

Math 3080 § 1.  
Treibergs

**Metal Rod Example:**  
**2<sup>3</sup> Factorial Experiment**

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We describe a 2<sup>3</sup> experimental design with one replicate per cell. It comes from an experiment by Heinrich, "Experimental Design: Applications to System Testing," *Quality Engineering* 1, (1989) 199-216, who tested the tensile strength of metal rods depending on manufacturing conditions. Quoted from Levine, Ramsey and Smidt, *Applied Statistics for Engineers and Scientists*, Prentice Hall, 2001.

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**Data Set Used in this Analysis :**

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# strength of metal rods depending on manufacturing condidiont. Quoted from
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# Scientists, Prentice Hall, 2001.
#
# Factors      (Levels)
# Temperature of the molten metal at start (300 F, 400 F)
# Pressure on the molten metal to force it through the die (40 psi, 70 psi)
# Amount of catalyst (20 rpm, 30 rpm)
#
"Temp" "Pressure" "Catalyst" "Tensile"
300 40 20 30
400 40 20 20
300 70 20 20
400 70 20 30
300 40 30 10
400 40 30 60
300 70 30 10
400 70 30 10
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**R Session:**

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R version 2.13.1 (2011-07-08)
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Platform: i386-apple-darwin9.8.0/i386 (32-bit)
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```
> tt=read.table("M3082DataMetalRod.txt",header=T)
> attach(tt)
> tt
  Temp Pressure Catalyst Tensile
1  300      40       20      30
2  400      40       20      20
3  300      70       20      20
4  400      70       20      30
5  300      40       30      10
6  400      40       30      60
7  300      70       30      10
8  400      70       30      10
> temp=ordered(Temp); pressure=ordered(Pressure); cat=ordered(Catalyst)

> ##### ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE #####
> a1=aov(Tensile~temp+pressure+cat)
> summary(a1)
              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
temp           1  312.5   312.5  0.9259 0.3904
pressure       1  312.5   312.5  0.9259 0.3904
cat            1   12.5    12.5  0.0370 0.8568
Residuals     4 1350.0   337.5

> ##### INTERACTION AND DESIGN PLOTS #####
> layout(matrix(c(1,4,2,3),ncol=2))
> interaction.plot(temp,pressure,Tensile,main="Interaction Plots")
> interaction.plot(temp,cat,Tensile)
> interaction.plot(pressure,cat,Tensile)
> plot.design(Tensile~temp+pressure+cat)
```

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> ##### TABLES OF MEANS AND EFFECTS #####
```

```
> model.tables(a1,"means")
```

```
Tables of means
```

```
Grand mean
```

```
23.75
```

```
temp
```

```
300 400
```

```
17.5 30.0
```

```
pressure
```

```
40 70
```

```
30.0 17.5
```

```
cat
```

```
20 30
```

```
25.0 22.5
```

```
> model.tables(a1)
```

```
Tables of effects
```

```
temp
```

```
300 400
```

```
-6.25 6.25
```

```
pressure
```

```
40 70
```

```
6.25 -6.25
```

```
cat
```

```
20 30
```

```
1.25 -1.25
```

```
> ##### EFFECTS AS CONTRASTS #####
```

```
> e1=sum(Tensile*c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1))/8; e1
```

```
[1] 23.75
```

```
> eA=sum(Tensile*c(-1,1,-1,1,-1,1,-1,1))/8; eA
```

```
[1] 6.25
```

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> eB=sum(Tensile*c(-1,-1,1,1,-1,-1,1,1))/8; eB
```

```
[1] -6.25
```

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> eC=sum(Tensile*c(-1,-1,-1,-1,1,1,1,1))/8; eC
```

```
[1] -1.25
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> eAB=sum(Tensile*c(1,-1,-1,1,1,-1,-1,1))/8; eAB
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```
[1] -3.75
```

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> eAC=sum(Tensile*c(1,-1,1,-1,-1,1,-1,1))/8; eAC
```

```
[1] 6.25
```

```
> eBC=sum(Tensile*c(1,1,-1,-1,-1,1,1,1))/8; eBC
```

```
[1] -6.25
```

```
> eABC=sum(Tensile*c(-1,1,1,-1,1,-1,-1,1))/8; eABC
```

```
[1] -8.75
```

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> ### QQ-PLOT OF CONTRASTS TO FIND SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS #####
> eff=c(e1,eA,eB,eAB,eC,eAC,eBC,eABC); eff
[1] 23.75  6.25 -6.25 -3.75 -1.25  6.25 -6.25 -8.75
> qqnorm(eff); qqline(eff)
> plot(a1)

> ##### EFFECTS 2 (A)  AND 6 (AC) SEEM TO DIFFER FROM LINE #####
> ##### SO MAY BE SIGNIFICANT. #####

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### Interaction Plots



