

Advanced Methods Homework I

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1 Inference and estimation in linear models

1. (a) $Y_i \sim N(\xi + \mu, \tau^2 + \sigma^2)$ according to the additivity of normal distribution

$$(b) E[Y_i Y_j] = E[U^2 + U z_i + U z_j + z_i z_j] \\ = \xi^2 + \tau^2 + \xi \mu + \mu \xi + \mu^2.$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{cov}(Y_i, Y_j) = E[Y_i Y_j] - E[Y_i] E[Y_j] \\ = \xi^2 + \tau^2 + \mu^2 + 2\xi\mu - \xi^2 - \mu^2 - 2\xi\mu \\ = \tau^2$$

$$(c) \vec{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} U \\ z_1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{pmatrix} = [J_n \ I_n] \begin{pmatrix} U \\ z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{where } \begin{pmatrix} U \\ z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{pmatrix} \sim N\left[\begin{pmatrix} \xi \\ \mu \\ \vdots \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \tau^2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma^2 & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix}\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{Y} \sim N\left([J_n \ I_n] \begin{pmatrix} \xi \\ \mu \\ \vdots \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}, [J_n \ I_n] \begin{pmatrix} \tau^2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma^2 & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} J_n' \\ I_n \end{pmatrix}\right) \\ = N\left[\begin{pmatrix} \xi + \mu \\ \xi + \mu \\ \vdots \\ \xi + \mu \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & & \tau^2 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix}\right]$$

$$(d) \quad E[\bar{Y}] = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n EY_i = \xi + \mu = E[Y_1]$$

so \bar{Y} is a unbiased estimator for $E[Y_1]$

$$(e) \quad (n-1)S^2 = \cancel{\vec{Y}}' (\vec{Y} - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n'\vec{Y})' (\vec{Y} - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n'\vec{Y}) \\ = \vec{Y}' [I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n'] \vec{Y}$$

where $I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n'$ is a projection matrix

$$(f) \quad I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n' = \begin{pmatrix} 1-\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & \dots & -\frac{1}{n} \\ -\frac{1}{n} & 1-\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & \dots & -\frac{1}{n} \\ -\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & 1-\frac{1}{n} & \dots & -\frac{1}{n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & -\frac{1}{n} & \dots & 1-\frac{1}{n} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } (I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n') \cdot \text{var}[\vec{Y}] \\ = \begin{pmatrix} (1-\frac{1}{n})\sigma^2 & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & \dots & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 \\ -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & (1-\frac{1}{n})\sigma^2 & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & \dots & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & -\frac{1}{n}\sigma^2 & \dots & (1-\frac{1}{n})\sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} = \sigma^2 [I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n']$$

$$\text{So } \frac{n-1}{\sigma^2} S^2 = \vec{Y}' P_{\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}} \vec{Y} \quad \text{where } P_{\frac{n-1}{\sigma^2}} \text{ is idempotent of rank } n-1$$

$$\text{therefore } \frac{n-1}{\sigma^2} S^2 \sim \chi^2 \left(n-1, \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} E(\vec{Y})' [I - J_n(J_n'J_n)^{-1}J_n'] E(\vec{Y}) \right) \\ = \chi^2(n-1)$$

$$S^2 \sim \frac{\sigma^2}{n-1} \chi^2(n-1)$$

$$(g) \quad E S^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n-1} E \chi^2(n-1) = \sigma^2 \neq \cancel{\sigma^2} \sigma^2 + \tau^2 = \text{var}[Y_1]$$

(h) $V = \text{var}(\vec{Y})$ then $V = \begin{pmatrix} \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} = \tau^2 (J_n J_n') + \sigma^2 I_n$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(V) &= \det \begin{pmatrix} n\tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{plus row } 2, 3, \dots, n \text{ to row } 1) \\ &= \cancel{n\tau^2 + \sigma^2} (n\tau^2 + \sigma^2) \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \tau^2 & \tau^2 & \dots & \tau^2 & \tau^2 + \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= (n\tau^2 + \sigma^2) \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 0 & \sigma^2 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \sigma^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{row } 2, 3, \dots, n \text{ subtract } \tau^2 \text{ times row } 1) \\ &= (\sigma^2)^{n-1} (n\tau^2 + \sigma^2) = n\tau^2 \sigma^{2n-2} + \sigma^{2n}. \end{aligned}$$

$$V^{-1} = \left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} I_n - \frac{\tau^2}{\sigma^2(n\tau^2 + \sigma^2)} J_n J_n' \right)$$

(where we find that $(\frac{1}{\sigma^2} I_n - \frac{\tau^2}{\sigma^2(n\tau^2 + \sigma^2)} J_n J_n') \cdot (\tau^2 J_n J_n' + \sigma^2 I_n)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= I_n - \frac{\tau^2}{n\tau^2 + \sigma^2} J_n J_n' + \frac{\tau^2}{\sigma^2} J_n J_n' - \frac{n\tau^4}{\sigma^2(n\tau^2 + \sigma^2)} J_n J_n' \\ &= I_n \end{aligned}$$

2. (a) Within every group, S_i is unbiased estimator of σ^2

So $E[S_p^2] = \frac{1}{J_1 + J_2 - 2} [(J_1 - 1)\sigma^2 + (J_2 - 1)\sigma^2] = \sigma^2$, So S_p^2 unbiased.

also for here found $\vec{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} J_{J_1} & 0 \\ 0 & J_{J_2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix} + \vec{\epsilon} = X \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix} + \vec{\epsilon}$

We find out in last homework that $S_p^2 = \frac{1}{n-2} (\vec{Y} - X\hat{\beta})' (\vec{Y} - X\hat{\beta})$ where $n = J_1 + J_2$

therefore it is independent with $\hat{\beta}$

We then have that :

$$\frac{(1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\mu}_1 \\ \hat{\mu}_2 \end{pmatrix} - (1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{S_p^2} \sqrt{(1, -1)(X'X)^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}}} \sim t_{n-2} = t_{J_1+J_2-2}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(\hat{\mu}_1 - \hat{\mu}_2) - (\mu_1 - \mu_2)}{S_p \sqrt{\frac{J_1+J_2}{J_1 J_2}}} \sim t_{J_1+J_2-2}.$$

\Rightarrow a $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval for $\mu_1 - \mu_2$ is

$$(\hat{\mu}_1 - \hat{\mu}_2) \pm t_{J_1+J_2-2, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot S_p \sqrt{\frac{J_1+J_2}{J_1 J_2}},$$

$$\text{Where } \hat{\mu}_1 = \frac{1}{J_1} \sum_{j=1}^{J_1} Y_{1j} \quad \hat{\mu}_2 = \frac{1}{J_2} \sum_{j=1}^{J_2} Y_{2j}$$

To test $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$, compute $T = \hat{\mu}_1 - \hat{\mu}_2$

$$\text{if } |t| > t_{J_1+J_2-2, 1-\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot S_p \sqrt{\frac{J_1+J_2}{J_1 J_2}}$$

then reject the null hypothesis.

this test is of level α .

(b) Here
$$\vec{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} J_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & J_2 & & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & J_I \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_I \end{pmatrix} + \vec{\epsilon}$$
$$= \sum \vec{\mu} + \vec{\epsilon}$$

To test $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_I$.

it's equivalent to test

~~$$(\vec{I} - \vec{J}(\vec{J}'\vec{J})^{-1}\vec{J}')\vec{\mu} = \vec{0}$$~~

$\Leftrightarrow K\vec{\mu} = \vec{0}$ set $K = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= (\vec{J}_{I-1}, -\vec{J}_{I-1})$

We have that

$$\frac{(\vec{K}\hat{\vec{\mu}})' \{ \vec{K}(\vec{X}'\vec{X})^{-1}\vec{K}' \}^{-1} (\vec{K}\hat{\vec{\mu}})}{(\vec{I}-\vec{I}) \cdot \frac{(\vec{Y}-\vec{X}\hat{\vec{\mu}})'(\vec{Y}-\vec{X}\hat{\vec{\mu}})}{n-I}} \sim F_{I-1, n-I}(\lambda)$$

where $n = J_1 + J_2 + \dots + J_I$

$$\lambda = \frac{(\vec{K}\hat{\vec{\mu}})' \{ \vec{K}(\vec{X}'\vec{X})^{-1}\vec{K}' \}^{-1} \vec{K}\hat{\vec{\mu}}}{2\sigma^2}$$

Where H_0 holds $\lambda = 0$, and compute the left side out we get.

$$\frac{(\vec{Y}-\vec{X}\hat{\vec{\mu}})'(\vec{Y}-\vec{X}\hat{\vec{\mu}})}{n-I} = \frac{1}{n-I} \sum_{i=1}^I (J_i - 1) S_i^2 \triangleq S_{within}^2$$

Where S_i^2 is the standard variance estimate within group i

And $\vec{K}(\vec{X}'\vec{X})^{-1}\vec{K}' = \begin{pmatrix} J_2^{-1} & & 0 \\ & J_3^{-1} & \\ 0 & & \ddots & \\ & & & J_I^{-1} \end{pmatrix} + J_1^{-1} \underbrace{\vec{J}_{I-1}' \vec{J}_{I-1}}_{= (1, 1, \dots, 1)}$ where $\vec{J}_{I-1}' = (1, 1, \dots, 1)$

then $\{ \vec{K}(\vec{X}'\vec{X})^{-1}\vec{K}' \}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} J_2 & & 0 \\ & J_3 & \\ 0 & & \ddots & \\ & & & J_I \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{n} \begin{pmatrix} J_2 \\ J_3 \\ \vdots \\ J_I \end{pmatrix} (J_2, J_3, \dots, J_I)$

verify the the sample mean of all samples $\bar{\mu} = \frac{1}{n} \sum J_i \hat{\mu}_i$

After simplification we have that:

$$\frac{(K \hat{\mu})' \{K (X'X)^{-1} K'\}^{-1} (K \hat{\mu})}{I-1} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^I J_i (\hat{\mu}_i - \bar{\mu})^2}{I-1} \triangleq S_{\text{between}}^2$$

Then we are testing the statistics $\frac{S_{\text{between}}^2}{S_{\text{within}}^2}$ which is the ratio of variation between and within groups.

$$\begin{aligned} 3: \hat{\beta}_1 &= \frac{n \sum X_i Y_i - \sum X_i \sum Y_i}{n \sum X_i^2 - (\sum X_i)^2} \\ &= \frac{\sum X_i Y_i / n - \frac{\sum X_i}{n} \cdot \frac{\sum Y_i}{n}}{\frac{\sum X_i^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$Y_i \sim N(\beta_0 + \beta_1 X_i, \sigma^2)$
and Y_i are independent.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) &= \left(\frac{\sum X_i^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right)^2 \right)^{-2} \cdot \frac{\sum X_i^2 \cdot \sigma^2}{n^2} - \left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{\sigma^2}{n} \\ &= \left[\frac{\sum X_i^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum X_i}{n}\right)^2 \right]^{-1} \frac{\sigma^2}{n} = [\text{var}(X) \cdot \frac{n-1}{n}]^{-1} \frac{\sigma^2}{n} = \frac{\sigma^2}{n-1} \cdot [\text{var}(X)]^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

So when $\text{var}(X)$ reaches its maximum, $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1)$ reaches its minimum.

If $\{X_i\}$ is from a large range, i.e. $X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}$ is large.

and n , the number of X_i is large, the $\text{var}(X)$ tend to be large then we can get lower variance estimate

when $X_{(n)} - X_{(1)}$ and n are given, if X_i concentrate on the two side $X_{(1)}, X_{(n)}$ then we get the lowest variance estimate.

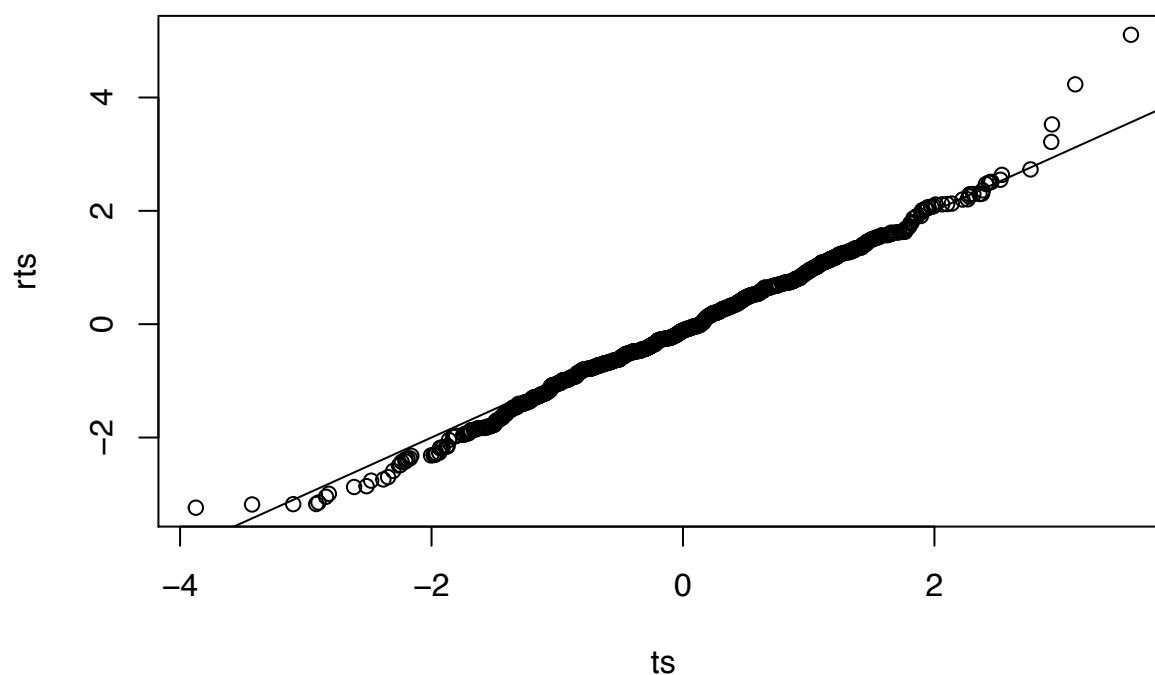
Coding and data analysis exercises

1.

```
samples = rnorm(1000*20, 5, sqrt(2))
samples = matrix(samples,1000,20)
ms = apply(samples, 1, mean)
stds = sqrt(apply(samples, 1, var))
ts = sqrt(19) * (ms - 5) / stds

rts = rt(1000, 19)

qqplot(ts, rts)
abline(0,1)
```



As shown in the graph, the quantiles agree well, since every t statistics is computed from 20 i.i.d normal samples, it will follow a t distribution with 19 df. So the quantiles will agree.

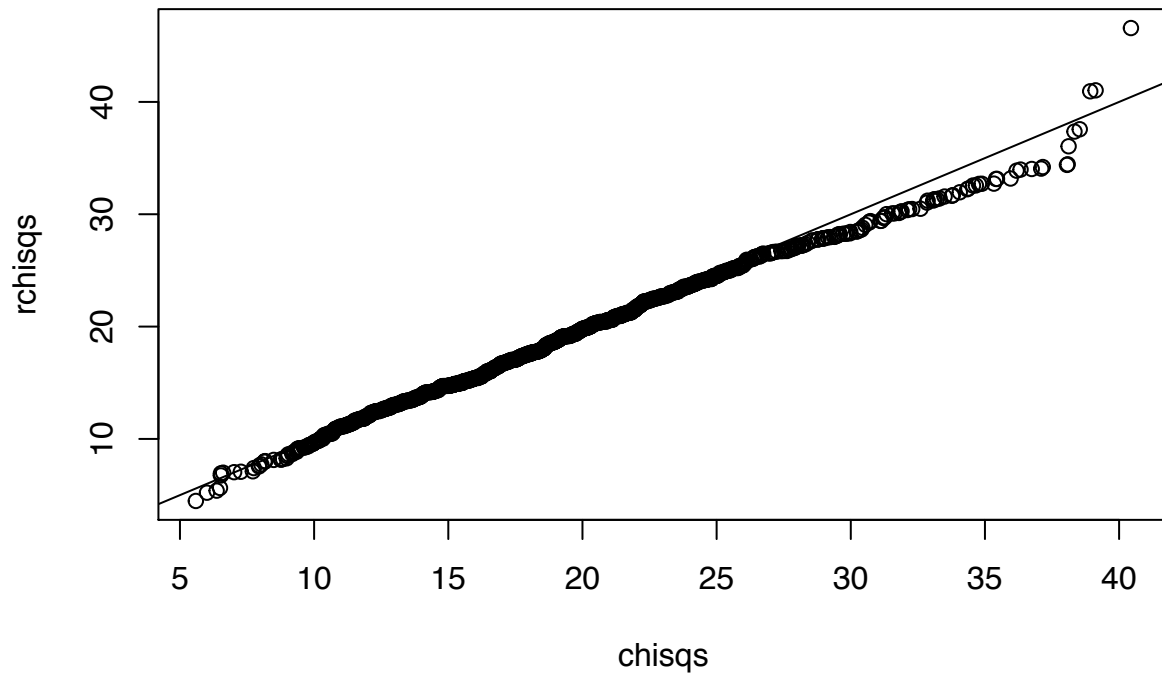
2.

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samples = rnorm(1000*20, 5, sqrt(2))
samples = matrix(samples,1000,20)
vs = apply(samples, 1, var)
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chisqs = 19 * vs / 2

rchisqs = rchisq(1000, 19)

qqplot(chisqs, rchisqs)
abline(0,1)
```



As shown in the graph, the quantiles agree well, also because they are just from the same distribution.

3.

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require(stats)

mylm <- function(Y,X){

  Y = as.matrix(Y); Xnew = as.matrix(X)

  # Check if numeric
  if(!is.numeric(Y) | !is.numeric(Xnew))
    stop("Y or X is not numeric!\n")

  # Check for dimensions
  dy = dim(Y) ; dx = dim(Xnew)
  if(dy[2] != 1 | dy[1] != dx[1])
    stop("Y or X has wrong dimensions\n")
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# Check for ill conditioned elements
# we can use is.finite to response only to finite real numbers
if(FALSE %in% is.finite(Y) | FALSE %in% is.finite(Xnew))
  warning("Y or X is ill conditioned\n")

# Check if of full rank
D = cbind(1,Xnew)
DtD = t(D) %*% D
if(det(DtD) == 0)
  stop("Design matrix is not full rank\n")

# Regressing
DtD.inv = solve(DtD)
hat.matrix = D %*% DtD.inv %*% t(D)
beta = DtD.inv %*% t(D) %*% Y
fitted = D %*% beta
residuals = Y - fitted

SS.tot = sum((Y - mean(Y))^2)
if(SS.tot == 0)
  warning("Y is constant!\n")
SS.res = sum((Y - fitted)^2)
SS.reg = SS.tot - SS.res
R2 = SS.reg / SS.tot

df = dim(D)[1] - dim(D)[2]
df2 = dim(D)[2] - 1

s2 = SS.res / df
std_error = sqrt(s2 * diag(DtD.inv))
t_value = beta / std_error
P_value = 1 - pt(abs(t_value), df) + pt(-abs(t_value), df)

K = cbind(rep(0, df2), diag(df2))
Kbeta = K %*% beta
Fstat = t(Kbeta) %*% solve(K %*% DtD.inv %*% t(K)) %*% Kbeta
Fstat = Fstat / (df2 * s2)
P_value_F = 1 - pf(Fstat, df2, df)

beta_names = c("(Interception)")
for(i in 1:(dim(D)[2] - 1)){
  beta_names = c(beta_names, sprintf("beta%d",i))
}
t_summary = data.frame("Estimate"=beta, "Std.Error"=std_error,
  "t.value"=t_value, "Pvalue"=P_value)
row.names(t_summary) = beta_names

summary <- function(){
  cat("T table:\n")
  print(t_summary)
  cat("\nOverall F test:\n")
  cat(sprintf("F-statistics: %f on %d and %d DF, p-value: %f",
    Fstat, df2, df, P_value_F))
}

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}

# Return result
result = list(beta = beta,
              fitted = fitted,
              residuals = residuals,
              R2 = R2,
              hatdiag = diag(hat.matrix),
              summary = summary)

return(result)
}

test.X = cbind(sample(1:100),sample(1:100),sample(1:100))
beta = c(5,-1,0.01,2)
test.y = cbind(1,test.X) %*% beta + rnorm(100,0,5)
model = lm(test.y ~ test.X)
summary(model)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = test.y ~ test.X)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -13.8314  -3.3723  -0.1633   3.3739  12.5185
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  4.973250   1.657447   3.001  0.00343 **
## test.X1      -0.987051   0.017115 -57.671 < 2e-16 ***
## test.X2       0.005103   0.017119   0.298  0.76630
## test.X3       2.019717   0.016818 120.090 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.832 on 96 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9944, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9942
## F-statistic: 5666 on 3 and 96 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

mymodel = mylm(test.y, test.X)
mymodel$summary()

## T table:
##              Estimate Std. Error   t.value      Pvalue
## (Interception)  4.973249946 1.65744736   3.0005477  3.433648e-03
## beta1          -0.987051101 0.01711515 -57.6711825  1.313666e-76
## beta2           0.005102669 0.01711925   0.2980661  7.662969e-01
## beta3           2.019716782 0.01681843 120.0895022  9.733797e-107
##
## Overall F test:
## F-statistics: 5666.304005 on 3 and 96 DF,  p-value: 0.000000

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