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**TMA4267 Linear Statistical Models V2014 (16)**

**MLR: Inference with  $t$  and  $F$  [3.6]**

**MLR: Confidence and prediction interval (not in book)**

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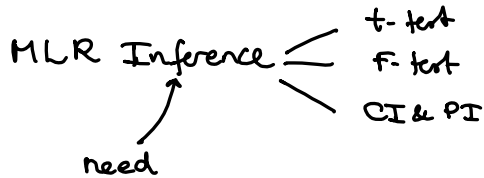
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# Inference in MLR

- $H_0 : \beta_i = 0$  vs.  $H_1 : \beta_i \neq 0$ . Test based on  $t$ -distribution. Confidence intervals from same distribution.
- $H_0$ : no regression, vs  $H_1$ : a regression. Test based on MSR and MSE ratio and  $F$ -distribution
- $H_0$ : subset of  $\beta$ s zero, vs  $H_1$ : at least one different. Same as comparing two nested MLR models. Test based on difference in SSR between the two models compared with the SSE of the larger model. Partial  $F$ -test.
- Confidence intervals for the expected regression hyperplane and prediction interval for new observation. Based on  $t$ -distribution.

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$$Y = X\beta + \epsilon$$

$n \times 1$       $n \times p$       $p \times 1$       $n \times 1$

$$\epsilon \sim N_n(0, \sigma^2 I)$$

$$\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y \sim N_p(\beta, \sigma^2 \overbrace{(X^T X)^{-1}}^C)$$

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2 = Y^T (I - H) Y \sim \sigma^2 \chi_{n-p}^2$$

$$E\left(\frac{SSE}{\sigma^2}\right) = n - p$$

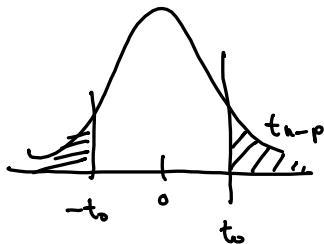
$\hat{\beta}$  and SSE are independent

$S^2 = \frac{SSE}{n-p}$  is an unbiased estimator for  $\sigma^2$ .

- Model assessment: Part 5 Ch 7
- DOE X? Part 6
- Model selection Part 7

$$1) H_0: \beta_i = 0 \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: \beta_i \neq 0 \quad (\beta_i > 0, \beta_i < 0)$$

$$T_i = \frac{\hat{\beta}_i - 0}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_i)}} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_i - 0}{\sqrt{[C^{-1}]_{ii} s^2}} \sim t_{n-p}$$



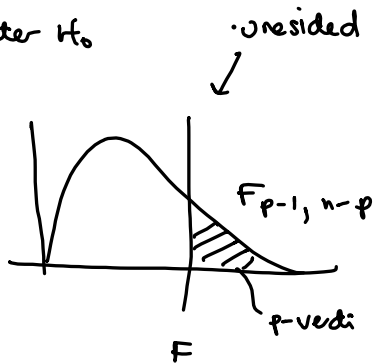
This test is conditional on the fitted model,  $\beta_1, \dots, \beta_p$  fitted, it means the test is given that the remaining covariates are in the model. If we fit  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  or  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$  then  $\hat{\beta}_3$  will not be the same in the models. Why?  $\hat{\beta}_3 = [(X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y]_{[3]}$  is not only dependent on  $x_3$ , but on all the  $x$ 's in the model. If  $(X^T X)$  is diagonal then  $\hat{\beta}_3$  only depend on  $x_3$ .

R: lm, followed by summary

2)  $H_0$ : no regression  $\beta_2 = \beta_3 = \dots = \beta_p = 0$  vs  $H_1$ : at least one  $\beta_i \neq 0 \quad i=2, \dots, p$

L14:  $SSR = Y^T (H - \frac{1}{n} J) Y \sim \sigma^2 \chi_{p-1}^2$  under  $H_0$   
 and,  $SSR$  and  $SSE$  are independent.

$$F = \frac{\frac{SSR}{p-1}}{\frac{SSE}{n-p}} = \frac{MSR}{MSE} \sim F_{p-1, n-p}$$



R: lm, followed by anova.

3) One last F-test, comparing two nested models  $\rightarrow$  partial F-test.

$$H_0: \beta_{r+1} = \beta_{r+2} = \dots = \beta_p = 0$$

$$H_1: \text{at least one } \beta_i \neq 0 \quad i = r+1, \dots, p$$

This is the same as comparing

$$\text{Model full} : \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r, \beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p$$

$$\text{Model reduced} : \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r$$

$$\text{Full: } H = X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T \quad X = n \times p \text{ full}$$

$$SSR = SST - SSE = SST - Y^T (I - H) Y$$

$$\text{Reduced model A: } X_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1r} \\ 1 & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 1 & \vdots & & x_{nr} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times r$

$$H_A = X_A (X_A^T X_A)^{-1} X_A^T$$

$$SSR_A = SST - SSE_A = SST - Y^T (I - H_A) Y$$

The contribution for the set  $\beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p$  can be found as

$$R(\beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p \mid \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r) = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{full}}}{SSR} - \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{full}}}{SSR_A}$$

sequential sums-of-squares  
of regression

If we find the distribution of  $R(\beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p | \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r) = SSR - SSR_A$   
 we may compare it to SSE (full model).

It can be seen that (a-d)

$$R(\beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p | \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r) = SSR - SSR_A \sim \sigma^2 \chi_{p-r}^2$$

when  $H_0: \beta_{r+1} = \dots = \beta_p = 0$  is true.

a)  $SSR - SSR_A = Y^T (H - H_A) Y$

b)  $(H - H_A)$  is symmetric and idempotent

c)  $\text{rank}(H - H_A) = p - r$

d)  $(H - H_A)(Y - X\beta) = (H - H_A)Y$  standard tricks to get  $E(Y - X\beta) = 0$

and in addition:

e)  $(H - H_A)(I - H) = 0$  so SSE and  $(SSR - SSR_A)$  are independent  
 $\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \text{SSE} - \text{SSR}_A & \text{SSE} \end{matrix}$

Test for  $H_0$ :

$$\frac{R(\beta_{r+1}, \dots, \beta_p | \beta_2, \dots, \beta_r) / (p-r)}{\frac{\text{SSE}}{n-p}} \sim F_{p-r, n-p}$$

$R$ :  $\left. \begin{matrix} \ln \text{ for full model} \\ \ln \text{ for reduced model} \end{matrix} \right\} \text{anova (lnRed, lnfull)}$

## Inference about $E(Y_0)$ and $Y_0$

$X_0$  new observation — with potential new response  $Y_0$ .

$p \times 1$

$$\underbrace{X_0^T}_{1 \times 1} \beta = E(Y_0)$$

$$\text{Cov}(\hat{\beta}) = (X^T X)^{-1} \sigma^2$$

$$\underbrace{X_0^T}_{1 \times 1} \hat{\beta} \sim N_1 \left( \underbrace{X_0^T \beta}_{1 \times 1}, \underbrace{X_0^T (X^T X)^{-1} X_0}_{1 \times 1} \sigma^2 \right)$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_0^T \hat{\beta}) = X_0^T \text{Cov}(\hat{\beta}) X_0$$

$$\frac{X_0^T \hat{\beta} - X_0^T \beta}{\sqrt{X_0^T (X^T X)^{-1} X_0} S} \sim t_{n-p}$$

$(1-\alpha)$  100% CI (confidence interval) for  $E(Y_0)$  at  $X_0$

$$X_0^T \hat{\beta} \pm t_{n-p} \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \sqrt{X_0^T (X^T X)^{-1} X_0} S$$



What about a new observation  $Y_0$ ?

$$\underbrace{(Y_0 - X_0^T \hat{\beta})}_{N(X_0^T \hat{\beta}, \sigma^2 I)} \sim N_1 \left( 0, \underbrace{\left( 1 + X_0^T (X^T X)^{-1} X_0 \right)}_{\text{var } \hat{y}_0} \sigma^2 \right)$$

$(1-\alpha) 100\%$  prediction interval (PI) for  $Y_0$

$$X_0^T \hat{\beta} \pm t_{n-p} \left( \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \sqrt{1 + X_0^T (X^T X)^{-1} X_0} s$$

R: lm  
predict

# Prediction

Similar to the simple linear regression case.

- New value for the covariates,  $\mathbf{x}_0$ .
- $(1 - \alpha) \cdot 100$  % CI for the regression line  $E(Y_0|\mathbf{x}_0)$ :

$$[\mathbf{x}_0^T \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \pm t_{n-p}(\frac{\alpha}{2}) \sqrt{\mathbf{x}_0^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0 s^2}]$$

- $(1 - \alpha) \cdot 100$  % prediction interval for new observation  $Y_0$ :

$$[\mathbf{x}_0^T \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \pm t_{n-p}(\frac{\alpha}{2}) \sqrt{(1 + \mathbf{x}_0^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0) s^2}]$$

R:

`predict(fittedlm, newdata=thenewdata, interval="prediction")`  
 or `interval="confidence"`. New observations placed in `newdata`.

# Gasoline example

- Aim: predict the gasoline consumption for a car driving 100 km at speed 80 km/h.
- Measurements:
  - $y_i$ = gasoline consumption (liter)
  - $x_{1i}$ =distance (km)
  - $x_{2i}$ =speed (km/h)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 100 & 60 \\ 1 & 50 & 70 \\ 1 & 70 & 80 \\ 1 & 120 & 70 \\ 1 & 100 & 90 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad Y = \begin{bmatrix} 12.5 \\ 8.0 \\ 11.5 \\ 14.5 \\ 13.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Gasoline question in R

```
> gasex=data.frame(c(12.5,8,11.5,14.5,13.5),
                  c(100,50,70,120,100),
                  c(60,70,80,70,90))
> colnames(gasex)=c("gasoline","distance","speed")
> fit=lm(gasoline~.,data=gasex)> fit
Coefficients:
(Intercept)      distance      speed
    0.75657      0.08698      0.04850

> newobs=data.frame(distance=100,speed=80)
> predict(fit,newdata=newobs,interval="predict")
      fit      lwr      upr
1 13.33479 9.873419 16.79617
> predict(fit,newdata=newobs,interval="confidence")
      fit      lwr      upr
1 13.33479 11.6272 15.04238
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