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HW0224

### Question 2.1

- a) Complete the entries in the table. Put the sums in the last row. What are the sample means  $\bar{x}$  and  $\bar{y}$ ?

$\bar{x} = 1$ ,  $\bar{y} = 2$

```
> print(data)
  x y x_bar y_bar x_minus_xbar x_minus_xbar_sq y_minus_ybar x_y_diff_prod
1 3 4     1     2           2           4           2           4
2 2 2     1     2           1           1           0           0
3 1 3     1     2           0           0           1           0
4 -1 1     1     2          -2           4          -1           2
5 0 0     1     2          -1           1          -2           2
> print(answers$a_sums)
  sum_x sum_y sum_x_minus_xbar sum_x_minus_xbar_sq sum_y_minus_ybar
1     5    10                0                  10                0
  sum_x_y_diff_prod
1                  8
```

- b) Calculate  $b_1$  and  $b_2$  using (2.7) and (2.8) and state their interpretation

```
> cat("b2 (Slope):", b2, "\n")
b2 (Slope): 0.8
> cat("b1 (Intercept):", b1, "\n")
b1 (Intercept): 1.2
> |
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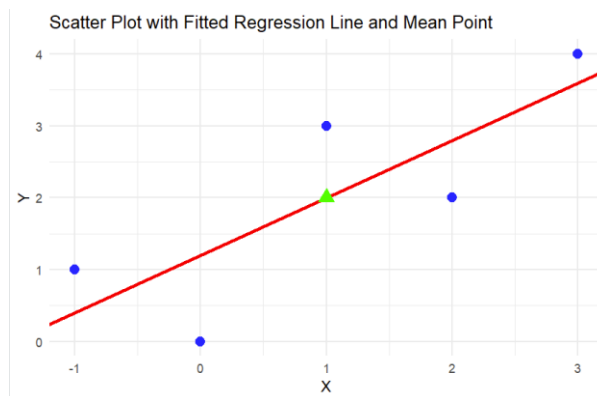
- c) Checked

```
> # Verify equation
> # equation 1:  $\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \sum x_i^2 - N \bar{x}^2$ 
> sum_x_minus_xbar_sq_check <- sum_x_sq - N * data$x_bar[1]^2
> should_match_x = sums_a$sum_x_minus_xbar_sq
>
>
> # Verify equation 2:  $\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y}) = \sum x_i y_i - N \bar{x} \bar{y}$ 
> sum_x_y_diff_prod_check <- sum_x_y - N * data$x_bar[1] * data$y_bar[1]
> should_match_xy = sums_a$sum_x_y_diff_prod
> # Print results
> cat("LHS of equation 1:", sum_x_minus_xbar_sq_check, " | RHS of equation 1:", s
hould_match_x, "\n")
LHS of equation 1: 10 | RHS of equation 1: 10
> cat("LHS of equation 2:", sum_x_y_diff_prod_check, " | RHS of equation 2:", sho
uld_match_xy, "\n")
LHS of equation 2: 8 | RHS of equation 2: 8
```

d) Results

```
> print(answers$d_table)
  x y y_hat   e e_sq x_e
1 3 4  3.6  0.4 0.16  1.2
2 2 2  2.8 -0.8 0.64 -1.6
3 1 3  2.0  1.0 1.00  1.0
4 -1 1  0.4  0.6 0.36 -0.6
5 0 0  1.2 -1.2 1.44  0.0
> print(answers$d_sums)
  sum_x sum_y sum_y_hat      sum_e sum_e_sq      sum_x_e
1     5    10        10 -2.220446e-16      3.6 -1.332268e-15
> print(answers$d_stats)
  s_y_sq s_x_sq s_xy r_xy CV_x median_x
2.5000 2.5000 2.0000 0.8000 158.1139  1.0000
> print(median_x)
[1] 1
```

e) Results



f) Yes, the regression line passes through the mean point

g) h)

```
> check_g <- b1 + b2 * x_bar
> check_h <- sums_d$sum_y_hat/N
> y_bar == check_g
[1] TRUE
> y_bar == check_h
[1] TRUE
```

i) Result

```
> sigma_sq_hat <- sums_d$sum_e_sq / (N - 2)
> answers$i_sigma_sq <- sigma_sq_hat
> print(answers$i_sigma_sq)
[1] 1.2
```

j) Results

```
> # j. Compute var(b2 | x) and se(b2)
> var_b2 <- sigma_sq_hat / sums_a$sum_x_minus_xbar_sq
> se_b2 <- sqrt(var_b2)
> answers$j_stats <- c(var_b2 = var_b2, se_b2 = se_b2)
> print(answers$j_stats)
  var_b2 se_b2
0.120000 0.3464102
```

### Question 2.14

- a) Elasticity of wages with respect to education at the “point of the means.”: 1.247214
- b) Standard error of the elasticity of wages with respect to education at the “point of the means.”: 0.0956108
- c) The predicted wage for an individual with 12 years of education in each area, With 16 years of education

```
> print("Predicted Wages for 12 and 16 Years of Education:")
[1] "Predicted Wages for 12 and 16 Years of Education:"
> print(predicted_wages)
  Education_Years Urban_Wage Rural_Wage
1              12      18.76      16.72
2              16      28.60      23.92
```

### Question 2.16

- a) CAPM is a simple regression model because it models asset returns as a linear function of a single independent variable (market returns). It follows the standard OLS regression framework, making it a fundamental tool in finance for estimating risk and expected returns.
- b) Estimate the CAPM model for each firm, and comment on their estimated beta values

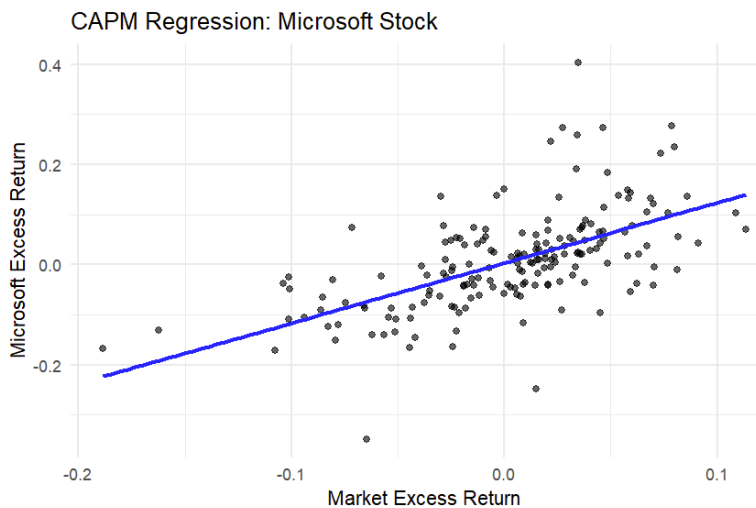
```
> print(capm_results)
# A tibble: 12 × 6
  stock      term      estimate std.error statistic  p.value
  <chr>    <chr>          <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>    <dbl>
1 GE      (Intercept) -0.000959  0.00442  -0.217 8.29e- 1
2 GE      market_excess  1.15     0.0895   12.8   4.47e-27
3 IBM     (Intercept)  0.00605   0.00483   1.25  2.12e- 1
4 IBM     market_excess  0.977     0.0978   9.98  6.37e-19
5 Ford    (Intercept)  0.00378   0.0102    0.370 7.12e- 1
6 Ford    market_excess  1.66     0.207    8.03  1.27e-13
7 Microsoft (Intercept)  0.00325   0.00604   0.538 5.91e- 1
8 Microsoft market_excess  1.20     0.122    9.84  1.63e-18
9 Disney  (Intercept)  0.00105   0.00468   0.224 8.23e- 1
10 Disney market_excess  1.01     0.0946   10.7  6.50e-21
11 ExxonMobil (Intercept)  0.00528   0.00354   1.49  1.37e- 1
12 ExxonMobil market_excess  0.457     0.0716   6.38  1.48e- 9
```

Ford company has the most aggressive beta, while ExxonMobil has the most defensive beta

c) All alpha is insignificant (alpha is closed to 0) supports CAPM theory

```
> alpha_values <- capm_results %>%
+   filter(term == "(Intercept)") %>%
+   select(stock, estimate, std.error, statistic, p.value)
> print(alpha_values)
# A tibble: 6 × 5
  stock      estimate std.error statistic p.value
<chr>      <dbl>      <dbl>      <dbl>   <dbl>
1 GE        -0.000959  0.00442    -0.217  0.829
2 IBM         0.00605  0.00483     1.25   0.212
3 Ford        0.00378  0.0102     0.370  0.712
4 Microsoft   0.00325  0.00604     0.538  0.591
5 Disney      0.00105  0.00468     0.224  0.823
6 ExxonMobil  0.00528  0.00354     1.49   0.137
```

Microsoft stock plot



d) Beta is quite similar regardless of whether the model includes or excludes alpha (intercept).

| stock        | beta_with_intercept | beta_without_intercept |
|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| <chr>        | <dbl>               | <dbl>                  |
| 1 GE         | 1.15                | 1.15                   |
| 2 IBM        | 0.977               | 0.984                  |
| 3 Ford       | 1.66                | 1.67                   |
| 4 Microsoft  | 1.20                | 1.21                   |
| 5 Disney     | 1.01                | 1.01                   |
| 6 ExxonMobil | 0.457               | 0.463                  |