

1 Problem 1 In the context of Problem 2 of Homework Assignment 3, use R matrix calculations to do the following in the (non-full-rank) Gauss-Markov normal linear model

(a) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for σ .

The model described in HW3, Problem 2 in $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\beta + \epsilon$ matrix form is:

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_{11} \\ y_{12} \\ y_{21} \\ y_{31} \\ y_{41} \\ y_{42} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \\ \tau_4 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{11} \\ \epsilon_{12} \\ \epsilon_{21} \\ \epsilon_{31} \\ \epsilon_{41} \\ \epsilon_{42} \end{pmatrix}$$

Because the problem statement says this is a Gauss-Markov normal linear model, we know that $\mathbf{Y} \sim N(\mathbf{X}\beta, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$.

Using the hand-written function `sigmacalc`, included in the appendix. The following two-sided 90% confidence limits for σ were obtained: $0.646 < \sigma < 4.9366$.

(b) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for $\mu + \tau_2$.

Using the t-distribution describing the distribution of estimable function $\mathbf{c}'\beta$, the handwritten R function `cbetacalc` included in the appendix, was used to calculate confidence limits for this entity, where $\mathbf{c}' = (1, 0, 1, 0, 0)$.

$$0.7354 < \mu + \tau_2 < 7.2646$$

(c) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for $\tau_1 - \tau_2$.

Proceeding as in part b, here $\tau_1 - \tau_2 = \mathbf{c}'\beta = (0, 1, -1, 0, 0) \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \\ \tau_4 \end{pmatrix}$. The function `cbetacalc` was used once again with \mathbf{c}

above.

$$-6.4984 < \tau_1 - \tau_2 < 1.4984$$

(d) Find a p -value for testing the null hypothesis $H_0 : \tau_1 - \tau_2 = 0$ vs $H_a : \text{not } H_0$.

(d).1 General Linear Hypothesis Test

The general linear hypothesis test is the following F test for $H_0 : \mathbf{C}\beta = \mathbf{0}$ versus $H_1 : \mathbf{C}\beta \neq \mathbf{0}$, given $\mathbf{y} \sim N_n(\mathbf{X}\beta, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$, \mathbf{C} $q \times$ $(/k/+1)$, $\text{rank}(\mathbf{C}) = q$, with SSH = the sum of squares due to the hypothesis or due to $\mathbf{C}\beta$. Note that

$$\frac{\text{SSH}}{\sigma^2} = \frac{(\mathbf{C}\hat{\beta})'[\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}']^{-1}\mathbf{C}\hat{\beta}}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(q, \frac{(\mathbf{C}\beta)'[\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}']^{-1}\mathbf{C}\beta}{2\sigma^2})$$

and

$$\frac{\text{SSE}}{\sigma^2} = \frac{\mathbf{y}'[\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}']\mathbf{y}}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X})).$$

Taking the ratio gives us our test statistic:

$$F = \frac{\text{SSH}/q}{\text{SSE}/(n - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X}))}$$

- If $H_0 : \mathbf{C}\beta = \mathbf{0}$ is false, $F \sim F(q, n - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X}), \lambda)$, where $\lambda = \frac{(\mathbf{C}\beta)'[\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}]^{-1}\mathbf{C}\beta}{2\sigma^2}$.
- Notice that if $\mathbf{C}\beta = \mathbf{0}$ is true, λ defined above = 0, giving $F \sim F(q, n - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X}))$.

(d).2 p -value from the F statistic

We need to find the F statistic described above. Here \mathbf{C} is \mathbf{a}' from above, $\mathbf{a}' = (0, 1, -1, 0, 0)$, and \mathbf{C} is 1×5 , rank 1.

We used the handwritten function Cbetahatd throughout for General Linear Hypothesis Testing. It is included in the appendix for your reference.

The p -value obtained was 0.209430584957905.

(e) Find 90% two-sided prediction limits for the sample mean of $n = 10$ future observations from the first set of conditions.

(e).1 A t statistic for prediction

Consider future observation y_0 , $y_0 = \mathbf{x}_0' \beta + \epsilon_0$ with $\hat{y}_0 = \mathbf{x}_0' \hat{\beta}$, where \hat{y}_0 is computed from n observations and y_0 is obtained independently. We find that $E(y_0 - \hat{y}_0) = 0$ and

$\text{var}(y_0 - \hat{y}_0) = \text{var}(\epsilon_0) + \text{var}(\mathbf{x}_0' \hat{\beta}) = \sigma^2[1 + \mathbf{x}_0'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_0]$, where $\widehat{\text{var}}(y - \hat{y}) = s^2[1 + \mathbf{x}_0'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_0]$. Because of the independence of s^2 and y_0 and \hat{y}_0 , we have the following t statistic:

$$t = \frac{y_0 - \hat{y}_0 - 0}{s \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{x}_0'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_0}} \sim t(n - k - 1)$$

Therefore,

$$P = \left[-t_{\alpha/2, n-k-1} \leq \frac{y_0 - \hat{y}_0 - 0}{s \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{x}_0'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_0}} \leq t_{\alpha/2, n-k-1} \right] = 1 - \alpha$$

Re-arranging in terms of $\mathbf{x}_0' \hat{\beta} = \hat{y}_0$ gives:

$$\mathbf{x}_0' \hat{\beta} \pm t_{\alpha/2, n-k-1} s \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{x}_0'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{x}_0}.$$

(e).2 Predictions for n observations from $\mu + \tau_1$

Using the preceding theory and the handwritten R function, predict, which is included in the appendix. I ran a prediction for $n=10$ from the first condition $\mathbf{x}_0 = (1, 0, 1, 0, 0)$.

The 90% confidence limits obtained for the mean were 0.576 to 7.424.

(f) Find 90% two-sided prediction limits for the difference between a pair of future values, one from the first set of conditions (i.e. with mean $\mu + \tau_1$) and one from the second set of conditions (i.e. with mean $\mu + \tau_2$).

Similar to part (e) above, here I used my predict function again, except an n of 2 and a \mathbf{x}_0 vector of the difference of the first two conditions:

$$(1, 1, 0, 0, 0) - (1, 0, 1, 0, 0) = (0, 1, -1, 0, 0).$$

This gave 90 % prediction limits for the difference as follows: -7.1169 to 2.1169.

(g) Find a p -value for testing the following: What is the practical interpretation of this test?

$$H_0: \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \\ \tau_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The practical interpretation of this test is to ask if all of the parameters are equal. I performed the test using the General Linear Hypothesis Testing function described above, Cbetahatd.

```
G <- t(matrix(c(0,1,-1,0,0,
                0,1,0,-1,0,
                0,1,0,0,-1),nrow=3,ncol=5, byrow=TRUE))
Cbetahatd(Y1,X1,G,c(0,0,0))
```

I obtained a p value of 0.20643991448067, indicating that it is unlikely that all of the parameters are equal.

(h) Find a p -value for testing:

$$H_0: \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \tau_1 \\ \tau_2 \\ \tau_3 \\ \tau_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

I tested this hypothesis as in question 1g), using the General Linear Hypothesis and the F-test implemented in my function Cbetahatd, note that the vector (10,0) was entered for the \mathbf{d} vector.

```
H <- t(matrix(c(0, 1, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, -1, 0), nrow=2, ncol=5, byrow=T))
Cbetahatd(Y1,X1,H,c(10,0))
```

A significant p -value of 0.0134 was obtained, suggesting that this hypothesis is acceptable.

2 Problem 2 In the following make use of the data in Problem 4 of Homework Assignment 3. Consider a regression of y on x_1, x_2, \dots, x_5 . Use R matrix calculations to do the following in a full rank Gauss-Markov normal linear model.

(a) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for σ .

Calling our sigmacalc function on the Boston data set, we find 90% confidence limits for sigma of $5.6106 < \sigma < 6.2263$.

(b) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for the mean response under the conditions of data point #1.

To find these 90% confidence limits, we will use the t -distribution of σ , where \mathbf{c}' is the first row of our data set (data point #1).

Using the cbetacalc function to do this, as `cbetacalc(YB,XB, .1, XB[1,])` we find a 90% confidence interval of $25.2114 < \text{mean response under the conditions of data point \#1} < 26.1973$.

(c) Find 90% two-sided confidence limits for the difference in mean responses under the conditions of data points #1 and #2. .

To find these 90% confidence limits, we will use the t-distribution of \$, where \$c'\$ is the difference between the first row of our data set and the second row (data points #1 and #2).

Using the `cbetacalc` function to do this, as `cbetacalc(YB,XB, .1, (XB[1,]-XB[2,]))` we find 1.2025 to 2.6125 is a 90% confidence interval for the difference in mean responses under conditions 1 and 2.

(d) Find a p-value for testing the hypothesis that the conditions of data points #1 and #2 produce the same mean response.

An F-test was used to test the hypothesis that the product between the vector describing the differences between conditions 1 and 2 and beta is 0. That is $H_0 : c'\beta = 0$, where $c' = XB[1,] - XB[2,]$. This was done using my general linear hypothesis testing function: `Cbetahatd(YB,XB, (XB[1,]-XB[2,]))`. The p-value obtained was 1.01975837067947e-05.

(e) Find 90% two-sided prediction limits for an additional response for the set of conditions $x_1 = 0.005$, $x_2 = 0.45$, $x_3 = 7$, $x_4 = 45$, and $x_5 = 6$.

90 % prediction limits for an additional response from these conditions were obtained using the conditions as our c-vector in the `predict` function: `predict(YB,XB, .1, c(0,0.005,0.45,7,45,6), 1)`. The limits obtained were 24 to 47.7985.

(f) Find a p-value for testing the hypothesis that a model including only x_1 , x_3 , and x_5 is adequate for “explaining” home price.

Using an F-test on the hypothesis that $c'\beta = \beta_2 + \beta_4 = 0$, we find a p-value of 6.73025042030595e-06 for this model.

3 Problem 3

(a) In the context of Problem 1, part g), suppose that in fact $\tau_1 = \tau_2$, $\tau_3 = \tau_4 = \tau_1 - d\sigma$. What is the distribution of the F statistic?

The F statistic for Problem 1, part g) is given by $F = \frac{Q/s}{SSE/(N-\text{rank}(X))} \sim F(s, N - \text{rank}(X), \lambda)$.

Where $Q = (\widehat{C'\beta} - d)'(C'(X'X)^{-1}C'(\widehat{C'\beta} - d))$ and $\lambda = \frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(C'\beta - d)'(C'(X'X)^{-1}C'(\beta - d))$.

Therefore, if $\tau_1 = \tau_2$, and $\tau_3 = \tau_4 = \tau_1 - d\sigma$, our non-centrality parameter will equal

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(0, d\sigma, d\sigma)(C'(X'X)^{-1}C)^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ d\sigma \\ d\sigma \end{pmatrix}.$$

Evaluating for $(C'(X'X)^{-1}C)^{-1}$ in R, we find:

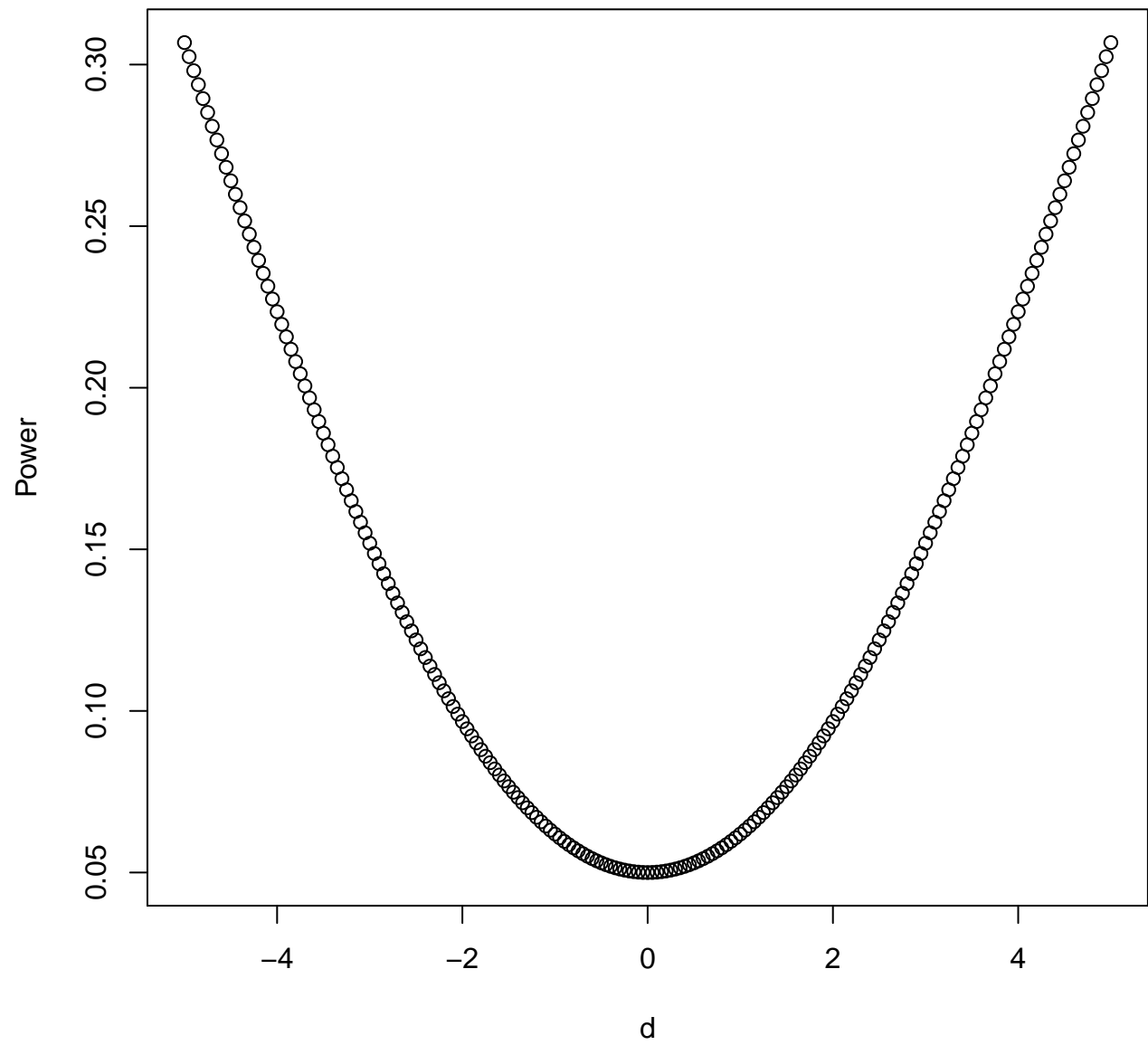
```
fractions(ginv(t(C1g))%*%ginv(t(X1)%*%X1)%*%C1g))
```

$$(C'(X'X)^{-1}C)^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 5/6 & -1/6 & -1/3 \\ -1/6 & 5/6 & -1/3 \\ -1/3 & -1/3 & 4/3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Giving $\lambda = \frac{3}{4}d^2$ so the final distribution of the F statistic is $F(3, 2, \frac{3}{4}d^2)$.

- (b) Use R to plot the power of the $\alpha = 0.05$ level test as a function of d for $d \in [-5, 5]$, that is plotting $P(F > \text{the cut-off value})$ against d . The R function `pf(q, df1, df2, ncp)` will compute cumulative (non-central) F probabilities for you corresponding to the value q , for degrees of freedom $df1$ and $df2$ when the noncentrality parameter is ncp .

```
d <- seq(-5, 5, by=.05)
Power <- 1-pf(qf(0.95, 3, 2), 3, 2, .75*d^2)
plot(d, Power)
```



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Figure 1: Power of an $\alpha = 0.05$ level test as a function of d .

4 Appendix: Tangled R code

```

library(MASS); library(xtable)
lvector <- function(x, dig = 2, dsply=rep("f",ncol(x)+1)) {
  x <- xtable(x, align=rep(" ",ncol(x)+1),display=dsply,digits=dig) # We repeat empty string 6 times
  print(x, floating=FALSE, tabular.environment="pmatrix",
        hline.after=NULL, include.rownames=FALSE, include.colnames=FALSE)
}

#Variables from Problem 2 of HW3:
V1 <- diag(c(1,9,9,1,1,9))
Y <- matrix(c(2, 1, 4, 6, 3, 5), nrow=6, ncol=1)
X <- matrix(c(rep(1,6),
              1,1,0,0,0,0,
              0,0,1,0,0,0,
              0,0,0,1,0,0,
              0,0,0,0,1,1),nrow = 6,byrow=FALSE)

V2 <- diag(c(1,9,9,1,1,9))
V2[1,2] <- 1
V2[2,1] <- 1
V2[4,3] <- -1
V2[3,4] <- -1
V2[6,5] <- -1
V2[5,6] <- -1

#Variables from Problem 4 of HW3:
data(Boston)
Y_B = as.matrix(Boston$medv)
X_B = as.matrix(Boston[,c('crim', 'nox', 'rm', 'age', 'dis')])
X_B = cbind(rep(1,dim(Boston)[1]),X_B)
bhat_B <- ginv(t(X_B)%*%X_B) %*% t(X_B) %*% Y_B
Yhat_B <- X_B %*% bhat_B
err_B <- Y_B - Yhat_B
sigsqhat_B <- t(err_B) %*% err_B / (dim(X_B)[1] - qr(X_B)$rank)

#Find  $V^{(-1/2)}$ 
Vh1 <-solve(V1^(1/2))

#Transform model to OLS
U <- Vh1 %*% Y
W <- Vh1 %*% X

Uhat <- W %*% ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% t(W) %*% U

SSE <- t(U-Uhat) %*% (U-Uhat)

qr(W)$rank

```

```

lowerchi <- qchisq(.05, df=(length(U) - qr(W)$rank))
upperchi <- qchisq(.95, df=(length(U) - qr(W)$rank))

SSE/lowerchi
SSE/upperchi

#Find  $V^{(-1/2)}$  using spectral decomposition
Vh2 <- solve(eigen(V2)$vectors %*% diag(sqrt(eigen(V2)$values)) %*% t(eigen(V2)$vectors))

#Transform model to OLS
U <- Vh2 %*% Y
W <- Vh2 %*% X

Uhat <- W %*% ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% t(W) %*% U

SSE <- t(U-Uhat) %*% (U-Uhat)

qr(W)$rank

lowerchi <- qchisq(.05, df=(length(U) - qr(W)$rank))
upperchi <- qchisq(.95, df=(length(U) - qr(W)$rank))

Yhat <- X %*% ginv(t(X) %*% X) %*% t(X) %*% Y

SSE <- t(Y-Yhat) %*% (Y-Yhat)

lowerchi <- qchisq(.05, df=(length(Y) - qr(X)$rank))
upperchi <- qchisq(.95, df=(length(Y) - qr(X)$rank))

#Find the t distribution quantile
t_lb <- qt(.05, (length(Y) - qr(W)$rank - 1) )

a_lb = matrix(c(1,0,1,0,0))
s_lb <- sqrt(SSE/(length(Y) - qr(W)$rank - 1))
Bhat_lb <- ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% t(W) %*% U
quad_lb <- sqrt(t(a_lb) %*% ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% a_lb)
upperlb <- t(a_lb) %*% Bhat_lb - t_lb * s_lb * quad_lb
lowerlb <- t(a_lb) %*% Bhat_lb + t_lb * s_lb * quad_lb

a_lc = matrix(c(0,1,-1,0,0))

quad_lc <- sqrt(t(a_lc) %*% ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% a_lc)
upperlc <- t(a_lc) %*% Bhat_lb - t_lb * s_lb * quad_lc
lowerlc <- t(a_lc) %*% Bhat_lb + t_lb * s_lb * quad_lc

SSH <- t(t(a_lc) %*% Bhat_lb) %*% ginv(t(a_lc) %*% ginv(t(W) %*% W) %*% a_lc) %*% t(a_lc) %*% Bhat_lb

p_ld <- pf(SSH/SSE, 1, 1, lower.tail=FALSE)

```


#Find SSR in the full model.

```
SSR_Bf <- t(bhat_B) %*% t(X_B) %*% Y_B - (length(Y_B)*(mean(Y_B))^2)
```

#create reduced model design matrix and X1_B and estimator bhat1_B

```
X1_B <- X_B[, -c(3,5)]
```

```
bhat1_B <- ginv(t(X1_B)%*%X1_B) %*% t(X1_B) %*% Y_B
```

```
SSR_Br <- t(bhat1_B) %*% t(X1_B) %*% Y_B - (length(Y_B)*(mean(Y_B))^2)
```

```
SSE_B <- t(Y_B)%*%Y_B - t(bhat_B)%*%t(X_B)%*%Y_B
```

```
F_2f <- ((SSR_Bf - SSR_Br)/2)/(SSE_B/(length(Y_B) - qr(X_B)$rank))
```

```
pf_2f <- pf(F_2f, 2, (length(Y_B)-(qr(X_B)$rank)), lower.tail=F)
```

```
pf_2f
```

5 Appendix: Additional Notes

(a) Useful Theorems

Theorem 5.1. Suppose $\mathbf{Y} \sim MVN_n(\mu, \mathbf{\Sigma})$, $\mathbf{\Sigma}$ positive definite. Also suppose $\mathbf{A}_{n \times n}$ symmetric and $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = k$. If $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{\Sigma}$ idempotent, $\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Y} \sim \chi_k^2(\mu'\mathbf{A}\mu)$.

Theorem 5.2. Suppose $\mathbf{Y} \sim MVN_n(\mu, \sigma^2\mathbf{I})$. And the product $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0}$, with \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} of appropriate size. Then,

[(a)] If \mathbf{A} symmetric, $\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Y}$ and $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{Y}$ are independent. If both \mathbf{B} and \mathbf{A} symmetric, $\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Y}$ and $\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{B}\mathbf{Y}$ are independent.

(b) Distributions of interests

(b).1 SSE/σ^2

Using theorem 5.1 above, we can show:

$$\frac{SSE}{\sigma^2} = \frac{(\mathbf{Y} - \hat{\mathbf{Y}})'(\mathbf{Y} - \hat{\mathbf{Y}})}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}^2$$

Rearranging to find confidence limits for σ gives:

$$P\left(\sqrt{\frac{SSE}{\text{upper } \alpha/2 \text{ quantile of } \chi_{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}^2}} < \sigma < \sqrt{\frac{SSE}{\text{lower } \alpha/2 \text{ quantile of } \chi_{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}^2}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$

(b).2 Estimable functions $\mathbf{c}'\beta$

For an estimable $\mathbf{c}'\beta$, we have:

$$\frac{\widehat{\mathbf{c}'\beta} - \mathbf{c}'\beta}{\sqrt{MSE} \sqrt{\mathbf{C}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}}} \sim t_{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}$$

Note that $MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}$. Rearranging to find $1 - \alpha$ confidence limits for $\mathbf{c}'\beta$, denoting t^* = the upper $\alpha/2$ quantile of $t_{n-\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}$, we have:

$$P\left(\widehat{\mathbf{c}'\beta} - t^* \sqrt{MSE} \sqrt{\mathbf{C}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}} < \mathbf{c}'\beta < \widehat{\mathbf{c}'\beta} + t^* \sqrt{MSE} \sqrt{\mathbf{C}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{C}}\right) = 1 - \alpha$$