

Part 2e) Prove that slope and intercept result from placing the derivative of the sum of square of residuals equal to zero.

$$\text{Sum of square of residuals} : \sum_{i=1}^n (e_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (b_0 + b_1 x_i))^2$$

Take the partial derivative with respect to b_0 .

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial b_0} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (b_0 + b_1 x_i))^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial b_0} (y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left[2(y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)(-1) \right] = 0$$

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^n [y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i] = 0$$

$$-2 \left[\sum_{i=1}^n y_i - n b_0 - b_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n b_0 = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i - b_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$b_0 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i}{n} - b_1 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_0 = \bar{y} - b_1 \bar{x}$$

remember

derivative of sum = sum of derivatives

Take the partial derivative with respect to b_1 .

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial b_1} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (b_0 + b_1 x_i))^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial b_1} (y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left[2(y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)(-x_i) \right] = 0$$

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i (y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_i)] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n [x_i (y_i - \bar{y} + b_1 \bar{x} - b_1 x_i)] = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n [x_i (y_i - \bar{y})] - b_1 \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i (x_i - \bar{x})] = 0$$

$$b_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y})$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x})} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_x^2}$$

Show:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{num: } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y}) &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y}) - \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x} (y_i - \bar{y}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y}) - \bar{x} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y}) - \bar{x} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n y_i - n \bar{y} \right] \quad \text{0 since } \bar{y} = \frac{\sum y_i}{n} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (y_i - \bar{y}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{den: } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) - \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x} (x_i - \bar{x}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) - \bar{x} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) - \bar{x} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n x_i - n \bar{x} \right] \quad \text{0 since } \bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i (x_i - \bar{x}) \end{aligned}$$