

MATH 668 Exam 2 Solutions

1. (a) The numerator of the F -statistic for $H_0 : \beta_0 - \beta_1 = 0$ can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} SSH/1 &= (\mathbf{C}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{0})^\top \left(\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{C}^\top \right)^{-1} (\mathbf{C}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{0}) = \left((1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\beta}_0 \\ \hat{\beta}_1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^\top \left((1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{-1} \left((1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\beta}_0 \\ \hat{\beta}_1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \\ &= (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) \left((1, -1) \frac{1}{20-16} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -4 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{-1} (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) \\ &= (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) \left((1, -1) \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & -1 \\ -1 & 2.5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right)^{-1} (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) \\ &= (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) 5^{-1} (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2) = \frac{1}{5} (\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2)^2. \end{aligned}$$

The denominator can be written as

$$SSE/(n - k - 1) = n\hat{\sigma}^2/(n - k - 1) = 10\hat{\sigma}^2/(10 - 1 - 1) = \frac{10}{8}\hat{\sigma}^2.$$

$$\text{So, the F-statistic can be expressed in the form } F = \frac{SSH/1}{SSE/(n - k - 1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{5}(\hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_2)^2}{\frac{10}{8}\hat{\sigma}^2} = .16 \left(\frac{\hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1}{\hat{\sigma}} \right)^2.$$

$$(b) H_0 : \beta_0 = \beta_1 \text{ should be rejected if } F > F_{.05, 1, 8} = 5.32 \text{ which is equivalent to } \left| \frac{\hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1}{\hat{\sigma}} \right| > \sqrt{\frac{5.32}{.16}} \approx 5.767.$$

2. Let $\boldsymbol{\beta}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_1^* = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\beta}_0^* \\ \hat{\beta}_1^* \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{X}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{X}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$. Then we have

$E(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_1^*) = \boldsymbol{\beta}_1 + \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta}_2$ where

$$\mathbf{A} = (\mathbf{X}_1^\top \mathbf{X}_1)^{-1} \mathbf{X}_1^\top \mathbf{X}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 6 & 14 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 14 \\ 36 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{42-36} \begin{pmatrix} 14 & -6 \\ -6 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 14 \\ 36 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{7}{3} & -1 \\ -1 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 14 \\ 36 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{10}{3} \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

So, the bias for β_1 is the second element of $E(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_1^*) - \boldsymbol{\beta}_1$ which is $E(\hat{\beta}_1) - \beta_1 = 4\beta_2$.

3. (a) The length of the confidence interval is $2t_{.025, 6-2} s \sqrt{\mathbf{a}^\top (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a}} = 4$ where $n = 6$,

$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Then } (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} = \frac{1}{6-4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} .5 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ so } \mathbf{a}^\top (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a} = .5. \text{ Thus,}$$

$$s = \frac{2}{t_{.025, 6-2} \sqrt{.5}} = \frac{2}{2.776 \sqrt{.5}} \approx 1.018886. \text{ Then } \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{n-2}{n} s^2 \approx \frac{4}{6} (1.018886)^2 \approx 0.6920856.$$

- (b) Since $\hat{\varepsilon}_6 = 0$, $r_6 = 0$ which implies that $s_{(6)}^2 = \left(\frac{n-2-0}{n-3} \right) s^2 \approx \frac{4}{3} (1.018886)^2 \approx 1.384171$. Then

$$\hat{\sigma}_{(6)}^2 = \frac{5-2}{5} s_{(6)}^2 \approx \frac{3}{5} (1.384171) \approx 0.8305027.$$

- (c) Since $\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} (1, 0) = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, the length of the confidence interval without the 6th observation is

$$2t_{.025, 5-2} s_{(6)} \sqrt{\mathbf{a}^\top \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \mathbf{a}} \approx 2t_{.025, 3} \sqrt{1.384171} \sqrt{(1, 0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}} \approx 2(3.182) \sqrt{1.384171} \sqrt{1} \approx 7.487297.$$

4. We have $\alpha_2 = -\alpha_1$ and $\gamma_2 = -\gamma_1$ so we can write

$$y_{111} = \mu + \alpha_1 + \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{111}$$

$$y_{112} = \mu + \alpha_1 + \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{112}$$

$$y_{121} = \mu + \alpha_1 - \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{121}$$

$$y_{122} = \mu + \alpha_1 - \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{122}$$

$$y_{211} = \mu - \alpha_1 + \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{211}$$

$$y_{212} = \mu - \alpha_1 + \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{212}$$

$$\begin{aligned}y_{221} &= \mu - \alpha_1 - \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{221} \\y_{222} &= \mu - \alpha_1 - \gamma_1 + \varepsilon_{222}.\end{aligned}$$

Then we want to minimize $Q(\beta) = \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\beta\|^2$ where $\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\beta = \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \alpha_1 \\ \gamma_1 \end{pmatrix}$ and we

compute $\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = 8\mathbf{I}_3$ so that

$(\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} = \frac{1}{8}\mathbf{I}$. Also, $\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 24 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$ so $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ .5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$. If $H_0 : \alpha_1 = 0$ is true, then we can use

the design matrix $\tilde{\mathbf{X}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$. We have $\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^\top \tilde{\mathbf{X}} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = 8\mathbf{I}_2$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^\top \mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 24 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$ so that $(\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^\top \tilde{\mathbf{X}})^{-1} = \frac{1}{8}\mathbf{I}$

and $(\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^\top \tilde{\mathbf{X}})^{-1} \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^\top \mathbf{y} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 24 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$. Thus, it follows that $\hat{\beta}_c = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $SSH = \|\mathbf{X}(\hat{\beta} - \hat{\beta}_c)\|^2 =$

$$\|\mathbf{X} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ .5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\|^2 = \left\| \begin{pmatrix} .5 \\ .5 \\ .5 \\ .5 \\ -.5 \\ -.5 \\ -.5 \\ -.5 \end{pmatrix} \right\|^2 = 8(.25) = 2 \text{ and } SSE = \mathbf{y}^\top \mathbf{y} - \hat{\beta}^\top \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{y} = 136 - (3, .5, 2) \begin{pmatrix} 24 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix} = 136 - 106 = 30.$$

So, $F = \frac{2/1}{30/(8-3)} = \frac{1}{3}$. The critical value for this test is $F_{.05,1,5} = 6.61$ so we fail to reject H_0 since $F < F_{.05,1,5}$.