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The dataset Data_TravelCosts.csv contains information on travel costs from several municipalities to a national park in Brazil (see MAIA, A. G., ROMEIRO, A. . Validade e confiabilidade do método de custo de viagem: um estudo aplicado ao Parque Nacional da Serra Geral. Revista de Economia Aplicada, v. 12, p. 103-123, 2008):

- a) Analyze the relation between travel costs and the visit rate;
- b) Add control variables in the linear model;
- c) Are the estimates consistent with the microeconomic theory?

Leitura de dados

```
library(readxl)
library(stargazer)
Data_TravelCosts <- read_excel("~/Videos/Inverno 2019/Exercicios/Data_TravelCosts.xls")
Dados = Data_TravelCosts
head(Dados)
## # A tibble: 6 x 5
##
       code cost incpc
                          age rvisit
##
       <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 2611606 2370. 551.
                         29.7 0.0339
                   773.
                         30.2 0.266
## 2 3106200 1084.
## 3 3300209 681. 367.
                         29.8 1.25
## 4 3303302 791. 1133.
                         34.1 0.451
                         28.7 0.0645
## 5 3303500 920. 334.
## 6 3304557 909.
                   837.
                         32.9 0.126
```

a) Analyze the relation between travel costs and the visit rate;

b) Add control variables in the linear model;

```
linear = lm(rvisit ~ cost + incpc + age, data = Dados)
```

```
\#stargazer(linear, type = "text", digits = 8, column.labels = c("Multiple model"), \\ \# keep.stat = c('n', 'rsq', 'adj.rsq', 'f'), out = "mrd.txt")
```

- c) Are the estimates consistent with the microeconomic theory?
- d) Model Lin-log

```
linearlog = lm(rvisit ~ log(cost) + log(incpc) + age, data = Dados)
```

e) Model Log-lin

```
loglinear = lm(log(rvisit) ~ cost + incpc + age, data = Dados)
```

f) Model Log-log

| ## ## | | Dependent variable: | | | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| ## ## | rvisit | | log(rvisit) | | | |
| ## ## | Linear (1) | Lin-log (2) | Log-lin (3) | Log-log (4) | | |
| ## ## cost ## | -0.00162944*** (0.00058673) | | -0.00148588*** (0.00025012) | | | |
| ## ## incpc ## ## | -0.00258441 (0.00160916) | | -0.00140844** (0.00068599) | | | |
| *# ## log(cost) ## ## | | -0.90632090*** (0.28255670) | | -0.76144730*** (0.11938750) | | |
| ## log(incpc) ## ## | | -1.59988000* (0.90038580) | | -0.90982200** (0.38043630) | | |
| # # age !# | 0.13894400 (0.15940810) | 0.15499460 (0.15249000) | 0.10628910 (0.06795613) | 0.12567860* (0.06443096) | | |
| ## Constant ## ## | 0.03907665 (4.50569900) | 12.62017000** (5.77636200) | -1.68187100 (1.92079300) | 6.35538900** (2.44066300) | | |
| ## ## Observations | 93 | 93 | 93 | 93 | | |

Nous choisissons le modèle log-log où le R^2 est supérieur aux autres modèles.

Model with binary variable

```
code = Dados$code
n = length(code)
binary = rep(0, n)

for (i in 1:n) {if(code[i]>=4301000 & (code[i]<4399999))binary[i] = 1}</pre>
```

Log-log model with binary

```
##
##
                  Dependent variable:
##
##
                      log(rvisit)
##
                    binary model
## log(cost)
                    -0.60600940***
##
                     (0.14808100)
##
## log(incpc)
                      -0.64449080
                     (0.40595590)
##
                      0.06958644
## age
                      (0.07141249)
##
##
                      0.52691690*
## binary
                      (0.30303840)
##
##
                    5.23328500**
## Constant
##
                     (2.49817600)
## Observations
                          93
                      0.43370030
## R2
## Adjusted R2
                      0.40795940
## F Statistic 16.84869000*** (df = 4; 88)
## =============
## Note:
             *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01
```


| # | Dependent variable: | | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|--|--|
| # # | rvis | sit | | log(rvis | | |
| # # | Linear (1) | Lin-log (2) | Log-lin (3) | Log-1c (4) | | |
| # # cost | -0.00163*** | | -0.00149*** | | | |
| # | (0.00059) | | (0.00025) | | | |
| # # incpc | -0.00258 | | -0.00141** | | | |
| # | (0.00161) | | (0.00069) | | | |
| # # log(cost) | | -0.90632*** | | -0.76145 | | |
| # | | (0.28256) | | (0.1193 | | |
| # # log(incpc) | | -1.59988* | | -0.9098 | | |
| # | | (0.90039) | | (0.3804 | | |
| # # age | 0.13894 | 0.15499 | 0.10629 | 0.1256 | | |
| # | (0.15941) | (0.15249) | (0.06796) | (0.0644 | | |
| # # binary | | | | | | |
| # | | | | | | |
| # # Constant | 0.03908 | 12.62017** | -1.68187 | 6.35539 | | |
| # | (4.50570) | (5.77636) | (1.92079) | (2.4406 | | |
| # # | | | | | | |
| # Observations | 93 | 93 | 93 | 93 | | |
| # R2 # Adjusted R2 | 0.14505 0.11624 | 0.17438 0.14655 | 0.38255 0.36174 | 0.4142 0.3945 | | |
| • | | | 0.36174 18.38034*** (df = 3; 89) | | | |