

Advanced Econometrics TA session 2

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1. GLS

1.1 Heteroscedasticity

- Residual plot (STATA: rvfplot)
- Test
 - ☐ BP test (STATA: estat hettest, rhs)
 - ☐ White test (STATA: estat imtest, white)
- Solution
 - ☐ WLS (STATA: [aweight=varname])
 - ☐ FGLS (STATA: [aweight=...])
 - ☒ Robust SE (STATA: vce(robust))
- Empirically, correct the bias with robust SE

1.2 Auto-correlation

- Test
 - ☐ DW test (STATA: estat dwatson)

Positive serial	Indeterminate	No serial correlation	Indeterminate	Negative Serial		
0	dl=1.600	du=1.696	2	4-du=2.304	4-dl=2.4	4

- ☐ BM test (STATA: estat bgodfrey)
- Solution
 - ☐ CO transformation (STATA: prais y x1 x2, corc)
 - ☐ PW transformation (STATA: prais y x1 x2)
 - ☐ Auto-correlated robust SE (STATA: newey y x1 x2, lag(#))
- Empirically, try to model the exact nature of the autocorrelation in your data

2. MLE

2.1 Estimation (STATA: program... ml model lf ... ml max)

2.2 Test

- Likelihood ratio test (STATA: lrtest model1 model2)
- Wald test (STATA: test varname=0)
- LM test

3. Discrete Choice Model

3.1 Estimation

- LPM (STATA: `ols+robust SE`)
- MLE (STATA: `probit, logit ... margins`)

3.2 Test

- Likelihood ratio test (STATA: `lrtest model1 model2`)
- Wald test (STATA: `test varname=0`)