

ST790 HW2

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(i)

The 95% confidence band is created by connecting the point-wise confidence interval

$$f(\mathbf{x}_0^T \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}) \pm z_{0.025} \sqrt{\mathbf{x}_0 \text{Var}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}) \mathbf{x}_0^T}$$

where $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{Y}$, $\text{Var}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}) = \hat{\sigma}^2 (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1}$ and $\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mathbf{x}_i^T \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}})^2}{n-p-1}$.

(ii)

Algorithm 1: Point-wise confidence interval for $\mathbf{x}_0^T \boldsymbol{\beta}$

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B =  $\emptyset$ ;  
b = 0;  
for i = 1:M do  
     $\boldsymbol{\beta}_i^* \sim \text{Normal}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}, \hat{\sigma}^2 (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$ ;  
    if  $(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_i^*)^T (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X}) (\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_i^*) \leq \hat{\sigma}^2 \chi_{p+1, 0.95}^2$  then  
        B  $\leftarrow \{\mathbf{B}, f(\mathbf{x}_0^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_i^*)\}$ ;  
        b  $\leftarrow b + 1$ ;  
    else  
        continue;  
    end  
end
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The point-wise confidence interval for $\mathbf{x}_0^T \boldsymbol{\beta}$ can then be approximated using endpoints $\mathbf{B}_{(1)}$ and $\mathbf{B}_{(b)}$ where $\mathbf{B}_{(i)}$ is the i -th order statistic of \mathbf{B} . The 95% confidence band is again created by connecting the lower/upper endpoints for the point-wise confidence interval.

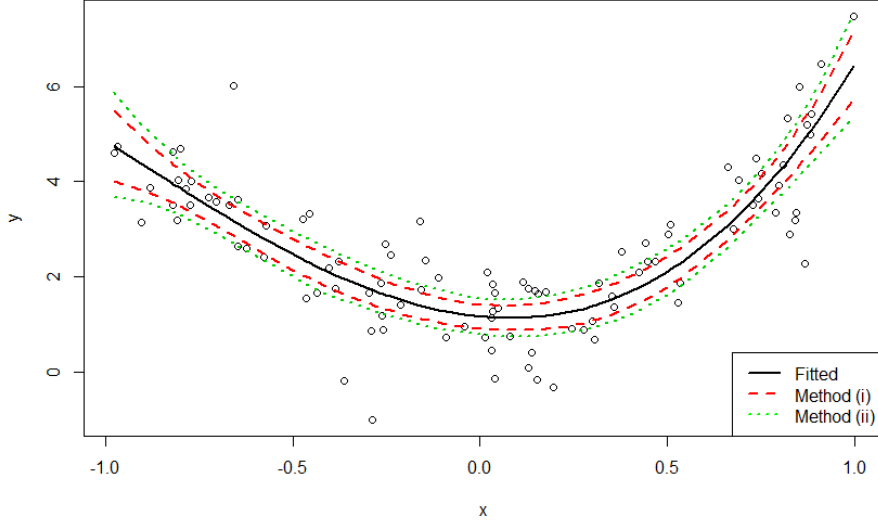


Figure 1: 95% confidence band for $f(\mathbf{x}^T \boldsymbol{\beta})$

Based on the result the second method seems to provide a wider band.

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We first prove that $h(x) \perp [A - p(x)]g(x)$, assuming $x \sim f(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{E}\{h(x)[A - p(x)]g(x)\} &= \int h(x)[A - p(x)]g(x)f(x)dx \\
 \text{Let } u(x) &= h(x)g(x) \\
 &= \int u(x) \int [A - p(x)]f(x)dx \, dx - \int u'(x) \int [A - p(x)]f(x)dx \, dx \\
 &\because p(x) = P(A = 1|x) = \mathbb{E}(A|x) \\
 \therefore \int [A - p(x)]f(x)dx &= \mathbb{E}[A - p(x)] = \mathbb{E}(A) - \mathbb{E}(A) = 0 \\
 \therefore \mathbb{E}\{h(x)[A - p(x)]g(x)\} &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $h(x) \perp [A - p(x)]g(x)$. Notice that this result does not depend on the form of $h(\cdot)$ or $g(\cdot)$. Additionally, we have

$$\mathbb{E} \left\{ \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{X}) \text{diag}(\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})) \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{X})^T \right\} = \mathbb{E} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n [A_i - p(X_i)] \mathbf{h}(\mathbf{X})_i \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{X})_i^T \right\} = \mathbf{0}$$

for any mapping $\mathbf{H}(\cdot)$, $\mathbf{G}(\cdot)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Let } \mathcal{S}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}, \boldsymbol{\beta}) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[Y_i - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\gamma} - \{A_i - p(\mathbf{X}_i)\} (\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta}) \right]^2 \\
 \frac{\partial \mathcal{S}(\boldsymbol{\gamma}, \boldsymbol{\beta})}{\partial \boldsymbol{\gamma}} &= -2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left[Y_i - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\gamma} - \{A_i - p(\mathbf{X}_i)\} (\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta}) \right] \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_i \\
 &= -2 \left[\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \mathbf{Y} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \boldsymbol{\gamma} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \boldsymbol{\beta} \right] \stackrel{set}{=} \mathbf{0}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let us assume $\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \succ 0$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{S}(\gamma, \beta)}{\partial \gamma^2} = 2\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \succ 0$$

$$\therefore \hat{\gamma} = (\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \tilde{\mathbf{X}})^{-1} [\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \mathbf{Y} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}(\hat{\gamma}, \beta) &= \left[\mathbf{Y} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \hat{\gamma} - \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta \right]^T \left[\mathbf{Y} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \hat{\gamma} - \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta \right] \\ &= \left[(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \mathbf{Y} - (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta \right]^T \left[(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \mathbf{Y} - (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathcal{S}(\hat{\gamma}, \beta)}{\partial \beta} &= -2 \left[\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \mathbf{Y} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta \right] \\ &\stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let us assume $\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \succ 0$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{S}(\hat{\gamma}, \beta)}{\partial \beta^2} = 2\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \succ 0$$

$$\therefore \hat{\beta} = \left[\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \right]^{-1} \left[\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \mathbf{Y} \right]$$

Let $(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} = \bar{\mathbf{X}}$

$$\therefore \hat{\beta} = [\bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \bar{\mathbf{X}}]^{-1} [\bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \mathbf{Y}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \mathbf{Y} &= \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \left[h(\mathbf{X}) + \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A}\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \epsilon \right] \\ &= \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \left[h(\mathbf{X}) + \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X}) + p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \epsilon \right] \\ &= \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \left[h(\mathbf{X}) + \bar{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \text{diag}\{p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \epsilon \right] \\ \therefore \hat{\beta} &= [\bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \bar{\mathbf{X}}]^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \left[h(\mathbf{X}) + \text{diag}\{p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \epsilon \right] + \beta_0 \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \bar{\mathbf{X}} \right]^{-1} \frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \left[h(\mathbf{X}) + \text{diag}\{p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 + \epsilon \right] + \beta_0 \end{aligned}$$

Further assume $\frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \bar{\mathbf{X}} \xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{C}$, where \mathbf{C} is a positive-definite matrix

$$\therefore \left[\frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \bar{\mathbf{X}} \right]^{-1} \xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{C}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T h(\mathbf{X}) = \frac{1}{n} \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) h(\mathbf{X})$$

Although $(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) h(\mathbf{X})$ is a vector, we can treat it as the first column of a matrix with rest of columns being $\mathbf{0}$. Therefore based on previously proved orthogonality,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{n} \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} [(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) h(\mathbf{X}) \quad \mathbf{0} \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{0}] &\xrightarrow{P} \mathbb{E} \left\{ \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} [(\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}}) h(\mathbf{X}) \quad \mathbf{0} \quad \dots \quad \mathbf{0}] \right\} \\ &= \mathbf{0} \\ \therefore \frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T h(\mathbf{X}) &\xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{0} \end{aligned}$$

Using similar strategy, we can show that

$$\frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{p(\mathbf{X})\} \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \beta_0 \xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{0}$$

Since $X_i \perp \epsilon_i$ $\mathbb{E}(\epsilon_i) = 0 \forall i$, we have $\mathbb{E}(\tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \epsilon) = \mathbf{0}$.

$$\therefore \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T = \tilde{\mathbf{X}}^T \text{diag}\{\mathbf{A} - p(\mathbf{X})\} (\mathbf{I} - P_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}}})$$

$$\therefore \bar{\mathbf{X}}_{(i)} \in \mathcal{C}(\tilde{\mathbf{X}}) \forall i$$

where $\bar{\mathbf{X}}_{(i)}$ denotes the i -th row of $\bar{\mathbf{X}}$.

$$\therefore \frac{1}{n} \bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \boldsymbol{\epsilon} \xrightarrow{P} \mathbb{E}(\bar{\mathbf{X}}^T \boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\therefore \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \xrightarrow{P} \mathbf{C}^{-1} \mathbf{0} + \boldsymbol{\beta}_0 = \boldsymbol{\beta}_0$$

This shows that $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$ is indeed a consistent estimator for $\boldsymbol{\beta}_0$.

(ii)

Table 1: Simulation result for $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$

	N=50				100				200				500			
	S1C1	S1C2	S2C1	S2C2	S1C1	S1C2	S2C1	S2C2	S1C1	S1C2	S2C1	S2C2	S1C1	S1C2	S2C1	S2C2
$\hat{\beta}_0$	0.55 (0.33)	0.52 (0.29)	0.51 (0.30)	0.53 (0.30)	0.52 (0.21)	0.52 (0.18)	0.51 (0.20)	0.51 (0.14)	0.51 (0.15)	0.51 (0.13)	0.50 (0.15)	0.51 (0.13)	0.50 (0.09)	0.50 (0.08)	0.50 (0.09)	0.50 (0.09)
$\hat{\beta}_1$	-1.08 (0.52)	-1.05 (0.42)	-1.03 (0.48)	-1.03 (0.47)	-1.04 (0.33)	-1.03 (0.26)	-1.02 (0.31)	-1.02 (0.32)	-1.01 (0.21)	-1.01 (0.17)	-1.00 (0.22)	-1.01 (0.22)	-1.01 (0.14)	-1.01 (0.11)	-1.00 (0.13)	-1.00 (0.14)
$\hat{\beta}_2$	1.03 (0.54)	1.02 (0.46)	1.02 (0.46)	1.04 (0.48)	1.02 (0.34)	1.00 (0.28)	1.03 (0.30)	1.00 (0.29)	1.00 (0.24)	1.00 (0.19)	1.00 (0.22)	1.00 (0.21)	1.01 (0.14)	1.00 (0.11)	1.00 (0.13)	1.00 (0.13)

Note: S stands for Scenario, and C stands for Case; Values are Mean (SD).