

Assignment #1

Instructions:

- For all questions, answer up to 4 decimal places.
- This assignment is due on **Tuesday, Mar 9, 2021 before class (11.00)**.
- Write your answer in either digital or ordinary paper. For digital paper, export pages into a single PDF file. For ordinary paper, take photos of your writing and convert them into a single PDF file as well.
- There is no need to rewrite the question. Assign number item, ie. 1 a., clearly before your answer is sufficient.
- Submit your assignment into Moodle.
- Name your file as StudentID_Nickname (in Thai) such as 123456789_ณัฐ

1. Given this information

$n = 30$	$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i = 366$	$\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = 631$	$\bar{X} = 12.20$	$\bar{Y} = 21.03$
$\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i)^2 = 5,564$	$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i = 7,524$	$\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 = 1098.8$	$\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = 882.97$	
$\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y}) = -174.20$		$\sum_{i=1}^n \hat{u}_i^2 = 873.14$		

Answer the following questions. Show your work.

- From regression model: $Y_i = \beta_1 + \beta_2 X_i + u_i$, $u_i \sim NIID(0, \sigma^2)$ (normally, identically and independently distributed), find the estimators of β_1 and β_2 with OLS method and explain the meaning of the model.
- Find r^2 and explain its meaning.
- If $X_i = 5$, estimate the value of $\hat{Y}_i$ and explain its meaning.
- Find the estimators of $\text{var}(u_i)$, $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1)$ and $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2)$
- Test the hypothesis whether coefficients are different from zero at 0.05 level of significance.
- Test the hypothesis whether coefficients are less than zero at 0.01 level of significance.

2. Given that Y is market price of a car (USD) while X is how long a car aged (years), results of the regression are as follows.

$$\hat{Y}_i = 7,836 - 502.4X_i$$

(52) (411.8)

Given that u_i is normally, identically and independently distributed with zero mean and σ^2 variance, total number of observations is 11,

$$\bar{X} = 7.45,$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = 212,877,$$

$$\sum(X_i - \bar{X})^2 = 78.73,$$

Answer the following questions. Show your work.

- a) Does the sign of $\hat{\beta}_2$ make economic sense? Provide your explanation.
- b) If you are a car expert and someone asks you to estimate how much his car will be **averagely** priced at when his car is 5 years old, how much is the market price range that you would estimate that you can make sure that for 95% of the time, market price will be within the specific range?
- c) If you multiply all the X with 10, report the new SRF with the standard error resulted from the multiplication.
- d) Calculate the elasticity of market price when a car is 10 years old.

1a. OLS method

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_1 &= \bar{y} - \beta_2 \bar{x} \\ &= 21.03 - (-0.1585)(12.20) \\ &= 22.9637\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_2 &= \frac{\sum x_i y_i}{\sum x_i^2} = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \\ &= \frac{-174.20}{1098.8} = -0.1585\end{aligned}$$

$\beta_1 = 22.9637$ means that $y_i = 22.9637$ when $x_i = 0$
 $\beta_2 = -0.1585$ means that y_i will increase by -0.1585 after x_i increase by 1

$$1b. \quad r^2 = \frac{ESS}{TSS} = 1 - \frac{RSS}{TSS} = 1 - \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{\sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2} = 1 - \frac{873.14}{882.97} = 0.0111$$

0.0111 of the variation in y is explain by the variation in x , and the remaining 0.9889 is unexplained as residual

$$1c. \quad \hat{y} = \hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\beta}_2 x_i$$

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{y}_1 &= 22.9637 + (-0.1585)(5) \\ &= 22.1712\end{aligned}$$

$\hat{y}_i$ will equal to 22.1712 when $x_i = 5$

$$\begin{aligned}1d. \quad \text{var}(u_i) &= \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{n-k} \\ &= \frac{873.14}{30-2} \\ &= 31.1835\end{aligned}$$

$$\sum x_i^2 = \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = 1098.8$$

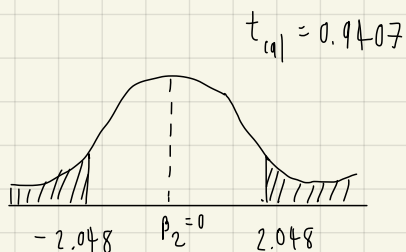
$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_1}^2 = \frac{\sum x_i^2}{n \sum x_i^2} \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{(5564)(31.1835)}{(30)(1098.8)} = 52.634$$

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2) = \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_2}^2 = \frac{\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sum x_i^2} = \frac{31.1835}{1098.8} = 0.2840$$

1e. $H_0: \beta_2 = 0$ null hypothesis
 $\beta_2 \neq 0$ alternative hypothesis

$$\alpha = 0.05 \quad d.f. = 28$$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2}{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_2}} = \frac{-0.1585}{0.1085} = 0.9407$$



lower bound: $t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} = -2.048$

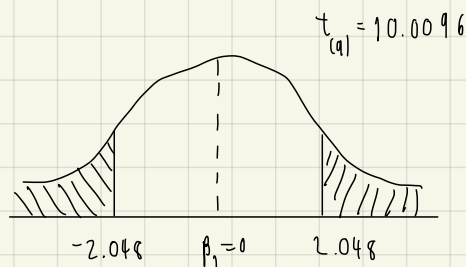
upper bound: $t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} = 2.048$

$\therefore H_0$ is not rejected, because t_{cal} is in the area of acceptance

$H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ null hypothesis
 $\beta_1 \neq 0$ alternative hypothesis

$$\alpha = 0.05 \quad d.f. = 28$$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - \beta_1}{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_1}} = \frac{22.9641 - 0}{2.2942} = 10.0096$$



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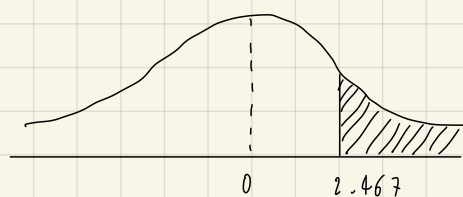
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$\therefore H_0$ is rejected, because t_{cal} is in the area of rejection

1f. $H_0: \beta_2 \leq 0$ null hypothesis
 $\beta_2 > 0$ alternative hypothesis

$$\alpha = 0.01 \quad d.f. = 28$$

$$t_{cal} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2}{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_2}} = \frac{0.1585 - 0}{0.1085} = 0.9407$$



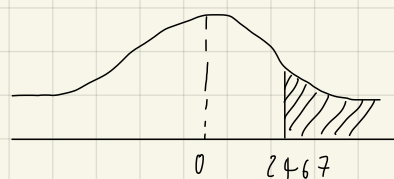
upper bound: $t_{0.01} = 2.467$

$\therefore H_0$ is not rejected, because t_{cal} is in the area of acceptance

$H_0: \beta_1 \leq 0$ null hypothesis
 $\beta_1 > 0$ alternative hypothesis

$$\alpha = 0.01 \quad d.f. = 28$$

$$t_{cal} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - \beta_1}{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_1}} = \frac{22.9641 - 0}{2.2942} = 10.0096$$



upper bound: $t_{0.01} = 2.467$

$\therefore H_0$ is rejected, because t_{cal} is in the area of rejection.

2 a. Yes, the regression function have negative slope as X increased,
 Y will decrease.

$$2 b. E(Y | X_0=5) = 7,830 - 502.4(5)$$

$$\hat{Y}_0 = 7,830 - 2,512$$
$$= 5,318$$

$$\text{var}(\hat{Y}_0) = \sigma^2 \left[\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(X_0 - \bar{X})^2}{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2} \right]$$

$$\sigma^2(\hat{Y}_0) = (212,877) \left[\frac{1/11 + (5-7.45)^2}{78.73} \right]$$

$$= 35,582.5355$$

$$\sigma(\hat{Y}_0) = 188.0333$$

given $\alpha = 0.05$

$$n-k = 11-2 = 9$$

$$\Pr [5,318 - 2.202 (188.0333) \leq Y_0 \leq 5,318 + 2.202 (188.0333)]$$

$$= \Pr [4,897.3115 \leq Y_0 \leq 5,750.6885]$$

$$= 0.95 \quad \text{or} \quad 95\%$$

$$2 c. \quad \text{SRF}; \quad \hat{Y}_i = 7830 - 50.24(10X)$$
$$\text{se} \quad (52) \quad (47.18)$$

$$2 d. \quad X=10 \quad Y=2,812$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{X}{Y} = 502.4 \times \frac{10}{2,812} = 1.7866$$