

HW3

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library(ISLR2)
#head(Carseats)
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Problem 1

- (a)
 - (i)

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head(Carseats)
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##   Sales CompPrice Income Advertising Population Price ShelveLoc Age Education
## 1  9.50      138     73        11      276    120      Bad  42      17
## 2 11.22      111     48        16      260     83     Good  65      10
## 3 10.06      113     35        10      269     80   Medium  59      12
## 4  7.40      117    100        4      466     97   Medium  55      14
## 5  4.15      141     64        3      340    128      Bad  38      13
## 6 10.81      124    113       13      501     72      Bad  78      16
##   Urban US
## 1   Yes Yes
## 2   Yes Yes
## 3   Yes Yes
## 4   Yes Yes
## 5   Yes  No
## 6   No  Yes

m1 <- lm(Sales ~ Sales + CompPrice + Income + Advertising + Population + Price + Age + Education + Urban

## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): the response appeared on
## the right-hand side and was dropped

## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): problem with term 1 in
## model.matrix: no columns are assigned

summary(m1)$coefficients
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##             Estimate Std. Error     t value   Pr(>|t|)    
## (Intercept) 7.8243876204 1.129879216  6.9249770 1.805626e-11
## CompPrice    0.0942544671 0.007863742 11.9859556 2.131214e-28
## Income       0.0130501085 0.003490846  3.7383797 2.129338e-04
## Advertising  0.1369398910 0.021039352  6.5087503 2.332747e-10
## Population   -0.0002007219 0.000701023 -0.2863272 7.747796e-01
## Price        -0.0924395081 0.005062126 -18.2610052 2.781560e-54
## Age          -0.0447919380 0.006022554 -7.4373656 6.593817e-13
## Education    -0.0423034309 0.037373764 -1.1319018 2.583712e-01
## UrbanYes     -0.1559035988 0.213351937 -0.7307344 4.653802e-01
## USYes        -0.1062926485 0.283219156 -0.3753018 7.076401e-01

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#summary_table <- summary(m1)$coefficients
#print(summary_table)

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(ii)

Null hypothesis (H0): The CompPrice of the car seat has zero effect on the sale of the car seats

Alternative hypothesis (H1): The CompPrice of the car seat has an effect on the sale of the car seats

Test statistic:

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comp_price_t_val <- summary(m1)$coefficients["CompPrice", "t value"]

print(comp_price_t_val)

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## [1] 11.98596

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comp_price_p_val <- summary(m1)$coefficients["CompPrice", "Pr(>|t|)"]

print(comp_price_p_val)

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## [1] 2.131214e-28

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Since the p-value is less than $\alpha = 0.05$ ($2.131214e-28$), we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that CompPrice has a statistically significant relationship with car seat Sales.

TODO: NULL DISTRIBUTION

(b)

I needed to assume the ϵ (errors) are normally distributed.

(c)

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summary(m1)$sigma^2

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## [1] 3.733413
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$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = 3.732624$$

This is the estimated variance of the error term. It represents the average squared deviation of the actual sales values from the predicted regression line.

(d)

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summary(m1)$coefficients["Advertising", ]
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##      Estimate Std. Error     t value    Pr(>|t|)  
## 1.369399e-01 2.103935e-02 6.508750e+00 2.332747e-10
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(e)

(f)

(g)

(h)

(i)

(j)

(k)

Problem 2

(a)

$$m * \alpha$$

(b)

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set.seed(123)  
n = 1000 # Number of observations  
p_test = c(200, 400, 500, 600, 800)  
alpha = 0.05  
  
false_positives <- c()  
  
for (p in p_test) {  
  x <- matrix(rnorm(n * p), n, p)  
  y <- rnorm(n)
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data <- as.data.frame(x)

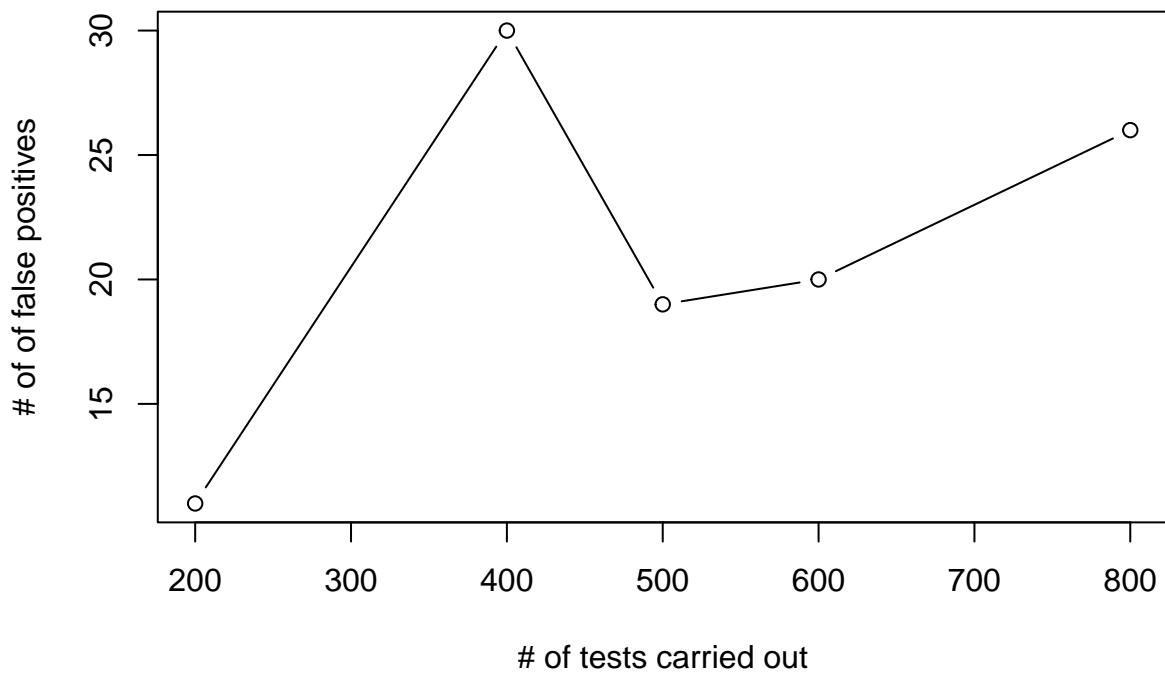
model <- lm(y ~ ., data = data)

#Step 6: Extract p-values for all predictors
p_values <- summary(model)$coefficients[-1,4] # use -1 to Remove intercept

#Step 7: Count number of significant predictors at 0.05 level
significant_count = sum(p_values < alpha)
# or
false_positives <- c(false_positives, significant_count)
}

plot(p_test, false_positives, type="b",
      xlab = "# of tests carried out",
      ylab = "# of false positives"
)

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Problem 3

(a)

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = 2 \quad \hat{\beta}_1 = 3 \quad \hat{\beta}_2 = 5$$

(b)

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X1 = seq(0,10,length.out =100) #generates 100 equally spaced values from 0 to 10.
X2 = runif(100) #generates 100 uniform values.

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(c)

(d)

(e)

Problem 4

(a)

In plain language, setting the significance level to $\alpha = 0.05$ means that before we look at the data, we are deciding that we're willing to accept a 5% chance of making a false alarm.

(b)

I would disagree with that claim. This is because not significant is not the same as no effect.

(c)