

Problems from Assignment 16

1. Suppose  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{31} \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(\mu_X, \sigma_X^2)$  and  $Y_1, Y_2, \dots, Y_{41} \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} N(\mu_Y, \sigma_Y^2)$ . Also suppose you wish to test  $H_0 : \sigma_X = \sigma_Y$  vs  $H_1 : \sigma_X > \sigma_Y$ .
  - (a) What is the test statistic you would use?
  - (b) Find the rejection region for this statistic at  $\alpha = 0.1$  level.
  - (c) What is the power of this test versus the fixed alternative  $\sigma_X = (1.556)\sigma_Y$ .