

## Curve Fitting

Example: Fit a straight line to the following data.

X:	1	2	3	4	6	8
Y:	2.4	3	3.6	4	5	6

Solution. Let the line be  $Y = a + bX$

X	Y	X <sup>2</sup>	XY
1	2.4	1	2.4
2	3.0	4	6.0
3	3.6	9	10.8
4	4.0	16	16.0
6	5.0	36	30.0
8	6.0	64	48.0
Total	24	130	113.2

Using normal equations (9.2a), we get

$$24 = 6a + 24b \text{ and } 113.2 = 24a + 130b$$

Solving these equations, we get  $a = 1.976$  and  $b = 0.506$ .

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Example: Fit a parabola of second degree to the following data:

X:	0	1	2	3	4
Y:	1	1.8	1.3	2.5	6.3

Solution. Let  $Y = a + bX + cX^2$  be the second degree parabola.

X	Y	X <sup>2</sup>	X <sup>3</sup>	X <sup>4</sup>	XY	X <sup>2</sup> Y
0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1.8	1	1	1	1.8	1.8
2	1.3	4	8	16	2.6	5.2
3	2.5	9	27	81	7.5	22.5
4	6.3	16	64	256	25.2	100.8
Total	10	30	100	354	37.1	130.3

Using normal equations (9.4), we get

$$12.9 = 5a + 10b + 30c \quad 37.1 = 10a + 30b + 100c$$

$$130.3 = 30a + 100b + 254c$$

Solving these equations, we get  $a = 1.42$ ,  $b = -1.07$  and  $c = 0.55$ . Thus the required equation of the second degree parabola is

$$Y = 1.42 - 1.07X + 0.55X^2$$

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- (a)  $Y = 1.42 + (1.07)X - (0.55)X^2$  (b)  $Y = 1.42 + (1.07)X + (0.55)X^2$   
(c)  $X = 1.42 - (1.07)Y + (0.55)Y^2$  (d) None of these.

Tot. cost to the comp. (in billions)  
No. of overtime hrs.

$$Y \approx a + bX$$

$$X = 4.5 \text{ hrs.}$$

$$X = 4 \text{ hrs. } 15 \text{ min.}$$

$$Y_i = a + bX_i \quad (1)$$

$$\sum Y_i = \sum a + \sum bX_i$$

$$\sum Y_i = na + b \sum X_i \quad (2)$$

$$\sum (X_i Y_i) = \sum (a X_i + b X_i^2)$$

$$\sum X_i Y_i = a \sum X_i + b \sum X_i^2 \quad (3)$$

$$Y = 1.976 + (0.506)X = 2.482$$

$$Y_i = a + bX_i + cX_i^2$$

$$\sum Y_i = na + b \sum X_i + c \sum X_i^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\sum X_i Y_i = \sum (a X_i + b X_i^2 + c X_i^3)$$

$$= a \sum X_i + b \sum X_i^2 + c \sum X_i^3$$

$$C' = aA' + bB'$$

$$C'' = aA'' + bB''$$

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Example: Fit an exponential curve of the form  $Y = ab^X$  to the following data:

X:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Y:	1.0	1.2	1.8	2.5	3.6	4.7	6.6	9.1

X	Y	$U = \log Y$	$XU$	$X^2$
1	1.0	0.0000	0.0000	1
2	1.2	0.0792	0.1584	4
3	1.8	0.2553	0.7659	9
4	2.5	0.3979	1.5916	16
5	3.6	0.5563	2.7815	25
6	4.7	0.6721	4.0326	36
7	6.6	0.8195	5.7365	49
8	9.1	0.9590	7.6720	64
36	30.5	3.7393	22.7385	204

(9.11a) gives the normal equations as

$$3.7393 = 8A + 36B$$

$$22.7385 = 36A + 204B$$

and Solving, we get

$$B = 0.1408 \text{ and } A = -0.1662 = \bar{T}8338$$

$$\therefore b = \text{Antilog } B = 1.383 \text{ and } a = \text{Antilog } A = 0.6821$$

Hence the equation of the required curve is

$$Y = 0.6821 (1.38)^X$$

$$Y = ab^X$$

$$\log Y = \log(ab^X)$$

$$= \log a + X \log b$$

$$= \log a + X(\log b)$$

$$\sum U_i = \sum (A + B X_i)$$

$$Y = A + B X$$

$$\sum (X_i U_i) = \sum (A X_i + B X_i^2)$$

$$A = -0.1662$$

$$A = \log a$$

$$B = 0.1408$$

$$a = 10^A$$

$$a = 10^{-0.1662}$$

$$a = e^{-0.1662}$$

If  $5^3 = 125$   $\log_5 125 = 3$

## Angle Between Two Lines of Regression

Poll Que: The angle between two Lines of Regression is given by:

(a)  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \left| \frac{1-r^2}{r} \right| \left( \frac{\sigma_X \sigma_Y}{\sigma_X^2 + \sigma_Y^2} \right) \right]$

(b)  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \left| \frac{1-r^2}{r} \right| \left( \frac{\sigma_X^2 \sigma_Y^2}{\sigma_X^2 + \sigma_Y^2} \right) \right]$

(c)  $\tan^{-1} \left[ \left| \frac{1-r^2}{r} \right| \left( \frac{\sigma_X \sigma_Y}{\sigma_X + \sigma_Y} \right) \right]$

(d) None of these.

$$Y - \bar{y} = \frac{\text{Cov.}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X^2} (X - \bar{x}) = \frac{r \sigma_Y}{\sigma_X} (X - \bar{x}) \rightarrow b_{YX} = m_1$$

$$X - \bar{x} = \frac{\text{Cov.}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} (Y - \bar{y})$$

$$X - \bar{x} = \frac{r \sigma_X}{\sigma_Y} (Y - \bar{y}) \rightarrow b_{XY} = \frac{1}{m_2}$$

$180^\circ - \theta = 145^\circ$   
 $\theta = 35^\circ$

$\tan \theta = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{r \sigma_y}{\sigma_x} - \frac{\sigma_y}{r \sigma_x}}{1 + \frac{r \sigma_y}{\sigma_x} \times \frac{\sigma_y}{r \sigma_x}} = \frac{\frac{r^2 \sigma_y - \sigma_y}{r \sigma_x}}{\frac{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}{\sigma_x^2}}$

$= \frac{\frac{(r^2 - 1) \sigma_y}{r \sigma_x} \times \frac{\sigma_x^2}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}}{\frac{(r^2 - 1) \sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}} = \frac{\frac{r^2 - 1}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}}{\frac{r^2 - 1}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{r^2 - 1}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}}{\frac{r^2 - 1}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}} = \frac{1 - r^2}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2}$

$|r^2 - 1| = |1 - r^2|$

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Poll Que: If the two variables  $X$  and  $Y$  are perfectly correlated ( $r = \pm 1$ ) then the lines of regression are:

- (a) parallel (b) perpendicular (c) coincide (d) None of these

$r = \frac{\text{Cov.}(X, Y)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = \frac{0}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} = 0$

$-1 \leq r \leq 1$

$r = \pm 1$

$\tan \theta = 0$

$\theta = 0^\circ \text{ or } 180^\circ$

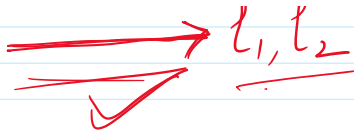
$\tan \theta = \frac{1 - r^2}{r} \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2} = \infty$

$\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$l_1$

$l_2$

$180^\circ$



**Theorem:** Two independent variables are uncorrelated.

But the converse of the theorem is not true, i.e., two uncorrelated variables may not be independent as the following example illustrates:

X	-3	-2	-1	1	2	3	Total $\Sigma X = 0$
Y	9	4	1	1	4	9	$\Sigma Y = 28$
XY	-27	-8	-1	1	8	27	$\Sigma XY = 0$

$$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \Sigma X = 0, \text{Cov}(X, Y) = \frac{1}{n} \Sigma XY = 0, \bar{X} \bar{Y} = 0$$

$$r(X, Y) = \frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sigma_X \sigma_Y} = 0$$

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$$X = Y$$

$$r(X, Y)$$

If  $X$  &  $Y$  are indep.  
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$X$  &  $Y$  are indep.  $X$

$$Y - \bar{y} = \frac{\sigma_Y}{\sigma_X} (X - \bar{x})$$