

LATIN SQUARE

An experiment was conducted to measure the dry matter digestibility of 4 diets which varied in percent crude protein as follows:

- A 11.0%
- B 9.5%
- C 8.0%
- D 6.5%

The experiment consisted of 2 replicates (I and II) which were conducted at the same time. Within each replicate 4 cows were measured in each of 4 time periods. Each cow received every treatment once during the four time periods. Furthermore, at each time all four treatments were represented, each on a different cow. The data are as follows:

Rows total
184.6
179.2
182.5
183.3
729.6

Replicate I		TIME			
		1	2	3	4
Cows	1	A 48.5	B 48.5	C 44.7	D 42.9
	2	B 48.1	A 47.1	D 40.1	C 43.9
	3	C 45.4	D 44.1	B 45.9	A 47.1
	4	D 42.2	C 46.9	A 48.0	B 46.2
		184.2	186.6	178.7	180.1

Treat. Totals
A B C D
190.7 188.7 180.9 169.3
 $\bar{x} = 47.7 \quad 47.2 \quad 45.2 \quad 42.3$

180.4
182.9
182.9
182.6
728.8

Replicate II		TIME			
		1	2	3	4
Cows	5	A 50.1	B 44.7	C 44.3	D 41.3
	6	B 49.3	D 40.0	A 48.8	C 44.8
	7	C 45.4	A 49.1	D 41.7	B 46.7
	8	D 41.1	C 47.8	B 45.5	A 48.2
		185.9	181.6	180.3	181.0

196.2 186.2 182.3 164.1
 $\bar{x} = 49.05 \quad 46.6 \quad 45.6 \quad 41.0$
Totals: 370.1 368.2 359.0 361.1 193.45 187.5 181.6 166.7

1. Give the linear model.
2. Give the null hypothesis for treatments.
3. Perform an analysis of variance for each replicate separately and for the combined replicates.
4. Analyze the trend in dry matter digestibility due to crude protein.
5. What conclusions do you reach?
Are the treatment differences similar in both replicates?
Give the treatment means.

1) Linear Model

$Y_{ij}(t) = \mu + R_i + C_j + \gamma(t) + e_{ij}(t) \rightarrow$ For single replicate

$Y_{ijk}(t) = \mu + R_i + C_j + S_k + \gamma(t) + e_{ijk}(t) \rightarrow$ for combined replicate

- μ = overall mean
- C_j = column effect
- $\gamma(t)$ = treatment "
- R_i = Row effect
- S_k = square "
- $e_{ijk}(t)$ = Error

2) $H_0: \mu_{9.5} = \mu_{8} = \mu_{6.5}$

3) Replicate I

Source	df	SS	MS	F
Total	15	90.56		
(% O.C.P) Treat.	3	70.61	23.53	23.49 *
(low) Row	3	3.975	1.325	1.32
(time) Column	3	9.965	3.32	3.3
Error	6	6.01	1.002	

$SS(T) = \sum Y_{ij}^2 - C = 33360.3 - \frac{(729)^2}{16} = 90.56$

$SS(Tr) = \sum \frac{\gamma(t)^2}{r} - C = 33340.4 - 33269.8 = 70.61$

$SS(Row) = \sum \frac{Y_{i.}^2}{r} - C = 33273.7 - 33269.8 = 3.975$

$SS(Column) = \sum \frac{Y_{.j}^2}{r} - C = 33279.7 - 33269.8 = 9.965$

$SS(E) = SS(T) - SS(Tr) - SS(R) - SS(C) = 6.01$

$F_{table} \rightarrow F_{105,3,6} = 4.76$

Significant difference among treatments.

Replicate II

Source	df	SS	MS	F
Total	15	157.7		
Treat	3	134.91	44.97	15.94 *
Row	3	1.095	.365	.129
Column	3	4.775	1.59	.56
Error	6	16.925	2.82	

$SS(Tot) = 33354.5 - 33196.84 = 157.7$
 $SS(T) = 3331.7 - 33196.84 = 134.91$
 $SS(R) = 33197.9 - 33196.84 = 1.095$
 $SS(C) = 33201.6 - 33196.84 = 4.775$
 $SS(E) = 16.925$

$F_{table} \rightarrow F_{.05, 3, 6} = 4.76$

Significant difference among treatment means.

Combined replicates

Source	df	SS	MS	F
Total	31	248.28	8.00	
Treat	3	205.52	68.5	53.52 *
Square	1	.02	.02	.016
Row	6(3+3)	5.02	.84	.656
Column	3	10.85	3.62	2.83
Error	18	23.02	1.28	

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$\checkmark SS(Tot) = 66714.86 - 66466.58 = 248.28$
 $\checkmark SS(T) = 66672.1 - 66466.58 = 205.52$
 $\checkmark SS(R) = 66470.6 - 66466.58 = 5.02$
 $SS(C) = 66477.43 - 66466.58 = 10.85$

$SS(Square) = \frac{(\sum y_{ij})^2}{1} + \frac{(\sum y_{ij})^2}{1} - C = 66466.6 - 66466.58 = .02$

$F_{table} \rightarrow F_{.05, 3, 18} = 3.16$

Significant difference among treatment means.

4)

Replicate	I	A	B	C	D	$\frac{\sum C_i^2 N_i}{n} = (SS(Q))$
Linear	1	(-3)190.7 + (-1)188.7 + (1)180.9 + (3)169.3				$(-72)^2/80 = 64.8$
Quad.	1	(1)190.7 + (-1)188.7 + (-1)180.9 + (1)169.3				$-9.6^2/16 = 5.76$
Cubic	1	(-1)190.7 + (3)188.7 + (-3)180.9 + (1)169.3				$2^2/80 = .05$

$EMS = 1.002$

MS	F	F
64.8	64.8/1.002	*64.7
5.76	5.76/1.002	5.75
.05	.05/1.002	.05

Replicate II

	df	A	B	C	D	$\frac{\sum C_i^2 N_i}{n}$
Linear	1	(-3)196.2 + (-1)186.2 + (1)182.3 + (3)164.1				$-100.5^2/80 = 126.3$
Quad	1	(1)196.2 + (-1)186.2 + (-1)182.3 + (1)164.1				$-8.2^2/16 = 4.2$
Cubic	1	(-1)196.2 + (3)186.2 + (-3)182.3 + (1)164.1				$-20.5^2/80 = 5.25$

$EMS = 2.82$

MS	F
126.3	
4.2	
5.25	

F Table $\rightarrow F_{.05, 1, 16} = 5.99$

Significant linear and ~~quadratic~~ effects

in Rep. I., whereas only linear significance in Rep. II.

5)

There is a significant effect of % C.P. levels on % D.M. digestibility in both replicates & when combined, there is a significant effect of treatments but not row and column effects. These effects were linear and quadratic in replicate I whereas there was a linear effect in Replicate II.

Means Treat.	Rep. I	Rep. II	Combined
A	47.7	49.05	48.38
B	47.2	46.6	46.9
C	45.2	45.6	45.4
D	42.3	41	41.65

LSD	Rep. I	Rep. II	Combined	LSR
	42.3	45.2	47.2	0.75
	41	45.6	46.6	1.27

Treat. means are similar but LSD indicates that A & B not different in rep. I, and B & C in Rep. II.