

# 620-371: Linear Models

## Practice Class 8

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1. It is known that  $R(\gamma_1|\gamma_2)$  has a noncentral  $\chi^2$  distribution with  $r$  degrees of freedom and noncentrality parameter

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \boldsymbol{\beta}^T X^T [X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T - X_2(X_2^T X_2)^{-1} X_2^T] X \boldsymbol{\beta}.$$

Show that if  $H_0 : \gamma_1 = \mathbf{0}$  is true, then  $\lambda = 0$ . (*Hint: Partition  $X$  and  $\boldsymbol{\beta}$  and calculate  $X\boldsymbol{\beta}$ .*)

**Solution:** From partitioning,

$$\begin{aligned} X\boldsymbol{\beta} &= \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} [ \gamma_1 \mid \gamma_2 ] \\ &= X_1 \gamma_1 + X_2 \gamma_2 \\ &= X_2 \gamma_2. \end{aligned}$$

This gives

$$\begin{aligned} 2\sigma^2 \lambda &= \boldsymbol{\beta}^T X^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^T X^T X_2 (X_2^T X_2)^{-1} X_2^T X \boldsymbol{\beta} \\ &= \boldsymbol{\beta}^T X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta} - \gamma_2^T X_2^T X_2 (X_2^T X_2)^{-1} X_2^T X_2 \gamma_2 \\ &= \gamma_2^T X_2^T X_2 \gamma_2 - \gamma_2^T X_2^T X_2 \gamma_2 \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

2. In this question, we will show (in a different way to the lecture slides) that  $(\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)$  and  $SS_{Res}$  are independent. We set  $\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{y} - X\boldsymbol{\beta}^*$ .

- (a) Show that  $(\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*) = \mathbf{q}^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \mathbf{q}$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{q}^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \mathbf{q} &= \mathbf{y}^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \mathbf{y} - (\boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \mathbf{y} \\ &\quad - \mathbf{y}^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta}^* + (\boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta}^* \\ &= \mathbf{b}^T X^T X \mathbf{b} - (\boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{b}^T X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta}^* + (\boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X \boldsymbol{\beta}^* \\ &= (\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*). \end{aligned}$$

- (b) It can be shown that  $SS_{Res} = \mathbf{q}^T [I - X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T] \mathbf{q}$ . Show that these two quadratic forms are independent.

**Solution:** We know that  $\text{var } \mathbf{q} = \sigma^2 I$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} AVB &= X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T \sigma^2 I [I - X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T] \\ &= \sigma^2 (X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T - X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T) \\ &= \sigma^2 (X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T - X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

3. Consider the hypothesis  $H_0 : \boldsymbol{\beta} = \boldsymbol{\beta}^*$ . Formulate this hypothesis in terms of the general linear hypothesis and show that the test for this general linear hypothesis is equivalent to nonzero test given earlier in the slides.

**Solution:** We have  $C = I_p$  and  $\boldsymbol{\delta}^* = \boldsymbol{\beta}^*$ . The  $F$  statistic for the general linear hypothesis is

$$\frac{(C\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\delta}^*)^T [C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T]^{-1} (C\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\delta}^*)/r}{SS_{Res}/(n-p)} = \frac{(\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)^T X^T X (\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\beta}^*)/p}{SS_{Res}/(n-p)},$$

which is the same statistic as the one used for the nonzero test.

4. Suppose we have a linear model with 6 parameters and we want to simultaneously test the hypotheses  $\beta_0 = 1$ ,  $\beta_1 = \beta_2 = 2\beta_3 - 2$ ,  $\beta_4 - \beta_1 = \beta_5$ . Write down the  $C$  matrix and  $\boldsymbol{\delta}^*$  vector for the general linear hypothesis which tests these.

**Solution:**

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \boldsymbol{\delta}^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

5. Consider the model

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1(x_1 - \bar{x}_1) + \beta_2(x_2 - \bar{x}_2) + \varepsilon.$$

An experiment is designed and run with the following data:

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y$
10	50	25
100	50	29
10	100	30
100	100	40

(a) Write down the  $X$  matrix.

**Solution:**

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -45 & -25 \\ 1 & 45 & -25 \\ 1 & -45 & 25 \\ 1 & 45 & 25 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) Calculate  $R(\beta_0|\beta_1, \beta_2)$  and  $R(\beta_1|\beta_0, \beta_2)$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} SS_{Reg} &= \mathbf{y}^T X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T \mathbf{y} = 3957 \\ R(\beta_1, \beta_2) &= 113 \\ R(\beta_0|\beta_1, \beta_2) &= 3844 \\ R(\beta_0, \beta_2) &= 3908 \\ R(\beta_1|\beta_0, \beta_2) &= 49 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Calculate  $R(\beta_0)$  and  $R(\beta_1|\beta_0)$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} R(\beta_0) &= 3844 \\ R(\beta_1|\beta_0) &= R(\beta_0, \beta_1) - R(\beta_0) = 49 \end{aligned}$$

(d) Show that this model is mutually orthogonal, i.e. the columns of  $X$  are orthogonal to each other.

**Solution:** It is apparent by inspection (but can be easily calculated) that the inner product of any two columns of  $X$  is 0.

(e) Test the hypothesis  $H_0 : \beta_0 + \beta_1 + \beta_2 = 35$ . You may take the critical value at 5% for an  $F$  distribution with 1 and 1 degree(s) of freedom to be 161.45.

**Solution:** We have

$$C = [ 1 \quad 1 \quad 1 ], \boldsymbol{\delta}^* = [ 35 ].$$

The rank of  $C$  is 1, so we use the  $F$ -statistic

$$\frac{(\mathbf{C}\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\delta}^*)^T [C(X^T X)^{-1} C^T]^{-1} (\mathbf{C}\mathbf{b} - \boldsymbol{\delta}^*)/1}{SS_{Res}/(n-p)} = 6.28.$$

Since  $6.28 < 161.45$ , we cannot reject the null hypothesis.