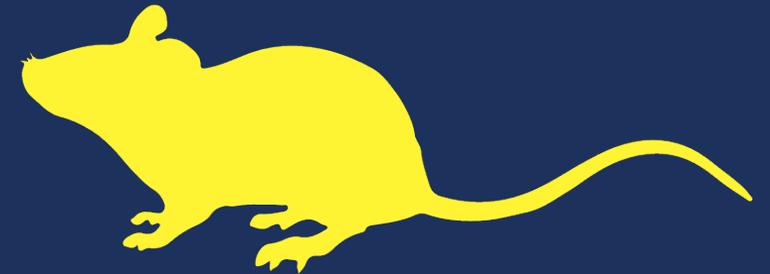


# Biostatistics Workshop 1 – Repeated Measures Analysis ...with GraphPad Prism

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# Repeated Measures Data

- same quantity is measured repeatedly over time in the same experimental unit (e.g., subject, patient, mouse, a foot) = serial data
- hypotheses concern the change across the repeated measurements
  - $H_0$ : Mean response is the same at all time points
  - $H_0$ : Change in the mean response over time does not depend on the level of some between-subjects factor
- does not reduce the serial data into a single summary value
  - e.g., mean response, difference between 1<sup>st</sup> and last measurement, AUC, slope, etc.
  - must be based on biological considerations

# Fixed vs. Random Effect Factors

Fixed	Random
levels are purposefully selected by a nonrandom process, or, the levels consist of the entire population of possible levels	levels consist of a random sample of levels from a population of possible levels
levels comprise the universe about which conclusions will be drawn	levels are a sample from the universe of interest
levels are fixed by design	may have different values if observed more than once at a single time
is observed <u>without</u> error	is observed <u>with</u> error

# Why do I care?

ANOVA partitions variation among values into different components

- fixed effects include one component of variance
- random effects include two components of variance
- **To enter your data properly in Prism, you need to be able to identify your effects as fixed or random!**



# Repeated Measures Analysis

## 1. Standard repeated measures ANOVA:

- treats all factors (subject, group or treatment, time) as fixed effects
- thus, will exclude a subject with a missing value at any time point



# Repeated Measures Analysis

## 2. Mixed effects repeated measures analysis:

- allows both random & fixed effects
  - ❖ subject is random effect
  - ❖ group (or treatment), time, and interaction are fixed effects
- thus, allows for missing values
  - ❖ specify the correlation of measurements across time (i.e., covariance structure)
  - ❖ assumes missing at random



# Example Data Summary

- female mice from two genotypes:
  - wild-type, controls (CON), N=10
  - experimental (CKO), N=9
- mice were measured at baseline (time zero), then all fed the high fat diet and re-measured weekly for 8 weeks
  - measurement time points are the same for all mice and evenly spaced
- outcome is weight (g)
  - there are some missing values
- hypothesis: “CKO mice will respond less to the high fat diet as compared to CON mice”
  - expect less weight gain in the CKO as compared to the controls
  - concerned with mean change, not rate of change
  - no hypotheses about specific time points

# Example Data Design

- Outcome variable:
  - change in weight from time zero
  - there are missing data
- Design:
  - Genotype → between subjects effect, fixed effect
  - Time → within subjects, fixed effect
  - Subject=Mouse → random effect
- Analysis: mixed effects repeated measures ANOVA



# Mixed Model Assumptions

- 1) Within-subjects factor consists of  $\geq$  two categorical, 'related groups' (same subjects) or 'matched pairs'
  - ✓ Time = same mice at each of 9 time points
- 2) Between-subjects factor consists of  $\geq$  two categorical, independent groups
  - ✓ Genotype = different mice for each of 2 groups
- 3) Outcome variable is continuously distributed
  - ✓ Weight = theoretically continuous
  - ✓ Plots of the *actual* data



# Mixed Model Assumptions

- 4) Outcome variable has no 'significant' outliers in any level of the within- or between-subjects factors
  - ✓ Plots of the *actual* data
    - at each time point, regardless of genotype
    - for each genotype, regardless of time point
  - ✓ Plots of residuals from the data *fitted* in the mixed model
- 5) Outcome variable is approximately normally distributed for each combination of the two factors
  - ✓ Plots of the *actual* data and statistical tests
    - at each combination of genotype WITH time point
  - ✓ Q-Q plots of residuals from the *fitted* data



# Mixed Model Assumptions

- 6) Homogeneity of variances for each combination of the two factors
  - ✓ SDs of the *actual* data and statistical tests
    - at each combination of genotype WITH time point
- 7) Sphericity (or circularity) = Homogeneity of variances of the differences between the related groups of the within-subject factor for all groups of the between-subjects factor
  - ✓ SDs of the difference between each pair of time points (regardless of genotype) in *actual* data and statistical indicators

# Mixed Model Assumptions

- 8) Properly specified covariance structure of repeated data
- ✓ Correlations between all pairs of time points in *actual* data
    - Prism assumes compound symmetry: equal correlation between measurements from all pairs of time points - often unrealistic in repeated measures data
  - ✓ Fit statistics from *fitted* model
    - Not available in Prism
- 9) Data are missing at random: No association between the reason for missingness and the within- or between-subjects effects
- ✓ No association between time or genotype with missingness, theoretically
  - ✓ Evaluate the pattern of missingness in *actual* data

Assumptions are about the population(s) from which the data are sampled, not just the actual dataset.

Mixed models are robust to minor deviations.

# Analysis Steps

- 1) Assumptions: Determine if can adjust analytic model options to account for violations or determine if data need transformation prior to mixed model
- 2) Run the mixed model to determine model fit
- 3) Adjust model specifications until have the best model fit  
**Not available in Prism**
- 4) Run the final mixed model and examine p-values



# Setting-Up the Data in Prism

- the data arrangement in Prism depends upon the type of analysis
- you WILL need more than one arrangement to fully assess and analyze the data
- TIP: Immediately label the data and all output clearly in Prism so apparent what you did – Prism doesn't easily attach your modeling specification with the output

# Data for Assumptions

New Data Table and Graph

**New table & graph**

- XY
- Column
- Grouped
- Contingency
- Survival
- Parts of whole
- Multiple variables
- Nested

**Existing file**

- Clone a graph

**XY tables: Each point is defined by an X and Y coordinate**

	X	A			B		
	Minutes	Control			Treated		
	X	A:Y1	A:Y2	A:Y3	B:Y1	B:Y2	B:Y3
1	Title						
2	Title						
3	Title						

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**Data table:**

- Enter or import data into a new table
- Start with sample data to follow a tutorial

**Options:**

**X:**

- Numbers
- Numbers with error values to plot horizontal error bars
- Dates
- Elapsed times

**Y:**

- Enter and plot a single Y value for each point
- Enter  replicate values in side-by-side subcolumns
- Enter and plot error values already calculated elsewhere

Enter:

Prism Tips Cancel Create

File > New Data Table and Graph > XY

Data table: Enter or import data into a new table

Options:

X Numbers

Y Enter and plot a single Y value for each point

# Data for Assumptions (subset)

Table Format

Each column represents the level of one factor = Time (0-8)

Table format: XY		X	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D	Group E	Group F	Group G	Group H	Group I
		ID	Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Time 4	Time 5	Time 6	Time 7	Time 8
		X	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
1	Title	1	19.4	20.0	20.7	21.4	24.3	28.3	26.4	28.3	28.6
2	Title	2	20.2	21.0	21.6	22.0	23.1	24.6	24.8	25.0	25.7
3	Title	3	21.1	22.0	22.7	22.3	26.3	25.2	26.4	26.6	26.8
4	Title	4	18.2	19.5	20.1	21.5	22.9	24.2	28.0	25.7	26.3
5	Title	5	17.8	18.9	20.8	21.8	22.4	23.5	24.8	26.2	28.3
6	Title	6	19.4	20.9	20.2	21.6	23.0	24.7	25.8	28.0	29.2
7	Title	7	17.7	18.4	18.5	19.4	20.9	21.9	23.2		
8	Title	8	18.4	19.0	19.7						
9	Title	9	22.8	26.8	27.8						

Each row represents a different level of the other factor = Mouse

# Summary Data (subset)

Analyze Data >  
Column Analysis >  
Descriptive  
statistics > *Select  
columns to analyze*

		A	B	C	D
		Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3
1	Number of values	9	9	9	7
2					
3	Minimum	17.70	18.40	18.50	19.40
4	25% Percentile	18.00	18.95	19.90	21.40
5	Median	19.40	20.00	20.70	21.60
6	75% Percentile	20.65	21.50	22.15	22.00
7	Maximum	22.80	26.80	27.80	22.30
8	Range	5.100	8.400	9.300	2.900
9					
10	Mean	19.44	20.72	21.34	21.43
11	Std. Deviation	1.694	2.559	2.691	0.9464

# Normality – Tests (subset)

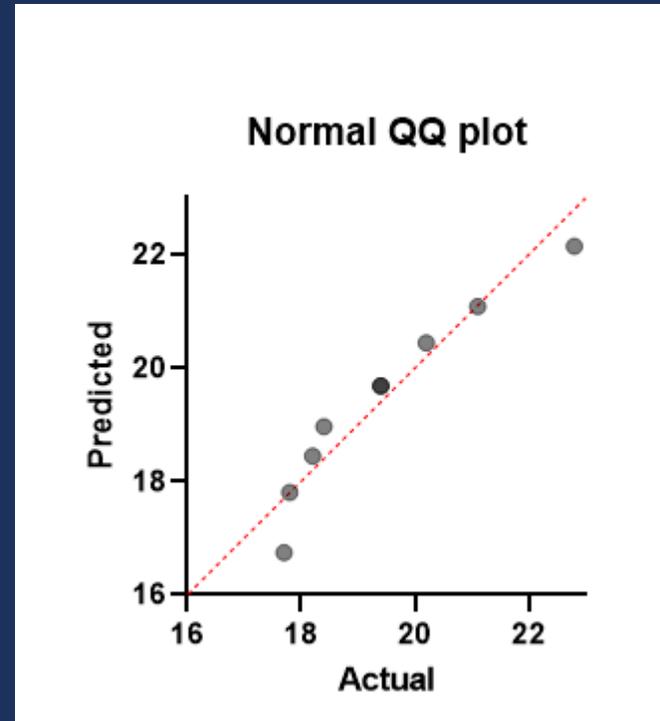
- Analyze Data > Column Analysis > Normality and Lognormality Tests (see Appendix A for options)
- non-significant p-values indicate that distribution does not deviate significantly from normal

Normality and Lognormality Tests		A	B	C	D
		Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3
1	Test for normal distribution				
2	Anderson-Darling test				
3	A2*	0.3572	0.7145	0.7981	N too small
4	P value	0.3687	0.0397	0.0234	
5	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No	
6	P value summary	ns	*	*	
7					
8	D'Agostino & Pearson test				
9	K2	2.207	11.87	12.82	N too small
10	P value	0.3317	0.0026	0.0016	
11	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No	
12	P value summary	ns	**	**	
13					
14	Shapiro-Wilk test				
15	W	0.9071	0.8016	0.7984	0.7677
16	P value	0.2958	0.0213	0.0196	0.0193
17	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No	No
18	P value summary	ns	*	*	*
19					
20	Kolmogorov-Smirnov test				
21	KS distance	0.1771	0.2346	0.2468	0.3451
22	P value	>0.1000	>0.1000	>0.1000	0.0117
23	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
24	P value summary	ns	ns	ns	*
25					
26	Number of values	9	9	9	7

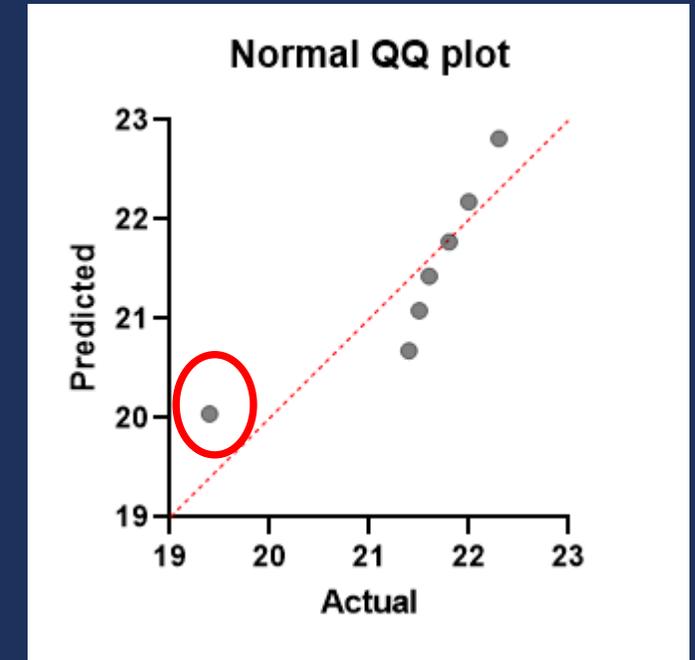
# Normality & Outliers - Plots

- Analyze Data > Column Analysis > Normality and Lognormality Tests (see *Appendix A for options*) > Create a QQ plot > *Select each column separately to get Q-Q plot of each time point*
- the dots will be linear, on the line of identify, if the data are truly sampled from a normal distribution

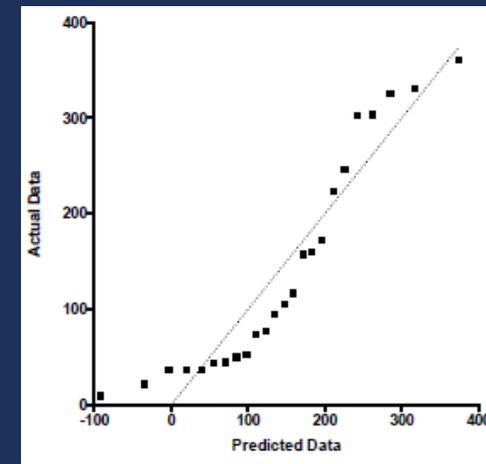
CKO Time 0



CKO Time 3

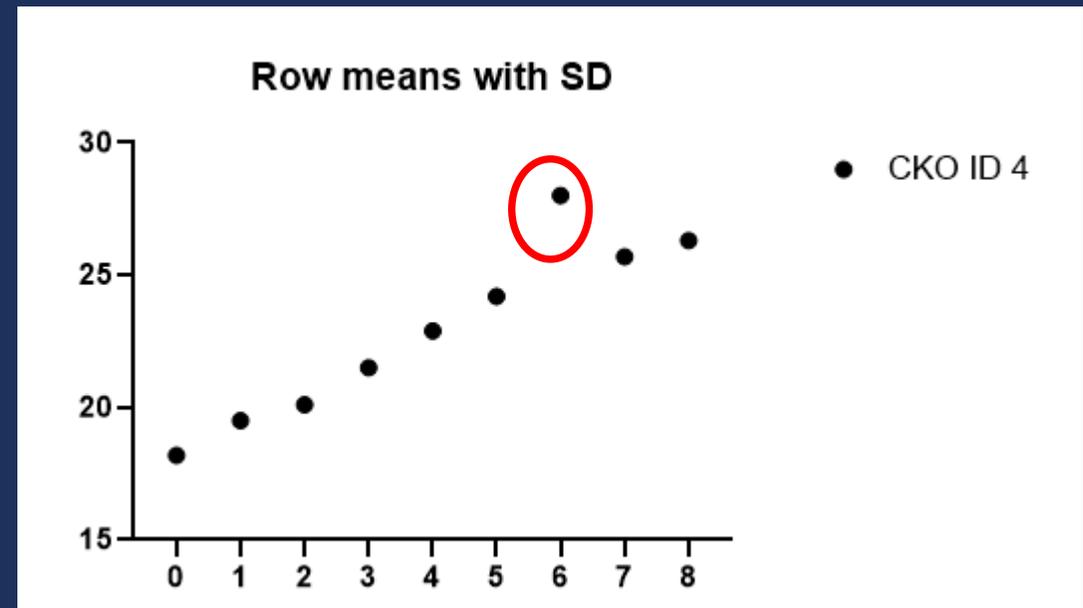
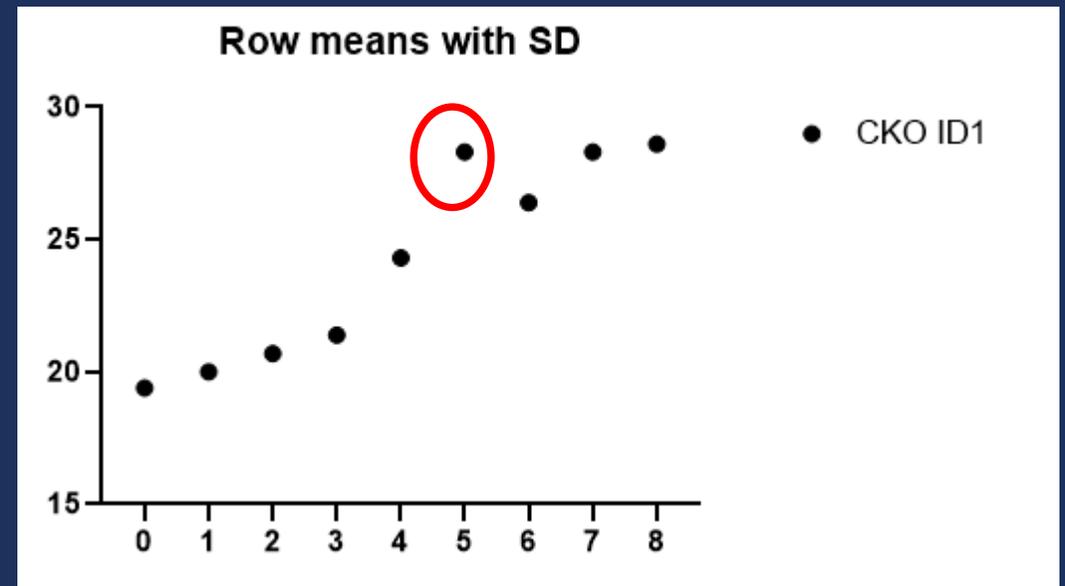


example of log normal distribution



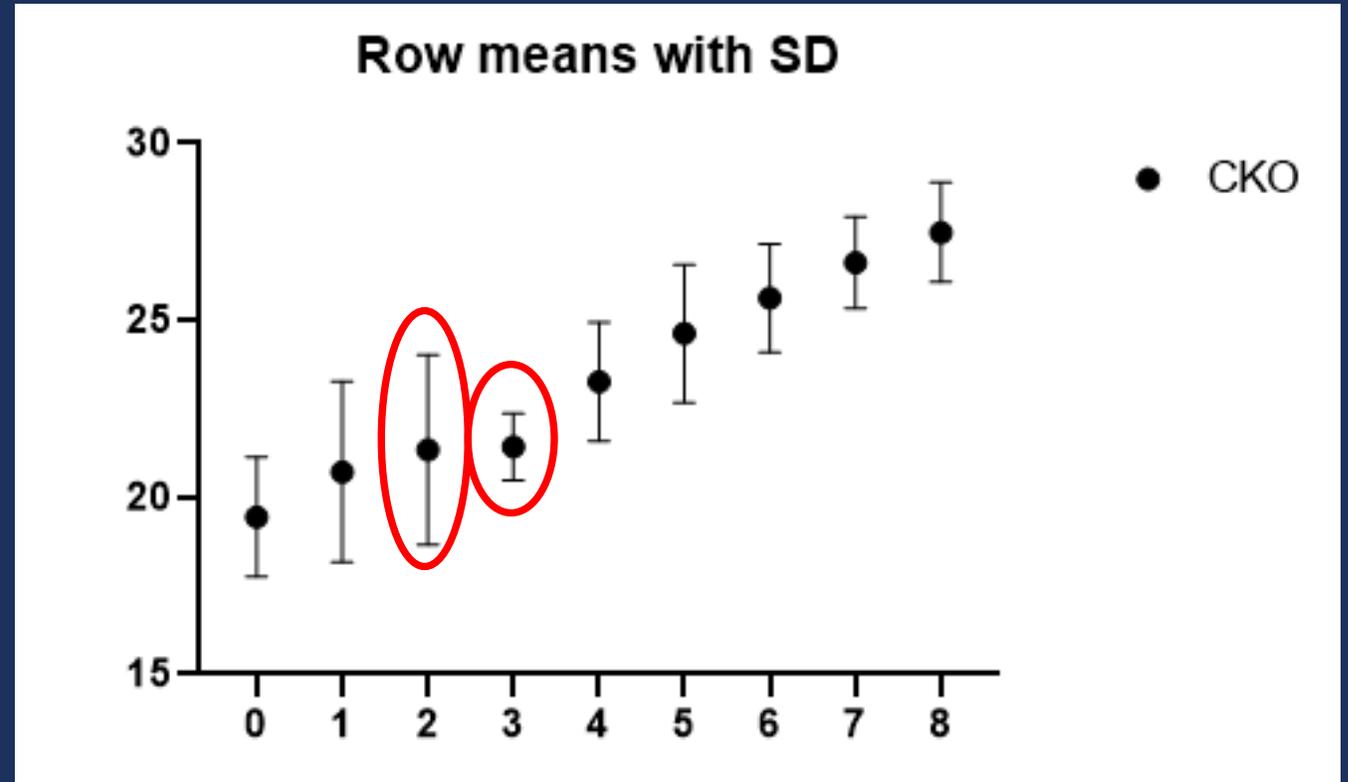
# Outliers – Plots Within Mouse

- Analyze Data > XY Analysis > Row statistics > Create a graph of the results
- *data needs to be in format used for the mixed model*



# Variations – Plots

- Analyze Data > XY  
Analysis > Row statistics  
> Create a graph of the results
- *data needs to be in format used for the mixed model*



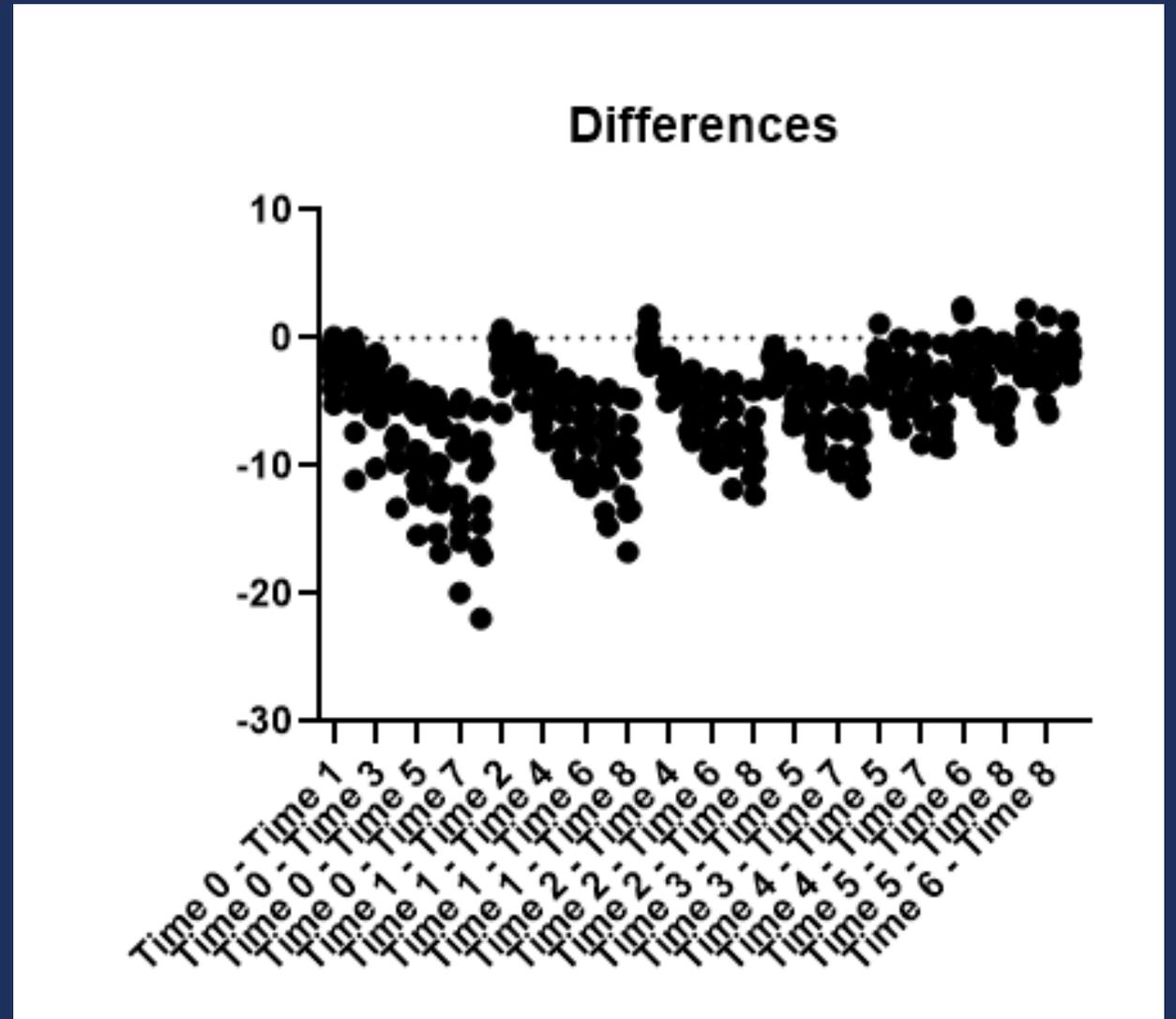
# Variances – Tests

- Analyze Data > Column Analysis > One-way ANOVA > *Select all time points*
- Experimental Design Tab: No matching or pairing; Yes. Use ANOVA; Yes. Use ordinary ANOVA test.
- ANOVA within genotype to test for homogeneity of variance across time points

Ordinary one-way ANOVA		
1	Table Analyzed	CKO
2	Data sets analyzed	A-I
3		
4	<b>ANOVA summary</b>	
5	F	16.17
6	P value	<0.0001
7	P value summary	****
8	Significant diff. among means (P < 0.05):	Yes
9	R squared	0.6904
10		
11	<b>Brown-Forsythe test</b>	
12	F (DFn, DFd)	0.4294 (8, 58)
13	P value	0.8987
14	P value summary	ns
15	Are SDs significantly different (P < 0.05):	No
16		
17	<b>Bartlett's test</b>	
18	Bartlett's statistic (corrected)	10.23
19	P value	0.2493
20	P value summary	ns
21	Are SDs significantly different (P < 0.05):	No

# Variations – Sphericity

- Analyze Data > Column Analysis > One-way ANOVA > *Select all time points*
- Experimental Design Tab: Each row represents matched, or repeated measures, data; Yes. Use ANOVA
- Multiple Comparisons Tab: Compare the mean of each column with the mean of every other column
- Options Tab: Graph differences.
- ANOVA of all mice to get visual of differences between each pair of time points



# Correlations Between Time Points (subset)

- Analyze Data > XY Analysis > Correlation (see Appendix A for options)
- compute Spearman correlation for every pair of time points
- Prism assumes equal correlations between all pairs (i.e., compound symmetry)

	Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Time 4	Time 5	Time 6	Time 7	Time 8
✕									
Time 0	1.000	0.979	0.812	0.721	0.937	0.793	0.413	0.058	-0.232
Time 1	0.979	1.000	0.817	0.750	0.893	0.750	0.382	0.029	-0.200
Time 2	0.812	0.817	1.000	0.893	0.714	0.500	0.109	-0.143	-0.314
Time 3	0.721	0.750	0.893	1.000	0.536	0.286	0.109	-0.429	-0.429
Time 4	0.937	0.893	0.714	0.536	1.000	0.929	0.546	0.371	-0.029
Time 5	0.793	0.750	0.500	0.286	0.929	1.000	0.600	0.714	0.371
Time 6	0.413	0.382	0.109	0.109	0.546	0.600	1.000	0.265	0.000
Time 7	0.058	0.029	-0.143	-0.429	0.371	0.714	0.265	1.000	0.886
Time 8	-0.232	-0.200	-0.314	-0.429	-0.029	0.371	0.000	0.886	1.000

# Data in Prism for Mixed

New Data Table and Graph

**New table & graph**

- XY
- Column
- Grouped**
- Contingency
- Survival
- Parts of whole
- Multiple variables
- Nested

**Existing file**

- Clone a graph

Grouped tables have two grouping variables, one defined by columns and the other defined by rows

Table format:		A			B		
Grouped		Control			Treated		
		A:Y1	A:Y2	A:Y3	B:Y1	B:Y2	B:Y3
1	Male						
2	Femal						

Learn more

**Data table:**

- Enter or import data into a new table
- Start with sample data to follow a tutorial

**Options:**

- Enter and plot a single Y value for each point
- Enter  replicate values in side-by-side subcolumns
- Enter and plot error values already calculated elsewhere

Enter:

Prism Tips

File > New Data Table and Graph > Grouped

Data table: Enter or import data into a new table

Options: Enter 10 replicate values in side-by-side subcolumns

# Data in Prism for Mixed (subset)

Grouped  
Data Table

“Group A”: Each column represents the level of one factor =  
Genotype (CON, CKO)

“0, 1, ...8”:  
Each row  
represents a  
different level  
of the other  
factor =  
Time (0-8)

Table format: Grouped		CON			
		A:1	A:2	A:3	A:4
1	0	20.3	21.0	18.4	19.7
2	1	25.5	24.6	21.3	22.0
3	2	31.4	28.4	23.5	23.8
4	3	30.5	26.6	24.5	25.1
5	4	33.6	30.4	28.2	27.3
6	5	35.7	32.6	30.7	29.7
7	6	37.1	36.3	28.3	32.6
8	7	40.2	35.7	30.7	35.6
9	8	42.2	38.0	31.5	34.3

“A1”: Matched values are stacked in a subcolumn = Mouse 1

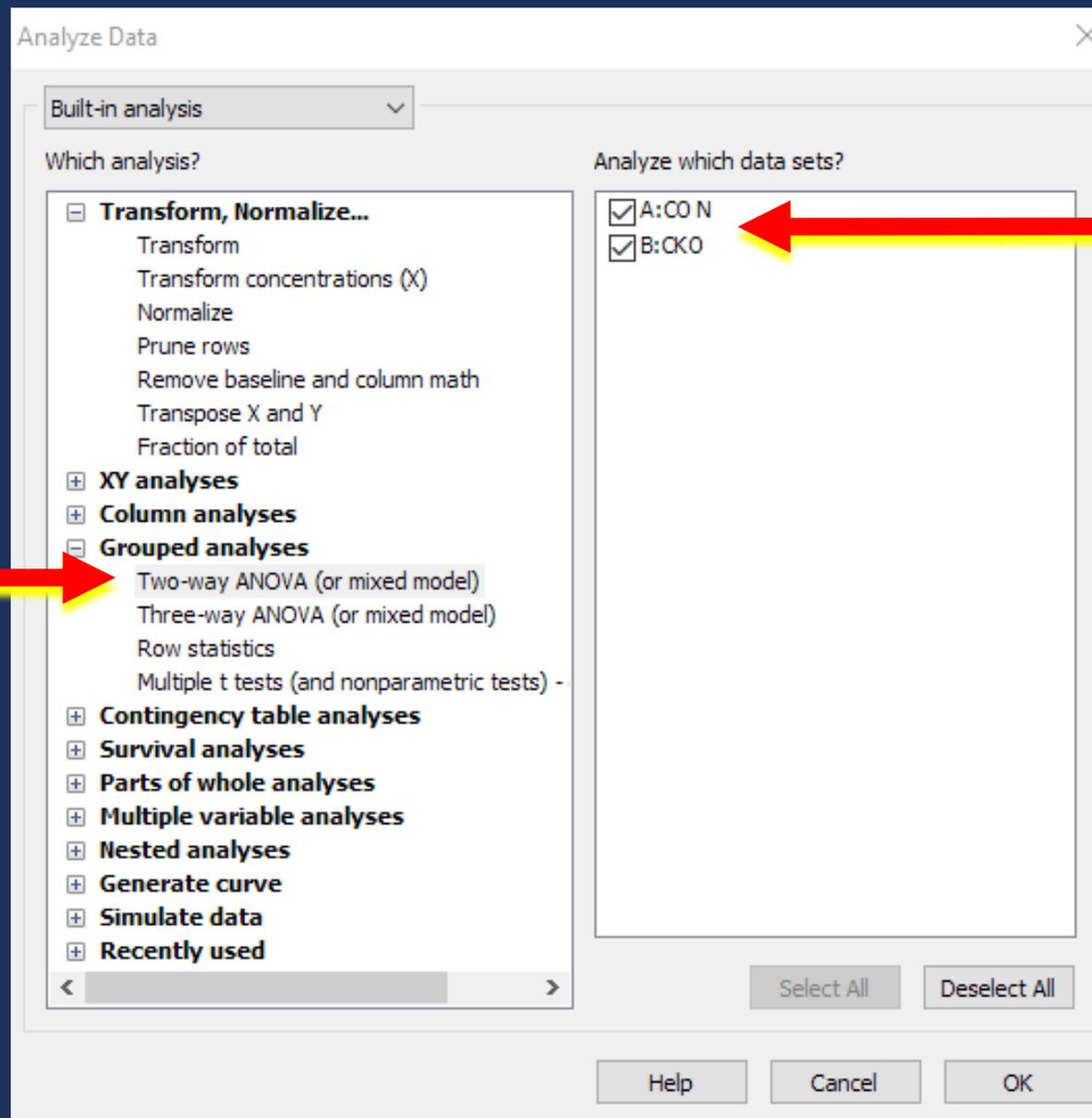
# Data in Prism for Mixed

Table format: Grouped		Group A										Group B								
		CON										CKO								
		A:1	A:2	A:3	A:4	A:5	A:6	A:7	A:8	A:9	A:10	B:1	B:2	B:3	B:4	B:5	B:6	B:7	B:8	B:9
1	0	20.3	21.0	18.4	19.7	20.4	20.5	19.7	17.5	18.5	21.0	19.4	20.2	21.1	18.2	17.8	19.4	17.7	18.4	22.8
2	1	25.5	24.6	21.3	22.0	23.2	22.4	21.6	18.7	18.4	23.4	20.0	21.0	22.0	19.5	18.9	20.9	18.4	19.0	26.8
3	2	31.4	28.4	23.5	23.8	24.5	23.5	22.2	19.3	18.5	25.7	20.7	21.6	22.7	20.1	20.8	20.2	18.5	19.7	27.8
4	3	30.5	26.6	24.5	25.1	26.7	24.9	23.1				21.4	22.0	22.3	21.5	21.8	21.6	19.4		
5	4	33.6	30.4	28.2	27.3	28.3	28.5	24.6				24.3	23.1	26.3	22.9	22.4	23.0	20.9		
6	5	35.7	32.6	30.7	29.7	29.2	31.6	29.4				28.3	24.6	25.2	24.2	23.5	24.7	21.9		
7	6	37.1	36.3	28.3	32.6	30.9	33.3	31.7				26.4	24.8	26.4	28.0	24.8	25.8	23.2		
8	7	40.2	35.7	30.7	35.6	33.9						28.3	25.0	26.6	25.7	26.2	28.0			
9	8	42.2	38.0	31.5	34.3	36.8						28.6	25.7	26.8	26.3	28.3	29.2			

When Prism does mixed model analysis of repeated measures data, it assumes that the main factors (defined by the data set columns and rows in two-way) are fixed, but that subjects are random.

# Mixed Model in Prism

Analyze >  
Analyze Data >  
Grouped analyses >  
Two-way ANOVA (or mixed model)



specify grouped data to include

Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model) ×

Model Repeated Measures Factor names Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

**Data arrangement**

Table format: <b>Grouped</b>		Group A		Group B		Group C	
		Title		Title		Title	
		A:Y1	A:Y2	B:Y1	B:Y2	C:Y1	C:Y2
1	Time1						
2	Time2						
3	Time3						
4	Time4						

**Matching by which factor(s)?**

Each column represents a different time point, so matched values are spread across a row.

Each row represents a different time point, so matched values are stacked into a subcolumn.

**Include interaction term?**

No. Fit a main effects only model (column effect and row effect only).

Yes. Fit a full model (column effect, row effect, and column/row interaction effect).

**Assume sphericity (equal variability of differences)?**

No. Use the Geisser-Greenhouse correction. Recommended.

Yes. No correction.

Based on your choices (on all tabs), Prism will perform:

- Mixed-effects model with the Geisser-Greenhouse correction, matched values are stacked into a subcolumn.

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Cancel
OK

**Model**

repeated measurements from the same animal

test effects for genotype, time, genotype\*time

Sphericity: Caution, use only if serious violations. The correction affects how other results are calculated (particularly the multiple comparisons).

## Repeated Measures

recommended when we need to respect the study design in the sense that sources of variation that are part of the design must be accounted for

### Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model)

Model Repeated Measures Factor names Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

Analyses of repeated measures data can be reported in two ways.

- ANOVA (partition sum-of-squares). This is the same as the general linear model (GLM).
- Mixed-effects model. This uses the restricted maximum likelihood method.

If there are no missing values, the two approaches give the same main results (F and P values). But the methods are very different, so the other reported results differ.

#### Analyze using which method

- Repeated measures ANOVA (based on GLM).  
Same as Prism 7 and earlier.  
Requires balanced data (no missing values).
- Mixed-effects model.   
Results are presented in a format different than ANOVA.  
Works fine with missing values.
- It depends.  
Use ANOVA if there are no missing values.  
Use mixed-effects model if there are missing values.

#### What to do if a random effect is zero (or negative)?

- Remove term(s) from model and fit a simpler model (recommended).
- Fit the full model anyway (corresponds to NOBOUND parameter in SAS). 

Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model)

Model Repeated Measures **Factor names** Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

Data arrangement

Table format: <b>Grouped</b>		Group A		Group B		Group C	
		Title		Title		Title	
		A:Y1	A:Y2	B:Y1	B:Y2	C:Y1	C:Y2
1	Time1		<input type="text"/>				
2	Time2		<input type="text"/>				
3	Time3		<input type="text"/>				
4	Time4						

**Factor names**

Name the factor that defines the columns:

Name the factor that defines the rows:

Name of matched set (i.e. person or block):

**Factor Names**

customize the labels in the output

# Multiple Comparisons – choices depend upon study design and research question

within each genotype, compare time points

compare each time point to time zero

apply correction for the # of multiple comparisons performed within each genotype

Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model)

Model Repeated Measures Factor names Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

What kind of comparison?  
Within each column, compare rows (simple effects within columns)

	Group A		Group B		Group C	
	Data Set-A		Data Set-B		Data Set-C	
	A:Y1	A:Y2	B:Y1	B:Y2	C:Y1	C:Y2
1	Mean		Mean		Mean	
2	Mean		Mean		Mean	
3	Mean		Mean		Mean	

How many comparisons?  
 Compare each cell mean with every other cell mean on that column.  
 Compare each cell mean with the control cell mean on that column.  
Control row: Row 1 : 0

How many families?  
One family per column (recommended)

Which test?  
Use choices on the Options tab to choose the test, and to set the defaults for future ANOVAs.

## Options

- correcting p-values for the multiple comparisons requested in the previous tab
- available options depend on other options set for the model
- I most often use Tukey adjustment
- Bonferroni is almost always too conservative

not useful

Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model)

Model Repeated Measures Factor names Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

**Multiple comparisons test**

Correct for multiple comparisons using statistical hypothesis testing. Recommended.  
Test: Šidák

Correct for multiple comparisons by controlling the False Discovery Rate.  
Test: Two-stage step-up method of Benjamini, Krieger and Yekutieli (recommended)

Don't correct for multiple comparisons. Each comparison stands alone.  
Test: Fisher's LSD test

**Multiple comparisons options**

Swap direction of comparisons (A-B) vs. (B-A).

Report multiplicity adjusted P value for each comparison.  
Each P value is adjusted to account for multiple comparisons.

Family-wise alpha threshold and confidence level: 0.05 (95% confidence interval)

**Graphing options**

Graph confidence intervals.

**Additional results**

Narrative results.

Show cell/row/column/grand predicted (LS) means.

Report goodness of fit.

**Output**

Show this many significant digits (for everything except P values): 4

P value style: GP: 0.1234 (ns), 0.0332 (\*), 0.0021 (\*\*), 0.0 N = 6

## Residuals

used for diagnostics to determine if the model is inadequate, or if there are assumption violations that should be addressed

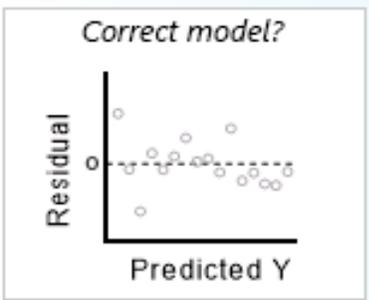
Parameters: Two-Way ANOVA (or Mixed Model)

Model Repeated Measures Factor names Multiple Comparisons Options Residuals

**What graphs to create?**

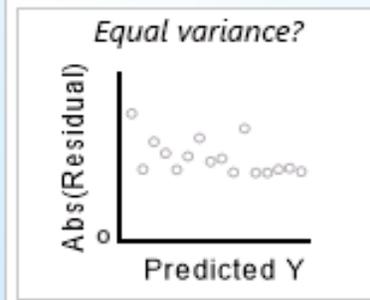
Residual plot

*Correct model?*



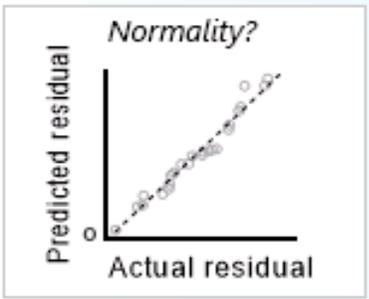
Homoscedasticity plot

*Equal variance?*



QQ plot

*Normality?*



**Diagnostics for residuals**

Spearman's rank correlation test for heteroscedasticity.  
Test if cells with larger values tend to have larger |residuals|.

Are the residuals Gaussian?  
Normality tests of Anderson-Darling, D'Agostino, Shapiro-Wilk and Kolmogorov-Smirnov.

# Mixed Model Output

Mixed-effects analysis					
Tabular results					
1	Table Analyzed	original mixed data			
2					
3	<b>Mixed-effects model (REML)</b>	Matching: Stacked			
4	Assume sphericity?	Yes			
5	Alpha	0.05			
6					
7	<b>Fixed effects (type III)</b>	<b>P value</b>	<b>P value summary</b>	<b>Statistically significant (P &lt; 0.05)?</b>	<b>F (DFn, DFd)</b>
8	Time	<0.0001	****	Yes	F (8, 100) = 142.6
9	Genotype	0.0014	**	Yes	F (1, 17) = 14.61
10	Time x Genotype	<0.0001	****	Yes	F (8, 100) = 13.38

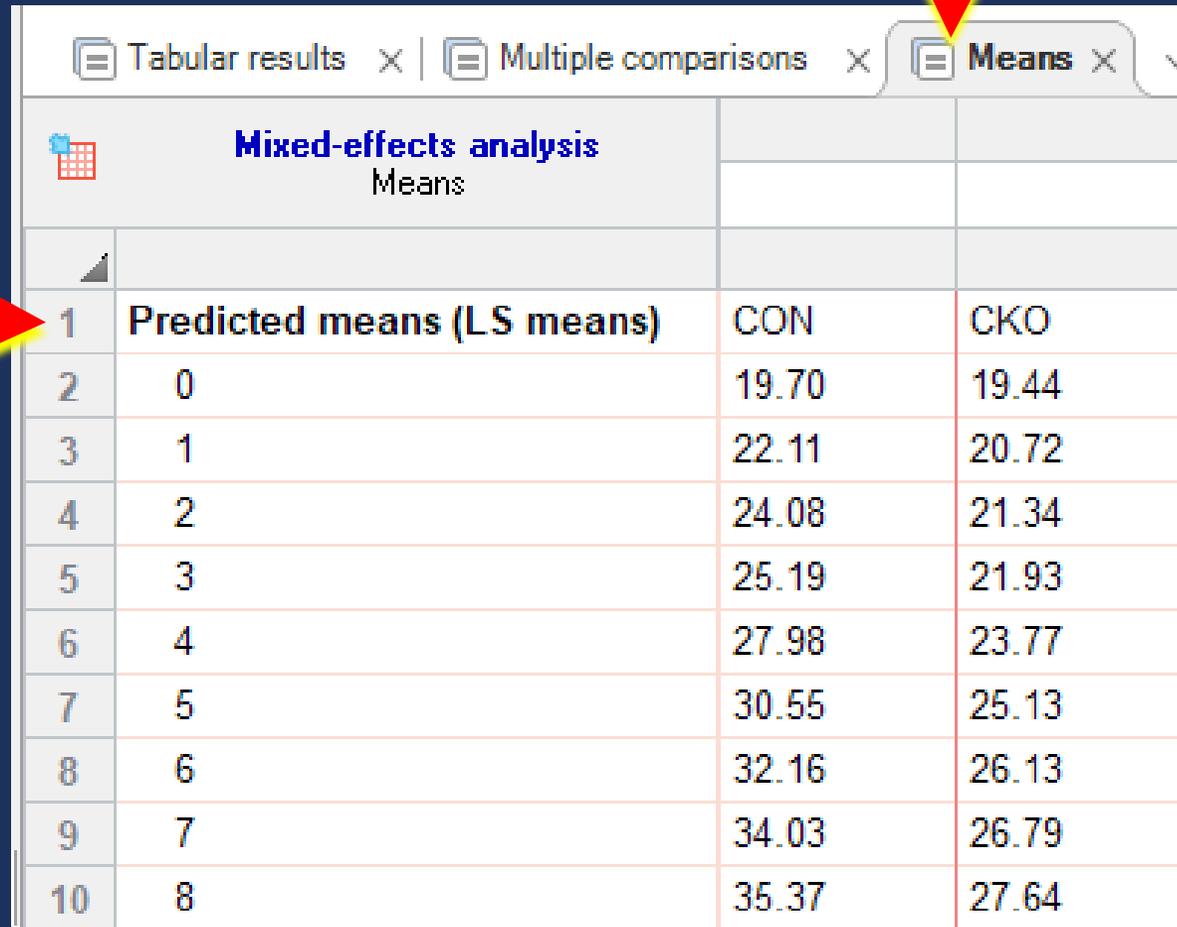
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Data summary	
Number of columns (Genotype)	2
Number of rows (Time)	9
Number of subjects (Mouse)	19
Number of missing values	36

There is a time by genotype interaction ( $p < 0.0001$ ), meaning that the change over 8 weeks is significantly different for the CON and CKO mice. OR, The difference in weight between CON and CKO mice depends upon the time point.

- The main effects for time and genotype are NOT interpretable. **Why?**
- We still don't know how the genotypes are different. Did one group increase weight and the other decreased weight? Did one group have no weight change and the other group increased?

these are  
LS MEANS,  
not raw  
data means



Mixed-effects analysis			
Means			
1	Predicted means (LS means)	CON	CKO
2	0	19.70	19.44
3	1	22.11	20.72
4	2	24.08	21.34
5	3	25.19	21.93
6	4	27.98	23.77
7	5	30.55	25.13
8	6	32.16	26.13
9	7	34.03	26.79
10	8	35.37	27.64

- also known as:
  - LS means
  - least square means
  - adjusted means
  - predicted means
- These are means that are adjusted for the model specifications and take into account missing data.
- **directly correspond to the p-values reported**
- adjust for any between group differences at earlier time points; provide a best estimate of the true impact of the diet

these are  
LS MEANS with  
corresponding  
CIs

Tabular results x Multiple comparisons x Means x | v |

Mixed-effects analysis  
Multiple comparisons

3	Number of families	2				
4	Number of comparisons per family	8				
5	Alpha	0.05				
6						
7	Šidák's multiple comparisons test	Predicted (LS) mean diff.	95.00% CI of diff.	Below threshold?	Summary	Adjusted P Value
8						
9	CON					
10	1 vs. 0	2.410	0.8398 to 3.980	Yes	***	0.0003
11	2 vs. 0	4.380	2.810 to 5.950	Yes	****	<0.0001
12	3 vs. 0	5.490	3.714 to 7.266	Yes	****	<0.0001
13	4 vs. 0	8.275	6.499 to 10.05	Yes	****	<0.0001
14	5 vs. 0	10.85	9.071 to 12.62	Yes	****	<0.0001
15	6 vs. 0	12.46	10.68 to 14.24	Yes	****	<0.0001
16	7 vs. 0	14.33	12.34 to 16.32	Yes	****	<0.0001
17	8 vs. 0	15.67	13.68 to 17.66	Yes	****	<0.0001
18						
19	CKO					
20	1 vs. 0	1.278	-0.3774 to 2.933	No	ns	0.2413
21	2 vs. 0	1.900	0.2448 to 3.555	Yes	*	0.0147
22	3 vs. 0	2.483	0.6802 to 4.286	Yes	**	0.0017
23	4 vs. 0	4.326	2.523 to 6.129	Yes	****	<0.0001
24	5 vs. 0	5.683	3.880 to 7.486	Yes	****	<0.0001
25	6 vs. 0	6.683	4.880 to 8.486	Yes	****	<0.0001
26	7 vs. 0	7.349	5.456 to 9.242	Yes	****	<0.0001
27	8 vs. 0	8.199	6.306 to 10.09	Yes	****	<0.0001

Sidak-adjusted for  
multiple comparisons

Family 1: CIs and p-  
values adjusted for  
8 comparisons

Family 2: CIs and p-  
values adjusted for  
8 comparisons

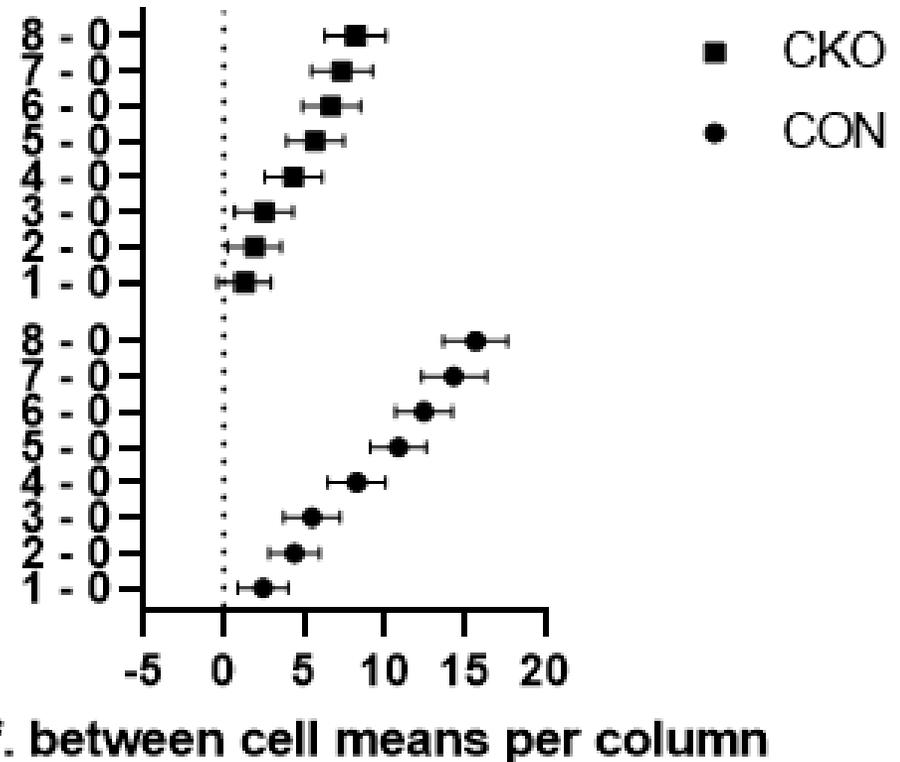
**these are LS MEANS with corresponding CIs that are Sidak-adjusted for multiple comparisons**

subset of graphs

- this depicts the mean difference between time 0 and each weekly measurements
- depicts where the differences may be located

**CON have bigger increases in weight from time zero as compared to CKO.**

### 95% Confidence Intervals (Šídák)



**these are  
LS MEANS with  
corresponding SEs**

**TO COMPARE CHANGE between two specific time points in CON vs. CKO:**

File > New Data Table and Graph > Column > Enter new table > Enter values calculated elsewhere > Mean, SEM, N

*Enter the data in red boxes.  
Determine N to enter so the DF for the t-test equals the DF here (100).  
N = blue box DF ÷ #groups you are comparing in this test + 1)  
= 100 ÷ 2 + 1 = 51*

Analyze Data > Column analysis > t tests > Unpaired

Test details	Predicted (LS) mean 1	Predicted (LS) mean 2	Predicted (LS) mean diff.	SE of diff.	N1	N2	t	DF
CON								
1 vs. 0	22.11	19.70	2.410	0.5637	10	10	4.275	100.0
2 vs. 0	24.08	19.70	4.380	0.5637	10	10	7.770	100.0
3 vs. 0	25.19	19.70	5.490	0.6376	7	10	8.610	100.0
4 vs. 0	27.98	19.70	8.275	0.6376	7	10	12.98	100.0
5 vs. 0	30.55	19.70	10.85	0.6376	7	10	17.01	100.0
6 vs. 0	32.16	19.70	12.46	0.6376	7	10	19.54	100.0
7 vs. 0	34.03	19.70	14.33	0.7140	5	10	20.07	100.0
8 vs. 0	35.37	19.70	15.67	0.7140	5	10	21.94	100.0
CKO								
1 vs. 0	20.72	19.44	1.278	0.5942	9	9	2.151	100.0
2 vs. 0	21.34	19.44	1.900	0.5942	9	9	3.198	100.0
3 vs. 0	21.93	19.44	2.483	0.6472	7	9	3.837	100.0
4 vs. 0	23.77	19.44	4.326	0.6472	7	9	6.684	100.0
5 vs. 0	25.13	19.44	5.683	0.6472	7	9	8.781	100.0
6 vs. 0	26.13	19.44	6.683	0.6472	7	9	10.33	100.0
7 vs. 0	26.79	19.44	7.349	0.6796	6	9	10.81	100.0
8 vs. 0	27.64	19.44	8.199	0.6796	6	9	12.06	100.0

Unpaired t test	
P value	0.0031
t, df	t=3.028, df=100
How big is the difference?	
Difference between means (F - E) ± SEM	-2.480 ± 0.8190
95% confidence interval	-4.105 to -0.8550

**The increase in weight from time zero to 2 weeks is significantly more for the CON as compared to the CKO mice (0.003).**

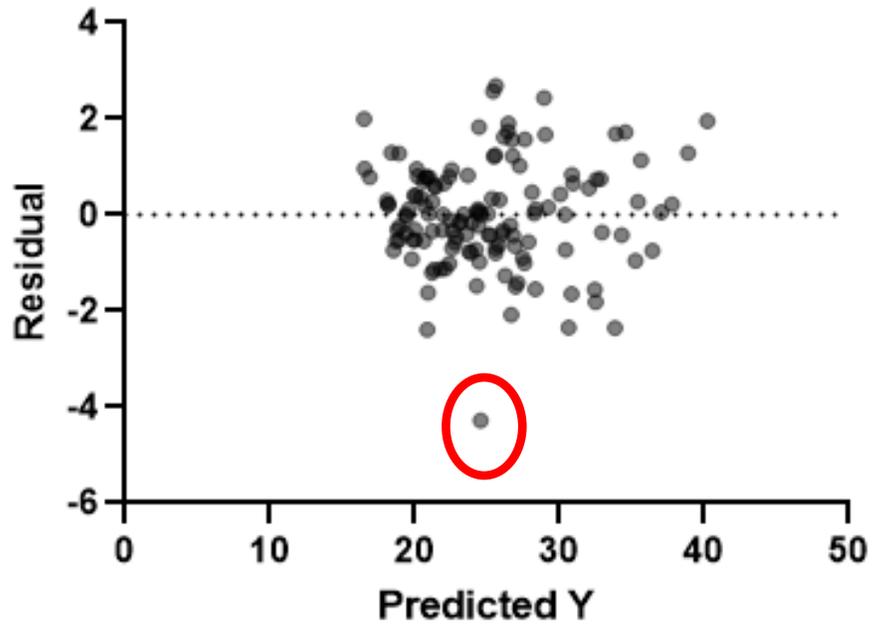
these are LS MEANS with corresponding CIs

To compare genotypes at time zero:  
Change "Multiple Comparisons" to "Compare each cell mean with the other cell mean in that row and no correction for multiple comparisons"

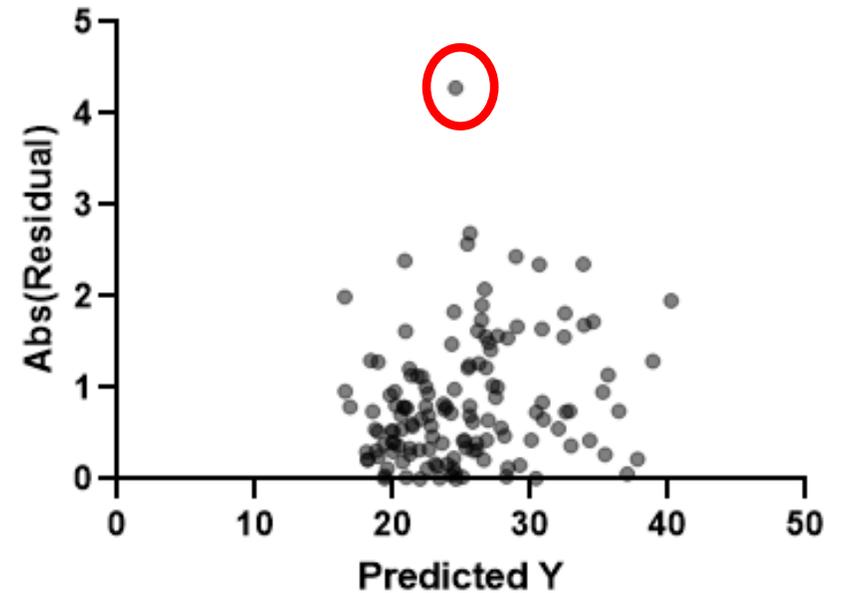
Uncorrected Fisher's LSD	Predicted (LS) mean diff.	95.00% CI of diff.	Below threshold?	Summary	Individual P Value
CKO - CON					
0	-0.2556	-2.686 to 2.175	No	ns	0.8354
1	-1.388	-3.818 to 1.043	No	ns	0.2604
2	-2.736	-5.166 to -0.3052	Yes	*	0.0277
3	-3.262	-5.814 to -0.7101	Yes	*	0.0127
4	-4.205	-6.757 to -1.653	Yes	**	0.0014
5	-5.419	-7.971 to -2.867	Yes	****	<0.0001
6	-6.034	-8.586 to -3.482	Yes	****	<0.0001
7	-7.233	-9.895 to -4.571	Yes	****	<0.0001
8	-7.723	-10.39 to -5.061	Yes	****	<0.0001

The weight at time zero, before starting the diet, is not significantly different for the CKO and CON mice (p=0.84).

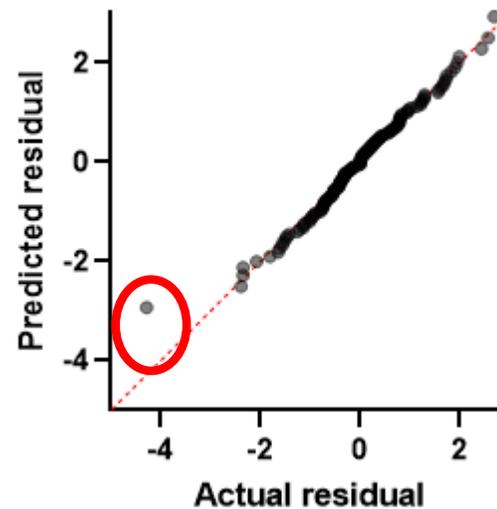
### Residual plot



### Homoscedasticity plot



### QQ plot



subset of diagnostics: examine for...

- large residuals, meaning that there is a lot of variance not explained by your model
- patterns of association between residuals and predicted
- outliers
- unequal variability across values
- gaps across Predicted Y

Change Graph Type

Graph family: Grouped

Individual values Summary data Heat Map Three-way Box and violin

Separated scatter

Plot: No line or error bar

Set as default for Separated scatter

Preview

Graph family: Grouped

Individual values Summary data Heat Map Three-way

Interleaved bars

Plot: Mean with SD

Set as default for Interleaved bars

Preview

There are many graphs and plots available to help with interpretation of the data and results.

# Statistical Methods Section - Components

- avoid ambiguous terms such as “two-way” ...spell out the **random and fixed effects and the study design**
- **covariance structure** used
- **options** such as Geisser-Greenhouse correction
- **multiple comparisons** that were examined and the hypotheses that they tested, describe adjustment for multiple comparisons or justification for not adjusting
- describe means/CIs as **unadjusted or adjusted**
- see the Prism ‘Help’ menu for “**How to cite**” the software
- **TAKE PICTURES/SCREENSHOTS/NOTES OF THE PRISM SPECIFICATIONS FOR REPRODUCIBILITY**



# Mixed Models in Prism

- 1) available in Prism 8
- 2) “not for beginners”
- 3) think of it as repeated measures ANOVA that allows missing data
- 4) limitations:
  - a) can't define the covariance matrix – assumes compound symmetry
  - b) can't get model fit statistics to compare alternative models
  - c) can't include a covariate
  - d) model fitted (LS means) means/SEs not always available
  - e) few options to adjust the model

# Caution from Prism

## Notes of caution for statistical novices



Our goal with Prism has always been to make basic biostatistics very accessible and easy. Two-way ANOVA is pushing the limits of "basic biostatistics". Multiple comparisons after two-way ANOVA stretch this definition even more. If you haven't taken the time to really understand two-way ANOVA, it is quite easy to be misled by the results. Beware!

- Two-way ANOVA is not a topic that is easy to master. In addition to reading textbooks, also consider getting help from someone with more experience.
- Prism also offers to fit a mixed model to repeated measures data. Understanding this fully is even more complicated.
- Before getting lost in the many choices for multiple comparisons, first articulate clearly the scientific goals of the study. Don't articulate your goals in terms of ANOVA (looking for interactions) and avoid the word "significant" which often leads to muddled thinking. Figure out what you really want to know. Then figure out the best statistical approach to getting the answer.
- In Prism, the two-way ANOVA analysis can be used when, as the name suggests, there are two factors. None, one, or both of the factors can be repeated measures.

# Know When to Get Help

Division of Biostatistics

Biostatistical Consulting Service

<https://biostatistics.wustl.edu/consulting/>



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**Request for Services**

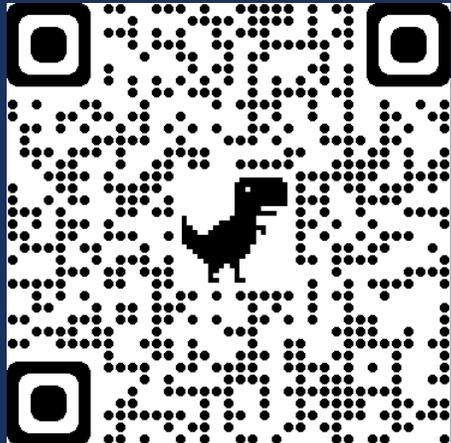
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# Statistical Resources

- UCLA tutorials & examples with various software packages  
<https://stats.idre.ucla.edu/>
- Vanderbilt Biostatistics for Biomedical Research  
<https://hbiostat.org/bbr/?preview=true>
- Ware JH, Harrington D, Hunter DJ, D'Agostino RB. Missing Data. *N Engl J Med*. 2012;367(14):1353–4.  
<https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMsm1210043>
- Matthews JN, Altman DG, Campbell MJ, Royston P. (1990). Analysis of serial measurements in medical research. *BMJ*, 300, 230–5.  
<https://doi.org/10.1136/bmj.300.6719.230>

# July 30 Workshop: Obtain a repeated measures dataset.

- 1) Consider the experimental design and analytic model:
  - 1a. What is your primary research question?
  - 1b. In your model, specify the p-value(s) that tests the primary research question.
  - 1c. What is your conclusion? What evidence does the model provide to support your conclusion?
- 2) Describe the data, statistical methods that you used, and the results:
  - 2a. Create a table/graph that illustrates the important feature(s) of the data and the results.
  - 2b. Describe the statistical methods, with details about model specifications or options that you used.
- 3) Assumptions: How were the assumptions evaluated? If an assumption was violated, describe your procedure for dealing with this.
- 4) Multiplicity: Do you report p-values for comparisons that are adjusted for multiple testing? If so, why did you choose to adjust and how did you choose the method of adjustment? If no, why not?
- 5) Challenges? Lessons learned?



Scan QR code, scroll to the bottom of the page, sign up by Monday. Deb will assign groups.



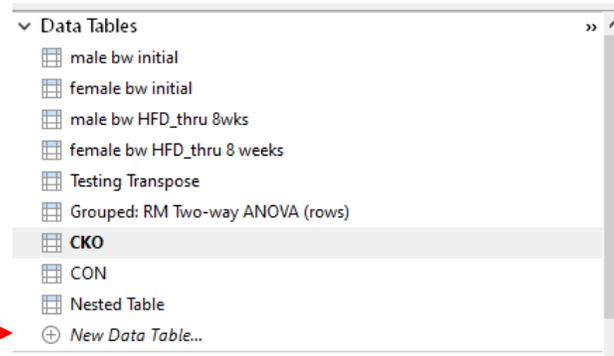
# Appendix A (author: Mansi Agarwal)

## The Problem:

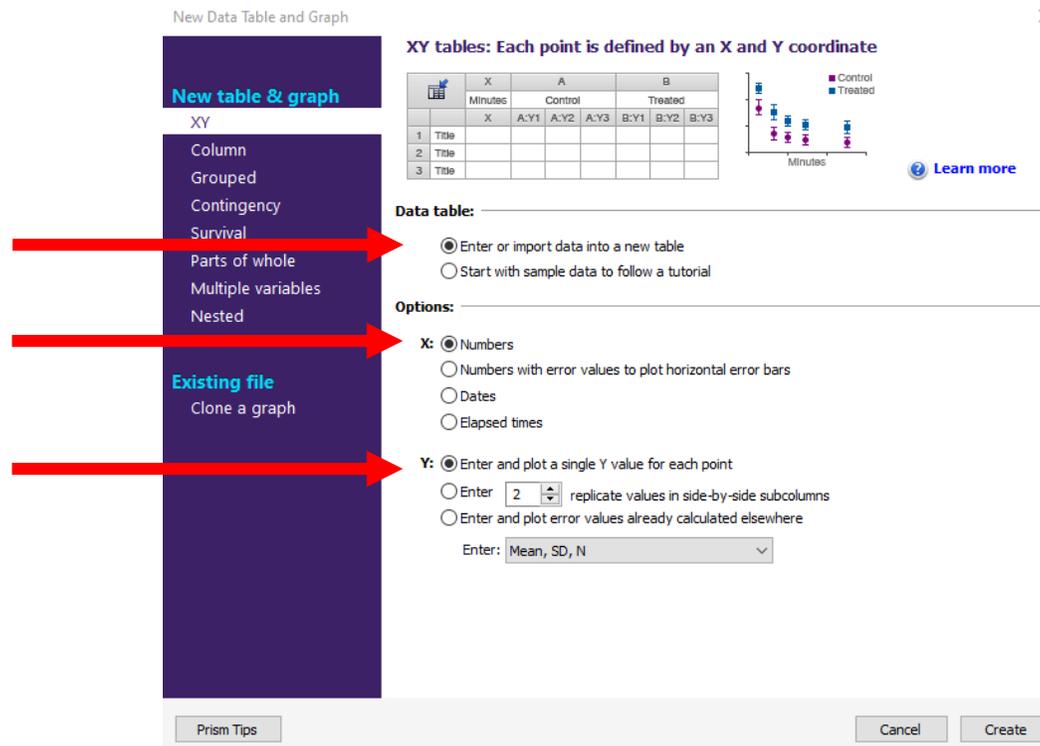
- 1 - The transform and transpose functions in Prism do not work with subcolumns.
- 2 - Repeated measures analyses can only be done with subcolumns.
- 3 - Correlations can only be done with columns (not subcolumns).
- 4 - Normality can be done with XY Tables, Grouped Tables, and Nested Tables.

# Solution: Convert each column into its own data table to check normality and correlation across time.

Step 1: Create a new data table



Step 2: Select the following options





**Solution: Convert each column into its own data table to check normality and correlation across time.**

Step 5: Go back to your original data (with subcolumns) and copy the data (right click -> copy) for the column that you are going to transpose.

Group B									
CKO									
B:Y1	B:Y2	B:Y3	B:Y4	B:Y5	B:Y6	B:Y7	B:Y8	B:Y9	B:Y10
19.4	20.2	21.1	18.2	17.8	19.4	17.7	18.4	22.8	
20.0	21.0	22.0	19.5	18.9	20.9	18.4	19.0	26.8	
20.7	21.6	22.7	20.1	20.8	20.2	18.5	19.7	27.8	
21.4	22.0	22.3	21.5	21.8	21.6	19.4			
24.3	23.1	26.3	22.9	22.4	23.0	20.9			
28.3	24.6	25.2	24.2	23.5	24.7	21.9			
26.4	24.8	26.4	28.0	24.8	25.8	23.2			
28.3	25.0	26.6	25.7	26.2	28.0				
28.6	25.7	26.8	26.3	28.3	29.2				

Step 6: Click on the 1<sup>st</sup> data box and paste transpose the data (right click -> paste transpose -> paste data).

Table format:		X	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D
XY		ID	Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3
		X	Y	Y	Y	Y
1	Title	1				
2	Title	2				
3	Title	3				
4	Title	4				
5	Title	5				
6	Title	6				
7	Title	7				
8	Title	8				
9	Title	9				

**Solution: Convert each column into its own data table to check normality and correlation across time.**

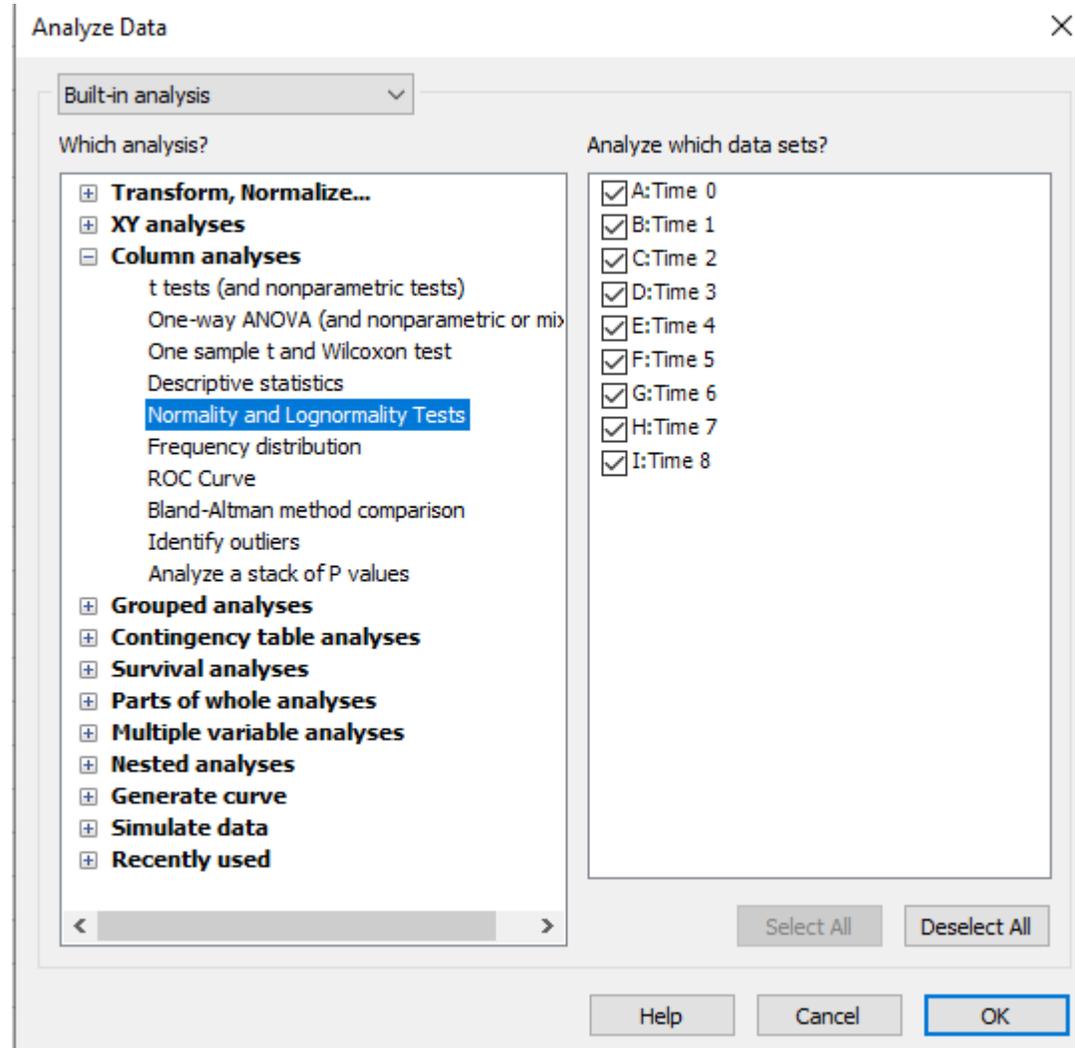
Transposed data for CKO:

Table format: XY		X	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D	Group E	Group F	Group G	Group H	Group I
		ID	Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Time 4	Time 5	Time 6	Time 7	Time 8
		X	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
1	Title	1	19.4	20.0	20.7	21.4	24.3	28.3	26.4	28.3	28.6
2	Title	2	20.2	21.0	21.6	22.0	23.1	24.6	24.8	25.0	25.7
3	Title	3	21.1	22.0	22.7	22.3	26.3	25.2	26.4	26.6	26.8
4	Title	4	18.2	19.5	20.1	21.5	22.9	24.2	28.0	25.7	26.3
5	Title	5	17.8	18.9	20.8	21.8	22.4	23.5	24.8	26.2	28.3
6	Title	6	19.4	20.9	20.2	21.6	23.0	24.7	25.8	28.0	29.2
7	Title	7	17.7	18.4	18.5	19.4	20.9	21.9	23.2		
8	Title	8	18.4	19.0	19.7						
9	Title	9	22.8	26.8	27.8						

## Check normality for CKO using the newly transposed CKO data table.

Step 1: Click on Analyze Data on the top left -> Column Analysis -> Normality and Lognormality Tests

Step 2: Select all time points.



## Check normality for CKO using the newly transposed CKO data table.

Step 3: Select the following parameters:



Parameters: Normality and Lognormality Tests

**Which distribution(s) to test?**

- Normal (Gaussian) distribution
- Lognormal distribution
- Compute the relative likelihood of sampling from a Gaussian (normal) vs. a lognormal distribution (assuming no other possibilities)

**Methods to test distribution(s)**

- Anderson-Darling test
- D'Agostino-Pearson omnibus normality test
- Shapiro-Wilk normality test
- Kolmogorov-Smirnov normality test with Dallal-Wilkinson-Lilliefors P value

**Graphing options**

- Create a QQ plot

**Subcolumns**

- Average the replicates in each row, and then perform the calculation for each column
- Perform calculations on each subcolumn separately
- Treat all the values in all subcolumns as single set of data

**Calculations**

Significance level (alpha)

**Output**

Show this many significant digits (for everything except P values):

P value style:  N =

Make these choices the default for future analyses.

Learn Cancel OK

\*Note: If using a grouped or nested table, you can select to calculate normality with each subcolumn separately.

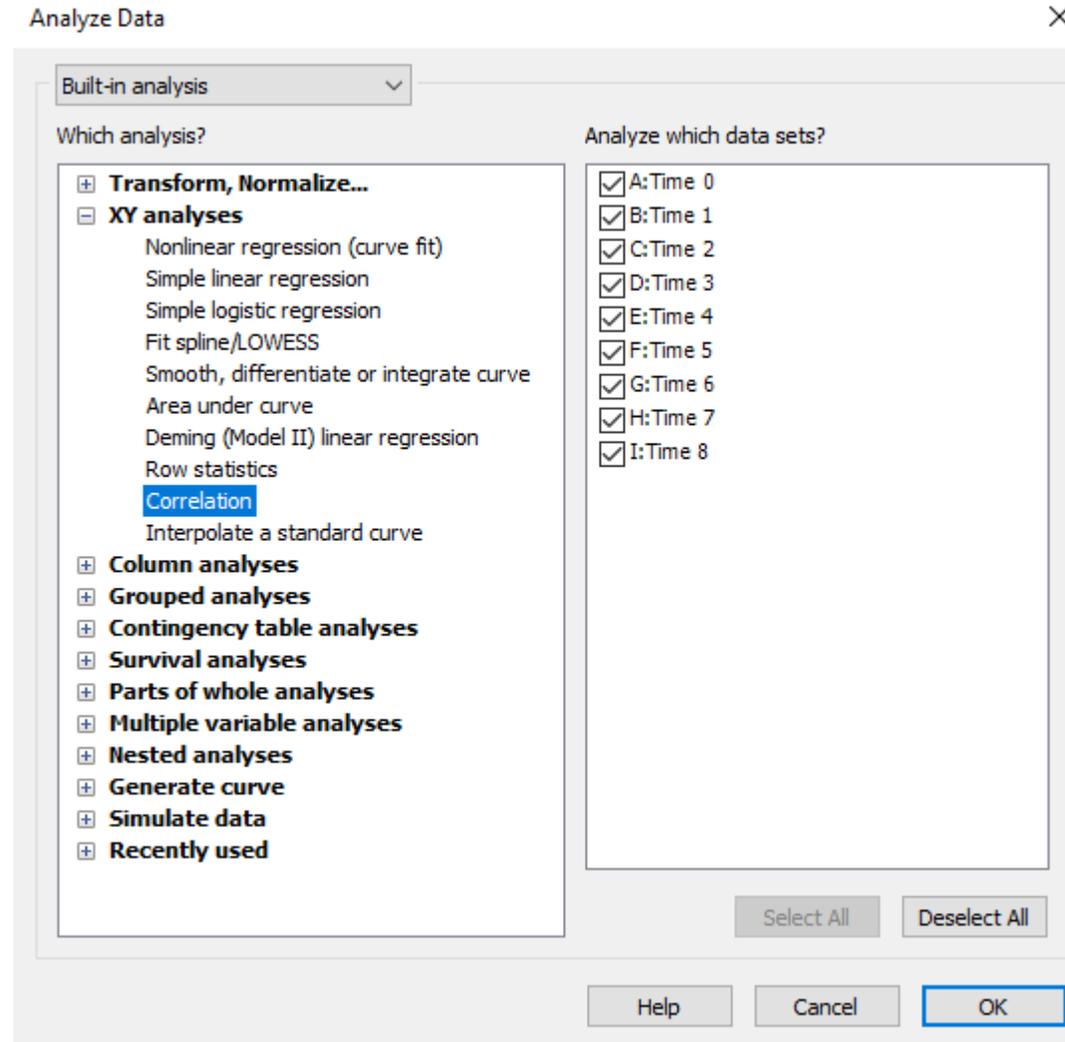
## Check normality for CKO using the newly transposed CKO data table.

Normality and Lognormality Tests		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
		Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Time 4	Time 5	Time 6	Time 7	Time 8
1	<b>Test for normal distribution</b>									
2	<b>Anderson-Darling test</b>									
3	A2*	0.3572	0.7145	0.7981	N too small					
4	P value	0.3687	0.0397	0.0234						
5	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No						
6	P value summary	ns	*	*						
7										
8	<b>D'Agostino &amp; Pearson test</b>									
9	K2	2.207	11.87	12.82	N too small					
10	P value	0.3317	0.0026	0.0016						
11	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No						
12	P value summary	ns	**	**						
13										
14	<b>Shapiro-Wilk test</b>									
15	W	0.9071	0.8016	0.7984	0.7677	0.9345	0.9209	0.9708	0.9381	0.9256
16	P value	0.2958	0.0213	0.0196	0.0193	0.5901	0.4764	0.9038	0.6443	0.5467
17	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
18	P value summary	ns	*	*	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
19										
20	<b>Kolmogorov-Smirnov test</b>									
21	KS distance	0.1771	0.2346	0.2468	0.3451	0.2550	0.2416	0.1646	0.1879	0.2191
22	P value	>0.1000	>0.1000	>0.1000	0.0117	>0.1000	>0.1000	>0.1000	>0.1000	>0.1000
23	Passed normality test (alpha=0.05)	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
24	P value summary	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
25										
26	<b>Number of values</b>	9	9	9	7	7	7	7	6	6

## Check correlations between time points for CKO data table.

Step 1: Click on Analyze Data on the top left -> XY analyses -> Correlation

Step 2: Select all time points.



## Check correlations between time points for CKO data table.

Step 3: Select the following parameters:



Parameters: Correlation ✕

**Compute correlation between which pairs of columns?**

Compute r for every pair of Y data sets (Correlation matrix).  
 When a value is missing or excluded, remove the entire row from the calculation

Compute r for X vs. every Y data set:  
[X] ID

Compute r between two selected data sets:  
[X] ID  
[A] Time 0

**Assume data are sampled from Gaussian distribution?**

Yes. Compute Pearson correlation coefficients.  
 No. Compute nonparametric Spearman correlation.

**Options**

P value:  One-tailed  Two-tailed  
Confidence interval: 95%

**Output**

Show this many significant digits (for everything except P values): 4  
P value style: GP: 0.1234 (ns), 0.0332 (\*), 0.0021 (\*\*), N = 6

**Graphing**

Create a heatmap of the correlation matrix.  
 Make these choices the default for future analyses

Learn Cancel OK

## Check correlations between time points for CKO data table.

Spearman r × P values × | Sample size × | Confidence interval of rs × | v |

Correlation Spearman r		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
		Time 0	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Time 4	Time 5	Time 6	Time 7	Time 8
1	Time 0	1.000	0.979	0.812	0.721	0.937	0.793	0.413	0.058	-0.232
2	Time 1	0.979	1.000	0.817	0.750	0.893	0.750	0.382	0.029	-0.200
3	Time 2	0.812	0.817	1.000	0.893	0.714	0.500	0.109	-0.143	-0.314
4	Time 3	0.721	0.750	0.893	1.000	0.536	0.286	0.109	-0.429	-0.429
5	Time 4	0.937	0.893	0.714	0.536	1.000	0.929	0.546	0.371	-0.029
6	Time 5	0.793	0.750	0.500	0.286	0.929	1.000	0.600	0.714	0.371
7	Time 6	0.413	0.382	0.109	0.109	0.546	0.600	1.000	0.265	0.000
8	Time 7	0.058	0.029	-0.143	-0.429	0.371	0.714	0.265	1.000	0.886
9	Time 8	-0.232	-0.200	-0.314	-0.429	-0.029	0.371	0.000	0.886	1.000