1)/80+p2*(1-p2)/90)*qnorm(0.975)
[1] 0.04074504 0.32314385</pre>

which is answer no 4.

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As a help for the next question the following R-code, where **training** is the table of counts, has been executed (some numbers have been replaced by letters)

chisq.test(training, correct = FALSE)
##
Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
data: training
X-squared = 10.985, df = A, p-value = B

Question II.4 (9)

Considering the χ^2 -test statistic, what is the *p*-value and the correct conclusion using significance level $\alpha = 0.05$ (all parts of the answer must be correct)?

- 1* There is a significant dependence between VR training engagement and task quality, as p-value = $0.027 < 0.05 = \alpha$
- 2 There is no evidence of significant dependence between VR training engagement and task quality, as p-value = $0.027 < 0.05 = \alpha$

- 3 \square The Null-hypothesis cannot be rejected since *p*-value = $0.50 > \alpha = 0.05$
- 4 There is a significant dependence between VR training engagement and task quality, as p-value = $0.037 < 0.05 = \alpha$
- 5 There is no evidence of significant dependence between VR training engagement and task quality, as p-value = $0.037 < 0.05 = \alpha$

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The test is conducted noting that the degrees of fredom (A) is 4 and hence the p-values can be calculated by

(B <- 1-pchisq(10.985,df=4)) ## [1] 0.02673311

or this can be done be setting up the table and using chisq.test

```
training <- matrix(c(11,27,15,14,40,30,5,23,35), ncol =3, byrow =TRUE)
chi <- chisq.test(training, correct = FALSE)
chi
##
## Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
## data: training
## X-squared = 10.985, df = 4, p-value = 0.02673</pre>
```

The correct option is 1) as it shows the correct *p*-value with correct rejection rule. The rejection rule is: Reject H_0 if *p*-value $< \alpha$. The hypothesis is that there is no dependence. By rejecting the hypothesis, we can state that "There is significant dependence between VR training engagement score and task quality score.

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Exercise III

In an experiment regarding poisoning of rats, survival time (days) for 24 rats were measured. Each rat received poison and was afterwards treated with one of four treatments, A, B, C, D. Let Y denote the logarithm of the survival time (logt) which is used for the analysis.

A one-way ANOVA model was fitted to the data:

 $Y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \varepsilon_{ij}$ where $\varepsilon_{ij} \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ and i.i.d.

We are additionally informed that SS(Tr) = 2.286 and SSE = 3.241, and the values of the group means:

tapply(logt, treatments, mean)
A B C D
-1.2866667 -0.5416667 -1.13666667 -0.6816667

Question III.1 (10)

What is the estimate of the effect of treatment B, $\hat{\alpha}_{\rm B}$?

 $1 \square -0.542$ $2^* \square 0.370$

- $3\square$ 0.542
- $4 \square 2.22$
- $5 \square 2.33$

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$$\hat{\alpha}_B = \bar{y}_B - \bar{\bar{y}} = -0.542 - (-0.912) = 0.370$$

where $\bar{\bar{y}}$ is calculated by

or by

mean(c(-1.28667,-0.54167,-1.13667,-0.68167))

[1] -0.91167

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Question III.2 (11)

What is the value of the usual test statistic (F), for testing difference in treatments?

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 $2 \square 0.7051$

- $3^* \square 4.702$
- 4 🗌 14.11
- $5 \square 16.93$

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Either load the data into R and read the value from the ANOVA table, or use the formula (8-19):

$$F = \frac{SS(Tr)/(k-1)}{SSE/(n-k)} = \frac{2.286/3}{3.241/20} = 4.702$$

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The researchers are particularly interested in comparing treatments B and D, as their knowledge in chemistry predicts that these treatments should be roughly equally good.

Question III.3 (12)

What is the conclusion on a 5% significance level regarding the post hoc difference in means between treatments B and D ($\alpha_{\rm D} - \alpha_{\rm B}$) (both argument and conclusion must be correct)?

- 1 \Box The 95% confidence interval for the difference in means is [-0.902, 0.622]. Hence the treatments are not significantly different.
- 2 \Box The 95% confidence interval for the difference in means is [-0.659, 0.338]. Hence the treatments are not significantly different.
- 3 \Box The 95% confidence interval for the difference in means is [-0.659, 0.338]. Hence the treatments are significantly different.
- 4^* The 95% confidence interval for the difference in means is [-0.625, 0.345]. Hence the treatments are not significantly different.
- 5 \Box The 95% confidence interval for the difference in means is [-0.206, -0.020]. Hence the treatments are significantly different.

Use method 8.9. No Bonferroni adjustment as we are doing one pre-specified comparison:

 $\bar{y}_{\rm D} - \bar{y}_{\rm B} \pm t_{0.975} \sqrt{MSE \cdot (1/n_{\rm D} + 1/n_{\rm B})} = -0.682 - (-0.542) \pm 2.086 \cdot \sqrt{0.16207/3} = [-0.625, 0.345]$

Since 0 is in the confidence interval, the difference in means is not significant.

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Exercise IV

In an office building, the duration of a room being available (i.e. empty) was measured during a period of approximately 8 months, there is one observation every time the room change from occupied to empty (this imply that there might be more than one observation pr. day). The duration of availability is measured as available hours during normal office hours, and the measurements were stored in the vector time. A summary of the measured duration of availability is given below.

summary(time)
Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
0.2500 0.9375 2.5000 2.7017 3.7500 11.7500

Question IV.1 (13)

What is the Inter Quartile Range (IQR) for the presented data?

 $\begin{array}{cccccc}
1 & \Box & 0.20 \\
2 & \Box & 2.70 \\
3 & \Box & 2.50 \\
4^* & \Box & 2.81 \\
5 & \Box & 11.5 \\
\end{array}$

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IQR is the difference between the first and the third quartile, both are given directly in the summary from R and the IQR is

3.75-0.9375

[1] 2.8125

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Assume that a random variable X follows an exponential distribution with expected value equal to the observed average of the time of availability.

Question IV.2 (14)

What is the median of X?

1 🗌	2.50
$2 \square$	0.169
3* 🗆	1.87
$4 \square$	2.70
$5 \square$	0.741

The median is the value \tilde{x} such that

$$0.5 = P(X \le \tilde{x}) = F(\tilde{x}) \tag{3}$$

and hence

$$\tilde{x} = F^{-1}(0.5)$$
 (4)

this can be calculated i R by

qexp(0.5,1/2.702)

[1] 1.872884

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Question IV.3 (15)

Still assuming the exponential distribution with mean equal to the observed average time of availability, which of the following pieces R-code calculate a 95% parametric bootstrap confidence interval for the expected value of the time of availability (in all cases n = length(time) and $k=10^4$)?

We should use the exponential distribution hence it will be either 1 or 2, answer 1 use the wrong rate (m), while 2 use the correct rate (1/m), and also correctly calculate the mean value and find the correct quantiles.

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It is of interest to examine if the coefficient of variation is equal 1, for that purpose the following R-code have been evaluated (including the results):

```
k <- 1e4
n <- length(time)</pre>
X <- replicate(k, sample(time, replace = TRUE))</pre>
quantile(apply(X, 2, sd) / apply(X, 2, mean),
         prob = c(0.025, 0.05, 0.95, 0.975))
##
        2.5%
                     5%
                              95%
                                       97.5%
## 0.7586455 0.7727351 0.9228017 0.9382224
quantile(apply(X, 2, var) / apply(X, 2, mean),
         prob = c(0.025, 0.05, 0.95, 0.975))
##
       2.5%
                           95%
                                   97.5%
                   5%
## 1.508020 1.570758 2.324900 2.400079
X2 <- replicate(k, rexp(n, m))</pre>
quantile( apply(X2, 2, sd) / apply(X2, 2, mean) ,
         prob = c(0.025, 0.05, 0.95, 0.975))
##
        2.5%
                     5%
                               95%
                                       97.5%
## 0.8767490 0.8933601 1.1094034 1.1368452
quantile(apply(X2, 2, var) / apply(X2, 2, mean),
         prob = c(0.025, 0.05, 0.95, 0.975))
##
        2.5%
                     5%
                              95%
                                       97.5%
## 0.2740744 0.2873999 0.4669260 0.4916159
```

Question IV.4 (16)

Based on the R-code above what can we conclude using significance level $\alpha = 0.05$, and not using any distribution assumption (both conclusion and argument should be correct)?

1 \Box It cannot be rejected that the coefficient of variation is equal to 1, since 1 > 0.94

2 \square The coefficient of variation is less than 0.7 since a 95% confidence interval is [0.27, 0.49]

3 \square It cannot be rejected that the coefficient of variation is equal to 1, since $1 \notin [1.51, 2.4]$

4 \Box It cannot be rejected that the coefficient of variation is equal to 1, since $1 \in [0.88, 1.14]$

 5^* The cefficient of variation is not equal to 1, since $1 \notin [0.76, 0.94]$

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Not using any distribution assumption, imply that we should use non-parametric bootstrap. This imply that we should use either the first or the second stated result. In the first result the calculated numbers are

 $\frac{s}{\bar{x}}$

where \bar{x} and s is the observed mean and standard deviation from the simulation, which is the coefficient of variation and hence we should use the first result. This imply that the 95% confidence interval is [0.76; 0.94] and hence the we can conclude (using the 5% significance level), that the coefficient of variation is not equal 1 (which is answer no 5).

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A similar set of masurements was taken from another room, it is desired to compare the mean time of availability between the two rooms. The summary for the data from the second room is given below.

summary(time2)
Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
0.250 1.500 2.500 2.551 3.250 14.250

Assuming independece between the rooms, it was decided to test if there is a significant difference in the expected times of availability between the rooms using a test that does not use any distribution assumptions.

Question IV.5 (17)

Which of the following pieces of R-code can be used to test the hypothesis that there is no difference between the mean time of availability for the two rooms.

```
1 t.test(time, time2, paired = TRUE)
2 prop.test(sim1,sim2)
3 sim <- replicate(k, sample(time - time2, replace = TRUE))
quantile(apply(sim1, 2, mean), prob = c(0.025, 0.975))
4* sim1 <- replicate(k, sample(time, replace = TRUE))
sim2 <- replicate(k, sample(time2, replace = TRUE))
quantile(apply(sim1,2,mean) - apply(sim2,2,mean), prob = c(0.025,0.975))
5 t.test(time, time2)</pre>
```

Again we should not use any distribution assumption and hence we can exclude the answers based on the t.test (i.e. answer 1, and 5). prop.test is used to compare proportions and we have continuous data so we can exclude 2. As we assume independence between the rooms the correct answer 4 that calculate a two sample test of difference in mean between the rooms.

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Exercise V

The production manager of a paper factory has analysed paper produced by the machinery on different days. He wishes to test if the quality varies according to machinery and day of production.

The analysis resulted in the following two-way ANOVA table (some values have been omitted):

Question V.1 (18)

How many observations were included in the study?

$1 \square 6$
$2 \square 9$
$3\square$ 18
$4 \square 27$
$5^* \square 28$
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The degrees of freedom are number of categories - 1. Hence we have 7 days and 4 machines.
One observation per combination, total number of observations in the study is 28.

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Question V.2 (19)

What is the conclusion about effects of day of production on a 5% significance level (both argument and conclusion must be correct):

- 1 \Box There is a significant effect since the *p*-value is 0.028
- 2^* \square There is not a significant effect since the *p*-value is 0.083.
- $3 \square$ There is not a significant effect since the *p*-value is 0.157
- 4 \Box There is <u>not</u> a significant effect since SSE = 0.329 is within ± 1.96 , where 1.96 is the 97.5% quantile in a standard normal distribution, N(0, 1).
- 5 \Box We do not have sufficient information to conclude whether day of production is significant or not.

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We should use the provided F statistic for day. The distribution under the null hypothesis is F(6, 18), so the answer is given by:

1 - pf(2.2731, df1 = 6, df2 = 18)

[1] 0.08268843

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Exercise VI

The owner of an electrical car wanted to find out what effect the ambient temperature has on the driving range. So she collected the driving efficiency (trip length per unit of energy), as well as the outdoor air temperature, on every trip she made during a period. The data can be seen in the scatter plot below:



A simple linear regression model with the driving efficiency as model output, and outdoor air temperature as model input, was fitted. The results were:

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Efficiency ~ Toutdoor)
##
## Residuals:
##
        Min
                   1Q
                        Median
                                     ЗQ
                                              Max
##
  -1.84694 -0.27181
                      0.01402 0.43993
                                         1.26562
##
##
  Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
  (Intercept)
                5.10493
                            0.22551
                                     22.638
                                               <2e-16 ***
##
## Toutdoor
                0.05259
                            0.01799
                                      2.924
                                               0.0058 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.6573 on 38 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1836, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1622
## F-statistic: 8.548 on 1 and 38 DF, p-value: 0.0058
```

Question VI.1 (20)

Which of the following statements is correct (both the conclusion and the argument must be correct)?

- 1* \square At significance level of $\alpha = 0.01$ a significant correlation between the driving efficiency and the outdoor temperature could be detected, since 0.0058 < 0.01.
 - 2 \square At significance level of $\alpha = 0.01$ a significant correlation between the driving efficiency and the outdoor temperature could not be detected, since 0.05259 > 0.01.
 - 3 \square At significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$ a significant correlation between the driving efficiency and the outdoor temperature could be detected, since 0.01799 < 0.05.
 - 4 \Box At significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$ a significant correlation between the driving efficiency and the outdoor temperature could not be detected, since 0.01799 < 0.05.
 - 5 \square At significance level of $\alpha = 0.05$ a significant correlation between the driving efficiency and the outdoor temperature could not be detected, since 0.6573 > 0.05.

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All the answers are about the correlation between the two variables, and we know that a test for significant correlation is equivalent with a test for significant slope in the simple regression model, i.e. $H_0: \beta_1 \neq 0$.

So, we need to find the right p-value for this null hypothesis for making the conclusion. It's the Pr(>|t|) printed for the Toutdoor variable, which is only present in one answer. We check that answer and see that it is correct in terms of significance level and conclusion: Yes, it is significant since the p-value is lower than the significance level.

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Question VI.2 (21)

The battery size was 54 kWh. How long is the predicted mean driving range at a temperature level of 5 °C according to the model and the estimated parameters?

- $1 \square 250 \text{ km}$
- $2 \square 260 \text{ km}$
- $3 \square 270 \text{ km}$
- $4 \square 280 \text{ km}$

 5^* \square 290 km

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We must calculate the predicted value, so we insert the estimated parameters in the (simple linear) model, with x = 5 and get

5.10493 + 0.05259 * 5

[1] 5.36788

which is 'kilometers per kWh', hence we scale it with the battery size to get

(5.10493 + 0.05259 * 5) * 54 ## [1] 289.8655

Question VI.3 (22)

The i = 5 data point had the observation of temperature at 2.096 °C and at a driving efficiency of 4.744 km/kWh. What is the residual (i.e. the realized error) for this data point?

The residual is the observed error, which is the difference between the observed and predicted model output value at the point

$$y_i - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \cdot x_i)$$

So it's found by

4.744 - (5.10493 + 0.05259 * 2.096) ## [1] -0.4711586 ----- FACIT-END ------

Question VI.4 (23)

The car owner wanted to investigate the effect of humidity on the driving range and therefore got hold of observations of air humidity from a nearby weather station and matched them with her observations.

She wanted to fit a multiple linear regression model with both the temperature and the humidity as inputs, but before she did some considerations. Which of the following statements about fitting a multiple linear regression model is not correct?

- 1 It's most often a good idea to investigate scatter plots of all possible pairs of the variables (a pairs plot in R).
- 2 \Box It's important to carry out a model selection.
- 3^* \square The level of correlation between the inputs cannot impact the results.
- 4 \Box The number of observations impacts the results.
- $5 \square$ It's important to carry out a model validation with the selected model.

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We check each answer and find that the one about correlated inputs not having impact on results is wrong. If the level of correlation of the inputs is high, then it impacts the results heavily, it's called collinearity, see Section 6.3.

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Question VI.5 (24)

She fitted a multiple linear regression model with both the outdoor air temperature and the humidity. The obtained result was:

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Efficiency ~ Toutdoor + Humidity)
##
## Residuals:
##
                       Median
        Min
                  1Q
                                     30
                                             Max
## -1.76776 -0.34382 -0.01327 0.38670
                                         1.34920
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 4.96398
                           0.24226
                                    20.490
                                             < 2e-16 ***
## Toutdoor
                0.06454
                           0.01952
                                      3.306
                                             0.00211 **
               -0.16622
## Humidity
                           0.11379
                                    -1.461
                                             0.15250
## ---
## Signif. codes:
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.6477 on 37 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2282,Adjusted R-squared:
                                                     0.1864
## F-statistic: 5.469 on 2 and 37 DF, p-value: 0.008302
```

What is the conclusion of a backward selection step on a 5% significance level for the fitted multiple linear regression model from this result (both the conclusion and the argument must be correct)?

- 1 \square None of the two inputs should be removed from the model, since 0.2282 > 0.05.
- 2 \Box The outdoor temperature should be removed from the model, since 0.00211 < 0.05.
- 3 \square The outdoor temperature should be removed from the model, since 0.06454 > 0.05.
- 4^* The humidity should be removed from the model, since 0.15250 > 0.05.
- 5 \Box The humidity should be removed from the model, since 0.16622 > 0.05.

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In a backward selection step the least insignificant input is removed from the model. In this case we see that the humidity is the only insignificant input (i.e. it has *p*-value above the significance level for the test of being different from zero), and hence is must be removed.

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Question VI.6 (25)

In the model summary from the previous question it is stated that Multiple R-squared: 0.2282. Which of the following statements is correct?

- 1 There is a positive correlation between Efficiency and Toutdoor because the multiple R-squared value is positive.
- $2 \square 0.2282\%$ of the variance in Efficiency is explained by the model.
- 3^* \square 22.82% of the variance in Efficiency is explained by the model.
 - 4 There is a positive correlation between Humidity and Efficiency because the multiple R-squared value is positive.
 - 5 \Box $(1 0.2282) \cdot 100 = 77.18\%$ of the variance in Efficiency is explained by the model.

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multiple R-squared = R^2 = coefficient of determination

 R^2 is bound between 0 and 1. It tells something about how much variance in y is explained by the model. Please note that the question is NOT about the correlation coefficient r!

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Exercise VII

A family is playing an old game called Mouse. In this game 10 pieces of candy are put on a plate. One family member is the player and looks away, while the others point to 2 pieces of candy, which are then called the "mice". The player now selects one piece at a time. If the selected one is a mouse, the turn is over and the player keeps all the pieces picked up before selecting the "mouse". It can be assumed that the player selects the pieces completely at random.

Question VII.1 (26)

What is the probability that the player gets all 8 possible pieces?

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This is an experiment which follows the hypergeometric distribution, hence it is "count the number of successes in n binary draws without replacement). The answer can be found in the following different ways:

dhyper(8, 8, 2, 8)
[1] 0.02222222
dhyper(0, 2, 8, 8)
[1] 0.02222222
8/10 * 7/9 * 6/8 * 5/7 * 4/6 * 3/5 * 2/4 * 1/3
[1] 0.02222222
2/10 * 1/9
[1] 0.02222222

Question VII.2 (27)

If the player already got 5 pieces without picking the mouse, what is then the probability that the player will get all 8 possible pieces?

$1 \square$	$\bigcirc 5\%$		
$2 \square$	3 8%		
3* 🗆	\Box 10%		
4	\Box 16%		
$5 \square$	$\Box 20\%$		

Same thing as previous question 'drawing with replacement', so it is hyper geometric, just that now the player has to select 3 out of 5:

dhyper(3, 3, 2, 3)
[1] 0.1
dhyper(0, 2, 3, 3)
[1] 0.1
3/5 * 2/4 * 1/3
[1] 0.1

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Question VII.3 (28)

Sometimes when buying candy, it is actually passed the expiration date. For products in a particular shop it is known that there is a 20% probability that a product is expired. If 10 products are randomly selected, what is the probability that at least 2 products are expired?

 1
 32.2%

 2^* 62.4%

 3
 72.5%

 4
 89.3%

 5
 93.1%

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This is a binomial experiment, hence 'with replacement'. We get the information that the success probability is p = 0.2, and it is "at least" two, so it is one minus the probability of 'less than or equal to 1':

1 - pbinom(1, 10, 0.2) ## [1] 0.6241904

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Exercise VIII

Question VIII.1 (29)

At a pharmaceutical company one is interested in designing an experiment which is able to detect a effect size $\mu_0 - \mu_1$. In a typical one-sample scenario we would like to detect $\mu_0 - \mu_1 = 0.3$. Assume $\alpha = 0.05$ and a population standard deviation $\sigma = 1.5$. How many observations should at least be measured in order to facilitate a statistical power of at least 80%?

1 \Box We can't answer this question without additional specification of the confidence interval width.

2* □ 197
3 □ 393
4 □ 412
5 □ 257
----- FACIT-BEGIN -----ME <- 0.3
alpha<-0.05
beta <- 0.2
sig <- 1.5
(sig*(qnorm(0.975)+qnorm(0.8))/ME)^2
[1] 196.222</pre>

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Question VIII.2 (30)

Which statement regarding the R-output below is correct?

##
Two-sample t test power calculation
##
n = 50
delta = 2
sd = 4.6
sig.level = 0.05
power = 0.576369

alternative = two.sided
##
NOTE: n is number in *each* group

- $1 \square$ The statistical power is 58%. It is the probability of making a type II error.
- 2^* The statistical power is 58%. Hence, the probability of making a type II error is approx. 42%.
- 3 If we would measure 60 observations instead of 50 in each group we would decrease the power of the statistical analysis.
- 4 \Box The statistical power is 58%. Hence, the probability of making a type I error is approx. 42%.
- 5 \Box The statistical power is 58%. It is the probability of making a type I error.

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The probability of making a Type II error is defined such that $P("TypeII") = 1 - \beta$, hence answer two is correct. Please note that increasing sample size n will always lead to higher stasticical power, hence answer four must be wrong.

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The exam is finished. Enjoy the summer!