

Assignment , 1 & 2.

Assignment 2.

"bqasm" package in R

— 'cheese' data set of 'Borden'

— 4 columns,

(a) Retailer

(b) Disp

(c) Volume

(d) Price



$$\text{Volume} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \cdot \text{Price} + \varepsilon$$

Current price = \$2

Alternate price = \$2.37

Unit cost = \$1.8 (5% disc.)

Can not use one model to model whole country. Because there is variance out ↙ location.

Thus build a model,

(i) at city level
* (ii) at company level.

Find the retailers for which after disc profit is increasing.

That is, which one the retailers, providing better profitability.

Find two groups

(i) Profitability going up

(ii) Profitability going down

Also, find



- (a) For given program (5% disc) which retailers profitability increase/decrease?
- (b) What will be the overall profitability for this program

What is profitability?

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Revenue} &= \text{Price} * \text{Vol} \\ \text{Cost} &= \text{Unit cost} * \text{Vol}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Profit} = \text{Revenue} - \text{Cost}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Profitability} &= \text{Profit at normal cost} \\ &\quad - \text{Profit at alternate cost}\end{aligned}$$