

Psychology 311
Review Questions
Session 2

1. The Hochberg sequential testing method is generally somewhat more powerful than the Holm method, which is generally more powerful than the Dunn-Bonferroni method. So why would one ever want to employ the Dunn-Bonferroni method instead of the Hochberg method?
2. You have a 1-Way ANOVA with 5 groups, and equal $n = 5$. You are considering comparing all pairs of means in pairwise contrasts, and you decide to use the standard Tukey test.
 - a) Is it possible that you will find a significant pairwise difference if you did *not* reject the overall ANOVA F test of equal means?
 - b) If you believe it is possible, assume that $MS_{S/A} = 10$, and construct a numerical example by giving 5 group means that demonstrates your point.
3. Given the following data, perform a Dunnett test, indicating which of the 4 experimental groups is significantly different from the control. Control FWER at 0.05.

	A	B	C	D	Control
Mean	11.66	10.90	12.23	14.13	9.80
Variance	12.23	11.77	9.80	12.12	14.08
Sample Size (n)	25	25	25	25	25

4. *RDASA3 10.8*. We have five group means, each based on $n = 10$ scores, with $MS_{S/A} = 4.0$. The means are

A_1	A_2	A_3	A_4	A_5
8.6	9.5	9.2	8.0	10.4

- a) We plan 5 contrasts with FWER = 0.05. Test the contrast that A_5 has a mean equal to the average of the other 4 groups. State the critical value for significance and whether the null hypothesis is rejected.
- b) What would be the result of the significance test if we decided on the above contrast *after looking at the data*?
- c) Find the confidence intervals for the contrast under the conditions of (a) and (b) above. Explain why the confidence interval widths are different.
- d) Suppose that, instead of the above contrasts, we decided to do all possible pairwise tests using the Tukey test. Which means would be significantly different?
- e) Suppose we planned in advance to do *only one* contrast, and it compared the average of the first two group means with the average of the last 3 group means. Do the calculations and report the results.

5. Given the data in the file *Trend.txt* available on the website, perform the following analyses.
 - a) Do a 1-way, fixed-effects ANOVA on the data.
 - b) Do a trend analysis on the data, and show the results of testing for linear and quadratic trend. Note that the levels of *Grade* are not evenly spaced.
 - c) What are the orthogonal polynomial weights for testing for linear trend? For quadratic trend?