Statistics Basics

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1 Part 1: The Coffee Shop Example - Why ANOVA Types Matter

1.1 Setting the Stage with a Simple Story

Imagine you own a coffee shop and want to understand what affects customer satisfaction scores (1-10 scale). You consider two factors:

- 1. Coffee Type: Regular vs Decaf
- 2. Time of Day: Morning vs Afternoon

Let's create this scenario with data:

```
set.seed(42)
# Create a BALANCED design first (equal sample sizes)
n_{per_cell} \leftarrow 20 # 20 customers in each combination
balanced_coffee <- expand.grid(</pre>
  coffee_type = c("Regular", "Decaf"),
  time_of_day = c("Morning", "Afternoon"),
  replicate = 1:n_per_cell
) %>%
  mutate(
    # Create satisfaction scores with main effects and interaction
    satisfaction = case_when(
      coffee_type == "Regular" & time_of_day == "Morning" ~ rnorm(n(), 8, 1),
                                                                                # High sa
      coffee_type == "Regular" & time_of_day == "Afternoon" ~ rnorm(n(), 6, 1), # Medium
      coffee_type == "Decaf" & time_of_day == "Morning" ~ rnorm(n(), 5, 1),
                                                                                   # Low-med
      coffee_type == "Decaf" & time_of_day == "Afternoon" ~ rnorm(n(), 7, 1)
                                                                                   # Medium-
    ),
    coffee_type = factor(coffee_type),
    time_of_day = factor(time_of_day)
  ) %>%
  select(-replicate)
# Show the structure
print("Balanced Design - Sample Sizes:")
[1] "Balanced Design - Sample Sizes:"
table(balanced_coffee$coffee_type, balanced_coffee$time_of_day)
          Morning Afternoon
  Regular
               20
                         20
  Decaf
               20
                         20
# Calculate means for each cell
cell_means_balanced <- balanced_coffee %>%
  group_by(coffee_type, time_of_day) %>%
  summarise(
    mean_satisfaction = mean(satisfaction),
```

```
n = n(),
    .groups = 'drop'
)

kable(cell_means_balanced, digits = 2,
    caption = "Mean Satisfaction Scores - Balanced Design") %>%
kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

Table 1: Mean Satisfaction Scores - Balanced Design

coffee_type	time_of_day	mean_satisfaction	n
Regular	Morning	8.31	20
Regular	Afternoon	5.74	20
Decaf	Morning	5.00	20
Decaf	Afternoon	7.01	20

1.2 Now Let's Create Reality: Unbalanced Data

In real life, you don't get equal numbers of customers in each category. Maybe fewer people order decaf in the morning:

```
# Create UNBALANCED design (unequal sample sizes)
set.seed(42)
unbalanced_coffee <- bind_rows(</pre>
  # Regular + Morning: 30 customers (popular!)
  data.frame(
    coffee_type = "Regular",
    time_of_day = "Morning",
    satisfaction = rnorm(30, 8, 1)
  ),
  # Regular + Afternoon: 25 customers
  data.frame(
    coffee_type = "Regular",
    time_of_day = "Afternoon",
    satisfaction = rnorm(25, 6, 1)
  ),
  # Decaf + Morning: 10 customers (unpopular combination)
  data.frame(
    coffee_type = "Decaf",
```

```
time_of_day = "Morning",
    satisfaction = rnorm(10, 5, 1)
  ),
  # Decaf + Afternoon: 20 customers
  data.frame(
    coffee_type = "Decaf",
    time_of_day = "Afternoon",
    satisfaction = rnorm(20, 7, 1)
  )
) %>%
 mutate(
    coffee_type = factor(coffee_type),
    time_of_day = factor(time_of_day)
  )
print("Unbalanced Design - Sample Sizes:")
[1] "Unbalanced Design - Sample Sizes:"
table(unbalanced_coffee$coffee_type, unbalanced_coffee$time_of_day)
          Afternoon Morning
  Decaf
                 20
                         10
                 25
  Regular
                         30
cell_means_unbalanced <- unbalanced_coffee %>%
  group_by(coffee_type, time_of_day) %>%
  summarise(
    mean_satisfaction = mean(satisfaction),
    n = n(),
    .groups = 'drop'
  )
kable(cell_means_unbalanced, digits = 2,
      caption = "Mean Satisfaction Scores - Unbalanced Design") %>%
  kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

Table 2: Mean Satisfaction Scores - Unbalanced Design

$coffee_type$	$time_of_day$	$mean_satisfaction$	\mathbf{n}
Decaf	Afternoon	7.13	20
Decaf	Morning	4.94	10
Regular	Afternoon	5.92	25
Regular	Morning	8.07	30

2 Part 2: The Mathematical Foundation of ANOVA

2.1 The General Linear Model

ANOVA is actually a special case of linear regression. Our two-way ANOVA model can be written as:

$$Y_{ijk} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + (\alpha \beta)_{ij} + \epsilon_{ijk}$$

Where:

- $Y_{ijk} = \text{satisfaction score for the } k\text{-th customer}$ with coffee type i and time j
- $\mu = \text{grand mean (overall average satisfaction)}$
- α_i = main effect of coffee type i (how much Regular or Decaf changes satisfaction)
- β_j = main effect of time of day j (how much Morning or Afternoon changes satisfaction)
- $(\alpha \beta)_{ij}$ = interaction effect (does the coffee type effect depend on time of day?)
- ϵ_{ijk} = random error (individual differences)

2.2 Sum of Squares Decomposition

The total variation in our data can be decomposed:

$$SS_{Total} = SS_{CoffeeTupe} + SS_{Time} + SS_{Interaction} + SS_{Error}$$

In plain English: Total variation = Variation due to coffee type + Variation due to time + Variation due to their combination + Random variation

3 Part 3: Why Order Matters - A Visual Explanation

3.1 Understanding Sequential vs Simultaneous Testing

```
# Create a visual demonstration of why order matters
set.seed(123)
# Function to calculate partial correlations and visualize
demonstrate_order_effects <- function(data) {</pre>
  # Calculate total sum of squares
  grand_mean <- mean(data$satisfaction)</pre>
  ss_total <- sum((data$satisfaction - grand_mean)^2)</pre>
  # Calculate group means
  coffee_means <- tapply(data$satisfaction, data$coffee_type, mean)</pre>
  time means <- tapply(data$satisfaction, data$time of day, mean)
  # Calculate marginal sums of squares (ignoring the other factor)
  ss_coffee_alone <- sum(table(data$coffee_type) * (coffee_means - grand_mean)^2)
  ss_time_alone <- sum(table(data$time_of_day) * (time_means - grand_mean)^2)</pre>
  # Create a data frame for visualization
  results <- data.frame(
    Approach = c("Coffee First", "Time First", "Coffee Alone", "Time Alone"),
    Coffee_SS = c(ss_coffee_alone, NA, ss_coffee_alone, NA),
   Time_SS = c(NA, ss_time_alone, NA, ss_time_alone),
   Order = c("1st", "1st", "Marginal", "Marginal")
  )
 return(list(
    ss_total = ss_total,
    ss_coffee_alone = ss_coffee_alone,
    ss_time_alone = ss_time_alone,
    coffee_means = coffee_means,
   time_means = time_means,
    grand_mean = grand_mean
  ))
}
# Apply to both datasets
balanced_results <- demonstrate_order_effects(balanced_coffee)</pre>
```

```
unbalanced_results <- demonstrate_order_effects(unbalanced_coffee)

# Create comparison table
comparison_df <- data.frame(
   Design = c("Balanced", "Balanced", "Unbalanced", "Unbalanced"),
   Factor = c("Coffee Type", "Time of Day", "Coffee Type", "Time of Day"),
   `SS When Tested First` = c(
    balanced_results$ss_coffee_alone,
    balanced_results$ss_time_alone,
    unbalanced_results$ss_time_alone,
    unbalanced_results$ss_time_alone
   ),
   check.names = FALSE
)

kable(comparison_df, digits = 2,
        caption = "Sum of Squares When Each Factor is Tested First") %>%
   kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

Table 3: Sum of Squares When Each Factor is Tested First

Design	Factor	SS When Tested First
Balanced Balanced Unbalanced	Coffee Type Time of Day	21.03 1.60 9.21
	Coffee Type Time of Day	14.48

Why Does Order Matter in Unbalanced Designs?

In unbalanced designs, the factors are **correlated**. When factors are correlated:

- 1. The effect of Coffee Type partially overlaps with the effect of Time
- 2. Testing Coffee first "claims" the overlapping variance
- 3. Testing Time first would claim that same overlapping variance differently
- 4. This is why Type I (sequential) ANOVA gives different results based on order

4 Part 4: The Controversy - Types I, II, and III Sum of Squares

4.1 Manual Calculation Tables for Understanding

Let's manually calculate the different types of sum of squares to truly understand what's happening:

```
# Function to manually calculate all types of SS
calculate_all_ss_types <- function(data, show_details = TRUE) {</pre>
  # Prepare data
 n <- nrow(data)</pre>
  grand_mean <- mean(data$satisfaction)</pre>
  # Get cell means and counts
  cell_summary <- data %>%
    group_by(coffee_type, time_of_day) %>%
    summarise(
      mean = mean(satisfaction),
      n = n()
      sum = sum(satisfaction),
      .groups = 'drop'
  # Marginal means
  coffee marginal <- data %>%
    group_by(coffee_type) %>%
    summarise(
      mean = mean(satisfaction),
      n = n(),
      .groups = 'drop'
  time_marginal <- data %>%
    group_by(time_of_day) %>%
    summarise(
      mean = mean(satisfaction),
      n = n(),
      .groups = 'drop'
  if(show_details) {
```

```
print("Cell Means and Sample Sizes:")
  print(cell_summary)
  print("")
  print("Marginal Means - Coffee Type:")
  print(coffee_marginal)
  print("")
  print("Marginal Means - Time of Day:")
  print(time_marginal)
  print("")
  print(paste("Grand Mean:", round(grand_mean, 3)))
  sep_line("-", 40)
}
# Calculate Type I SS (Sequential)
# Order 1: Coffee -> Time -> Interaction
# SS(Coffee | )
ss_coffee_type1 <- sum(coffee_marginal$n * (coffee_marginal$mean - grand_mean)^2)</pre>
# For SS(Time | , Coffee), we need residuals after fitting Coffee
model_coffee_only <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type, data = data)</pre>
residuals_after_coffee <- residuals(model_coffee_only)</pre>
# Create pseudo-data with residuals
pseudo_data_time <- data.frame(</pre>
  residuals = residuals_after_coffee,
  time_of_day = data$time_of_day
)
model_time_on_residuals <- lm(residuals ~ time_of_day, data = pseudo_data_time)
ss_time_type1 <- sum((fitted(model_time_on_residuals))^2)</pre>
# Calculate Type II SS (Marginal, no interaction)
model_both_main <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type + time_of_day, data = data)</pre>
model_coffee_only <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type, data = data)</pre>
model_time_only <- lm(satisfaction ~ time_of_day, data = data)</pre>
ss_coffee_type2 <- sum((fitted(model_both_main) - fitted(model_time_only))^2)</pre>
ss_time_type2 <- sum((fitted(model_both_main) - fitted(model_coffee_only))^2)</pre>
# Calculate Type III SS (Marginal, with interaction)
```

```
# This requires more complex calculations with contrast coding
  # Create results table
 results <- data.frame(</pre>
    `Type` = c("Type I", "Type II", "Type III*"),
    `SS_Coffee` = c(ss_coffee_type1, ss_coffee_type2, NA),
    `SS_Time` = c(ss_time_type1, ss_time_type2, NA),
   check.names = FALSE
 )
 return(results)
# Calculate for both designs
print("BALANCED DESIGN:")
[1] "BALANCED DESIGN:"
balanced_calc <- calculate_all_ss_types(balanced_coffee, show_details = TRUE)</pre>
[1] "Cell Means and Sample Sizes:"
# A tibble: 4 x 5
 coffee_type time_of_day mean
                                     sum
           <fct>
 <fct>
                       <dbl> <int> <dbl>
1 Regular Morning
                        8.31
                               20 166.
2 Regular Afternoon 5.74
                                 20 115.
                        5.00 20 100.
3 Decaf
             Morning
             Afternoon 7.01 20 140.
4 Decaf
[1] ""
[1] "Marginal Means - Coffee Type:"
# A tibble: 2 x 3
 coffee_type mean
 <fct>
           <dbl> <int>
1 Regular
             7.03
                      40
2 Decaf
              6.00
                      40
[1] ""
[1] "Marginal Means - Time of Day:"
# A tibble: 2 x 3
 time_of_day mean
  <fct>
        <dbl> <int>
```

Table 4: Manual SS Calculations - Balanced Design

Type	SS_Coffee	SS_Time
Type I	21.03	1.6
Type II	21.03	1.6
Type III*	NA	NA

```
print("")
[1] ""
print("UNBALANCED DESIGN:")
[1] "UNBALANCED DESIGN:"
unbalanced_calc <- calculate_all_ss_types(unbalanced_coffee, show_details = TRUE)</pre>
[1] "Cell Means and Sample Sizes:"
# A tibble: 4 x 5
 coffee_type time_of_day mean n sum
 <fct>
         <fct> <dbl> <int> <dbl>
           Afternoon
                       7.13 20 143.
1 Decaf
2 Decaf
                      4.94 10 49.4
           Morning
3 Regular
            Afternoon 5.92 25 148.
4 Regular Morning 8.07 30 242.
[1] ""
[1] "Marginal Means - Coffee Type:"
```

```
# A tibble: 2 x 3
  coffee_type mean
  <fct>
              <dbl> <int>
1 Decaf
              6.40
                       30
               7.09
2 Regular
                       55
[1] ""
[1] "Marginal Means - Time of Day:"
# A tibble: 2 x 3
  time_of_day mean
                        n
  <fct>
              <dbl> <int>
1 Afternoon
              6.46
                       45
               7.29
2 Morning
                       40
[1] ""
[1] "Grand Mean: 6.849"
kable(unbalanced_calc, digits = 2,
      caption = "Manual SS Calculations - Unbalanced Design") %>%
  kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

Table 5: Manual SS Calculations - Unbalanced Design

Type	SS_Coffee	SS_Time
Type I	9.21	10.17
Type II	5.34	10.61
Type III*	NA	NA

4.2 Type I Sum of Squares (Sequential)

Mathematical Definition:

- $SS(\alpha|\mu) = \text{Sum of squares for A after fitting the mean}$
- $SS(\beta|\mu,\alpha) = \text{Sum of squares for B after fitting mean and A}$
- $SS(\alpha\beta|\mu,\alpha,\beta) = \text{Sum of squares for interaction after fitting everything else}$

Plain English: Type I asks "What does each factor explain that wasn't already explained by factors entered before it?"

4.3 Example: When Type I Makes Sense

Scenario: Educational Achievement Study

Imagine studying factors affecting student test scores where we have a clear causal hierarchy:

- 1. **Socioeconomic Status (SES)** This is a background variable that exists before schooling
- 2. **School Quality** Students are assigned to schools based partly on where they live (related to SES)
- 3. Teaching Method Applied within schools

Here, it makes sense to use Type I with SES entered first, then School Quality, then Teaching Method. We want to know:

- How much variance does SES explain?
- How much additional variance does School Quality explain after accounting for SES?
- How much additional variance does Teaching Method explain after accounting for both?

This sequential approach respects the causal/temporal ordering of these factors.

```
# Type I implementation with detailed output
print("TYPE I - Sequential Sum of Squares")
[1] "TYPE I - Sequential Sum of Squares"
sep line("=", 50)
          ______
model_type1 <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type + time_of_day + coffee_type:time_of_day,</pre>
                 data = unbalanced coffee)
anova_type1 <- anova(model_type1)</pre>
print(anova_type1)
Analysis of Variance Table
Response: satisfaction
                       Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                                   Pr(>F)
                                 9.214 7.9036 0.006186 **
coffee_type
                       1 9.214
time_of_day
                        1 10.607 10.607 9.0985 0.003417 **
coffee_type:time_of_day 1 84.400 84.400 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
```

```
Residuals 81 94.426 1.166 ---
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

4.4 What Does Each Row Mean?

Click below to understand each row in the ANOVA table:

Click to see explanation

Row 1 - coffee_type: This shows the sum of squares for coffee type when it's the FIRST factor considered (after the intercept). It answers: "How much variance in satisfaction is explained by coffee type alone?"

Row 2 - time_of_day: This shows the sum of squares for time of day AFTER removing the effect of coffee type. It answers: "How much additional variance is explained by time of day that wasn't already explained by coffee type?"

Row 3 - coffee_type:time_of_day: This is the interaction term. It answers: "Is the effect of coffee type different at different times of day?" A significant interaction means the effect of one factor depends on the level of the other.

Row 4 - Residuals: This is the unexplained variance - the variation in satisfaction scores that can't be explained by any of our factors. It represents individual differences and measurement error.

Columns Explained:

- **Df** (**Degrees of Freedom**): Number of independent pieces of information. For factors: (number of levels 1)
- Sum Sq: Total squared deviations explained by that factor
- Mean Sq: Sum Sq divided by Df (average squared deviation)
- F value: Ratio of factor's Mean Sq to Residual Mean Sq (signal-to-noise ratio)
- Pr(>F): p-value probability of seeing this F-value or larger if null hypothesis is true

4.5 Type II Sum of Squares (Hierarchical)

Mathematical Definition:

- $SS(\alpha|\mu,\beta) = \text{Sum of squares for A after fitting mean and B}$
- $SS(\beta|\mu,\alpha) = \text{Sum of squares for B after fitting mean and A}$
- $SS(\alpha\beta|\mu,\alpha,\beta) = \text{Sum of squares for interaction after main effects}$

Plain English: Type II asks "What does each main effect explain that the other main effect doesn't, ignoring interactions?"

When to use: When you want to test main effects assuming no interaction (most common in practice)

```
print("TYPE II - Hierarchical Sum of Squares")
[1] "TYPE II - Hierarchical Sum of Squares"
sep_line("=", 50)
_____
Anova(model_type1, type = "II")
Anova Table (Type II tests)
Response: satisfaction
                     Sum Sq Df F value
                                       Pr(>F)
coffee_type
                     5.339 1 4.5802 0.035352 *
time_of_day
                     10.607 1 9.0985 0.003417 **
coffee_type:time_of_day 84.400 1 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
Residuals
                     94.426 81
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

4.6 What Does Each Row Mean in Type II?

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Key Differences from Type I:

Row 1 - coffee_type: Now shows SS for coffee type AFTER adjusting for time_of_day (but NOT interaction). It answers: "What unique variance does coffee type explain that time doesn't?"

Row 2 - time_of_day: Shows SS for time AFTER adjusting for coffee_type (but NOT interaction). It answers: "What unique variance does time explain that coffee type doesn't?"

Row 3 - coffee_type:time_of_day: Same as Type I - interaction is always tested last.

Why Type II is Often Preferred:

- Tests each main effect controlling for other main effects
- Order doesn't matter (unlike Type I)
- Assumes no interaction when testing main effects
- More balanced approach for most research questions

4.7 Type III Sum of Squares (Marginal)

Mathematical Definition:

- $SS(\alpha|\mu,\beta,\alpha\beta) = Sum$ of squares for A after fitting everything else
- $SS(\beta|\mu,\alpha,\alpha\beta) = Sum \text{ of squares for B after fitting everything else}$
- $SS(\alpha\beta|\mu,\alpha,\beta) = \text{Sum of squares for interaction after main effects}$

Plain English: Type III asks "What does each effect explain that isn't explained by any other effect, including interactions?"

```
# Type III implementation
# IMPORTANT: Must use sum-to-zero contrasts for Type III
contrasts(unbalanced_coffee$coffee_type) <- contr.sum(2)</pre>
contrasts(unbalanced_coffee$time_of_day) <- contr.sum(2)</pre>
model_type3 <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type * time_of_day, data = unbalanced_coffee)</pre>
print("TYPE III - Marginal Sum of Squares")
[1] "TYPE III - Marginal Sum of Squares"
sep_line("=", 50)
Anova(model_type3, type = "III")
Anova Table (Type III tests)
Response: satisfaction
                                      F value
                          Sum Sq Df
                                                  Pr(>F)
                         3041.77 1 2609.2756 < 2.2e-16 ***
(Intercept)
```

```
coffee_type 16.40 1 14.0657 0.0003302 ***
time_of_day 0.01 1 0.0077 0.9302036
coffee_type:time_of_day 84.40 1 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
Residuals 94.43 81
---
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

4.8 What Does Each Row Mean in Type III?

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Type III Special Characteristics:

Row 1 - (Intercept): Type III includes the intercept test, which tests if the grand mean equals zero (usually not interesting).

Row 2 - coffee_type: Tests coffee type AFTER adjusting for time AND interaction. Answers: "Is there a coffee type effect averaged across all times?"

Row 3 - time_of_day: Tests time AFTER adjusting for coffee type AND interaction. Answers: "Is there a time effect averaged across all coffee types?"

Row 4 - coffee_type:time_of_day: Same as other types - interaction effect.

When Type III is Useful:

- When interaction is significant
- When you want the most conservative test
- When following certain field conventions (e.g., some areas of psychology)
- Tests "average" effects across all levels of other factors

5 Part 5: Why All Three Types Give the Same Answer for Balanced Data

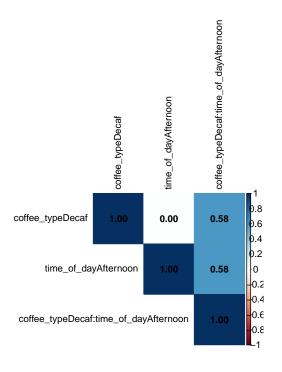
5.1 The Magic of Orthogonality

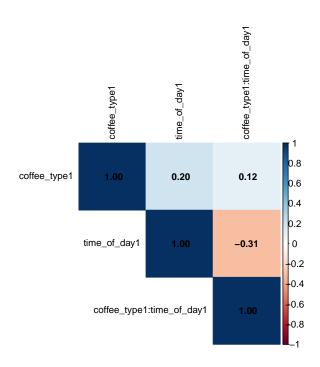
```
# Demonstrate orthogonality in balanced vs unbalanced designs
check_orthogonality <- function(data, title) {
    # Create design matrix
    X <- model.matrix(~ coffee_type * time_of_day, data = data)</pre>
```

```
# Calculate correlation matrix (excluding intercept)
  cor_matrix <- cor(X[, -1])
  # Visualize
  par(mar = c(5, 4, 4, 2))
  corrplot(cor_matrix,
           method = "color",
           type = "upper",
           tl.cex = 0.8,
           tl.col = "black",
           title = title,
           mar = c(0, 0, 2, 0),
           addCoef.col = "black",
           number.cex = 0.8)
 return(cor_matrix)
# Check both designs
par(mfrow = c(1, 2))
balanced_cors <- check_orthogonality(balanced_coffee,</pre>
                                      "Balanced Design\n(Orthogonal)")
unbalanced_cors <- check_orthogonality(unbalanced_coffee,</pre>
                                        "Unbalanced Design\n(Non-orthogonal)")
```

Balanced Design (Orthogonal)

Unbalanced Design (Non-orthogonal)





par(mfrow = c(1, 1))

Why Balanced Designs Make All Types Equal

In balanced designs, the design vectors are **orthogonal** (uncorrelated):

- 1. **Zero Correlation:** The correlation between coffee type and time of day is 0
- 2. **No Overlapping Variance:** Each factor explains completely separate portions of variance
- 3. Order Doesn't Matter: Since factors don't overlap, the sequence of testing is irrelevant
- 4. **Unique Contributions:** Each factor's contribution is unique and doesn't depend on others

This is why balanced designs are so desirable in experimental research!

5.2 Detailed Comparison Table

```
# Create a comprehensive comparison
compare_ss_types <- function(data, design_name) {</pre>
 # Type I (two orders)
 model_i_order1 <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type + time_of_day, data = data)</pre>
 model_i_order2 <- lm(satisfaction ~ time_of_day + coffee_type, data = data)</pre>
 type_i_order1 <- anova(model_i_order1)</pre>
 type_i_order2 <- anova(model_i_order2)</pre>
 # Type II
 type_ii <- Anova(model_i_order1, type = "II")</pre>
 # Type III (with proper contrasts)
 data_copy <- data
 contrasts(data_copy$coffee_type) <- contr.sum(2)</pre>
 contrasts(data_copy$time_of_day) <- contr.sum(2)</pre>
 model_iii <- lm(satisfaction ~ coffee_type + time_of_day, data = data_copy)</pre>
 type_iii <- Anova(model_iii, type = "III")</pre>
 # Create comparison table
 comparison <- data.frame(</pre>
    Design = design_name,
    Type = c("I (Coffee→Time)", "I (Time→Coffee)", "II", "III"),
    Coffee_SS = c(
      type_i_order1$`Sum Sq`[1],
      type_i_order2$`Sum Sq`[2],
      type_ii$`Sum Sq`[1],
      type_iii$`Sum Sq`[2]
    ),
    Time_SS = c(
      type_i_order1$`Sum Sq`[2],
      type_i_order2$`Sum Sq`[1],
      type_ii$`Sum Sq`[2],
      type_iii$`Sum Sq`[3]
    )
 )
 return(comparison)
```

Table 6: Sum of Squares Comparison: All Types, Both Designs

Design	Type	Coffee_SS	Time_SS
Balanced Des	sign		
Balanced	I (Coffee \rightarrow Time)	21.03	1.60
Balanced	$I (Time \rightarrow Coffee)$	21.03	1.60
Balanced	II	21.03	1.60
Balanced	III	21.03	1.60
Unbalanced l	Design		
Unbalanced	I (Coffee \rightarrow Time)	9.21	10.61
Unbalanced	$I (Time \rightarrow Coffee)$	5.34	14.48
Unbalanced	II	5.34	10.61
Unbalanced	III	5.34	10.61

6 Part 6: Variance Heterogeneity (Unequal Variances)

6.1 Creating Data with Unequal Variances

```
set.seed(123)

# Create data with very different variances
hetero_data <- bind_rows(
   data.frame(
     group = "A",
     value = rnorm(30, mean = 50, sd = 2) # Small variance
),</pre>
```

```
data.frame(
    group = "B",
    value = rnorm(30, mean = 52, sd = 8) # Medium variance
  ),
  data.frame(
    group = "C",
    value = rnorm(30, mean = 54, sd = 15) # Large variance
  )
) %>%
  mutate(group = factor(group))
# Calculate actual variances
variance_summary <- hetero_data %>%
  group_by(group) %>%
  summarise(
    Mean = mean(value),
    Variance = var(value),
    SD = sd(value),
    n = n(),
    .groups = 'drop'
  )
kable(variance_summary, digits = 2,
      caption = "Group Statistics with Heterogeneous Variances") %>%
  kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

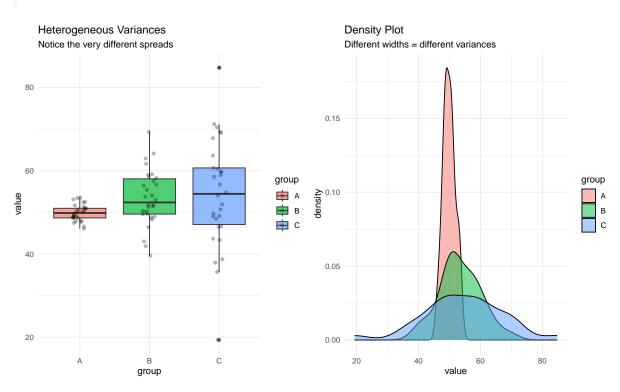
Table 7: Group Statistics with Heterogeneous Variances

group	Mean	Variance	SD	n
A	49.91	3.85	1.96	30
В	53.43	44.64	6.68	30
\mathbf{C}	54.37	170.22	13.05	30

```
# Visualize the different variances
p1 <- ggplot(hetero_data, aes(x = group, y = value, fill = group)) +
    geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.7) +
    geom_point(position = position_jitter(width = 0.1), alpha = 0.3) +
    labs(title = "Heterogeneous Variances",
        subtitle = "Notice the very different spreads") +
    theme_minimal()</pre>
```

```
p2 <- ggplot(hetero_data, aes(x = value, fill = group)) +
   geom_density(alpha = 0.5) +
   labs(title = "Density Plot",
        subtitle = "Different widths = different variances") +
   theme_minimal()

p1 | p2</pre>
```



6.2 Testing for Homogeneity of Variance

```
print("Levene's Test (robust to non-normality):")
[1] "Levene's Test (robust to non-normality):"
levene_test <- leveneTest(value ~ group, data = hetero_data)</pre>
print(levene_test)
Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)
     Df F value Pr(>F)
           19.13 1.3e-07 ***
group 2
      87
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
print("")
[1] ""
print("Bartlett's Test (sensitive to non-normality):")
[1] "Bartlett's Test (sensitive to non-normality):"
bartlett_test <- bartlett.test(value ~ group, data = hetero_data)</pre>
print(bartlett_test)
   Bartlett test of homogeneity of variances
data: value by group
Bartlett's K-squared = 73.797, df = 2, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

⚠ Interpreting Variance Tests

Levene's Test: p < 0.05 indicates unequal variances (assumption violated) **Bartlett's Test:** More powerful but sensitive to non-normality **What to do with unequal variances:**

1. Use Welch's ANOVA instead of standard ANOVA

- 2. Use Games-Howell post-hoc test instead of Tukey
- 3. Consider transforming data (log, square root)
- 4. Use robust methods or non-parametric alternatives

6.3 Consequences of Ignoring Unequal Variances

```
# Standard ANOVA (assumes equal variances)
print("Standard ANOVA (assumes equal variances):")
[1] "Standard ANOVA (assumes equal variances):"
standard_anova <- aov(value ~ group, data = hetero_data)</pre>
summary(standard_anova)
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                        165.9
                                2.275 0.109
                  332
group
Residuals
                 6343
                         72.9
            87
print("")
[1] ""
print("Welch's ANOVA (robust to unequal variances):")
[1] "Welch's ANOVA (robust to unequal variances):"
welch_test <- oneway.test(value ~ group, data = hetero_data, var.equal = FALSE)</pre>
print(welch_test)
    One-way analysis of means (not assuming equal variances)
data: value and group
F = 5.2616, num df = 2.000, denom df = 42.497, p-value = 0.009086
```

```
# Compare p-values
comparison_pvalues <- data.frame(
   Test = c("Standard ANOVA", "Welch's ANOVA"),
   `Assumes Equal Variances` = c("Yes", "No"),
   `p-value` = c(summary(standard_anova)[[1]]$`Pr(>F)`[1], welch_test$p.value),
   Decision = c(
     ifelse(summary(standard_anova)[[1]]$`Pr(>F)`[1] < 0.05, "Reject HO", "Fail to reject Ho",
     ifelse(welch_test$p.value < 0.05, "Reject HO", "Fail to reject HO")
   ),
   check.names = FALSE
)

kable(comparison_pvalues, digits = 4,
     caption = "Comparison: Standard vs Welch's ANOVA with Unequal Variances") %>%
   kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover"))
```

Table 8: Comparison: Standard vs Welch's ANOVA with Unequal Variances

Test	Assumes Equal Variances	p-value	Decision
Standard ANOVA	Yes	0.1088	Fail to reject H0
Welch's ANOVA	No	0.0091	Reject H0

7 Part 7: Complete Analysis Pipeline

7.1 Step-by-Step Analysis Function

```
analyze_data_complete <- function(data, dv, factors) {
  formula_str <- paste(dv, "~", paste(factors, collapse = " * "))
  formula_obj <- as.formula(formula_str)

sep_line("=", 60)
  print("COMPLETE ANOVA ANALYSIS PIPELINE")
  sep_line("=", 60)

# 1. Check balance
  print("")
  print("STEP 1: CHECKING BALANCE")
  sep_line("-", 40)
  design_table <- table(data[[factors[1]]], data[[factors[2]]])</pre>
```

```
print(design_table)
is_balanced <- all(design_table == design_table[1])</pre>
print(paste("Design is", ifelse(is_balanced, "BALANCED ", "UNBALANCED ")))
# 2. Fit model
model <- aov(formula_obj, data = data)</pre>
anova table <- anova(model)</pre>
# 3. Check assumptions
print("")
print("STEP 2: CHECKING ASSUMPTIONS")
sep_line("-", 40)
# Normality of residuals
shapiro_p <- shapiro.test(residuals(model))$p.value</pre>
print(paste("Shapiro-Wilk test p =", signif(shapiro_p, 3)))
# Homogeneity of variances
levene_p <- car::leveneTest(formula_obj, data = data)$`Pr(>F)`[1]
print(paste("Levene's test p =", signif(levene_p, 3)))
# 4. Effect sizes (eta squared)
print("")
print("STEP 3: EFFECT SIZE (2)")
sep_line("-", 40)
ss_total <- sum(anova_table[["Sum Sq"]])</pre>
ss_effects <- anova_table[["Sum Sq"]][1:(length(factors) + 1)]</pre>
eta_squared <- ss_effects / ss_total</pre>
effect_names <- rownames(anova_table)[1:(length(factors) + 1)]</pre>
for (i in seq_along(eta_squared)) {
  result_text <- sprintf("%s: 2 = %.3f ", effect_names[i], eta_squared[i])</pre>
  if (eta_squared[i] < 0.01) {
    result_text <- paste0(result_text, "(negligible)")</pre>
  } else if (eta_squared[i] < 0.06) {</pre>
    result_text <- paste0(result_text, "(small)")</pre>
  } else if (eta_squared[i] < 0.14) {</pre>
    result_text <- paste0(result_text, "(medium)")</pre>
  } else {
    result_text <- paste0(result_text, "(large)")</pre>
 print(result_text)
}
```

```
# 5. Post-hoc tests
 print("")
 print("STEP 5: POST-HOC COMPARISONS")
 sep_line("-", 40)
 if (levene_p < 0.05) {
   print("Using Games-Howell (unequal variances)")
   # Implement Games-Howell here if needed
 } else {
   print("Using Tukey HSD (equal variances)")
   if (is_balanced) {
     print(TukeyHSD(model))
   }
 }
 return(invisible(model))
# Run the pipeline on unbalanced_coffee
final_model <- analyze_data_complete(</pre>
 unbalanced_coffee,
 "satisfaction",
 c("coffee_type", "time_of_day")
[1] "COMPLETE ANOVA ANALYSIS PIPELINE"
______
[1] ""
[1] "STEP 1: CHECKING BALANCE"
        Afternoon Morning
 Decaf
           20 10
                     30
 Regular
               25
[1] "Design is UNBALANCED "
[1] ""
[1] "STEP 2: CHECKING ASSUMPTIONS"
-----
[1] "Shapiro-Wilk test p = 0.15"
[1] "Levene's test p = 0.581"
[1] ""
[1] "STEP 3: EFFECT SIZE (2)"
```

8 Part 8: Practical Decision Tree

8.1 When to Use Which Type?

```
# Create a decision guide
decision_guide <- data.frame(</pre>
  Scenario = c(
    "Balanced design",
    "Unbalanced + No interaction",
    "Unbalanced + Significant interaction",
    "Natural hierarchy of factors",
    "Exploratory analysis",
    "Following field conventions"
  ),
  `Recommended Type` = c(
    "Any (all equal)",
    "Type II",
    "Type III",
    "Type I",
    "Type III",
    "Check literature"
  ),
  Reasoning = c(
    "All types give identical results with balanced data",
    "Type II tests main effects properly without interaction assumption",
    "Type III tests main effects in presence of interaction",
    "Type I respects the causal/temporal order",
    "Type III is most conservative",
    "Some fields have established preferences"
  check.names = FALSE
```

Table 9: Decision Guide for Choosing ANOVA Type

Scenario	Recommended Type	Reasoning
Balanced design	Any (all equal)	All types give identical results with balanced d
Unbalanced $+$ No interaction	Type II	Type II tests main effects properly without inte
Unbalanced + Significant interaction	Type III	Type III tests main effects in presence of intera
Natural hierarchy of factors	Type I	Type I respects the causal/temporal order
Exploratory analysis	Type III	Type III is most conservative
Following field conventions	Check literature	Some fields have established preferences

9 Part 9: Quick Reference Functions

9.1 Comparison Function for All Three Types

```
# Quick function to compare all three types
compare_anova_types <- function(formula, data, verbose = TRUE) {</pre>
  require(car)
  # Ensure factors
  factors <- all.vars(formula)[-1]</pre>
  for(f in factors) {
    if(f %in% names(data)) {
      data[[f]] <- factor(data[[f]])</pre>
    }
  }
  # Check balance
  if(length(factors) == 2) {
    design_table <- table(data[[factors[1]]], data[[factors[2]]])</pre>
    is_balanced <- length(unique(as.vector(design_table))) == 1</pre>
  } else {
    is_balanced <- FALSE</pre>
```

```
}
# Type I
model1 <- lm(formula, data = data)</pre>
# Type II
model2 <- model1
# Type III (need sum contrasts)
data_type3 <- data</pre>
for(f in factors) {
  if(f %in% names(data_type3)) {
    contrasts(data_type3[[f]]) <- contr.sum(nlevels(data_type3[[f]]))</pre>
  }
}
model3 <- lm(formula, data = data_type3)</pre>
# Store results
type1_anova <- anova(model1)</pre>
type2_anova <- Anova(model2, type = "II")</pre>
type3_anova <- Anova(model3, type = "III")</pre>
if(verbose) {
  print("======= TYPE I (Sequential) ========")
  print(type1_anova)
  print("")
  print("======= TYPE II (No Interaction) ========")
  print(type2_anova)
  print("")
  print("======= TYPE III (Marginal) ========")
  print(type3_anova)
  print("")
  print("======= RECOMMENDATION ======="")
  if(is_balanced) {
    print(" Balanced design detected - all types equivalent")
    print("→ Use Type I for computational efficiency")
  } else {
```

```
print(" Unbalanced design detected")
      # Check for interaction
      if(length(factors) == 2) {
        # Get interaction p-value
        interaction_term <- paste(factors, collapse = ":")</pre>
        if(interaction_term %in% rownames(type2_anova)) {
          interaction_p <- type2_anova[interaction_term, "Pr(>F)"]
          if(!is.na(interaction_p) && interaction_p < 0.05) {</pre>
            print(paste("→ Significant interaction (p =", round(interaction_p, 3), ")"))
            print("→ RECOMMEND: Type III for main effects interpretation")
          } else {
            print("→ No significant interaction")
            print("→ RECOMMEND: Type II for main effects testing")
        }
      }
    }
  }
  # Return results as a list
  return(invisible(list(
    type1 = type1_anova,
    type2 = type2_anova,
    type3 = type3_anova,
    balanced = is_balanced
  )))
}
# Test the function
print("Testing the comparison function with our coffee data:")
[1] "Testing the comparison function with our coffee data:"
results <- compare_anova_types(satisfaction ~ coffee_type * time_of_day,
                              unbalanced_coffee, verbose = TRUE)
[1] "======= TYPE I (Sequential) ======="
Analysis of Variance Table
```

```
Response: satisfaction
                       Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                                  9.214 7.9036 0.006186 **
coffee_type
                       1 9.214
                       1 10.607 10.607 9.0985 0.003417 **
time_of_day
coffee_type:time_of_day 1 84.400 84.400 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
Residuals
                       81 94.426
                                 1.166
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
[1] ""
[1] "======= TYPE II (No Interaction) ========"
Anova Table (Type II tests)
Response: satisfaction
                       Sum Sq Df F value Pr(>F)
coffee_type
                       5.339 1 4.5802 0.035352 *
                       10.607 1 9.0985 0.003417 **
time_of_day
coffee_type:time_of_day 84.400 1 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
Residuals
                       94.426 81
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
[1] ""
[1] "======= TYPE III (Marginal) ======="
Anova Table (Type III tests)
Response: satisfaction
                        Sum Sq Df F value
                                              Pr(>F)
(Intercept)
                       3041.77 1 2609.2756 < 2.2e-16 ***
coffee_type
                         16.40 1 14.0657 0.0003302 ***
                         0.01 1
                                   0.0077 0.9302036
time_of_day
                         84.40 1 72.3995 7.439e-13 ***
coffee_type:time_of_day
                         94.43 81
Residuals
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
[1] ""
[1] "====== RECOMMENDATION ======="
[1] " Unbalanced design detected"
[1] "→ Significant interaction (p = 0)"
[1] "→ RECOMMEND: Type III for main effects interpretation"
```

10 Part 10: Summary and Key Takeaways

10.1 The Essential Points

i Key Takeaways

1. ANOVA Types exist because of unbalanced designs

- Balanced designs: All types give same results
- Unbalanced designs: Results differ, choice matters

2. Type I (Sequential)

- Tests each factor after those before it
- Order matters!
- Use when: You have a natural hierarchy

3. Type II (Hierarchical)

- Tests main effects adjusting for other main effects
- Assumes no interaction
- Use when: Testing main effects, interaction not significant

4. Type III (Marginal)

- Tests each effect adjusting for all others
- Most conservative
- Use when: Interaction is significant

5. Practical Advice

- Always check assumptions first
- Report which type you used and why
- Consider effect sizes, not just p-values
- Be transparent about unbalanced designs

10.2 Mathematical Summary

The fundamental difference is in the hypotheses being tested:

• Type I (Sequential):

$$H_0: \alpha_i = 0 \mid \mu$$

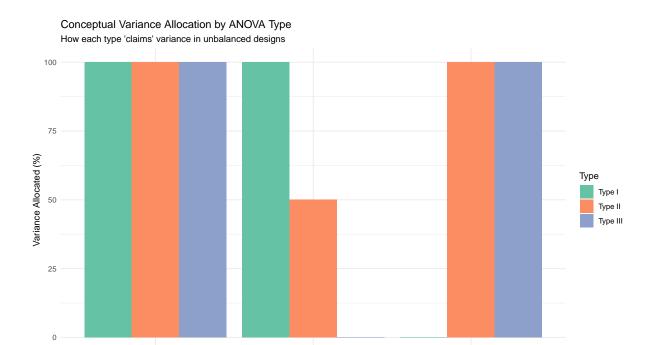
```
• Type II (No interaction): H_0: \alpha_i = 0 \mid \mu, \beta_i
```

• Type III (Marginal): $H_0: \alpha_i = 0 \mid \mu, \beta_i, (\alpha\beta)_{ij}$

Here, the vertical bar " | " means "given that we've already accounted for ...".

Visual Summary of Differences

```
# Create a visual summary of when each type "claims" variance
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyr)
# Create conceptual data for visualization
variance_allocation <- data.frame(</pre>
  Type = rep(c("Type I", "Type II", "Type III"), each = 3),
  Component = rep(c("Coffee Unique", "Shared", "Time Unique"), 3),
  Allocation = c(
    # Type I: Coffee gets unique + shared
    100, 100, 0, # Coffee tested first gets all shared
    # Type II: Each gets only unique
    100, 50, 100, # Shared split conceptually
    # Type III: Most conservative
   100, 0, 100 # Neither gets shared
  )
)
ggplot(variance\_allocation, aes(x = Component, y = Allocation, fill = Type)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = "dodge") +
  labs(title = "Conceptual Variance Allocation by ANOVA Type",
       subtitle = "How each type 'claims' variance in unbalanced designs",
       y = "Variance Allocated (%)",
       x = "Variance Component") +
  theme_minimal() +
  scale_fill_brewer(palette = "Set2")
```



Shared

Variance Component

Time Unique

Final Recommendations Table

Coffee Unique

```
final_recommendations <- data.frame(</pre>
  `Research Question` = c(
    "Do factors A and B affect the outcome?",
    "What is the unique contribution of A?",
    "Does A matter after controlling for everything?",
    "Following a causal chain A\rightarrow B\rightarrow C",
    "Interaction is significant"
 ),
  `Best Type` = c(
    "Type II",
    "Type II",
    "Type III",
    "Type I",
    "Type III"
  ),
  Why = c(
    "Tests main effects properly without assuming interaction",
    "Type II isolates unique variance of each factor",
    "Type III is most conservative, controls for all",
```

```
"Type I respects the sequential nature",
    "Type III tests main effects in presence of interaction"
),
    check.names = FALSE
)

kable(final_recommendations,
    caption = "Final Recommendations for ANOVA Type Selection") %>%
    kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped", "hover", "condensed"))
```

Table 10: Final Recommendations for ANOVA Type Selection

Research Question	Best Type	Why
Do factors A and B affect the outcome?	Type II	Tests main effects properly without assuming i
What is the unique contribution of A?	Type II	Type II isolates unique variance of each factor
Does A matter after controlling for everything?	Type III	Type III is most conservative, controls for all
Following a causal chain $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C$	Type I	Type I respects the sequential nature
Interaction is significant	Type III	Type III tests main effects in presence of intera

Remember this Above All

♣ The Golden Rule of ANOVA Types

If your design is balanced, rejoice! All types give the same answer. If your design is unbalanced:

- 1. Check if interaction is significant
- 2. If NO interaction \rightarrow Use Type II
- 3. If YES interaction \rightarrow Use Type III
- 4. If natural hierarchy \rightarrow Consider Type I

Always report: Which type you used and why!

10.3 Appendix: R Package Requirements