

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_วิญญู

1. Given this information

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

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.

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$$\beta_2 = \frac{\sum x_i y_i}{\sum x_i^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{-174.20}{1098.8} \approx -0.1585 \#$$

$$\beta_1 = \bar{Y} - \beta_2 \bar{X}$$

$$= 21.03 - (-0.1585(12.20))$$

$$= 22.9637 \#$$

$\therefore \beta_1 = 22.9637$: It mean that when x_i equal to 0, y_i will be 22.9637.

$\beta_2 = -0.1585$: when x_i increase 1 unit, y_i will increase -0.1585.

b) Find r^2 and explain its meaning.

$$r^2 = \frac{ESS}{TSS} = 1 - \frac{RSS}{TSS} = 1 - \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{\sum (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{873.14}{882.99}$$

$$= 0.0111 \#$$

\therefore 0.0111 of the variation in y is explained by the variation in x , the remaining 0.9889 is unexplained (residual).

c) If $X_i = 5$, estimate the value of \hat{Y}_i and explain its meaning.

$$\hat{Y}_i = \hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\beta}_2 X_i$$

$$\hat{Y}_i = 22.9637 + (-0.1585)(5)$$

$$= 22.1712$$

\therefore when $X_i = 5$, \hat{Y}_i will be 22.1712.

d) Find the estimators of $\text{var}(u_i)$, $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1)$ and $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2)$

$$\text{var}(u_i) = \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sum \hat{u}_i^2}{n - K}$$

$$= \frac{873.14}{30 - 2}$$

$$= 31.1835 \#$$

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

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = \sigma_{\hat{\beta}_1}^2 = \frac{\sum X_i^2}{n \sum x_i^2} \sigma^2 = \frac{5564 \cdot 31.1835}{30 \cdot 1098.8} = 5.2634 \#$$

$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_2) = \sigma_{\hat{\beta}_2}^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum x_i^2} = \frac{31.1835}{1098.8} = 0.02840 \#$$

e) Test the hypothesis whether coefficients are different from zero at 0.05 level of significance.

$H_0 : \beta_2 = 0$: null hypothesis

$H_1 : \beta_2 \neq 0$: Alternative hypothesis

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

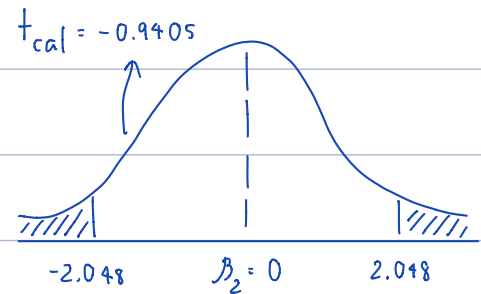
$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2}{\sigma_{\hat{\beta}_2}}$$

$$= \frac{-0.1585 - 0}{\sqrt{0.02890}}$$

$$= -0.9405$$

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

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



$\therefore t_{cal}$ lies within acceptance region, we cannot reject H_0 ,
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f) Test the hypothesis whether coefficients are less than zero at 0.01 level of significance.

$H_0 : \beta_2 \leq 0$ - null hypothesis

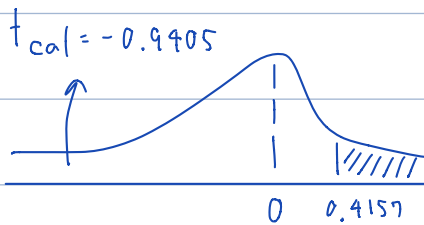
$H_1 : \beta_2 > 0$ - Alternative hypothesis

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

$$t_{\text{cal}} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2}{\sigma_{\beta_2}} = \frac{-0.1585 - 0}{\sqrt{0.02890}}$$

$$= -0.9405$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{the upper bound : } \beta_2 + t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \sigma_{\hat{\beta}_2} &= 0 + (2.467 \cdot \sqrt{0.02890}) \\ &= 0.4157 \end{aligned}$$



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β_2 is more than 0 99 out of 100 times.

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.

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

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?
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- d) Calculate the elasticity of market price when a car is 10 years old.

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$$= 9$$

Answer the following questions. Show your work.

- a) Does the sign of $\hat{\beta}_2$ make economic sense? Provide your explanation.

Yes, the regression function is negative slope when X (car aged) is increased, Y (market price of car) will be decreased.

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when his car is 5 years old, $\hat{y}_0 = 7,836 - 502.4(5) = 5324.$

market price range : $\sqrt{\text{var}(\hat{y}_0)} = \sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^2 \left[\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(X_0 - \bar{X})^2}{\sum(X_i - \bar{X})^2} \right]} = \sqrt{212877 \cdot \left[\frac{1}{11} + \frac{(5 - 7.45)^2}{78.73} \right]}$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{y}_0} = 188.6333$$

$$95\% \text{ of CI : } P\left(\hat{y}_0 - t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{y}_0} \leq Y_0 \leq \hat{y}_0 + t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{y}_0}\right) = 0.95$$

$$t_{\frac{\alpha}{2}} = 2.262 ; P(4897.3114 \leq Y_0 \leq 5750.6885) = 0.95$$

\therefore Market price at $\hat{y}_0 = 5324$ 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.

$$\text{SRF when } x(10) : \hat{y} = 7836 - 5024(X)$$

(52) (4118)

- d) Calculate the elasticity of market price when a car is 10 years old.

$$X_i = 10$$

$$Y_i = 2812$$

$$\text{slope} = -502.4 \quad ; \quad \text{elasticity} = \frac{dy}{dx} \times \frac{X}{Y} = -502.4 \cdot \frac{10}{2812} = -1.7866 \#$$