

PART 3: HYPOTHESIS
TESTING AND ANALYSIS OF
VARIANCE (ANOVA)

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4 lectures + 1 RecEx + 1 Compulsory Ex

Hypothesis testing in linear regression [f.3.3]

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon, \quad \varepsilon \sim N_n(0, \sigma^2 I)$$

So far we have looked at two types of hypotheses:

- 1) Test for significance of one β_j (Ex: β_{money} ,
happiness)

$$H_0: \beta_j = 0 \quad \text{vs.} \quad H_1: \beta_j \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow$ summary(lm-model) automatically added.

- 2) Is the regression significant?

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \dots = \beta_k = 0 \quad \text{vs.} \quad H_1: \text{at least one} \\ \neq 0$$

in addition we might want to

- 3) Test of equality (Ex Munich rent: top vs
good location)

$$H_0: \beta_j - \beta_r = 0 \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: \beta_j - \beta_r \neq 0$$

All of these situations can be written as a general linear hypothesis

$$H_0: C\beta = d$$

$\swarrow$ $\searrow$
 $r \times p$ matrix $r \times 1$
 vector
 of constants
 r linearly independent constraints
 under H_0
 $\text{rank}(C) = r \leq p$

restricted model
model B

$$H_1: C\beta \neq d$$

unrestricted model
model A

Model B is a
subset of model A.

Ex: Happiness, find C:

1) Is there a linear effect of money?

$$\beta_0 \beta_1 \beta_2 \beta_3 \beta_4$$

$$H_0: \beta_1 = 0 \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: \beta_1 \neq 0$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad d = 0$$

$\begin{matrix} 1 \\ 1 \times 5 \\ r = 1 \end{matrix}$ $\begin{matrix} 1 \\ 1 \times 1 \end{matrix}$

$$C\beta = d \Leftrightarrow \beta_1 = 0$$

2) Is the regression significant?

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = \beta_4 = 0 \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: \text{at least one} \neq 0$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r = 4$$

3) Is there a linear effect of money and/or sex?

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0 \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: \text{at least one} \neq 0$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$d = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r = 2$$

Procedure (for testing linear hypotheses)

Unrestricted model vs Restricted model

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon, \varepsilon \sim N_n(0, \sigma^2) \rightarrow C\beta = d$$

Ex: " $\beta_1 = 0$ " money example

Unrestricted^(A): fit all covariates: x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4

Restricted^(B): fit only: x_2, x_3, x_4

i) Fit the unrestricted model (A) and compute $SSE = \hat{\varepsilon}^T \hat{\varepsilon}$. Assume p regress. param. fitted.

ii) Fit the restricted model (B) and compute $SSE_{H_0} = \hat{\varepsilon}_{H_0}^T \hat{\varepsilon}_{H_0}$

NB: the restricted model needs to be nested within the unrestricted.

iii) Calculate the test statistic: ≥ 0

$$F_{obs} = \frac{\frac{1}{r} \Delta SSE}{\frac{1}{n-p} SSE} = \frac{\frac{1}{r} (SSE_{H_0} - SSE)}{\frac{1}{n-p} SSE}$$

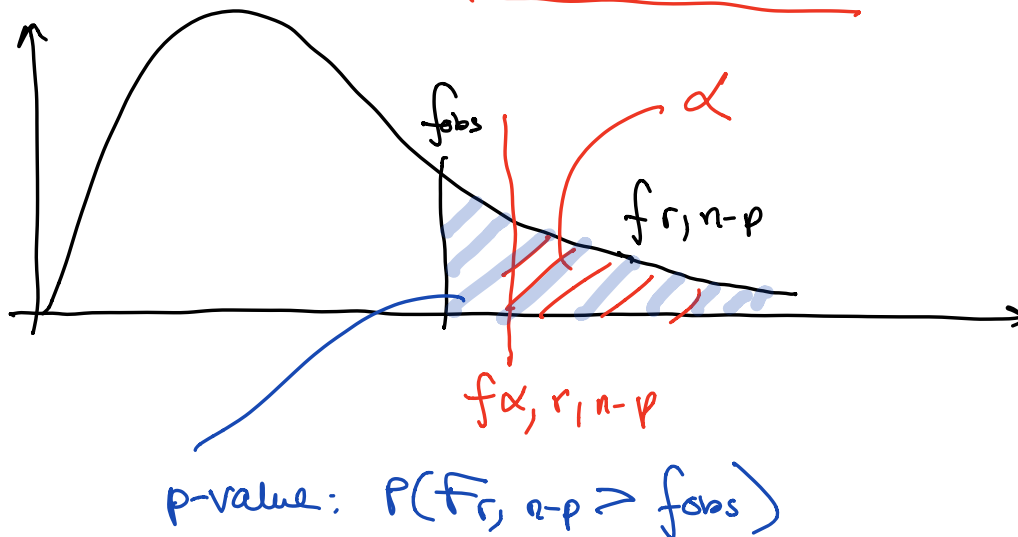
Q: What is the relationship between SSE_{H_0} and SSE ?

$$SSE \leq SSE_{H_0}$$

↑
unrestricted
= larger model

iv) Under H_0 : $F_{obs} \sim F_{r, n-p}$

Reject H_0 when $f_{obs} > f_{\alpha, r, n-p}$



How to use this procedure? How to find f_{obs} ?

a) Math formula for F_{obs} based on X, C, α ,
and $\hat{\beta}, \hat{\sigma}^2$ from the unrestricted model (A)

b) If possible: fit unrestricted model ↖ on Tuesday!
and restricted model and read off SSE to get
 F_{obs} . 5

Ex: Happiness: $H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{SSE}{n-p}$$

A: Full model: $x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4$

$$SSE = \hat{\sigma}^2 \cdot (n-p) = (1.058)^2 \cdot 34 = 38.087$$

B: Restricted model: $x_3 x_4$

$$SSE_{re} = (1.08)^2 \cdot 36 = 41.952$$

$$F_{obs} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} (41.952 - 38.087)}{\frac{1}{34} 38.087} = 1.752$$

$$p\text{-value} = P(F_{2, 34} > 1.752) = 0.1934$$

$\Rightarrow$ do not reject H_0 : we prefer the smaller model
"x₃ + x₄".

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0$$

$$H_A: \text{at least one } \neq 0$$