ECON-320-Lab-4-5

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Introduction

- As economists, we run a lot of regressions; it is our bread and butter.
- By default, we estimate OLS, which is a linear regression with appealing properties.
- Our goal is to conduct causal inference.

Packages

```
library(tinytex)
library(tidyverse)
library(dslabs)
library(dplyr)
library(ggplot2)
library(tibble)
library(modelsummary)
library(broom)
```

OLS 1:

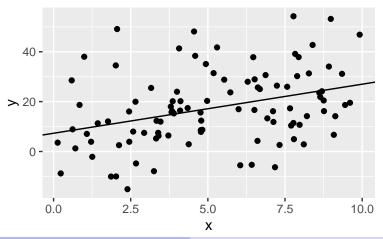
$$\begin{split} y &= \beta_0 + \beta_1 * x + e, \; \hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \\ \hat{\beta}_0 &= \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x} \end{split}$$

OLS 1:

```
set.seed(1)
data \leftarrow tibble(x = runif(100,0, 10),
                 e = rnorm(100, 0, 15),
                 v = 10 + 1.5*x + e
ols_coefficients <- function(x, y) {</pre>
  x_{bar} \leftarrow mean(x)
  y_bar <- mean(y)</pre>
  beta_1 \leftarrow sum((x - x_bar)*(y - y_bar))/sum((x - x_bar)^2)
  beta 0 <- y bar - beta 1*x bar
  return(list(intercept = beta 0, slope = beta 1))
result <- ols coefficients(data$x, data$y)
intercept <- result$intercept</pre>
slope <- result$slope</pre>
```

OLS 1: Scatterplot

```
ggplot(data, aes(x = x, y = y)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_abline(slope = slope, intercept = intercept)
```



OLS 2:

• Im function: for univariate model.

OLS 3:

• Im function: for multivariate case.

```
n = 100
set.seed(1)
data \leftarrow tibble(x = runif(n,0, 10),
                  z = runif(n, 5, 15),
                  e = rnorm(n, 0, 15),
                  v = 10 + 1.5*x - 3*z + e
model1 \leftarrow lm(data = data, y \sim x)
model2 \leftarrow lm(data = data, y \sim x + z)
```

Regression Table

Table 1: Results From Simulated Data

	Regression 1	Regression 2
(Intercept)	-20.286***	9.752
	(3.625)	(6.275)
X	1.345*	1.396*
	(0.622)	(0.545)
Z		-2.978***
		(0.537)
	* - < 0.05 **	< 0.01 ***

$$+ p < 0.1$$
, * p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, *** p < 0.001

Figure 2: Simulated Data-1

Standardisation of Data

```
n = 100
set.seed(1)
# Generate data in a tibble
data = tibble(
e = rnorm(n, sd = 2),
v = rnorm(n, sd = 1),
x = runif(n, min = 0, max = 10),
v = 8 - 3*x + e
z = 20 - 0.3*v + 3*x + v
data sn <- data %>% mutate(
x.sn = (x - mean(x))/sd(x),
y.sn = (y - mean(y))/sd(y)
```

Densities

```
ggplot()+
geom_density(data = data, aes(x = x), color = "blue")+
geom_density(data = data_sn, aes(x = x.sn), color = "red")
```

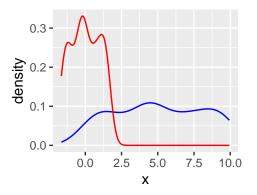


Figure 3: Densities

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Confidence Interval

```
lm1 < -lm(data = data, z~y)
lm2 \leftarrow lm(data = data, z \sim y + x)
results <- rbind(tidy(lm1), tidy(lm2)) %>%
filter(term == "y")
results
results <- results %>% mutate(
lower_bound = estimate - 1.96*std.error,
upper_bound = estimate + 1.96*std.error,
model = c("without x", "with x")
results
```

Confidence Interval

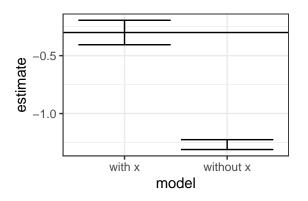


Figure 4: Confidence Bands

Hypothesis Testing:

• Null hypothesis verus alternative hypothesis.

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$$H_0: \beta = 0.5 \ H_a: \beta \neq 0.5$$

Test statistic:

$$\frac{\hat{\beta} - \beta}{s.e}$$

Hypothesis Testing:

```
beta1 = results$estimate[1]
st.err1 = results$std.error[1]
test1 = (beta1 - (-0.3))/st.err1
test1
[1] -44.40833
beta2 = results$estimate[2]
st.err2 = results$std.error[2]
test2 = (beta2 - (-0.3))/st.err2
test2
```

[1] 0.001330759

Ifelse Again

```
ifelse(abs(test1) > 1.96,
"Reject the null hypothesis",
"Fail to reject the null hypothesis")
```

[1] "Reject the null hypothesis"