

STAT 3008 Applied Regression Analysis

Tutorial 10.

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1 Overview of Course Content

- Simple linear regression & Multiple linear regression
 - scatter plot
 - model(definition and notation)
 - residual plots
 - parameters' estimates
 - hypothesis tests
 - confidence intervals
 - draw conclusion(association/causal)
- Further discussion
 - Look at the linear assumption:
 - * polynomial regression
 - * transformation
 - Look at the linear predictors:
 - * aliased
 - * misfitted model(overfitted/lurking variable)
 - * model selection
 - * qualitative \rightarrow factors
 - Look at errors:
 - * normality assumption \rightarrow QQ-plot
 - * unequal variance \rightarrow weighted least square
 - Look at particular cases of observations:
 - * outlier tests
 - * leverage
 - * Cook's distance
- Some techniques
 - added-variable plot(another way to find $\hat{\beta}_1$)
 - Delta method(find out that $g(\hat{\theta}) \sim N(g(\theta), \sigma^2 g'(\theta)^T Dg'(\theta))$, so as to find C.I. for $g(\theta)$)

2 Diagnostics with Residuals

2.1 What is the diagnostics?

♣ Regression diagnostics are used after fitting so as to check whether assumptions (mean/var/error) are consistent with observed data. The basic tools are residuals or scaled residuals. The basic idea is to check if the residuals look reasonable (null plot: mean zero, constant variance, no separated points).

2.2 About H

$$H = (h_{ij})_{n \times n}$$

h_{ii} is called leverage.

$$H = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$$

$$H^t = H$$

$$H^2 = H$$

$$\text{tr}(H) = p + 1$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n h_{ji} = \sum_{i=1}^n h_{ij} = 1$$

$$HJ = J$$

$$H\mathbf{1} = \mathbf{1}$$

$$JJ = nJ$$

$$HX = X$$

$$X'H = X'$$

$$(I - H)X = 0$$

$$H(I - H) = 0$$

$$\text{Cov}(\hat{e}, \hat{Y}) = 0$$

$$\text{Cov}(\hat{e}, Y) = \sigma^2(I - H)$$

$$\text{Cov}(e, \hat{Y}) = \sigma^2 H$$

$$\text{Cov}(e, Y) = \sigma^2 I$$

$$\text{RSS: } \sum (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2 = Y'(I - H)Y$$

$$\text{TSS(SYY): } \sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = Y'(I - \frac{1}{n}J)Y$$

$$\text{SSreg: } \sum (\hat{Y}_i - \bar{Y})^2 = Y'(H - \frac{1}{n}J)Y$$

2.3 Residuals

$$\hat{\mathbf{e}} = Y - X\hat{\beta} = (I - H)Y = (I - H)\mathbf{e}$$

♣ **Assumptions for e :**

$E(e)$, $\text{Var}(e) = \sigma^2 I$, e is normally distributed.

♣ **Properties of \hat{e} :**

$E(\hat{e}) = 0$, $\text{Var}\hat{e} = \sigma^2(I - H)$, dependent & non-identically distributed.

Then,

$$\text{Var}(\hat{e}_i) = \sigma^2(1 - h_{ii})$$

$$\text{Cov}(\hat{e}_i, \hat{e}_j) = -\sigma^2 h_{ij}$$

The higher the leverage, the smaller the variance of \hat{e}_i .

♣ **Check the residual:**

The residual plot should look like the null plot.

2.4 Leverage

$$\hat{Y} = HY$$

$$\hat{Y}_i = \sum_{k=1}^n h_{ik} Y_k = h_{ii} Y_i + \sum_{k \neq i}^n h_{ik} Y_k$$

As h_{ii} approaches to 1, $h_{ik}(k \neq i)$ approaches to 0, so \hat{Y} gets closer to Y_i . h_{ii} is pulling \hat{Y}_i towards Y_i , giving the name leverage. For cases with large values of h_{ii} , no matter what value of y_i is observed, we are nearly certain to get a residual near 0. But, be careful of leverage point if $h_{ii} \sim 1$.

3 Solutions of Homework 3