

ETC3580: Advanced Statistical Modelling

Week 2: Linear model diagnostics

Outline

- 1 Regression diagnostics
- 2 Influence
- 3 R functions

Regression diagnostics

Plots that should be checked

- Residuals vs Fitted: Check heteroskedasticity
- Residuals vs Predictors: Check for non-linearity
- Residuals vs Predictors not in model: Check for missing predictors
- Normal QQ plot: Check for non-normality
- Hat-values and Cooks distances: Check for influential points

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Leverage values

 h_i is called the "leverage" of observation i.

In R: hatvalues(fit) or broom::augment(fit)

Let $X_{[i]}$ and $Y_{[i]}$ be similar to X and Y but with the ith row deleted in each case. Let x_i' be the ith row of X and let

$$\hat{\beta}_{[i]} = (\mathbf{X}'_{[i]}\mathbf{X}_{[i]})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'_{[i]}\mathbf{Y}_{[i]}$$

be the estimate of β without the *i*th case. Then

$$e_{[i]} = \mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{x}_i' \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{[i]}.$$

Now
$$\mathbf{X}'_{[i]}\mathbf{X}_{[i]} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{x}_i\mathbf{x}'_i)$$
 and $\mathbf{x}'_i(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_i = h_i$.

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Sherman-Morrison-Woodbury formula

Suppose **A** is a square matrix, and \boldsymbol{u} and \boldsymbol{v} are column vectors of the same dimension. Then

$$(A + uv')^{-1} = A^{-1} - \frac{A^{-1}uv'A^{-1}}{1 + v'A^{-1}u}.$$

So by SMW,

$$(\mathbf{X}'_{[i]}\mathbf{X}_{[i]})^{-1} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} + \frac{(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_i\mathbf{x}_i'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}}{1-h_i}.$$

Also note that $X'_{[i]}Y_{[i]} = X'Y - xy_i$.

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$$\hat{\beta}_{[i]} = \left[(X'X)^{-1} + \frac{(X'X)^{-1}x_ix_i'(X'X)^{-1}}{1 - h_i} \right] (X'Y - x_iy_i)$$

$$=\hat{\beta}-\left[\frac{(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_i}{1-h_i}\right]\left[y_i(1-h_i)-\mathbf{x}_i'\hat{\beta}+h_iy_i\right]$$

$$=\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}-(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_ie_i/(1-h_i)$$

Thus

$$e_{[i]} = y_i - \mathbf{x}_i' \hat{\beta}_{[i]}$$

$$= y_i - \mathbf{x}_i' \left[\hat{\beta} - (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{x}_i e_i / (1 - h_i) \right]$$

$$= e_i + h_i e_i / (1 - h_i)$$

$$= e_i / (1 - h_i),$$

Cross-validation statistic

$$CV = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{i=1}^{n} [e_i/(1-h_i)]^2$$

- Measures MSE of out-of-sample prediction
- Asymptotically equivalent to AIC (up to monotonic transformation)

Cook distances

$$D_i = \frac{e_i^2 h_i}{\hat{\sigma}^2 p (1 - h_i)}$$

■ Measures change in fit if observation *i* dropped.

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Residual diagnostics

broom::augment computes

- fitted values
- se(fit)
- residuals
- hat values
- cooks distance
- standardized residuals

This does not allow for matrix inputs such as poly(x,2)

Other functions

lacksquare dfbeta: $\hat{eta} - \hat{eta}_{(i)}$