

Solution to HW 6

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a. $H_0 : EY = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X$, $H_a : EY \neq \beta_0 + \beta_1 X$. SSE is 128.75. SSE of linear model is 146.44. Then the F statistic equals $(146.44 - 128.75)/2/128.75/12 = 0.82$. It follows distribution $F(2, 12)$. The cut off $F_{0.99}(2, 12)$ which is equal to 6.93. Thus, the null cannot be rejected.

b. The advantage is that equal number of observations under each X level can make error smaller at each level. Also, we can tell whether there is an outlier at each X level. The estimation could become more robust.

The disadvantage is that in the variance of prediction error in linear regression is not constant through all X . Hence, the error variance is bigger when X lies far away from its mean. So it may be suitable to assign more points there.

c. The linear assumption between response and predictor is appropriate from the F -test in part (a).

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a. We know that $SST = \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = 236.56$.

We first do linear regression between Y against X_4 , then get $SSR_4 = 67.77$.

We then do linear regression between Y against X_1, X_4 and get $SSR_{1|4} = 42.28$.

We next do linear regression between Y against X_1, X_2, X_4 and get $SSR_{2|1,4} = 27.87$.

Lastly, we do linear regression between Y against X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4 and get $SSR_{3|1,2,4} = 0.4$.

b. $H_0 : \beta_3 = 0$ and $H_a : \beta_3 \neq 0$. F statistic is equal to $0.4/1.29 = 0.31$. The cutoff is $F_{0.99}(1, 76) = 6.98$. Hence, the null cannot be rejected. The P value is 0.58.

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When $\beta_1 = 0.1$ and $\beta_2 = 0.4$, the reduced model is

$$Y = -0.1X_1 + 0.4X_2 + \beta_0 + \beta_3X_3 + \beta_4X_4 + \epsilon$$

and the full model is

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \beta_3 X_3 + \beta_4 X_4 + \epsilon$$

we set $\tilde{Y} = Y + 0.1X_1 - 0.4X_2$. We do regression \tilde{Y} against X_3 and X_4 and get SSE is 110.08. The SSE of full model is 98.25. We do F test and get statistic equal to $(110.08 - 98.25)/2/1.137^2 = 4.57$. The cutoff is $F_{0.99}(2, 76) = 4.89$. The null cannot be rejected. The reduced model is acceptable.

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- $y_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n-1}} \frac{y_i - \bar{y}}{s_y}$. $x_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n-1}} \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{s_x}$.
- $b_1^* = 0.89$. The correlation between standardized y and standardized x_1 is 0.89.
- $b_1 = s_y/s_1 * b_1^* = 4.43$, $b_2 = s_y/s_2 * b_2^* = 4.38$. It is equal to original coefficients.

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- Fit $Y \sim X_1$, we get $Y = 50.78 + 4.43X_1$.
- The coefficient remains same when regress Y against both X_1 and X_2 .
- $SSR_1 = 1566.52$, $SSR_{1|2} = (0.9521 - 0.1557) * 1967 = 1566.52$. They are equal.
- X_1 and X_2 are orthogonal. The X design is orthogonal design.

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- Fit 1 (include X_3), $R^2 = 0.90$.
Fit 2 (include X_4), $R^2 = 0.90$.
Fit 3 (include X_5), $R^2 = 0.96$.
Fit 4 (include X_6), $R^2 = 0.90$.
- $SSY = 1406.2$. X_5 is the best predictor compared with other three variables. The extra sum is bigger than others.
- F statistic is equal to $(0.955 - 0.8998)/1/((1 - 0.8998)/437) = 240$. The cutoff is 6.99. Hence, we should include X_5 . The F statistic for other three are 12.2, 1.3, 3.0 respectively, not as large as F value when X_5 is included.