

1 Lectures

This section records key facts presented in lectures in roughly chronological order.

Singular value decomposition. Let $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$. We can write $\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^T$, where

- \mathbf{U} is an orthogonal $n \times n$ matrix
- \mathbf{V} is an orthogonal $p \times p$ matrix
- $D_{ij} = 0$ for all $i \neq j$ and in non-decreasing order $D_{ii} \geq 0$ for all $i \leq \min(n, p)$.

Some facts about SVDs are

- A singular value decomposition is unique up to the signs of columns of \mathbf{U} and \mathbf{V}
- All matrices have SVDs whereas only symmetric matrices have spectral decompositions
- We can construct compact SVDs.

Subspace. A *subspace* is contained in a larger vector space and is a vector space itself. *Vector spaces* are closed under addition and scalar multiplication. An *orthogonal complement* of a subspace of a vector space is the set of all vectors in the vector space orthogonal to every vector in the subspace. We can decompose $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{Y}_{\mathcal{V}} + \mathbf{Y}_{\mathcal{V}^\perp}$. $\hat{\mathbf{Y}} \in \mathbf{Y}_{\mathcal{V}}$ and $\hat{\mathbf{e}} \in \mathbf{Y}_{\mathcal{V}^\perp}$.

Generalized inverse. Let $\mathbf{F} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$. Then generalized inverse \mathbf{F}^- satisfies $\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^-\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{F}$.

- Every matrix has a generalized inverse.
- A matrix can have more than 1 generalized inverse.
- The inverse of an invertible matrix is unique and is a generalized inverse.

Pseudoinverse. For any matrix \mathbf{F} , \exists a unique Moore-Penrose inverse \mathbf{F}^+ satisfying

- \mathbf{F}^+ is a generalized inverse of \mathbf{F}
- \mathbf{F} is a generalized inverse of \mathbf{F}^+
- $\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^+$ and $\mathbf{F}^+\mathbf{F}$ are symmetric

This pseudoinverse is often implemented in computer programs.

Estimability. Consider model $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\beta + \varepsilon$ where $\mathbb{E}[\varepsilon|\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{0}$. $a^T\beta$ is estimable if a is in the row space of \mathbf{X} .

- For $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{Y}$, $a^T\hat{\beta}$ is unbiased estimator of $a^T\beta$. If $\text{Var}(\varepsilon|\mathbf{X}) = \sigma^2\mathbf{I}_n$, then $\text{Var}(a^T\hat{\beta}|\mathbf{X}) = \sigma^2 a^T(\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X})^{-1}a$ (exercise 8).
- $a^T\hat{\beta}$ is BLUE if $a^T\beta$ is estimable (Gauss-Markov theorem).
- There are connections to identifiability, defined as $\theta \neq \theta_0 \implies f_\theta \neq f_{\theta_0}$.

Rank deficiency.

- Reduce to full rank.
 - Best. Easiest. Most common.
 - If $\mathbf{X} = [\mathbf{Z}_1 \quad \mathbf{Z}_2]$, columns of \mathbf{Z}_1 are linearly independent, and columns of \mathbf{Z}_2 are linear combinations of columns of \mathbf{Z}_1 , then $\hat{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{Z}_1^T\mathbf{Z}_1)^{-1}\mathbf{Z}_1^T\mathbf{Y} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}$.
- Use a generalized inverse ($\hat{\beta}$ still satisfies normal equations).
- Impose identifiability constraints.
 - $\mathbf{H}\beta = \mathbf{0}_s$ is an identifiability constraint if
 1. The rows of \mathbf{H} are linearly independent of \mathbf{X}
 2. $\text{rank}\left(\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ \mathbf{H} \end{bmatrix}\right) = p$.
 - $\text{rank}(\mathbf{H}) = p - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X})$.
 - $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{W}^T\mathbf{W})^{-1}\mathbf{W}^T\mathbf{Z}$, where $\mathbf{W} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ \mathbf{H} \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{Z} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{Y} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}$, and \mathbf{H} corresponds to an identifiability constraint, is a unique solution to constrained least squares.

Consistency. The Gauss-Markov theorem is a result that holds for finite samples. We now discuss under which conditions we have asymptotically (weakly) consistent $\hat{\beta}$.

- An estimator $\hat{\theta}$ is consistent for θ if

$$\lim(P(|\hat{\theta} - \theta| < \varepsilon)) = 1,$$

or, equivalently,

$$\lim(P(|\hat{\theta} - \theta| \geq \varepsilon)) = 0.$$

Note that $|\hat{\theta} - \theta|$ is a random quantity and $P(\cdot)$ is a deterministic quantity.

- We often argue consistency using Chebyshev's inequality:

$$P\left(\frac{|X - \mu|}{\sigma} \geq \varepsilon\right) \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\varepsilon^2},$$

where X is a random variable with $\mathbb{E}[X] = \mu$ and $\sigma^2 < \infty$, and this inequality holds for any $\varepsilon > 0$.

- $\lim a_n = a$ if for all $\varepsilon > 0$ there exists m such that, for all $n > m$,

$$|a_n - a| < \varepsilon.$$

- Suppose we have a linear model with a full rank design matrix. If $\lambda_{\min}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}) \rightarrow \infty$, then $\hat{\beta} \xrightarrow{p} \beta$.

Correlated errors.

- Time series, spatially correlated, and longitudinal datasets have correlated observations.
- Random effects describe a class of models where the parameters themselves have a distribution. Examples include land plots and technical replicates.
- Fixed effects describe a class of models where the parameters are fixed, but unknown. Examples include experiments with levels, e.g. apply different fertilizer treatments.
- Mixed models refer to models with both fixed and random effects.
- We apply transforms to work with an uncorrelated covariance matrix.
- For $\mathbf{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, if \mathbf{C} is positive (semi-)definite, then \exists a positive (semi-)definite symmetric square root denoted $\mathbf{C}^{1/2}$. (We may have to be careful describing the diagonalization for rank-deficient \mathbf{C} .)
- $\hat{\beta}_G = (\mathbf{X}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{X})^T \mathbf{X}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{Y}$ when $\mathbf{X}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{X}$ is full rank is the least squares solution to

$$\arg \min_{\beta} (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)^T \Sigma^{-1} (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)$$

Central limit theorems.

- Weighted averages are often normally distributed.
- **Levy CLT.** Let $\mathbf{X}_1, \dots, \mathbf{X}_n$ be a iid random vectors in \mathbb{R}^p .

$$\sqrt{n}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}_n - \mu) \xrightarrow{d} N_p(\mathbf{0}, \Sigma)$$

- **Lindeberg-Feller CLT.** Let X_1, \dots, X_n be independent random variables with zero mean and possibly different variances. Label $S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ and $\sigma_{(n)}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i^2$. Then $S_n/\sigma_{(n)} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1)$ and $\max\{\sigma_i^2/\sigma_{(n)}^2\} \rightarrow 0$ iff the Lindeberg condition holds.
- **Lindeberg condition.** For all $\varepsilon > 0$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_{(n)}^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{E}[X_i^2 \mathbf{1}_{|X_i| \geq \varepsilon \sigma_{(n)}}] \rightarrow 0$$

We usually use \Leftarrow of the LF-CLT, showing that the Lindeberg condition holds and concluding $S_n/\sigma_{(n)} \xrightarrow{d} N(0, 1)$.

- **Dominated convergence theorem.** If $f_n \rightarrow f$ pointwise and $|f_n(x)| \leq g(x)$ for all n and $\int g < \infty$, then $\int f_n \rightarrow \int f$. This statement of the theorem is a corollary to DCT in Shorack (2017).
- **Cramér-Wold device.** $\mathbf{X}_n \in \mathbb{R}^d$ satisfies $\mathbf{X}_n \xrightarrow{d} \mathbf{X}_0$ iff $a^T \mathbf{X}_n \xrightarrow{d} a^T \mathbf{X}_0$ for all $a \in \mathbb{R}^d$. We get a nice corollary for $\mathbf{X}_0 \sim N_d(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I}_d)$ for all $a \in \mathbb{R}^d$ such that $a^T a = 1$.
- **Asymptotic normality of $\hat{\beta}$.** Suppose we have our LM setup and full rank \mathbf{X} for all n . $\max\{X_k^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} X_k\} \rightarrow 0$ implies

$$(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{1/2} (\hat{\beta} - \beta) \xrightarrow{d} N_p(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_p)$$

(Observe above that we consider the maximum *leverage*.)

- **Mann-Wald.** If g is a continuous function, then $Z_n \xrightarrow{p} Z$ implies $g(Z_n) \xrightarrow{p} g(Z)$ and $Z_n \xrightarrow{d} Z$ implies $g(Z_n) \xrightarrow{d} g(Z)$

Hypothesis testing.

- For multivariate rejection regions, statisticians may disagree on which rejection region to use (min volume ellipsoid, min diameter sphere, or box constraints). This motivates finding a 1-dimensional test statistic.
- Consider $\mathbf{Z} \sim N_n(\mu, \Sigma)$ with $\text{rank}(\Sigma) = n$. Then

$$Q = (\mathbf{Z} - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (\mathbf{Z} - \mu) \sim \chi_n^2$$

- Suppose we have a linear model with full rank design matrix and some regularity conditions are satisfied. Then, under $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\beta = c$,

$$\frac{(\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)^T (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)}{\sigma^2} \xrightarrow{d} \chi_k^2$$

- If we have **normal errors and σ^2 is known**, then a χ^2 test is exact (correct for finite n)
- If we have **normal errors and σ^2 is unknown**, then a F-test is exact
 - Suppose we have a linear model with normal errors and full rank design matrix. Then, under $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\beta = c$,

$$F = \frac{(\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)^T (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c) \div k}{s^2} \xrightarrow{d} F_{k, n-p}$$

- Under $H_0 : \beta_i = 0$,

$$\frac{\hat{\beta}_i^2}{s^2 (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})_{ii}^{-1}} \xrightarrow{d} F_{1, n-p}$$

and, equivalently, due to the relationship between t - and F -distributions,

$$\frac{\hat{\beta}_i}{s \sqrt{(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})_{ii}^{-1}}} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_i}{s.e.(\hat{\beta}_i)} \xrightarrow{d} t_{n-p}$$

- **Another framing:** let $RSS_{H_0} = (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta}_{H_0})^T (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta}_{H_0})$ under the null hypothesis restrictions and $RSS = (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})$ under no restrictions. We can write

$$(\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)^T (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c) = RSS_{H_0} - RSS$$

Therefore, we derive the same asymptotic distribution

$$\frac{(RSS_{H_0} - RSS) \div k}{RSS \div (n - p)} \xrightarrow{d} F_{k, n-p}$$

- If the errors are not normal, the F-test is asymptotically the same as the χ^2 test (up to constant multiplier). We achieve this result via a fact that $k \times F \xrightarrow{d} \chi_k^2$
- Suppose we have a linear model with normal errors and full rank design matrix. Then

$$\frac{(n - p)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-p}^2$$

where $s^2 = (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})^T (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta}) / (n - p)$.

- s^2 and $\hat{\beta}$ are independent, using
 - $\mathbf{Z} \sim N_n$ if and only if $a^T \mathbf{Z} \sim N_1$ for all non-zero vectors a
- If $U \sim \chi_m^2$ and $V \sim \chi_n^2$, then

$$\frac{U/m}{V/n} \sim F_{m, n}$$

Heteroscedasticity. (Homo)heteroscedasticity means that the variance of \mathbf{Y} does (not) depend on \mathbf{X} . Heteroscedasticity is the more reasonable assumption to make, but this complicates the math. The most common approach to assume heteroscedasticity is via a weight matrix \mathbf{W} . Let $Y = \mathbf{X}\beta + \mathbf{W}\varepsilon$.

- $\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}) = ((\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{W}^2 \mathbf{X} (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})^{-1}$.
 - The true variance is often larger than model-based variances under the homoscedastic assumption
- Using Cramér-Wold device, LF-CLT, and DCT, and assuming the max leverage with respect to $\mathbf{W}\mathbf{X}$ goes to zero, we achieve

$$(\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}))^{-1/2}(\hat{\beta} - \beta) \xrightarrow{d} N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I}_p)$$

- Ignoring heteroscedasticity can result in too small of confidence intervals, misleading inference, etc.
 - Variance-stabilizing transformations are often used to handle this
- Huber-White sandwich estimation is often used to determine unknown \mathbf{W}

Experimental Design. Orthogonal designs are nice because estimates for $\hat{\beta}_i$ do not change when we include a new orthogonal covariate and the variance of $\hat{\beta}_i$ is minimized (optimal). An orthogonal design is one where the covariates in the design matrix \mathbf{X} are orthogonal. Under such an assumption,

- $\hat{\beta}_i = \frac{\mathbf{x}_i^T \mathbf{Y}}{\mathbf{x}_i^T \mathbf{x}_i}$
- $\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_i) = \frac{\sigma^2}{\mathbf{x}_i^T \mathbf{x}_i}$ which is the variance bound!
- Amy suggested an orthogonal design to a collaborator for experiment on gene expression of regenerative worms
- We may desire to add another observation to the experiment that is $\mathbf{X}_{n+1} = c \cdot \mathbf{v}_{\min}$ where \mathbf{v}_{\min} is the eigenvector corresponding to the smallest eigenvalue, if we have the resources (and can play god)

Blocking

- Including relevant covariates in the model
- (often) under the control of the experimenter

2 Exercises

This section records the facts presented the in-class exercises in chronological order.

1. Any solution $\hat{\beta}$ to $\arg \min_{\beta} (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)^T(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\beta)$ satisfies that $\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X}\hat{\beta} = \mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{Y}$.
2. Let $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{s \times s}$, $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = s$, and $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{s \times t}$. Then, $\text{rank}(\mathbf{AB}) = \text{rank}(\mathbf{B})$.
3. (a) The columns of \mathbf{U} in the SVD of \mathbf{X} are the eigenvectors of \mathbf{XX}^T .
(b) The columns of \mathbf{V} in the SVD of \mathbf{X} are the eigenvectors of $\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X}$.
(c) The diagonal elements of \mathbf{D} in the SVD of \mathbf{X} are the square roots of the eigenvalues of $\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X}$ and \mathbf{XX}^T .
4. (a) $\text{rank}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}) = \text{rank}(\mathbf{X})$. (Full rank \mathbf{X} is a sufficient condition for LSE to be unique.)
(b) If $\text{rank}(\mathbf{X}) = p \leq n$, then $\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}$ is positive definite. (Full rank \mathbf{X} is sufficient condition for SSE to be strictly convex.)
5. Let $\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{X}}$ be the projection matrix onto \mathbf{X} where $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$.
(a) $\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{X}}$ can be written \mathbf{UAU}' using SVD.
(b) $\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{X}}$ has eigenvalue 1 of multiplicity p and eigenvalue 0 of multiplicity $n - p$.
(c) $\text{rank}(\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{X}}) = p$.
6. Every matrix has a generalized inverse.
7. If \mathbf{G} and \mathbf{H} are generalized inverses of $\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}$, then $\mathbf{XGX}' = \mathbf{XHX}'$.
8. For $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\beta + \varepsilon$ and $\varepsilon|\mathbf{X} \sim (\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2\mathbf{I}_n)$, if $a^T\beta$ is estimable, then $\text{var}(a^T\hat{\beta}|\mathbf{X}) = \sigma^2 a^T(\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X})^{-}a$ where $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X})^{-}\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{Y}$.
9. Gauss-Markov theorem for full rank \mathbf{X} . $a^T\hat{\beta}$ is unique UMVUE for $a^T\beta$.
10. Using Chebyshev's inequality, we show that

$$P(|Y_n - \mu| \geq \delta) \leq \frac{\sigma_n^2}{\delta^2}$$

where Y_1, \dots, Y_n is a sequence of random variables with indexed variances and common expectation. If $\lim \sigma_n^2 = 0$, then $Y_n \xrightarrow{P} \mu$. We use this exercise to say that, if our estimator's variance goes to zero as the sample gets asymptotically large, then the estimator is asymptotically (weakly) consistent for μ .

11. Suppose $\mathbf{Y} \sim (\mathbf{X}\beta, \Sigma)$ where Σ is full rank. Then $\Sigma^{-1/2}(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\beta) \sim (\mathbf{0}_n, \mathbf{I}_n)$

12. If we have full rank \mathbf{X} and Σ , the OLS and GLS estimates are both unbiased estimators of β . They often have different variances. In this case, the Gauss Markov theorem gives that $a^T \hat{\beta}_G$ is BLUE for $a^T \beta$.
13. Reflect on when least squares are normally distributed
14. We have our usual OLS setup with full rank \mathbf{X} and the max leverage converging to 0. Under $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\beta = c$ and the rank of \mathbf{A} is k ,

$$\frac{(\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)^T (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)}{\sigma^2} \xrightarrow{d} \chi_k^2$$

15. The setup is the same as above, except we have normal errors and a finite sample. Instead,

$$\frac{(\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)^T (\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\beta} - c)}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_k^2$$

That is, χ^2 is an exact test.

16. We prefer orthogonal designs
17. Some derivations on the way to the asymptotic distribution for ordinary least squares in the heteroscedastic case

3 Homeworks

This section records the facts presented in homeworks in roughly chronological order.

1. For any matrix \mathbf{A} , $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}' = \mathbf{0}$ implies $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0}$.
2. Projection matrices.
 - (a) For any matrix \mathbf{A} , $\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{A}'\mathbf{A})^{-1}\mathbf{A}'$ is a projection matrix onto $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$.
 - (b) $\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{A}}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}$.
 - (c) $\text{rank}(\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{A}}) = \text{rank}(\mathbf{A})$.
3. Given two OLS estimates of β , $\mathbf{X}\hat{\beta}_1 = \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta}_2$.
4. Consider models $\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Y}|\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{1}\alpha_0 + \mathbf{W}\alpha$ and $\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Y}|\mathbf{X}] = \mathbf{1}\beta_0 + \mathbf{X}\beta$. Suppose \mathbf{W} , a column centered version of design matrix \mathbf{X} , has full rank $p < n$. Then least squares estimates of α and β are unique and $\hat{\alpha} = \hat{\beta}$.
5. Let \mathbf{P} be a $n \times n$ projection matrix and \mathbf{R} be a $n \times n$ orthogonal matrix.
 - \mathbf{P} is positive semidefinite.
 - If $\text{rank}(\mathbf{P}) = r$, then \mathbf{P} has eigenvalue 1 with multiplicity r and eigenvalue 0 with multiplicity $n - r$.
 - \mathbf{R} has real eigenvalues ± 1 .
6. The (unique) least squares estimate is unbiased when the design matrix is full rank.
7. In simple linear regression, $\hat{\beta}_0$ and $\hat{\beta}_1$ are uncorrelated if and only if $\bar{x} = 0$.
8. (Seber and Lee page 64.) Rank-deficient \mathbf{X} implies that a least squares estimator cannot be unbiased for β . Moreover, a least squares estimate is of the form $\mathbf{C}\mathbf{Y}_n$ where $\mathbf{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$ and $\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X}\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{X}^T$.
9. The sum of the leverages equals the rank of the design matrix. Moreover, leverages lie in between 0 and 1 inclusive.
10. There are more ways to show that the Lindeberg condition holds besides just using the dominated convergence theorem. Sometimes inequalities like Hölder's and Markov's can be useful.
11. For $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\beta + \varepsilon$ and $\varepsilon \sim (0, \sigma^2)$,

$$s^2 = \frac{(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})^T(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})}{n - p} \xrightarrow{p} \sigma^2$$

4 Potpourri

- Suppose $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{0}$. Then $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{X}' = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X}'$.
- $\text{trace}(\mathbf{P}) = \text{rank}(\mathbf{P})$ for any projection matrix \mathbf{P} .
- Expected value of the residuals is $\mathbf{0}$.
- For our standard LM setup, $\frac{1}{n - \text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})^T(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\hat{\beta})$ is unbiased estimator of $\hat{\sigma}^2$.
- The only full rank projection matrix is the identity matrix.
- $\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Z}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{Z}] = \text{trace}(\mathbf{A} \text{Var}(\mathbf{Z})) + \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Z}]^T \mathbf{A} \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{Z}]$.
- If $Y \sim N(\mathbf{X}\beta, \sigma^2 I_n)$, then
 - $\hat{\beta}$ is the MLE for β
 - $\hat{\beta}$ is unbiased for β
 - $\hat{\beta}$ is efficient, i.e. achieves CR lower bound
 - F -test is UMP level α test
- Hölder's inequality. For $p, q > 1$ and $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$,

$$\mathbb{E}[|XY|] \leq \mathbb{E}[|X|^p]^{\frac{1}{p}} \times \mathbb{E}[|Y|^q]^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

- Cauchy-Schwarz inequality.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[XY]^2 &\leq \mathbb{E}[|XY|]^2 \\ &\leq \mathbb{E}[|X|^2] \times \mathbb{E}[|Y|^2] \\ &= \mathbb{E}[X^2] \times \mathbb{E}[Y^2] \end{aligned}$$

- Markov inequality. $\mu(|X| > \lambda) \leq \frac{\mathbb{E}[|X|^r]}{\lambda^r}$ for all $\lambda > 0$. This inequality provides upper bounds on probabilities.