

# The Hong Kong University of Science & Technology

## MATH3424 - Regression Analysis

### Quiz 1

Answer ALL Questions

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Full marks: 25 + Bonus: 2

Time Allowed: 1 hour

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1. Consider a simple linear regression model:  $y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + e_i$ , where  $e_i$  is normally distributed with mean 0 and variance  $\sigma^2$ .

- (a) **(2 marks)** You are given 5 pairs of  $(x_i, y_i)$  where  $y_4$  is missing

$x_i$	1	2	3	4	5
$y_i$	0.25	1.75	1.5	$c$	2.5

and the fitted line passes through the point (3, 1.65). Find  $c$  and then determine  $\sum_{i=1}^5 (y_i - \bar{y})^2$ .

- (b) **(3 marks)** Given the following statistics from 25 pairs of  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,

$$\bar{x} = 0, \quad \hat{\sigma}^2 = 100, \quad \hat{\beta}_0 = 3,$$

determine the length of a 98% confidence interval for  $\beta_0$ .

- (c) **(4 marks)** Given the following statistics from 10 pairs of  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,

$$\sum_{i=1}^{10} (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = 400, \quad \sum_{i=1}^{10} (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = 425, \quad \sum_{i=1}^{10} (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2 = 225,$$

calculate the test statistic for testing the hypothesis  $H_0 : \beta_1 = 0$  versus  $H_1 : \beta_1 \neq 0$  by  $t$  test. Write down your conclusion clearly. Set the significance level at  $\alpha = 0.05$

2. Using the following summary statistics

$$\begin{aligned}
n &= 20, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i1} &= 124, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i2} &= 114, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} y_i &= 138, \\
\sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i1}^2 &= 1012, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i1}x_{i2} &= 875, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i2}^2 &= 834, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i1}y_i &= 962, \\
\sum_{i=1}^{20} x_{i2}y_i &= 1002, & \sum_{i=1}^{20} y_i^2 &= 1324, & & & & \\
S_{x_1x_1} &= 243.2, & S_{x_1x_2} &= 168.2, & S_{x_2x_2} &= 184.2, & S_{x_1y} &= 106.4, \\
S_{x_2y} &= 215.4, & S_{yy} &= 371.8. & & & &
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{pmatrix} 243.2 & 168.2 \\ 168.2 & 184.2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.011159 & -0.010190 \\ -0.010190 & 0.014734 \end{pmatrix},$$

to fit a model of  $y$  on  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ , i.e., do the following regression model,

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + e_i, \quad e_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2).$$

From previous calculation, it is known that  $\hat{\beta}_0 = 1.237088$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_1 = -1.007608$  and  $\hat{\beta}_2 = 2.089488$ .

- (a) **(3 marks)** Find Residual Sum of Squares and the unbiased estimate of the unknown parameter  $\sigma^2$ . No need to show that it is unbiased.
- (b) **(2 marks)**  $H_0 : \beta_2 = 2$  against the alternative hypothesis that  $H_1 : \beta_2 \neq 2$  at the significance level of  $\alpha = 0.05$  by  $t$ -test. Write down the test statistic, the critical value and your conclusion clearly.

**Assume that  $\beta_0 = 2$ .**

- (c) **(2 marks)** Write down  $\mathcal{X}^T \mathcal{X}$ ,  $(\mathcal{X}^T \mathcal{X})^{-1}$  and  $\mathcal{X}^T \mathcal{Y}$  in terms of values of summary statistics.
- (d) **(2 marks)** Find the least squares estimates of the unknown parameters  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$ . Then, write down the fitted line.
- (e) **(3 marks)** Find the Residual Sum of Squares and the unbiased estimate of the unknown parameter  $\sigma^2$ . No need to show that it is unbiased.

3. Consider a linear model

$$y_i = \beta_0 + i\beta_1 + e_i$$

for  $i = 1, 2, 3$

where  $e_i$  follows independent normal distribution with mean 0 and variance  $i \times \sigma^2$ .

- (a) **(2 marks)** Find the least squares estimates of  $\beta_0$  and  $\beta_1$  in terms of  $y_i$ .
- (b) **(2 marks)** Find the  $Var(\hat{\beta}_0)$  and  $Var(\hat{\beta}_1)$ .
- (c) **(Bonus: 2 marks)** Find the expectation vector and covariance matrix of residual  $\hat{e}$ .

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