

# Linear Algebra

## Definitions

- [Pseudoinverse] Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  and  $A = U\Sigma V^T$  be its singular value decomposition, then  $A^\dagger = V\Sigma^\dagger U^T = \sum_{i=1}^{\text{rank}(A)} \sigma_i^{-1} v_i u_i^T$ 
  - $AA^\dagger A = A$
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- [Gamma Function]  $\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty x^{z-1} e^{-x} dx$ ,  $z > 0$ 
  - $\Gamma(n) = (n-1)!$
- [Beta Function]  $\text{Beta}(z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 x^{z_1-1} (1-x)^{z_2-1} dx$ 
  - $\text{Beta}(z_1, z_2) = \frac{\Gamma(z_1)\Gamma(z_2)}{\Gamma(z_1+z_2)}$
- [Chi-Squared Distribution]  $X \sim \chi_m^2$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{m}{2})2^{\frac{m}{2}}} x^{\frac{m}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}}$
- [Gamma Distribution]  $X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta)$ ,  $\alpha, \beta > 0$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{\beta^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x}$  for  $x > 0$ 
  - $f(x) \propto x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$ ,  $\text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[\log X] = \psi(\alpha) - \log \beta$ ,  $\text{Var}[\log X] = \psi'(\alpha)$
- [Beta Distribution]  $X \sim B(\alpha, \beta)$ ,  $\alpha, \beta > 0$ ,  $f(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}$  for  $x \in (0,1)$ 
  - $f(x) \propto x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}$ ,  $\text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta+1)}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[\log X] = \psi(\alpha) - \psi(\alpha+\beta)$ ,  $\text{Var}[\log X] = \psi'(\alpha) - \psi'(\alpha+\beta)$
- [Gram Schmidt]
  - $x_1 = u_1$
  - $x_2 = \hat{\beta}_{x_2|u_1} u_1 + u_2$  (OLS guarantees  $u_1 \perp u_2$ )
  - $x_3 = \hat{\beta}_{x_3|u_1} u_1 + \hat{\beta}_{x_3|u_2} u_2 + u_3$  ( $u_1 \perp u_2 \Rightarrow$  reduces to univariate regression)
  - $x_k = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \hat{\beta}_{x_k|u_i} u_i + u_k$
- [QR Decomposition]  $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$ ,  $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  orthogonal columns,  $R \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times p}$  upper triangular.
  - $X = Q \begin{bmatrix} \|u_1\| & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & \|u_p\| \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \hat{\beta}_{x_2|u_1} & \cdots & \hat{\beta}_{x_p|u_1} \\ 0 & 1 & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \hat{\beta}_{x_p|u_{p-1}} \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix} = QR$
  - $Q = [q_1 \cdots q_p]$  where  $q_i = \frac{u_i}{\|u_i\|}$
  - $R\hat{\beta} = Q^T Y$
- [Jacobian]  $ds dt = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial s}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial s}{\partial v} \\ \frac{\partial t}{\partial u} & \frac{\partial t}{\partial v} \end{vmatrix} du dv$ 
  - $Dg = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial x_2} \end{bmatrix}$
- [Change of Measure] Let  $g: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  be an invertible map and  $Y = g(X)$ . Then:
  - $f_Y(g(x)) = |Dg^{-1}| f_X(x)$
  - $f_Y(g(x)) dy = \mathbb{P}[Y \in (g(x), g(x) + dy)] = \mathbb{P}[X \in (x, x + |Dg^{-1}| dy)] = f_X(x) |Dg^{-1}| dy$

## Block Matrices

- $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A^{-1} + A^{-1}B(D - CA^{-1}B)^{-1}CA^{-1} & -A^{-1}B(D - CA^{-1}B)^{-1} \\ -(D - CA^{-1}B)^{-1}CA^{-1} & (D - CA^{-1}B)^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$

- $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} (A - BD^{-1}C)^{-1} & -(A - BD^{-1}C)^{-1}BD^{-1} \\ -D^{-1}C(A - BD^{-1}C)^{-1} & D^{-1} + D^{-1}C(A - BD^{-1}C)^{-1}BD^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$
- [7.2] Let  $X = [X_1 \ X_2]$ . Then  $(X^T X)_{11}^{-1} = (X_1^T X_1 - X_1^T X_2 (X_2^T X_2)^{-1} X_2^T X_1)^{-1} = (\tilde{X}_1^T \tilde{X}_1)^{-1}$  where  $\tilde{X}_1 = (\mathbb{I} - H_2)X_1$

### Sherman Morrison Woodbury

- $(\mathbb{I} + wv^T)^{-1} = \mathbb{I} - \frac{wv^T}{1+v^T w}$
- $(A + uv^T)^{-1} = A^{-1} - \frac{A^{-1}uv^T A^{-1}}{1+v^T A^{-1}u}$
- $(A + UV)^{-1} = A^{-1} - A^{-1}U(\mathbb{I} + VA^{-1}U)^{-1}VA^{-1}$
- $(X^T X - x_n x_n^T)^{-1} = (X^T X)^{-1} + \frac{(X^T X)^{-1} x_n x_n^T (X^T X)^{-1}}{1 - x_n^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_n}$

### Schur's Complement

- Let  $\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(0, \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{XX} & \Sigma_{XY} \\ \Sigma_{YX} & \Sigma_{YY} \end{bmatrix}\right)$ , then:
  - $\mathbb{E}[X|Y] = \mathbb{E}[X] + \Sigma_{XY}\Sigma_{YY}^{-1}(Y - \mathbb{E}[Y])$
  - $\text{Cov}[X|Y] = \Sigma_{XX} - \Sigma_{XY}\Sigma_{YY}^{-1}\Sigma_{YX}$

### Statistical Distributions

- Let  $X \sim \chi_m^2$  and  $Y \sim \chi_n^2$  independent. Then  $\frac{X}{X+Y} \sim \text{Beta}\left(\frac{m}{2}, \frac{n}{2}\right)$
- [B.1] Let  $X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \theta)$ ,  $Y \sim \Gamma(\beta, \theta)$  and  $X \perp Y$ . Then:
  - $X + Y \sim \Gamma(\alpha + \beta, \theta)$
  - $\frac{X}{X+Y} \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha, \beta)$
  - $X + Y \perp \frac{X}{X+Y}$
- [B.1]  $\chi_n^2 \sim \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- [B.2] Let  $X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta)$ , then  $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}$ ,  $\text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$
- [B.4] Let  $X \sim \text{Beta}(\alpha, \beta)$ , then  $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}$ ,  $\text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)^2(\alpha+\beta+1)}$

### Results

- $H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  projects onto  $\mathcal{C}(X)$
- $\mathbb{I}_n - H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  projects onto  $\mathcal{C}(X)^\perp$
- $H(\mathbb{I}_n - H) = 0$

## Problem Solving

### Problem-Specific Computations

- [Averaging Matrix]  $A_n = \frac{1}{n} \mathbb{1}\mathbb{1}^T$ 
  - $A_n Y = \bar{y} \mathbb{1}_n$
  - $A_n$  is a projection matrix
- [Centering Matrix]  $C_n = \mathbb{I}_n - A_n = \mathbb{I}_n - \frac{1}{n} \mathbb{1}\mathbb{1}^T$ 
  - $C_n Y = Y - \bar{y} \mathbb{1}_n = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 - \bar{y} \\ \vdots \\ y_n - \bar{y} \end{bmatrix}$
  - $C_n$  is a projection matrix
  - $y^T C_n y = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = (n-1) \hat{\sigma}_y^2$
  - Let  $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ , then  $X^T C_n X = (n-1) \widehat{\text{Cov}}[X] \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ 
    - $\widehat{\text{Cov}}[X]_{ij} = \hat{\sigma}_{ij}$  is the sample covariance of covariate  $i$  and covariate  $j$
    - $(X^T C_n X)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n (x_{ki} - \bar{x}_i)(x_{kj} - \bar{x}_j) = (n-1) \hat{\sigma}_{ij}$
- [Stratum Indicator]  $S = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbb{1}_{n_1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mathbb{1}_{n_k} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$ , where  $k$  is number of strata
  - $S(S^T S)^{-1} S^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{n_1} \mathbb{1}_{n_1} \mathbb{1}_{n_1}^T & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{n_k} \mathbb{1}_{n_k} \mathbb{1}_{n_k}^T \end{bmatrix}$  averages groupwise
  - $\mathbb{I}_n - S(S^T S)^{-1} S^T$  centers groupwise

### Single-Variate Regression

- $y_i = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_i + \hat{\epsilon}_i$
- $\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}$
- $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = \hat{\rho}_{xy} \frac{\hat{\sigma}_y}{\hat{\sigma}_x}$ ;  $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\text{Cov}[x, y]}{\text{Var}[x]}$
- Under homoskedasticity:
  - [5.8]  $\text{RSS} = \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2 = (1 - \hat{\rho}_{xy}^2) \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2$
  - $\text{Var}[\hat{\beta}_1] = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$
  - [5.8]  $t$ -statistic associated with  $\hat{\beta}_1$  is:  $\frac{\hat{\rho}_{xy}}{\sqrt{\frac{1 - \hat{\rho}_{xy}^2}{n-2}}} \sim t_{n-2}$  (i.e. testing  $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ )
- $t_{y \sim x} = t_{x \sim y}$
- $R^2 = \hat{\rho}_{xy}^2 = \frac{(\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y}))^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}$

### Multivariate Regression

- $y_i = \hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}_1 x_{i1} + \hat{\beta}_2^T x_{i2} + \hat{\epsilon}_i$
- $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{x}_i \tilde{y}_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{x}_i^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{x}_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{x}_i^2}$  where  $\tilde{x}_i$  is the residual from regressing  $x_1$  on  $x_2$
- [8.4] Under homoskedasticity:
  - $t$ -statistic associated with  $\hat{\beta}_1$  is:  $\frac{\hat{\rho}_{yx_1|x_2}}{\sqrt{\frac{(1 - \hat{\rho}_{yx_1|x_2}^2)}{n-p}}}$  where  $p$  is total number of regressors
  - $\text{Var}[\hat{\beta}_1] = \sigma^2 (X^T X)^{-1}_{11} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\tilde{x}_1^T \tilde{x}_1}$ ;  $X_1 \sim \mathbb{1} + X_{[-1]}$  gives the residual  $\tilde{X}_1$
- $R_{yx_1|x_2}^2 = \hat{\rho}_{yx_1|x_2}^2$
- [8.1] Let  $X, Y, W \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $\hat{\rho}_{X,Y|W} = \frac{\hat{\rho}_{X,Y} - \hat{\rho}_{Y,W} \hat{\rho}_{X,W}}{\sqrt{1 - \hat{\rho}_{Y,W}^2} \sqrt{1 - \hat{\rho}_{X,W}^2}}$

Two Sample  $t$ -Test

- $z_1, \dots, z_m \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma^2)$  i.i.d.,  $w_1, \dots, w_n \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma^2)$  i.i.d.
- Under  $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$ ,  $t_{\text{equal}} = \frac{\bar{z} - \bar{w}}{\hat{\sigma} \sqrt{\frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n}}} \sim t_{m+n-2}$  where  $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{(m-1)S_z^2 + (n-1)S_w^2}{m+n-2}$
- Equivalently, it is the same as the  $t$ -statistic of  $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$  in  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  with  $Y = [z_1, \dots, z_m, w_1, \dots, w_n]^T$ ,  $X_i = [1, 1]$  for  $z_i$  and  $X_i = [1, 0]$  for  $w_i$ ,  $\beta = [\beta_0, \beta_1]$
- $z_1, \dots, z_m \sim \mu_1, \sigma_1^2$  i.i.d.,  $w_1, \dots, w_n \sim \mu_2, \sigma_2^2$  i.i.d.
- $t_{\text{unequal}} = \frac{\bar{z} - \bar{w}}{\sqrt{\frac{S_z^2}{m} + \frac{S_w^2}{n}}} \rightarrow N(0, 1)$  as  $(m, n) \rightarrow \infty$
- Same as  $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$  in heteroskedastic linear regression with HC2 correction

## ANOVA

- [ANOVA]  $Y = X_1\beta_1 + X_2\beta_2 + \epsilon$ ,  $\epsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 \mathbb{I}_n)$ ,  $\beta_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{p_1}$ ,  $\beta_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{p_2}$ 
  - $H_0: \beta_2 = 0$  i.e. under null,  $Y = X_1\beta_1 + \epsilon$
  - $\text{RSS}_{\text{long}} = Y^T(\mathbb{I}_n - H)Y$
  - $\text{RSS}_{\text{short}} = Y^T(\mathbb{I}_n - H_1)Y$
  - $F_{\text{ANOVA}} = \frac{\frac{\text{RSS}_{\text{short}} - \text{RSS}_{\text{long}}}{p_2}}{\frac{\text{RSS}_{\text{long}}}{n-p}} = \frac{\text{RSS}_{\text{short}} - \text{RSS}_{\text{long}}}{p_2 \hat{\sigma}^2}$
- [8.2]  $F_{\text{ANOVA}} = F_{\text{Wald}}$

# Ordinary Least Squares

## Gauss-Markov Model

- [Set-Up] The true model is  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  s.t.:
  - $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$  is a fixed design matrix with linearly independent columns
  - $\epsilon$  is s.t.  $\mathbb{E}[\epsilon] = 0$ ,  $\text{Cov}[\epsilon] = \sigma^2 \mathbb{I}_n$  (i.e. homoskedasticity)
  - $(\beta, \sigma^2)$  fixed but unknown
- [Estimators]
  - [OLS]  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$ ; then  $\hat{Y} = X\hat{\beta} = HY$ ,  $\hat{\epsilon} = Y - \hat{Y} = (\mathbb{I} - H)Y$
  - [Residual Sum of Squares]  $\text{RSS} = \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2$
  - [Variance Estimator]  $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}}{n-p} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{n - \sum_{i=1}^n h_{ii}}$  is unbiased for  $\sigma^2$
- [Results]
  - $\mathbb{E}[\hat{\beta}] = \beta$ ,  $\text{Cov}[\hat{\beta}] = \sigma^2 (X^T X)^{-1}$
  - $\mathbb{E} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{Y} \\ \hat{\epsilon} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X\beta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ;  $\text{Cov} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{Y} \\ \hat{\epsilon} \end{bmatrix} = \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} H & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{I}_n - H \end{bmatrix}$
- [Gauss-Markov Theorem] Under the Gauss-Markov model, for any other  $\tilde{\beta}$  s.t.
  - $\tilde{\beta}$  is unbiased i.e.  $\mathbb{E}[\tilde{\beta}] = \beta$
  - $\tilde{\beta}$  is linear estimator in  $Y$  i.e.  $\tilde{\beta} = AY$  for some  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$
 Then  $\text{Cov}[\tilde{\beta}] \succeq \text{Cov}[\hat{\beta}]$  i.e.  $\hat{\beta}$  is the best linear unbiased estimator (i.e. with least variance)
- [t-Statistic]  $t_j = \frac{\hat{\beta}_j}{\hat{\sigma} \sqrt{(X^T X)^{-1}_{jj}}}$ 
  - $H_0: \beta_j = 0$
- [F-Statistic]  $F = \frac{\hat{\beta}_{1:l}^T ((X^T X)^{-1}_{1:l, 1:l})^{-1} \hat{\beta}_{1:l}}{l \hat{\sigma}^2} = \frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X_2) - \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}{\frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}{n-p}}$ 
  - $H_0: \beta_{1:l} = 0$  where  $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^p$

## Normal Linear Model

- [Set-Up] The true model is  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  s.t.:
  - $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  is a fixed design matrix, linearly independent columns
  - $\epsilon \sim N(0, \mathbb{I}_n)$  independent
  - $(\beta, \sigma^2)$  fixed but unknown
- [Estimators]
  - [OLS]  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$ ; then  $\hat{Y} = X\hat{\beta} = HY$ ,  $\hat{\epsilon} = Y - \hat{Y} = (\mathbb{I} - H)Y$
  - [Residual Sum of Squares]  $\text{RSS} = \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2$
  - [Variance Estimator]  $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}}{n-p} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{n - \sum_{i=1}^n h_{ii}}$  is unbiased for  $\sigma^2$ 
    - $\hat{\sigma}^2 \sim \frac{\sigma^2}{n-p} \chi_{n-p}^2$
- [5.1]  $\begin{bmatrix} \hat{\beta} \\ \hat{\epsilon} \end{bmatrix} \sim N \left( \begin{bmatrix} \beta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} (X^T X)^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{I}_n - H \end{bmatrix} \right)$ 
  - $\hat{\beta} \perp \hat{\epsilon}$ , thus  $\hat{\beta} \perp \hat{\sigma}^2$
- [5.2]  $\begin{bmatrix} \hat{Y} \\ \hat{\epsilon} \end{bmatrix} \sim N \left( \begin{bmatrix} X\beta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} H & 0 \\ 0 & \mathbb{I}_n - H \end{bmatrix} \right)$ 
  - $\hat{Y} \perp \hat{\epsilon}$
- [5.3] Let  $c \in \mathbb{R}^p$ .
  - $c^T (\hat{\beta} - \beta) \sim N(0, \sigma^2 c^T (X^T X)^{-1} c)$
  - $\frac{c^T (\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\hat{\sigma} \sqrt{c^T (X^T X)^{-1} c}} \sim t_{n-p}$
  - $C_{1-\alpha} = \left[ c^T \hat{\beta} - t_{n-p} \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{c^T (X^T X)^{-1} c}, c^T \hat{\beta} + t_{n-p} \left( 1 - \frac{\alpha}{2} \right) \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{c^T (X^T X)^{-1} c} \right]$
  - [Hypothesis Testing]

- $H_0: c^T \beta = d, H_1: c^T \beta \neq d$ ; Reject  $H_0$  if  $d \notin C_{1-\alpha}$
- [5.4] Let  $C \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times p}$ . Assume  $k \leq p$ ,  $C$  is row independent i.e.  $C^T \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = 0$ 
  - $C(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \sim N(0, \sigma^2 C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T)$
  - $\frac{(C\hat{\beta} - C\beta)^T (C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T)^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - C\beta)}{k \hat{\sigma}^2} \sim F_{k, n-p}$
  - $C_{1-\alpha} = \left\{ v: \frac{(C\hat{\beta} - v)^T (C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T)^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - v)}{k \hat{\sigma}^2} \leq F_{k, n-p}(1 - \alpha) \right\}$
  - [Hypothesis Testing]
    - $H_0: C\beta = v, H_1: C\beta \neq v$ ; Reject  $H_0$  if  $v \notin C_{1-\alpha}$
- [Prediction Interval]
  - $\frac{y_{n+1} - x_{n+1}^T \hat{\beta}}{\hat{\sigma} \sqrt{1 + x_{n+1}^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_{n+1}}} \sim t_{n-p}$  (Warning: notice the extra 1 in denominator)
  - $P_{1-\alpha} = \left[ x_{n+1}^T \hat{\beta} - t_{n-p} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right) \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{1 + x_{n+1}^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_{n+1}}, x_{n+1}^T \hat{\beta} + t_{n-p} \left(1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right) \hat{\sigma} \sqrt{1 + x_{n+1}^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_{n+1}} \right]$

### Heteroskedastic Linear Model

- Key idea: Heteroskedasticity affects the standard error of  $\beta$
- [Heteroskedastic Linear Model] The true model is:  $y_i = x_i^T \beta + \epsilon_i$ 
  - $\epsilon_i$  independent,  $\mathbb{E}[\epsilon_i] = 0$ ,  $\text{Var}[\epsilon_i] = \sigma_i^2$
  - $X$  fixed, linearly independent
  - $(\beta, \sigma_1^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2)$  unknown parameters
  - Assume  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} B_n = B$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M_n = M$  where  $B, M$  are finite.
- [EHW]  $\hat{V}_{EHW} = (X^T X)^{-1} (X^T \hat{\Omega} X) (X^T X)^{-1}$ 
  - $\hat{\Omega} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\epsilon}_1^2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & \hat{\epsilon}_n^2 \end{bmatrix}$

### Heteroskedastic Linear Model (Results)

- [6.1] Under heteroskedastic linear model,  $\hat{\beta} \rightarrow \beta$  in probability
- $B_n = \frac{1}{n} X^T X = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T$
- $M_n = \frac{1}{n} X^T \Omega X = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i^2 x_i x_i^T$
- $V := \text{Cov}[\hat{\beta}] = \frac{1}{n} B_n^{-1} M_n B_n^{-1}$ 
  - Note that it consists of  $\{\sigma_i^2\}_{i=1}^n$  which are unknowns
- $\hat{V}_{EHW} := (X^T X)^{-1} (X^T \hat{\Omega} X) (X^T X)^{-1} = \frac{1}{n} B_n^{-1} \hat{M}_n B_n^{-1}$ 
  - $\hat{\Omega} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\epsilon}_1^2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & \hat{\epsilon}_n^2 \end{bmatrix}$  is the natural estimator for  $\Omega$
- $\hat{\beta} \sim N(\beta, \hat{V}_{EHW})$  asymptotically
- $\hat{V}_{EHW, k} = \frac{1}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_{i,k}^2 x_i x_i^T \right) \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1}$ 
  - $\hat{\epsilon}_{i,k} = \begin{cases} \hat{\epsilon}_i, & k = 0, \text{HCO} \\ \hat{\epsilon}_i \sqrt{\frac{n}{n-p}}, & k = 1, \text{HC1} \\ \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{\sqrt{1-h_{ii}}}, & k = 2, \text{HC2} \\ \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{1-h_{ii}}, & k = 3, \text{HC3} \\ \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{(1-h_{ii})^{\min\{2, \frac{nh_{ii}}{2p}\}}}, & k = 4, \text{HC4} \end{cases}$

# Partial Regression

## Definitions

- [Long Regression]  $Y = [X_1 \ X_2] \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\beta}_1 \\ \hat{\beta}_2 \end{bmatrix} + \hat{\epsilon}$
- [Short Regression]  $Y = X_2 \tilde{\beta}_2 + \tilde{\epsilon}$
- [Correlation] Given  $(x_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n$ , the sample correlation is  $\hat{\rho}_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$
- [Partial Correlation] Given  $(w_i, x_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n$ ,
  - Perform  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + W$  to get residuals  $\xi_Y$ ,  $RSS_Y$
  - Perform  $X \sim \mathbb{1} + W$  to get residuals  $\xi_X$ ,  $RSS_X$

The sample partial correlation between  $x, y$  given  $w$  is  $\hat{\rho}_{xy|w} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \xi_{x_i} \xi_{y_i}}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \xi_{x_i}^2 \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_{y_i}^2}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \xi_{x_i} \xi_{y_i}}{\sqrt{RSS_X RSS_Y}}$
- [Omitted Variable Bias] Refers to the bias in the estimates of the parameters, due to model leaving out one or more relevant covariates.
  - Model attributes effect of missing covariates to those included in the model
- [Set-Up for Omitted Variable Bias]
  - [Observed Regression]  $Y_i = \tilde{\beta}_0 + \tilde{\beta}_1 Z_i + \tilde{\beta}_2^T X_i + \tilde{\epsilon}_i$
  - [True Regression]  $Y_i = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 Z_i + \hat{\beta}_2^T X_i + \hat{\beta}_3^T U_i + \hat{\epsilon}_i$
  - $Z_i$ : parameter of interest e.g. treatment
  - $X_i$ : observed covariates e.g. known confounders
  - $U_i$ : unobserved covariates e.g. unobserved confounders
  - $\hat{\beta}_1$ : true effect
  - $\tilde{\beta}_1$ : observed effect
- [Confounding Bias] Bias in treatment effect due to presence of unobserved confounders
  - Bias =  $\tilde{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_1 = \hat{\beta}_3 \delta_1$
  - Scale dependent on  $Z_i$

## Theorems

- [7.1 FWL] Let  $Y = [X_1 \ X_2] \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\beta}_1 \\ \hat{\beta}_2 \end{bmatrix} + \hat{\epsilon}$  where  $X_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p_1}$  and  $X_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p_2}$  and  $Y = X_2 \tilde{\beta}_2 + \tilde{\epsilon}$ .  
 Let  $H_1 = X_1(X_1^T X_1)^{-1} X_1^T$ .
  - $\hat{\beta}_2 = [(X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y]_{\text{last } p_2 \text{ elements}}$
  - $\hat{\beta}_2 = (X_2^T (\mathbb{I}_n - H_1) X_2)^{-1} X_2^T (\mathbb{I}_n - H_1) Y$
  - $\hat{\beta}_2 = (\tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{X}_2)^{-1} \tilde{X}_2^T Y$  where  $\tilde{X}_2 = (\mathbb{I}_n - H_1) X_2$ 
    - $\hat{\beta}_2$  equals OLS coefficient from regressing  $Y$  on  $\tilde{X}_2$ , the residual matrix from regressing  $X_2$  on  $X_1$
    - $\hat{\beta}_2$  measures the residual “impact” of  $X_2$  on  $Y$  after accounting for  $X_1$
    - $\hat{\beta}_2$  as the “impact” of  $X_2$  on  $Y$  holding  $X_1$  constant
  - $\hat{\beta}_2 = (\tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{X}_2)^{-1} \tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{Y}$  where  $\tilde{Y} = (\mathbb{I}_n - H_1) Y$ 
    - You must as well just take out the proportion of  $Y$  explained by  $X_1$
    - OLS coefficient as the partial regression coefficient
  - $\tilde{\beta}_2 = (X_2^T X_2)^{-1} X_2^T Y$
- [7.2] Let  $V := \text{Cov}[\hat{\beta}_2]$ . Under homoskedasticity assumption, obtain  $\hat{V} = \hat{\sigma}^2 (X^T X)^{-1}_{p_2 \times p_2}$  from long regression and  $\tilde{V} = \tilde{\sigma}^2 (\tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{X}_2)^{-1}$  from short regression.
  - $(n - p_1 - p_2) \hat{V} = (n - p_2) \tilde{V}$
- [7.2] Under heteroskedasticity assumption:
  - $\hat{V}_{EHW} = ((X^T X)^{-1} X^T \hat{\Omega} X (X^T X)^{-1})_{p_2 \times p_2} = (\tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{X}_2)^{-1} \tilde{X}_2^T \hat{\Omega} \tilde{X}_2 (\tilde{X}_2^T \tilde{X}_2)^{-1} = \tilde{V}_{EHW}$
- [7.3] Suppose  $X_1^T X_2 = 0$ , then  $\tilde{X}_2 = X_2$  and  $\hat{\beta}_2 = \tilde{\beta}_2$ .

- [Partial Coefficient via FWL]

- $\hat{\beta}_{Y \sim X|W} = \hat{\rho}_{XY|W} \sqrt{\frac{RSS_{Y \sim W}}{RSS_{X \sim W}}} = \hat{\rho}_{XY|W} \frac{\hat{\sigma}_{Y \sim W}}{\hat{\sigma}_{X \sim W}}$

- $\tilde{Y} = (\mathbb{I}_n - H_{1,W})Y$

- $\tilde{X} = (\mathbb{I}_n - H_{1,W})X$

- $\hat{\beta}_{Y \sim X|W}$  from  $\tilde{Y} \sim \tilde{X}$

- $\hat{\beta}_{Y \sim X|W}$  from OLS coefficient of  $X$  in  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + W + X$

- [8.1] Let  $w, x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then:  $\hat{\rho}_{xy|w} = \frac{\hat{\rho}_{xy} - \hat{\rho}_{xw}\hat{\rho}_{yw}}{\sqrt{1 - \hat{\rho}_{xw}^2} \sqrt{1 - \hat{\rho}_{yw}^2}}$

- [9.1 Cochran] Let  $Y = X_1\hat{\beta}_1 + X_2\hat{\beta}_2 + \hat{\epsilon}$  and  $Y = X_2\tilde{\beta}_2 + \tilde{\epsilon}$  and  $X_1 = X_2\hat{\delta} + \hat{U}$

- $\tilde{\beta}_2 = \hat{\beta}_2 + \hat{\delta}\hat{\beta}_1$

- [Cinelli-Hazlett]  $|\tilde{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_1|^2 = R_{Y \sim U|Z,X}^2 \frac{R_{Z \sim U|X}^2}{1 - R_{Z \sim U|X}^2} \frac{RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + Z + X)}{RSS(Z \sim \mathbb{1} + X)}$



# Model Fitting, Checking and Misspecification

## Definition

- Key ideas:
  - [Fitting] How good do multiple covariates linearly represent the response? ( $R^2, CC$ )
  - [Checking] How sensitive / robust is the model to the data? ( $h_{ii}$ )
  - [Misspecification] If the linear model is wrong, what does  $\beta$  represent?
- $[\hat{\rho}_{xy}]$  Given  $(x_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n$ ,  $\hat{\rho}_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$
- $[\hat{\rho}_{xy|w}]$  Given  $(x_i, y_i, w_i)_{i=1}^n$ ,  $\hat{\rho}_{xy|w} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \hat{x}_i)(y_i - \hat{y}_i)}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \hat{x}_i)^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}} = \hat{\rho}_{\xi_x, \xi_y} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \xi_{x,i} \xi_{y,i}}{\sqrt{\xi_{x,i}^2} \sqrt{\xi_{y,i}^2}}$ 
  - Perform  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + W$  to get residuals  $\xi_y$ ,  $RSS_y$
  - Perform  $X \sim \mathbb{1} + W$  to get residuals  $\xi_x$ ,  $RSS_x$
- $[R^2]$  Let  $Y$  be a vector and  $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times (p-1)}$  i.e. excluding  $\mathbb{1}_n$ . Let  $\hat{Y}$  be obtained from  $Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n + X$  i.e.  $p$  total covariates.
  - $R^2 = \frac{\text{RegSS}}{\text{TSS}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}$ 
    - Proportion of variance explained by the regression
  - $R^2 = \hat{\rho}_{Y\hat{Y}}^2 = \frac{(\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})(\hat{y}_i - \bar{y}))^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2}$ 
    - Correlation between predicted  $\hat{Y}$  and  $Y$
  - $R^2 = \frac{RSS_{\text{short}} - RSS_{\text{long}}}{RSS_{\text{short}}} = \frac{RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n) - RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n + X)}{RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n)}$
- [Partial  $R^2$ ]
  - $R_{Y,X|W}^2 = R_{\tilde{\epsilon}_Y, \tilde{\epsilon}_X}^2$  where  $Y = \mathbb{1}_n \tilde{\beta}_0 + W \tilde{\beta}_1 + \tilde{\epsilon}_Y$  and  $X = \mathbb{1}_n \tilde{\delta}_0 + W \tilde{\delta}_1 + \tilde{\epsilon}_X$
  - $R_{Y,X|W}^2 = \frac{RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n + W) - RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n + X + W)}{RSS(Y \sim \mathbb{1}_n + W)}$
  - $R_{Y,X|W}^2 = \frac{R_{Y,XW}^2 - R_{Y,W}^2}{1 - R_{Y,W}^2}$
- [Canonical Correlation] Let  $x \in \mathbb{R}^p, y \in \mathbb{R}^k$  have joint covariance matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{xx} & \Sigma_{xy} \\ \Sigma_{yx} & \Sigma_{yy} \end{bmatrix}$ . Then,
 
$$CC(x, y) = \max_{a \in \mathbb{R}^p, b \in \mathbb{R}^k} \rho(y^T a, x^T b).$$
  - $\alpha, \beta = \arg \max_{a \in \mathbb{R}^p, b \in \mathbb{R}^k} \rho(y^T a, x^T b) = \Sigma_{yy}^{-\frac{1}{2}} v_{\max} \left( \Sigma_{yy}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Sigma_{yx} \Sigma_{xx}^{-1} \Sigma_{xy} \Sigma_{yy}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right), \Sigma_{xx}^{-\frac{1}{2}} v_{\max} \left( \Sigma_{xx}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Sigma_{xy} \Sigma_{yy}^{-1} \Sigma_{yx} \Sigma_{xx}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right)$
  - $CC(x, y) = \left\| \Sigma_{yy}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Sigma_{yx} \Sigma_{xx}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right\|_{\text{op}}$
- [Leverage Scores]  $h_{ii} = (X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T)_{ii} = x_i^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_i \in \left[ \frac{1}{n}, 1 \right]$ 
  - Measure of how much of an outlier  $x_i$  is compared to the center of data  $\bar{x}$
  - $\sum_{i=1}^n h_{ii} = \text{rank}(H) = p$
  - $\frac{\partial \hat{y}_i}{\partial y_i} = h_{ii}$  i.e.  $h_{ii}$  measures contribution of  $y_i$  to its own fitted value  $\hat{y}_i$
  - $\text{Var}[\hat{y}_i] = \sigma^2 h_{ii}$
- [Leave One Out Setup] Let  $X_{[-i]}$  denote the design matrix with row  $i$  left out. Then:
  - $\hat{\beta}_{[-i]} = (X_{[-i]}^T X_{[-i]})^{-1} X_{[-i]}^T Y_{[-i]}$ : OLS estimator when row  $i$  is left out
  - $\hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]} = y_i - x_i^T \hat{\beta}_{[-i]}$ : residual when  $y_i$  is predicted with the leave- $i$ -th-row-out estimator

## Theorems

- [Fact]  $R^2$  is symmetric w.r.t.  $Y$  and  $X$  i.e.  $R_{Y,X}^2 = R_{X,Y}^2$

- [10.1]  $\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$ 
  - TSS = RegSS + RSS
  - RSS =  $(1 - R^2)$ TSS =  $(1 - R^2) \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2$
  - RegSS =  $R^2$ TSS =  $R^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2$
- [10.1]  $R^2 = \hat{\rho}_{\hat{y}\hat{y}}^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})(\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2}}$
- [10.5] Under the normal linear model i.e.  $Y = \mathbb{1}\beta_0 + X\beta_1 + \epsilon$  where  $\dim \beta_1 = p$  and  $\epsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$  independent, then:  $\beta_1 = 0 \Rightarrow R^2 \sim \text{Beta}\left(\frac{p-1}{2}, \frac{n-p}{2}\right)$
- $\hat{y}_i = \sum_{j=1}^n h_{ij}y_j = h_{ii}y_i + \sum_{j \neq i} h_{ij}y_j$
- [11.1] Let  $X = [\mathbb{1}_n \ X_2]$ ,  $H = \frac{1}{n} \mathbb{1}_n \mathbb{1}_n^T$ ,  $S = \frac{1}{n-1} X_2^T (\mathbb{I} - H) X_2$ ,  $D_i^2 = (x_{i2} - \bar{x}_2)^T S^{-1} (x_{i2} - \bar{x}_2)$ .  
Then:  $h_{ii} = \frac{1}{n} + \frac{D_i^2}{n-1}$ 
  - $h_{ii}$  is a monotone function of  $D_i$  i.e. a measure of how far  $x_i$  is from  $\bar{x}$
- [11.2]  $\hat{\beta}_{[-i]} = \hat{\beta} - (1 - h_{ii})^{-1} (X^T X)^{-1} x_i \hat{\epsilon}_i$  provided that  $h_{ii} \neq 1$  (Sherman-Morrison)
- [11.3]  $\hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]} = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{1 - h_{ii}}$ 
  - Under Gauss-Markov model:
    - $\text{Var}[\hat{\epsilon}_i] = \sigma^2 (1 - h_{ii})$
    - $\text{Var}[\hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]}] = \frac{\sigma^2}{1 - h_{ii}} = \frac{\sigma^2}{1 - x_i^T (X^T X)^{-1} x_i} = \sigma^2 \left(1 + x_i^T (X_{[-i]}^T X_{[-i]})^{-1} x_i\right)$

### Manipulations

- [ $R^2$  and RSS]
  - $R_{Y,X}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1}) - \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)}{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}$
  - $1 - R_{Y,X}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)}{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}$
  - $R_{Y,XZ}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1}) - \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X + Z)}{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}$
  - $R_{Y,X|Z}^2 = \frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + Z) - \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + Z + X)}{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + Z)}$
- [Variance and RSS]
  - $\text{Var}[Y] = \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})$
  - $\text{Var}[Y|X] = \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)$
  - $\text{Var}[Y|X, U] = \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X + U)$
- [Correlation and RSS]
  - Let  $\hat{Y} = (Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)$ , then  $\rho_{Y, \hat{Y}}^2 = R_{Y,X}^2$
  - $\rho_{Y,Z|X,U}^2 = R_{Y,Z|X,U}^2$
- [Coefficient and RSS]  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X$ 
  - $\hat{\beta}_1 = \sqrt{\frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1}) - \text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)}{\text{RSS}(X \sim \mathbb{1})}}$
- [ $R^2$  and  $F$ ]  $F = \frac{n-p}{p-1} \frac{R^2}{1-R^2}$  (i.e. always true) where  $F$  and  $R^2$  are for the model  $Y = \mathbb{1}_n \hat{\beta}_0 + X \hat{\beta} + \hat{\epsilon}$  and  $Y = \mathbb{1}_n \tilde{\beta}_0 + \tilde{\epsilon}$ 
  - Under normal linear model, if  $\beta = 0$ , then  $R^2 \sim \text{Beta}\left(\frac{p-1}{2}, \frac{n-p}{2}\right)$

### Extra

- [Huber] Let  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  be the true model, where  $X$  fixed,  $\epsilon$  i.i.d. mean 0, variance  $\sigma^2 < \infty$  not necessarily normal. Then, any linear combination of  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$  is asymptotically normal if and only if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} h_{ii} = 0$ .

# Population OLS

## Definitions

- [Set-Up] Let  $(x_i, y_i) \sim (x, y)$  i.i.d.  $X \in \mathbb{R}^p$ ,  $Y \in \mathbb{R}$ 
  - In particular,  $X$  is no longer fixed
  - $\mathbb{E}[Y|X]$  is the best estimator for  $Y$  given  $X$ , but we restrict to linear estimators
- [Population OLS Coefficient]  $\beta = \arg \min_{b \in \mathbb{R}^p} \mathbb{E}_{x,y}[(y - x^T b)^2]$ ,  $\hat{y} = x^T b$ 
  - $\beta = \mathbb{E}[XX^T]^{-1} \mathbb{E}[XY] = \mathbb{E}[XX^T]^{-1} \mathbb{E}[X \mathbb{E}[Y|X]]$
  - $\text{Cov}[y - \hat{y}, \hat{y}] = 0$ ,  $\text{Cov}[y, \hat{y}] = \text{Var}[\hat{y}]$
- [Population Residual]  $\epsilon := y - x^T \beta$ 
  - [Uncorrelatedness]  $\mathbb{E}[x\epsilon] = 0$
- [Population  $R^2$ ]  $R^2 = \frac{\Sigma_{yx} \Sigma_{xx}^{-1} \Sigma_{xy}}{\sigma_y^2}$ 
  - [12.5]  $R^2 = \frac{\text{Var}[\hat{y}]}{\text{Var}[y]}$
  - [12.6]  $R^2 = \max_{b \in \mathbb{R}^{p-1}} \rho^2(y, x^T b) = \rho^2(y, \hat{y})$
- [Population Partial  $R^2$ ]  $R_{yx|w}^2 = R_{\tilde{y}\tilde{x}}^2$ 
  - [12.7]  $\rho_{XY|W} = \frac{\rho_{XY} - \rho_{XW}\rho_{YW}}{\sqrt{1 - \rho_{XW}^2} \sqrt{1 - \rho_{YW}^2}}$
- [Restricted Mean Model] The true model is:  $\mathbb{E}[y|x] = x^T \beta$ 
  - $\beta$  is parameter of interest
- [Regression Model] Generate  $(x, \epsilon)$  under constraints e.g.  $\mathbb{E}[\epsilon|x] = 0$ , then generate  $y = x^T \beta + \epsilon$ 
  - Stronger assumption than correlation model
- [Correlation Model] Start with  $(x, y)$ , decompose  $y = x^T \beta + \epsilon$  where  $\text{Cov}[x^T \beta, \epsilon] = 0$

## Theorems

- [12.1] Let  $m$  be any function. Then:  $\mathbb{E}[(y - m(x))^2] = \mathbb{E}[\text{Var}[y|x]] + \mathbb{E}[(\mathbb{E}[y|x] - m(x))^2]$ 
  - $\mathbb{E}[y|x] = \arg \min_m \mathbb{E}[(y - m(x))^2]$
- [LLSE] For scalar  $x, y$ , the best linear predictor is  $\hat{y} = \hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}x$ 
  - $\hat{\beta} = \frac{\text{Cov}[x,y]}{\text{Var}[x]} = \rho_{xy} \sqrt{\frac{\text{Var}[y]}{\text{Var}[x]}}$
  - $\hat{\alpha} = \mathbb{E}[y] - \mathbb{E}[x]\hat{\beta}$
- [Population FWL] Let  $y = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_1 + \dots + \hat{\beta}_{p-1} x_{p-1} + \hat{\epsilon}$  be the population OLS decomposition and  $\tilde{y} = \tilde{\beta}_k \tilde{x}_k + \tilde{\epsilon}$ .
  - $\hat{\beta}_k = \frac{\text{Cov}[\tilde{x}_k, y]}{\text{Var}[\tilde{x}_k]} = \frac{\text{Cov}[\tilde{x}_k, \tilde{y}]}{\text{Var}[\tilde{x}_k]} = \tilde{\beta}_k$  (Apply  $\text{Cov}[\tilde{x}_k, \cdot]$  to the partial regressions)
  - $\hat{\epsilon} = \tilde{\epsilon}$
- [Population Cochran] Let  $y = \beta_1^T x_1 + \beta_2^T x_2 + \epsilon$  where  $x_1, x_2$  are random vectors. Let  $y = \tilde{\beta}_2^T x_2 + \tilde{\epsilon}$  and  $x_1 = \delta^T x_2 + u$ , then:  $\tilde{\beta}_2 = \beta_2 + \delta \beta_1$

## Inference

- $\hat{\beta} = \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i \right)$
- $\sqrt{n}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \rightarrow N(0, B^{-1} M B^{-1})$  where  $B = \mathbb{E}[xx^T]$  and  $M = \mathbb{E}[\epsilon^2 x x^T]$
- $\hat{V}_{EHW} = \frac{1}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2 x_i x_i^T \right) \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1}$
- [12.8] Let  $(x_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n \sim (x, y)$  i.i.d. with  $\mathbb{E}[\|x\|^4] < \infty$  and  $\mathbb{E}[y^4] < \infty$ , then  $\sqrt{n}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \rightarrow N(0, B^{-1} M B^{-1})$  and  $n \hat{V}_{EHW} \rightarrow B^{-1} M B^{-1}$  in probability.
- EHW standard error is robust to heteroskedasticity of errors and to misspecification of linear model

# Algorithms

## Outlier Detection & Model Checking the Normal Linear Model

- [Standardised Residual]  $\text{standr}_i = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{\sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^2(1-h_{ii})}}$ 
  - (-) Exact distribution unknown
- [Studentised Residual]  $\text{studr}_i = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]}}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{\sigma}^2_{[-i]}}{(1-h_{ii})}}} = \frac{y_i - x_i^T \hat{\beta}_{[-i]}}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{\sigma}^2_{[-i]}}{(1-h_{ii})}}} \sim t_{n-p-1}$ 
  - $y_i, \hat{\beta}_{[-i]}, \hat{\sigma}^2_{[-i]}$  mutually independent
- [Cook Distance]  $\text{cook}_i = \frac{(x\hat{\beta}_{[-i]} - x\hat{\beta})^T (x\hat{\beta}_{[-i]} - x\hat{\beta})}{p\hat{\sigma}^2}$ 
  - $\text{cook}_i$  measures change in OLS fitted value after leaving  $(x_i, y_i)$  out
  - $\text{cook}_i = \text{standr}_i^2 \frac{h_{ii}}{p(1-h_{ii})}$

## Jackknife

- Crude but versatile strategy for bias and variance estimation (and thus bias reduction)
  - Utilises leave-one-out idea; work with pseudo-values
  - Can be used for cross-validation
- $\hat{\theta}_{[-i]}$ : estimator of  $\theta$  without observation  $i$
- [Pseudo-value]  $\tilde{\theta}_i = n\hat{\theta} - (n-1)\hat{\theta}_{[-i]}$
- [Jackknife Point Estimator]  $\hat{\theta}_J = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \tilde{\theta}_i$
- [Jackknife Variance Estimator]  $\hat{V}_J = \frac{1}{n(n-1)} \sum_{i=1}^n (\tilde{\theta}_i - \hat{\theta}_J)(\tilde{\theta}_i - \hat{\theta}_J)^T$
- In the context of linear models:
  - [Pseudo-value]  $\tilde{\beta}_i = \hat{\beta} + (n-1) \frac{1}{1-h_{ii}} (X^T X)^{-1} x_i \hat{\epsilon}_i$
  - [Jackknife Point Estimator]  $\hat{\beta}_J = \hat{\beta} + \frac{n-1}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i}{1-h_{ii}} \right)$
  - [Jackknife Variance Estimator]  $\hat{V}_J = \frac{n-1}{n} (X^T X)^{-1} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{1-h_{ii}} \right) x_i x_i^T \right) (X^T X)^{-1}$

## Gauss Updating Algorithm

- Idea: data  $(x_t, y_t)$  comes in a stream; want to compute  $\hat{\beta}_{(t)}$  online
- [11.4]  $\hat{\beta}_{(n+1)} = \hat{\beta}_{(n)} + \gamma_{(n+1)} \hat{\epsilon}_{[n+1]}$ 
  - $\gamma_{(n+1)} = (X_{(n+1)}^T X_{(n+1)})^{-1} x_{n+1}$
  - $\hat{\epsilon}_{[n+1]} = y_{n+1} - x_{n+1}^T \hat{\beta}_{(n)}$ : predicted residual of the  $(n+1)$ th outcome
- [Gauss Updating Algorithm]
  - [Initialise]  $V_{(n)} = (X_{(n)}^T X_{(n)})^{-1}, \hat{\beta}_{(n)}$
  - $V_{(n+1)} = V_{(n)} - (1 + x_{n+1}^T V_{(n)} x_{n+1})^{-1} V_{(n)} x_{n+1} x_{n+1}^T V_{(n)}$  // new inverse via Sherman-Morrison
  - $\gamma_{(n+1)} = V_{(n+1)} x_{n+1}, \hat{\epsilon}_{(n+1)} = y_{n+1} - x_{n+1}^T \hat{\beta}_{(n)}$  // 11.4
  - $\hat{\beta}_{(n+1)} = \hat{\beta}_{(n)} + \gamma_{(n+1)} \hat{\epsilon}_{(n+1)}$  // 11.4

## Conformal Predictions

- Key idea: leverage on i.i.d. distribution and exchangeability to conduct prediction
- Under  $H_0: y_{n+1} = y^*$ :
  - Obtain residuals  $\hat{\epsilon}_i(y^*) = y_i - x_i^T \hat{\beta}(y^*)$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, n+1\}$
  - $\{|\hat{\epsilon}_i^*(y^*)|\}_{i=1}^{n+1}$  are exchangeable
  - Define the rank of  $|\hat{\epsilon}_j^*(y^*)|$  as  $\hat{R}_j(y^*) = 1 + \sum_{i \neq j}^{n+1} \mathbb{1}\{|\hat{\epsilon}_i(y^*)| \leq |\hat{\epsilon}_j(y^*)|\}$
  - $\hat{R}_{n+1}(y^*) \sim \text{Uniform}(\{1, \dots, n+1\})$
  - $\mathbb{P}[\hat{R}_{n+1}(y^*) \leq \lceil (1-\alpha)(n+1) \rceil] \geq 1-\alpha$

# Model Selection

## Multicollinearity

- [Variance Inflation Factor] A measure of amount of multicollinearity
  - [Set-Up]  $y_i = f(x_i) + \epsilon_i$  is the true model,  $\mathbb{E}[\epsilon_i] = 0$ ,  $\text{Var}[\epsilon_i] = \sigma^2$ ,  $\epsilon_i$  uncorrelated
  - [Long Regression]  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X_1 + \dots + X_p$ , giving  $Y = \hat{\beta}_0 + \dots + \hat{\beta}_p X_p + \hat{\epsilon}$
  - [Short Regression]  $Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X_j$ , giving  $Y = \tilde{\beta}_0 + \tilde{\beta}_j X_j + \tilde{\epsilon}$
  - [Variance Inflation Factor]  $\frac{1}{1-R_j^2}$  where  $R_j^2$  is the  $R^2$  value from  $X_j \sim \mathbb{1} + X_{[-j]}$
  - $\text{Var}[\tilde{\beta}_j] = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{ij} - \bar{x}_j)^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\text{RSS}(X_j \sim \mathbb{1} + X_{[-j]})}$
  - $\text{Var}[\hat{\beta}_j] = \frac{\text{Var}[\tilde{\beta}_j]}{1-R_j^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{ij} - \bar{x}_j)^2} \frac{1}{1-R_j^2}$

## Model Selection Criteria

- [RSS,  $R^2$ ] Strictly favours large models
- [Adjusted  $R^2$ ]  $\bar{R}^2 = 1 - \frac{n-1}{n-p} (1 - R^2) = 1 - \frac{\frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1} + X)}{n-p}}{\frac{\text{RSS}(Y \sim \mathbb{1})}{n-1}} = 1 - \frac{\hat{\sigma}^2}{\hat{\sigma}_y^2}$ 
  - Chooses the model with the smallest estimated variance  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  as the best
  - Still favours unnecessarily large models due to upper quantile of  $F$  statistic
- [Akaike Information Criterion]  $\text{AIC} = n \log \left( \frac{\text{RSS}}{n} \right) + 2p$ 
  - Selects model that minimises prediction error if the linear model is misspecified
  - Recommended, since linear model assumption cannot be justified in practice
- [Bayes Information Criterion]  $\text{BIC} = n \log \left( \frac{\text{RSS}}{n} \right) + p \log n$ 
  - Consistently selects true model if the linear model is correct
- [Predicted Residual Error Sum of Squares]  $\text{PRESS} = \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{(1-h_{ii})^2}$ 
  - Leave-one-out cross validation; sums up the predicted residuals
  - Analog of RSS (in-sample): "leave-one-out" RSS
- [Generalised Cross Validation]  $\text{GCV} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{n}\right)^2} = \frac{\text{RSS}}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{n}\right)^2}$ 
  - Approximation to PRESS
  - As  $\frac{p}{n} \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\log \text{GCV} \approx \frac{\text{AIC}}{n} + \log n$
- [ $K$ -Fold Cross Validation] Computationally attractive
  - Randomly shuffle the observations
  - Split the data into  $K$  folds
  - For each fold, use all other folds as the training data; compute the predicted errors on fold  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$
  - Aggregate prediction errors across the  $K$  folds, denoted as  $K$ -CV

## Model Selection Algorithms

- [Best Subset Selection] Enumerate all  $2^p$  models
- [Forward Selection] Start with  $\mathbb{1}$  and greedily include the best covariate; select the best model out of the sequence of models
  - Generally prefer this; works for  $p > n$
- [Backward Selection] Start with all covariates and greedily exclude the worst covariate; select the best model out of the sequence of models

## Propositions

- [13.2] Consider testing two nested models:  $Y = X_1 \beta_1 + \epsilon$  and  $Y = X_1 \beta_1 + X_2 \beta_2 + \epsilon$ . Then  $F > 1 \Leftrightarrow \bar{R}_1^2 < \bar{R}_2^2$ .
  - This is equivalent to testing if  $\beta_2 = 0$

# Ridge and LASSO

## Definitions

- [Ridge Regression]  $\hat{\beta}_\lambda = (X^T X + \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} X^T Y = X^T (X X^T + \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} Y$ 
  - $\hat{\beta}_\lambda = \arg \min_{\beta} \{\|Y - X\beta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\beta\|_2^2\} = \arg \min_{\beta} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} Y \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} X \\ \sqrt{\lambda} \mathbb{I} \end{bmatrix} \beta \right\|_2^2$
  - Not invariant to transformations:  $X^T \mathbb{1}_n = 0, = 1, Y^T \mathbb{1}_n = 0$
- [Principal Component Analysis] Let  $X$  be centered,  $X = U \Sigma V^T$ 
  - The  $k$ th principal component of  $X$  is  $u_k = \frac{1}{\sigma_k} X v_k$
  - $v_1 = \arg \max_{v: \|v\|=1} v^T X^T X v$
  - $v_2 = \arg \max_{v: \|v\|=1, v \perp v_1} v^T X^T X v$
- [LASSO]  $\hat{\beta} = \arg \min_{\beta} \{\|Y - X\beta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\beta\|_1\}$

## Results

- [Properties of Ridge]
  - $\mathbb{E}[\hat{\beta}_\lambda] \neq \beta$  in general i.e. ridge estimator is biased
  - $\text{Var}[\hat{\beta}_\lambda] = \sigma^2 V \text{diag} \left( \frac{\sigma_1^2}{(\sigma_1^2 + \lambda)^2}, \dots, \frac{\sigma_n^2}{(\sigma_n^2 + \lambda)^2} \right) V^T$
  - $\text{MSE}(\lambda) = \lambda^2 \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{(v_i^T \beta)^2}{(\sigma_i^2 + \lambda)^2} + \sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\sigma_i^2}{(\sigma_i^2 + \lambda)^2}$  where  $\{v_i\}_{i=1}^p$  were vectors in  $V$
  - $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \hat{\beta}_\lambda = X^+ Y$
- [Choice of  $\lambda$ ]
  - $\lambda_{HKB} = \frac{p \hat{\sigma}^2}{\|\hat{\beta}\|^2}$
  - $\lambda_{LW} = \frac{p \hat{\sigma}^2}{\hat{\beta}^T \Sigma^2 \hat{\beta}}$  where  $\Sigma$  is from the SVD of  $X$
- [14.2] Let  $\hat{\beta}(\lambda)$  be the ridge estimator as a function of  $\lambda$  and  $\hat{\epsilon}(\lambda) = Y - X \hat{\beta}(\lambda)$ . Let  $H(\lambda) = X(X^T X + \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} X^T$  and  $h_{ii}(\lambda) = x_i^T (X^T X + \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} x_i$ .
  - $\hat{\beta}_{[-i]}(\lambda) = \hat{\beta}(\lambda) - \frac{1}{1 - h_{ii}(\lambda)} (X^T X + \lambda \mathbb{I})^{-1} x_i \hat{\epsilon}_i(\lambda)$
  - $\hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]}(\lambda) = \frac{\hat{\epsilon}_i(\lambda)}{1 - h_{ii}(\lambda)}$
  - $\text{PRESS}(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left( \hat{\epsilon}_{[-i]}(\lambda) \right)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\hat{\epsilon}_i(\lambda))^2}{(1 - h_{ii}(\lambda))^2}$
  - $\text{GCV}(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\hat{\epsilon}_i(\lambda))^2}{\left(1 - \frac{\text{tr}(H(\lambda))}{n}\right)^2}$
- [SVD Form]
  - [OLS]  $\hat{y} = \sum_{i=1}^p \langle u_j, y \rangle u_j$ : considers all principal components
  - [Ridge]  $\hat{y} = \sum_{i=1}^p \frac{\sigma_j^2}{\sigma_j^2 + \lambda} \langle u_j, y \rangle u_j$ 
    - Deprioritise the less important principal components (too much noise)
  - [Principal Component Regression]  $\hat{y} = \sum_{i=1}^{p'} \langle u_j, y \rangle u_j, p' \leq p$ 
    - $Y \sim u_1, \dots, u_{p'}$  i.e. drop the less important principle components

## Variants of Least Squares

### Transformations

- Key idea: Transform data to hope that residuals become approximately normal
- [Log Transform]  $\log y_i = x_i^T \beta + \epsilon_i$ 
  - $\beta$  interpreted as proportional increase in average outcome
  - $\log y_i = x_i^T \beta + \epsilon_i$  and  $x_j$ -elasticity of  $y$
- [Box-Cox Transformation]  $g_\lambda(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{y^\lambda - 1}{\lambda}, & \lambda \neq 0 \\ \log y, & \lambda = 0 \end{cases}$
- [Basis]  $y_i = \sum_{j=1}^{J_1} \beta_{1j} S_j(x_{i1}) + \dots + \sum_{j=1}^{J_p} \beta_{pj} S_j(x_{ip}) + \epsilon_i$  where  $S_j$  are basis functions
- [Polynomial]  $S_j(x) = x^j$
- [Discontinuity]  $\mathbb{1}\{x > c\}$
- [Kinks]  $\mathbb{1}\{x > c\}(x - c) = \max(0, x - c)$

### Interactions

- Key idea: interplay of two or more variables acting simultaneously on an outcome
- Just add  $x_1 x_2$  terms

### Restricted OLS

- $\hat{\beta}_r = \arg \min_{b \in \mathbb{R}^p: Cb=r} \|Y - Xb\|^2$ ,  $C$  full row rank i.e.  $\text{rank}(C) = l < p$
- [18.1] If  $X^T X$  is invertible, then  $\hat{\beta}_r = \hat{\beta} - (X^T X)^{-1} C^T (C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T)^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - r)$ 
  - Prove by Lagrangian
  - $\hat{\beta}_r - \beta = M_r(\hat{\beta} - \beta)$
- [18.2] If  $r = 0$ , then  $\hat{\beta}_r = (\mathbb{I} - (X^T X)^{-1} C^T (C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T)^{-1} C) \hat{\beta} = M_r \hat{\beta}$ 
  - $M_r(X^T X)^{-1} C^T = 0$ ,  $C M_r = 0$ ,  $(\mathbb{I} - C^T (C C^T)^{-1} C) M_r = M_r$
- [18.3] Under Gauss-Markov model,  $\mathbb{E}[\hat{\beta}_r] = \beta$ ,  $\text{Cov}[\hat{\beta}_r] = \sigma^2 M_r (X^T X)^{-1} M_r^T$
- [18.2] Under normal linear model,  $\hat{\beta}_r \sim N(\beta, \sigma^2 M_r (X^T X)^{-1} M_r^T)$ 
  - $\hat{\sigma}_r^2 = \frac{\|\hat{\epsilon}_r\|^2}{n-p+l}$  is unbiased for  $\sigma$ , where  $\hat{\epsilon}_r = Y - X\hat{\beta}_r$
  - $\hat{\beta}_r \perp \hat{\sigma}_r^2$

# Mechanics

## Definitions

- [Sample Correlation Coefficient]  $\hat{\rho}_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$
- [Efficiency] Let  $\hat{\theta}_1, \hat{\theta}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^n$  be estimators. Then  $\hat{\theta}_1$  is more efficient than  $\hat{\theta}_2$  if  $\text{Cov}[\hat{\theta}_2] \succcurlyeq \text{Cov}[\hat{\theta}_1]$  i.e.  $\text{Var}[l^T \hat{\theta}_2] \geq \text{Var}[l^T \hat{\theta}_1] \forall l \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- [Rayleigh Quotient]  $r(x) = \frac{x^T A x}{x^T x}, x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ 
  - $\lambda_{\max}(A) = \max_{x \neq 0} r(x)$
  - $\lambda_{\min}(A) = \min_{x \neq 0} r(x)$
  - $\lambda_{\min}(A) \leq A_{ii} \leq \lambda_{\max}(A)$
- [Projection Matrix] A matrix  $H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is a projection matrix if it is symmetric and  $H^2 = H$ .
  - Eigenvalues of  $H$  must be 0 or 1
  - $\text{tr}(H) = \text{rank}(H)$
- [Pseudoinverse] Let  $A = U \Sigma V^T$ . Then  $A^\dagger = V \Sigma^\dagger U^T$ .
  - $AA^\dagger A = A$
  - $A^\dagger A A^\dagger = A^\dagger$
- [Gamma Function]  $\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty x^{z-1} e^{-x} dx, z > 0$ 
  - $\Gamma(n) = (n-1)!$
- [Digamma]  $\psi(z) = \frac{d \log \Gamma}{dz}$
- [Trigamma]  $\psi'(z)$
- [Chi-squared Random Variable] Let  $Q_\nu \sim \chi_\nu^2$  be a chi-squared random variable with  $\nu$  degrees of freedom.
  - If  $\nu \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $Q_\nu = \sum_{i=1}^\nu Z_i^2$  where  $Z_i \sim N(0,1)$  i.i.d.
  - $f_\nu(q) = \frac{q^{\frac{\nu}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{q}{2}}}{2^{\frac{\nu}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{\nu}{2})}, q > 0$
  - $\chi_\nu^2 \sim \Gamma\left(\frac{\nu}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$
- [t Random Variable] A  $t$  random variable with degrees of freedom  $\nu$  is represented as  $t_\nu = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{\frac{Q_\nu}{\nu}}}$ , where  $Z \sim N(0,1)$ ,  $Q_\nu \sim \chi_\nu^2$  and  $Z \perp Q_\nu$
- [F Random Variable] A  $F$  random variable with degrees of freedom  $(r, s)$  is represented as  $F = \frac{\frac{Q_r}{r}}{\frac{Q_s}{s}}$  where  $Q_r \sim \chi_r^2$ ,  $Q_s \sim \chi_s^2$  and  $Q_r \perp Q_s$
- [Gamma Distribution]  $X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \beta), \alpha, \beta > 0, f(x) = \frac{\beta^\alpha}{\Gamma(\alpha)} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta x}$  for  $x > 0$ 
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta}, \text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^2}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[\log X] = \psi(\alpha) - \log \beta, \text{Var}[\log X] = \psi'(\alpha)$
- [Beta Distribution]  $X \sim B(\alpha, \beta), \alpha, \beta > 0, f(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}$  for  $x \in (0,1)$ 
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha+\beta}, \text{Var}[X] = \frac{\alpha\beta}{(\alpha+\beta)(\alpha+\beta+1)}$
  - $\mathbb{E}[\log X] = \psi(\alpha) - \psi(\alpha+\beta), \text{Var}[\log X] = \psi'(\alpha) - \psi'(\alpha+\beta)$
- [Gumbel Distribution] Let  $X_0 \sim \text{Expo}(1)$ . Then  $Y = \mu - \beta \log X \sim \text{Gumbel}(\mu, \beta)$ 
  - Let  $Y \sim \text{Gumbel}(0,1)$ , then  $F(y) = e^{-e^{-y}}, y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $f(y) = e^{-e^{-y}} e^{-y}, y \in \mathbb{R}$
- [Characteristic Function] Let  $X \in \mathbb{R}^n$  be a random vector. Then the characteristic function is:  $\phi_X(t) = \mathbb{E}[e^{it^T X}]$  for  $t \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .
- [Convergence of Random Vectors] Let  $X_n, X \in \mathbb{R}^k$  be random vectors. Then  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in probability if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}[\|X_n - X\| > \epsilon] = 0 \forall \epsilon > 0$



- If  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  and  $(Y_n)_n \rightarrow Y$  in probability, then  $(X_n, Y_n)_n \rightarrow (X, Y)$  in probability
- Let  $X_1, X_2, \dots$  be i.i.d. with mean  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}^k$ , then  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i \rightarrow \mu$  in probability
- [Convergence in Distribution] Let  $(X_n)_n, X \in \mathbb{R}^k$ . Then  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in distribution if  $\forall$  continuous point  $z$  of  $t \mapsto \mathbb{P}[X \leq t]$ ,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbb{P}[X_n \leq t] = \mathbb{P}[X \leq t]$
- [M-Estimator] Let  $\theta$  be a parameter and  $\hat{\theta}$  be an estimator for  $\theta$ . Then  $\hat{\theta}$  is an M-estimator if it is a solution to a set of equations of the form  $\sum_{i=1}^n U(Y_i; \hat{\theta}) = 0$  where  $Y_i$  are i.i.d. observed data.
  - $U$  has same dimensions as  $\theta$  i.e.  $U: \mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$  and must satisfy some regularity conditions
- [Sandwich Covariance Estimator]
 
$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial}{\partial b} \mathbb{E}[m(Y_i, \hat{\beta})] \right)^{-1} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n m(Y_i, \hat{\beta}) m(Y_i, \hat{\beta})^T \right) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial}{\partial b} \mathbb{E}[m(Y_i, \hat{\beta})] \right)^{-T}$$
  - It is the plug-in estimator of the covariance of  $\hat{\beta}$ .
  - It is a covariance matrix estimator

### Propositions

- Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$  be of rank  $k$ . Then  $A = BC$  for some  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$  and  $C \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times m}$ .
- Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be symmetric. Then  $A = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \gamma_i \gamma_i^T$  for orthonormal  $\gamma_i$ .
- [Polar Decomposition] Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  with  $A = U \Sigma V^T$ , then  $A = (AA^T)^{\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma$  where  $\Gamma = UV^T$  is an orthogonal matrix.
- [B.8] Let  $Y_1, Y_2 \sim \text{Expo}(\lambda)$ . Then  $Y = Y_1 - Y_2 \sim \text{Laplace}\left(0, \frac{1}{\lambda}\right)$
- [B.9] Let  $Y_i \sim \text{Gumbel}(\mu, \beta)$  i.i.d. Then  $\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} Y_i \sim \text{Gumbel}(\log \sum_{i=1}^n e^{\mu_i}, 1)$
- Let  $X \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $Y \in \mathbb{R}^m$ , then  $\text{Cov}[X, Y] = \mathbb{E}[(X - \mathbb{E}[X])(Y - \mathbb{E}[Y])^T] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ 
  - $\text{Cov}[X, Y]_{ij} = \mathbb{E}[(X_i - \mathbb{E}[X_i])(Y_j - \mathbb{E}[Y_j])] = \text{Cov}[X_i, Y_j]$
  - $\text{Cov}[X] = \mathbb{E}[XX^T] - \mathbb{E}[X]\mathbb{E}[X]^T$
  - $\text{Cov}[AX + B, CY + D] = A\text{Cov}[X, Y]C^T$
  - $\text{Cov}[AX + BY] = A\text{Cov}[X, Y]B^T + B\text{Cov}[Y, X]A^T$
- [Multivariate Normal] Let  $Y \sim N(\mu, \Sigma) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then  $Y = \mu + AZ$  where  $AA^T = \Sigma$  for some  $k$  s.t.  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$  and  $Z \sim N(0, \mathbb{I}_k)$ 
  - The distribution  $\mu + AZ$  is unique regardless of the decomposition  $\Sigma = AA^T$ , particularly for singular  $\Sigma$
  - Generally, use  $Y = \mu + \Sigma^{\frac{1}{2}}Z$
- [B.14] Let  $Z \sim N(0, \mathbb{I}_n)$  and  $\Gamma$  be an orthogonal matrix. Then  $\Gamma Z \sim N(0, \mathbb{I}_n)$
- [Properties of Characteristic Function]
  - $\phi_X(t) = \phi_Y(t)$  if and only if  $X = Y$  in law
  - If  $X, Y$  independent, then  $\phi_{X+Y}(t) = \phi_X(t)\phi_Y(t)$
  - $X_n \rightarrow X$  in distribution if and only if  $\phi_{X_n}(t) \rightarrow \phi_X(t) \forall t \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- [Properties of Multivariate Normal] Let  $X \sim N_p(\mu, \Sigma)$  with  $\Sigma > 0$ 
  - $Y = \Sigma^{-\frac{1}{2}}(X - \mu) \sim N_p(0, \mathbb{I}_p)$
  - $X = \Sigma^{\frac{1}{2}}Y + \mu$  where  $Y \sim N_p(0, \mathbb{I}_p)$
  - $\mathbb{E}[X] = \mu, \text{Var}[X] = \Sigma$
  - Let  $v \in \mathbb{R}^p$ , then  $v^T X$  is univariate normal  $\sim N(v^T \mu, v^T \Sigma v)$
  - $U = (X - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (X - \mu) \sim \chi_p^2$
- [B.16] Let  $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2 \mathbb{I}_n)$ . If  $AB^T = 0$ , then  $AX \perp BX$ .
- [C.4] Let  $(X_n)_n \in \mathbb{R}^k$  be zero-mean and with  $\text{Cov}[X_n] = a_n C_n$  where  $(a_n)_n \rightarrow 0$  and  $(C_n)_n \rightarrow C < \infty$ , then  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow 0$  in probability.
- [C.5] Let  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in probability and  $\|X_n\| \leq \|X\|$  with  $\mathbb{E}[\|X\|] < \infty$ , then  $\mathbb{E}[X_n] \rightarrow \mathbb{E}[X]$ 
  - Prove by subsequence converges a.s., then dominated convergence theorem

- [C.6] Let  $(X_n)_n$  be random vectors. Then,  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow c$  in probability is equivalent to  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow c$  in distribution.

## Theorems

- [A.5 Projection Matrix] Let  $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$  be of rank  $p$ , then  $H = X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is a projection matrix.
- [A.5 Projection Matrix] Let  $H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ . If  $H$  is of rank  $p$ , then  $H = X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T$  for some  $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$ .
- [B.1] Let  $X \sim \Gamma(\alpha, \theta)$ ,  $Y \sim \Gamma(\beta, \theta)$  and  $X \perp Y$ . Then:
  - $X + Y \sim \Gamma(\alpha + \beta, \theta)$
  - $\frac{X}{X+Y} \sim \beta(\alpha, \beta)$
  - $X + Y \perp \frac{X}{X+Y}$
- [B.4]  $\text{Cov}[X, Y] = \mathbb{E}[\text{Cov}[X, Y|Z]] + \text{Cov}[\mathbb{E}[X|Z], \mathbb{E}[Y|Z]]$
- [B.5] Let  $\begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & \Sigma_{12} \\ \Sigma_{21} & \Sigma_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)$ , then  $X_1 \perp X_2$  if and only if  $\Sigma_{12} = \Sigma_{21} = 0$
- [B.6 Lévy-Cramér] Let  $X_1 \perp X_2$  and  $X_1 + X_2$  be normal. Then both  $X_1$  and  $X_2$  must be normal.
- [B.7] Let  $\begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} \sim N\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_{11} & \Sigma_{12} \\ \Sigma_{21} & \Sigma_{22} \end{bmatrix}\right)$ 
  - $X_1 \sim N(\mu_1, \Sigma_{11})$
  - $X_2 \sim N(\mu_2, \Sigma_{22})$
  - If  $\Sigma_{22} > 0$ , then  $X_1|X_2 = x_2 \sim N(\mu_1 + \Sigma_{12}\Sigma_{22}^{-1}(x_2 - \mu_2), \Sigma_{11} - \Sigma_{12}\Sigma_{22}^{-1}\Sigma_{21})$ 
    - Variance of  $X_1$  can only decrease after knowing  $X_2$
    - $\Sigma_{22}^{-1}$  is rescaling the information gained from  $X_2$
  - $X_1 - \Sigma_{12}\Sigma_{22}^{-1}(X_2 - \mu_2) \sim N(\mu_1, \Sigma_{11} - \Sigma_{12}\Sigma_{22}^{-1}\Sigma_{21})$
  - $X_2 \perp X_1 - \Sigma_{12}\Sigma_{22}^{-1}(X_2 - \mu_2)$
- [B.8] Let  $Y$  be s.t.  $\mathbb{E}[Y] = \mu$ ,  $\text{Cov}[Y] = \Sigma$  and  $A$  be a symmetric matrix. Then  $\mathbb{E}[Y^T A Y] = \text{tr}(A\Sigma) + \mu^T A \mu$ 
  - $\mathbb{E}[Y^T Y] = \Sigma + \mu\mu^T$
- [B.9] Let  $Y \sim N(\mu, \Sigma)$  and  $A$  be a symmetric matrix, then  $\text{Var}[Y^T A Y] = 2\text{tr}(A\Sigma A\Sigma) + 4\mu^T A\Sigma A\mu$
- [B.10]
  - Let  $Y \sim N(\mu, \Sigma)$  with  $\Sigma > 0$ , then  $(Y - \mu)^T \Sigma (Y - \mu) \sim \chi_n^2$ . If  $\text{rank}(\Sigma) = k < n$ , then  $(Y - \mu)^T \Sigma^\dagger (Y - \mu) \sim \chi_k^2$
  - Let  $Y \sim N(0, \mathbb{I}_n)$  and  $H$  be projection matrix of rank  $k$ , then  $Y^T H Y \sim \chi_k^2$
  - Let  $Y \sim N(0, H)$  where  $H$  is a projection matrix of rank  $k$ , then  $Y^T Y \sim \chi_k^2$
- [Lindeberg-Feller CLT] Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $X_{n,1}, \dots, X_{n,k_n}$  be independent random vectors s.t.  $\text{Cov}[X_{n,i}] < \infty$ . Assuming the following conditions hold:
  - (LF1)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{k_n} \mathbb{E}[\|X_{n,i}\|^2 \mathbb{1}\{\|X_{n,i}\| > c\}] = 0 \quad \forall c > 0$
  - (LF1')  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{k_n} \mathbb{E}[\|X_{n,i}\|^{2+\delta}] = 0$  for some  $\delta > 0$ 
    - (LF1')  $\Rightarrow$  (LF1)
  - (LF2)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^{k_n} \text{Cov}[X_{n,i}] = \Sigma$

Then  $\sum_{i=1}^{k_n} (X_{n,i} - \mathbb{E}[X_{n,i}]) \rightarrow N(0, \Sigma)$  in distribution
- [Huber; Asymptotic Normality under Arbitrary Errors] Let  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  where  $X$  is fixed (but  $n, p$  are allowed to scale) and  $\epsilon$  i.i.d., not necessarily normal, with mean 0 and finite variance  $\sigma^2$ . Let  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$  and  $H = X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T$ . Any linear combination of  $\hat{\beta}$  is asymptotically normal if and only if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} H_{ii} = 0$  (referred to as the leverage score condition)
  - [Leverage Score]  $H_{ii}$  is the leverage score of unit  $i$

- [Maximum Leverage Score]  $\kappa = \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} H_{ii}$
- [Continuous Mapping Theorem] Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be continuous except on a measure 0 set. Then  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in probability implies  $(f(X_n))_n \rightarrow f(X)$  in probability.
  - $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in distribution implies  $(f(X_n))_n \rightarrow f(X)$  in distribution
- [Slutsky's Theorem] Let  $(X_n)_n$  and  $(Y_n)_n$  be random vectors. Let  $(X_n)_n \rightarrow X$  in distribution and  $(Y_n)_n \rightarrow c$  in probability (and equivalently in distribution). Then:
  - $(X_n + Y_n)_n \rightarrow X + c$  in distribution
  - $(X_n Y_n)_n \rightarrow cX$  in distribution
  - $\left(\frac{X_n}{Y_n}\right)_n \rightarrow \frac{X}{c}$  in distribution provided  $c \neq 0$
- [Delta Method] Let  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  and  $Df \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ . Then  $\sqrt{n}(X_n - \theta) \rightarrow N(\mu, \Sigma)$  in distribution implies  $\sqrt{n}(f(X_n) - f(\theta)) \rightarrow N\left((Df(\theta))^T \mu, (Df(\theta))^T \Sigma (Df(\theta))\right)$
- [Properties of M-Estimator] Let  $\mathbb{E}[U(Y_i; \theta_0)] = 0$  i.e. estimating equation is unbiased:
  - $\hat{\theta}_n$  is asymptotically consistent for  $\theta_0$
  - $\hat{\theta}_n$  has an asymptotic distribution of  $N(\theta_0, A(\theta_0)^{-1} B(\theta_0) A(\theta_0)^{-1})$ 
    - $A(\theta_0) = \mathbb{E}\left[-\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} U(Y_i; \theta) |_{\theta=\theta_0}\right]$
    - $B(\theta_0) = \mathbb{E}[U(Y_i; \theta_0) U(Y_i; \theta_0)^T]$
- [D.1] Let  $(Y_i)_{i=1}^n$  be i.i.d. Suppose the true parameter  $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^p$  is the unique solution of  $\mathbb{E}[m(Y, \beta)] = 0$  and the estimator  $\sum_{i=1}^n m(Y_i, \hat{\beta}) = 0$ . Under regularity conditions,  $\sqrt{n}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \rightarrow N(0, B^{-1} M B^{-T})$  in distribution, where  $B = -\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \mathbb{E}[m(Y, \beta)]$  and  $M = \mathbb{E}[m(Y, \beta) m(Y, \beta)^T]$ 
  - $\hat{\beta}$  is asymptotically consistent for  $\beta$
  - $\hat{\beta}$  has an asymptotic distribution of  $N(\beta, B^{-1} M B^{-T})$
- [D.2] Let  $(Y_i)_{i=1}^n$  be independent. Suppose the true parameter  $\beta \in \mathbb{R}^p$  is the unique solution of  $\mathbb{E}[m(Y, \beta)] = 0$  and the estimator  $\sum_{i=1}^n m(Y_i, \hat{\beta}) = 0$ . Under regularity conditions,  $\sqrt{n}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \rightarrow N(0, B^{-1} M B^{-T})$  in distribution, where  $B = -\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \mathbb{E}[m(Y_i, \beta)]$  and  $M = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Cov}[m(Y_i, \beta)]$ 
  - $\hat{\beta}$  is asymptotically consistent for  $\beta$
  - $\hat{\beta}$  has an asymptotic distribution of  $N(\beta, B^{-1} M B^{-T})$