Agronomy 526 Homework

Due: 4/28/22

1. The following data are from the sugar beet nitrogen experiment that you analyzed last week as a Latin square. Recall that six sources of nitrogen were applied at a rate of 100 lb/acre to determine nitrogen effects on yield (tons/acre). The six treatments were: A) ammonium sulfate, B) ammonium nitrate, C) urea, D) Ca nitrate, E) Na nitrate, and F) control (no N).

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| 2 | 31.0 | Е | 29.5 | В | 29.4 | С | 24.8 | F | 33.0 | D | 30.6 | А |
| 3 | 30.6 | D | 28.8 | Е | 21.7 | F | 30.8 | С | 31.9 | А | 30.1 | В |
| 4 | 33.1 | С | 30.4 | А | 28.8 | В | 31.4 | D | 26.7 | F | 31.9 | Е |
| 5 | 29.9 | В | 25.8 | F | 30.3 | Е | 30.3 | А | 33.5 | С | 32.3 | D |
| 6 | 30.8 | А | 29.7 | С | 27.4 | D | 29.1 | Е | 30.7 | В | 21.4 | F |

- a. Perform the analysis of variance in PROC MIXED using an appropriate model to account for spatial correlation.
- b. Compare treatment effects on adjusted means.
- c. Compare the results of this analysis with the Latin square analysis. How does the interpretation change?
- d. Interpret the results.