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Topic- CONDITIONAL DISTRIBUTION, PARTIAL AND MULTIPLE CORRELATION

Problem- The estimate of the mean vector μ and the covariance matrix Σ of a 4 variate Normal Distribution based on 36 observations are as follows-

$$\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 2.70 \\ 35.20 \\ 0.20 \\ 6.12 \end{pmatrix} \quad \hat{\Sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} 23.804 & & & \\ 4.170 & 864.774 & & \\ 0.535 & 2.2428 & 0.416 & \\ 5.882 & 31.148 & 1.172 & 11.348 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (i) Find the estimates of the parameters of the conditional distribution of (X_1, X_2) given (X_3, X_4) and that of the conditional distribution of (X_3, X_4) given (X_1, X_2) .
- (ii) Find the sample multiple correlation coefficient of X_1 on (X_2, X_3, X_4) and hence, test the hypothesis $H_0: \rho_{1.234} = 0$ at 5% level.
- (iii) Find the sample correlation coefficient of X_3 and X_4 (eliminating the effects of X_1 and X_2) and test for $H_0: \rho_{34.12} = 0$ at 5% level.

Theory-

(i) We first find the parameters of the conditional distribution of (X_1, X_2) given (X_3, X_4) by means of the following partitioning of μ and $\hat{\Sigma}$

$$\underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \dots \\ X_3 \\ X_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X^{(1)} \\ X^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\underline{\mu}} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\mu}_1 \\ \hat{\mu}_2 \\ \dots \\ \hat{\mu}_3 \\ \hat{\mu}_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mu^{(1)} \\ \mu^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\Sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\sigma}_{11} & \hat{\sigma}_{12} & \vdots & \hat{\sigma}_{13} & \hat{\sigma}_{14} \\ \hat{\sigma}_{21} & \hat{\sigma}_{22} & \vdots & \hat{\sigma}_{23} & \hat{\sigma}_{24} \\ \dots & \dots & \vdots & \dots & \dots \\ \hat{\sigma}_{31} & \hat{\sigma}_{32} & \vdots & \hat{\sigma}_{33} & \hat{\sigma}_{34} \\ \hat{\sigma}_{41} & \hat{\sigma}_{42} & \vdots & \hat{\sigma}_{43} & \hat{\sigma}_{44} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\Sigma}_{11} & \hat{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \hat{\Sigma}_{21} & \hat{\Sigma}_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

The estimates of the parameter of the conditional distribution of (X_1, X_2) given (X_3, X_4) are given by -

$$\hat{\underline{\mu}} = \mu^{(1)} + \hat{\beta}_1(x^{(2)} - \mu^{(2)})$$

$$\text{Where, } \hat{\beta}_1 = \hat{\Sigma}_{12} \hat{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \quad \hat{\Sigma}_{11.2} = \hat{\Sigma}_{11} - \hat{\Sigma}_{12} \hat{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \hat{\Sigma}_{21}$$

The parameter of the conditional distribution of (X_3, X_4) given (X_1, X_2) then we found by means of the following partitioned vector is as follows:-

$$\underline{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \dots \\ X_3 \\ X_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X^{(1)} \\ X^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\underline{\mu}} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\mu}_3 \\ \hat{\mu}_4 \\ \dots \\ \hat{\mu}_1 \\ \hat{\mu}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mu^{(1)} \\ \mu^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\widehat{\Sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\sigma}_{33} & \widehat{\sigma}_{34} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{31} & \widehat{\sigma}_{32} \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{43} & \widehat{\sigma}_{44} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{41} & \widehat{\sigma}_{42} \\ \dots & \dots & \vdots & \dots & \dots \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{13} & \widehat{\sigma}_{14} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{11} & \widehat{\sigma}_{12} \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{23} & \widehat{\sigma}_{24} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{21} & \widehat{\sigma}_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\Sigma}_{11} & \widehat{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \widehat{\Sigma}_{21} & \widehat{\Sigma}_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

The estimates of the parameter of the conditional distribution of (X_3, X_4) given (X_1, X_2) are given by-

$$\hat{\mu}_{34.12} = \mu^{(1)} + \hat{\beta}_1 (x^{(2)} - \mu_{\tilde{x}}^{(2)})$$

$$\text{Where, } \hat{\beta}_1 = \widehat{\Sigma}_{12} \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1}_{22}$$

$$\widehat{\Sigma}_{22.1} = \widehat{\Sigma}_{22} - \widehat{\Sigma}_{21} \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1}_{11} \widehat{\Sigma}_{12}$$

(ii) Here, we first partitioned \tilde{X} , $\hat{\mu}_{\tilde{x}}$ and $\widehat{\Sigma}$ as follows: -

$$\tilde{X} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \dots \\ X_3 \\ X_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X^{(1)} \\ X^{(2)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\mu}_{\tilde{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\mu}_1 \\ \hat{\mu}_2 \\ \dots \\ \hat{\mu}_3 \\ \hat{\mu}_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1^{(1)} \\ \mu_2^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\widehat{\Sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\sigma}_{11} & \widehat{\sigma}_{12} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{13} & \widehat{\sigma}_{14} \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{21} & \widehat{\sigma}_{22} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{23} & \widehat{\sigma}_{24} \\ \dots & \dots & \vdots & \dots & \dots \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{31} & \widehat{\sigma}_{32} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{33} & \widehat{\sigma}_{34} \\ \widehat{\sigma}_{41} & \widehat{\sigma}_{42} & \vdots & \widehat{\sigma}_{43} & \widehat{\sigma}_{44} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\Sigma}_{11} & \widehat{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \widehat{\Sigma}_{21} & \widehat{\Sigma}_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

The multiple correlation coefficient between X_1 on (X_2, X_3, X_4) denoted by $R_{1.234}$ is given by-

$$R^2_{1.234} = \frac{\widehat{\Sigma}_{12} \widehat{\Sigma}^{-1}_{22} \widehat{\Sigma}_{21}}{\widehat{\Sigma}_{11}}$$

To test the hypothesis $H_0: \rho_{1.234} = 0$ (X_1 is independent of (X_2, X_3, X_4)). We use the following to test the statistics under H_0

$$\frac{R^2_{1.234}}{1 - R^2_{1.234}} \times \left(\frac{n-p-1}{p} \right) \sim F(p, n-p-1)$$

Where, 'n' is the number of observations.

The calculated value is compared with the tabulated value and conclusions are done accordingly.

$$(iii) \text{ Let, } \hat{\Sigma}_{22.1} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ a_2 & a_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } r_{11.2} &= \frac{cov(X_{3.12}, X_{4.12})}{\sqrt{var(X_{3.12})var(X_{4.12})}} \\ &= \frac{a_2}{\sqrt{a_1 \times a_3}} \end{aligned}$$

Test the null hypothesis $H_0: \rho_{1.234} = 0$, then test statistic under H_0 is

$$Z = \frac{Z - \xi}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-3}}} \sim N(0,1)$$

$$\text{Where, } Z = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{1+r_{34.12}}{1-r_{34.12}} \right)$$

$$\xi = \frac{1}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{1+r_{34.12}}{1-r_{34.12}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log_e 1 = 0$$

We compare this value with the tabulated value of Z at 5% level and draw the conclusions accordingly.

Calculation-

The R-Programming for obtaining the solution.

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s=array(c(23.804,4.170,0.535,5.882,4.170,864.774,2.2428,31.148,0.535,2.2428,0.416,1.172,5.882,31.148,1.172,11.348),dim=c(4,4))
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s
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s11=array(c(23.804,4.170,4.170,864.774),dim=c(2,2))
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s11
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s12=array(c(0.535,2.2428,5.882,31.148),dim=c(2,2))
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s12
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s21=t(s12)
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s21
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s22=array(c(0.416,1.172,1.172,11.348),dim=c(2,2))
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B1=s12%%solve(s22)
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B1
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s11_2=s11-(B1%%s21)
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s11_2
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B2=s21%%solve(s11)
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B2
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s22_1=s22-(B2%%s12)
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s22_1
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a1=s22_1[1,1]
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a1
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a2=s22_1[1,2]
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a2
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a3=s22_1[2,2]
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a3

r34_12=a2/sqrt(a1*a3)

r34_12

z=1/2*log((1+r34_12)/(1-r34_12))

z

n=36

p=4

Z=z/sqrt(1/(n-3))

Z

Z_tab=1.96

w11=23.804

w12=array(c(4.170,0.535,5.882),dim=c(1,3))

w12

w21=t(w12)

w21

w22=array(c(864.774,2.2428,31.148,2.2428,0.416,1.172,31.148,1.172,11.348),dim=c(3,3))

w22

R1_234=sqrt((w12%%solve(w22)%%w21)/w11)

R1_234

t=(R1_234^2/(1-(R1_234^2)))*((n-p-1)/p)

t

t_tab=qf(0.95,4,31,0)

t_tab

Result and calculations-

(i) The estimates of the parameters of the conditional distribution of (X_1, X_2) given (X_3, X_4) is

$$\hat{\mu}_{12..34} = \begin{pmatrix} 2.70 \\ 35.20 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -0.2457361 & 0.5437084 \\ -3.3025258 & 3.0858795 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_3 - 0.20 \\ x_4 - 6.12 \end{pmatrix}$$

The estimates of the parameters of the conditional distribution of (X_3, X_4) given (X_1, X_2) is

$$\hat{\mu}_{34.12} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.20 \\ 6.12 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0.0220395 & 0.002487234 \\ 0.2409951 & 0.034856564 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - 2.70 \\ x_2 - 6.12 \end{pmatrix}$$

(ii) The multiple correlation coefficient of X_1 on (X_2, X_3, X_4) denoted by $R_{1.234}$ is given by

$$R_{1.234} = 0.3700054$$

Since, the calculated value is $<$ the tabulated value of $F = 2.678667$ at 5% loss, so we accept the null hypothesis and conclude that X_1 is independent of (X_2, X_3, X_4) .

(iii) The partial correlation coefficient between X_3 and X_4 (after eliminating the joint effect of X_1 and X_2 from each of them) is $r_{34.12} = 0.5138664$

Since, the calculated value of $Z = 3.262736 >$ the tabulated value, therefore we reject our null hypothesis H_0 and conclude that there exist partial correlation coefficient between X_3 and X_4 .