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**Duration: One Hour**

**Date: 28.12.2023**

**Time: 02.30 p.m- 03.30 p.m**

**Instructions:**

- This question paper consists of 20 multiple choice questions and 06 pages.
- Statistical Tables are attached in last pages.
- Non-programmable calculators are permitted.
- Consider the level of significance as 0.05 for all the tests.
- Handover the question paper with the underlined answers.

**Underline the most suitable answer.**

- 1) Performing the same treatment combination more than once is called:  
a) Blocking  
b) Randomization  
c) Replication  
d) None of the above
- 2) CRD can be used with  
a) Equal replications  
b) unequal replications  
c) equal and unequal replications  
d) single replication
- 3) An ANOVA is performed under the assumption of  
a) Homogeneity of variances  
b) Homogeneity of means  
c) Heterogeneity of variances  
d) Heterogeneity of means
- 4) In a one-way ANOVA, which of the following statements is correct?  
a) Reject  $H_0$  since there is evidence of a treatment effect  
b) Do not reject  $H_0$  because a mistake has been made  
c) Reject  $H_0$  since there is evidence that all means differ  
d) Reject  $H_0$  since there is no evidence of a difference

- 5) ANOVA is a statistical technique comparing the \_\_\_\_\_ of several populations.
- a) Variances      b) standard deviations      c) means      d) All of the above
- 6) For lab experiments which type of design is more suitable?
- a) CRD      b) RCBD      c) Latin square design      d) All of the above

**Using the following problem, answer questions 7 to 20.**

A researcher wanted to determine whether the 3 energy drinks, say *A*, *B*, and *C*, differ in their effects on endurance. Six male persons of same age participated in the research and each person drinks each energy drink. The time to exhaustion on a treadmill is measured. The results of the measurements are given in the following table.

Person	Drink 1	Drink 2	Drink 3
1	42	48	62
2	36	34	48
3	54	56	75
4	44	46	52
5	28	32	44
6	45	50	65

Total uncorrected sum of squares =  $\sum y^2 = 43595$

- 7) What are the treatments used in relation this study?
- a) Time to exhaustion      b) Six male persons  
c) Three energy drinks      d) None of the above
- 8) What are the experimental units in relation this study?
- a) Three energy drinks      b) Six male persons  
c) Time to exhaustion      d) None of the above
- 9) What is the response variable in relation this study?
- a) Time to exhaustion      b) Six male persons  
c) Three energy drinks      d) None of the above

10) What is the design used in this study?

- a) CRD
- b) RCBD
- c) Latin Square
- d) None of the above

11) The null hypothesis to be tested for this study is:

- a) At least one energy drink has a different exhaustion time.
- b) All three energy drinks have different exhaustion time.
- c) Average exhaustion times of 3 energy drinks are same.
- d) None of the above

**Suppose that you constructed the ANOVA Table and answer questions 12 to 20 based on that table.**

12) Degrees of freedom of treatment, errors and total are:

- a) 2,16,18
- b) 2,15,17
- c) 3,15,18
- d) None of the above

13) Sum of squares of treatment, errors and total are:

- a) 1516.17, 894.33, 2410.5
- b) 874.33, 1536.17, 2410.5
- c) 894.33, 1516.17, 2410.5
- d) None of the above

14) Mean squares of treatment and errors are:

- a) 447.17, 101.08
- b) 298.11, 101.08
- c) 758.08, 55.89
- d) None of the above

15) The  $F_{\text{calculated}}$  and  $F_{\text{table}}$  values are:

- a) 3.682, 4.42
- b) 4.42, 3.682
- c) 2.94, 3.287
- d) None of the above

16) What is the appropriate interpretation of this test?

- a) Reject  $H_0$ : All three energy drinks have different average exhaustion time.
- b) Reject  $H_0$ : At least one of the energy drinks differs from the others in terms of their average exhaustion time
- c) Fail to reject  $H_0$ : There is no significant difference between average exhaustion time of three energy drinks.
- d) None of the above.



## Appendix 4a

### 5 per cent Points of the *F*-distribution

Column represents degrees of freedom ( $\nu_1$ ) for numerator of *F*-test  
 Row represents degrees of freedom ( $\nu_2$ ) for denominator of *F*-test

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	24	$\infty$
1	161.4	199.5	215.7	224.6	230.2	234.0	236.8	238.9	240.5	241.9	243.9	249.1	254.3
2	18.51	19.00	19.16	19.25	19.30	19.33	19.35	19.37	19.38	19.40	19.41	19.45	19.50
3	10.13	9.552	9.277	9.117	9.013	8.941	8.887	8.845	8.812	8.785	8.745	8.638	8.526
4	7.709	6.944	6.591	6.388	6.256	6.163	6.094	6.041	5.999	5.964	5.912	5.774	5.628
5	6.608	5.786	5.409	5.192	5.050	4.950	4.876	4.818	4.772	4.735	4.678	4.527	4.365
6	5.987	5.143	4.757	4.534	4.387	4.284	4.207	4.147	4.099	4.060	4.000	3.841	3.669
7	5.591	4.737	4.347	4.120	3.972	3.866	3.787	3.726	3.677	3.637	3.575	3.410	3.230
8	5.318	4.459	4.066	3.838	3.688	3.581	3.500	3.438	3.388	3.347	3.284	3.115	2.928
9	5.117	4.256	3.863	3.633	3.482	3.374	3.293	3.230	3.179	3.137	3.073	2.900	2.707
10	4.965	4.103	3.708	3.478	3.326	3.217	3.135	3.072	3.020	2.978	2.913	2.737	2.538
11	4.844	3.982	3.587	3.357	3.204	3.095	3.012	2.948	2.896	2.854	2.788	2.609	2.405
12	4.747	3.885	3.490	3.259	3.106	2.996	2.913	2.849	2.796	2.753	2.687	2.505	2.296
13	4.667	3.806	3.411	3.179	3.025	2.915	2.832	2.767	2.714	2.671	2.604	2.420	2.206
14	4.600	3.739	3.344	3.112	2.958	2.848	2.764	2.699	2.646	2.602	2.534	2.349	2.131
15	4.543	3.682	3.287	3.056	2.901	2.790	2.707	2.641	2.588	2.544	2.475	2.288	2.066
16	4.494	3.634	3.239	3.007	2.852	2.741	2.657	2.591	2.538	2.494	2.425	2.235	2.010
17	4.451	3.592	3.197	2.965	2.810	2.699	2.614	2.548	2.494	2.450	2.381	2.190	1.960
18	4.414	3.555	3.160	2.928	2.773	2.661	2.577	2.510	2.456	2.412	2.342	2.150	1.917
19	4.381	3.522	3.127	2.895	2.740	2.628	2.544	2.477	2.423	2.378	2.308	2.114	1.878
20	4.351	3.493	3.098	2.866	2.711	2.599	2.514	2.447	2.393	2.348	2.278	2.082	1.843
21	4.325	3.467	3.072	2.840	2.685	2.573	2.488	2.420	2.366	2.321	2.250	2.054	1.812
22	4.301	3.443	3.049	2.817	2.661	2.549	2.464	2.397	2.342	2.297	2.226	2.028	1.783
23	4.279	3.422	3.028	2.796	2.640	2.528	2.442	2.375	2.320	2.275	2.204	2.005	1.757
24	4.260	3.403	3.009	2.776	2.621	2.508	2.423	2.355	2.300	2.255	2.183	1.984	1.733
25	4.242	3.385	2.991	2.759	2.603	2.490	2.405	2.337	2.282	2.236	2.165	1.964	1.711
26	4.225	3.369	2.975	2.743	2.587	2.474	2.388	2.321	2.265	2.220	2.148	1.946	1.691
27	4.210	3.354	2.960	2.728	2.572	2.459	2.373	2.305	2.250	2.204	2.132	1.930	1.672
28	4.196	3.340	2.947	2.714	2.558	2.445	2.359	2.291	2.236	2.190	2.118	1.915	1.654
29	4.183	3.328	2.934	2.701	2.545	2.432	2.346	2.278	2.223	2.177	2.104	1.901	1.638

(continued)

# Critical values of $t$ for two-tailed tests

Significance level ( $\alpha$ )

Degrees of freedom ( $df$ )	0.2	0.15	0.1	0.05	0.025	0.01	0.005	0.001	0.0005
1	3.078	4.165	6.314	12.706	26.452	63.657	127.321	636.619	1273.239
2	1.886	2.282	2.920	4.303	6.205	9.925	14.089	31.599	44.705
3	1.638	1.924	2.353	3.182	4.177	5.841	7.453	12.924	16.326
4	1.533	1.778	2.132	2.776	3.495	4.604	5.598	8.610	10.306
5	1.476	1.699	2.015	2.571	3.163	4.032	4.773	6.869	7.976
6	1.440	1.650	1.943	2.447	2.969	3.707	4.317	5.959	6.788
7	1.415	1.617	1.895	2.365	2.841	3.499	4.029	5.408	6.082
8	1.397	1.592	1.860	2.305	2.752	3.355	3.833	5.041	5.617
9	1.383	1.574	1.833	2.262	2.685	3.250	3.690	4.781	5.291
10	1.372	1.559	1.812	2.228	2.634	3.189	3.581	4.587	5.049
11	1.363	1.548	1.796	2.201	2.593	3.106	3.497	4.437	4.863
12	1.356	1.538	1.782	2.179	2.560	3.055	3.428	4.318	4.716
13	1.350	1.530	1.771	2.160	2.533	3.012	3.372	4.221	4.597
14	1.345	1.523	1.761	2.145	2.510	2.977	3.326	4.140	4.499
15	1.341	1.517	1.753	2.131	2.490	2.947	3.286	4.073	4.417
16	1.337	1.512	1.746	2.120	2.473	2.921	3.252	4.015	4.346
17	1.333	1.508	1.740	2.110	2.458	2.898	3.222	3.965	4.286
18	1.330	1.504	1.734	2.101	2.445	2.878	3.197	3.922	4.233
19	1.328	1.500	1.729	2.093	2.433	2.861	3.174	3.883	4.187
20	1.326	1.497	1.725	2.086	2.423	2.845	3.153	3.850	4.146
21	1.323	1.494	1.721	2.080	2.414	2.831	3.135	3.819	4.110
22	1.321	1.492	1.717	2.074	2.405	2.819	3.119	3.792	4.077
23	1.319	1.489	1.714	2.069	2.398	2.807	3.104	3.768	4.047
24	1.318	1.487	1.711	2.064	2.391	2.797	3.091	3.745	4.021
25	1.316	1.485	1.708	2.060	2.385	2.787	3.078	3.725	3.996
26	1.315	1.483	1.706	2.056	2.379	2.779	3.067	3.707	3.974
27	1.314	1.482	1.703	2.052	2.373	2.771	3.057	3.690	3.954
28	1.313	1.480	1.701	2.048	2.368	2.763	3.047	3.674	3.935
29	1.311	1.479	1.699	2.045	2.364	2.756	3.038	3.659	3.918
30	1.310	1.477	1.697	2.042	2.360	2.750	3.030	3.646	3.902
40	1.303	1.468	1.684	2.021	2.329	2.704	2.971	3.551	3.788
50	1.299	1.462	1.676	2.009	2.311	2.678	2.937	3.496	3.723
60	1.296	1.458	1.671	2.000	2.299	2.660	2.915	3.460	3.681
70	1.294	1.456	1.667	1.994	2.291	2.648	2.899	3.435	3.651
80	1.292	1.453	1.664	1.990	2.284	2.639	2.887	3.416	3.629
100	1.290	1.451	1.660	1.984	2.276	2.626	2.871	3.390	3.598
1000	1.282	1.441	1.646	1.962	2.245	2.581	2.813	3.300	3.492
Infinite	1.282	1.440	1.645	1.960	2.241	2.576	2.807	3.291	3.481