STAT230 HW 9 University of California, Berkeley

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1 Lab 13

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## # LAB 13
# Import data
c = as.matrix(read.table("rindcor.txt"))
c = c+t(c)
diag(c) = 1
c = as.data.frame(c)
names(c) = c("OCC","RACE","NOSIB","FARM","REGN",
                    "ADOLF", "REL", "YCIG", "FEC", "ED", "EG")
row.names(c) = names(c)
c = as.matrix(c)
n = 1766
\# Set X, Y and Z
idx = c(11, 2:8, 1)
idz = c(9,2:8,1)
idy = 10
# Perform regression
Z = c[idz, idz]*n
ZZ_{inv} = solve(Z)
ZX = c[idz, idx]*n
ZY = c[idz, idy]*n
beta_IVLS = solve(t(ZX) %*% ZZ_inv %*% ZX, t(ZX) %*% ZZ_inv %*% ZY)
beta_IVLS
```

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##
                  [,1]
## EG
           0.14727108
## RACE
          -0.07652004
## NOSIB -0.21655055
## FARM
          -0.02330998
## REGN
          -0.10928188
## ADOLF -0.14559186
## REL
          -0.09242772
          -0.12776409
## YCIG
## OCC
           0.24837554
# Standard errors
XX = c[idx, idx] *n
YX = c[idy, idx]*n
YY = c[idy, idy]*n
e2 = YY + t(beta_IVLS) %*% XX %*% beta_IVLS - 2 * (YX %*% beta_IVLS)
sigma_hat = sqrt(as.numeric(e2)/(n-9))
sigma_hat^2
## [1] 0.6745362
cov_hat = (sigma_hat^2)*solve(t(ZX) %*% ZZ_inv %*% ZX)
se_hat = sqrt(diag(cov_hat))
se_hat
##
            EG
                       RACE
                                  NOSIB
                                                FARM
          REGN
## 0.09253546 0.02488338 0.02109963 0.02181783
   0.02379165
         ADOLF
                        REL
                                   YCIG
## 0.02460040 0.02102358 0.02277556 0.02468539
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The coefficients in Rindfuss et al. are slightly different, probably because of the rounding errors in the correlation matrix.

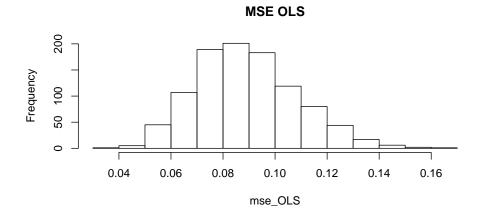
2 Simulation IVLS vs OLS

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## # IVLS Simulation
# Function to generate delta and eps
generate_delta_eps = function(n){
  # Define parameters
 rho = 0.3
 mu1=0; s1=1; mu2=0; s2=1
  # Define X, Y and Z with the bivariate normal relationship
  X = rnorm(n)
  Z = rnorm(n)
  eps = sqrt(1-rho^2) * Z
  Y = \text{rho} * X + \text{eps}
  # Adjust means and variances
  Y = (Y-mean(Y))/sd(Y)*s2+mu2
  X = (X-mean(X))/sd(X)*s1+mu1
  # Adjust rho by transforming Y
  rho_hat = cor(X,Y)
  a = s1^4*(rho^2-1)
  b = 2*rho_hat*s1^3*s2*(rho^2-1)
  c = (rho^2-rho_hat^2)*s2^2*s1^2
  delta = b^2-4*a*c
  correction = (-b-sqrt(delta))/(2*a)
  Y=Y+correction*X
  # Adjust means and variances
  Y = (Y-mean(Y))/sd(Y)*s2+mu2
  X = (X-mean(X))/sd(X)*s1+mu1
  return(cbind(X,Y))
# Simulate B betas for IVLS and OLS
simulation_betas = function(n,C,B){
beta_OLS_values = c()
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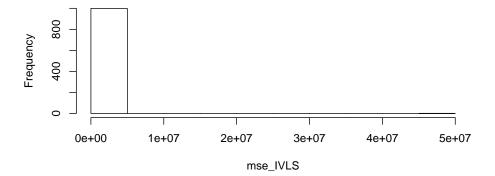
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beta_IVLS_values = c()
 for (i in 1:B){
   # True beta
   beta = 1
   # Generate Z
   Z = rnorm(n)
   # Generate delta and eps
   delta_eps = generate_delta_eps(n)
   delta = delta_eps[,1]
   eps = delta_eps[,2]
   # Generate X
   X = C*Z+delta
   # Generate Y
   Y = X*beta+eps
   # Estimates of beta
   beta_OLS = solve(t(X)%*\%X) %*\% t(X) %*\% Y
   t(X)\%*\%Z \%*\% solve(t(Z)\%*\%Z) \%*\% t(Z)\%*\%Y
   beta_OLS_values =c(beta_OLS_values,beta_OLS)
   beta_IVLS_values=c(beta_IVLS_values,beta_IVLS)
 list(OLS=beta_OLS_values, IVLS=beta_IVLS_values)
output_results = function(C,n,B){
 sim = simulation_betas(n,C,B)
 sim_OLS = sim_OLS
 sim_IVLS = sim_IVLS
 mse_OLS = (sim_OLS-1)^2
 mse_IVLS = (sim_IVLS-1)^2
 par(mfrow = c(2,1))
 hist(mse_OLS, main = "MSE OLS")
 hist(mse_IVLS, main = "MSE IVLS")
 par(mfrow = c(1,1))
 print('Summary OLS')
 print(summary(mse_OLS))
 print('Summary IVLS')
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print(summary(mse_IVLS))
}
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B=1000
# Simumation 1
C=.1
n=10
output_results(C,n,B)
```



MSE IVLS



```
## [1] "Summary OLS"

## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.

## 0.03759 0.07574 0.08732 0.08924 0.10170 0.16220

## [1] "Summary IVLS"

## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu.

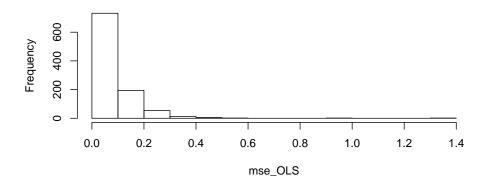
Max.

## 0 0 1 48670 5
48050000
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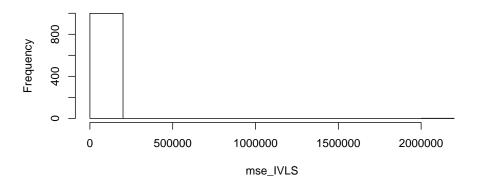
OLS performs better here.

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# Simumation 2
C=.5
n=10
output_results(C,n,B)
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MSE OLS



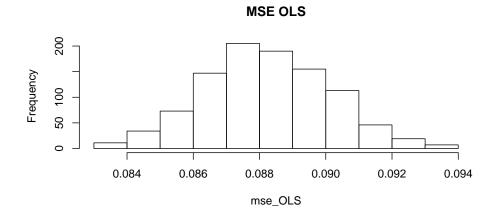
MSE IVLS



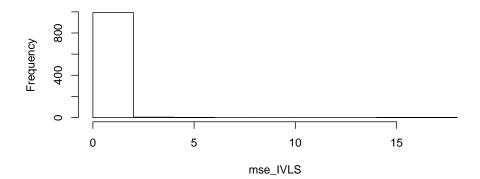
```
[1] "Summary OLS"
##
      Min. 1st Qu.
                       Median
                                   Mean 3rd Qu.
                                                      Max.
   0.00000 \ 0.02284 \ 0.05537 \ 0.07795 \ 0.10460 \ 1.33500
   [1] "Summary IVLS"
##
         Min.
                 1st Qu.
                              Median
                                            Mean
                                                     3rd Qu.
          {\tt Max.}
                                  0.2
##
                      0.0
                                          2153.0
          0.0
    2028000.0
```

OLS performs better here.

```
# Simumation 3
C=.1
n=1000
output_results(C,n,B)
```



MSE IVLS



```
## [1] "Summary OLS"

## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.

## 0.08342 0.08690 0.08814 0.08821 0.08955 0.09387

## [1] "Summary IVLS"

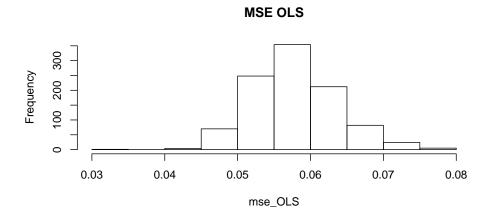
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu.

Max.
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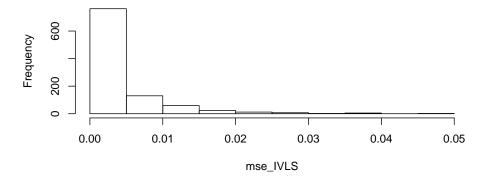
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## 0.00000 0.01190 0.05777 0.17740 0.16030
16.54000
```

OLS performs better here.

```
# Simumation 4
C=.5
n=1000
output_results(C,n,B)
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MSE IVLS



```
[1] "Summary OLS"
      Min. 1st Qu.
                    Median
                               Mean 3rd Qu.
  0.03487 0.05372 0.05750 0.05777 0.06144 0.07776
  [1] "Summary IVLS"
##
##
        Min.
               1st Qu.
                           Median
                                       Mean
                                               3rd Qu.
         Max.
## 1.000e-08 3.922e-04 1.600e-03 3.772e-03 4.813e-03
    4.592e-02
```

IVLS performs better here.

IVLS performs better as we increase both C and n. We have the following equation: (simultaneity bias) 2 + OLS variance < (small-sample bias) 2 + IVLS variance. Thus, sometimes OLS has a smaller mean squared error than IVLS (low C or low n).