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use "C:\Users\yadto\Dropbox\USC\ECON513\HW4\Card-Krueger.dta", clear
 3
     quietly:{
     noisily: display n, n, "-----"question a -----"
     // generate delta y
     gen deltay = EMPL1 -EMPL0
7
8
     //generate clusters by chains
9
     gen bk = 0
10
     replace bk = 1 if CHAIN == 1
11
     gen kfc = 0
12
     replace kfc = 1 if CHAIN == 2
13
     gen roy = 0
     replace roy = 1 if CHAIN == 3
14
15
     gen wend = 0
     replace wend = 1 if CHAIN ==4
16
17
18
19
20
     // reg changeiny d bk kfc roy wend no intercept
     noisily: reg deltay STATE bk kfc roy wend, nocon
21
22
     noisily: display "coefficient of STATE is what we are interested "
     noisily: display "compared to result in lecture 11, p9, beta is slightly bigger in
23
     conditional '
24
     noisily: display " --> dif-in-dif, and standard error seems to be no change."
25
26
     //store the variance of coefficients
27
     mat variance = get(VCE)
28
     scalar varstate = variance[1,1]
29
     scalar varbk = variance[2,2]
30
     scalar varkfc = variance[3,3]
31
     scalar varroy = variance[4,4]
     scalar varwend = variance[5,5]
     scalar sestate = sqrt(varstate)
33
34
     scalar sebk = sqrt(varbk)
35
     scalar sekfc = sqrt(varkfc)
36
     scalar seroy = sqrt(varroy)
37
     scalar sewend = sqrt(varwend)
38
39
     noisily: display n, n, "-------question b------
40
41
     //store the residuals
42
     predict e, r
43
44
     //construct matrix Z, indicator dtc, t time, c chain
45
     gen d01 = 0
46
     gen d02 = 0
47
     gen d03 = 0
48
     gen d04 = 0
49
     gen d11 = 0
50
     gen d12 = 0
51
     gen d13 = 0
52
     gen d14 = 0
53
     replace d01 = 1 if STATE == 0 & bk == 1
54
     replace d02 = 1 if STATE == 0 & kfc == 1
55
     replace d03 = 1 if STATE == 0 & roy == 1
     replace d04 = 1 if STATE == 0 & wend == 1
56
57
     replace d11 = 1 if STATE == 1 & bk == 1
58
     replace d12 = 1 if STATE == 1 & kfc == 1
59
     replace d13 = 1 if STATE == 1 & roy == 1
60
     replace d14 = 1 if STATE == 1 & wend == 1
     mkmat d01 d02 d03 d04 d11 d12 d13 d14, mat(z) //this is matirx z
61
62
     mkmat e, mat(e) // this is vector e
63
64
     //number of observations in each cluster
65
     forval i = 1/4 {
66
     qui sum d0`i'
     qui gen n0`i' = r(sum)
67
     qui sum d1`i'
68
     qui gen n1`i' = r(sum)
69
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70
 71
      noisily: sum n01 n02 n03 n04 n11 n12 n13 n14
 72
 73
      // solve the etilde, sigma^2 tilde, thus rho
 74
      mata:
 75
      z = st matrix("z")
 76
      e = st matrix("e")
      z2inv = invsym(z'*z)
 77
 78
      I = I(391)
 79
      etilde = (I-z*z2inv*z')*e
 80
      variance = (etilde'*etilde)/(391-8-1)
 81
      st matrix("var", variance)
 82
 83
 84
      scalar vartilde = var[1,1]
 85
      display vartilde //this is vartilde
 86
 87
      sum e
 88
      scalar sdbar = r(sd)
 89
      scalar varbar = sdbar^2
 90
      display varbar //this is varhat
 91
 92
      //it appears that varbar is smaller than vartilde, which is weird, I take the
 93
      // --> absolute value of their difference
 94
 95
      scalar rhohat = (vartilde - varbar) / varbar
 96
      noisily: display "within cluster correlation:", rhohat //this is within cluster correlation
 97
      scalar varcluster = rhohat * varbar
      noisily: display "variance of eta:", varcluster //this is variance of eta
 98
      scalar varindio = (1-rhohat) *varbar
 99
100
      noisily: display "variance of epsilon:", varindio //this is varince of epsilon
101
      noisily: display n, n, "------question c-----"
102
103
104
      // correction factor
105
      scalar L = 391/8
106
      scalar correct = L*rhohat + (1-rhohat)
107
      noisily: display "correction factor:", correct //this is correction factor
108
109
      //corrected standard errors
110
      scalar correctvarstate = correct*varstate
      scalar correctsestate = sqrt(correctvarstate)
111
112
      noisily: display "corrected standard error of state:", correctsestate //this is corrected
      OLS standard error of STATE
113
      scalar correctvarbk = correct*varbk
114
      scalar correctsebk = sqrt(correctvarbk)
115
      noisily: display "corrected standard error of bk:", correctsebk //this is corrected OLS
      standard error of bk
116
      scalar correctvarkfc = correct*varkfc
117
      scalar correctsekfc = sqrt(correctvarkfc)
118
      noisily: display "corrected standard error of kfc:", correctsekfc //this is corrected OLS
      standard error of STATE
119
      scalar correctvarroy = correct*varroy
120
      scalar correctseroy = sqrt(correctvarroy)
121
      noisily: display "corrected standard error of roy:", correctseroy //this is corrected OLS
      standard error of STATE
122
      scalar correctvarwend = correct*varwend
123
      scalar correctsewend = sqrt(correctvarwend)
124
      noisily: display "corrected standard error of wend:", correctsewend //this is corrected OLS
      standard error of STATE
125
126
      noisily: display _n, n, "------question d------"
127
128
129
      gen group = 0
      replace group = 1 if STATE == 0 & bk == 1
130
      replace group = 2 if STATE == 0 & kfc == 1
131
      replace group = 3 if STATE == 0 & roy == 1
132
133
      replace group = 4 if STATE == 0 & wend == 1
134
      replace group = 5 if STATE == 1 & bk == 1
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replace group = 6 if STATE == 1 & kfc == 1
135
      replace group = 7 if STATE == 1 & roy == 1
136
137
      replace group = 8 if STATE == 1 & wend == 1
138
      sort group
139
     by group: gen counter = n
140
      mkmat STATE bk kfc roy wend if counter ==1, mat(X)
      mat list X //this is matrix X
141
142
    mat X1 = (0 \setminus 1 \setminus 0 \setminus 0 \setminus 0)
143
    mat X2 = (0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0)
144 mat X3 = (0 \setminus 0 \setminus 1 \setminus 0)
145 mat X4 = (0 \setminus 0 \setminus 0 \setminus 1)
146 mat X5 = (1 \setminus 1 \setminus 0 \setminus 0 \setminus 0)
147 mat X6 = (1 \setminus 0 \setminus 1 \setminus 0 \setminus 0)
148 mat X7 = (1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0)
149 mat X8 = (1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)
150
    scalar n1 = n01
151 scalar n2 = n02
152
    scalar n3 = n03
153
    scalar n4 = n04
154
    scalar n5 = n11
155
    scalar n6 = n12
156
    scalar n7 = n13
157
     scalar n8 = n14
158
159
     mat sumM = J(5,5,.)
    mat sumN = J(5,5,.)
160
      forval i =1/8{
161
      mat M`i' = n`i'*X`i'*X`i''
162
      scalar n`i'sq = n`i'^2
163
164
      mat N`i' = n`i'sq*(varcluster + varindio/n`i')*X`i'*X`i''
165
166
167
      mat sumM = M1+M2+M3+M4+M5+M6+M7+M8
168
      mat sumN = N1+N2+N3+N4+N5+N6+N7+N8
169
      mat sumMinv = inv(sumM)
170
      mat varbeta = sumMinv*sumN*sumMinv
171
    scalar varbetastate = varbeta[1,1]
172
     scalar varbetabk = varbeta[2,2]
173
    scalar varbetakfc = varbeta[3,3]
174
    scalar varbetaroy = varbeta[4,4]
175
     scalar varbetawend = varbeta[5,5]
176
    scalar sebetastate = sqrt (varbetastate)
177
     scalar sebetabk = sqrt(varbetabk)
178
      scalar sebetakfc = sqrt(varbetakfc)
179
      scalar sebetaroy = sqrt (varbetaroy)
180
      scalar sebetawend = sqrt(varbetawend)
181
182
      noisily: display n, "
                                                         bk
                                                state
                                                                kfc roy wend"
      noisily: display "(OLS)
                                             ", sestate, sebk, sekfc, seroy, sewend
183
                                             ", sebetastate, sebetabk, sebetakfc, sebetaroy,
184
      noisily: display "(Correct)
      sebetawend
185
      noisily: display "(Correction factor)", correctsestate, correctsebk, correctsekfc,
      correctseroy, correctsewend
186
187
188
189
      noisily: display n, n, "-------question e ------
190
      gen sbk = STATE*bk
191
      gen skfc = STATE*kfc
192
      gen sroy = STATE*roy
193
      gen swend = STATE*wend
194
      noisily: req deltay STATE bk kfc roy wend sbk skfc sroy swend, nocon
195
      noisily: display " we cannot do clustered standard errors since ols residual e has
      properties:"
196
      noisily: display " --> e*s*c has expectation of 0, where d is state, c is chain, "
197
      noisily: display " --> so ols estimator of variance of cluster specific error is also 0."
198
199
200
      noisily: display n, n, "------question f ------"
201
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noisily: reg deltay STATE bk kfc roy wend, nocon vce(boot)
noisily: display "the standard error grows bigger compared to a"

204
205 }
206
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