

Week 1

$$\boxed{1} \quad P(Y=0) = P(Y=0, X=1) + \dots + P(Y=0, X=6) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} + \dots + \frac{1}{12} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{12}/\frac{12}{15} = \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{15}{12}$$

$$\frac{15}{24} = \boxed{\frac{5}{8}}$$

$$\boxed{P(X=3)} = P(Y=0, X=3) + P(Y=1, X=3) = \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{20} = \boxed{\frac{2}{15}} \approx 0.13 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\boxed{2} \quad P(X=6|Y=1) = P(X=6, Y=1) / P(Y=1) = \frac{1}{4} / \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\boxed{3} \quad P(Y=0|X=4) = P(Y=0, X=4) / P(X=4) = \frac{1}{12} / (\frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{20}) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\boxed{4} \quad E(X|Y=0) = 1 \cdot P(X=1|Y=0) + \dots + 6 \cdot P(X=6|Y=0) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= 3.5$$

$$\boxed{2} \approx 0.133 \quad \boxed{P(X|Y=1)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{20} / (\frac{1}{2}) & \text{if } X=1 \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{20} / (\frac{1}{2}) & \text{if } X=5 \\ \frac{1}{4} / (\frac{1}{2}) & \text{if } X=6 \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{10} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{1}{10} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{E(X|Y=1)} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 6 + \frac{1}{10} (1 + \dots + 5) = \boxed{4.5} \quad \boxed{\frac{45}{10}}$$

$$\boxed{5} \quad E(x) = E[E[x|y]] = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \boxed{3.5} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \boxed{4.5} = \boxed{4} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$E[X|Y=0] \quad E[X|Y=1]$$

$$E[x] = E[E[x|y]] = \Pr(Y=0) \cdot E[X|Y=0] + \Pr(Y=1) \cdot E[X|Y=1] = \underline{4}$$



Week 2

1.  $\boxed{\text{Cov}(Y_i, Y_j)} = \text{Corr}(Y_i, Y_j) \times \sigma_{Y_i} \times \sigma_{Y_j}$

$$= \boxed{\rho \sigma_Y^2}$$

2.  $E(\bar{Y}) = E\left[\frac{1}{2}Y_1 + \frac{1}{2}Y_2\right] = \frac{1}{2}E(Y_1) + \frac{1}{2}E(Y_2) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}\mu_Y = \mu_Y$

3.  $\text{Var}(aX+bY) = a^2 \text{Var}(X) + b^2 \text{Var}(Y) + 2ab \text{Cov}(X, Y)$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Var}\left(\frac{1}{2}Y_1 + \frac{1}{2}Y_2\right) &= \frac{1}{4}\sigma_Y^2 + \frac{1}{4}\sigma_Y^2 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \rho \sigma_Y^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\sigma_Y^2 + \frac{1}{2}\rho\sigma_Y^2\end{aligned}$$

4. Yes. (Check that they know what unbiased means.)

A n s.

4 pts

### Week 3

1. 95% - CI is given by  $\left[ \bar{Y}_{\text{male}} - 1.96 \cdot \text{SE}(\bar{Y}_{\text{male}}), \bar{Y}_{\text{male}} + 1.96 \cdot \text{SE}(\bar{Y}_{\text{male}}) \right]$

$$\bar{Y}_{\text{male}} = 2700$$

$$\text{SE}(\bar{Y}_{\text{male}}) = \frac{s_y}{\sqrt{n}} = 100 / 10 = 10.$$

So the CI is  $[2700 - 19.6, 2700 + 19.6]$

2. Since  $\mu_{\text{male},0} = 2000$  is not in the 95% - CI above, it will be rejected. Reject  $H_0: \mu_{\text{male}} = 2000$

(Connection between hypothesis tests  
and confidence intervals.)

3.  $\bar{Y}_{\text{male}} - \bar{Y}_{\text{female}} = 700$

$$\text{SE}(\bar{Y}_{\text{male}} - \bar{Y}_{\text{female}}) = \sqrt{\frac{100^2}{100} + \frac{100^2}{100}} = \sqrt{200} = \sqrt{2} \times 10$$

$$95\% - \text{CI} \in [700 - 1.96 \cdot 10 \cdot \sqrt{2},$$

$$700 + 1.96 \cdot 10 \cdot \sqrt{2}]$$

4. "It is either in there or not, so  $\in \{0, 1\}$ "

Wrong answer: 95%

A N S.

6pts

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y}) = \begin{cases} -1 \cdot -2 = 2 \\ + 0 \cdot 2 = 0 \\ + 0 \cdot 0 = 0 \end{cases} = 4$$

Week 4

1.  $\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{2+0+2}{1^2+0^2+1^2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$  ✓  $(\bar{x}=1, \bar{y}=6)$  (etc.) ②  $\hat{\beta}_0 = 6 - 2(1) = 4$

2. 0! (They must provide a computation.) ②  $\hat{\beta}_0 = 6 - 4(1) = 2$

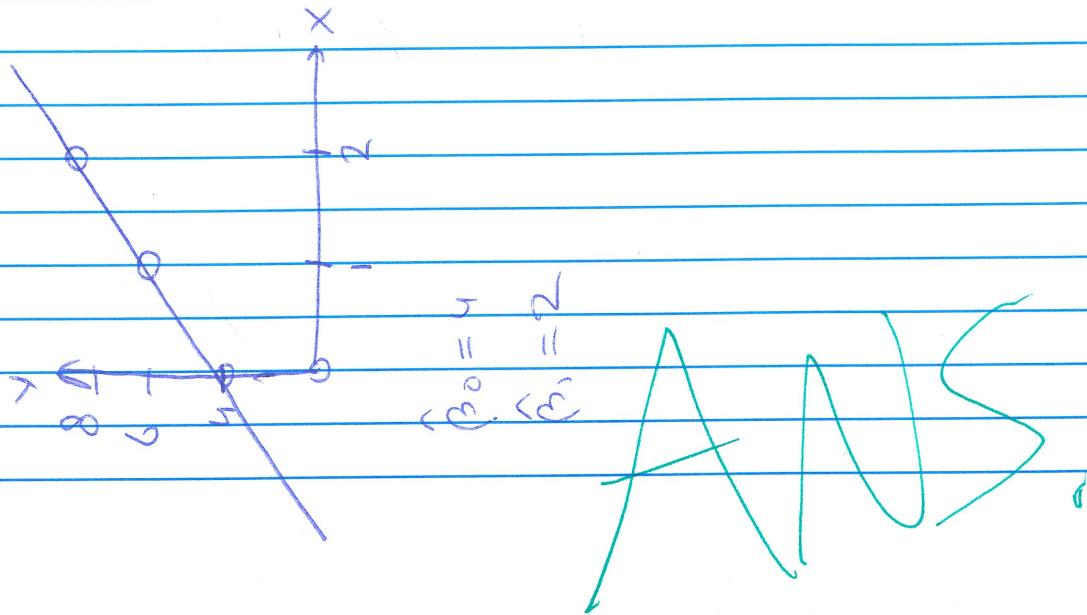
3. Decreases. Under 2,  $R^2 = 1 - \frac{SSR}{SST}$ . ②

With 1 point off the line, it will no longer be a perfect fit, so  $R^2 < 1$ .

$$y_i = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1(x_i) + \epsilon_i$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = 6 - 4(1) = \hat{\beta}_0 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4 &= 2 + 2(0) + \epsilon_1 \Rightarrow \epsilon_1 = 0 \quad \epsilon_1^2 = 4 \\ 8 &= 2 + 2(2) + \epsilon_2 \Rightarrow \epsilon_2 = 0 \quad \epsilon_2^2 = 4 \\ 6 &= 2 + 2(1) + \epsilon_3 \Rightarrow \epsilon_3 = 0 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \epsilon_1^2 = 4 \\ \epsilon_2^2 = 4 \\ \epsilon_3^2 = 4 \end{array} \right\} SSR = 12$$



## Week 5

ANS.

15pts

1. Teacher quality  
Parents income

(be generous)

2.  $E(u_i | x_i) = 0$  or "the factors mentioned in 1

are not related to  
whether a student was  
assigned to small or  
large class."

3. Students were randomly assigned! randomization  
(~2 sentences?)

4. 95%-CI from  $[\hat{\beta}_1 - 1.96 \text{SE}(\hat{\beta}_1), \hat{\beta}_1 + 1.96 \text{SE}(\hat{\beta}_1)]$

so  $[13.9 - 1.96 \cdot 2.5, 13.9 + 1.96 \cdot 2.5]$

5. Given that assumption 1 holds, it is the causal  
effect of being in a small v large class on  
test scores.

Required answer: " $\beta_1$  is the change in the expected test score,  
(conditional on class size) when we move  
somebody from a large to a small  
class, ceteris paribus."

## 6. Self-Study

1 pt

①  $E[\hat{\beta}_0] = \beta_0$ , ⑥ yes.

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