

CSCI 3022 Intro to Data Science

Notebook day: 18, 19 (maybe 20)

Prove that the OLS estimators: *estimator*

$$1. \hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$$

intercept

$$2. \hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\text{Cov}[X, Y]}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

slope

satisfy

$$\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1 = \underset{\beta_0, \beta_1}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - [\beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i])^2$$

line

*(2-y)²
+ (3-3)²
+ (11-9)² = ay² + by + c*
*calculus/
optimization*

Hint: what are $\frac{d}{dy}$ of

$$f(y) = \sum_{i=1}^n (a - \underbrace{y}_{\text{data}} - \underbrace{bc}_{\beta_0})^2; \quad g(y) = \sum_{i=1}^n (a - b - \underbrace{yc}_{\beta_1})^2?$$

*SLR: Simple linear regression
(1 x-value, 1 y-value)*

OLS: ordinary least-squares

SLR Overview

Problem: use predictor x to describe response y , using a line. We're subject to error, noise, or unexplained variability ε .

1. Model: $y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i$
2. Terms: β_0 : the intercept of the goal line; β_1 : its slope
3. Assumptions on ε : **Independence, Homoskedasticity, Normality**

Goal:

Given sample data, which consists of n observed pairs, $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$, construct an estimated “line of best fit”:

$$\hat{y} = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x$$

This line can then be used to make predictions or provide explanations for unobserved phenomena.

Estimating SLR Parameters

A line provides the **best fit** to the data if the sum of the squared vertical distances (deviations) from the observed points to that line is as small as it can be.

The sum of *squared vertical deviations* from the data points to the line $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x$ is then

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\overbrace{Y_i}^{\text{Data}} - \overbrace{\beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i}^{\text{Line}} \right)^2$$

The point estimates of β_0 and β_1 , denoted $\hat{\beta}_0; \hat{\beta}_1$ are called the *least squares estimates*. They are those values that minimize SSE or sum of squared errors.

$$\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1 = \underset{\beta_0, \beta_1}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

Estimating SLR Parameters: Pen and Paper

Goal: find the minimizers of the function $f(\beta_0, \beta_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$. Sounds like a Calculus problem!

$$\frac{d}{dy} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2 \right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d}{dy} (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i) \cdot \frac{d}{dy} (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i) \cdot (-1)$$

$$= -2 \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)$$

$$\frac{d}{d\beta_1} \sim \frac{d}{dy} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d}{d\beta_1} (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

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$$= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i) \cdot (-X_i)$$

$$= -2 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)$$

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For finding the joint maximum/minimum of multiple inputs, we end up with a system of equations: set both equal to zero and find the values that make both equal to zero.

Opening Sol'n

$$f(\beta_0, \beta_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2, \text{ so :}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \beta_0} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta_0} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

Partial

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \beta_1} = \frac{d}{d\beta_1} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

Opening Sol'n

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$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i}{n} = \bar{Y} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \bar{Y} \cdot n$$

Opening Sol'n

From the β_0 row:

drop -2

$$0 = \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i \Rightarrow 0 = n\bar{Y} - n\beta_0 - n\beta_1 \bar{X} \Rightarrow \hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$$

intercept: *use average*
 $\bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$
estimation slope.

Opening Sol'n

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Plugging that into the other row gives

$$0 = \sum X_i (Y_i - (\bar{Y} - \beta_1 \bar{X}) - \beta_1 X_i) = \sum X_i (Y_i - \bar{Y} + \beta_1 (\bar{X} - X_i))$$

$$0 = \underbrace{\sum X_i (Y_i - \bar{Y})}_{\text{w. out } \beta_1} + \beta_1 \underbrace{\sum X_i (\bar{X} - X_i)}_{\text{with } \beta_1} \implies \beta_1 = \frac{\sum X_i (Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum X_i (X_i - \bar{X})}$$

Opening Sol'n

From the β_0 row:

 $(2, 3)$

$$(2 - 2.5) + (3 - 2.5) = 0$$

$$2(2 - 2.5) + 3(3 - 2.5) = .5$$

$$0 = \sum Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i \implies 0 = n\bar{Y} - n\beta_0 - n\beta_1 \bar{X} \implies \beta_0 = \bar{Y} - \beta_1 \bar{X}$$

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... are we done?

Note: $\sum (X_i - \bar{X}) = 0$, so $\bar{X} \sum (X_i - \bar{X}) = 0$. That's the difference between our current solution and the version on the prior slide.

Estimating SLR Parameters: Results

For a model of the form $y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i$; $\varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$

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1. $\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{X}$ *intercept uses average*

2. $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\text{Cov}[X, Y]}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$

slope:

X & Y relationship
Spread of X .

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$$s^2 = \frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n-1}$$

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One result: the regression line goes through $(0, \beta_0)$. It also goes through (\bar{X}, \bar{Y}) !

Daily Recap

Today we learned

1. Regression!

Moving forward:

- nb day Friday

Next time in lecture:

- More Regression!