SCM 651: Business Analytics

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Week 7

Business Analytics

Agenda

- Overview of homework #3 (Regression and Optimization)
- Overview of homework #4 (Logit, Probit, Neural networks: info in week 9 videos)
- Review of hands-on exercises
- Group discussion of articles
 - Big Data in Health Care: Using Analytics to Identify and Manage High-Risk and High-Cost Patients
 - A Review of Analytics and Clinical Informatics in Health Care

Homework #3

- Graph, regression, calculated sales, revenue, profit
- 2. Constrained optimization
- Discussion of risks, other data which would be valuable

Homework #4

- 1. Logit and probit analysis (see week 9)
- 2. Moderating effects (week 7)
- Final logit & probit models with interaction effects (moderating effects), prediction of outcome, sensitivity analysis
- 4. Neural network analysis
- Neural network prediction model and sensitivity analysis (new material in handout in week 9)

Week 7 - Review

Histograms, Boxplots, and other charts

- Boxplots show minimum, 25%-ile, median, 75%-ile, maximum
- Histograms show frequency of data within intervals
- Scatterplots add trend line, average, standard deviation

Statistical summaries

- Replicates capability seen in Excel: minimum, average, median, maximum
- Also can calculate by brand or other category

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Correlation

- Positive correlation means when one variable increases, the other increases
- Negative correlation means when one variable increases, the other decreases
- Correlation does not measure the magnitude of the change
- ANOVA (Analysis of Variance)
 - Compares the means of two or more populations
- Regression
 - Linear regression in Excel is similar to multivariate regression in R

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- Dummy variables
 - Dummy variables are used to measure the differences in intercepts between two groups, for example, different brands
- Moderating effects (interaction term x₁*x₂)
 - Moderating effects (interaction effects) measures the difference in slope between two groups

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 - High cost patients
 - Readmissions
 - Triage
 - Decompensation
 - Adverse events
 - Diseases affecting multiple organs
 - How can cost be reduced in each

Article #2: A Review of Analytics in Clinical Informatics in Health Care

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 - What are some methods for improvement in health care using analytics (page 2)
 - What are some challenges for analytics in health care (page 4)

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 - What are some methods for improvement in health care using analytics (page 2)
 - Identify patients of greatest risk: early detection in neo-natal care
 - Wearable monitors: disease prevention though monitoring
 - · Costs savings and resolution of billing anomalies: revenue leakage
 - Better manage resource allocation: patient's length of stay
 - What are some challenges for analytics in health care (page 4)
 - · Garbage in, garbage out
 - Increased demand for professionals well versed in analytics and medicine