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# Dedication

*I am feeling great honor and pleasure to dedicate this research work to*

**My beloved...**

*Whose endless affection, prayers and wishes have been a great source of comfort  
for me during my whole education period and my life*

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

*Statistics is the grammar of science*

– Karl Pearson

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### 1.1 Section

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#### 1.1.1 The sub section

- Item 1
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### 1.2 Research Motivation

### 1.3 Problem Statement

### 1.4 Contribution of the Research

# Chapter 2

## Literature Review

The article [Fisher \(1936\)](#) discusses theory and analysis of design of experiments...

# Chapter 3

## Your Work Chapter

In this chapter, your work and methodology will be explained.

In Figure 3.1 the RTM effect in diastolic blood pressure is visualized in which the measurement is taken from the same subject in a pre and post-intervention. The subjects were selected whose diastolic blood pressure is greater than 90 mmHg and whose true mean is practically unknown. The variation in measurement is assumed to be due to random error.

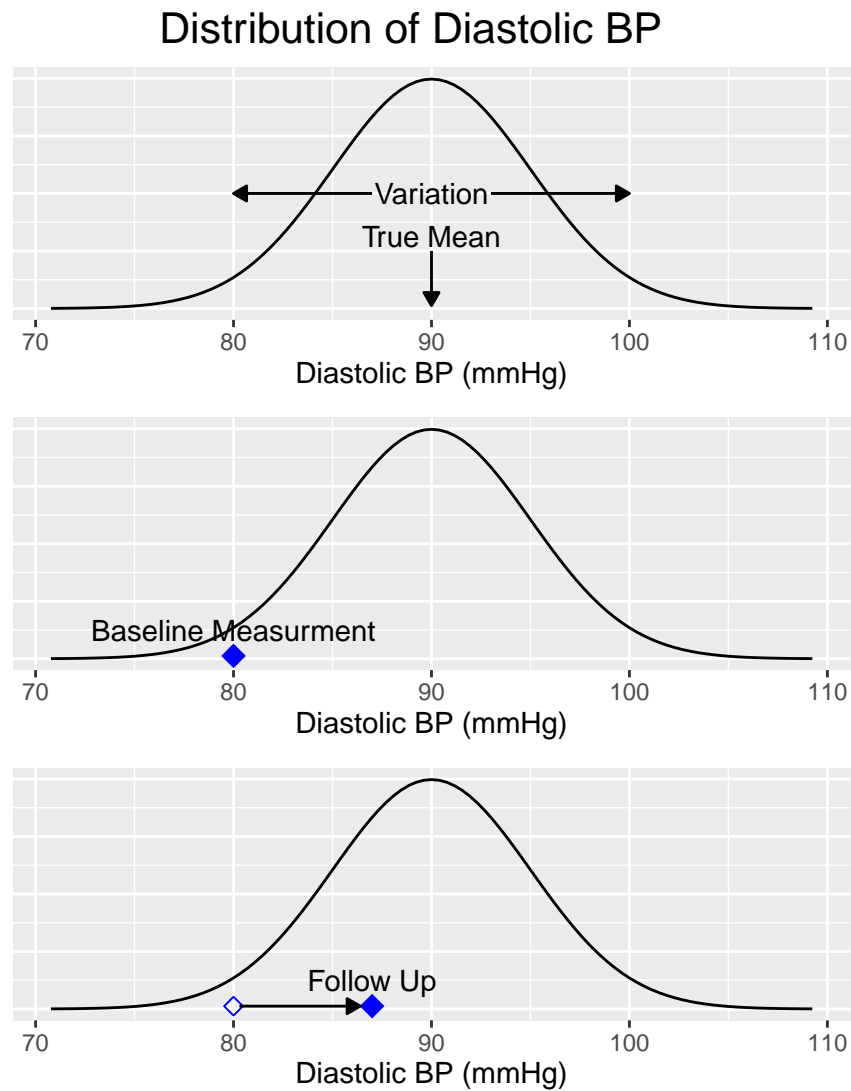


Figure 3.1: RTM effect in diastolic blood pressure in baseline and follow-up measurement with true mean and variation

Equation 3.1 shows the unbiased estimator of population variance  $\sigma^2$

$$s^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})}{n - 1} \quad (3.1)$$

# Chapter 4

## Results and Discussion

The  $p$ -value of  $P(t_{(17)} > 4.067) = 0.000506$  and provide sufficient evidence that the treatment has a significant effect on increasing the weight of girls after removing the effect of RTM however the test doesn't quantify the amount of RTM. Further, all the methods overestimate the true effect of RTM and the proposed method is more close to the True value when the sample size is small as seen from a simulation study.

Table 4.1: The total  $\hat{T}_l(c; n, \theta)$ , RTM  $\hat{R}_l(c; n, \theta)$  and treatment  $\hat{\psi}_l$  effects

Effects	Pre-post Measurement of treatment group (m=17)			
	$\hat{T}_l(c; n, \theta)$	$\hat{R}_l(c; n, \theta)$	$\hat{\psi}_l$	p-value*
Proposed	-7.248	1.476	-5.772	0.00012
<a href="#">Khan and Olivier (2022)</a>	-7.248	1.218	-6.03	0.00016

\*Adjusted for RTM

# Chapter 5

## Conclusion

The summary of your work



# Appendices

# Appendix A

## R Codes

The following R functions return the scatter plot

```
1 # This is a comment in R
2 x <- c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
3 y <- c(6, 7, 8, 9, 10)
4 plot(x, y, main = "My Plot", xlab = "X Axis", ylab = "Y Axis
   ")
```

# Appendix B

## Anorexia Patients Dataset

Source: Brian Everitt (private communication)

These are weights, in pounds (lb), of young girls receiving three different treatments for anorexia over a fixed period of time with the control group receiving the standard treatment.

Cognitive behavioral treatment		Control		Family therapy	
Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
80.5	82.2	80.7	80.2	83.8	95.2
84.9	85.6	89.4	80.1	83.3	94.3
81.5	81.4	91.8	86.4	86	91.5
82.6	81.9	74	86.3	82.5	91.9
79.9	76.4	78.1	76.1	86.7	100.3
88.7	103.6	88.3	78.1	79.6	76.7
94.9	98.4	87.3	75.1	76.9	76.8
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