

(1) We know that,

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

To show that,

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

therefore, $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})y_i}{S_{xx}} = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i y_i$

where, $c_i = \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{S_{xx}}, i = 1, \dots, n.$

Now let's solve,

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

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

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

(\because we know, $\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n}, \bar{y} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i}{n}$)

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

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

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

Now we can write, $n \bar{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x} y_i$$

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

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

Hence, shown.

we know that,

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) y_i}{S_{xx}}, \text{ from above}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n c_i y_i \quad \left(\text{where, } c_i = \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{S_{xx}} \right)$$

$i = 1, \dots, n$

Hence shown //

(2) From the class, we know that.

$\hat{\beta}_0$ and $\hat{\beta}_1$ are unbiased estimators of β_0 and β_1 .

This means that

$$E(\hat{\beta}_0) = \beta_0 \quad \text{and} \quad E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_1$$

In that proof, we have assumed $E(\varepsilon_i) = E(\varepsilon_i | x_i) = 0$

what if $E(\varepsilon_i) = 0$ but $E(\varepsilon_i | x_i) = \alpha$.

Here α is a non-zero constant.

Find out, how would this assumption affect the expectations of $\hat{\beta}_0$ and $\hat{\beta}_1$?

from problem (1), we know.

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i y_i \quad \left(\text{where, } c_i = \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{S_{xx}} \quad i=1, \dots, n \right)$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}$$

Now, let's solve for.

$$E(\hat{\beta}_1) = E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i y_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n c_i E(y_i)$$

we know the true relation,

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n c_i E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n c_i E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i) + \sum_{i=1}^n c_i E(\varepsilon_i)$$

from earlier, $E(\varepsilon_i) = \alpha$. non-zero constant.

$$= \beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i + \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n c_i$$

We leave it as an exercise to show that.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i > 0 \quad \& \quad \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i > 0$$

As we have done in the class.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x})}{s_{xx}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s_{xx}} (n\bar{x} - n\bar{x}) = 0$$

similarly

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(x_i - \bar{x}) x_i}{s_{xx}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s_{xx}} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2 \right) = \frac{1}{s_{xx}} s_{xx} = 1$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i = 1$$

$$\text{So, } E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i + \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n c_i$$

$$= \beta_0(0) + \beta_1(1) + \alpha(0)$$

Therefore, $E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_1$

So, the expectation of $\hat{\beta}_1$ remains β_1 even if $E(\varepsilon_i) = \alpha$,

Therefore $\hat{\beta}_1$ is still an unbiased estimator of β_1 .

Now, $E(\hat{\beta}_0) = E(\bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x})$

$$= E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i}{n}\right) - \bar{x} E(\hat{\beta}_1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(y_i) - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

as we know, $E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_1$ from above

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i) - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \left[\beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n 1 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + \sum_{i=1}^n E(\varepsilon_i) \right] - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} [n\beta_0 + \beta_1 n\bar{x} + n\alpha] - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x} + \alpha - \beta_1 \bar{x}$$

$$\boxed{E(\hat{\beta}_0) = \beta_0 + \alpha}$$

Now Here, $\hat{\beta}_0$ is biased by α .

(5) Given that consider the true relation

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \varepsilon.$$

Data = $(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$, can be expressed as.

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i.$$

To find,

* what assumptions about the error terms ε_i are necessary to obtain;

$$\underline{(a) \quad E(\hat{\beta}_0) = \beta_0.}$$

Let solve $E(\hat{\beta}_0)$.

$$\text{we know, } \hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}.$$

$$\text{so, } E(\hat{\beta}_0) = E(\bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x})$$

$$= E(\bar{y}) - E(\hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x})$$

$$= E\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i}{n}\right) - \bar{x} E(\hat{\beta}_1)$$

we know that, $\hat{\beta}_1$ is unbiased estimator of β_1 even after error term.

So, ~~$\sum_{i=1}^n$~~
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$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i) - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \left[\beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n 1 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + \sum_{i=1}^n E(\varepsilon_i) \right] - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x} + E(\varepsilon_i) - \bar{x} \beta_1$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}_0) = \beta_0 + E(\varepsilon_i)$$

for the given result to be to,

we have to assume that $E(\varepsilon_i) = 0$.

$$(b) \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = \frac{\sigma^2}{S_{xx}}$$

$$\text{we know, } \hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) y_i}{S_{xx}}$$

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = \text{var}\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) y_i}{S_{xx}}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{S_{xx}^2} \left(\text{var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) y_i\right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{S_{xx}^2} \text{var}$$

can also be written as

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = \text{var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i y_i\right) \quad \text{where } c_i = \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{S_{xx}}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j \text{cov}(y_i, y_j)$$

Here assume $\text{cov}(y_i, y_j) = 0$.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n c_i^2 \text{var}(y_i)$$

* Since, ~~E~~ we have assume the same as above $E(\epsilon_i) = 0$ so that

$$\text{var}(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2$$

and

Assume $\text{cov}(y_i, y_j) = 0$, $i \neq j$.

$$(c) \hat{\beta}_1 \sim N(\beta_1, \sigma^2 / S_{xx})$$

we have got the above result,
from the above we can say that

$$\hat{\beta}_1 \sim N\left(\beta_1, \frac{\sigma^2}{S_{xx}}\right) \quad \text{where } \beta_1 \sim N$$

* for the above result to be right,

we have to assume that, error term

$$\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{cov}(\varepsilon_i, \varepsilon_j) = 0, \\ \text{for } i \neq j$$