



## Compare XLSTAT Packages: Essentials, Standard, and Advanced

XLSTAT provides a comprehensive suite of statistical and data analysis tools designed to meet the needs of both beginner and advanced users.

This document offers an overview of the features and functionalities included in each XLSTAT package. Whether you're new to data analysis or require advanced tools for complex modeling, this guide will help you select the most suitable XLSTAT package for your needs.

### A. The Feature Comparison Table

Quickly compare the core features across XLSTAT's three package levels.

| Feature                           | XLSTAT Essentials | XLSTAT Standard | XLSTAT Advanced |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Preparing data                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Describing data                   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Analyzing data                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Modeling data                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Visualizing data                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Testing a hypothesis              | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Clustering                        | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Statistical Process Control (SPC) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Modeling data (Advanced)          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sensory data analysis             |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| PLS Path Modeling                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Marketing tools                   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Conjoint analysis                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Decision aid                      |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Bayesian Networks                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Text mining                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multiblock data analysis          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Machine learning                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Survival analysis                 |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Method validation                 |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Dose effect analysis              |                   |                 | ✓               |
| OMICS data analysis               |                   |                 | ✓               |



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|-------------------------|---|
| POWER analysis          | ✓ |
| Design of experiments   | ✓ |
| Times series analysis   | ✓ |
| Monte Carlo simulations | ✓ |
| Easy Fit / Easy Predict | ✓ |
| XLSTAT-R                | ✓ |
| XLSTAT-RNotebook        | ✓ |
| DataViz                 | ✓ |
| Workflow Builder        | ✓ |
| AI Assistant            | ✓ |

## B. Complete Feature Breakdown by Package

A detailed look at the tools and techniques available in each XLSTAT package.

### XLSTAT Features by Package Comparison

| Feature   | XLSTAT Essentials | XLSTAT Standard | XLSTAT Advanced |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>PREPARING DATA</b>   |                   |                 |                 |
| Data sampling   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Distribution sampling   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Discretization  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Coding  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Coding by ranks   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Presence/Absence coding                                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Missing data  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Complete disjunctive tables (Creating dummy variables)        | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Create contingency tables                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Variables transformation                                      | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Data management   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Data anonymization  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multiple answer questions                                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>DESCRIBING DATA</b>  |                   |                 |                 |
| Descriptive statistics (including box plots and scattergrams) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |



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| Histograms   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Normality tests                                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Contingency table (descriptive statistics)         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Similarity/Dissimilarity matrices (correlation...) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multicollinearity statistics                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Quantiles estimation                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Resampled statistics                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Kernel density estimation                          | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Variable characterization                          | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Intelligent Pivot Tables                           | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Reliability analysis                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multiway crosstabs generator                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>ANALYZING DATA</b>                              |                   |                 |                 |
| Principal component analysis (PCA)                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Factorial analysis of mixed data (PCAmix)          | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Correspondence analysis (CA)                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multiple correspondence analysis (MCA)             | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Factor analysis                                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Discriminant analysis (DA)                         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Principal coordinate analysis                      |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multidimensional scaling (MDS)                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Gaussian mixture models                            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>MODELING DATA</b>                               |                   |                 |                 |
| Distribution fitting                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Linear regression                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| ANOVA (Analysis of variance)                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| ANCOVA (Analysis of Covariance)                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multivariate analysis of variance (MANOVA)         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Logistic regression                                | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Cubic splines                                      | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Nonlinear regression                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |



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| <b>MODELING DATA (ADVANCED)</b>                |                   |                 |                 |
| Partial least squares regression (PLS)         |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Mixed models                                   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Two-stage least squares regression             |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| LASSO regression                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Ridge regression                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Elastic net regression                         |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Log-linear regression (Poisson regression)     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Quantile regression                            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Nonparametric regression (Kernel and Lowess)   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Repeated measures analysis of variance (ANOVA) |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>VISUALIZING DATA</b>                        |                   |                 |                 |
| Scatter plots                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Bar charts                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Univariate plots                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Radar charts                                   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Word clouds                                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Funnel charts                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Bar chart race                                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Truncated Barchart                             | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Motion charts                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Parallel coordinates plots                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Ternary diagrams                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| 2D plots for crosstabs                         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Semantic differential charts                   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Probability plots                              | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Error bars                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Plot a function                                | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| EasyLabels                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| AxesZoomer                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Plot transformation                            | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |



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| Orthonormal plot  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Merge charts  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Reposition labels                                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Resize a chart  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| EasyPoints  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Colors, thickness and size                              | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Contour plot and Surface plot                           | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>TESTING A HYPOTHESIS</b>                             |                   |                 |                 |
| Tests for one proportion                                | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Tests for two proportions                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| k proportions test                                      | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| One-sample t-test and z-test                            | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Two-sample t-test and z-test                            | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Two-sample comparison of variances                      | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| k-sample comparison of variances                        | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multidimensional tests (Mahalanobis, ...)               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multinomial goodness of fit test                        | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| TOST (Equivalence test)                                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| One-sample variance test                                | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Comparison of two samples (Wilcoxon, Mann-Whitney, ...) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Comparison of two distributions                         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Comparison of k samples (Kruskal-Wallis, Friedman, ...) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Cochran's Q test  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| McNemar's test  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| One-sample runs test                                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel test                            | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Durbin and Skillings-Mack tests                         | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Page test   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Mood test (Median test)                                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| One sample Wilcoxon Signed-Rank test                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Tests on contingency tables                             | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |



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| Correlation tests                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Mantel test   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Cochran-Armitage trend test                           | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Biserial correlation                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| RV coefficients                                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Grubbs' test for outliers                             | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Dixon test for outliers                               | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Cochran C test for outlying variances                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Mandel's h and k statistics for outliers              | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Friedman-Rafsky test                                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>CLUSTERING</b>                                     |                   |                 |                 |
| Agglomerative Hierarchical Clustering (AHC)           | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| k-means clustering                                    | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Univariate Clustering                                 | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Fuzzy k-means clustering                              |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Gaussian Mixture Models                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| DBSCAN  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>STATISTICAL PROCESS CONTROL</b>                    |                   |                 |                 |
| Individual charts                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Subgroup charts                                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Attribute charts                                      | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Time weighted charts                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Pareto charts   | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Gage repeatability and reproducibility (quantitative) | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Gage repeatability and reproducibility for attributes | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>TOOLS</b>  |                   |                 |                 |
| Probability calculator                                | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Matrix operations                                     | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Clean text data                                       | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Lower and upper case                                  | ✓                 | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sensory data analysis                                 |                   |                 |                 |



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| Preference Mapping (PREFMAP)                           |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Internal preference mapping                            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Penalty analysis                                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Product characterization                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Panel analysis   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| CATA data analysis                                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Liking data analysis                                   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Temporal Dominance of Sensations (TDS)                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Time-Intensity   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Generalized Bradley-Terry model                        |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sensory shelf life analysis                            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Design of experiments for sensory discrimination tests |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sensory discrimination tests                           |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| DOE for sensory data analysis                          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Generalized Procrustes Analysis (GPA)                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| CLUSTATIS  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| STATIS   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| TCATA  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| CATATIS  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sensory wheel  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Free sorting data analysis                             |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| CLUSCATA   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Projective mapping data analysis                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Power for sensory discrimination tests                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Create Product/assessor table                          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| RATA data analysis                                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| JAR multivariate analysis                              |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Flash profiling  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| R-Index  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| PLS path modelling                                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |



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| Regularized generalized canonical correlation analysis (RGCCA) |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Generalized structured component analysis (GSCA)               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>MARKETING TOOLS</b>   |                   |                 |                 |
| Sample size calculator   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| TURF analysis  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Price sensitivity meter (Van Westendorp)                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Price elasticity of demand                                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Customer lifetime value (CLV)                                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Customer long-term value (CLTV)                                |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Raking survey data   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| PROCESS moderation and mediation                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Bayesian Networks  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>CONJOINT ANALYSIS</b>                                       |                   |                 |                 |
| Designs for conjoint analysis                                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Conjoint analysis  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Designs for choice-based conjoint analysis                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Choice based conjoint analysis                                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Designs for MaxDiff  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| MaxDiff analysis   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| MONANOVA - Monotone regression                                 |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Conditional logit model  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Conjoint analysis simulation tool                              |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Market generator   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>DECISION AID</b>  |                   |                 |                 |
| Multicriteria decision aid - ELECTRE methods                   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Design of experiments for the analytic hierarchy process (DHP) |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Analytic hierarchy process (AHP)                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Decision trees   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>TEXT MINING</b>   |                   |                 |                 |
| Feature extraction   |                   | ✓               | ✓               |



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|---|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Latent semantic analysis (LSA)                          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Sentiment Analysis                                      |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Term selection  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Fuzzy k-means (Text Mining)                             |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Multiblock data analysis                                |                   |                 |                 |
| Multiple factor analysis (MFA)                          |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Canonical correspondence analysis (CCA and partial CCA) |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Canonical correlation analysis (CCorA)                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Redundancy analysis (RDA)                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>MACHINE LEARNING</b>                                 |                   |                 |                 |
| Naive Bayes classifier                                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| K nearest neighbors (KNN)                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Classification and regression trees                     |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Classification and regression random forests            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Association rules                                       |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Extreme gradient boosting                               |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Model performance indicators                            |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| One-class support vector machine                        |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| Support vector machine                                  |                   | ✓               | ✓               |
| <b>SURVIVAL ANALYSIS</b>                                |                   |                 |                 |
| Life table analysis                                     |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Kaplan-Meier analysis                                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Cox proportional hazards models                         |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Proportional Hazards model with interval censored data  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Sensitivity and specificity analysis                    |                   |                 | ✓               |
| ROC curves  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Nelson-Aalen analysis                                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Cumulative incidence                                    |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Parametric survival regression (Weibull model)          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Parametric survival curves                              |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Propensity score matching                               |                   |                 | ✓               |



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|--|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Illness-Death model  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>METHOD VALIDATION</b>                                       |                   |                 |                 |
| Method comparison (Bland Altman, ...)                          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Passing and Bablok regression                                  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Deming regression  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Youden plots   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>DOSE EFFECT ANALYSIS</b>                                    |                   |                 |                 |
| Dose effect analysis   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| 4/5-parameter parallel lines logistic regression               |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Inter-laboratory proficiency testing                           |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>OMICS DATA ANALYSIS</b>                                     |                   |                 |                 |
| Differential expression  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Heat map   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>POWER ANALYSIS</b>  |                   |                 |                 |
| Statistical power for mean comparison                          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power to compare variances                         |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for proportion comparison                    |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for linear regression                        |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for ANOVA / ANCOVA / Repeated measures ANOVA |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for logistic regression                      |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for Cox model                                |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Sample size for clinical trials                                |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Statistical power for correlation comparison                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>DESIGN OF EXPERIMENTS</b>                                   |                   |                 |                 |
| Screening designs  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Analysis of a screening design                                 |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Surface response designs                                       |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Analysis of a surface response design                          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Analysis of a mixture design                                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Taguchi designs  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Analysis of a Taguchi design                                   |                   |                 | ✓               |



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| Mixture designs                     |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>TIME SERIES ANALYSIS</b>         |                   |                 |                 |
| Mann-Kendall trend tests            |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Time series descriptive statistics  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Time series transformation          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Times series visualization          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Smoothing for time series           |                   |                 | ✓               |
| ARIMA                               |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Cointegration test                  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Unit root and stationarity tests    |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Homogeneity tests for time series   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Heteroscedasticity tests            |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Durbin-Watson test                  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Cochrane-Orcutt model               |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Fourier transform                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Spectral analysis                   |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>MONTE CARLO SIMULATIONS</b>      |                   |                 |                 |
| Define a distribution               |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Define a scenario variable          |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Define a result variable            |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Define a statistic                  |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Run simulation                      |                   |                 | ✓               |
| <b>AI &amp; AUTOMATION FEATURES</b> |                   |                 |                 |
| Easy Fit / Easy Predict             |                   |                 | ✓               |
| DataViz                             |                   |                 | ✓               |
| Workflow builder                    |                   |                 | ✓               |
| AI Assistant (only for Windows)     |                   |                 | ✓               |
| XLSTAT-R                            |                   |                 | ✓               |
| XLSTAT-RNotebook                    |                   |                 | ✓               |