

# (I) Dummy Variables

(P1)

How to test

1) change in intercept

2) ... slope

3) ... both

▷ Categories vs Reference

$$y_i = \beta_1 + \beta_2 X_i + \beta_3 D_i + u_i \quad (+ \beta_4 \cdot X_i \cdot D_i)$$

where  $D_i = \begin{cases} 1 \\ 0 \end{cases}$ , if male

(!) interpretation for which group  
 $\hat{\beta}_1$  ... for females

$$\begin{aligned} (*) \quad y_i^F &= \beta_1 + \beta_2 X_i + u_i & N_F \\ & & + \\ y_i^M &= (\beta_1 + \beta_3) + (\beta_2 + \beta_4) X_i + u_i & N_M \\ & & = \\ & & N \end{aligned}$$

# Dummy Variable Trap

$$D_i^M = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } M \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$y_i = \beta_1 \bar{1}_i + \beta_2 D_i^M + \beta_3 D_i^F + \dots + \varepsilon_i \quad D_i^F = 1 - D_i^M = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } F \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{1} = D^M + D^F$$

$$y_i = \beta_2 D_i^M + \beta_3 D_i^F + \dots + \varepsilon_i$$

$\beta_2^M$  - average  $y$  for  $M$

$\beta_3^F$  - average  $y$  for  $F$

$$y_i = \beta_2 D_i^M + \beta_3 D_i^F + \beta_4 D_i^R + \beta_5 D_i^{NR} + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\bar{1} = D_i^M + D_i^F$$

$$\bar{1} = D_i^R + D_i^{NR}$$

$$D_i^R = \underbrace{D_i^M + D_i^F}_{\bar{1}} - D_i^F$$

$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_i) = \frac{\sigma_\varepsilon^2}{\text{TSS}_i \cdot R_i^2}$$

$\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$   
 $\Sigma(x_i - \bar{x})$                        $x_i | x_{-i}$

1) change in intercept

2) ... slope

3) ... both

$$y_i = \beta_1 + \beta_2 X_i + \beta_3 \cdot D_i + \beta_4 D_i \cdot X_i + u_i$$

1) t-test for  $\beta_3$

$$H_0: \beta_3 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_3}{\text{se}(\hat{\beta}_3)} \sim t_{n-4}$$

2) t-test for  $\beta_4$

3) F-test for  $\beta_3$  &  $\beta_4$

$$H_0: \beta_3 = 0, \beta_4 = 0$$

$$F = \frac{(RSS_R - RSS_{UR}) / 2}{RSS_U / (N - 4)} \sim F_{2, n-4}$$

Equivalent to

Chow test  
stat

$$F = \frac{(RSS_{\text{pool}} - (RSS_M + RSS_F)) / 2}{(RSS_M + RSS_F) / (2 \cdot 2)}$$

$$u_i^M = \beta_1^M + \beta_2^M X_i + u_i$$

$$y_i^F = \beta_1^F + \beta_2^F X_i + u_i$$

$$H_0: \beta_1^F = \beta_1^M, \beta_2^F = \beta_2^M$$

## (II) Heteroscedasticity

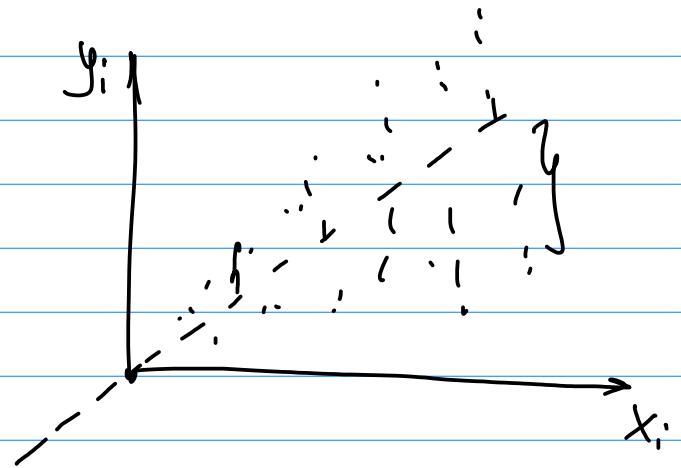
(p2)

$$(1) \quad y_i = \beta x_i + u_i$$

$$u_i \sim N(0, \sigma_i^2)$$

$x_i$  - deterministic

a)  $E(u_i) \neq \text{const}$



b) Derive  $V(\hat{\beta}_{OLS})$  & explain  
how to obtain robust s.e.

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}) = E((\hat{\beta} - E(\hat{\beta}))^2) =$$

$$E((\hat{\beta} - \beta)^2) = \left\{ \hat{\beta}_{OLS} = \frac{\sum x_i y_i}{\sum x_i^2} \right\} =$$

$$= E\left(\frac{(\sum x_i u_i)^2}{(\sum x_i^2)^2}\right) =$$

$$= \frac{E(\sum x_i^2 u_i^2 + \sum \sum x_i u_i x_j u_j)}{(\sum x_i^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sum x_i^2 E(u_i^2)}{(\sum x_i^2)^2} + \frac{\sum \sum x_i x_j \overset{0}{E(u_i u_j)}}{(\sum x_i^2)^2} =$$

$$= \frac{\sum x_i \delta_i^2}{(\sum x_i^2)^2}$$

For White s.e. :

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}) = \frac{\sum x_i \hat{u}_i^2}{(\sum x_i^2)^2}$$

c)  $H_0: \beta = 1$  \* Based on  $\hat{\beta}_{OLS}$

$H_a: \beta > 1$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta} - 1}{\text{se}(\hat{\beta})} \stackrel{H_0}{\sim} t_{n-1}$$

$$\text{se}(\hat{\beta}) = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x_i \hat{u}_i^2}{(\sum x_i^2)^2}}$$

if  $t^{obs} > t^{crit}_{0.05, n-1} \Rightarrow H_0 \text{ is rejected}$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}$

$\alpha = 5\%$

(p3)

$$y_i = \alpha \cdot X_i + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(\varepsilon_i) &= 0 \\ E(\varepsilon_i^2) &= \sigma^2 X_i^2 \\ E(\varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j) &= 0, i \neq j \end{aligned}$$

a) Derive WLS estimator  $\hat{\alpha}_{WLS}$   $X_i$  - fixed

b) Show consistency

a) WLS equation: weights  $\sim \sqrt{\text{Var}(\varepsilon_i)}$

$$\frac{y_i}{X_i} = \alpha + \frac{\varepsilon_i}{X_i}$$

$$\hat{\alpha}_{OLS} = \frac{\sum y_i / X_i}{n}$$

b)  $\triangleright$

$$\hat{\alpha}_{WLS} = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum \frac{\alpha \cdot X_i + \varepsilon_i}{X_i} =$$

$$= \alpha + \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum \frac{\varepsilon_i}{X_i}$$

$$\textcircled{1} E(\hat{\alpha}_{WLS}) = \alpha + \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum \frac{E(\varepsilon_i)}{X_i}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{Var}(\hat{\alpha}_{WLS}) = E((\hat{\alpha} - \alpha)^2) =$$

$$= E\left(\frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum \frac{\varepsilon_i}{X_i}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{N^2} E\left(\sum \frac{\varepsilon_i}{X_i}\right)^2 =$$

$$= \frac{1}{N^2} \left( E\left(\sum \frac{\varepsilon_i^2}{X_i^2} + \sum \sum \frac{\varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j}{X_i X_j}\right) \right) = \{ E(\varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j) = 0 \}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N^2} \cdot \sum \frac{E(\varepsilon_i^2) \approx \cancel{\delta^2 \cdot X_i^2}}{\cancel{X_i^2}} = \frac{\delta^2}{N}$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\alpha}_{\text{WLS}}) = \frac{\delta^2}{N} \xrightarrow{N \rightarrow \infty} 0$$