## 國立中央大學八十六學年度碩士班研究生入學試題卷

- 一、試進變異數分析(ANOVA)的前提,並説明如何判定該等前提是否成立? (15%)
- 二、請利用流程圖説明在各種不同情形下,檢定二個群體平均數相等假設的方法。 (20%)
- 三、説明相關係數與迴歸係數的關係,並説明當相關係數為-1和()時,迴歸直線與資料間的情形。(15%)

Aphid infestation of fruit trees can be controlled either by spraying with pesticide or by inundation with ladybugs. In a particular area, four different groves of fruit trees are selected for experimentation. The first three groves are sprayed with pesticides 1, 2, and 3, respectively, and the fourth is treated with ladybugs, with the following results on yield:

Treatment	n <sub>i</sub> = number of Trees	$\bar{x}_i$ (bushels/iree)	$s_t$
1	100	10.5	1.5
2	90	10.0	1.3
3	100	10.1	1.8
4	120	10.7	1.6

Let  $\mu_i$  = the true average yield (bushels/tree) after receiving the *i*th treatment. Then

$$\theta = \frac{1}{3}(\mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3) - \mu_4$$

measures the difference in true average yields between treatment with pesticides and treatment with ladybugs. When  $n_1$ ,  $n_2$ ,  $n_3$ , and  $n_4$  are all large, the estimator  $\theta$  obtained by replacing each  $\mu_i$  by  $\tilde{X}_i$  is approximately normal. Use this to derive a large-sample  $100(1-\alpha)\%$  CI for  $\theta$  and compute the 95% interval for the given data.

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Let  $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n$  be random variables denoting n independent bids for an item that is for sale. Suppose each  $X_i$  is uniformly distributed on the interval [100, 200]. If the seller sells to the highest bidder, how much can be expect to earn on the sale?



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