Fitting the Linear regression Model by Using Matrices: learn it by examples

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| -2 | 0 |
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(WMS) **Example 11.1** Fit the simple linear regression model to the n = 5 data points:

(a). Write the linear model in a matrix form: $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$; i.e., what are \mathbf{Y} , \mathbf{X} , $\boldsymbol{\beta}$, and $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ in this context? What assumption did we assume for $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$?

(b). Find $\mathbf{X'X}$, $(\mathbf{X'X})^{-1}$, $\mathbf{X'Y}$, $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X'X})^{-1}\mathbf{X'}$. Are they symmetric? If a matrix \mathbf{A} is symmetric, then $\mathbf{A'} = \mathbf{A}$. What is $\mathbf{X'X}(\mathbf{X'X})^{-1}$? Further show that $(\mathbf{X'Y})' = \mathbf{Y'X}$. What is $(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{M})\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X'X})^{-1}$? What is tr $(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{M})$?

(c). Find the least-square estimator $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{Y}$. What is the fitted model?

- (d). The "hat" matrix $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{X} (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}'$. Verify the following properties:
 - \mathbf{M} is symmetric; i.e., $\mathbf{M}' = \mathbf{M}$.
 - \mathbf{M} is idempotent; i.e., $\mathbf{M}^2 = \mathbf{M}$.
 - $\mathbf{M}\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{X}$.
 - $(\mathbf{I} \mathbf{M})\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} = \mathbf{0}.$

(e). Instead of using a simple linear model, we fit the data using the model:

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \beta_2 x^2 + \epsilon.$$

Redo (a). Write the linear model in a matrix form: $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$; i.e., what are $\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{X}, \boldsymbol{\beta}$, and $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ in this context? and (c). Find the least-square estimator $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{Y}$. What is the fitted model?

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A quick quiz: If $Z \sim N(0,1)$, $W \sim \chi^2(\nu)$, Z and W are independent, what is the distribution of

$$T = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{W/\nu}}$$

Now we know how to estimate β . The estimator $\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{Y}$. Is it a good estimator? Unbiased? What are its sampling distribution? How can we make inference (confidence intervals, hypothesis testing)? To answer these questions, we need some knowledge to help us handle random vectors, more specifically, when these random vectors are from a multivariate normal distribution $\mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \mathbf{V})$. (Check this for Bivariate normal: https://www.geogebra.org/m/p04JcWPz). **Practice:** Consider $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} = (\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2)' \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_2)$ where Let

$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- 1. What is the distribution of $\mathbf{Y} = (Y_1, Y_2)' = \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{B}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$? What is the distribution of Y_1 ? How about the distribution of Y_2 ?
- 2. What is the distribution of $\mathbf{Z} = (Z_1, Z_2)' = \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$? What is the distribution of Z_1 ? How about the distribution of Z_2 ?
- 3. What is the distribution of $\mathbf{a}' \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$?
- 4. What is $Cov(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{Z})$? Are \mathbf{Y} and \mathbf{Z} independent?

We now prove that

$$\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1})$$

What is the distribution of $\mathbf{a}' \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$ for $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \ldots, a_p)'$? What is the distribution of $\mathbf{a}' \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} + \epsilon^*$, where $\epsilon^* \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ and ϵ^* is independent with $\epsilon_1, \ldots, \epsilon_n$? What is the distribution of $\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{Y} - \widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$? (Recall HW 4 problem 2 part 3). Prove that \mathbf{e} and $\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$ are independent. A summary page of last lecture: what we have observed from Example 11.1:

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Further, we proved that

- $\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1})$
- For any $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_p)', \, \mathbf{a}' \widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{a}' \boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{a}' (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a})$
- And $\mathbf{a}'\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} + \epsilon^* \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{a}'\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2\{1 + \mathbf{a}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{a}\})$, where $\epsilon^* \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ and ϵ^* is independent with $\epsilon_1, \ldots, \epsilon_n$
- Let $\widehat{\mathbf{Y}} = \mathbf{X}\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$ be the fitted values. The residual $\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{Y} \widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$. We have proved that $\mathbf{e} \sim \mathcal{N}(0,)$
- e and $\hat{\beta}$ are independent!

How to estimate σ^2 ? Recall that in

$$\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon},$$

where $\boldsymbol{\beta} = (\beta_0, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_k)'$. Let p = k + 1 be the length of $\boldsymbol{\beta}$. The length of Y is n, the dimension of **X** is $n \times p$. we assumed ϵ_i 's are iid $N(0, \sigma^2)$. Now the question is how to estimate σ^2 ? Towards this end, we need a new term, called **error (residual) sum of squares**:

SSE =
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} e_i^2 = \mathbf{e}' \mathbf{e}.$$

(1) Prove that

$$SSE = \mathbf{Y}'(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{M})\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{Y} - \widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}'\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{Y}.$$

(2) Using the fact, that if $E(\mathbf{Y}) = \boldsymbol{\mu}$, $V(\mathbf{Y}) = \mathbf{V}$, then for any suitable matrix \mathbf{A} ,

$$E(\mathbf{Y}'\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Y}) = \boldsymbol{\mu}'\mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\mu} + \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{V}),$$

and $\mathrm{tr}(\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}') = \mathrm{tr}((\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})$ to prove that

$$E(SSE) = (n-p)\sigma^2$$

Then a natural estimator of σ^2 is

$$\widehat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\text{SSE}}{n-p}$$

In fact,

$$\frac{\text{SSE}}{\sigma^2} = \frac{(n-p)\widehat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-p).$$

(3) Find the value of $\hat{\sigma}^2$ in Example 11.1

Recall

• that

$$\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim N(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1})$$

and

$$\frac{(n-p)\widehat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-p)$$

are independent;

• further that the quiz problem: If $Z \sim N(0,1)$, $W \sim \chi^2(\nu)$, Z and W are independent,

$$T = \frac{Z}{\sqrt{W/\nu}} \sim T(\nu).$$

These give us an idea to make inference for regression parameters β .

Confidence interval: Similarly, recall that

$$\mathbf{a}'\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim N(\mathbf{a}'\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{a}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{a})$$

and

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$$\mathbf{a}'\widehat{eta} \pm t_{n-p,\alpha/2}\sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^2 \mathbf{a}' (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a}}$$

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where

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Example 11.1 (continued) Find a 90% confidence interval for E(Y) where x = 1. FYI: $t_{2,0.05} = 2.920, t_{3,0.05} = 2.353, t_{3,0.1} = 1.638.$

Example 11.1 (continued) Find a 90% prediction interval for Y at x = 2. FYI: $t_{2,0.05} = 2.920$, $t_{3,0.05} = 2.353$, $t_{3,0.1} = 1.638$.

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We have proved that

• $\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1})$, where

$$\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{\beta}_0 \\ \widehat{\beta}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \widehat{\beta}_k \end{pmatrix}, \quad \boldsymbol{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_k \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{and we denote } (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{00} & c_{01} & c_{02} & \cdots & c_{0k} \\ c_{10} & c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{k0} & c_{k1} & c_{k2} & \cdots & c_{kk} \end{pmatrix}$$

Note that means $\hat{\beta}_j \sim N(\beta_j, \sigma^2 c_{jj})$ for $j = 0, 1, \dots, k$. The standard error of $\hat{\beta}_j$ is $\sqrt{c_{jj}\sigma^2}$.

- For any $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_p)', \mathbf{a}' \widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{a}' \boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{a}' (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a}).$
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 and $\frac{(n-p)\widehat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n-p).$

Further, we have obtained the following results:

• A $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval of β_j is

$$\widehat{\beta}_{j} \pm t_{n-p,\alpha/2} \sqrt{c_{jj} \widehat{\sigma}^2}$$

• Reject the test $H_0: \beta_j = \beta_j^*$ versus $H_1: \beta_j \neq \beta_j^*$ if

$$|t| = \left| \frac{\widehat{\beta}_j - \beta_j^*}{\sqrt{c_{jj}\widehat{\sigma}^2}} \right| > t_{n-p,\alpha/2}$$

• Reject the test $H_0: \beta_j = \beta_j^*$ versus $H_1: \beta_j > \beta_j^*$ if

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• A $100(1-\alpha)\%$ confidence interval for E(Y) when

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^* = \left(\begin{array}{c} x_1^* \\ \vdots \\ x_k^* \end{array}\right)$$

is

$$\mathbf{a}'\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \pm t_{n-p,\alpha/2}\sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^2\mathbf{a}'(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{a}}$$

where

$$\mathbf{a} = \left(\begin{array}{c} 1\\ x_1^*\\ \vdots\\ x_k^* \end{array}\right)$$

• A $100(1-\alpha)\%$ prediction interval for Y when $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^*$ is

$$\mathbf{a}'\widehat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \pm t_{n-p,\alpha/2} \sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^2 \{1 + \mathbf{a}' (\mathbf{X}' \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{a} \}}.$$

Example 11.2. The taste of matured cheese is related to the concentration of several chemicals in the final product. In a study from the LaTrobe Valley of Victoria, Australia, samples of cheddar cheese were analyzed for their chemical composition and were subjected to taste tests. For each specimen, the taste Y was obtained by combining the scores from several tasters. Data were collected on the following variables:

Y = taste score (TASTE) $x_1 =$ concentration of acetic acid (ACETIC) $x_2 =$ concentration of hydrogen sulfide (H2S) $x_3 =$ concentration of lactic acid (LACTIC).

Variables ACETIC and H2S were both measured on the log scale. The variable LACTIC has not been transformed. Table 11.2 contains concentrations of the various chemicals in n = 30 specimens of cheddar cheese and the observed taste score.

| Specimen | TASTE | ACETIC | H2S | LACTIC | Specimen | TASTE | ACETIC | H2S | LACTIC |
|----------|-------|--------|-------|--------|----------|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| 1 | 12.3 | 4.543 | 3.135 | 0.86 | 16 | 40.9 | 6.365 | 9.588 | 1.74 |
| 2 | 20.9 | 5.159 | 5.043 | 1.53 | 17 | 15.9 | 4.787 | 3.912 | 1.16 |
| 3 | 39.0 | 5.366 | 5.438 | 1.57 | 18 | 6.4 | 5.412 | 4.700 | 1.49 |
| 4 | 47.9 | 5.759 | 7.496 | 1.81 | 19 | 18.0 | 5.247 | 6.174 | 1.63 |
| 5 | 5.6 | 4.663 | 3.807 | 0.99 | 20 | 38.9 | 5.438 | 9.064 | 1.99 |
| 6 | 25.9 | 5.697 | 7.601 | 1.09 | 21 | 14.0 | 4.564 | 4.949 | 1.15 |
| 7 | 37.3 | 5.892 | 8.726 | 1.29 | 22 | 15.2 | 5.298 | 5.220 | 1.33 |
| 8 | 21.9 | 6.078 | 7.966 | 1.78 | 23 | 32.0 | 5.455 | 9.242 | 1.44 |
| 9 | 18.1 | 4.898 | 3.850 | 1.29 | 24 | 56.7 | 5.855 | 10.20 | 2.01 |
| 10 | 21.0 | 5.242 | 4.174 | 1.58 | 25 | 16.8 | 5.366 | 3.664 | 1.31 |
| 11 | 34.9 | 5.740 | 6.142 | 1.68 | 26 | 11.6 | 6.043 | 3.219 | 1.46 |
| 12 | 57.2 | 6.446 | 7.908 | 1.90 | 27 | 26.5 | 6.458 | 6.962 | 1.72 |
| 13 | 0.7 | 4.477 | 2.996 | 1.06 | 28 | 0.7 | 5.328 | 3.912 | 1.25 |
| 14 | 25.9 | 5.236 | 4.942 | 1.30 | 29 | 13.4 | 5.802 | 6.685 | 1.08 |
| 15 | 54.9 | 6.151 | 6.752 | 1.52 | 30 | 5.5 | 6.176 | 4.787 | 1.25 |

Table 11.2: Cheese data. ACETIC, H2S, and LACTIC are independent variables. The response variable is TASTE.

REGRESSION MODEL: Suppose the researchers postulate that each of the three chemical composition variables x_1, x_2 , and x_3 is important in describing the taste. In this case, they might initially consider the multiple linear regression model

$$Y_{i} = \beta_{0} + \beta_{1}x_{i1} + \beta_{2}x_{i2} + \beta_{3}x_{i3} + \epsilon_{i},$$

for i = 1, 2, ..., 30. We now use R to fit this model using the method of least squares. Here is the output:

| (Intercept) | -28.877 | 19.735 | -1.463 | 0.15540 | |
|-------------|---------|--------|--------|---------|----|
| acetic | 0.328 | 4.460 | 0.074 | 0.94193 | |
| h2s | 3.912 | 1.248 | 3.133 | 0.00425 | ** |
| lactic | 19.670 | 8.629 | 2.279 | 0.03109 | * |

Residual standard error: 10.13 on 26 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.6518, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6116 F-statistic: 16.22 on 3 and 26 DF, p-value: 3.810e-06 *OUTPUT*: The Estimate output gives the values of the least squares estimates:

$$\widehat{\beta}_0 \approx -28.877$$
 $\widehat{\beta}_1 \approx 0.328$ $\widehat{\beta}_2 \approx 3.912$ $\widehat{\beta}_3 \approx 19.670.$

Therefore, the fitted least squares regression model is

$$\dot{Y} = -28.877 + 0.328x_1 + 3.912x_2 + 19.670x_3,$$

or, in other words,

$$\widehat{\text{TASTE}} = -28.877 + 0.328 \text{ACETIC} + 3.912 \text{H2S} + 19.670 \text{LACTIC}.$$

The Std.Error output gives

$$19.735 = \widehat{\operatorname{se}}(\widehat{\beta}_{0}) = \sqrt{c_{00}\widehat{\sigma}^{2}} = \sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^{2}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})_{00}^{-1}}$$

$$4.460 = \widehat{\operatorname{se}}(\widehat{\beta}_{1}) = \sqrt{c_{11}\widehat{\sigma}^{2}} = \sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^{2}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})_{11}^{-1}}$$

$$1.248 = \widehat{\operatorname{se}}(\widehat{\beta}_{2}) = \sqrt{c_{22}\widehat{\sigma}^{2}} = \sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^{2}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})_{22}^{-1}}$$

$$8.629 = \widehat{\operatorname{se}}(\widehat{\beta}_{3}) = \sqrt{c_{33}\widehat{\sigma}^{2}} = \sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^{2}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})_{33}^{-1}},$$

where

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\text{SSE}}{30-4} = (10.13)^2 \approx 102.63$$

is the square of the Residual standard error. The t value output gives the t statistics

$$t = -1.463 = \frac{\widehat{\beta}_0 - 0}{\sqrt{c_{00}\widehat{\sigma}^2}}$$
$$t = 0.074 = \frac{\widehat{\beta}_1 - 0}{\sqrt{c_{11}\widehat{\sigma}^2}}$$
$$t = 3.133 = \frac{\widehat{\beta}_2 - 0}{\sqrt{c_{22}\widehat{\sigma}^2}}$$
$$t = 2.279 = \frac{\widehat{\beta}_3 - 0}{\sqrt{c_{33}\widehat{\sigma}^2}}.$$

These t statistics can be used to test H_0 : $\beta_i = 0$ versus H_0 : $\beta_i \neq 0$, for i = 0, 1, 2, 3. Two-sided probability values are in $\Pr(>|t|)$. At the $\alpha = 0.05$ level,

- we do not reject H_0 : $\beta_0 = 0$ (p-value = 0.155). Interpretation: In the model which includes all three independent variables, the intercept term β_0 is not statistically different from zero.
- we do not reject $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ (p-value = 0.942). Interpretation: ACETIC does not significantly add to a model that includes H2S and LACTIC.
- we reject H_0 : $\beta_2 = 0$ (p-value = 0.004). Interpretation: H2S does significantly add to a model that includes ACETIC and LACTIC.
- we reject $H_0: \beta_3 = 0$ (p-value = 0.031). Interpretation: LACTIC does significantly add to a model that includes ACETIC and H2S.

CONFIDENCE INTERVALS: Ninety-five percent confidence intervals for the regression parameters β_0 , β_1 , β_2 , and β_3 , respectively, are

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\beta}_{0} \pm t_{26,0.025} \widehat{se}(\widehat{\beta}_{0}) &\implies -28.877 \pm 2.056(19.735) \Longrightarrow (-69.45, 11.70) \\ \widehat{\beta}_{1} \pm t_{26,0.025} \widehat{se}(\widehat{\beta}_{1}) &\implies 0.328 \pm 2.056(4.460) \Longrightarrow (-8.84, 9.50) \\ \widehat{\beta}_{2} \pm t_{26,0.025} \widehat{se}(\widehat{\beta}_{2}) &\implies 3.912 \pm 2.056(1.248) \Longrightarrow (1.35, 6.48) \\ \widehat{\beta}_{3} \pm t_{26,0.025} \widehat{se}(\widehat{\beta}_{3}) &\implies 19.670 \pm 2.056(8.629) \Longrightarrow (1.93, 37.41). \end{aligned}$$

PREDICTION: Suppose that we are interested estimating $E(Y|\mathbf{x}^*)$ and predicting a new Y when ACETIC = 5.5, H2S = 6.0, and LACTIC = 1.4, so that

$$\mathbf{x}^* = \left(\begin{array}{c} 5.5\\ 6.0\\ 1.4 \end{array}\right).$$

We use R to compute the following:

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> predict(fit,data.frame(acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4),level=0.95,interval="confidence")
    fit lwr upr
23.93552 20.04506 27.82597
> predict(fit,data.frame(acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4),level=0.95,interval="prediction")
    fit lwr upr
```

```
23.93552 2.751379 45.11966
```

• Note that

$$\widehat{E(Y|\mathbf{x}^*)} = \widehat{Y}^* = \widehat{\beta}_0 + \widehat{\beta}_1 x_1^* + \widehat{\beta}_2 x_2^* + \widehat{\beta}_3 x_3^*$$
$$= -28.877 + 0.328(5.5) + 3.912(6.0) + 19.670(1.4) \approx 23.936.$$

- A 95 percent confidence interval for $E(Y|\mathbf{x}^*)$ is (20.05, 27.83). When ACETIC = 5.5, H2S = 6.0, and LACTIC = 1.4, we are 95 percent confident that the mean taste rating is between 20.05 and 27.83.
- A 95 percent prediction interval for Y^* , when $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}^*$, is (2.75, 45.12). When ACETIC = 5.5, H2S = 6.0, and LACTIC = 1.4, we are 95 percent confident that the taste rating for a new cheese specimen will be between 2.75 and 45.12.

Completed R codes for Example 11.2 (follow this to answer HW problems).


```
taste=c(12.3,20.9,39,47.9,5.6,25.9,37.3,21.9,18.1,21,34.9,57.2,0.7,25.9,54.9,40.9,
15.9,6.4,18,38.9,14,15.2,32,56.7,16.8,11.6,26.5,0.7,13.4,5.5)
acetic=c(4.543,5.159,5.366,5.759,4.663,5.697,5.892,6.078,4.898,5.242,5.74,6.446,
4.477,5.236,6.151,6.365,4.787,5.412,5.247,5.438,4.564,5.298,5.455,5.855,5.366,
6.043,6.458,5.328,5.802,6.176)
h2s=c(3.135,5.043,5.438,7.496,3.807,7.601,8.726,7.966,3.85,4.174,6.142,7.908,
2.996,4.942,6.752,9.588,3.912,4.7,6.174,9.064,4.949,5.22,9.242,10.199,3.664,
3.219,6.962,3.912,6.685,4.787)
lactic=c(0.86,1.53,1.57,1.81,0.99,1.09,1.29,1.78,1.29,1.58,1.68,1.9,1.06,1.3,1.52,
1.74, 1.16, 1.49, 1.63, 1.99, 1.15, 1.33, 1.44, 2.01, 1.31, 1.46, 1.72, 1.25, 1.08, 1.25)
# Fit linear regression
fit=lm(taste~acetic+h2s+lactic)
summary(fit)
# 95\% confidence interval for E(Y) at acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4#
predict(fit,data.frame(acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4),level=0.95,interval="confidence")
```

```
# 95\% prediction interval for E(Y) at acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4
```

predict(fit,data.frame(acetic=5.5,h2s=6.0,lactic=1.4),level=0.95,interval="prediction")

The analysis of variance (ANOVA) for linear regression

ANOVA TABLE: The general form of an ANOVA table for linear regression (simple or multiple) is given below:

| Source | df | \mathbf{SS} | MS | F |
|------------|-----|---------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Regression | p-1 | SSR | $MSR = \frac{SSR}{p-1}$ | $F = \frac{\text{MSR}}{\text{MSE}}$ |
| Error | n-p | SSE | $MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-p}$ | |
| Total | n-1 | SST | | |

where

• we have

$$\underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_i - \overline{Y})^2}_{\text{SST}} = \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (\widehat{Y}_i - \overline{Y})^2}_{\text{SSR}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_i - \widehat{Y}_i)^2}_{\text{SSE}}.$$

- SST is the **corrected total** sum of squares
- SSR is the corrected regression (model) sum of squares
- SSE is the error (residual) sum of squares.
- The column labeled "df" gives the **degrees of freedom** for each.
- The column labeled "MS" contains the **mean squares**

$$MSR = \frac{SSR}{p-1}$$
$$MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-p} = \hat{\sigma}^2$$

• Since SST=SSR+SSE, the proportion of the total variation in the data explained by the linear model is

$$R^2 = \frac{\text{SSR}}{\text{SST}},$$

typically called the **coefficient of determination**. Interpretation: the larger the R^2 , the more variation that is being explained by the regression model.

• The ANOVA table F statistic

$$F = \frac{\text{MSR}}{\text{MSE}} = \frac{\text{SSR}/(p-1)}{\text{SSE}/(n-p)}$$

is used to test

$$H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \cdots = \beta_k = 0$$
 versus $H_1:$ at least one of the β_j 's is nonzero

Rejection region: $RR = \{F : F > F_{p-1,n-p,\alpha}\}.$

| Source | df | \mathbf{SS} | MS | F |
|------------|-----|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Regression | p-1 | \mathbf{SSR} | $MSR = \frac{SSR}{p-1}$ | $F = \frac{\text{MSR}}{\text{MSE}}$ |
| Error | n-p | SSE | $MSE = \frac{SSE}{n-p}$ | |
| Total | n-1 | SST | | |

Example 11.2 (continued) Constructing the ANOVA table

based on the following R output:

```
fit=lm(taste~acetic+h2s+lactic)
summary(fit)
Call:
lm(formula = taste ~ acetic + h2s + lactic)
Residuals:
   Min
            1Q Median
                            ЗQ
                                   Max
                         4.908 25.449
-17.390 -6.612 -1.009
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -28.8768 19.7354 -1.463 0.15540
             0.3277
acetic
                        4.4598
                                 0.073 0.94198
h2s
             3.9118
                        1.2484
                                 3.133 0.00425 **
lactic
            19.6705
                        8.6291
                                 2.280 0.03108 *
___
Signif. codes: 0 ?***? 0.001 ?**? 0.01 ?*? 0.05 ?.? 0.1 ? ? 1
Residual standard error: 10.13 on 26 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6518, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6116
```

F-statistic: 16.22 on 3 and 26 DF, p-value: 3.81e-06

Reduced versus full model testing Recall the multiple linear regression model is

$$Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik} + \epsilon_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

where we believe all the k covariates are useful to explain the variance in the response. However, out of k, the number of truly useful covariates might be only g < k. This motivates us to think which of the following is true?

• the completed model

$$Y_{i} = \beta_{0} + \beta_{1}x_{i1} + \beta_{2}x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_{g}x_{ig} + \beta_{g+1}x_{i,g+1} + \dots + \beta_{k}x_{ik} + \epsilon_{i}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

• or a reduced model

$$Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_g x_{ig} + \epsilon_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, n,$$

Equivalently, we are testing

 $H_0: \beta_{g+1} = \beta_{g+2} = \cdots = \beta_k = 0$ versus $H_1:$ at least one of $\beta_{g+1}, \ldots, \beta_k$ is nonzero

Test Statistics:

$$F = \frac{(SSE_R - SSE_C)/(k - g)}{SSE_C/(n - p)}$$

Rejection Region

$$RR = \{F : F > F_{k-g,n-p,\alpha}\}$$

where p = k + 1,

- SSE_C : the error sum of squares under the completed model
- SSE_R : the error sum of squared under the reduced model

```
Example 11.2 (continued) Y: taste, x_1: acetic, x_2: h2s, x_3: lactic; Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \beta_3 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \beta_3 x_{i1} + \beta_3 x_{i2} + \beta_3 x_{i3}
\beta_3 x_{i3}, i = 1, \ldots, 30.
summary(lm(taste~acetic+h2s+lactic))
Call:
lm(formula = taste ~ acetic + h2s + lactic)
Residuals:
    Min
               1Q Median
                                  ЗQ
                                           Max
-17.390 -6.612 -1.009
                               4.908 25.449
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -28.8768
                         19.7354 -1.463 0.15540
                0.3277
                             4.4598
                                        0.073 0.94198
acetic
h2s
                3.9118
                             1.2484
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                                        2.280 0.03108 *
lactic
               19.6705
                             8.6291
___
Signif. codes: 0 ?***? 0.001 ?**? 0.01 ?*? 0.05 ?.? 0.1 ? ? 1
Residual standard error: 10.13 on 26 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6518, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6116
F-statistic: 16.22 on 3 and 26 DF, p-value: 3.81e-06
```

(1) Combining the following R results, conduct the below test at significance level $\alpha = 0.05$

 $H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_3 = 0$ versus $H_1:$ at least one of β_1, β_3 is nonzero

```
# R codes:
anova(lm(taste~h2s),lm(taste~acetic+h2s+lactic))
Analysis of Variance Table
Model 1: taste ~ h2s
Model 2: taste ~ acetic + h2s + lactic
 Res.Df
         RSS Df Sum of Sq
                          F Pr(>F)
1
    28 3286.1
2
    26 2668.4 2
                 617.73 3.0095 0.06674 .
___
Signif. codes: 0 ?***? 0.001 ?**? 0.01 ?*? 0.05 ?.? 0.1 ? ? 1
```

(2) What test are the following codes for?

```
anova(lm(taste~acetic+lactic),lm(taste~acetic+h2s+lactic))
Analysis of Variance Table
Model 1: taste ~ acetic + lactic
Model 2: taste ~ acetic + h2s + lactic
Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
1 27 3676.1
2 26 2668.4 1 1007.7 9.8182 0.004247 **
---
Signif. codes: 0 ?***? 0.001 ?**? 0.01 ?*? 0.05 ?.? 0.1 ? ? 1
```