# BST169: Course Work Project answer

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# 1 BST169: Course Work Project

there are 5 questions

# 1.1 topic 1:

1. Consider the model:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 * x_{1,i} + \beta_2 * x_{2,i} + e_i$$
 (1)

What is the requirement for  $e_i$  such that the following test statistics will be valid to test H0:  $\beta_1 + \beta_2 = 1$ ?

- $W = N * (SSR_R SSR_U)/SSR_U$  (Wald).
- $LM = N * (SSR_R SSR_U)/SSR_R$  (Lagrange Multiplier),
- $LR = N * ln(SSR_R/SSR_U)$  (Likelihood Ratio)

where  $SSR_R$  is the sum of squared residuals obtained from the restricted model, while  $SSR_R$  is from the unrestricted model.

#### 1.1.1 ansewer

chi-sq distribution

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \epsilon_i \ y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \epsilon_i \ \text{with} \ \beta_1 + \beta_2 = 1 \implies y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + (1 - \beta_1) x_2 + \epsilon_i \ y_i - x_2 = \beta_0 + \beta_1 (x_1 - x_2) + \epsilon_i \ \text{in lecture } 3$$

homoscedasity

# 1.2 topic 2

2. For the data set **pbp.csv**, can we use the **three test statistics** mentioned in the previous question to test H0:  $\beta_1 + \beta_2 = 1$ ? Why? If W and LM are not valid, how can one modify them for the test? What is your conclusion from the valid test?

bootstrap lecture:h-test or white test

pbp=read.csv("/Users/sn0wfree/Dropbox/PhD\_1st\_study/BST169\_Econometrics/Crousework\_Project/pbp.csv")
head(pbp)

```
## X y x1 x2

## 1 1 4.238746 6.271882 2.8827052

## 2 2 5.807991 9.890907 0.6961033

## 3 3 3.796173 5.868733 3.4438338

## 4 4 2.692767 2.356197 0.5413317

## 5 5 2.429828 6.077795 2.8432213

## 6 6 4.967426 5.528258 2.0317105

str(pbp)
```

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## 'data.frame': 1000 obs. of 4 variables:
## $ X : int 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ y : num 4.24 5.81 3.8 2.69 2.43 ...
## $ x1: num 6.27 9.89 5.87 2.36 6.08 ...
## $ x2: num 2.883 0.696 3.444 0.541 2.843 ...
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### 1.3 topic 3

3. Generate  $y_i$  from the following model,

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 * x_{1,i} + (1 - \beta_1) * x_{2,i} + \sqrt{x_{1,i}} * \epsilon_1$$
 (2)

where  $x_{1,i}$  follows chi-squared distribution with 2 degrees of freedom. Generate  $\epsilon_1$  from student t distribution with 6 degrees of freedom and  $x_{2,i} \sim U(0,10)$ . Check whether Wald, LR and LM in Question 1 follow chi-squared distribution by Monte Carlo. (The R command: ks.test(,'pchisq',2) can be used.) If W and LM are not valid, calculate the correct test statistics and also verify them by Monte Carlo. Please consider different sample sizes.

#### 1.3.1 lecture Monte Carlo

from mc1.r mc2.r

lecture Monte Carlo

sample size; estimation:power of test

#### 1.4 topic 4

Compare the size of different test statistics (frequencies of making Type 1 error) from Monte Carlo using 5% level of significance for different sample sizes. Explain the results.

#### 1.5 topic 5

For the data set pbp.csv, suppose Equation (2) is the true model. Use proper bootstrapped errors from the true model to study whether different test statistics for H0:  $\beta_1 + \beta_2 = 1$  in the previous questions follow chi-squared distribution. Explain your results.

reject null, make type I error