

## Chapter 15: Nonparametric Statistics

- 15.1** Let  $Y$  have a binomial distribution with  $n = 25$  and  $p = .5$ . For the two-tailed sign test, the test rejects for extreme values (either too large or too small) of the test statistic whose null distribution is the same as  $Y$ . So, Table 1 in Appendix III can be used to define rejection regions that correspond to various significant levels. Thus:

Rejection region	$\alpha$
$Y \leq 6$ or $Y \geq 19$	$P(Y \leq 6) + P(Y \geq 19) = .014$
$Y \leq 7$ or $Y \geq 18$	$P(Y \leq 7) + P(Y \geq 18) = .044$
$Y \leq 8$ or $Y \geq 17$	$P(Y \leq 8) + P(Y \geq 17) = .108$

- 15.2** Let  $p = P(\text{blood levels are elevated after training})$ . We will test  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p > .5$ .

- a.** Since  $m = 15$ , so  $p$ -value =  $P(M \geq 15) = \binom{17}{15}.5^{17} + \binom{17}{16}.5^{17} + \binom{17}{17}.5^{17} = 0.0012$ .
- b.** Reject  $H_0$ .
- c.**  $P(M \geq 15) = P(M > 14.5) \approx P(Z > 2.91) = .0018$ , which is very close to part **a**.

- 15.3** Let  $p = P(\text{recovery rate for A exceeds B})$ . We will test  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p \neq .5$ . The data are:

Hospital	A	B	Sign(A - B)
1	75.0	85.4	-
2	69.8	83.1	-
3	85.7	80.2	+
4	74.0	74.5	-
5	69.0	70.0	-
6	83.3	81.5	+
7	68.9	75.4	-
8	77.8	79.2	-
9	72.2	85.4	-
10	77.4	80.4	-

- a.** From the above,  $m = 2$  so the  $p$ -value is given by  $2P(M \leq 2) = .110$ . Thus, in order to reject  $H_0$ , it would have been necessary that the significance level  $\alpha \geq .110$ . Since this is fairly large,  $H_0$  would probably not be rejected.
- b.** The  $t$ -test has a normality assumption that may not be appropriate for these data. Also, since the sample size is relatively small, a large-sample test couldn't be used either.
- 15.4** **a.** Let  $p = P(\text{school A exceeds school B in test score})$ . For  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p \neq .5$ , the test statistic is  $M = \#$  of times school A exceeds school B in test score. From the table, we find  $m = 7$ . So, the  $p$ -value =  $2P(M \geq 7) = 2P(M \leq 3) = 2(.172) = .344$ . With  $\alpha = .05$ , we fail to reject  $H_0$ .
- b.** For the one-tailed test,  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p > .5$ . Here, the  $p$ -value =  $P(M \geq 7) = .173$  so we would still fail to reject  $H_0$ .

**15.5** Let  $p = P(\text{judge favors mixture B})$ . For  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p \neq .5$ , the test statistic is  $M = \#$  of judges favoring mixture B. Since the observed value is  $m = 2$ ,  $p\text{-value} = 2P(M \leq 2) = 2(.055) = .11$ . Thus,  $H_0$  is not rejected at the  $\alpha = .05$  level.

**15.6 a.** Let  $p = P(\text{high elevation exceeds low elevation})$ . For  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p > .5$ , the test statistic is  $M = \#$  of nights where high elevation exceeds low elevation. Since the observed value is  $m = 9$ ,  $p\text{-value} = P(M \geq 9) = .011$ . Thus, the data favors  $H_a$ .

**b.** Extreme temperatures, such as the minimum temperatures in this example, often have skewed distributions, making the assumptions of the  $t$ -test invalid.

**15.7 a.** Let  $p = P(\text{response for stimulus 1 is greater than for stimulus 2})$ . The hypotheses are  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p > .5$ , and the test statistic is  $M = \#$  of times response for stimulus 1 exceeds stimulus 2. If it is required that  $\alpha \leq .05$ , note that

$$P(M \leq 1) + P(M \geq 8) = .04,$$

where  $M$  is binomial( $n = 9, p = .5$ ) under  $H_0$ . Our rejection region is the set  $\{0, 1, 8, 9\}$ . From the table,  $m = 2$  so we fail to reject  $H_0$ .

**b.** The proper test is the paired  $t$ -test. So, with  $H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$  vs  $H_a: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq 0$ , the summary statistics are  $\bar{d} = -1.022$  and  $s_D^2 = 3.467$ , the computed test statistic is

$$|t| = \frac{|-1.022|}{\sqrt{\frac{3.467}{9}}} = 1.65 \text{ with 8 degrees of freedom. Since } t_{.025} = 2.306, \text{ we fail to reject } H_0.$$

**15.8** Let  $p = P(B \text{ exceeds } A)$ . For  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p \neq .5$ , the test statistic is  $M = \#$  of technicians for which  $B$  exceeds  $A$  with  $n = 7$  (since one tied pair is deleted). The observed value of  $M$  is 1, so the  $p\text{-value} = 2P(M \leq 1) = .125$ , so  $H_0$  is not rejected.

**15.9 a.** Since two pairs are tied,  $n = 10$ . Let  $p = P(\text{before exceeds after})$  so that  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p > .5$ . From the table,  $m = 9$  so the  $p\text{-value}$  is  $P(M \geq 9) = .011$ . Thus,  $H_0$  is not rejected with  $\alpha = .01$ .

**b.** Since the observations are counts (and thus integers), the paired  $t$ -test would be inappropriate due to its normal assumption.

**15.10** There are  $n$  ranks to be assigned. Thus,  $T^+ + T^- = \text{sum of all ranks} = \sum_{i=1}^n i = n(n+1)/2$  (see Appendix I).

**15.11** From Ex. 15.10,  $T^- = n(n+1)/2 - T^+$ . If  $T^+ > n(n+1)/4$ , it must be so that  $T^- < n(n+1)/4$ . Therefore, since  $T = \min(T^+, T^-)$ ,  $T = T^-$ .

**15.12 a.** Define  $d_i$  to be the difference between the math score and the art score for the  $i^{\text{th}}$  student,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 15$ . Then,  $T^+ = 14$  and  $T^- = 106$ . So,  $T = 14$  and from Table 9, since  $14 < 16$ ,  $p\text{-value} < .01$ . Thus  $H_0$  is rejected.

**b.**  $H_0$ : identical population distributions for math and art scores vs.  $H_a$ : population distributions differ by location.

**15.13** Define  $d_i$  to be the difference between school A and school B. The differences, along with the ranks of  $|d_i|$  are given below.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$d_i$	28	5	-4	15	12	-2	7	9	-3	13
rank $ d_i $	13	4	3	9	7	1	5	6	2	8

Then,  $T^+ = 49$  and  $T^- = 6$  so  $T = 6$ . Indexing  $n = 10$  in Table 9,  $.02 < T < .05$  so  $H_0$  would be rejected if  $\alpha = .05$ . This is a different decision from Ex. 15.4

**15.14** Using the data from Ex. 15.6,  $T^- = 1$  and  $T^+ = 54$ , so  $T = 1$ . From Table 9,  $p$ -value  $< .005$  for this one-tailed test and thus  $H_0$  is rejected.

**15.15** Here, R is used:

```
> x <- c(126,117,115,118,118,128,125,120)
> y <- c(130,118,125,120,121,125,130,120)
> wilcox.test(x,y,paired=T,alt="less",correct=F)
```

Wilcoxon signed rank test

```
data: x and y
V = 3.5, p-value = 0.0377
alternative hypothesis: true mu is less than 0
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The test statistic is  $T = 3.5$  so  $H_0$  is rejected with  $\alpha = .05$ .

**15.16 a.** The sign test statistic is  $m = 8$ . Thus,  $p$ -value  $= 2P(M \geq 8) = .226$  (computed using a binomial with  $n = 11$  and  $p = .5$ ).  $H_0$  should not be rejected.

**b.** For the Wilcoxon signed-rank test,  $T^+ = 51.5$  and  $T^- = 14.5$  with  $n = 11$ . With  $\alpha = .05$ , the rejection region is  $\{T \leq 11\}$  so  $H_0$  is not rejected.

**15.17** From the sample,  $T^+ = 44$  and  $T^- = 11$  with  $n = 10$  (two ties). With  $T = 11$ , we reject  $H_0$  with  $\alpha = .05$  using Table 9.

**15.18** Using the data from Ex. 12.16:

$d_i$	3	6.1	2	4	2.5	8.9	.8	4.2	9.8	3.3	2.3	3.7	2.5	-1.8	7.5
$ d_i $	3	6.1	2	4	2.5	8.9	.8	4.2	9.8	3.3	2.3	3.7	2.5	1.8	7.5
rank	7	12	3	10	5.5	14	1	11	15	8	4	9	5.5	2	13

Thus,  $T^+ = 118$  and  $T^- = 2$  with  $n = 15$ . From Table 9, since  $T^- < 16$ ,  $p$ -value  $< .005$  (a one-tailed test) so  $H_0$  is rejected.

**15.19** Recall for a continuous random variable  $Y$ , the median  $\xi$  is a value such that  $P(Y > \xi) = P(Y < \xi) = .5$ . It is desired to test  $H_0: \xi = \xi_0$  vs.  $H_a: \xi \neq \xi_0$ .

- a. Define  $D_i = Y_i - \xi_0$  and let  $M = \#$  of negative differences. Very large or very small values of  $M$  (compared against a binomial distribution with  $p = .5$ ) lead to a rejection.
- b. As in part a, define  $D_i = Y_i - \xi_0$  and rank the  $D_i$  according to their absolute values according to the Wilcoxon signed-rank test.

**15.20** Using the results in Ex. 15.19, we have  $H_0: \xi = 15,000$  vs.  $H_a: \xi > 15,000$  The differences  $d_i = y_i - 15000$  are:

$d_i$	-200	1900	3000	4100	-1800	3500	5000	4200	100	1500
$ d_i $	200	1900	3000	4100	1800	3500	5000	4200	100	1500
rank	2	5	6	8	4	7	10	9	1	3

- a. With the sign test,  $m = 2$ ,  $p$ -value =  $P(M \leq 2) = .055$  ( $n = 10$ ) so  $H_0$  is rejected.
- b.  $T^+ = 49$  and  $T^- = 6$  so  $T = 6$ . From Table 9,  $.01 < p$ -value  $< .025$  so  $H_0$  is rejected.
- 15.21** a.  $U = 4(7) + \frac{1}{2}(4)(5) - 34 = 4$ . Thus, the  $p$ -value =  $P(U \leq 4) = .0364$
- b.  $U = 5(9) + \frac{1}{2}(5)(6) - 25 = 35$ . Thus, the  $p$ -value =  $P(U \geq 35) = P(U \leq 10) = .0559$ .
- c.  $U = 3(6) + \frac{1}{2}(3)(4) - 23 = 1$ . Thus,  $p$ -value =  $2P(U \leq 1) = 2(.0238) = .0476$

**15.22** To test:  $H_0$ : the distributions of ampakine CX-516 are equal for the two groups  
 $H_a$ : the distributions of ampakine CX-516 differ by a shift in location

The samples of ranks are:

Age group											
20s	20	11	7.5	14	7.5	16.5	2	18.5	3.5	7.5	$W_A = 108$
65-70	1	16.5	7.5	14	11	14	5	11	18.5	3.5	$W_B = 102$

Thus,  $U = 100 + 10(11)/2 - 108 = 47$ . By Table 8,

$$p\text{-value} = 2P(U \leq 47) > 2P(U \leq 39) = 2(.2179) = .4358.$$

Thus, there is not enough evidence to conclude that the population distributions of ampakine CX-516 are different for the two age groups.

**15.23** The hypotheses to be tested are:

$H_0$ : the population distributions for plastics 1 and 2 are equal

$H_a$ : the populations distributions differ by location

The data (with ranks in parentheses) are:

Plastic 1	15.3 (2)	18.7 (6)	22.3 (10)	17.6 (4)	19.1 (7)	14.8 (1)
Plastic 2	21.2 (9)	22.4 (11)	18.3 (5)	19.3 (8)	17.1 (3)	27.7 (12)

By Table 8 with  $n_1 = n_2 = 6$ ,  $P(U \leq 7) = .0465$  so  $\alpha = 2(.0465) = .093$ . The two possible values for  $U$  are  $U_A = 36 + \frac{6(7)}{2} - W_A = 27$  and  $U_B = 36 + \frac{6(7)}{2} - W_B = 9$ . So,  $U = 9$  and thus  $H_0$  is not rejected.

**15.24 a.** Here,  $U_A = 81 + \frac{9(10)}{2} - W_A = 126 - 94 = 32$  and  $U_B = 81 + \frac{9(10)}{2} - W_B = 126 - 77 = 49$ . Thus,  $U = 32$  and by Table 8,  $p$ -value  $= 2P(U \leq 32) = 2(.2447) = .4894$ .

**b.** By conducting the two sample  $t$ -test, we have  $H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0$  vs.  $H_a: \mu_1 = \mu_2 \neq 0$ . The summary statistics are  $\bar{y}_1 = 8.267$ ,  $\bar{y}_2 = 8.133$ , and  $s_p^2 = .8675$ . The computed test stat. is  $|t| = \frac{.1334}{\sqrt{.8675\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)}} = .30$  with 16 degrees of freedom. By Table 5,  $p$ -value  $> 2(.1) = .20$  so  $H_0$  is not rejected.

**c.** In part **a**, we are testing for a shift in distribution. In part **b**, we are testing for unequal means. However, since in the  $t$ -test it is assumed that both samples were drawn from normal populations with common variance, under  $H_0$  the two distributions are also equal.

**15.25** With  $n_1 = n_2 = 15$ , it is found that  $W_A = 276$  and  $W_B = 189$ . Note that although the actual failure times are not given, they are not necessary:

$$W_A = [1 + 5 + 7 + 8 + 13 + 15 + 20 + 21 + 23 + 24 + 25 + 27 + 28 + 29 + 30] = 276.$$

Thus,  $U = 354 - 276 = 69$  and since  $E(U) = \frac{n_1 n_2}{2} = 112.5$  and  $V(U) = 581.25$ ,

$$z = \frac{69 - 112.5}{\sqrt{581.25}} = -1.80.$$

Since  $-1.80 < -z_{.05} = -1.645$ , we can conclude that the experimental batteries have a longer life.

**15.26** R:  
> DDT <- c(16,5,21,19,10,5,8,2,7,2,4,9)  
> Diaz <- c(7.8,1.6,1.3)  
> wilcox.test(Diaz,DDT,correct=F)

Wilcoxon rank sum test

data: Diaz and DDT  
W = 6, p-value = 0.08271  
alternative hypothesis: true mu is not equal to 0

With  $\alpha = .10$ , we can reject  $H_0$  and conclude a difference between the populations.

**15.27** Calculate  $U_A = 4(6) + \frac{4(5)}{2} - W_A = 34 - 34 = 0$  and  $U_B = 4(6) + \frac{6(7)}{2} - W_B = 45 - 21 = 24$ . Thus, we use  $U = 0$  and from Table 8,  $p$ -value  $= 2P(U \leq 0) = 2(.0048) = .0096$ . So, we would reject  $H_0$  for  $\alpha \approx .10$ .

**15.28** Similar to previous exercises. With  $n_1 = n_2 = 12$ , the two possible values for  $U$  are  $U_A = 144 + \frac{12(13)}{2} - 89.5 = 132.5$  and  $U_B = 144 + \frac{12(13)}{2} - 210.5 = 11.5$ , but since it is required to detect a shift of the "B" observations to the right of the "A" observations, we let  $U = U_A = 132.5$ . Here, we can use the large-sample approximation. The test statistic is  $z = \frac{132.5 - 72}{\sqrt{300}} = 3.49$ , and since  $3.49 > z_{.05} = 1.645$ , we can reject  $H_0$  and conclude that rats in population "B" tend to survive longer than population A.

**15.29**  $H_0$ : the 4 distributions of mean leaf length are identical, vs.  $H_a$ : at least two are different.

```
R:
> len <-
c(5.7,6.3,6.1,6.0,5.8,6.2,6.2,5.3,5.7,6.0,5.2,5.5,5.4,5.0,6,5.6,4,5.2,
3.7,3.2,3.9,4,3.5,3.6)
> site <- factor(c(rep(1,6),rep(2,6),rep(3,6),rep(4,6)))
> kruskal.test(len~site)

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
```

```
data: len by site
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 16.974, df = 3, p-value = 0.0007155
```

We reject  $H_0$  and conclude that there is a difference in at least two of the four sites.

**15.30 a.** This is a completely randomized design.

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b. R:
> prop<-c(.33,.29,.21,.32,.23,.28,.41,.34,.39,.27,.21,.30,.26,.33,.31)
> campaign <- factor(c(rep(1,5),rep(2,5),rep(3,5)))
> kruskal.test(prop,campaign)

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
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data: prop and campaign
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 2.5491, df = 2, p-value = 0.2796
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From the above, we cannot reject  $H_0$ .

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c. R:
> wilcox.test(prop[6:10],prop[11:15], alt="greater")

Wilcoxon rank sum test
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data: prop[6:10] and prop[11:15]
W = 19, p-value = 0.1111
alternative hypothesis: true mu is greater than 0
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From the above, we fail to reject  $H_0$ : we cannot conclude that campaign 2 is more successful than campaign 3.

**15.31 a.** The summary statistics are: TSS = 14,288.933, SST = 2586.1333, SSE = 11,702.8. To test  $H_0: \mu_A = \mu_B = \mu_C$ , the test statistic is  $F = \frac{2586.1333/2}{11,702.8/12} = 1.33$  with 2 numerator and 12 denominator degrees of freedom. Since  $F_{.05} = 3.89$ , we fail to reject  $H_0$ . We assumed that the three random samples were independently drawn from separate normal populations with common variance. Life-length data is typically right skewed.

**b.** To test  $H_0$ : the population distributions are identical for the three brands, the test statistic is  $H = \frac{122}{15(16)} \left( \frac{36^2}{5} + \frac{35^2}{5} + \frac{49^2}{5} \right) - 3(16) = 1.22$  with 2 degrees of freedom. Since  $\chi_{.05}^2 = 5.99$ , we fail to reject  $H_0$ .

**15.32 a.** Using R:

```
> time<-c(20,6.5,21,16.5,12,18.5,9,14.5,16.5,4.5,2.5,14.5,12,18.5,9,
1,9,4.5, 6.5,2.5,12)
> strain<-factor(c(rep("Victoria",7),rep("Texas",7),rep("Russian",7)))
>
> kruskal.test(time~strain)
```

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test

```
data: time by strain
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 6.7197, df = 2, p-value = 0.03474
```

By the above,  $p$ -value = .03474 so there is evidence that the distributions of recovery times are not equal.

**b.** R: comparing the Victoria A and Russian strains:

```
> wilcox.test(time[1:7],time[15:21],correct=F)
```

Wilcoxon rank sum test

```
data: time[1:7] and time[15:21]
W = 43, p-value = 0.01733
alternative hypothesis: true mu is not equal to 0
```

With  $p$ -value = .01733, there is sufficient evidence that the distribution of recovery times with the two strains are different.

**15.33** R:

```
> weight <- c(22,24,16,18,19,15,21,26,16,25,17,14,28,21,19,24,23,17,
18,13,20,21)
> temp <- factor(c(rep(38,5),rep(42,6),rep(46,6),rep(50,5)))
>
> kruskal.test(weight~temp)
```

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test

```
data: weight by temp
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 2.0404, df = 3, p-value = 0.5641
```

With a  $p$ -value = .5641, we fail to reject the hypothesis that the distributions of weights are equal for the four temperatures.

**15.34** The rank sums are:  $R_A = 141$ ,  $R_B = 248$ , and  $R_C = 76$ . To test  $H_0$ : the distributions of percentages of plants with weevil damage are identical for the three chemicals, the test statistic is  $H = \frac{12}{30(31)} \left( \frac{141^2}{10} + \frac{248^2}{10} + \frac{76^2}{10} \right) - 3(31) = 19.47$ . Since  $\chi_{.005}^2 = 10.5966$ , the  $p$ -value is less than .005 and thus we conclude that the population distributions are not equal.

**15.35** By expanding  $H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 H &= \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k n_i \left( \bar{R}_i^2 - 2\bar{R}_i \frac{n+1}{2} + \frac{(n+1)^2}{4} \right) \\
 &= \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k n_i \left( \frac{R_i^2}{n_i^2} - (n+1) \frac{R_i}{n_i} + \frac{(n+1)^2}{4} \right) \\
 &= \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{R_i^2}{n_i} + \frac{12}{n} \sum_{i=1}^k R_i + \frac{3(n+1)}{n} \sum_{i=1}^k n_i \\
 &= \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{R_i^2}{n_i} + \frac{12}{n} \left( \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right) + \frac{3(n+1)}{n} \cdot n \\
 &= \frac{12}{n(n+1)} \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{R_i^2}{n_i} - 3(n+1).
 \end{aligned}$$

**15.36** There are 15 possible pairings of ranks: The statistic  $H$  is

$$H = \frac{12}{6(7)} \sum R_i^2 / 2 - 3(7) = \frac{1}{7} (\sum R_i^2 - 147).$$

The possible pairings are below, along with the value of  $H$  for each.

pairings			$H$
(1, 2)	(3, 4)	(5, 6)	32/7
(1, 2)	(3, 5)	(4, 6)	26/7
(1, 2)	(3, 6)	(5, 6)	24/7
(1, 3)	(2, 4)	(5, 6)	26/7
(1, 3)	(2, 5)	(4, 6)	18/7
(1, 3)	(2, 6)	(4, 5)	14/7
(1, 4)	(2, 3)	(5, 6)	24/7
(1, 4)	(2, 5)	(3, 6)	8/7
(1, 4)	(2, 6)	(3, 5)	6/7
(1, 5)	(2, 3)	(4, 6)	14/7
(1, 5)	(2, 4)	(3, 6)	6/7
(1, 5)	(2, 6)	(3, 4)	2/7
(1, 6)	(2, 3)	(4, 5)	8/7
(1, 6)	(2, 4)	(3, 5)	2/7
(1, 6)	(2, 5)	(3, 4)	0

Thus, the null distribution of  $H$  is (each of the above values are equally likely):

$h$	0	2/7	6/7	8/7	2	18/7	24/7	26/7	32/7
$p(h)$	1/15	2/15	2/15	2/15	2/15	1/15	2/15	2/15	1/15

**15.37** R:

```
> score <- c(4.8,8.1,5.0,7.9,3.9,2.2,9.2,2.6,9.4,7.4,6.8,6.6,3.6,5.3,  
2.1,6.2,9.6,6.5,8.5,2.0)  
> anti <- factor(c(rep("I",5),rep("II",5),rep("III",5),rep("IV",5)))  
> child <- factor(c(1:5, 1:5, 1:5, 1:5))  
> friedman.test(score ~ anti | child)
```

Friedman rank sum test

```
data: score and anti and child  
Friedman chi-squared = 1.56, df = 3, p-value = 0.6685
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- a. From the above, we do not have sufficient evidence to conclude the existence of a difference in the tastes of the antibiotics.
- b. Fail to reject  $H_0$ .
- c. Two reasons: more children would be required and the potential for significant child to child variability in the responses regarding the tastes.

**15.38** R:

```
> cadmium <- c(162.1,199.8,220,194.4,204.3,218.9,153.7,199.6,210.7,  
179,203.7,236.1,200.4,278.2,294.8,341.1,330.2,344.2)  
> harvest <- c(rep(1,6),rep(2,6),rep(3,6))  
> rate <- c(1:6,1:6,1:6)  
> friedman.test(cadmium ~ rate | harvest)
```

Friedman rank sum test

```
data: cadmium and rate and harvest  
Friedman chi-squared = 11.5714, df = 5, p-value = 0.04116
```

With  $\alpha = .01$  we fail to reject  $H_0$ : we cannot conclude that the cadmium concentrations are different for the six rates of sludge application.

**15.39** R:

```
> corrosion <- c(4.6,7.2,3.4,6.2,8.4,5.6,3.7,6.1,4.9,5.2,4.2,6.4,3.5,  
5.3,6.8,4.8,3.7,6.2,4.1,5.0,4.9,7.0,3.4,5.9,7.8,5.7,4.1,6.4,4.2,5.1)  
> sealant <- factor(c(rep("I",10),rep("II",10),rep("III",10)))  
> ingot <- factor(c(1:10,1:10,1:10))  
> friedman.test(corrosion~sealant|ingot)
```

Friedman rank sum test

```
data: corrosion and sealant and ingot  
Friedman chi-squared = 6.6842, df = 2, p-value = 0.03536
```

With  $\alpha = .05$ , we can conclude that there is a difference in the abilities of the sealers to prevent corrosion.

**15.40** A summary of the ranked data is

Ear	A	B	C
1	2	3	1
2	2	3	1
3	1	3	2
4	3	2	1
5	2	1	3
6	1	3	2
7	2.5	2.5	1
8	2	3	1
9	2	3	1
10	2	3	1

Thus,  $R_A = 19.5$ ,  $R_B = 26.5$ , and  $R_C = 14$ .

To test:  $H_0$ : distributions of aflatoxin levels are equal  
 $H_a$ : at least two distributions differ in location

$F_r = \frac{12}{10(3)(4)}[(19.5)^2 + (26.5)^2 + (14)^2] - 3(10)(4) = 7.85$  with 2 degrees of freedom. From Table 6,  $.01 < p\text{-value} < .025$  so we can reject  $H_0$ .

**15.41 a.** To carry out the Friedman test, we need the rank sums,  $R_i$ , for each model. These can be found by adding the ranks given for each model. For model A,  $R_1 = 8(15) = 120$ . For model B,  $R_2 = 4 + 2(6) + 7 + 8 + 9 + 2(14) = 68$ , etc. The  $R_i$  values are:

120, 68, 37, 61, 31, 87, 100, 34, 32, 62, 85, 75, 30, 71, 67

Thus,  $\sum R_i^2 = 71,948$  and then  $F_r = \frac{12}{8(15)(16)}[71,948 - 3(8)(16)] = 65.675$  with 14 degrees of freedom. From Table 6, we find that  $p\text{-value} < .005$  so we soundly reject the hypothesis that the 15 distributions are equal.

**b.** The highest (best) rank given to model  $H$  is lower than the lowest (worst) rank given to model  $M$ . Thus, the value of the test statistic is  $m = 0$ . Thus, using a binomial distribution with  $n = 8$  and  $p = .5$ ,  $p\text{-value} = 2P(M = 0) = 1/128$ .

**c.** For the sign test, we must know whether each judge (exclusively) preferred model  $H$  or model  $M$ . This is not given in the problem.

**15.42**  $H_0$ : the probability distributions of skin irritation scores are the same for the 3 chemicals vs.  $H_a$ : at least two of the distributions differ in location.

From the table of ranks,  $R_1 = 15$ ,  $R_2 = 19$ , and  $R_3 = 14$ . The test statistic is

$$F_r = \frac{12}{8(3)(4)}[(15)^2 + (19)^2 + (14)^2] - 3(8)(4) = 1.75$$

with 2 degrees of freedom. Since  $\chi_{.01}^2 = 9.21034$ , we fail to reject  $H_0$ : there is not enough evidence to conclude that the chemicals cause different degrees of irritation.

**15.43** If  $k = 2$  and  $b = n$ , then  $F_r = \frac{2}{n}(R_1^2 + R_2^2) - 9n$ . For  $R_1 = 2n - M$  and  $R_2 = n + M$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} F_r &= \frac{2}{n}[(2n - M)^2 + (n + M)^2] - 9n \\ &= \frac{2}{n}[(4n^2 - 4nM + M^2) + (n^2 + 2nM + M^2) - 4.5n^2] \\ &= \frac{2}{n}(-.5n^2 - 2nM + 2M^2) \\ &= \frac{4}{n}(M^2 - nM - \frac{1}{4}n^2) \\ &= \frac{4}{n}(M - \frac{1}{2}n)^2 \end{aligned}$$

The  $Z$  statistic from Section 15.3 is  $Z = \frac{M - \frac{1}{2}n}{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{n}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{n}}(M - \frac{1}{2}n)$ . So,  $Z^2 = F_r$ .

**15.44** Using the hints given in the problem,

$$\begin{aligned} F_r &= \frac{12b}{k(k+1)} \sum (\bar{R}_i^2 - 2\bar{R}_i\bar{R} + \bar{R}^2) = \frac{12b}{k(k+1)} \sum (R_i^2 / b^2 - (k+1)R_i / b + (k+1)^2 / 4) \\ &= \frac{12b}{k(k+1)} \sum R_i^2 / b^2 - \frac{12}{k} \frac{bk(k+1)}{2} + \frac{12b(k+1)k}{4k} = \frac{12}{bk(k+1)} \sum R_i^2 - 3b(k+1). \end{aligned}$$

**15.45** This is similar to Ex. 15.36. We need only work about the  $3! = 6$  possible rank pairing. They are listed below, with the  $R_i$  values and  $F_r$ . When  $b = 2$  and  $k = 3$ ,  $F_r = \frac{1}{2}\sum R_i^2 - 24$ .

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	1	2
2	2	4
3	3	6

$F_r = 4$

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	1	2
2	3	5
3	2	5

$F_r = 3$

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	2	3
2	1	3
3	3	6

$F_r = 3$

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	2	3
2	3	5
3	1	4

$F_r = 1$

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	3	4
2	1	3
3	2	5

$F_r = 1$

Block		
1	2	$R_i$
1	3	4
2	2	4
3	1	4

$F_r = 0$

Thus, with each value being equally likely, the null distribution is given by

$$P(F_r = 0) = P(F_r = 4) = 1/6 \text{ and } P(F_r = 1) = P(F_r = 3) = 1/3.$$

**15.46** Using Table 10, indexing row (5, 5):

**a.**  $P(R = 2) = P(R \leq 2) = .008$  (minimum value is 2).

**b.**  $P(R \leq 3) = .040$ .

**c.**  $P(R \leq 4) = .167$ .

**15.47** Here,  $n_1 = 5$  (blacks hired),  $n_2 = 8$  (whites hired), and  $R = 6$ . From Table 10,

$$p\text{-value} = 2P(R \leq 6) = 2(.347) = .694.$$

So, there is no evidence of nonrandom racial selection.

**15.48** The hypotheses are  $H_0$ : no contagion (randomly diseased)

$H_a$ : contagion (not randomly diseased)

Since contagion would be indicated by a grouping of diseased trees, a small number of runs tends to support the alternative hypothesis. The computed test statistic is  $R = 5$ , so with  $n_1 = n_2 = 5$ ,  $p\text{-value} = .357$  from Table 10. Thus, we cannot conclude there is evidence of contagion.

**15.49 a.** To find  $P(R \leq 11)$  with  $n_1 = 11$  and  $n_2 = 23$ , we can rely on the normal approximation. Since  $E(R) = \frac{2(11)(23)}{11+23} + 1 = 15.88$  and  $V(R) = 6.2607$ , we have (in the second step the continuity correction is applied)

$$P(R \leq 11) = P(R < 11.5) \approx P(Z < \frac{11.5 - 15.88}{\sqrt{6.2607}}) = P(Z < -1.75) = .0401.$$

**b.** From the sequence, the observed value of  $R = 11$ . Since an unusually large or small number of runs would imply a non-randomness of defectives, we employ a two-tailed test. Thus, since the  $p\text{-value} = 2P(R \leq 11) \approx 2(.0401) = .0802$ , significance evidence for non-randomness does not exist here.

**15.50 a.** The measurements are classified as  $A$  if they lie above the mean and  $B$  if they fall below. The sequence of runs is given by

A A A A A B B B B B A B A B A

Thus,  $R = 7$  with  $n_1 = n_2 = 8$ . Now, non-random fluctuation would be implied by a small number of runs, so by Table 10,  $p\text{-value} = P(R \leq 7) = .217$  so non-random fluctuation cannot be concluded.

**b.** By dividing the data into equal parts,  $\bar{y}_1 = 68.05$  (first row) and  $\bar{y}_2 = 67.29$  (second row) with  $s_p^2 = 7.066$ . For the two-sample t-test,  $|t| = \frac{|68.05 - 67.27|}{\sqrt{7.066(\frac{2}{8})}} = .57$  with 14 degrees of freedom. Since  $t_{.05} = 1.761$ ,  $H_0$  cannot be rejected.

**15.51** From Ex. 15.18, let  $A$  represent school  $A$  and let  $B$  represent school  $B$ . The sequence of runs is given by

A B A B A B B B A B B A A B A B A A

Notice that the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> letters and the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> letters in the sequence represent the two pairs of tied observations. If the tied observations were reversed in the sequence of runs, the value of  $R$  would remain the same:  $R = 13$ . Hence the order of the tied observations is irrelevant.

The alternative hypothesis asserts that the two distributions are not identical. Therein, a small number of runs would be expected since most of the observations from school  $A$  would fall below those from school  $B$ . So, a one-tailed test is employed (lower tail) so the  $p$ -value =  $P(R \leq 13) = .956$ . Thus, we fail to reject the null hypothesis (similar with Ex. 15.18).

- 15.52** Refer to Ex. 15.25. In this exercise,  $n_1 = 15$  and  $n_2 = 16$ . If the experimental batteries have a greater mean life, we would expect that most of the observations from plant  $B$  to be smaller than those from plant  $A$ . Consequently, the number of runs would be small. To use the large sample test, note that  $E(R) = 16$  and  $V(R) = 7.24137$ . Thus, since  $R = 15$ , the approximate  $p$ -value is given by

$$P(R \leq 15) = P(R < 15.5) \approx P(Z < -.1858) = .4263.$$

Of course, the hypotheses  $H_0$ : the two distributions are equal, would not be rejected.

- 15.53** R:

```
> grader <- c(9,6,7,7,5,8,2,6,1,10,9,3)
> moisture <- c(.22,.16,.17,.14,.12,.19,.10,.12,.05,.20,.16,.09)
> cor(grader,moisture,method="spearman")
[1] 0.911818
```

Thus,  $r_S = .911818$ . To test for association with  $\alpha = .05$ , index .025 in Table 11 so the rejection region is  $|r_S| > .591$ . Thus, we can safely conclude that the two variables are correlated.

- 15.54** R:

```
> days <- c(30,47,26,94,67,83,36,77,43,109,56,70)
> rating <- c(4.3,3.6,4.5,2.8,3.3,2.7,4.2,3.9,3.6,2.2,3.1,2.9)
> cor.test(days,rating,method="spearman")
```

Spearman's rank correlation rho

```
data: days and rating
S = 537.44, p-value = 0.0001651
alternative hypothesis: true rho is not equal to 0
sample estimates:
rho
-0.8791607
```

From the above,  $r_S = -.8791607$  and the  $p$ -value for the test  $H_0$ : there is no association is given by  $p$ -value = .0001651. Thus,  $H_0$  is rejected.

- 15.55** R:

```
> rank <- c(8,5,10,3,6,1,4,7,9,2)
> score <- c(74,81,66,83,66,94,96,70,61,86)
> cor.test(rank,score,alt = "less",method="spearman")
```

Spearman's rank correlation rho

```
data: rank and score
S = 304.4231, p-value = 0.001043
alternative hypothesis: true rho is less than 0
sample estimates:
rho
-0.8449887
```

- a.** From the above,  $r_S = -.8449887$ .  
**b.** With the  $p$ -value = .001043, we can conclude that there exists a negative association between the interview rank and test score. Note that we only showed that the correlation is negative and not that the association has some specified level.

**15.56** R:

```
> rating <- c(12,7,5,19,17,12,9,18,3,8,15,4)
> distance <- c(75,165,300,15,180,240,120,60,230,200,130,130)
> cor.test(rating,distance,alt = "less",method="spearman")
```

Spearman's rank correlation rho

```
data: rating and distance
S = 455.593, p-value = 0.02107
alternative hypothesis: true rho is less than 0
sample estimates:
rho
-0.5929825
```

- a.** From the above,  $r_S = -.5929825$ .  
**b.** With the  $p$ -value = .02107, we can conclude that there exists a negative association between rating and distance.

**15.57** The ranks for the two variables of interest  $x_i$  and  $y_i$  corresponding the math and art, respectively) are shown in the table below.

Student	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
$R(x_i)$	1	3	2	4	5	7.5	7.5	9	10.5	12	13.5	6	13.5	15	10.5
$R(y_i)$	5	11.5	1	2	3.5	8.5	3.5	13	6	15	11.5	7	10	14	8.5

Then,  $r_S = \frac{15(1148.5) - 120(120)}{\sqrt{[15(1238.5) - 120^2]^2}} = .6768$  (the formula simplifies as shown since the

samples of ranks are identical for both math and art). From Table 11 and with  $\alpha = .10$ , the rejection region is  $|r_S| > .441$  and thus we can conclude that there is a correlation between math and art scores.

**15.58** R:

```
> bending <- c(419,407,363,360,257,622,424,359,346,556,474,441)
> twisting <- c(227,231,200,211,182,304,384,194,158,225,305,235)
> cor.test(bending,twisting,method="spearman",alt="greater")
```

Spearman's rank correlation rho

```
data: bending and twisting
S = 54, p-value = 0.001097
alternative hypothesis: true rho is greater than 0
sample estimates:
      rho
0.8111888
```

- a. From the above,  $r_S = .8111888$ .
- b. With a  $p$ -value = .001097, we can conclude that there is existence of a population association between bending and twisting stiffness.

**15.59** The data are ranked below; since there are no ties in either sample, the alternate formula for  $r_S$  will be used.

$R(x_i)$	2	3	1	4	6	8	5	10	7	9
$R(y_i)$	2	3	1	4	6	8	5	10	7	9
$d_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Thus,  $r_S = 1 - \frac{6[(0)^2+(0)^2+\dots+(0)^2]}{10(99)} = 1 - 0 = 1$ .

From Table 11, note that  $1 > .794$  so the  $p$ -value  $< .005$  and we soundly conclude that there is a positive correlation between the two variables.

**15.60** It is found that  $r_S = .9394$  with  $n = 10$ . From Table 11, the  $p$ -value  $< 2(.005) = .01$  so we can conclude that correlation is present.

**15.61 a.** Since all five judges rated the three products, this is a randomized block design.

**b.** Since the measurements are ordinal values and thus integers, the normal theory would not apply.

**c.** Given the response to part b, we can employ the Friedman test. In R, this is (using the numbers 1–5 to denote the judges):

```
> rating <- c(16,16,14,15,13,9,7,8,16,11,7,8,4,9,2)
> brand <- factor(c(rep("HC",5),rep("S",5),rep("EB",5)))
> judge <- c(1:5,1:5,1:5)
> friedman.test(rating ~ brand | judge)
```

Friedman rank sum test

```
data: rating and brand and judge
Friedman chi-squared = 6.4, df = 2, p-value = 0.04076
```

With the (approximate)  $p$ -value = .04076, we can conclude that the distributions for rating the egg substitutes are not the same.

- 15.62** Let  $p = P(\text{gourmet } A\text{'s rating exceeds gourmet } B\text{'s rating for a given meal})$ . The hypothesis of interest is  $H_0: p = .5$  vs  $H_a: p \neq .5$ . With  $M = \#$  of meals for which  $A$  is superior, we find that

$$P(M \leq 4) + P(M \geq 13) = 2P(M \leq 4) = .04904.$$

using a binomial calculation with  $n = 17$  (3 were ties) and  $p = .5$ . From the table,  $m = 8$  so we fail to reject  $H_0$ .

- 15.63** Using the Wilcoxon signed-rank test,

```
> A <- c(6,4,7,8,2,7,9,7,2,4,6,8,4,3,6,9,9,4,4,5)
> B <- c(8,5,4,7,3,4,9,8,5,3,9,5,2,3,8,10,8,6,3,5)
> wilcox.test(A,B,paired=T)
```

Wilcoxon signed rank test

```
data: A and B
V = 73.5, p-value = 0.9043
alternative hypothesis: true mu is not equal to 0
```

With the  $p$ -value = .9043, the hypothesis of equal distributions is not rejected (as in Ex. 15.63).

- 15.64** For the Mann-Whitney  $U$  test,  $W_A = 126$  and  $W_B = 45$ . So, with  $n_1 = n_2 = 9$ ,  $U_A = 0$  and  $U_B = 81$ . From Table 8, the lower tail of the two-tailed rejection region is  $\{U \leq 18\}$  with  $\alpha = 2(.0252) = .0504$ . With  $U = 0$ , we soundly reject the null hypothesis and conclude that the deaf children do differ in eye movement rate.
- 15.65** With  $n_1 = n_2 = 8$ ,  $U_A = 46.5$  and  $U_B = 17.5$ . From Table 8, the hypothesis of no difference will be rejected if  $U \leq 13$  with  $\alpha = 2(.0249) = .0498$ . Since our  $U = 17.5$ , we fail to reject  $H_0$  (same as in Ex. 13.1).

- 15.66 a.** The measurements are ordered below according to magnitude as mentioned in the exercise (from the “outside in”):

Instrument	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>A</i>
Response	1060.21	1060.24	1060.27	1060.28	1060.30	1060.32	1060.34	1060.36	1060.40
Rank	1	3	5	7	9	8	6	4	2

To test  $H_0: \sigma_A^2 = \sigma_B^2$  vs.  $H_a: \sigma_A^2 > \sigma_B^2$ , we use the Mann-Whitney  $U$  statistic. If  $H_a$  is true, then the measurements for  $A$  should be assigned lower ranks. For the significance level, we will use  $\alpha = P(U \leq 3) = .056$ . From the above table, the values are  $U_1 = 17$  and  $U_2 = 3$ . So, we reject  $H_0$ .

- b.** For the two samples,  $s_A^2 = .00575$  and  $s_B^2 = .00117$ . Thus,  $F = .00575/.00117 = 4.914$  with 4 numerator and 3 denominator degrees of freedom. From R:

```
> 1 - pf(4.914, 4, 3)
[1] 0.1108906
```

Since the  $p$ -value = .1108906,  $H_0$  would not be rejected.

**15.67** First, obviously  $P(U \leq 2) = P(U = 0) + P(U = 1) + P(U = 2)$ . Denoting the five observations from samples 1 and 2 as  $A$  and  $B$  respectively (and  $n_1 = n_2 = 5$ ), the only sample point associated with  $U = 0$  is

$B B B B B A A A A A$

because there are no  $A$ 's preceding any of the  $B$ 's. The only sample point associated with  $U = 1$  is

$B B B B A B A A A A$

since only one  $A$  observation precedes a  $B$  observation. Finally, there are two sample points associated with  $U = 2$ :

$B B B A B B A A A A$                        $B B B B A A B A A A$

Now, under the null hypothesis all of the  $\binom{10}{5} = 252$  orderings are equally likely. Thus,

$$P(U \leq 2) = 4/252 = 1/63 = .0159.$$

**15.68** Let  $Y = \#$  of positive differences and let  $T =$  the rank sum of the positive differences. Then, we must find  $P(T \leq 2) = P(T = 0) + P(T = 1) + P(T = 2)$ . Now, consider the three pairs of observations and the ranked differences according to magnitude. Let  $d_1, d_2,$  and  $d_3$  denote the ranked differences. The possible outcomes are:

$d_1$	$d_2$	$d_3$	$Y$	$T$
+	+	+	3	6
-	+	+	2	5
+	-	+	2	4
+	+	-	2	3
-	-	+	1	3
-	+	-	1	2
+	-	-	1	1
-	-	-	0	0

Now, under  $H_0$   $Y$  is binomial with  $n = 3$  and  $p = P(A \text{ exceeds } B) = .5$ . Thus,  $P(T = 0) = P(T = 0, Y = 0) = P(Y = 0)P(T = 0 | Y = 0) = .125(1) = .125$ .

Similarly,  $P(T = 1) = P(T = 1, Y = 1) = P(Y = 1)P(T = 1 | Y = 1) = .375(1/3) = .125$ , since conditionally when  $Y = 1$ , there are three possible values for  $T$  (1, 2, or 3).

Finally,  $P(T = 2) = P(T = 2, Y = 1) = P(Y = 1)P(T = 2 | Y = 1) = .375(1/3) = .125$ , using similar logic as in the above.

Thus,  $P(T \leq 2) = .125 + .125 + .125 = .375$ .

**15.69 a.** A composite ranking of the data is:

Line 1	Line 2	Line 3
19	14	2
16	10	15
12	5	4
20	13	11
3	9	1
18	17	8
21	7	6
$R_1 = 109$	$R_2 = 75$	$R_3 = 47$

Thus,

$$H = \frac{12}{21(22)} \left[ \frac{109^2}{7} + \frac{75^2}{7} + \frac{47^2}{7} \right] = 3(22) = 7.154$$

with 2 degrees of freedom. Since  $\chi_{.05}^2 = 5.99147$ , we can reject the claim that the population distributions are equal.

**15.70 a. R:**

```
> rating <- c(20,19,20,18,17,17,11,13,15,14,16,16,15,13,18,11,8,
12,10,14,9,10)
> supervisor <- factor(c(rep("I",5),rep("II",6),rep("III",5),
rep("IV",6)))
> kruskal.test(rating~supervisor)
```

Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test

```
data: rating by supervisor
Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 14.6847, df = 3, p-value = 0.002107
```

With a  $p$ -value = .002107, we can conclude that one or more of the supervisors tend to receive higher ratings

**b.** To conduct a Mann–Whitney  $U$  test for only supervisors I and III,

```
> wilcox.test(rating[12:16],rating[1:5], correct=F)
```

Wilcoxon rank sum test

```
data: rating[12:16] and rating[1:5]
W = 1.5, p-value = 0.02078
alternative hypothesis: true mu is not equal to 0
```

Thus, with a  $p$ -value = .02078, we can conclude that the distributions of ratings for supervisors I and III differ by location.

- 15.71** Using Friedman's test (people are blocks),  $R_1 = 19$ ,  $R_2 = 21.5$ ,  $R_3 = 27.5$  and  $R_4 = 32$ . To test  $H_0$ : the distributions for the items are equal vs.  $H_a$ : at least two of the distributions are different

the test statistic is  $F_r = \frac{12}{10(4)(5)} [19^2 + (21.5)^2 + (27.5)^2 + 32^2] - 3(10)(5) = 6.21$ .

With 3 degrees of freedom,  $\chi_{.05}^2 = 7.81473$  and so  $H_0$  is not rejected.

- 15.72** In R:

```
> perform <- c(20,25,30,37,24,16,22,25,40,26,20,18,24,27,39,41,21,25)
> group <- factor(c(1:6,1:6,1:6))
> method <- factor(c(rep("lect",6),rep("demonst",6),rep("machine",6)))
> friedman.test(perform ~ method | group)
```

Friedman rank sum test

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data: perform and method and group
Friedman chi-squared = 4.2609, df = 2, p-value = 0.1188
```

With a  $p$ -value = .1188, it is unwise to reject the claim of equal teach method effectiveness, so fail to reject  $H_0$ .

- 15.73** Following the methods given in Section 15.9, we must obtain the probability of observing exactly  $Y_1$  runs of  $S$  and  $Y_2$  runs of  $F$ , where  $Y_1 + Y_2 = R$ . The joint probability mass functions for  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  is given by

$$p(y_1, y_2) = \frac{\binom{7}{y_1-1} \binom{7}{y_2-1}}{\binom{16}{8}}.$$

- (1) For the event  $R = 2$ , this will only occur if  $Y_1 = 1$  and  $Y_2 = 1$ , with either the  $S$  elements or the  $F$  elements beginning the sequence. Thus,

$$P(R = 2) = 2p(1, 1) = \frac{2}{12,870}.$$

- (2) For  $R = 3$ , this will occur if  $Y_1 = 1$  and  $Y_2 = 2$  or  $Y_1 = 2$  and  $Y_2 = 1$ . So,

$$P(R = 3) = p(1, 2) + p(2, 1) = \frac{14}{12,870}.$$

- (3) Similarly,  $P(R = 4) = 2p(2, 2) = \frac{98}{12,870}$ .

- (4) Likewise,  $P(R = 5) = p(3, 2) + p(2, 3) = \frac{294}{12,870}$ .

- (5) In the same manor,  $P(R = 6) = 2p(3, 3) = \frac{882}{12,870}$ .

Thus,  $P(R \leq 6) = \frac{2+14+98+294+882}{12,870} = .100$ , agreeing with the entry found in Table 10.

- 15.74** From Ex. 15.67, it is not difficult to see that the following pairs of events are equivalent:

$$\{W = 15\} \equiv \{U = 0\}, \{W = 16\} \equiv \{U = 2\}, \text{ and } \{W = 17\} \equiv \{U = 3\}.$$

Therefore,  $P(W \leq 17) = P(U \leq 3) = .0159$ .

**15.75** Assume there are  $n_1$  “A” observations and  $n_2$  “B” observations, The Mann–Whitney  $U$  statistic is defined as

$$U = \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} U_i,$$

where  $U_i$  is the number of  $A$  observations preceding the  $i^{\text{th}}$   $B$ . With  $B_{(i)}$  to be the  $i^{\text{th}}$   $B$  observation in the combined sample after it is ranked from smallest to largest, and write  $R[B_{(i)}]$  to be the rank of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  ordered  $B$  in the total ranking of the combined sample. Then,  $U_i$  is the number of  $A$  observations the precede  $B_{(i)}$ . Now, we know there are  $(i - 1)$   $B$ 's that precede  $B_{(i)}$ , and that there are  $R[B_{(i)}] - 1$   $A$ 's and  $B$ 's preceding  $B_{(i)}$ . Then,

$$U = \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} U_i = \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} [R(B_{(i)}) - i] = \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} R(B_{(i)}) - \sum_{i=1}^{n_2} i = W_B - n_2(n_2 + 1)/2$$

Now, let  $N = n_1 + n_2$ . Since  $W_A + W_B = N(N + 1)/2$ , so  $W_B = N(N + 1)/2 - W_A$ . Plugging this expression in to the one for  $U$  yields

$$\begin{aligned} U &= N(N + 1)/2 - n_2(n_2 + 1)/2 - W_A = \frac{N^2 + N + n_2^2 + n_2}{2} - W_A \\ &= \frac{n_1^2 + 2n_1n_2 + n_2^2 + n_1 + n_2 - n_2^2 - n_2}{2} - W_A = n_1n_2 + \frac{n_1(n_1 + 1)}{2} - W_A. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the two tests are equivalent.

**15.76** Using the notation introduced in Ex. 15.65, note that

$$W_A = \sum_{i=1}^{n_1} R(A_i) = \sum_{i=1}^N X_i,$$

where

$$X_i = \begin{cases} R(z_i) & \text{if } z_i \text{ is from sample } A \\ 0 & \text{if } z_i \text{ is from sample } B \end{cases}$$

If  $H_0$  is true,

$$E(X_i) = R(z_i)P[X_i = R(z_i)] + 0 \cdot P(X_i = 0) = R(z_i) \frac{n_1}{N}$$

$$E(X_i^2) = [R(z_i)]^2 \frac{n_1}{N}$$

$$V(X_i) = [R(z_i)]^2 \frac{n_1}{N} - \left(R(z_i) \frac{n_1}{N}\right)^2 = [R(z_i)]^2 \left(\frac{n_1(N - n_1)}{N^2}\right).$$

$$E(X_i, X_j) = R(z_i)R(z_j)P[X_i = R(z_i), X_j = R(z_j)] = R(z_i)R(z_j) \left(\frac{n_1}{N}\right) \left(\frac{n_1 - 1}{N - 1}\right).$$

From the above, it can be found that  $\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) = R(z_i)R(z_j) \left[\frac{-n_1(N - n_1)}{N^2(N - 1)}\right]$ .

Therefore,

$$E(W_A) = \sum_{i=1}^N E(X_i) = \frac{n_1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N R(z_i) = \frac{n_1}{N} \left(\frac{N(N + 1)}{2}\right) = \frac{n_1(N + 1)}{2}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 V(W_A) &= \sum_{i=1}^N V(X_i) + \sum_{i \neq j} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) \\
 &= \frac{n_1(N-n_1)}{N^2} \sum_{i=1}^N [R(z_i)]^2 - \frac{n_1(N-n_1)}{N^2(N-1)} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N R(z_i)R(z_j) - \sum_{i=1}^N [R(z_i)]^2 \right] \\
 &= \frac{n_1(N-n_1)}{N^2} \left[ \frac{N(N+1)N(2N+1)}{6} \right] - \frac{n_1(N-n_1)}{N^2(N-1)} \left\{ \left[ \sum_{i=1}^N R(z_i) \right]^2 - \sum_{i=1}^N [R(z_i)]^2 \right\} \\
 &= \frac{2n_1(N-n_1)(N+1)(2N+1)}{12N} - \frac{n_1(N-n_1)}{N^2(N-1)} \left[ \frac{N^2(N+1)^2}{4} - \frac{N(N+1)(2N+1)}{6} \right] \\
 &= \frac{n_1n_2(n_1+n_2+1)}{12} \left[ \frac{4N+2}{N} - \frac{(3N+2)(N-1)}{n(N-1)} \right] = \frac{n_1n_2(n_1+n_2+1)}{12}.
 \end{aligned}$$

From Ex. 15.75 it was shown that  $U = n_1n_2 + \frac{n_1(n_1+1)}{2} - W_A$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(U) &= n_1n_2 + \frac{n_1(n_1+1)}{2} - E(W_A) = \frac{n_1n_2}{2} \\
 V(U) &= V(W_A) = \frac{n_1n_2(n_1+n_2+1)}{12}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**15.77** Recall that in order to obtain  $T$ , the Wilcoxon signed-rank statistic, the differences  $d_i$  are calculated and ranked according to absolute magnitude. Then, using the same notation as in Ex. 15.76,

$$T^+ = \sum_{i=1}^N X_i$$

where

$$X_i = \begin{cases} R(D_i) & \text{if } D_i \text{ is positive} \\ 0 & \text{if } D_i \text{ is negative} \end{cases}$$

When  $H_0$  is true,  $p = P(D_i > 0) = \frac{1}{2}$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(X_i) &= R(D_i)P[X_i = R(D_i)] = \frac{1}{2}R(D_i) \\
 E(X_i^2) &= [R(D_i)]^2 P[X_i = R(D_i)] = \frac{1}{2}[R(D_i)]^2 \\
 V(X_i) &= \frac{1}{2}[R(D_i)]^2 - \left[ \frac{1}{2}R(D_i) \right]^2 = \frac{1}{4}[R(D_i)]^2 \\
 E(X_i, X_j) &= R(D_i)R(D_j)P[X_i = R(D_i), X_j = R(D_j)] = \frac{1}{4}R(D_i)R(D_j).
 \end{aligned}$$

Then,  $\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) = 0$  so

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(T^+) &= \sum_{i=1}^n E(X_i) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n R(D_i) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right) = \frac{n(n+1)}{4} \\
 V(T^+) &= \sum_{i=1}^n V(X_i) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=1}^n [R(D_i)]^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{24}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $T^- = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} - T^+$  (see Ex. 15.10),

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(T^-) &= E(T^+) = E(T) \\
 V(T^-) &= V(T^+) = V(T).
 \end{aligned}$$

**15.78** Since we use  $X_i$  to denote the rank of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  “ $X$ ” sample value and  $Y_i$  to denote the rank of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  “ $Y$ ” sample value,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \text{ and } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}.$$

Then, define  $d_i = X_i - Y_i$  so that

$$\sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i^2 - 2X_i Y_i + Y_i^2) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - 2 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i + \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

and thus

$$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2.$$

Now, we have

$$\begin{aligned} r_S &= \frac{n \sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i - \left( \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \right)}{\sqrt{\left[ n \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - \left( \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \right)^2 \right]} \sqrt{\left[ n \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i^2 - \left( \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i \right)^2 \right]}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{n^2(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - \frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2 - \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}}{\frac{n^2(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{n^2(n+1)(n-1)}{12} - \frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2}{\frac{n^2(n+1)(n-1)}{12}} \\ &= 1 - \frac{\frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2}{\frac{n^2(n^2-1)}{12}} \\ &= 1 - \frac{6 \sum_{i=1}^n d_i^2}{n(n^2-1)}. \end{aligned}$$