

1. a) Derive the distn. of $U = (Y - X\beta)' \Sigma^{-1} (Y - X\beta)$,
and derive the mean and variance of U .

i) Let $\Sigma^{-1} = \Sigma^{-1/2} \Sigma^{-1/2}$

Then, $U = (Y - X\beta)' \Sigma^{-1/2} \Sigma^{-1/2} (Y - X\beta) = \underbrace{(\Sigma^{-1/2} (Y - X\beta))}_{N(0, I)}' \underbrace{(\Sigma^{-1/2} (Y - X\beta))}_{N(0, I)} = \sum_{i=1}^n z_i^2$
 where $z_i = \sum_{j=1}^p \Sigma^{-1/2}_{ij} (Y_j - X_j \beta) \sim N(0, 1)$

$\Rightarrow U = \sum_{i=1}^n z_i^2 \sim \boxed{\chi_n^2}$

ii) $E[U] = E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n z_i^2\right] = \sum_{i=1}^n E[z_i^2] = \sum_{i=1}^n 1 = \boxed{n}$
 $\sim \chi_1^2$

$\text{Var}[U] = \text{Var}\left[\sum_{i=1}^n z_i^2\right] = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}[z_i^2] = \sum_{i=1}^n 2 = \boxed{2n}$

1 b) Formally derive the set of all possible LS solns. of β .

Consider the transformed model: $\underbrace{Q^{-1}Y}_{Y^*} = \underbrace{Q^{-1}X\beta}_{X^*} + \underbrace{Q^{-1}\epsilon}_{\epsilon^* \sim N(0, I)}$ where $\Sigma = QQ'$

$\Rightarrow Y^* = X^* \beta + \epsilon$, the standard LM.

Let $M^* = X^* (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} be the OPO onto $C(X^*)$.$

$\frac{1}{\epsilon} Y^* = M^* Y^* + (I - M^*) Y^*$

Since $M^* Y^*$ is the OPO of Y^* onto $C(X^*)$, then $M^* Y^*$ is the closest vector to Y^* in $C(X^*)$,

so we solve $M^* Y^* = X^* \beta$.

Claim: A general soln. to this system is:

$\hat{\beta} = \underbrace{(X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} Y^*}_{i)} + \underbrace{(I - X^{*'} (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^*)}_{ii)} z \text{ for } z \in \mathbb{R}^p$

To see this: i) Note that $M^* Y^* \in C(X^*) \Rightarrow X^* b = M^* Y^*$ for some $b \in \mathbb{R}^p$.

Know that $(X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} Y^*$ is a soln. (i.e., $b = (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} Y^*$)

Since $X^* (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} Y^* = M^* Y^*$

ii) Next, if β^* is a soln, then the soln. set has the form $\beta^* + w$, where $w \in N(X^*)$.

Know $N(X^*) = C(X^{*'})^\perp \Rightarrow N(X^*)$ has the same column space as $I - M(X^{*'}) = I - X^{*'} (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^*$
 $\Rightarrow w$ has the form $(I - X^{*'} (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^*) z$

Conclude: Thus, the set of all possible LS solns is $LS(\beta) = \left\{ \beta : (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^{*'} Y^* + (I - X^{*'} (X^{*'} X^*)^{-1} X^*) z \right\}$

1c) Show that $\lambda'\beta$ estimable iff $\lambda'(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-}(X'\Sigma^{-1}X) = \lambda'$, where $^{-}$ denotes a gen-inv.

[\Rightarrow] Assume $\lambda'\beta$ estimable $\Rightarrow \lambda' = \rho'X^*$ for ρ an $n \times 1$ vector of constants.

Let $\Sigma = QQ'$ where Q invertible so Σ P.D.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } \lambda'(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-}(X'\Sigma^{-1}X) &= \lambda'(X'(QQ')^{-1}X)^{-}(X'(QQ')^{-1}X) \\ &= \lambda'(X'Q^{-1}Q'^{-1}X)^{-}(X'Q^{-1}Q'^{-1}X) = \lambda'(\underbrace{(Q^{-1}X)'}_{X^*})(\underbrace{(Q^{-1}X)}_{X^*})^{-}(\underbrace{(Q^{-1}X)'}_{X^*})(\underbrace{(Q^{-1}X)}_{X^*}) = \lambda'(X^{*'}X^*)^{-}(X^{*'}X^*) \\ &= \underbrace{\rho'X^*(X^{*'}X^*)^{-}(X^{*'}X^*)}_{M^*} = \rho'M^*X^* = \rho'X^* = \lambda' \end{aligned}$$

Thus, $\lambda'\beta$ estimable $\Rightarrow \lambda'(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-}(X'\Sigma^{-1}X) = \lambda'$

[\Leftarrow] In first direction, had $\lambda'(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-}(X'\Sigma^{-1}X) = \lambda'(X^{*'}X^*)^{-}(X^{*'}X^*)$

Then, since it is assumed that $\lambda'(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-}(X'\Sigma^{-1}X) = \lambda'$, then substituting the above expression, we get:

$$\underbrace{\lambda'(X^{*'}X^*)^{-}(X^{*'}X^*)}_{\rho'} = \lambda' \Rightarrow \lambda' = \rho'X^* \Rightarrow \lambda'\beta \text{ is estimable. } \square$$

1 d) Assume X has rank p . Show that the BLUE of β is equal to $(X'X)^{-1}X'Y$

$\Leftrightarrow \exists$ a non-singular $p \times p$ matrix $F \ni \Sigma X = XF$.

Let $\tilde{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y$ For $\Sigma = QQ'$ for Q invertible and Σ P.D.

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\beta} &= (X'X)^{-1}X'Y = ((Q'X)'(Q'X))^{-1}(Q'X)'(Q'Y) = \underbrace{(X'Q'^{-1}Q^{-1}X)^{-1}}_{(QQ')^{-1}} \underbrace{(X'Q'^{-1}Q^{-1}Y)}_{(QQ')^{-1}} \\ &= (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1}Y\end{aligned}$$

(\Rightarrow) Assume $\hat{\beta} = \tilde{\beta}$

$$\Rightarrow (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1}Y = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y$$

$$\Rightarrow (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1}Y - (X'X)^{-1}X'Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1} - (X'X)^{-1}X']Y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1} - (X'X)^{-1}X' = 0 \Rightarrow (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1} = (X'X)^{-1}X'$$

$$\Rightarrow \{(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1}\}' = \{(X'X)^{-1}X'\}'$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma^{-1}X(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1} = X(X'X)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Sigma \Sigma^{-1}X(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1} = \Sigma X(X'X)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow X(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1} = \Sigma X(X'X)^{-1} \Rightarrow X \underbrace{(X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}(X'X)}_F = \Sigma X$$

$$\Rightarrow XF = \Sigma X \text{ for a non-singular } p \times p \text{ matrix } F.$$

(\Leftarrow) Assume \exists a non-singular $p \times p$ matrix $F \ni \Sigma X = XF$.

$$\text{Note that } \Sigma X = XF \Rightarrow X = \Sigma^{-1}XF \Rightarrow XF^{-1} = \Sigma^{-1}X \Rightarrow (XF^{-1})' = X'\Sigma^{-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } \beta &= (X'\Sigma^{-1}X)^{-1}X'\Sigma^{-1}Y = [(XF^{-1})'X]^{-1}F^{-1}X'Y = [F^{-1}X'X]^{-1}F^{-1}X'Y \\ &= (X'X)^{-1} \underbrace{F'F^{-1}}_I X'Y = (X'X)^{-1}X'Y\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the BLUE of β is equal to $(X'X)^{-1}X'Y$.

1.e) Assume X has rank p . Let S^2 be defined as $S^2 = \frac{Y'(I-M)Y}{n-p}$

where M denotes the OPO onto $C(X)$.

Show that $E(S^2) \leq \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_{ii}$ (i)

where σ_{ii} denotes the i th diagonal element of Σ , $i=1, \dots, n$. Can the upper bound on $E(S^2)$ be attained? Justify.

(i) $E(S^2) = E\left[\frac{Y'(I-M)Y}{n-p}\right] = \frac{1}{n-p} E[Y'(I-M)Y].$

In general, $E[Y'AY] = \mu'A\mu + \text{tr}[\Sigma A]$, then applying to the above, we get:

$$E(S^2) = \frac{1}{n-p} \left\{ \mu'(I-M)\mu + \text{tr}[\Sigma(I-M)] \right\}$$

$0 \leftarrow \text{since } I-M \text{ is an OPO onto } C(X)^\perp = N(X).$

$$= \frac{1}{n-p} \left\{ (X\beta)'(I-M)(X\beta) + \text{tr}(\Sigma) - \text{tr}(\Sigma M) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n-p} \left\{ \text{tr}(\Sigma) - \underbrace{\text{tr}(\Sigma M)}_{= \text{tr}(\Sigma M^2)} \right\} \leq \frac{1}{n-p} \text{tr}(\Sigma) = \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_{ii}$$

$$= \text{tr}(M \Sigma M)$$

$$\text{Since } \Sigma \text{ P.D.} \Rightarrow M \Sigma M \text{ P.D.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{tr}(M \Sigma M) \geq 0$$

where σ_{ii} denotes the i th diag. element of Σ , for $i=1, \dots, n$.

ii) The upper bound on $E(S^2)$ can be attained if ΣM has eigenvalues that sum to zero. \square