

Variation partitioning for four explanatory data tables --
 Table 1 with m1 variables, Table 2 with m2 variables, Table3 with m3 variables, Table4 with m4 variables
 Number of fractions: 16, called [a] ... [p].
 \ indicates the 15 regression or canonical analyses that have to be computed.

| Compute | Fitted | Residuals | Derived fractions | Degrees of freedom |
|--|--|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Direct canonical analysis | | | | |
| \ Y.1 | [a+e+g+h+k+l+m+n+o] | [b+c+d+f+i+j+m+p] | (1) | df(a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o) = m1 |
| \ Y.2 | [b+c+f+i+k+l+m+n+o] | [a+c+d+g+h+j+n+p] | (2) | df(b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o) = m2 |
| \ Y.3 | [c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o] | [a+b+d+e+h+i+k+p] | (3) | df(c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o) = m3 |
| \ Y.4 | [d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o] | [a+b+c+e+f+g+l+p] | (4) | df(d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o) = m4 |
| \ Y.1,2 | [a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o] | [c+d+j+p] | (5) | df(a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o) = m5 ≤ m1+m2 |
| \ Y.1,3 | [a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [b+d+i+p] | (6) | df(a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m6 ≤ m1+m3 |
| \ Y.1,4 | [a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [b+c+f+p] | (7) | df(a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m7 ≤ m1+m4 |
| \ Y.2,3 | [b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [a+d+h+p] | (8) | df(b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m8 ≤ m2+m3 |
| \ Y.2,4 | [b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [a+c+g+p] | (9) | df(b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m9 ≤ m2+m4 |
| \ Y.3,4 | [c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [a+b+e+p] | (10) | df(c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m10 ≤ m3+m4 |
| \ Y.1,2,3 | [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [d+p] | (11) | df(a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m11 ≤ m1+m2+m3 |
| \ Y.1,2,4 | [a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [c+p] | (12) | df(a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m12 ≤ m1+m2+m4 |
| \ Y.1,3,4 | [a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [b+p] | (13) | df(a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m13 ≤ m1+m3+m4 |
| \ Y.2,3,4 | [b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [a+p] | (14) | df(b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m14 ≤ m2+m3+m4 |
| \ Y.1,2,3,4 | [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | [p] | (15) | df(a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) = m15 ≤ m1+m2+m3+m4 |
| Partial analyses | | | | |
| controlling for one table X | | | | |
| | (16) [a+g+h+n] = [a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o] | | | df(a+g+h+n) = m5 - m2 |
| | (17) [a+e+h+k] = [a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o] | | | df(a+e+h+k) = m6 - m3 |
| | (18) [a+e+g+l] = [a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o] | | | df(a+e+g+l) = m7 - m4 |
| | (19) [b+f+i+m] = [a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o] | | | df(b+f+i+m) = m5 - m1 |
| | (20) [b+e+i+k] = [b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o] | | | df(b+e+i+k) = m8 - m3 |
| | (21) [b+e+f+l] = [b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o] | | | df(b+e+f+l) = m9 - m4 |
| | (22) [c+f+j+m] = [a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o] | | | df(c) = m6 - m1 |
| | (23) [c+g+j+n] = [b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o] | | | df(c) = m8 - m2 |
| | (24) [c+f+g+l] = [c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o] | | | df(c) = m10 - m4 |
| | (25) [d+i+j+m] = [a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o] | | | df(d) = m7 - m1 |
| | (26) [d+h+j+n] = [b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o] | | | df(d) = m9 - m2 |
| | (27) [d+h+i+k] = [c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o] | | | df(d) = m10 - m3 |
| controlling for two tables X | | | | |
| | (28) [a+e] = [a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(a+e) = m13 - m10 |
| | (29) [a+g] = [a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(a+g) = m12 - m9 |
| | (30) [a+h] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(a+h) = m11 - m8 |
| | (31) [b+e] = [b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(b+e) = m14 - m10 |
| | (32) [b+f] = [a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(b+f) = m12 - m7 |
| | (33) [b+i] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+c+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(b+i) = m11 - m6 |
| | (34) [c+f] = [a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(c+f) = m13 - m7 |
| | (35) [c+g] = [b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(c+g) = m14 - m9 |
| | (36) [c+j] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+b+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(c+j) = m11 - m5 |
| | (37) [d+h] = [b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(d+h) = m14 - m8 |
| | (38) [d+i] = [a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+c+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(d+i) = m13 - m6 |
| | (39) [d+j] = [a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+b+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(d+j) = m12 - m5 |
| controlling for three tables X | | | | |
| | (40) [a] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(a) = m15 - m14 |
| | (41) [b] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(b) = m15 - m13 |
| | (42) [c] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(c) = m15 - m12 |
| | (43) [d] = [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+b+c+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df(d) = m15 - m11 |
| Fractions estimated by subtraction (cannot be tested) | | | | |
| | (44) [e] = [a+e] - [a] | | | df(e) = m1-m1 = 0 |
| | (45) [f] = [b+f] - [b] | | | df(f) = m2-m2 = 0 |
| | (46) [g] = [a+g] - [a] | | | df(g) = m1-m1 = 0 |
| | (47) [h] = [a+h] - [a] | | | df(h) = m1-m1 = 0 |
| | (48) [i] = [b+i] - [b] | | | df(i) = m2-m2 = 0 |
| | (49) [j] = [c+j] - [c] | | | df(j) = m3-m3 = 0 |
| | (50) [k] = [a+e+h+k] - [a+e] - [h] | | | df(k) = m1-m1-0 = 0 |
| | (51) [l] = [a+e+g+l] - [a+e] - [g] | | | df(l) = m1-m1-0 = 0 |
| | (52) [m] = [b+f+i+m] - [b+f] - [i] | | | df(m) = m2-m2-0 = 0 |
| | (53) [n] = [a+g+h+n] - [a+g] - [h] | | | df(n) = m1-m1-0 = 0 |
| | (54) [o] = [a+e+g+h+k+l+m+n+o] - [a+e+h+k] - [g] - [l] - [n] | | | df(o) = m1-m1-0-0-0 = 0 |
| | (55) [p] = residuals = 1 - [a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o] | | | df2(p) = n-1-m15 |

Tests of significance --

$$\begin{aligned} F(a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o) &= ([a+e+g+h+k+l+n+o]/m1)/([b+c+d+f+i+j+m+p]/(n-1-m1)) \\ F(b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o) &= ([b+e+f+i+k+l+m+o]/m2)/([a+c+d+g+h+j+n+p]/(n-1-m2)) \\ F(c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o) &= ([c+f+g+j+l+m+n+o]/m3)/([a+b+d+e+h+i+k+p]/(n-1-m3)) \\ F(d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o) &= ([d+h+i+j+k+m+n+o]/m4)/([a+b+c+e+f+g+l+p]/(n-1-m4)) \\ F(a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+b+e+f+g+h+i+k+l+m+n+o]/m5)/([c+d+j+p]/(n-1-m5)) \\ F(a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+c+e+f+g+h+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m6)/([b+d+i+p]/(n-1-m6)) \\ F(a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+d+e+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m7)/([b+c+f+p]/(n-1-m7)) \\ F(b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([b+c+e+f+g+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m8)/([a+d+h+p]/(n-1-m8)) \\ F(b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([b+d+e+f+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m9)/([a+c+g+p]/(n-1-m9)) \\ F(c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([c+d+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m10)/([a+b+e+p]/(n-1-m10)) \\ F(a+b+c+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+b+c+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m11)/([d+p]/(n-1-m11)) \\ F(a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+b+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m12)/([c+p]/(n-1-m12)) \\ F(a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m13)/([b+p]/(n-1-m13)) \\ F(b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m14)/([a+p]/(n-1-m14)) \\ F(a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o) &= ([a+b+c+d+e+f+g+h+i+j+k+l+m+n+o]/m15)/([p]/(n-1-m15)) \end{aligned}$$

$$F(a+g+h+n) = ([a+g+h+n]/(m5-m2))/([c+d+j+p]/(n-1-m5))$$

For the other fractions controlling for one table X, the F-statistics are constructed in the same way

$$F(a+e) = ([a+e]/(m13-m10))/([b+p]/(n-1-m13))$$

For the other fractions controlling for two tables X, the F-statistics are constructed in the same way

Fractions controlling for three tables X:

$$\begin{aligned} F(a) &= ([a]/(m15-m14))/([p]/(n-1-m15)) \\ F(b) &= ([b]/(m15-m13))/([p]/(n-1-m15)) \\ F(c) &= ([c]/(m15-m12))/([p]/(n-1-m15)) \\ F(d) &= ([d]/(m15-m11))/([p]/(n-1-m15)) \end{aligned}$$

Other fractions combining elementary fractions [a] to [o] can be calculated, but cannot be tested because they cannot be obtained by regression.
