# P8131 hw6

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#### Problem 1

# (1) Variance of $Y_{ij}$ .

Since  $b_i \sim N(0, \sigma_b^2)$ ,  $e_{ij} \sim N(0, \sigma_e^2)$ , and  $b_i$ ,  $e_{ij}$  are independent, so we have:

$$Var(Y_{ij}) = Var(\mu + b_i + e_{ij})$$

As  $b_i, e_{ij}$  are independent,  $Cov(b_i, e_{ij}) = 0$ , so  $Var(Y_{ij}) = Var(\mu + b_i + e_{ij}) = Var(b_i) + Var(e_{ij}) = \sigma_b^2 + \sigma_e^2$ .

(2) Covariance between any two values  $Y_i j$  and  $Y_i k$ ,  $\mathbf{j} j \neq k$ 

$$E(Y_{ij}) = E(\mu + b_i + e_{ij}) = \mu + 0 + 0 = \mu$$

$$E(Y_{ik}) = E(\mu + b_i + e_{ik}) = \mu + 0 + 0 = \mu$$

$$Cov(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = E[(Y_{ij} - \bar{Y})(Y_{ik} - \bar{Y})] = E[(b_i + e_{ij})(b_i + e_{ik})] = E[(b_i)^2 + e_{ij} * e_{ik} + b_i * (e_{ij} + e_{ik})]$$

$$= E[(b_i)^2] + E(e_{ij}) * E(e_{ik}) + 0 = E[(b_i)^2] = Var(b_i) + [E(b_i)]^2 = \sigma_b^2$$

(3) correlation between any two values  $Y_{ij}$  and  $Y_{ik}$ 

$$Var(Y_{ij}) = Var(b_i + e_{ij}) = \sigma_b^2 + \sigma_e^2$$

$$Var(Y_{ik}) = Var(b_i + e_{ik}) = \sigma_b^2 + \sigma_e^2$$

The correlation coefficient:

$$Corr(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = \frac{Cov(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik})}{\sigma Y_{ij} * \sigma Y_{ik}} = \frac{\sigma_b^2}{\sigma_b^2 + \sigma_e^2}$$

#### (4) Covariance Pattern

This one has a constant ovariance between any two values  $Y_{ij}$  and  $Y_{ik}$  and the correlation between any two Y also being constant, so this corresponds to Compound Symmetry covariance pattern.

#### Problem 2

# 1). Speghetti plot

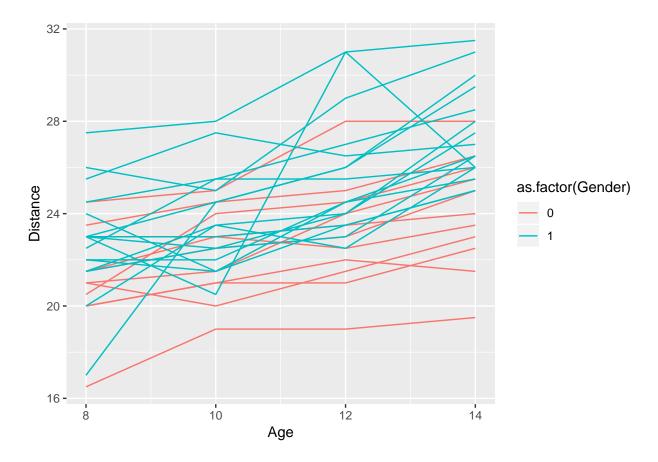
1. read in data

```
# import in data
distance <- read.delim("./HW6-dental.txt",sep = '', header = T)
head(distance)</pre>
```

```
Index Child Age Distance Gender
                    8
##
                           21.0
         2
                   10
                           20.0
                                      0
         3
                1
                   12
                           21.5
                                      0
                1
                   14
                           23.0
                2
                    8
                           21.0
                                      0
                           21.5
```

2. group by color

```
p = ggplot(distance, aes(x = Age, y = Distance, group = Child)) +
    geom_line(aes(color = as.factor(Gender)))
print(p)
```



# 2). Marginal model form

Marginal Models: There are several cases for different covariances:

# 1) Same gender

# (1) Same individual at different ages

$$Cov(Y_{ij}, Y_{ik}) = E[(a_i + b_k + e_{ij})(a_i + b_k + e_{ik})]$$

$$= E[(a_i^2 + a_i * b_k + a_i * e_{ik} + b_k^2 + b_k * e_{ik} + e_{ij} * e_{ik})]$$

$$= E(a_i^2) + E(b_k^2)$$

$$= \sigma_a^2 + \sigma_b^2$$

#### (2) For different individuals: same gender

When measured in different ages,

$$Cov(Y_{hj}, Y_{ik}) = E[(a_h + b_k + e_{hj})(a_i + b_k + e_{ik})]$$

$$= E[(a_h * a_i + a_h * b_k + a_h * e_{ik} + a_i * b_k + b_k^2 + b_k * e_{ik} + e_{hj} * a_i + e_{hj} * b_k + e_{hj} * e_{ik}]$$

$$= E(b_k^2)$$

$$= \sigma_b^2$$

When measured at the same age,

$$Cov(Y_{hj}, Y_{ij}) = E[(a_h + b_k + e_{hj})(a_i + b_k + e_{ij})]$$

$$= E(b_k^2)$$

$$= \sigma_k^2$$

2) Different genders

$$Cov(Y_{hj}, Y_{ik}) = E[(a_h + b_0 + e_{hj})(a_i + b_1 + e_{ik})]$$
  
= 0

Finaly, the model in marginal form is:

$$E(Y_{ij}) = \beta_0 + a_i + b_0 * I(sex_i = 0) + b_1 * I(sex_i = 1) + \beta_1 * age_{ij} + e_{ij}$$

 $a_i, b_k, e_{ij}$  are mutually independent,

$$\mathbf{Var}(\mathbf{Y_i}) = \begin{bmatrix} N_g & 0\\ 0 & N_b \end{bmatrix}_{27 \times 27}$$

where  $N_q$  and  $N_b$  are matrix for different genders.

#### 3). Model fitting

#### (1) Compound symmetry covariance with RMLE fit

```
## Compound symmetry
comsym <- gls(Distance ~ Gender + Age, distance, correlation = corCompSymm(form = ~ 1 | Child),
    method = "REML")
summary(comsym)</pre>
```

```
## Generalized least squares fit by REML
    Model: Distance ~ Gender + Age
##
##
    Data: distance
##
          AIC
                   BIC
                          logLik
##
     447.5125 460.7823 -218.7563
##
## Correlation Structure: Compound symmetry
##
   Formula: ~1 | Child
##
   Parameter estimate(s):
##
         Rho
## 0.6144914
##
## Coefficients:
##
                   Value Std.Error
                                    t-value p-value
```

```
## (Intercept) 15.385690 0.8959848 17.171820
                2.321023 0.7614169 3.048294
## Gender
                                              0.0029
## Age
                0.660185 0.0616059 10.716263 0.0000
##
##
   Correlation:
##
          (Intr) Gender
## Gender -0.504
##
  Age
          -0.756 0.000
##
## Standardized residuals:
##
           Min
                        Q1
                                                 QЗ
                                   Med
## -2.59712955 -0.64544226 -0.02540005 0.51680604
##
## Residual standard error: 2.305697
## Degrees of freedom: 108 total; 105 residual
corMatrix(comsym$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]]
##
             [,1]
                       [,2]
                                 [,3]
                                            [,4]
## [1,] 1.0000000 0.6144914 0.6144914 0.6144914
## [2,] 0.6144914 1.0000000 0.6144914 0.6144914
## [3,] 0.6144914 0.6144914 1.0000000 0.6144914
## [4,] 0.6144914 0.6144914 0.6144914 1.0000000
comcov = corMatrix(comsym$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]] * (comsym$sigma)^2
comcov
##
            [,1]
                     [,2]
                              [,3]
                                        [,4]
## [1,] 5.316240 3.266784 3.266784 3.266784
## [2,] 3.266784 5.316240 3.266784 3.266784
## [3,] 3.266784 3.266784 5.316240 3.266784
## [4,] 3.266784 3.266784 3.266784 5.316240
```

# E(Y) = 15.385 + 2.321 \* Gender - 0.6601 \* Age

#### Compound symmetry:

- 2 covariance parameters,  $\sigma^2$  and  $\rho$ , regardless of n;
- constant variance, and correlation does not decay.

# (2) Exponential covariance

```
exp1 <- gls(Distance ~ Gender + Age, distance, correlation = corExp(form = ~ 1 | Child), method = "REML")
summary(exp1)
## Generalized least squares fit by REML
    Model: Distance ~ Gender + Age
##
##
    Data: distance
##
          AIC
                   BIC
                          logLik
##
     455.4483 468.7181 -222.7241
##
## Correlation Structure: Exponential spatial correlation
   Formula: ~1 | Child
##
   Parameter estimate(s):
##
      range
```

```
## 2.133938
##
## Coefficients:
##
                    Value Std.Error
                                       t-value p-value
## (Intercept) 15.459995 1.1309319 13.670138
## Gender
                2.418714 0.6933441 3.488476
                                                  7e-04
                0.652960 0.0906420 7.203723
## Age
                                                 0e+00
##
##
   Correlation:
##
          (Intr) Gender
## Gender -0.363
## Age
          -0.882 0.000
##
## Standardized residuals:
##
           Min
                         Q1
                                                   Q3
                                                              Max
                                    Med
## -2.65148774 -0.69592567 -0.06214639 0.48659340 2.29666951
##
## Residual standard error: 2.301495
## Degrees of freedom: 108 total; 105 residual
corMatrix(exp1$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]]
##
              [,1]
                        [,2]
                                   [,3]
                                             [,4]
## [1,] 1.0000000 0.6258671 0.3917097 0.2451582
## [2,] 0.6258671 1.0000000 0.6258671 0.3917097
## [3,] 0.3917097 0.6258671 1.0000000 0.6258671
## [4,] 0.2451582 0.3917097 0.6258671 1.0000000
                             E(Y_{ij}) = 15.4599 + 2.418714 * Gender - 0.6529 * Age
Variance:
exp1cov = corMatrix(exp1$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]] * (exp1$sigma)^2
exp1cov
            [,1]
                      [,2]
                               [,3]
## [1,] 5.296881 3.315144 2.074839 1.298574
## [2,] 3.315144 5.296881 3.315144 2.074839
## [3,] 2.074839 3.315144 5.296881 3.315144
## [4,] 1.298574 2.074839 3.315144 5.296881
Exponential:
  • Unbalanced study, ith subject has response times t_{i,1}, t_{i,2}, ..., t_{i,ni};
  • Reduces to AR(1) when all response times are the same.
```

### (3) Autoregrassive covariance

```
## Generalized least squares fit by REML
     Model: Distance ~ Gender + Age
##
##
     Data: distance
##
          AIC
                  BIC
                           logLik
     455.4483 468.7181 -222.7241
##
##
## Correlation Structure: AR(1)
   Formula: ~1 | Child
##
   Parameter estimate(s):
##
         Phi
## 0.6258671
##
## Coefficients:
##
                    Value Std.Error t-value p-value
## (Intercept) 15.459995 1.1309319 13.670138
               2.418714 0.6933441 3.488476
                                                 7e-04
                0.652960 0.0906420 7.203723
                                                 0e+00
## Age
##
##
   Correlation:
##
          (Intr) Gender
## Gender -0.363
##
  Age
          -0.882 0.000
##
## Standardized residuals:
##
           Min
                         Q1
                                    Med
                                                  Q3
## -2.65148770 -0.69592566 -0.06214639 0.48659339 2.29666947
##
## Residual standard error: 2.301495
## Degrees of freedom: 108 total; 105 residual
corMatrix(auto1$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]]
##
             [,1]
                        [,2]
                                  [,3]
                                             [,4]
## [1,] 1.0000000 0.6258671 0.3917097 0.2451582
## [2,] 0.6258671 1.0000000 0.6258671 0.3917097
## [3,] 0.3917097 0.6258671 1.0000000 0.6258671
## [4,] 0.2451582 0.3917097 0.6258671 1.0000000
                             E(Y_{ij}) = 15.4599 + 2.418714 * Gender - 0.6529 * Age
Autoregressive (order 1) Variance:
autocov = corMatrix(auto1$modelStruct$corStruct)[[1]] * (auto1$sigma)^2
autocov
##
            [,1]
                      [,2]
                               [,3]
## [1,] 5.296881 3.315144 2.074840 1.298574
## [2,] 3.315144 5.296881 3.315144 2.074840
## [3,] 2.074840 3.315144 5.296881 3.315144
## [4,] 1.298574 2.074840 3.315144 5.296881
  • special case of Toeplitz;
  • 2 covariance parameters, \sigma^2 and \rho, regardless of n;
  • constant variance, correlation decays geometrically (exponentially)
```

#### Model comparison

parameter estimates

```
## Compound Exponential AutoRegression
## Gender 2.045166 2.418714 2.418714
## Age 0.674651 0.652960 0.652960
```

Conclusion: here coefficient parameter estimates are the same for Exponential and AutoRegression, while different from Compound model. The covariance estimates of compund symmetry model proves that all covariance are the same without weight. Since models with compound symmetry assume correlation between any two visits are constant, their covariance estimates are different.