

Biostat 200B HW1

$$1. S_y = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}{n-1}} \quad S_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$$

$$r_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\beta}_1 &= r_{xy} \frac{S_y}{S_x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}} \\ &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$2. (a) r_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}} = \frac{92.41}{\sqrt{2379.93} \sqrt{49.405}} = \frac{92.41}{342.9} = 0.269 \#$$

$$(b) \hat{\beta}_1 = r_{xy} \frac{S_y}{S_x} = 0.272 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}} = 0.272 \cdot 0.144 = 0.039$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - b_1 \bar{x} = 3.07 - 0.039 \times 24.7 = 2.1067 \#$$

$$(c) \hat{\beta}_0 = 2.1067 (\text{score})$$

The satisfaction with health care provider will be 2.1067 when the age of patient is 0.

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = 0.039 (\text{score/years})$$

The satisfaction with health care provider will increase by 0.039 as the age of patient goes up by 1 in general.

$$(d) y_i = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1(x_i - \bar{x}) + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\hat{y}_i = \hat{\alpha}_0 + \hat{\alpha}_1(x_i - \bar{x}) = \bar{y} + \hat{\beta}_1(x_i - \bar{x}), \text{ where } \hat{\alpha}_0 = \bar{y}, \hat{\alpha}_1 = \hat{\beta}_1$$

$$\therefore \hat{\alpha}_0 = \bar{y} = 3.07, \hat{\alpha}_1 = \hat{\beta}_1 = 0.039$$

$$(e) \hat{\alpha}_0 = 3.07 (\text{score})$$

The estimated mean satisfaction with health care provider for patients aged 24.7

(the mean age of 120 young adult patients) is 3.07.

$$\hat{\alpha}_1 = 0.039 (\text{score/years})$$

The satisfaction with health care provider will increase by 0.039 as the age of patients minus mean age of 120 young adult patients go up by 1 in general.

3. In the method of least squares, we consider the sum of squared deviations,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0)^2, \text{ then } Q(\beta_0) = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial \beta_0} = -2 \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0) \xrightarrow{\text{let}} 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = n\beta_0$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\beta}_0 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = \bar{Y} \quad \#$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5. \cos \theta &= \frac{|\text{adjacent}|}{|\text{hypotenuse}|} = \frac{|P|}{|u|} = \frac{\frac{u'v}{v'v}|v|}{|u|} \\ &= \frac{\frac{u'v}{|v|^2}|v|}{|u|} = \frac{u'v}{|u||v|} \quad \# \end{aligned}$$

4. (a)

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proc reg data= hw1.senic;  
  model risk = beds;  
run;
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Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	1	3.72404	0.19517	19.08	<.0001
beds	1	0.00250	0.00061579	4.06	<.0001

The coefficient associated with **beds** is 0.0025, which means the infection risk will increase by 0.0025 as the average number of beds in hospital during study period goes up by 1 unit.

(b)

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proc reg data= hw1.senic;  
  model risk = svcs;  
run;
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Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	1	2.78402	0.34882	7.98	<.0001
svcs	1	0.03640	0.00763	4.77	<.0001

The coefficient associated with **svcs** is 0.0364, which means the infection risk will increase by 0.0364 as available facilities and services goes up by 1 unit (percent).

(c)

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proc reg data= hw1.senic;  
  model nurses = age;  
run;
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Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	1	311.06760	157.71376	1.97	0.0511
age	1	-2.58905	2.95251	-0.88	0.3824

The coefficient associated with **age** is -2.58905, which means the average number of full-time equivalent nurses during study period will decrease by 2.58905 as average age of patients goes up by 1 unit.

(d)

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data hw1.senic1;
  set hw1.senic;
  med = msch;
  if med = 2 then med = 0;
run;
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proc reg data= hw1.senic1;
  model nurses = med;
run;
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Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	1	138.92708	11.54610	12.03	<.0001
med	1	228.13174	29.76803	7.66	<.0001

The coefficient associated with **med** is 228.13174, which means the average number of full-time equivalent nurses during study period will increase by 228.13174 as medical school affiliation goes up by 1 unit. That is to say, if the hospital is medical school affiliation, the average number of full-time equivalent nurses during study period is 228.13174 higher than those which are not medical school affiliation in general.