Running Models

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Model One: Poisson Regression (Comparing Across (g) = Zipcodes)

$$s_g = Poisson(p_g * e^{\mu + \alpha c_g + \beta r_g})$$

- g is zipcode
- s_{g} is the number of 'drug arrests' in zipcode (g)
- p_{g} is the total population over age 18 in zipcode (g)
- c_{g} is # of EMS Dispatches concerning drugs made in zipcode (g) this is our measure of 'drug activity' for this model
- r_{g} is the racial composition of zipcode (g) in this case it would be (proportion non-white)
- Some notes about this model is that we must be less granular and use zip if our measure of drug activity is ems calls be that is the only measure that EMS data goes down too (it is pretty deidentified).

Load Data

```
mod1dat <- read.csv(here::here("data/ModelDatasets", "zipcodeModel1.csv"))</pre>
```

Fit Poisson Model

```
mod1dat$zip <- factor(mod1dat$zip)</pre>
mod1 <- glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite,
            offset = log(Total.Population.Over18), family = poisson ,data = mod1dat)
arm::display(mod1)
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite,
       family = poisson, data = mod1dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
                      coef.est coef.se
## (Intercept)
                      -4.37
                                 0.02
## no.ems.calls.13.18 0.00
                                 0.00
## proportionNonWhite 2.07
                                 0.04
## ---
     n = 12, k = 3
##
     residual deviance = 998.3, null deviance = 4680.1 (difference = 3681.8)
summary(mod1)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite,
      family = poisson, data = mod1dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
## Deviance Residuals:
                       Median
       Min 10
                                     30
                                              Max
## -16.0994 -5.1939
                      -0.0889
                                  4.8409
                                          16.9384
##
## Coefficients:
##
                       Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
                     -4.369e+00 2.276e-02 -191.98 <2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## no.ems.calls.13.18 1.353e-04 7.079e-06
                                           19.12
                                                    <2e-16 ***
## proportionNonWhite 2.070e+00 4.233e-02
                                            48.90
                                                    <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##
      Null deviance: 4680.1 on 11 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 998.3 on 9 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 1109.8
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

- Intercept no interpretation
- Measure of drug activity coefficient is practically 0
- Proportion non white The greater the proportion of nonwhite people in a zip, the greater the number of drug arrests. A one unit increase in the proportion of nonwhite people, the number of drug arrests will increase with a multiplicative effect of 7.92.

Test for overdispersion

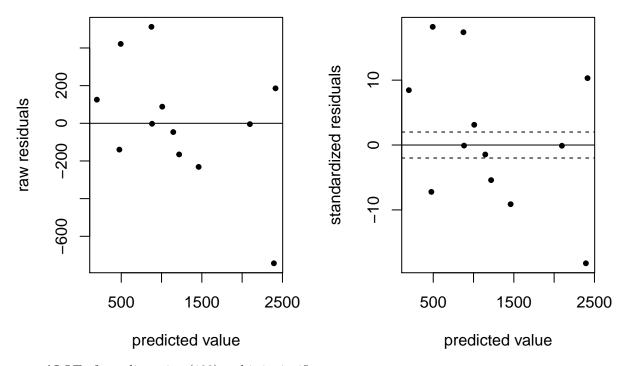
```
yhat <- predict(mod1, type = 'response')
z <- (mod1dat$no.drug.arrests.13.18 - yhat) / sqrt(yhat)
cat('overdispersion ratio is', sum(z^2)/(12-3), "\n")

## overdispersion ratio is 121.597

cat('p-value of overdispersion test is', pchisq(sum(z^2), 12-3), "\n")

## p-value of overdispersion test is 1

par(mfrow=c(1,2))
pv <- fitted(mod1) #predicted values
r <- (mod1dat$no.drug.arrests.13.18 - fitted(mod1)) #residuals
plot(pv, r, pch=20, ylab="raw residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=0)
sr <- rstandard(mod1) #standardized residual
plot(pv, sr, pch=20, ylab="standardized residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=c(-2,0,2),lty=c(2,1,2))</pre>
```



• ALOT of overdispersion (122) and it is significant.

Attempt to Fix Overdispersion with Quasipoisson

```
mod1quasi <- glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite,
                       = log(Total.Population.Over18), family = quasipoisson ,data = mod1dat)
summary(mod1quasi)
##
## Call:
  glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite,
       family = quasipoisson, data = mod1dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##
       Min
                   10
                         Median
                                       30
                                                Max
   -16.0994
              -5.1939
                        -0.0889
                                   4.8409
                                            16.9384
##
##
## Coefficients:
##
                        Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                      -4.369e+00
                                 2.509e-01 -17.410 3.07e-08 ***
  no.ems.calls.13.18 1.353e-04
                                 7.806e-05
                                              1.734
                                                    0.11699
                      2.070e+00 4.668e-01
  proportionNonWhite
                                              4.434
                                                    0.00164 **
##
  Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
##
##
   (Dispersion parameter for quasipoisson family taken to be 121.5971)
##
##
       Null deviance: 4680.1 on 11 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 998.3 on 9 degrees of freedom
  AIC: NA
##
```

Model Two: Poisson Regression (Comparing Across Zipcodes (g) + Time (t))

```
s_{q,t} = Poisson(p_{q,t} * e^{\mu + \alpha c_{q,t} + \beta r_{q,t}})
```

```
mod2dat <- read.csv(here("data/ModelDatasets", 'zipcodeModel2.csv'))</pre>
```

- g is zipcode
- s_{g,t} is the number of 'drug arrests' in zipcode (g)
- $p_{g,t}$ is the total population over age 18 in zipcode (g) at time (t)
- c_{g,t} is # of EMS Dispatches concerning drugs made in zipcode (g) at time (t)- this is our measure of 'drug activity' for this model
- r_{g,t} is the racial composition of zipcode (g) at time (t) in this case it would be (proportion non-white)

```
mod2dat$zip <- factor(mod2dat$zip)</pre>
```

Fit Poisson Model

```
mod2 <- glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.14.17 ~ no.ems.calls.14.17 + proportionNonWhite, offset = log(Tot
            family = poisson, data = mod2dat)
arm::display(mod2)
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.14.17 ~ no.ems.calls.14.17 + proportionNonWhite,
##
       family = poisson, data = mod2dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
                      coef.est coef.se
## (Intercept)
                      -6.07
                                0.03
## no.ems.calls.14.17 0.00
                                0.00
## proportionNonWhite 2.13
                                0.05
## ---
##
    n = 48, k = 3
    residual deviance = 1564.8, null deviance = 4203.8 (difference = 2638.9)
summary(mod2)
##
## Call:
  glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.14.17 ~ no.ems.calls.14.17 + proportionNonWhite,
       family = poisson, data = mod2dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
## Deviance Residuals:
                   1Q
                         Median
                                       3Q
        Min
                                                 Max
                         0.6571
                                            17.5663
## -15.0816
             -3.3114
                                   3.9454
## Coefficients:
                        Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
##
## (Intercept)
                      -6.073e+00 2.605e-02 -233.12
                                                       <2e-16 ***
## no.ems.calls.14.17 5.675e-04 4.282e-05
                                              13.25
                                                       <2e-16 ***
## proportionNonWhite 2.126e+00 4.833e-02
                                              43.99
                                                       <2e-16 ***
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
## Null deviance: 4203.8 on 47 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 1564.8 on 45 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 1905.7
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

- *Intercept* not interpretable
- no.ems.calls.14.17 again basically 0
- proportionNonWhite so this is similar to the coefficient estimate from before, the greater the proportion of nonwhite people, the greater the number of drug arrests. A one unit increase in the proportion of nonwhite people, the number of drug arrests will increase with a multiplicative effect of 8.41.

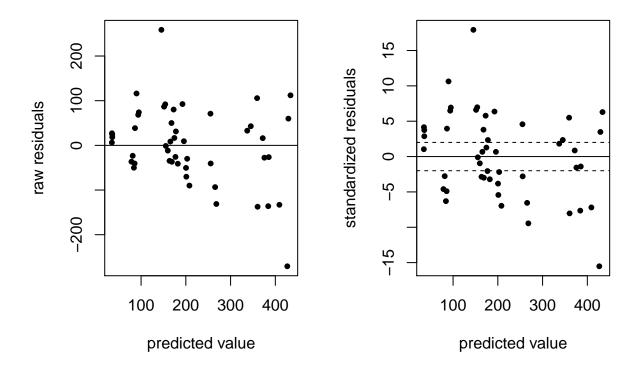
Test for overdispersion

```
yhat <- predict(mod2, type = 'response')
z <- (mod2dat$no.drug.arrests.14.17 - yhat) / sqrt(yhat)
cat('overdispersion ratio is', sum(z^2)/(48-3), "\n") #n -k
## overdispersion ratio is 37.66266
cat('p-value of overdispersion test is', pchisq(sum(z^2), 48-3), "\n")</pre>
```

p-value of overdispersion test is 1

• Again, overdispersion is a problem it is 37.66, and the p-value attached is 1, but adding the extra observations did seem to decrease it, which is a good thing I guess.

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
pv <- fitted(mod2) #predicted values
r <- (mod2dat$no.drug.arrests.14.17- fitted(mod2)) #residuals
plot(pv, r, pch=20, ylab="raw residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=0)
sr <- rstandard(mod2) #standardized residual
plot(pv, sr, pch=20, ylab="standardized residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=c(-2,0,2),lty=c(2,1,2))</pre>
```



Quasipoisson

```
mod2quasi <- glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.14.17 ~ no.ems.calls.14.17 + proportionNonWhite, offset =
                   log(Total.Population.Over18), family = quasipoisson, data = mod2dat)
arm::display(mod2quasi)
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.14.17 ~ no.ems.calls.14.17 + proportionNonWhite,
       family = quasipoisson, data = mod2dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
                      coef.est coef.se
##
   (Intercept)
                      -6.07
                                0.16
  no.ems.calls.14.17 0.00
                                0.00
  proportionNonWhite
                      2.13
                                0.30
##
##
     n = 48, k = 3
     residual deviance = 1564.8, null deviance = 4203.8 (difference = 2638.9)
##
     overdispersion parameter = 37.7
```

- The coefficient standard errors are definitely bigger than the model fit w. the poisson link, but they are not 'very big' in that I am definitely not worried about them.
- With this model, the proportionNonWhite parameter stays significant (p<.05), as well as the no.ems.calls.14.17 (p<.05).

Model Three: Same as Model One with Extra Drug Activity Measures

$$s_g = Poisson(p_g * e^{\mu + \alpha c_g + \beta r_g + \beta d_g + \beta z_g})$$

- g is zipcode
- s_{g} is the number of 'drug arrests' in zipcode (g)
- p_{g} is the total population in zipcode (g) population over age 18

- c_{g} is # of EMS Dispatches concerning drugs made in zipcode (g) this is our measure of 'drug activity' for this model
- r_{g} is the racial composition of zipcode (g) in this case it would be (proportion non-white)
- d_{g} is the total Number of Overdose deaths that occured from 2016-2018 in zipcode g
- z_{g} is the total Number of Naxolone saves that occured from 2016-2018 in zipcode g

```
mod3dat <- read.csv(here('data/ModelDatasets','zipcodeModel3.csv'))</pre>
mod3 <- glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite + Total.Naxolone.
            Overdose.Death.Total, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18), family = poisson, data = mod3da
arm::display(mod3)
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite +
##
       Total.Naxolone.Saves + Overdose.Death.Total, family = poisson,
##
       data = mod3dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
                        coef.est coef.se
## (Intercept)
                        -3.68
                                  0.05
## no.ems.calls.13.18
                         0.00
                                  0.00
                         1.32
                                  0.06
## proportionNonWhite
## Total.Naxolone.Saves -0.01
                                  0.00
## Overdose.Death.Total 0.00
                                  0.00
## ---
    n = 12, k = 5
##
    residual deviance = 684.2, null deviance = 4680.1 (difference = 3995.9)
summary(mod3)
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite +
       Total.Naxolone.Saves + Overdose.Death.Total, family = poisson,
##
##
       data = mod3dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##
                      Median
                                   30
                                           Max
      Min
                 10
## -14.866
             -3.513
                       2.671
                                4.384
                                        11.424
##
## Coefficients:
##
                          Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                        -3.680e+00
                                    4.597e-02 -80.054 < 2e-16 ***
                         4.936e-04
                                    3.046e-05 16.204
## no.ems.calls.13.18
                                                       < 2e-16 ***
## proportionNonWhite
                         1.320e+00
                                    5.785e-02 22.825
                                                       < 2e-16 ***
## Total.Naxolone.Saves -7.161e-03
                                    6.002e-04 -11.932 < 2e-16 ***
## Overdose.Death.Total -4.508e-03 1.271e-03 -3.546 0.000392 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
       Null deviance: 4680.12 on 11 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 684.22 on 7 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 799.7
##
```

```
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

Test for overdispersion

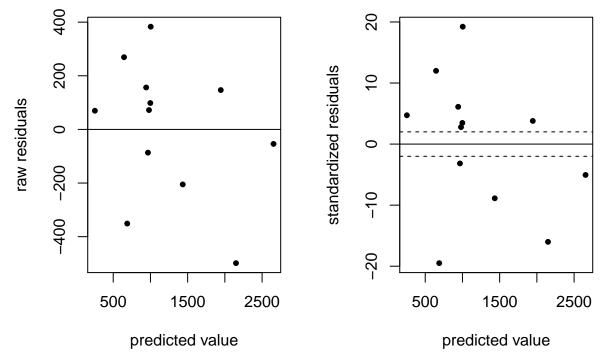
```
yhat <- predict(mod3, type = 'response')
z <- (mod3dat$no.drug.arrests.13.18 - yhat) / sqrt(yhat)
cat('overdispersion ratio is', sum(z^2)/(12-5), "\n") #n -k

## overdispersion ratio is 94.66502
cat('p-value of overdispersion test is', pchisq(sum(z^2), 12-5), "\n")</pre>
```

p-value of overdispersion test is 1

• There is a bit of overdispersion in this model (94.67) and it is statistically significant.

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
pv <- fitted(mod3) #predicted values
r <- (mod3dat$no.drug.arrests.13.18 - fitted(mod3)) #residuals
plot(pv, r, pch=20, ylab="raw residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=0)
sr <- rstandard(mod3) #standardized residual
plot(pv, sr, pch=20, ylab="standardized residuals", xlab="predicted value")
abline(h=c(-2,0,2),lty=c(2,1,2))</pre>
```



Run Quasi Poisson model

```
## glm(formula = no.drug.arrests.13.18 ~ no.ems.calls.13.18 + proportionNonWhite +
##
      Total.Naxolone.Saves + Overdose.Death.Total, family = quasipoisson,
      data = mod3dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
                       coef.est coef.se
## (Intercept)
                       -3.68
                                 0.45
                        0.00
                                 0.00
## no.ems.calls.13.18
## proportionNonWhite
                        1.32
                                 0.56
## Total.Naxolone.Saves -0.01
                                 0.01
## Overdose.Death.Total 0.00
                                 0.01
## ---
##
    n = 12, k = 5
    residual deviance = 684.2, null deviance = 4680.1 (difference = 3995.9)
##
    overdispersion parameter = 94.7
summary(mod3quasi)
##
## Call:
  ##
      Total.Naxolone.Saves + Overdose.Death.Total, family = quasipoisson,
##
      data = mod3dat, offset = log(Total.Population.Over18))
##
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##
      Min
                1Q
                     Median
                                  3Q
                                         Max
##
  -14.866
            -3.513
                      2.671
                               4.384
                                      11.424
##
## Coefficients:
##
                         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                       -3.6801465
## (Intercept)
                                  0.4472790 -8.228 7.62e-05 ***
## no.ems.calls.13.18
                        0.0004936
                                  0.0002964
                                              1.665
                                                      0.1398
                                              2.346
                                                      0.0514 .
## proportionNonWhite
                        1.3203276
                                  0.5628233
## Total.Naxolone.Saves -0.0071610
                                  0.0058394
                                             -1.226
                                                      0.2597
## Overdose.Death.Total -0.0045079
                                  0.0123699
                                             -0.364
                                                      0.7263
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
  (Dispersion parameter for quasipoisson family taken to be 94.66543)
##
##
##
      Null deviance: 4680.12
                             on 11
                                    degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 684.22
                             on 7
                                    degrees of freedom
## AIC: NA
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

• When you add the extra variables (naxolone saves, overdose deaths) and then account for overdispersion with the quaispoisson model, the poroportionNonWhite variable is still positive, but remains significant only at the .1 signficance level. The other variables (no.ems.calls.13.18, Total.Naxolone.Saves, Overdose.Death.Total - do not remain significant at all).

#stargazer::stargazer(mod1quasi, mod2quasi, mod3quasi, title = "Poisson Regression Results", no.space = (mod1quasi, mod2quasi, mod3quasi, title)

Table 1: Poisson Regression Results

	Dependent variable:		
	no.drug.arrests.13.18	no.drug.arrests.14.17	no.drug.arrests.13.18
	(1)	(2)	(3)
no.ems.calls.13.18	0.0001 (0.0001)		0.0005 (0.0003)
no.ems.calls.14.17	,	0.001** (0.0003)	,
proportionNonWhite	2.070^{***} (0.467)	2.126*** (0.297)	1.320^* (0.563)
Total.Naxolone.Saves	,	,	-0.007 (0.006)
Overdose.Death.Total			-0.005 (0.012)
Constant	-4.369^{***} (0.251)	-6.073^{***} (0.160)	-3.680^{***} (0.447)
Observations	12	48	12

Note:

*p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01