

Today

- Homework questions: bootstrapped CI
- Bootstrapped prediction intervals
- Designing and coding a bootstrapped p-value algorithm

Homework check in

- Quantity
 - 15% too much
 - 85% just right
- Difficulty
 - 15% too hard
 - 85% just right/too easy
- Completion
 - 70% have completed >75%

Ideas:

Thank you!

Reading links

Deadlines

Code feedback

Piazza

- Thanks for asking questions and sharing code!
- If you're stuck with code, post here. You can be anonymous.
- Conceptual questions are also great. I love it when you ask for clarification or refreshers, or basics you never covered!

LLM assistants

- Large language model (LLM)
 - code suggestions, general questions
 - GPT4 (commercial, openAi, cloud)
 - LLAMA (local, private, opensource)
- Warning!
 - Fluent and plausible replies but ...
 - often wrong (ca 15% in my experience)
 - Good enough to be helpful; need to check

LLM assistants

- Option (more technical to install)
 - <https://mlverse.github.io/chattr/>
 - delete tidyverse prompt in app options
 - prompt:
 - I am using base R
 - use with openAI developer API
 - cheap, PAYG
 - access to latest LLMs

Bootstrap prediction interval

- Prediction uncertainty for new y
- 05_7_bootstrap_prediction_interval.md
- Powerful idea: estimate uncertainty by
 - repeatedly
 - simulate fitting the model on a sample
(parameter uncertainty)
 - simulate generating data from the fitted model
(data generating process)

Bootstrap prediction interval

Algorithm

define a grid of new x values to predict y

repeat very many times

- sample from the error distribution of DGP
- simulate new y-values from original estimated parameters of model
- fit the model (estimate parameters: β_0 , β_1 , σ_e)

keep: simulate new data $y|x$ using estimated parameters

calculate quantiles of the generated data distributions

plot quantiles

parametric

simulate generating data from the fitted model

simulate fitting the model on a sample

Bootstrapped p-value

- Learning goals
 - Understand p-values by understanding the underlying sampling algorithm
 - Further understand how the sampling distribution is the basis for frequentist inference
 - Understand how bootstrap algorithms mimic the sampling distribution algorithm
 - Formulate a bootstrap algorithm and translate it to R

Bootstrapped p-value

- Parametric bootstrap for $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$
 - what is the definition of a p-value?
 - what is the algorithm for parametric bootstrap?
 - combine these concepts
- Pseudocode first!
- R code from pseudocode

Definition of a p-value

The probability of a sample statistic as large or larger than the one observed **given that some hypothesis is true**

Basic parametric bootstrap algorithm

repeat very many times

sample from the error distribution

create new y-values from the estimated parameters and errors

fit the linear model

estimate the parameters

plot sampling distribution (histogram) of the parameter estimates

plug in: create simulated data from model

