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import pandas as pd
         import statsmodels.api as sm
         import math
         from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
 In [3]:
         # read data from excercise 1 (runtime bruteforce algorithm for n cities)
         data = pd.read csv("runtime.csv", sep="\t")
         data.head(10)
                runtime logruntime
Out[3]:
               0.000030 -10.412956
               0.000125
                        -8.987746
               0.008953
                        -4.715756
               0.006412 -5.049579
               0.055637 -2.888909
               0.552404
                        -0.593476
               5.898209
                         1.774649
         7 11 79.035545
                        4.369898
In [5]:
         # estimate model using OLS
         # independent variable: n (=number of cities)
         x = data.n
         # include constant in model
         x = sm.add constant(x)
         # dependent variable: ln(runtime)
         y = data.logruntime
         # use OLS regression from statsmodel library
         model = sm.OLS(y,x)
         result = model.fit()
         print(result.summary())
                                    OLS Regression Results
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         Dep. Variable:
                                  logruntime
                                               R-squared:
                                                                               0.976
                                                                               0.972
         Model:
                                               Adj. R-squared:
                                         OLS
                                               F-statistic:
         Method:
                                Least Squares
                                                                               242.0
                                               Prob (F-statistic):
         Date:
                             Sun, 09 May 2021
                                                                            4.47e-06
                                    17:14:47
                                               Log-Likelihood:
                                                                             -8.9205
         Time:
         No. Observations:
                                                                               21.84
                                           8
                                               AIC:
                                                                               22.00
         Df Residuals:
                                           6
                                               BIC:
                                           1
         Df Model:
         Covariance Type:
                                   nonrobust
                                                        P>|t|
                                                                  [0.025]
                                 std err
                                                        0.000
                     -18.6540
                                  1.031
                                           -18.091
                                                                  -21.177
                                                                             -16.131
         const
                       2.0455
                                   0.131
                                            15.557
                                                        0.000
                                                                   1.724
                                                                               2.367
         ______
         Omnibus:
                                        6.412
                                               Durbin-Watson:
                                                                               2.636
         Prob(Omnibus):
                                               Jarque-Bera (JB):
                                                                               2.108
                                       0.041
         Skew:
                                               Prob(JB):
                                       1.234
                                                                               0.349
                                                                                27.2
         Kurtosis:
                                       3.486
                                               Cond. No.
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         Notes:
         [1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.
         /usr/local/lib/python3.9/site-packages/scipy/stats/stats.py:1603: UserWarning: kurtosistest only valid for n>=20 ... continuing anyway, n
         =8
          warnings.warn("kurtosistest only valid for n>=20 ... continuing "
 In [7]:
         # prediction method
         const = (math.e)**-18.6540
         coef = (math.e)**2.0455
         print("f*(x) = {} + {}^x".format(const,coef))
         def predict(n):
             global const, coef
             return const + coef**n
         f*(x) = 7.919007140709145e-09 + 7.733024083484697^x
In [11]:
         # estimate runtime and plot results
         x_{,} y_{,} = [], []
         for i in range(2,17):
             x .append(i)
             y_.append(predict(i))
         plt.plot(x_, y_)
         plt.xlabel("number of cities")
         plt.ylabel("time in seconds")
         plt.title("Time Estimates - TSP")
         plt.show()
         print(" n - time(sec)")
         for n, t in zip(x_,y_):
             print("{:2} - {:5f}".format(n,t))
                          Time Estimates - TSP
              le14
           1.6
           1.4
           1.2
         time in seconds
           0.8
           0.6
           0.4
           0.2
           0.0
                                    10
                                          12
                                               14
                                                    16
                             number of cities
          n - time(sec)
          2 - 59.799661
          3 - 462.432222
          4 - 3575.999513
          5 - 27653.290354
          6 - 213843.560292
          7 - 1653657.401835
          8 - 12787772.514221
          9 - 98888152.826598
         10 - 764704467.379396
         11 - 5913478062.993209
         12 - 45729068278.284920
         13 - 353623986311.293335
         14 - 2734582802643.094238
         15 - 21146594671122.128906
         16 - 163527125875476.562500
 In [ ]:
         # inspired by https://towardsdatascience.com/modeling-exponential-growth-49a2b6f22e1f
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In [2]: