

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

$n = 30$	$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i = 366$	$\sum_{i=1}^n Y_i = 631$	$\bar{X} = 12.20$	$\bar{Y} = 21.03$
$\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i)^2 = 5,564$	$\sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i = 7,524$	$\sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 = 1098.8$	$\sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 = 882.97$	
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- 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.
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(52) (411.8)

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$$\begin{aligned} b.) \quad r^2 &= \frac{ESS}{TSS} = \frac{\sum (\hat{Y}_i - \bar{Y})^2}{\sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2} = 1 - \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{\sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2} \\ r^2 &= 1 - \frac{873.14}{882.97} = \frac{983}{882.97} = 0.0111 \# \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore r^2 = 0.0111$, showing that approximately 1.11% of the observed variation can be explained by the model's inputs. #

$$\begin{aligned} c.) \quad X_i &= 5 \rightarrow E(\hat{Y}_i | X_i = 5): \\ \hat{Y}_i &= 22.9641 - 0.1585(5) = 22.1633 \# \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$ if we're interested in out-of-sample $X_i = 5$ then $\hat{Y}_i = 22.1633$ #

$$\begin{aligned} d.) \quad \text{var}(u_i) &= \sigma^2 = \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{n-k} = \frac{873.14}{30-2} = 31.7836 \# \\ \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) &= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum X_i^2} = \frac{31.7836}{30(1098.8)} = 5.2635 \# \\ \text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2) &= \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum X_i^2} = \frac{31.7836}{1098.8} = 0.0289 \# \end{aligned}$$

e.) level of significance = 0.05

β_2

$$\begin{aligned} 1.) \quad H_0: \beta_2 &= 0 & \text{Null hypothesis} \\ H_a: \beta_2 &\neq 0 & \text{Alternative hypothesis} \end{aligned}$$

$$2.) \quad t_{cal} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2}{\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\beta}_2}} = \frac{-0.1585 - 0}{\sqrt{0.0289}} = -0.9405$$

$$3.) \quad d.f. = n - k = 30 - 2 = 28$$

$$\text{The lower bound: } t_{\alpha/2} = t_{0.025} = -2.048$$

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- $t_{cal} = -0.9405$ lies within any boundary of (I) acceptance region, we can't reject the null hypothesis, at the significant level of 95%.
In other words, we can't say for sure that β_2 isn't zero 95 out of 100 times when we sample.

a.)

$$\hat{\beta}_2 = \frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_2 = \frac{-174.20}{1098.8} = -\frac{13}{82} = -0.1585 \#$$

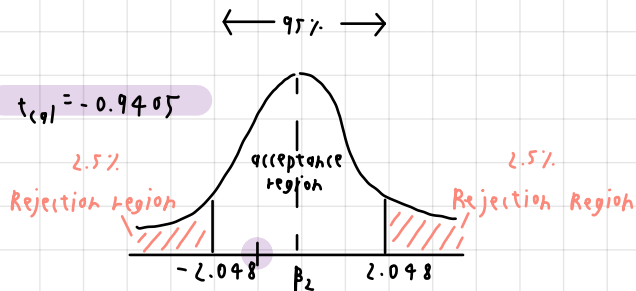
$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_2 \bar{X}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\beta}_1 &= 21.03 - \left(-\frac{13}{82}\right)(12.2) \\ &= 22.9641 \# \end{aligned}$$

$$Y_i = \beta_1 + \beta_2 X_i + u_i = \tilde{Y}_i = 22.9641 - 0.1585 X_i$$

Meaning of the model: a linear line that minimize sum of the error terms.

$\therefore \beta_2$: as X increases by 1 unit, Y will decrease by 0.1585 units, holding other thing constant.
 β_1 : assumed $X=0$, the average mean of Y is 22.9641. #



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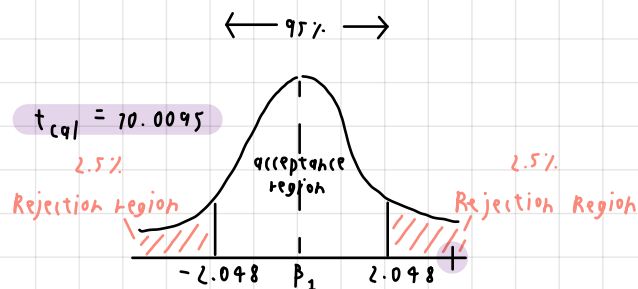
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Make sure that β_2 & β_1 are less than zero or not

- f.) level of significance = 0.01

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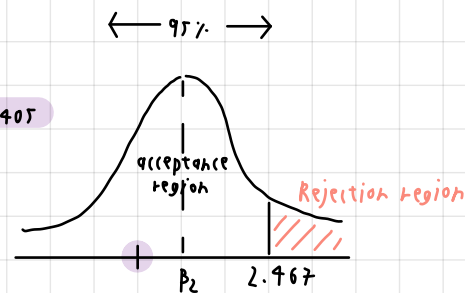
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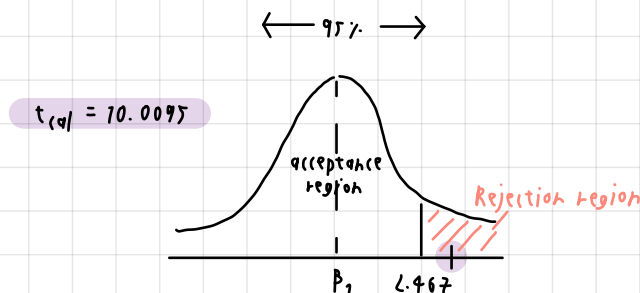
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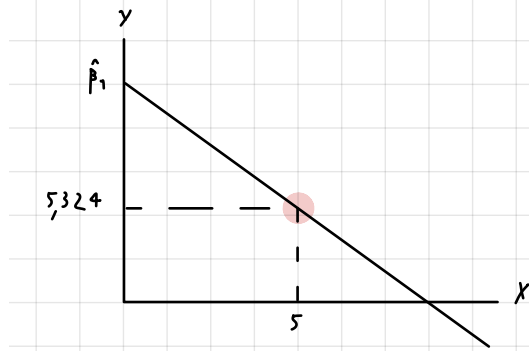
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- a.) Yes, because it shows that the more of X (how long a car aged in years), the less of Y (market price of a car in USD). This makes sense because when capital is older, its value depreciates. So the price should be lower.

b.) $E(Y | X=5):$

$$\hat{Y}_i = 7,836 - 502.4(5) = 5,324$$

$$X_0 = 5, \quad \hat{Y}_0 = 5,324$$

$$h = 11, \quad \bar{X} = 7.45, \quad \sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2 = 78.73, \quad \hat{\sigma}^2 = 212,877$$

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

$$\text{var}(\hat{Y}_0 | X_0) = 212,877 \left[\frac{1}{11} + \frac{(5 - 7.45)^2}{78.73} \right] = 35582.5345 \quad \#$$

$$2.) \quad \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{Y}_0} = \sqrt{\text{var}(\hat{Y}_0)} = \sqrt{35582.5345} = 188.6333 \quad \#$$

$$3.) \quad d.f. = h - k = 11 - 2 = 9 \quad ; \quad E(Y | X_0 = 5)$$

$$\text{Upper: } \hat{Y}_0 + (t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{Y}_0}) = 5324 + (2.262 \cdot 188.6333) = 5750.6878 \quad \#$$

$$\text{Lower: } \hat{Y}_0 - (t_{\alpha/2} \cdot \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{Y}_0}) = 5324 - (2.262 \cdot 188.6333) = 4897.3722 \quad \#$$

$\therefore$ (I over the mean value, 95 out of 100 times that I will cover true value $E(Y | X_i = 5)$.
We can be 95% sure that $E(Y_0 | X_0 = 5)$ is within 4897.3715 USD to 5750.6885 USD. #

- c.) Y in USD and X in years: if multiply X by 10 we'll get,

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

$$se = (52) \quad (411.8)$$

$\therefore$ the slope coefficient as well as its se are 10 times their value. #

$$X \uparrow 10 \text{ years} \rightarrow Y \downarrow 5024 \text{ USD}$$

$\therefore$ even though the unit changes, the interpretation should be the same.

d.) $X_i = 10$

$$\hat{Y}_i = 7,836 - 502.4(10) = 2,812$$

$$\frac{dY}{dX} \cdot \frac{X}{Y} = \frac{(-502.4) \cdot 10}{2,812} = -\frac{1256}{703} = -1.7866 \quad \#$$