

CHAPTER 3 Hypothesis test and confidence interval.

Maximum likelihood estimator

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon. \quad \varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

maximum likelihood estimator of β

$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$

maximum likelihood estimator of σ^2

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n} (y - X\hat{\beta})' (y - X\hat{\beta}) = \frac{1}{n} e'e$$

proof: $y_i \sim N(\beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_j x_{ij}, \sigma^2)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_i \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}_{n \times 1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & x_{12} & \cdots & x_{1K} \\ 1 & x_{21} & x_{22} & \cdots & x_{2K} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \\ 1 & x_{i1} & x_{i2} & \cdots & x_{iK} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \\ 1 & x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \cdots & x_{nK} \end{pmatrix}_{n \times (K+1)} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_i \\ \vdots \\ \beta_K \end{pmatrix}_{(K+1) \times 1} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_i \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}_{(K+1) \times 1}$$

$$f(y_i) = \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y_i - \mu_i)^2 \right]. \quad \mu_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_j x_{ij}$$

$$L = \prod_{i=1}^n f(y_i) = \left(\frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^n \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \mu_i)^2 \right]$$

$$= \sigma^{-n} (2\pi)^{-n/2} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y - X\beta)' (y - X\beta) \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \max \ell = \log L = -\frac{n}{2} \ln(\sigma^2) - \frac{n}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y - X\beta)' (y - X\beta)$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \beta} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \sigma^2} = 0 \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y \\ \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{(y - X\beta)' (y - X\beta)}{n} \end{array}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{(n-k-1) S^2}{n} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \hat{\sigma}^2 \text{ is} \\ \text{biased} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$E(\hat{\sigma}^2) = \sigma^2 - \frac{k+1}{n} \cdot \sigma^2 \neq \sigma^2.$$

Cochran's theorem.

$y \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2 I_n)$, M space $n \times (k+1)$, P is the orthogonal projection matrix on M .

(1) $Py \sim N(Py, \sigma^2 P)$ (2) Py and $y - Py$ independent.

$$(3) \frac{(Py - P\mu)'(Py - P\mu)}{\sigma^2} = \frac{(y - \mu)'P(y - \mu)}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{k+1}^2$$

$$(4). \text{ in particular, } \frac{y' A y}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_r^2 \text{ where } y \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

A is a symmetric and idempotent matrix. $\text{tr}(A) = r$.

Distribution of estimators: known variance.

1. $\hat{\beta} \sim N(\beta, \underbrace{\sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1}}_{\text{cov}(\hat{\beta})})$
2. $\frac{(n-k-1) S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-k-1}^2$
3. $\hat{\beta}$ and S^2 are independent.

Distribution of estimators: unknown variance.

$$\varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

$$1. T_j = \frac{\hat{\beta}_j - \beta_j}{S \sqrt{[(X'X)^{-1}]_{jj}}} \sim t_{n-k-1} \quad \forall j=0,1,\dots,k.$$

$$2. \frac{1}{(k+1)S^2} (\hat{\beta} - \beta)' (X'X) (\hat{\beta} - \beta) \sim F_{k+1, n-k-1}$$

$$\text{Proof: (1)} \quad z_j = \frac{\hat{\beta}_j - \beta_j}{\sigma \sqrt{[(X'X)^{-1}]_{jj}}} \sim N(0, 1)$$

$$K_1 = (n-k-1) \frac{s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{n-k-1}$$

z_j and K_1 independant,

$$T_j = \frac{z_j}{\sqrt{\frac{k_1}{n-k-1}}} = \frac{\hat{\beta}_j - \beta_j}{s \sqrt{[(X'X)^{-1}]_{jj}}} \sim t_{n-k-1}.$$

$$(2) \quad Z = \frac{\hat{\beta} - \beta}{\sigma \sqrt{[(X'X)^{-1}]}} = \frac{(X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\sigma} \sim N_{k+1}(0, I).$$

$$K_2 = Z'Z = \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \beta)' [(X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}}]' \cdot (X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\sigma^2} \quad (A^{-1})' = (A')^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \beta)' (X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}} (X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\sigma^2}$$

$$= \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \beta)' (X'X)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2_{k+1}$$

$$\therefore k_1 \sim \frac{(n-k-1) S^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-k-1}^2 \text{ and } k_2 = \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \beta)'(X'X)(\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{k+1}^2$$

ind.

$$\Rightarrow F = \frac{k_2 | (k+1)}{k_1 | (n-k-1)} = \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \beta)'(X'X)(\hat{\beta} - \beta)}{(k+1) S^2} \sim F_{k+1, n-k-1}.$$

Linear hypothesis.

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik} + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_i \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1k} \\ 1 & \vdots & & & \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 1 & x_{i1} & x_{i2} & \dots & x_{ik} \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 1 & x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \dots & x_{nk} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_k \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_i \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$H_0: C\beta = d. \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: C\beta \neq d. \quad C: \text{matrix } m \times (k+1)$$

$$F = \frac{1}{mS^2} (C\hat{\beta} - d)' [C(X'X)^{-1}C']^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - d) \sim$$

$$F_{m, n-k-1}.$$

Reject H_0 when $F = \frac{1}{mS^2} (\hat{C}\hat{\beta} - d)' [C(X'X)^{-1}C']^{-1}$
 $(\hat{C}\hat{\beta} - d) \geq F_{m, n-k-1, \alpha}.$

Maximum likelihood Test

1. Without constraints.

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon. \quad \varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

$$L(\beta, \sigma^2 | y) = (2\pi\sigma^2)^{-n/2} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y - X\beta)'(y - X\beta)\right]$$

maximum likelihood estimator of β .

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maximum likelihood estimator of σ^2

$$\hat{\sigma}_{H_1}^2 = \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n} (y - X\hat{\beta})'(y - X\hat{\beta}) = \frac{1}{n} e'e.$$

2. With constraints.

$$H_0: C\beta = d. \quad H_1: C\beta \neq d.$$

$$\min Q = (y - X\beta)'(y - X\beta)$$

$$\text{s.t. } C\beta - d = 0.$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{H_0} = \hat{\beta} + (X'X)^{-1} C' [C(X'X)^{-1} C']^{-1} (d - C\hat{\beta})$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}^2 = \frac{1}{n} (y - X\hat{\beta}_{H_0})' (y - X\hat{\beta}_{H_0})$$

$$\frac{\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}^2}{\hat{\sigma}_{H_1}^2} = 1 + \frac{(C\hat{\beta} - d)' [C(X'X)^{-1} C']^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - d)}{(y - X\hat{\beta})' (y - X\hat{\beta})}$$

Likelihood ratio test

$$H_0: C\beta - d = 0. \quad \text{vs} \quad H_1: C\beta - d \neq 0$$

$$\Lambda = \frac{\max_{H_1} L(\beta, \sigma^2 | y)}{\max_{H_0} L(\beta, \sigma^2 | y)} = \left(\frac{\hat{\sigma}_{H_0}^2}{\hat{\sigma}_{H_1}^2} \right)^{n/2}$$

reject H_0 if Λ is large.

Theorem: Distribution of maximum likelihood test.

$$\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2) \quad H_0: C\beta - d = 0.$$

$$F = \frac{(C\hat{\beta} - d)' [C(X'X)^{-1} C']^{-1} (C\hat{\beta} - d) / m}{S^2} \sim F_{m, n-k-1}.$$

Comparaison of regression equation

model 1: $y_1 = \chi_1 \beta_1 + \varepsilon_1$. $\chi_1: n_1 \times p$. $\beta_1: p \times 1$

model 2: $y_2 = \chi_2 \beta_2 + \varepsilon_2$ $\chi_2: n_2 \times p$. $\beta_2: p \times 1$.

Suppose that the first elements of β_1 and β_2

are equal. $\beta_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \beta^{(1)} \\ \beta_1^{(2)} \end{pmatrix}$ $\beta_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \beta^{(1)} \\ \beta_2^{(2)} \end{pmatrix}$

$\beta^{(1)}: r \times 1$ $\beta_1^{(2)}$ and $\beta_2^{(2)}: (p-r) \times 1$.

$H_0: \beta_1^{(2)} = \beta_2^{(2)}$ vs $H_1: \beta_1^{(2)} \neq \beta_2^{(2)}$

$$\chi_1: \left[\begin{array}{cc} \chi_1^{(1)} & \chi_1^{(2)} \\ n_1 \times r & n_1 \times (p-r) \end{array} \right] \quad \chi_2: \left[\begin{array}{cc} \chi_2^{(1)} & \chi_2^{(2)} \\ n_2 \times r & n_2 \times (p-r) \end{array} \right]$$

$$y_1 = \chi_1^{(1)} \beta^{(1)} + \chi_1^{(2)} \cdot \beta_1^{(2)} + \varepsilon_1$$

$$y_2 = \chi_2^{(1)} \beta^{(1)} + \chi_2^{(2)} \beta_2^{(2)} + \varepsilon_2$$

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \varepsilon = \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} \chi_1^{(1)} & \chi_1^{(2)} & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_2^{(2)} & \chi_2^{(1)} \end{bmatrix} \quad \beta = \begin{pmatrix} \beta^{(1)} \\ \beta_1^{(2)} \\ \beta_2^{(2)} \end{pmatrix}$$

The model becomes:

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon. \quad \text{s.t. } H_0: C\beta = 0.$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0_{(p-r) \times r} & I_{p-r} & -I_{(p-r)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & & 0 & 1 & & & & 0 & -1 & \cdots & 0 \\ & & & & \ddots & & \ddots & & & \vdots & & & & \vdots \\ & & & & \vdots & & \ddots & & & \vdots & & & & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} (p-r) \times r \\ \xleftarrow{\quad r \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad p-r \quad} \xleftarrow{\quad p-r \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad (2p-r) \quad} \end{matrix}$$

$$F = \frac{(C\hat{\beta} - d)' [C(X'X)^{-1}C']^{-1}(C\hat{\beta} - d)}{(p-r) S^2} \sim F_{p-r, \binom{n_1+n_2-r}{2p+r}}$$

Confidence interval of parameters

(1) two-sided confidence interval level $1-\alpha$ of $\hat{\beta}_j$

$$IC = \left[\hat{\beta}_j - t_{n-k-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot se(\hat{\beta}_j), \right.$$

$$\left. \hat{\beta}_j + t_{n-k-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot se(\hat{\beta}_j) \right]$$

$$se(\hat{\beta}_j) = s \cdot \sqrt{[(x'x)^{-1}]_{jj}}$$

(2) two-sided confidence interval level $1-\alpha$ of $c\hat{\beta}$

$$c\hat{\beta} \pm t_{n-k-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot s \cdot \sqrt{c(x'x)^{-1} c'}$$

$$c: 1 \times (k+1)$$

(3) Confidence region level $1-\alpha$ of β .

$$R = \left\{ \beta: (\hat{\beta} - \beta)' \underbrace{(x'x)}_{(k+1) \cdot (k+1)} (\hat{\beta} - \beta) \leq (k+1) \cdot s^2 F_{k+1, n-k-1; \alpha} \right\}.$$

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(4) Confidence region of level $1-\alpha$ for $c\hat{\beta}$.

$$R = \{ c\hat{\beta} : (c\hat{\beta} - c\beta)^T [c(X'X)^{-1}c^T]^{-1} (c\hat{\beta} - c\beta) \leq m s^2 F_{m, n-k-1, \alpha} \}.$$

$\dim C: m \times (k+1)$

Confidence interval for the mean of predicted value.

$X_0^T = [1 \ X_{01} \ X_{02} \ \dots \ X_{0k}]$ new vector of explicative variables.

$$\hat{y}_0 = X_0^T \cdot \hat{\beta}$$

$$(1) T = \frac{\hat{y}_0 - X_0^T \beta}{s \sqrt{X_0^T (X'X)^{-1} X_0}} \sim t_{n-k-1}$$

(2) two-sided confidence interval $1-\alpha$ level for

$$X_0^T \beta : \hat{y}_0 \pm t_{n-k-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} s \sqrt{X_0^T (X'X)^{-1} X_0}$$

$$X_0^T : 1 \times (k+1) \quad X^T : (k+1) \times n \quad (X'X)^{-1} = (k+1) \times (k+1)$$

Confidence interval for a future value of the dependant variable.

$$\chi_0' = [1 \ \chi_{01} \dots \ \chi_{0K}]$$

$$y_0 = \chi_0' \cdot \beta + \varepsilon_0 \quad \varepsilon_0 \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$\hat{y}_0 = \chi_0' \cdot \hat{\beta} \quad E(y_0 - \hat{y}_0) = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{var}(\hat{y}_0 - y_0) &= \text{var}[\chi_0' (\hat{\beta} - \beta) - \varepsilon_0] \\ &= \sigma^2 [\chi_0' (X'X)^{-1} \chi_0 + 1] \end{aligned}$$

Confidence interval of y_0 .

$$(1) \quad T = \frac{\hat{y}_0 - y_0}{\sqrt{1 + \chi_0' (X'X)^{-1} \chi_0}} \sim t_{n-k-1}$$

(2) two-sided confidence interval level $1-\alpha$.

$$\hat{y}_0 \pm t_{n-k-1, \frac{\alpha}{2}} \cdot S \cdot \sqrt{1 + \chi_0' (X'X)^{-1} \chi_0}$$