Chapter 9 of Data Analysis for Experimental Design

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Here I will show a very easy way to tests between-subjects factorial designs where each factor has only one two levels. The aov() command does a nice job. Because all the terms in the factorial design have one degree of freedom, the omnibus tests are equivalent to contrasts.

First, I have a data file that includes the variable names A, B, C and data as column names (header = T in the read.table call). Second, attach the data matrix so the variable names are accessible. Third, run the aov command. The output is identical to that shown in Table 9.4.

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datamatrix <- read.table("data.txt",header=T)
attach(datamatrix)
summary(aov(data~A*B*C))</pre>
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```
Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
           1 101.250 101.250 91.8136 1.739e-14 ***
Α
В
           1 22.050 22.050 19.9950 2.835e-05 ***
           1 64.800 64.800 58.7607 6.447e-11 ***
A:B
           1 0.050 0.050 0.0453 0.8319817
A:C
           1 16.200 16.200 14.6902 0.0002686 ***
B:C
              3.200
                     3.200 2.9018 0.0927957 .
           1
          1 1.800
A:B:C
                     1.800 1.6322 0.2054974
         72 79.400
Residuals
                      1.103
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