

# BMI-Randomization-Feb\_12.R

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**** Code for Lecture 2 ****#

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# BMI example with randomization

library("stargazer")

##
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## Hlavac, Marek (2018). stargazer: Well-Formatted Regression and Summary Statistics Tables.

## R package version 5.2.2. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=stargazer

BMI = read.csv("BMI_pill.csv")

#check balance of some observable covariates between treated and control groups.

t.test(data=BMI, height~magicpill)

##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: height by magicpill
## t = -0.30601, df = 376.88, p-value = 0.7598
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -0.7333199 0.5358093
## sample estimates:
## mean in group 0 mean in group 1
## 56.93160 57.03036

t.test(data=BMI, gender~magicpill)

##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: gender by magicpill
## t = 0.60068, df = 387.92, p-value = 0.5484
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
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## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -0.06863251 0.12901898
## sample estimates:
## mean in group 0 mean in group 1
## 0.5138889 0.4836957
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t.test(data=BMI, weight~magicpill)
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##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: weight by magicpill
## t = 0.38354, df = 374.55, p-value = 0.7015
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -6.524866 9.687110
## sample estimates:
## mean in group 0 mean in group 1
## 175.5419 173.9607
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#Let's see if BMI changes with receipt of the randomly assigned pill.
mp<-lm(log(bmi)~magicpill, data = BMI)
summary(mp)
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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(bmi) ~ magicpill, data = BMI)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.3251 -0.1616  0.0419  0.2416  0.7935
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  3.55643     0.02514 141.447 < 2e-16 ***
## magicpill    -0.15842     0.03707  -4.273 2.41e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3695 on 398 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.04387,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.04147
## F-statistic: 18.26 on 1 and 398 DF,  p-value: 2.413e-05
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#Let's see if this changes when we control for some observables (if its randomly assigned then this won
mphw<-lm(log(bmi)~magicpill+log(height) + log(weight), data = BMI)
summary(mphw)
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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(bmi) ~ magicpill + log(height) + log(weight),
##      data = BMI)
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## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.3903 -0.1578  0.0616  0.2290  0.6635
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  7.94100    1.32834   5.978 5.04e-09 ***
## magicpill    -0.15550    0.03654  -4.255 2.61e-05 ***
## log(height)  -1.19644    0.32677  -3.661 0.000285 ***
## log(weight)   0.08745    0.07290   1.200 0.230977
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3641 on 396 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.07649,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.06949
## F-statistic: 10.93 on 3 and 396 DF,  p-value: 6.509e-07
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mphwg<-lm(log(bmi)~magicpill+log(height) + log(weight) + gender, data = BMI)
summary(mphwg)
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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = log(bmi) ~ magicpill + log(height) + log(weight) +
##      gender, data = BMI)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.3299 -0.1681  0.0498  0.2275  0.7130
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 15.96344    4.23651   3.768 0.00019 ***
## magicpill    -0.15977    0.03647  -4.381 1.52e-05 ***
## log(height)  -3.13220    1.02420  -3.058 0.00238 **
## log(weight)   0.07132    0.07307   0.976 0.32966
## gender       -0.23017    0.11547  -1.993 0.04691 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3627 on 395 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.08569,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.07643
## F-statistic: 9.255 on 4 and 395 DF,  p-value: 3.712e-07
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stargazer(mp,mphw,mphwg, type="text",column.labels=c("magic pill","magic pill with controls", "magic pi
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##                               Dependent variable:
## -----
##                               log(bmi)
##               magic pill      magic pill with controls magic pill with more controls
##               (1)              (2)              (3)
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## magicpill	-0.158***	-0.155***	-0.160***
##	(0.037)	(0.037)	(0.036)
##			
## log(height)		-1.196***	-3.132***
##		(0.327)	(1.024)
##			
## log(weight)		0.087	0.071
##		(0.073)	(0.073)
##			
## gender			-0.230**
##			(0.115)
##			
## Constant	3.556***	7.941***	15.963***
##	(0.025)	(1.328)	(4.237)
##			
## -----			
## Observations	400	400	400
## R2	0.044	0.076	0.086
## Adjusted R2	0.041	0.069	0.076
## Residual Std. Error	0.370 (df = 398)	0.364 (df = 396)	0.363 (df = 395)
## F Statistic	18.260*** (df = 1; 398)	10.933*** (df = 3; 396)	9.255*** (df = 4; 395)
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## Note:			*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01