

# ECOM20001 Econometrics 1

Tutorial 8 (Week 8)

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## Question 5

This slides helps us to develop a transformed regression that allows us to use an individual hypothesis test to represent joint hypothesis test.

The null hypothesis: the sum of the coefficients on alcohol and unmarried equals the coefficient on smoker against the alternative that the equality does not hold.

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Given the initial regression:

$$\text{Birthweight}_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \text{ Smoker}_i + \beta_2 \text{ Alcohol}_i + \beta_3 \text{ Unmarried}_i + X_i + u_i$$

where  $X_i$  includes all other non-listed regressor.

We are trying to test:

$$H_0 : \beta_1 = \beta_2 + \beta_3$$

$$H_1 : \beta_1 \neq \beta_2 + \beta_3$$

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