

## **MOOC** Econometrics

## Training Exercise 2.4.2

## **Notes:**

• For this exercise, you need formulas for *F*-test and *t*-test discussed in Lecture 2.4.2.

## Questions

Consider the unrestricted multiple regression model  $y=X_1\beta_1+X_2\beta_2+\varepsilon$ . If we impose the null hypothesis that  $\beta_2=0$ , we get the restricted model  $y=X_1\beta_1+\varepsilon$ .

(a) Suppose that both the restricted and the unrestricted model contain a constant term. Then prove that

$$F = \frac{(R_1^2 - R_0^2)/g}{(1 - R_1^2)/(n - k)},$$

where  ${\it R}_{0}^{2}$  and  ${\it R}_{1}^{2}$  are the R-squared of respectively the restricted and unrestricted model.

(b) Suppose that we test for a single restriction  $H_0$ :  $\beta_j=0$ , so that g=1. Then prove that  $F=t^2$ .

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