

①  $p=1$ ,  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathcal{H} = \{ \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x} : \vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^n \}$  (linear modeling)

$$\Rightarrow h^*(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x, \quad y = h^*(x) + \varepsilon$$

$$g(x) = b_0 + b_1 x$$

error due to  
ignorance and  
misspecification

$$A :: OLS \Rightarrow b_0 = \bar{y} - r \frac{s_y}{s_x} \bar{x}, \quad b_1 = r \frac{s_y}{s_x}$$

$$y = g(x) + e \rightarrow \text{residuals (all 3 errors)}$$

② How well does  $g$  predict?

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - g(x_i))^2$$

interpretable? unit?

y-metric - squared

Not so important.

$$MSE := \frac{1}{n-2} SSE$$

mean  
squared  
error

forget this.

unit? y-metric-squared  
not so  
interpretable.

$$RMSE := \sqrt{MSE}$$

root mean  
squared  
error

units: y, very interpretable

Imagine  $e$  with a realization  
from a normal dist. you can show

95% prediction  
interval

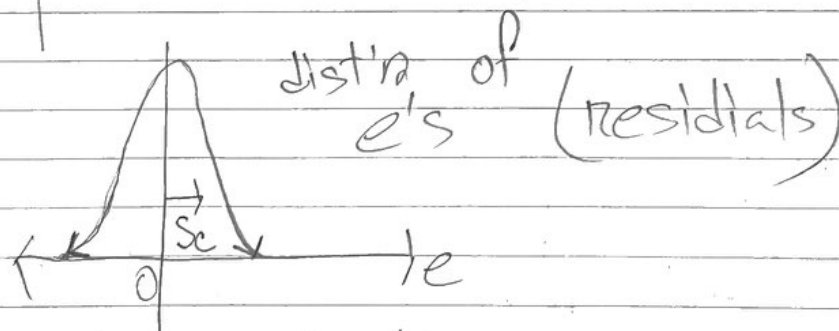
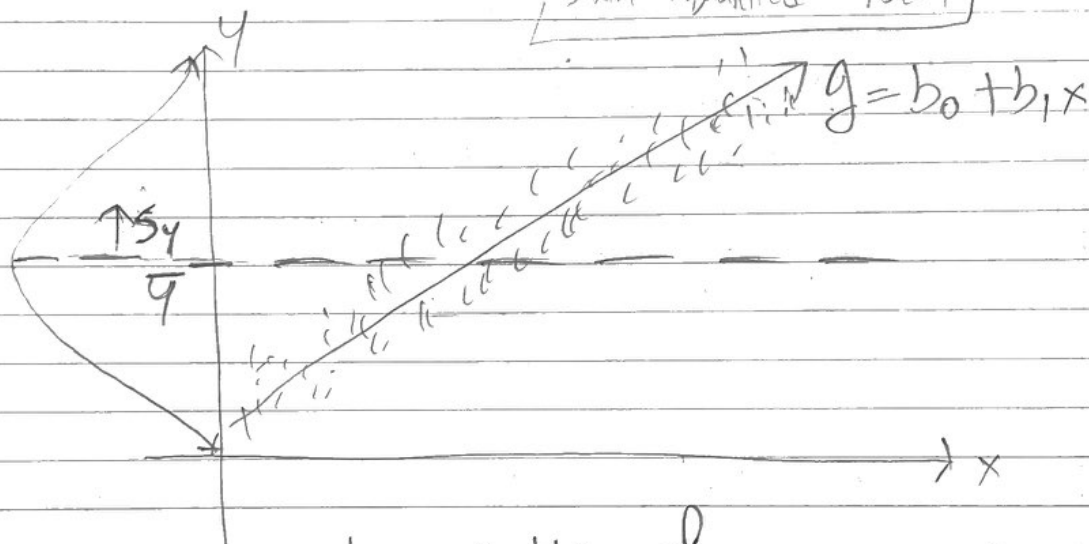
$$[g(x) \pm 2RMSE]$$

How accurate your  
model is.

Consider the null model  $g_0(x) = \bar{y}$

$$SSE_0 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = SST = (n-1) S_y^2$$

Sum Squared Total



$$SSE = \sum e_i^2 = (n-1) s_e^2$$

$$\Delta S^2 = S_y^2 - s_e^2 \quad \text{"reduction in variance", "variance explained"}$$

$$R^2 = \frac{\Delta S^2}{S_y^2} = \frac{S_y^2 - s_e^2}{S_y^2} = 1 - \frac{s_e^2}{S_y^2}$$

$$\frac{\text{Var}[Y] - \text{Var}[E] \text{ (residuals)}}{\text{Var}[Y]} = \frac{(n-1) S_y^2 - (n-1) s_e^2}{(n-1) S_y^2}$$

②  $R^2$  is the "Proportion of Variance explained"

$$= \frac{SST - SSE}{SST} = 1 - \frac{SSE}{SST}$$

③ Can  $R^2 > 1$ ?

$$1 - \frac{SSE}{SST} \leq 1$$

Since  $SSE \geq 0$ ,  $SST \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{SSE}{SST} \geq 0$$

$$R^2 = 1 \Rightarrow SSE = 0 \Rightarrow e_i = 0 \quad \forall i$$

$$\Rightarrow y_i = \hat{y}_i \quad \forall i$$

④ Can  $R^2 = 0$ ?

$$SSE = SST \Rightarrow g = \bar{y}$$

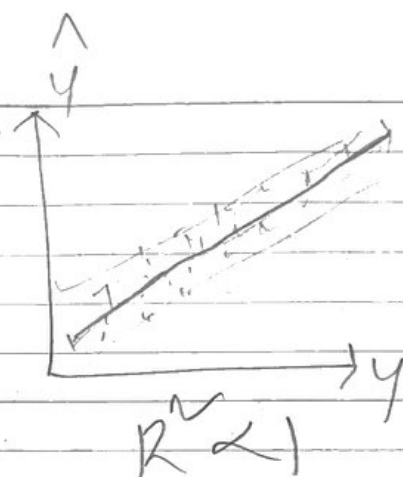
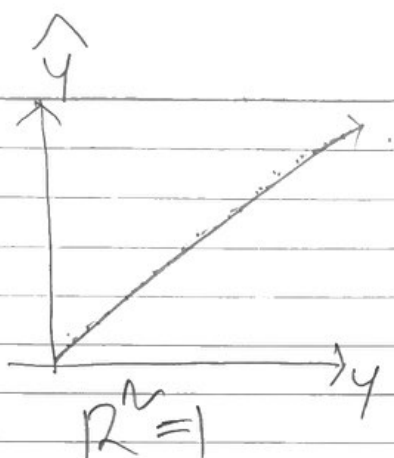
⑤ Can  $R^2 < 0$ ?

$$SSE > SST$$

$\Rightarrow g$  predicts worse than  $g_0 = \bar{y}$

⑥  $R^2 \uparrow \iff RMSE \downarrow$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \uparrow & & \downarrow \\ SSE \downarrow & \iff & MSE \downarrow \end{array}$$



⑧  $R^2$  vs RMSE.

Who is more important?

⑨  $x \in \mathcal{X} = \{\overset{0}{\text{red}}, \overset{1}{\text{green}}\}$   
 $x = \mathbb{1}_{x=\text{green}} \in \{0, 1\}$  ...

$$\mathcal{H} = \{w_0 + w_1 x : w_0, w_1 \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$\hat{y} = g(x) = b_0 + b_1 x$$

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \bar{y}_{\text{red}} & \text{if } x=0 \\ \bar{y}_{\text{green}} & \text{if } x=1 \end{cases}$$

Let's prove  $A: \text{OLS returns this:}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \overset{\textcircled{b_0}}{\bar{y}_{\text{red}}} + (\bar{y}_{\text{green}} - \bar{y}_{\text{red}}) \overset{\textcircled{b_1}}{x} \\ &= 0.7 + 0.2x \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n} = \frac{n_g}{n} = p \rightarrow \text{prob. of green}$$

$$\bar{Y} = \frac{\sum y_i}{n} = \frac{\sum y_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i: \text{green}} y_i + \sum_{i: \text{red}} y_i}{n} = \frac{\sum_{i: x_i=1} y_i}{n} + \frac{\sum_{i: x_i=0} y_i}{n}$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i: x_i=1} y_i}{n} \cdot \frac{n_g}{n_g} + \frac{\sum_{i: x_i=0} y_i}{n} \cdot \frac{(n-n_g)}{(n-n_g)}$$

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$$= p \bar{Y}_{\text{green}} + (1-p) \bar{Y}_{\text{red}}$$

$$b_1 = \frac{\sum x_i y_i - n \bar{X} \bar{Y}}{\sum x_i^2 - n \bar{X}^2}$$

$$= \frac{n_g \bar{Y}_g - n p \bar{Y}}{n_g - n p^2} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{n}}{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$= \frac{p \bar{Y}_g - p \bar{Y}}{p - p^2}$$

$$= \frac{\bar{Y}_g - \bar{Y}}{1-p} = \frac{\bar{Y}_g - p \bar{Y}_g - (1-p) \bar{Y}_{\text{red}}}{1-p}$$

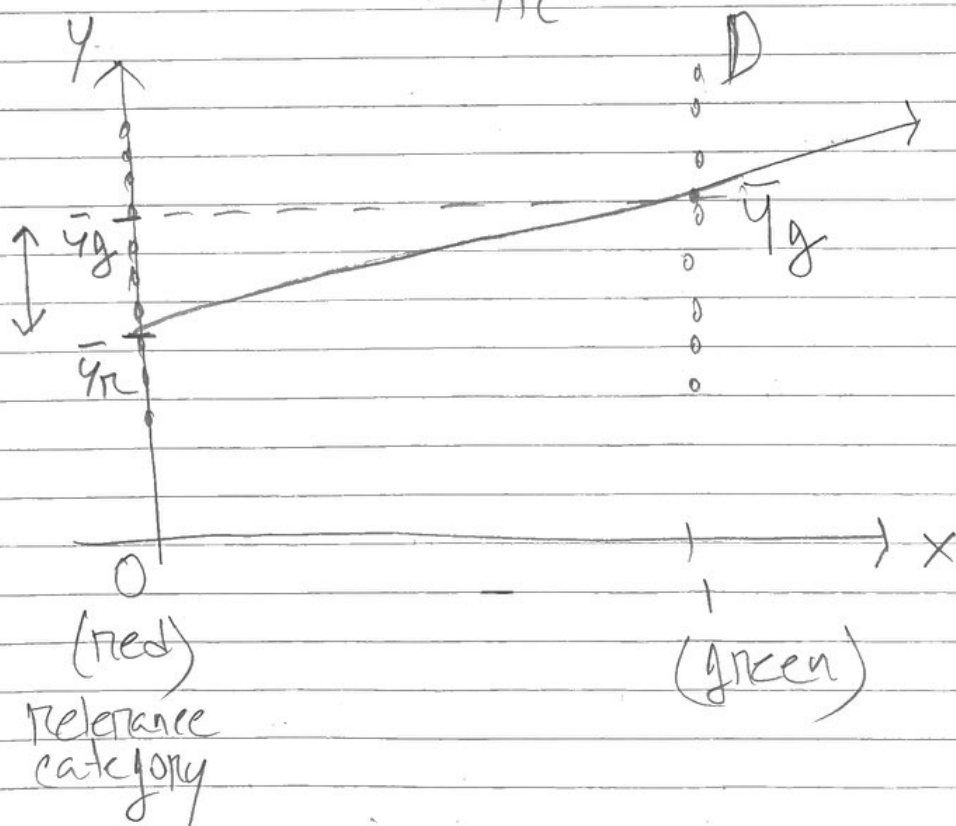
$$= \frac{(1-p)\bar{y}_g - (1-p)\bar{y}_r}{1-p} = \bar{y}_g - \bar{y}_r$$

$$b_0 = \bar{y} - b_1 \bar{x} = (p\bar{y}_g + (1-p)\bar{y}_r) - (\bar{y}_g - \bar{y}_r)p$$

$$= \cancel{p\bar{y}_g} + (1-p)\bar{y}_r - \cancel{p\bar{y}_g} + p\bar{y}_r$$

$$= \bar{y}_r - \cancel{p\bar{y}_r} + \cancel{p\bar{y}_r}$$

$$= \bar{y}_r$$



②  $L=3$  e.g.

$X \in \{\text{red, green, blue}\}$

$X_1 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X = \text{green} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \in \{0, 1\}$

$X_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X = \text{blue} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \in \{0, 1\}$

$\hat{Y} = \underbrace{b_0}_{\bar{y}_r} + \underbrace{b_1}_{(\bar{y}_g - \bar{y}_r)} X_1 + \underbrace{b_2}_{(\bar{y}_b - \bar{y}_r)} X_2$

$\uparrow$       $\textcircled{0.8}$       $\textcircled{0.3}$       $\textcircled{-0.4}$

③  $X \in \{\text{low, medium, high}\}$  ordinal category

$X_1 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X = \text{m} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad X_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } X = \text{H} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$\hat{Y} = \begin{cases} \bar{y}_L & \text{if } X = \text{Low} \\ \bar{y}_M & \text{if } X = \text{Medium} \\ \bar{y}_H & \text{if } X = \text{High} \end{cases}$

④ What if you wish to constrain?

$\hat{Y}(\text{Low}) < \hat{Y}(\text{Med}) < \hat{Y}(\text{high})$ ?

Doesn't OLS give you this?

**NO**

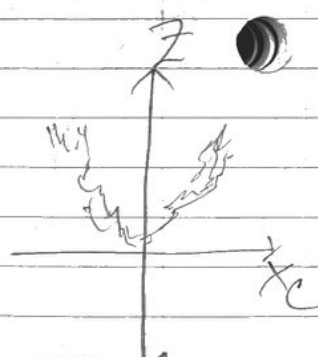
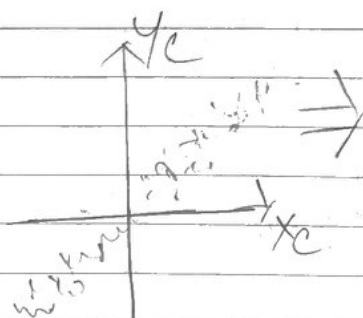
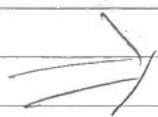
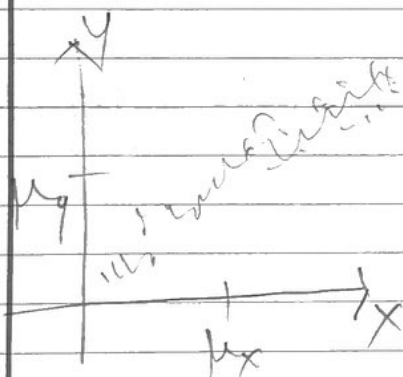


② Consider the r.v's  $X, Y$   
 They are dependent if... ("associated" if...)  
 $\exists x_1, x_2$  s.t.  $P(Y|X=x_1) \neq P(Y|X=x_2)$

$$\rho := \text{Corr}[X, Y] = \frac{\sigma_{xy}}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} \text{ estimated by } r.$$

$$\sigma_{xy} = \text{Cov}[X, Y] = E[(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)]$$

estimated by  $S_{xy}$



$$\text{Let } X_c = X - \mu_x$$

$$Y_c = Y - \mu_y$$

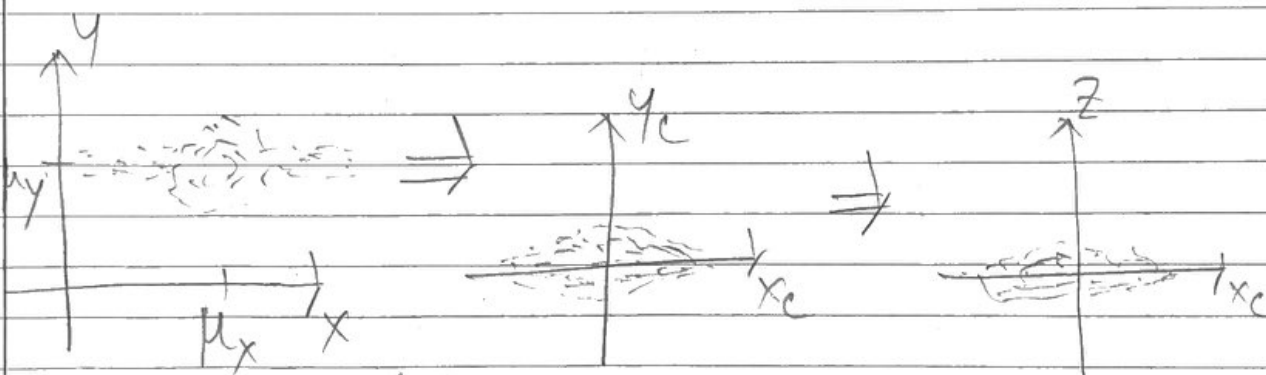
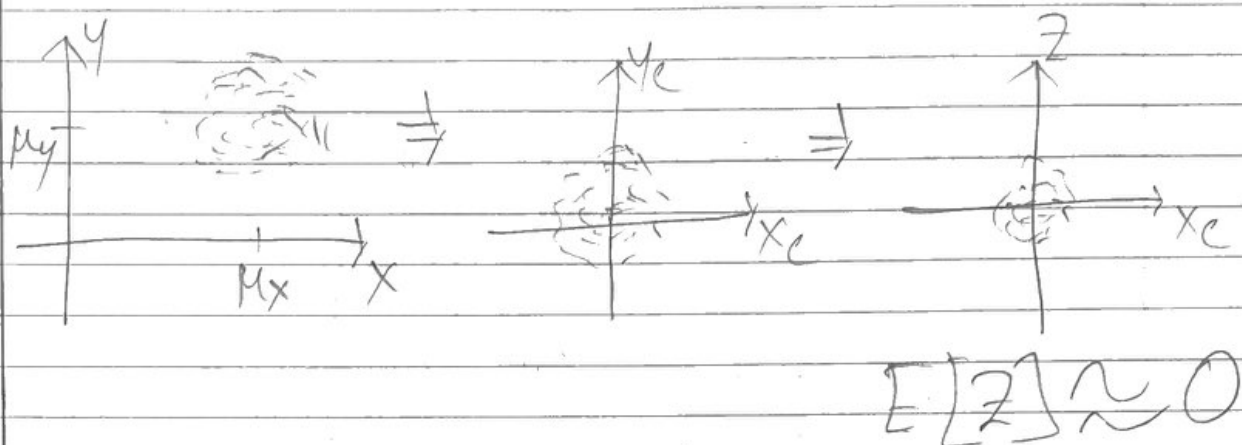
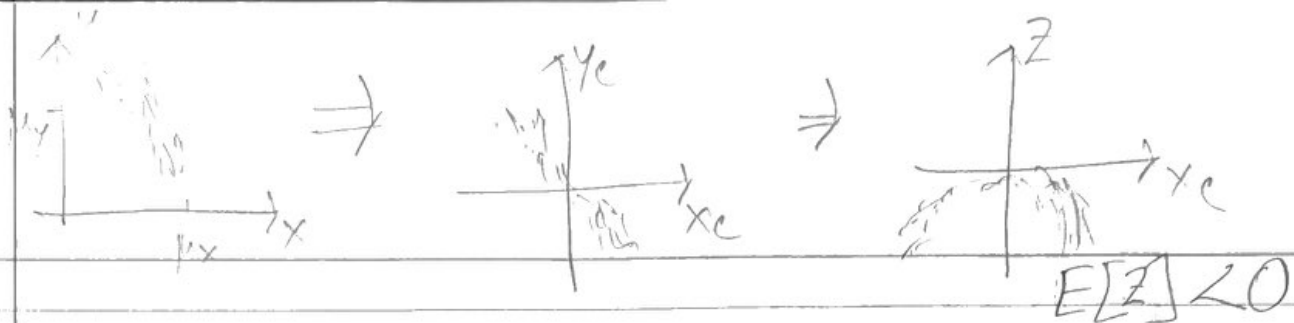
$$E[Z] > 0$$

$$\sigma_{xy} = E[(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)]$$

$$= E[X_c Y_c] = E[Z]$$

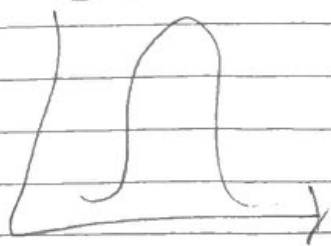
$$Z = X_c Y_c$$



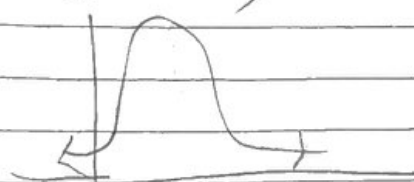


Correlation  $\in$  {association}  $\Rightarrow$  Correlation  $\approx 0$   
 "linear association" but  $x, y$  are dependent or "association"

$$P(y|x=x_1)$$



$$P(y|x=x_2)$$



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