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0.72      .71
1.00      .98
0.81      .68
0.62      1.18
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1.24      .78
0.99      1.64
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R Session:

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> ##### READ DATA #####
> tt <- read.table("M3074PlasmaAcidEg.txt",header=TRUE)
Error in scan(file, what, nmax, sep, dec, quote, skip, nlines, na.strings, :
  line 13 did not have 2 elements

> ##### FIX DATA FILE. FIRST METHOD #####
> # Two fixes in wordprocessor:
> # First Fix: make single vector and a second factor indicating smoking
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# and nonsmokers? Assume data sets from normal pops with unequal variances.
# Variables
#   Plasma   plasma ascorbic acid (milligrams per 100 milliliters)
#   Smoker/Nonsmoker   factor: Y=yes, N=no
Plasma Smoker/Nonsmoker
.97 N
0.72 N
1.00 N
0.81 N
0.62 N
1.32 N
1.24 N
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0.99 N
0.90 N
0.74 N
0.88 N
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0.64 N
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1.09 N
0.92 N
0.78 N
1.24 N
1.18 N
0.48 Y
0.71 Y
0.98 Y
0.68 Y
1.18 Y
1.36 Y
0.78 Y
1.64 Y

Resume R Session:

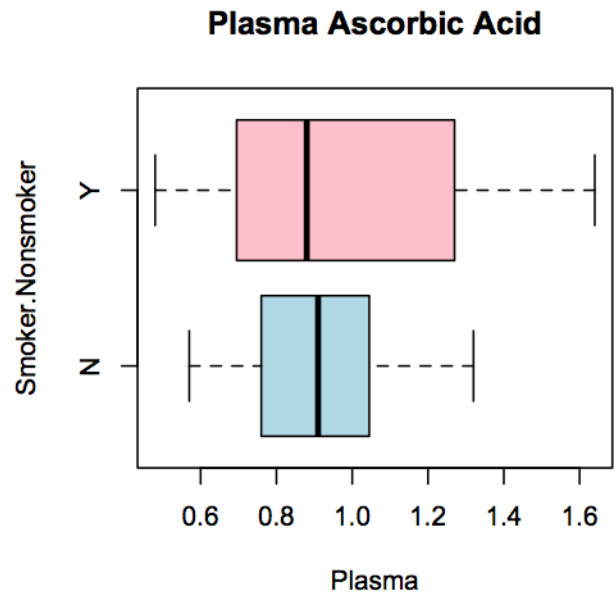
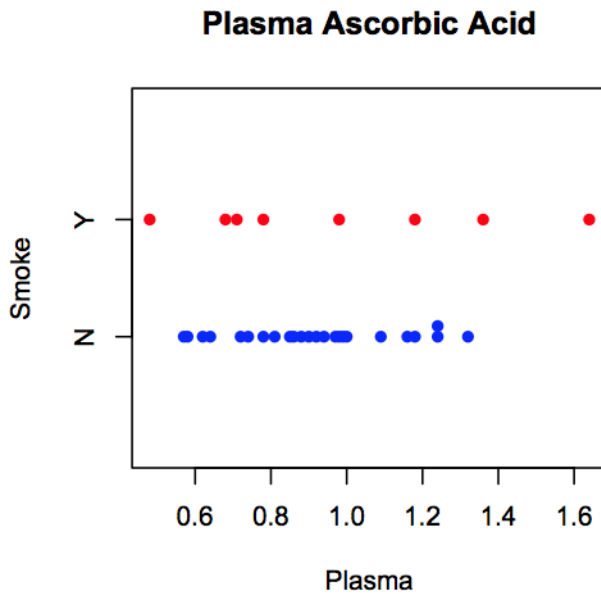
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> tt <- read.table("M3074PlasmaAcidData1.txt",header=TRUE)
> tt
  Plasma Smoker.Nonsmoker
1    0.97                N
2    0.72                N
3    1.00                N
4    0.81                N
5    0.62                N
6    1.32                N
7    1.24                N
8    0.99                N
9    0.90                N
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11   0.88                N
12   0.94                N
13   1.16                N
14   0.86                N
15   0.85                N
16   0.58                N
17   0.57                N
18   0.64                N
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20   1.09                N
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21	0.92	N
22	0.78	N
23	1.24	N
24	1.18	N
25	0.48	Y
26	0.71	Y
27	0.98	Y
28	0.68	Y
29	1.18	Y
30	1.36	Y
31	0.78	Y
32	1.64	Y

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> attach(tt)
> names(tt)
[1] "Plasma"          "Smoker.Nonsmoker"
> S.N <- factor(Smoker.Nonsmoker)
>
> layout(matrix(1:4,ncol=2,byrow=TRUE))
> stripchart(Plasma~Smoker.Nonsmoker,method="stack",col=c(4,2),pch=19,ylim=c(0,3),
+ ylab="Smoke",main="Plasma Ascorbic Acid")
> plot(Plasma~Smoker.Nonsmoker, data = tt, col = c("lightblue","pink"),
+ main = "Plasma Ascorbic Acid", horizontal = TRUE)
> # M3074PlasmaAcid2.pdf
>
> # Means are close but variances differ.

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> ##### PICK OFF EACH FACTOR #####
> NonSmoker <- Plasma[S.N=="N"]
> Smoker <- Plasma[S.N=="Y"]
> t.test(Smoker,NonSmoker)

Welch Two Sample t-test

data: Smoker and NonSmoker
t = 0.4162, df = 8.444, p-value = 0.6876
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
95 percent confidence interval:
 -0.2712908  0.3921241
sample estimates:
mean of x mean of y
0.9762500 0.9158333

> # High p-value. Conclude that there is no significant evidence that the two
> # plasma ascorbic acid levels are different in smokers and non-smokers.
>
> ##### SECOND FIX OF DATA FILE #####
> # Alternative is to put NA where data doesn't match

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1.24      .78
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0.90      NA
0.74      NA
0.88      NA
0.94      NA
1.16      NA
0.86      NA

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0.85 NA
0.58 NA
0.57 NA
0.64 NA
0.98 NA
1.09 NA
0.92 NA
0.78 NA
1.24 NA
1.18 NA
```

Resume R Session:

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> t2 <- read.table("M3074PlasmaAcidData2.txt",header=TRUE)
> attach(t2)
> names(t2)
[1] "NonSmoke" "Smoke"
> t2
  NonSmoke Smoke
1      0.97  0.48
2      0.72  0.71
3      1.00  0.98
4      0.81  0.68
5      0.62  1.18
6      1.32  1.36
7      1.24  0.78
8      0.99  1.64
9      0.90   NA
10     0.74   NA
11     0.88   NA
12     0.94   NA
13     1.16   NA
14     0.86   NA
15     0.85   NA
16     0.58   NA
17     0.57   NA
18     0.64   NA
19     0.98   NA
20     1.09   NA
21     0.92   NA
22     0.78   NA
23     1.24   NA
24     1.18   NA
> # Pick out from the Smoke vector those entries that are not NA
> Smok <- Smoke[!is.na(Smoke)]
> Smok
[1] 0.48 0.71 0.98 0.68 1.18 1.36 0.78 1.64
> NonSmoke
[1] 0.97 0.72 1.00 0.81 0.62 1.32 1.24 0.99 0.90 0.74 0.88 0.94 1.16 0.86 0.85
[17] 0.58 0.57 0.64 0.98 1.09 0.92 0.78 1.24 1.18
> Smok-Smoker
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> ##### t-TEST BY HAND #####
>
> v1 = var(Smok)
> v2 <- var(NonSmoke)
> n1 <- length(Smok)
> n2 <- length(NonSmoke)
> x1bar <- mean(Smok)
> x2bar <- mean(NonSmoke)
> nu <- (v1/n1 + v2/n2)^2/((v1/n1)^2/(n1-1)+(v2/n2)^2/(n2-1)); nu
[1] 8.44419
> t <-(x1bar-x2bar)/sqrt(v1/n1 + v2/n2);t
[1] 0.4161971
> pvalue <- 2*pt(t,nu,lower.tail=FALSE);pvalue
[1] 0.6876436
> alpha<- .05
> ta2 <- qt(alpha/2,nu,lower.tail=FALSE); ta2
[1] 2.285059
> se <- sqrt(v1/n1 + v2/n2); se
[1] 0.1451636
> # 2-sided 95% CI on mu1-mu2
> c(x1bar-x2bar-ta2*se,x1bar-x2bar+ta2*se)
[1] -0.2712908 0.3921241
> # ests of mu1, mu2
> c(x1bar,x2bar)
[1] 0.9762500 0.9158333
>
> # All same as from canned t.test()

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