

On exact tests in unbalanced mixed linear models

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Abstract

Exact tests for variance components in unbalanced mixed linear models with patterned covariance structures are presented. The derivation utilizes orthogonal transformations and a subsequent resampling. The work is related to Gallo & Khuri (1990) and Öfversten (1993).

Keywords

Exact tests, Hypothesis testing, Unbalanced mixed models, Variance components.

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