

STA108 Discussion2

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#data are from Problem 1.21 in textbook
X = c(1,0,2,0,3,1,0,1,2,0)
Y = c(16, 9, 17, 12, 22, 13, 8, 15, 19, 11)
n = length(X)
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1. Parameter estimation

Method 1.direct computation using R code

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{X})(y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{X})^2}$$
$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$$
$$mse = s^2 = \frac{1}{n-2} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2$$
$$se(\hat{\beta}_1) = \sqrt{\frac{mse}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{X})^2}}$$
$$se(\hat{\beta}_0) = \sqrt{mse \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{\bar{X}^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{X})^2} \right)}$$

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b1hat = t(X-mean(X))%*(Y-mean(Y))/sum((X-mean(X))^2)
#Note: sum((X-mean(X))^2) is the same as typing t(X-mean(X))%*(X-mean(X))

b0hat = mean(Y) - b1hat*mean(X)

fit.y = b0hat[1] + b1hat[1]*X

mse = 1/(n-2)*sum((Y - fit.y)^2)

se.b1hat = sqrt(mse/sum((X-mean(X))^2))
se.b0hat = sqrt(mse*(1/n+ mean(X)^2/sum((X - mean(X))^2)))
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Method 2. Using R function lm()

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fit = lm(Y~X)
summary(fit)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Y ~ X)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
##    -2.2    -1.2     0.3     0.8     1.8
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
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## (Intercept) 10.2000      0.6633 15.377 3.18e-07 ***
## X           4.0000      0.4690  8.528 2.75e-05 ***
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## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.483 on 8 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9009, Adjusted R-squared:  0.8885
## F-statistic: 72.73 on 1 and 8 DF,  p-value: 2.749e-05
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#coefficients estimated by model:

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coef = fit$coefficients
b0hat = coef[1]
b1hat = coef[2]
MSE = summary(fit)$sigma^2
b0hat
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## (Intercept)
##           10.2
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b1hat
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## X
## 4
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$se(\beta_0)$ and $se(\beta_1)$: The column named “Std. Error” in the output table.

Test statistic for testing hypothesis $H_0 : \beta_1 = \beta_{10}, H_a : \beta_1 \neq \beta_{10}$

Ex. $H_0 : \beta_1 = 1, H_a : \beta_1 \neq 1$

Test statistic:

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - 1}{se(\hat{\beta}_1)}$$

where $\hat{\beta}_1$ is the least square estimate of β_1 , and $se(\hat{\beta}_1)$ is the standard error of the least square estimate.

- Under the null hypothesis H_0 , $t \sim t_{n-2}$. Given α , we compare $t_{1-\alpha/2, n-2}$ with $|t|$ and reject H_0 if $|t| > t_{\alpha/2, n-2}$.
- In the output table produced by R function `lm()` function, the column “t value” contains the test statistic for $H_0 : \beta_i = 0, H_a : \beta_i \neq 0$ ($i = 0(\text{intercept}), 1(\text{slope})$).

(1-alpha) ci for beta

$$\hat{\beta}_k \pm t_{n-2, 1-\alpha/2} \times se(\hat{\beta}_k) \quad (k = 0, 1)$$

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alpha = 0.01
p = 1-alpha/2
lb.b1hat = b0hat - qt(p, df = n - 2)*se.b1hat
ub.b1hat = b0hat + qt(p, df = n - 2)*se.b1hat
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Proof of unbiasedness of least square estimates of regression coefficients.

The regression model is $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_i + \epsilon_i$, where $E(\epsilon_i) = 0$, $\text{Var}(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2$, $i = 1, \dots, n$. The least square estimates can be obtained as

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$$

Show that $E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_1, E(\hat{\beta}_0) = \beta_0$.

Proof:

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})Y_i - \bar{Y} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})Y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(\hat{\beta}_1) &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})E(Y_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(\beta_0 + \beta_1 X_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} \\ &= \frac{\beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X}) + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})X_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} \\ &= \frac{\beta_1 (\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2)}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - 2n\bar{X}^2 + n\bar{X}^2} \\ &\quad (\text{using } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = n\bar{X}) = \frac{\beta_1 (\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2)}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2 - n\bar{X}^2} \\ &= \beta_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}_0) = E(\bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}) = E(\bar{Y}) - \beta_1 \bar{X} = \beta_0$$

Here, we use $E(\hat{\beta}_1) = \beta_1$ when proving the unbiasedness of $\hat{\beta}_0$. And the last equality can be obtained from the model: $E(\bar{Y}) = E(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i) = E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{X} + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{X} + E(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{X}$.