

**STAT 3008**  
**Homework 2**

**Due date: 5pm, Oct 15(Wednesday). Assignment Box at LSB 1/F.**

**Datasets are available at the website of the textbook: Applied Linear Regression, 3rd edition by Weisberg.**

1. Show that for simple linear regression,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2$$

2. Given observations  $(x_i, y_i)$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , consider the regression model

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + e, \quad e \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

(note that they share the same  $\beta$ ).

- i) Find the estimators for  $\beta$  and  $\sigma^2$ , i.e.  $\hat{\beta}$  and  $\hat{\sigma}^2$ .
  - ii) Find the mean and variance of  $\hat{\beta}$ .
  - iii) Find the mean of  $\hat{\sigma}^2$ .
  - iv) What can you say about  $\hat{\beta}$  when  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ? (Hint: What's the variance of  $\hat{\beta}$  when  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ?)
  - v) Does the fitted regression line pass through  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ ? Is the sum of residuals equals zero?
3. Use the dataset **htwt.txt**, consider simple linear regression with  $Wt$  as dependent variable (response) and  $Ht$  as independent variable (predictor).
- i) Test the effect of  $Ht$  on  $Wt$  using a t-test.
  - ii) Test the effect of  $Ht$  on  $Wt$  using an ANOVA table with F-test.
  - iii) Find the 95% confidence interval for  $E(Wt|Ht = 160)$ . Draw it.
  - iv) Find the 90% simultaneous confidence band for  $E(Wt|Ht)$ . Draw it.
  - v) Find the 99% prediction interval for a new observations at  $Ht = 160$ .
  - vi) Draw a residual plot. Is the regression a good fit?

4. Let

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1 \\ Y_2 \\ Y_3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad E(Y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{Var}(Y) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (i) Find  $X(X'X)^{-1}X'$ ,  $(X'X)^{-1}X'Y$ ,  $X(X'X)^{-1}X'Y$  and  $\bar{Y}$ , in terms of  $Y_1, Y_2, Y_3$ .
  - (ii) Base on (i), is "Taking sample mean" the same as "Regression using constant term only"?
  - (iii) Let  $H = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$ . Express  $Y'(1 - H)Y$  in terms of  $Y_1, Y_2, Y_3$ . Then find  $E(Y'(1 - H)Y)$ .
  - (iv) Using the fact that  $E(X'AX) = E[\text{tr}(X'AX)] = \text{tr}[AE(XX')]$ , find  $E(Y'(I - H)Y)$ .
  - (v) Repeat (iii) and (iv) using  $\text{Var}(Y) = I_3$ .
5. Let  $Y = (21, 25, 19, 34, 36, 36, 24, 10)'$ ,  $X1 = (3, 9, 4, 3, 7, 9, 4, 1)'$ ,  $X2 = (3, 9, 4, 3, 7, 9, 4, 2)'$ . Consider a multiple linear regression with an intercept term.

- (i) Using matrix methods find a)  $(X'X)^{-1}$ , b)  $\hat{\beta}$ , c)  $\hat{e}$ , d)  $H = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$ , e)  $\text{SYY}$ , f)  $\text{SSReg}$ , g)  $\text{RSS}$ , h)  $\hat{\sigma}^2$ , i)  $\hat{Y}$ , j)  $R^2$ .
- (ii) Find the variance-covariance matrix of  $\hat{\beta}$  in terms of  $\sigma$ . Note that  $\sigma$  is an unknown parameter. How do you estimate this matrix from the data?
- (iii) What is the variance-covariance matrix of  $\beta$  (not  $\hat{\beta}$ )?
- (iv) Find the mean of  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  in terms of  $\sigma$ .
- (v) Estimate  $\text{Var}(\hat{Y})$ . Are  $Y_i$ s independent? Are  $\hat{Y}_i$ s independent?
- (vi) Write an ANOVA table to test the effect of the regression.
- (vii) At the point  $(X1, X2) = (12, -2)$ , estimate  $E(Y|X1, X2)$  and
  - a) 90% confidence interval for the fitted value of  $(X1, X2)$ .
  - b) 95% prediction interval for a new observation of  $(X1, X2)$ .
 Will you trust the estimates? Why?