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1 The regression problem

1.1 Example

• We will study the dataset in Agresti Table 13.1 available as Income.txt on the course website. We read in data in RStudio

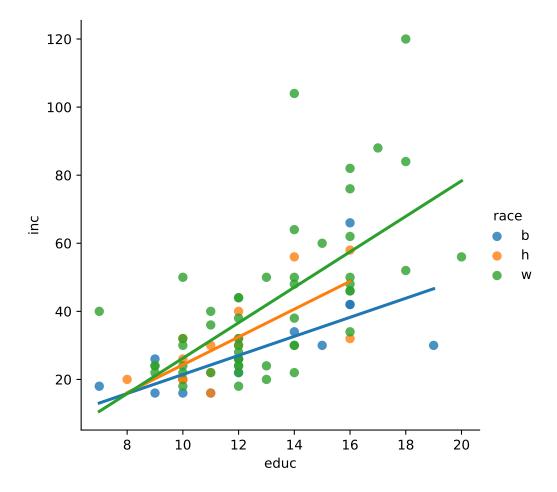
```
import pandas as pd

Income = pd.read_csv("https://asta.math.aau.dk/datasets?file=Income.txt", sep='\t')
```

- $\bullet\,$ We have a sample with measurements of 3 variables:
 - y=income: Quantitative variable, which is yearly income. This will be our response.
 - **x=education**: Quantitative predictor, which is the number of years of education.
 - z=race: Explanatory factor with levels b(black), h(hispanic) and w(white).
- We always start with some graphics:

```
import seaborn as sns

p = sns.lmplot(x='educ', y='inc', hue='race', data=Income, ci=None)
```



- An unclear picture, but a tendency to increasing income with increasing education.
- The trend lines for the three races are different. But is the difference significant? Or can the difference be explained by sampling variation?
- Such a regression with both qualitative and quantitative predictors is called an analysis of covariance (ANCOVA). When the model only contains qualitative predictors, the problem is known as analysis of variance (ANOVA) which is the topic of the next lecture.

2 Dummy coding

2.1 Dummy coding

- First, we will look at the model **without interaction**, i.e. the effect of **education** is the same for all races, which corresponds to parallel lines.
- We also have to introduce dummy coding of the factor z:
 - $-z_1=1$ if race=b and zero otherwise
 - $-z_2 = 1$ if race=h and zero otherwise
- This determines the regression model:

$$E(y|x,z) = \alpha + \beta x + \beta_1 z_1 + \beta_2 z_2$$

which corresponds to parallel regressions lines for each race.

• w:
$$(z_1 = 0, z_2 = 0) E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta x$$

- b: $(z_1 = 1, z_2 = 0) E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta_1 + \beta x$.
- h: $(z_1 = 0, z_2 = 1) E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta_2 + \beta x$.

import statsmodels.formula.api as smf

- β_1 is the difference in Intercept between black and white.
- β_2 is the difference in Intercept between Hispanic and white.

2.2 Example

• We want to tell the software that we want race to be a factor (grouping variable) and we want w as reference level for race (default is lexicographical ordering, i.e. (b, h, w) and b would then be the reference):

```
Income['race'] = Income['race'].astype('category').cat.reorder_categories(
    ['w', 'b', 'h'],
    ordered = True
)
```

• Then we use + in the model formula to only have additive effects of educ and race, i.e. a model without interaction:

```
model1 = smf.ols('inc ~ educ + race', data=Income).fit()
model1.summary(slim = True)
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """
##
                            OLS Regression Results
## Dep. Variable:
                                  inc
                                       R-squared:
                                                                      0.462
## Model:
                                  OLS
                                       Adj. R-squared:
                                                                      0.441
## No. Observations:
                                   80
                                       F-statistic:
                                                                      21.75
## Covariance Type:
                                       Prob (F-statistic):
                                                                   2.85e-10
                            nonrobust
##
                                               P>|t|
                                                          [0.025
                                                                     0.975
                  coef
                         std err
                                     -1.862
## Intercept
              -15.6635
                           8.412
                                               0.066
                                                         -32.418
                                                                      1.091
## race[T.b]
              -10.8744
                                     -2.431
                                                                     -1.966
                           4.473
                                               0.017
                                                         -19.783
## race[T.h]
               -4.9338
                           4.763
                                    -1.036
                                               0.304
                                                         -14.421
                                                                      4.553
                           0.619
                                     7.158
                                               0.000
                                                           3.199
                                                                      5.665
                4.4317
```

Notes:

##

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

- The common slope to educ is estimated to be $\hat{\beta} = 4.4316685$, with corresponding p-value= 4.42×10^{-10} which is significantly different from zero.
- There is a clear positive effect of educ on income.
- The estimate for w-intercept is $\hat{\alpha} = -15.6635$, which isn't significantly different from zero if we test at level 5% (this test is not really of interest).
- The difference between b- and w-intercept (raceb) is $\hat{\beta}_1 = -10.8744$, which is significant with p-value=1.74%.
- There is no significant difference between h- and w-intercept.

2.3 Example: Prediction equations

```
model1.summary(slim = True)
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """
##
                               OLS Regression Results
## =========
## Dep. Variable:
                                     inc
                                           R-squared:
                                                                            0.462
## Model:
                                     OLS
                                           Adj. R-squared:
                                                                            0.441
## No. Observations:
                                      80
                                           F-statistic:
                                                                            21.75
                                           Prob (F-statistic):
## Covariance Type:
                              nonrobust
                                                                         2.85e-10
## ==========
                                                    P>|t|
                                                               [0.025
                                                                           0.975]
                    coef
                           std err
##
## Intercept
             -15.6635
                            8.412 -1.862
                                                    0.066
                                                              -32.418
                                                                            1.091
                                    -2.431
## race[T.b]
              -10.8744
                             4.473
                                                    0.017
                                                             -19.783
                                                                           -1.966
## race[T.h]
                -4.9338
                             4.763
                                       -1.036
                                                    0.304
                                                              -14.421
                                                                            4.553
                 4.4317
                             0.619
                                       7.158
                                                    0.000
                                                                3.199
                                                                            5.665
##
## Notes:
## [1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.
  • Reference/baseline group (white):
                                       \hat{y} = -15.66 + 4.43x
  • Black:
                            \hat{y} = -15.66 - 10.87 + 4.43x = -26.54 + 4.43x
  • Hispanic:
```

 $\hat{y} = -15.66 - 4.93 + 4.43x = -20.60 + 4.43x$

2.4 Example: Plot

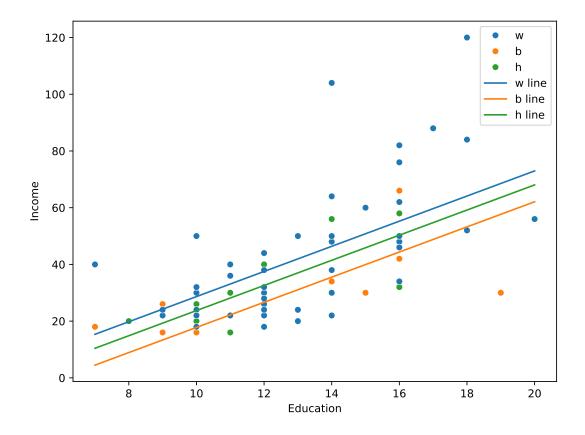
```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

coef = model1.params
educ_vals = np.linspace(Income['educ'].min(), Income['educ'].max(), 100)

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
sns.scatterplot(x='educ', y='inc', hue='race', data=Income)

for r in Income['race'].cat.categories:
    intercept = coef['Intercept'] + coef.get(f'race[T.{r}]', 0)
    slope = coef['educ']
    plt.plot(educ_vals, intercept + slope * educ_vals, label=f'{r} line')

plt.xlabel("Education")
plt.ylabel("Income")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



2.5 Agresti – summary

TABLE 13.4: Summary of Regression Equations and Parameters for Model with No Interaction, when Categorical Predictor Has Three Categories

Category	y-Intercept	Slope	Mean $E(y)$ at Fixed x	Difference From Mean of Category 3, Controlling for <i>x</i>
1	$\alpha + \beta_1$	β	$(\alpha + \beta_1) + \beta x$	β_1
2	$\alpha + \beta_2$	β	$(\alpha + \beta_2) + \beta x$	β_2
3	α	β	$\alpha + \beta x$	0

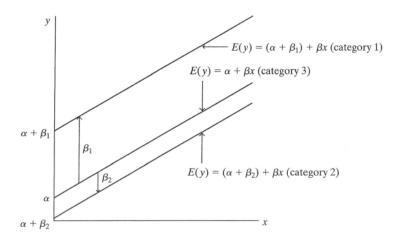


FIGURE 13.5: Graphic Portrayal of a Model with No Interaction, when the Categorical Predictor Has Three Categories

3 Model with interaction

3.1 Interaction

- In the following we will expand the model to include interaction between the effects of race and education on income. Before proceeding, let us recall what interaction means (and doesn't mean) in this context:
- Interaction between the effects of race and education on income does **not** mean that the values of education and race themselves are related or affect each other.
- Interaction between the effects of race and education on income means that the relationship between education and income depends on the value of race. I.e. for each fixed value of race the slope of the line relating education and income may have a different value.
- Often we just refer to this as "interaction between education and race" when it really should read "interaction between the effects of race and education on income".

3.2 Interaction

• We will expand the regression model, so we include interaction between x and z_1 respectively z_2 :

$$E(y|x,z) = \alpha + \beta x + \beta_1 z_1 + \beta_2 z_2 + \beta_3 z_1 x + \beta_4 z_2 x.$$

- This yields a regression line for each race:
- $w(z_1 = 0, z_2 = 0)$: $E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta x$
- b $(z_1 = 1, z_2 = 0)$: $E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta_1 + (\beta + \beta_3)x$.
- $h(z_1 = 0, z_2 = 1)$: $E(y|x) = \alpha + \beta_2 + (\beta + \beta_4)x$.

- β_1 is the difference in Intercept between black and white, while β_3 is the difference in slope between black and white.
- β_2 is the difference in Intercept between Hispanic and white, while β_4 is the difference in slope between Hispanic and white.

3.3 Example: Prediction equations

• When we use * in the model formula we include interaction between educ and race:

```
model2 = smf.ols('inc ~ educ * race', data=Income).fit()
model2.summary(slim = True)
```

```
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """
##
                               OLS Regression Results
##
## Dep. Variable:
                                                                            0.482
                                           R-squared:
                                     inc
## Model:
                                     OLS
                                           Adj. R-squared:
                                                                            0.448
## No. Observations:
                                     80
                                           F-statistic:
                                                                            13.80
## Covariance Type:
                              nonrobust
                                           Prob (F-statistic):
                                                                         1.62e-09
  ______
                               std err
                                                        P>|t|
                                                                   [0.025
                                                                               0.975]
                        coef
##
## Intercept
                   -25.8688
                                10.498
                                            -2.464
                                                        0.016
                                                                  -46.787
                                                                               -4.951
## race[T.b]
                     19.3333
                                18.293
                                            1.057
                                                        0.294
                                                                  -17.116
                                                                               55.782
## race[T.h]
                     9.2640
                                 24.280
                                            0.382
                                                        0.704
                                                                  -39.114
                                                                               57.642
## educ
                     5.2095
                                 0.783
                                            6.655
                                                        0.000
                                                                    3.650
                                                                                6.769
                                            -1.700
## educ:race[T.b]
                                                       0.093
                                                                   -5.236
                     -2.4107
                                 1.418
                                                                                0.414
## educ:race[T.h]
                     -1.1208
                                 2.006
                                            -0.559
                                                        0.578
                                                                   -5.118
                                                                                2.876
##
```

Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

• Reference/baseline group (white):

$$\hat{y} = -25.87 + 5.21x$$

• Black:

$$\hat{y} = -25.87 + 19.33 + (5.21 - 2.41)x = -6.54 + 2.80x$$

• Hispanic:

$$\hat{y} = -25.87 + 9.26 + (5.21 - 1.12)x = -16.60 + 4.09x$$

3.4 Example: Individual tests

```
model2.summary(slim = True)

## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """

## OLS Regression Results
```

Dep. Variable: inc R-squared: 0.482 ## Model: OLS Adj. R-squared: 0.448 ## No. Observations: 80 F-statistic: 13.80 ## Covariance Type: Prob (F-statistic): 1.62e-09 nonrobust

##								
##		coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]	
##								
##	Intercept	-25.8688	10.498	-2.464	0.016	-46.787	-4.951	
##	race[T.b]	19.3333	18.293	1.057	0.294	-17.116	55.782	
##	race[T.h]	9.2640	24.280	0.382	0.704	-39.114	57.642	
##	educ	5.2095	0.783	6.655	0.000	3.650	6.769	
##	educ:race[T.b]	-2.4107	1.418	-1.700	0.093	-5.236	0.414	
##	educ:race[T.h]	-1.1208	2.006	-0.559	0.578	-5.118	2.876	
##	=======================================		========		========		=======	

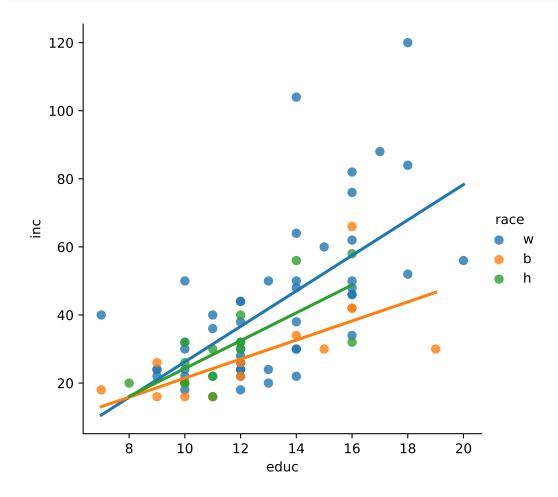
##

Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified. ## """

- The difference in slope between b and w (educ:raceb) is estimated to $\hat{\beta}_3 = -2.4107$. With p-value=9.33% there is no significant difference.
- Furthermore, there isn't any significant difference of slope between h and w. In other words there is probably not interaction between educ and race.

p = sns.lmplot(x='educ', y='inc', hue='race', data=Income, ci=None)



4 Test for no interaction

4.1 Test for no interaction

model1.rsquared

np.float64(0.46199055232513464)

model2.rsquared

np.float64(0.4824821580587537)

• Is model2 significantly better than model1? I.e. is R^2 significantly higher for model2?

4.2 Hypothesis and test statistic

• The simpler model1 is obtained from the more complicated model2 by setting $\beta_3 = 0$ and $\beta_4 = 0$, so the null hypothesis "the simpler additive model describes data sufficiently well compared to the complicated interaction model" is really the simple mathematical hypothesis:

$$H_0: \beta_3 = 0, \beta_4 = 0.$$

- We will look at the difference between R^2 for the two models, but as before (for multiple linear regression) we have to convert this to an F statistic which we can then calculate a p-value for.
- Formula for F_{obs} (no need to learn this by heart):

$$F_{obs} = \frac{(R_2^2 - R_1^2)/(\mathrm{df}_1 - \mathrm{df}_2)}{(1 - R_2^2)/\mathrm{df}_2}$$

where df_1 and df_2 are n minus the number of model parameters for the two models (i.e. 80-4=76 and 80-6=74 in our case).

• The formula for F_{obs} can be rewritten in terms of sums of squared errors (SSE) for each model (no need to memorize it):

$$F_{obs} = \frac{(SSE_1 - SSE_2)/(df_1 - df_2)}{(SSE_2)/df_2}.$$

• In the literature SSE is sometimes denoted by RSS for **Residual Sums of Squares**; i.e SSE = RSS.

4.3 Test for no interaction in Python

• In Python the calculations are done using anova lm:

 ${\tt from \ statsmodels.stats.anova \ import \ anova_lm}$

anova_lm(model1, model2)

• The F-test for dropping the interaction educ:race has F-value=1.465, which in no way is significant with p-value=23.77%.

5 Hierarchy of models

5.1 Hierarchy of models

• Interaction: The most general model with main effects educ and race and interaction educ:race:

```
Interaction = smf.ols('inc ~ educ * race', data=Income).fit()
```

• MainEffects: The model where there are additive effects of educ and race.

```
MainEffects = smf.ols('inc ~ educ + race', data=Income).fit()
```

• educEff: Model where there only is an effect of educ (simple lin. reg.).

```
educEff = smf.ols('inc ~ educ', data=Income).fit()
```

• raceEff: Model where there only is an effect of race (a different mean for each group – more on this in the ANOVA lecture).

```
raceEff = smf.ols('inc ~ race', data=Income).fit()
```

• We can, corresponding to Agresti Table 13.10, make F-tests for 3 pairwise comparisons of models.

5.2 Example

• Comparing MainEffects and Interaction is what we have already done.

anova_lm(MainEffects, Interaction)

```
##
      df resid
                                df diff
                                              ss diff
                                                              F
                                                                   Pr(>F)
                           ssr
## 0
           76.0
                 18164.248072
                                     0.0
                                                  NaN
                                                            NaN
                                                                      NaN
## 1
                 17472.411504
                                     2.0
                                          691.836568
                                                       1.46505
                                                                 0.23769
```

- We recognize F = 1.465 with p-value=23.77%, i.e. model2 isn't significantly better than model1. So no educ:race interaction.
- In the same manner we can compare educEff and MainEffects. I.e. we investigate whether the effect of race can be left out.

anova_lm(educEff, MainEffects)

```
##
                               df_diff
                                             ss_diff
                                                              F
                                                                    Pr(>F)
      df_resid
                          ssr
          78.0
                                    0.0
## 0
                19624.832018
                                                  NaN
                                                            NaN
                                                                       NaN
          76.0 18164.248072
                                    2.0
                                         1460.583947
## 1
                                                       3.055573
                                                                  0.052922
```

- If any, the effect of race is weak with p-value=5.292%.
- Finally, we compare raceEff and MainEffects. Clearly educ cannot be left out (P-value=4.422×10⁻¹⁰).

anova_lm(raceEff, MainEffects)

```
##
      df resid
                                df diff
                                               ss_diff
                                                                F
                                                                          Pr(>F)
                          ssr
## 0
          77.0
                 30409.480000
                                    0.0
                                                              NaN
                                                   NaN
## 1
          76.0
                 18164.248072
                                    1.0
                                         12245.231928
                                                        51.23458
                                                                   4.422192e-10
```

5.3 Example

- The methods generalize to models with more than 2 predictors.
- We return to the dataset Ericksen, where we study the response crime:

```
Ericksen = pd.read_csv("https://asta.math.aau.dk/datasets?file=Ericksen.txt", sep='\t')
model = smf.ols('crime ~ city * highschool + city * poverty', data=Ericksen).fit()
```

- The variables are:
 - crime: Quantitative variable
 - city: city or state
 - highschool: Quantitative variable

- poverty: Quantitative variable
- The model has 3 predictors with main effects and includes
 - interaction between city and highschool
 - interaction between city and poverty.

model.summary(slim = True)

"""

```
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
##
##
                            OLS Regression Results
  ______
##
## Dep. Variable:
                                crime
                                       R-squared:
                                                                      0.658
## Model:
                                  OLS
                                       Adj. R-squared:
                                                                      0.629
## No. Observations:
                                   66
                                       F-statistic:
                                                                      23.06
## Covariance Type:
                                       Prob (F-statistic):
                                                                    7.75e-13
                            nonrobust
##
                               coef
                                       std err
                                                             P>|t|
                                                                       [0.025
                                                                                  0.975
##
## Intercept
                            61.1456
                                       18.125
                                                   3.373
                                                             0.001
                                                                       24.889
                                                                                  97.402
## city[T.state]
                            18.1526
                                       20.413
                                                   0.889
                                                             0.377
                                                                      -22.680
                                                                                  58.985
## highschool
                            -1.5711
                                        0.606
                                                  -2.592
                                                             0.012
                                                                       -2.784
                                                                                   -0.358
## city[T.state]:highschool
                             0.7025
                                        0.733
                                                   0.959
                                                             0.342
                                                                       -0.763
                                                                                   2.168
## poverty
                             5.3105
                                       1.433
                                                   3.705
                                                             0.000
                                                                        2.443
                                                                                   8.178
## city[T.state]:poverty
                                        1.662
                                                             0.003
                            -5.1862
                                                  -3.121
                                                                       -8.510
                                                                                  -1.862
##
## Notes:
```

- There isn't significant (p-value=34.1523%) interaction between city and highschool.
- I.e. the effect of highschool on crime is the same in metropolitan areas (city=city) and the non-metropolitan areas (city=state).

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

- There is clearly (p-value=0.2773%) interaction between city and poverty.
- I.e. the effect of poverty on crime is different in metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas.
- For city=state, the effect of poverty (on crime) is smaller than in the major cities.
- Hence, poverty has larger effect on crime in the major cities than in the states outside the major cites.

5.4 Multicollinearity and variance inflation factors

- Ideally the predictors in linear regression should be uncorrelated, which is almost never the case.
- The consequence of the two predictors being correlated (**collinear**), is that the uncertainty of the parameter estimates increase (because the squared standard error increases) by a factor commonly called the variance inflation factor (VIF).
- If multiple pairs of predictors are collinear, we say that the model suffers from multicollinearity.
- If we have a model with p predictors, then the VIF of x_i is:

$$VIF_j = \frac{1}{1 - R_j^2},$$

where R_j^2 is the multiple R^2 value of a model using x_j as a response and the remaining p-1 predictors as explanatory variables.

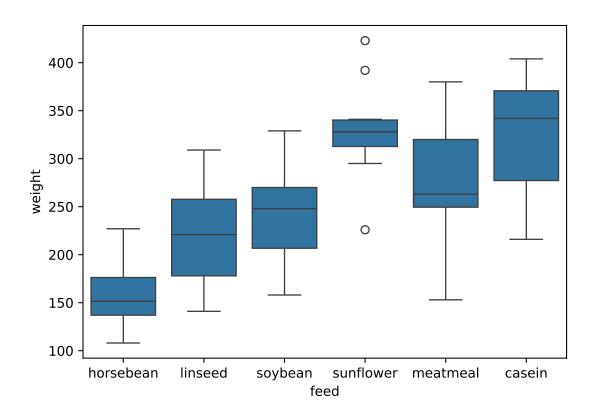
- The larger VIF_i is, the higher the collinearity between x_i and the remaining predictors is.
- Rule of thumb: If a VIF is larger than 10 the collinearity is too high.

6 One way analysis of variance

6.1 Example

- The data set chickwts is available and on the course webpage.
- 71 newly hatched chicks were randomly allocated into six groups, and each group was given a different feed supplement.
- Their weights in grams after six weeks are given along with feed types, i.e. we have a sample with corresponding measurements of 2 variables:
 - weight: a numeric variable giving the chick weight.
 - feed: a factor giving the feed type.
- Always start with some graphics:

```
import pandas as pd
chickwts = pd.read_csv("https://asta.math.aau.dk/datasets?file=chickwts.txt", sep='\t')
chickwts.head(3)
##
      weight
                   feed
## 0
         179
              horsebean
         160
              horsebean
## 2
         136 horsebean
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
p = sns.boxplot(x='feed', y='weight', data=chickwts)
```



6.2 The ANOVA Model

- We measure the response y which in this case is weight.
- We want to study the effect of the factor x on y. In this case x = feed and divides the sample in g = 6 groups.
- The mean responses within the groups are denoted $\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots, \mu_q$.
- We will assume that
 - $-y = \mu_x + \epsilon$, when y is a response in group x
 - $-\epsilon$ are a sample from a population with mean zero and standard deviation σ .
 - The standard deviation for the population in each group is the same and equals σ
 - The response variable, y, is normal distributed within each group.
- The ANOVA test is a test of equal means for the different groups.

7 Estimation of mean values

7.1 Estimates

- Least squares estimates for population means $\hat{\mu}_x$ is given by the average of the response measurements in group x.
- For a given measured response y we let \hat{y} denote the model's prediction of y, i.e.

$$\widehat{y} = \widehat{\mu}_x$$

if y is a response for an observation in group x.

• We use mean to find the mean, for each group:

```
chickwts.groupby('feed')['weight'].mean()
```

```
## feed
## casein 323.583333
## horsebean 160.200000
## linseed 218.750000
## meatmeal 276.909091
## soybean 246.428571
## sunflower 328.916667
## Name: weight, dtype: float64
```

- We can e.g. see that $\hat{y}=323.6$, when feed=casein but $\hat{y}=160.2$, when feed=horsebean.
- Is it a significant difference?

7.2 Contrast coding

- In many cases there is a group corresponding to "no treatment" and we are interested in the effect of different treatments.
- In this example we only have different feeds, which are sorted in lexicographical order by R, so casein
 is the reference.
- We can specify the model via:
 - Intercept corresponding to the mean response for the reference (casein).
 - For each of the other groups we have a contrast, which measures the difference between the mean value for that group and the reference group.
- For a given contrast we can calculate standard error, t-score and p-value, and thereby investigate whether there is a difference between this group and the reference group.
- In Agresti this is referred to as using **dummy variables**.

7.3 Example

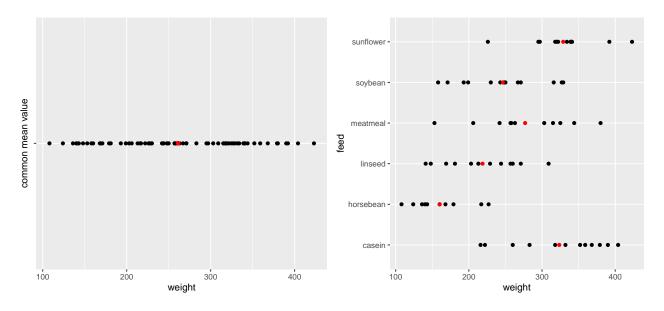
```
import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
model = smf.ols('weight ~ feed', data=chickwts).fit()
model.summary(slim = True)
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """
##
                         OLS Regression Results
## Dep. Variable:
                           weight
                                  R-squared:
                                                             0.542
## Model:
                             OLS
                                  Adj. R-squared:
                                                             0.506
## No. Observations:
                              71
                                                             15.36
                                  F-statistic:
## Covariance Type:
                        nonrobust
                                  Prob (F-statistic):
                                                          5.94e-10
P>|t|
                                                        Γ0.025
                     coef
                            std err
                                         t.
## -----
## Intercept
                  323.5833
                            15.834
                                     20.436
                                               0.000
                                                       291.961
                                                                 355.206
## feed[T.horsebean] -163.3833
                            23.485
                                     -6.957
                                               0.000
                                                      -210.287
                                                                -116.480
## feed[T.linseed]
                 -104.8333
                            22.393
                                     -4.682
                                               0.000
                                                      -149.554
                                                                 -60.112
## feed[T.meatmeal]
                  -46.6742
                            22.896
                                      -2.039
                                               0.046
                                                       -92.400
                                                                  -0.948
## feed[T.soybean]
                  -77.1548
                            21.578
                                      -3.576
                                               0.001
                                                      -120.249
                                                                 -34.061
## feed[T.sunflower]
                    5.3333
                             22.393
                                      0.238
                                               0.812
                                                       -39.388
                                                                  50.054
##
## Notes:
## [1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.
```

- We get information about contrasts and their significance:
- Intercept corresponding to case in has weight different from zero $(p < 2 \times 10^{-16})$ (of course, chickens grow a lot over 6 weeks)
- Weight difference between casein and horsebean is extremely significant (p= 2×10^{-9}).
- There is no significant weight difference between casein and sunflower (p=81%).

8 Overall test for effect

8.1 Graphical representation of models

- We have two alternative explanations of the data.
- Simple model with one parameter (mean): "The feed type doesn't matter. The weight is just random around a common mean value".
- Complex model with six parameters (means): "The feed type is important. For each feed type we get a different mean value and the weights are random around these values."



8.2 Hypotheses and test statistic

• Is the complex model significantly better (i.e. is there any effect of the explanatory grouping variable)? We can write the corresponding hypotheses in two different ways

 $H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \cdots = \mu_g$ against $H_a:$ At least 2 of the population means are different

• Alternatively

 H_0 : All contrasts are equal to zero. H_a : At least one contrast is non-zero.

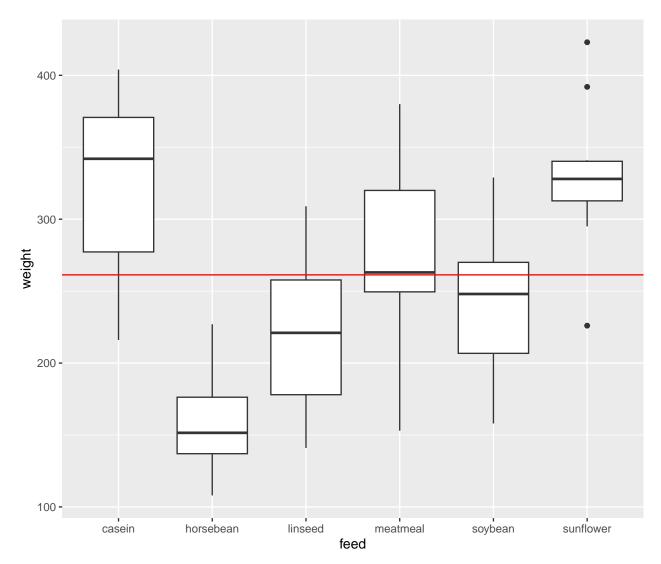
• We will (indirectly) use R^2 to do the test. If it is large, the complex model has good predictive power compared to the simple model. To judge significance we use

$$F_{obs} = \frac{(n-g)R^2}{(g-1)(1-R^2)} = \frac{(TSS-SSE)/(g-1)}{SSE/(n-g)}.$$

- Large values of \mathbb{R}^2 implies large values of \mathbb{F}_{obs} , which points to the alternative hypothesis.
- I.e. when we have calculated the observed value F_{obs} , then we have to find the probability that a new experiment would result in a larger value.
- TSS: error sum of squares if common mean. SSE: error sum of squares if different means.
- TSS-SSE: how much does error sum of squares increase if means are restricted to be equal.

8.3 Interpretation of F statistic - Variance between/within groups

- It can be shown that the numerator of F_{obs} is a measure of the variance between the groups, i.e. how much "boxes" vary around the total average (the red line).
- Likewise it can be shown the denominator of F_{obs} is a measure for the variance within groups, i.e. how "tall" the boxes in the boxplot are.



• The bigger deviations between the red line and the box means relative to the variation within boxes, the less we trust H_0 . This is measured by the F-test statistic, which can be stated as

$$F_{obs} = \frac{\text{variance between groups}}{\text{variance within groups}}$$

8.4 Example

```
import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
model = smf.ols('weight ~ feed', data=chickwts).fit() # same as earlier
model.summary(slim = True)
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
##
##
                                OLS Regression Results
## Dep. Variable:
                                   weight
                                            R-squared:
                                                                              0.542
## Model:
                                      OLS
                                            Adj. R-squared:
                                                                              0.506
## No. Observations:
                                       71
                                            F-statistic:
                                                                              15.36
                                            Prob (F-statistic):
## Covariance Type:
                                                                           5.94e-10
                               nonrobust
```

```
[0.025
##
                           coef
                                                            P>|t|
                                                                                    0.9751
                                    std err
## Intercept
                       323.5833
                                     15.834
                                                20.436
                                                             0.000
                                                                       291.961
                                                                                   355.206
## feed[T.horsebean] -163.3833
                                     23.485
                                                -6.957
                                                            0.000
                                                                      -210.287
                                                                                  -116.480
## feed[T.linseed]
                      -104.8333
                                     22.393
                                                -4.682
                                                            0.000
                                                                      -149.554
                                                                                   -60.112
## feed[T.meatmeal]
                       -46.6742
                                     22.896
                                                -2.039
                                                            0.046
                                                                       -92.400
                                                                                    -0.948
## feed[T.soybean]
                       -77.1548
                                     21.578
                                                -3.576
                                                            0.001
                                                                      -120.249
                                                                                    -34.061
## feed[T.sunflower]
                         5.3333
                                     22.393
                                                 0.238
                                                            0.812
                                                                       -39.388
                                                                                    50.054
##
## Notes:
```

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified. ## """

• The F-statistic gives us the value of $F_{obs} = 15.36$ and the corresponding p-value (5.9×10^{-10}) . Clearly there is a significant difference between the types of feed.

Two way analysis of variance

9.1 Additive effects

- The data set ToothGrowth is available on the webpage.
- The data describes the tooth length in guinea pigs where some receive vitamin C treatment and others are given orange juice in different dosage.

```
ToothGrowth = pd.read_csv("https://asta.math.aau.dk/datasets?file=ToothGrowth.txt", sep='\t')
ToothGrowth['dose'] = pd.Categorical(
    ToothGrowth['dose'].map({0.5: 'LO', 1: 'ME', 2: 'HI'}),
    categories=['LO', 'ME', 'HI'],
    ordered=True
ToothGrowth.head(3)
```

```
len supp dose
## O
       4.2
              VC
                   LO
## 1
     11.5
              VC
                   LO
## 2
              VC
       7.3
                   LO
```

- A total of 60 observations on 3 variables.
 - len The tooth length
 - supp The type of the supplement (OJ or VC)
 - dose The dosage (LO, ME, HI)
- We will study the response len with the predictors supp and dose.
- At first we look at the model with additive effects
 - len= μ + "effect of supp"+ "effect of dose" + error
- This is also called the main effects model since it does not contain interaction terms.
- The parameter μ corresponds to the Intercept and is the mean tooth length in the reference group (supp OJ, dose LO).
- The effect of supp is the difference in mean when changing from OJ to VC.
- The effect of dose is the difference in mean when changing from LO to either ME or HI.

Dummy coding 9.2

- Let us introduce dummy variables:
 - $-s_C=1$ if supp VC and zero otherwise.

- $-d_{M}=1$ if dose is ME and zero otherwise.
- $-d_H=1$ if dose is HI and zero otherwise.
- Then we state the model

length =
$$\mu + \beta_1 s_C + \beta_2 d_M + \beta_3 d_H + \text{error.}$$

- Interpretation:
 - $-\mu$ is the expected tooth length when supp is OJ and dose is LO $(s_C = d_M = d_H = 0)$).
 - $-\beta_1$ is the effect of supplement OJ to VC $(s_C=1)$.
 - $-\beta_2$ is the effect of increasing dosage from LO to ME $(d_M=1)$.
 - $-\beta_3$ is the effect of increasing dosage from LO to HI $(d_H=1)$.
- As a two-way table:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} &LO & ME & HI \\ OJ & \mu & \mu+\beta_2 & \mu+\beta_3 \\ VC & \mu+\beta_1 & \mu+\beta_1+\beta_2 & \mu+\beta_1+\beta_3 \end{array}$$

9.3 Main effect model in R

• The main effects model is fitted by

```
MainEff = smf.ols('len ~ supp + dose', data=ToothGrowth).fit()
MainEff.summary(slim = True)
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
##
##
                         OLS Regression Results
  ## Dep. Variable:
                                   R-squared:
                                                              0.762
                              len
## Model:
                              OLS
                                   Adj. R-squared:
                                                              0.750
## No. Observations:
                               60
                                   F-statistic:
                                                              59.88
## Covariance Type:
                         nonrobust
                                   Prob (F-statistic):
  ______
##
                                          P>|t|
                                                    [0.025
                coef
                       std err
## Intercept
              12.4550
                        0.988
                                12.603
                                          0.000
                                                    10.475
                                                              14.435
## supp[T.VC]
             -3.7000
                        0.988
                                 -3.744
                                          0.000
                                                    -5.680
                                                              -1.720
## dose[T.ME]
              9.1300
                        1.210
                                 7.543
                                          0.000
                                                    6.705
                                                             11.555
## dose[T.HI]
                                12.802
                                          0.000
              15.4950
                        1.210
                                                    13.070
                                                             17.920
##
```

• The model has 4 parameters.

Notes:

 \bullet The F test at the end compares with the (null) model with only one overall mean parameter.

9.4 Testing effect of supp

• Alternative model without effect of supp:

```
doseEff = smf.ols('len ~ dose', data=ToothGrowth).fit()
```

• We can compare R^2 to see if doseEff (Model 1) is sufficient to explain the data compared to MainEff

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

(Model 2). This is done by converting to F-statistic:

$$F_{obs} = \frac{(R_2^2 - R_1^2)/(df_1 - df_2)}{(1 - R_2^2)/df_2} = \frac{(SSE_1 - SSE_2)/(df_1 - df_2)}{(SSE_2)/df_2}.$$

- $SSE_1 SSE_2$: increase in error sum of square when using Model 1 instead of Model 2
- In R the calculations are done using anova:

```
from statsmodels.stats.anova import anova_lm
anova_lm(doseEff, MainEff)
```

```
##
      df_resid
                             df_diff
                                       ss_diff
                                                               Pr(>F)
                       ssr
## 0
           57.0
                 1025.775
                                 0.0
                                           NaN
                                                       NaN
                                                                  NaN
## 1
           56.0
                  820.425
                                 1.0
                                        205.35
                                                 14.016638
                                                             0.000429
```

• p-value is 0.0004 hence we reject that supp does not have an effect. Thus we prefer Model 2 (MainEff).

9.5 Testing effect of dose

• Alternative model without effect of dose:

```
suppEff = smf.ols('len ~ supp', data=ToothGrowth).fit()
anova_lm(suppEff, MainEff)
```

```
##
                                                                F
                                                                          Pr(>F)
      df_resid
                               df_diff
                                              ss_diff
## 0
          58.0
                 3246.859333
                                    0.0
                                                  NaN
                                                              NaN
                                                                             NaN
## 1
          56.0
                  820.425000
                                    2.0
                                         2426.434333
                                                       82.810935
                                                                   1.871163e-17
```

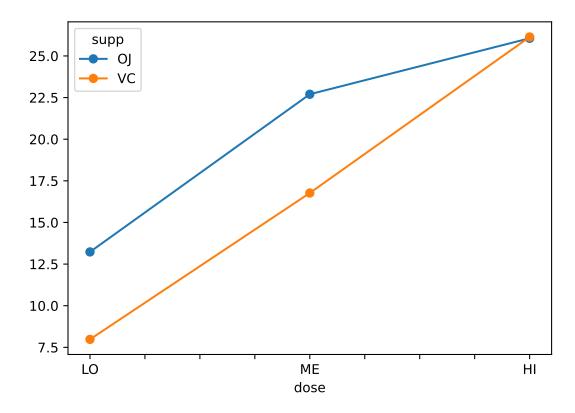
• p-value is ≈ 0 hence we reject that dose does not have an effect. Thus we prefer Model 2 (MainEff).

10 Interaction

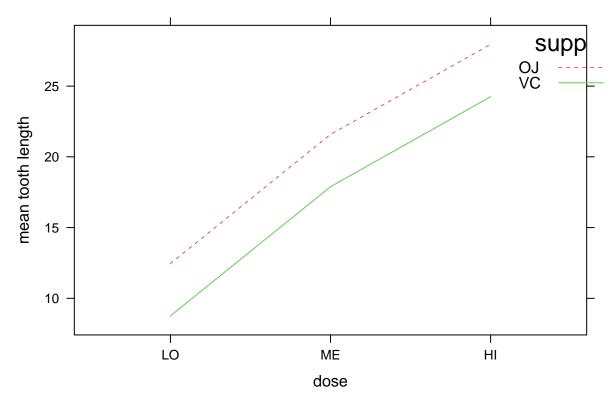
10.1 Example

- We will extend the model by introducing an interaction between supp and dose.
- Interaction plot:

```
means = ToothGrowth.groupby(['dose', 'supp'], observed=False)['len'].mean().unstack()
means.plot(marker='o')
```



- For each of the supplement types we plot the average tooth length as a function of dosage.
- If the main effects model is correct then the difference between supplements is the same for all levels of dosage, i.e. the curves should be parallel except for noise.
- This does not seem to be the case.
- This is how the plot *should* look *if* the main effects model (no interaction) is correct:



• Parallel lines mean that effect of supplement does not depend on dose!

10.2 Dummy coding

• The extended model can be formulated as

$$length = \mu + \beta_1 s_C + \beta_2 d_M + \beta_3 d_H + \beta_4 s_C d_M + \beta_5 s_C d_H + error$$

- Interpretation:
 - μ is the expected tooth length for supp OJ and dose LO ($s_C = d_M = d_H = 0$).
 - $-\beta_1$ is the effect of changing from supp OJ to VC, dose is LO $(s_C=1,d_M=d_H=0)$.
 - $-\beta_2$ is the effect of increasing dose from LO to ME, when supp is OJ $(s_C=0,d_M=1)$.
 - $-\beta_3$ is the effect of increasing dose from LO to HI, when supp is OJ $(s_C=0,d_H=1)$.
 - β_4 is an additional effect of both changing from supp OJ to VC and increasing dose from LO to ME $(s_C=1,d_M=1)$
 - β_5 is an additional effect of both changing from supp OJ to VC and increasing dose from LO to HI $(s_C=1,d_H=1)$
- As a two-way table:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} & LO & ME & HI \\ OJ & \mu & \mu + \beta_2 & \mu + \beta_3 \\ VC & \mu + \beta_1 & \mu + \beta_1 + \beta_2 + \beta_4 & \mu + \beta_1 + \beta_3 + \beta_5 \end{array}$$

- Further examples:
 - effect of changing from supp OJ to VC if dose is LO is $\mu + \beta_1 \mu = \beta_1$
 - effect of changing from supp OJ to VC if dose is ME is $\mu + \beta_1 + \beta_2 + \beta_4 \mu \beta_2 = \beta_1 + \beta_4$
 - effect of changing from supp OJ to VC if dose is HI is $\mu + \beta_1 + \beta_3 + \beta_5 \mu \beta_3 = \beta_1 + \beta_5$
 - if $\beta_4=0$ and $\beta_5=0$ the effect of changing from OJ to VC does not depend on dose

10.3 Example

• We fit the interaction model by changing plus to multiply in the model expression from before:

```
Interaction = smf.ols('len ~ supp*dose', data=ToothGrowth).fit()
```

- Now we can think of an experiment with 6 groups corresponding to each combination of the predictors.
- Is added interaction significant? we compare main effects model and more complex interaction model using anova:

anova_lm(MainEff, Interaction)

```
##
      df_resid
                           df_diff
                                     ss_diff
                                                      F
                                                           Pr(>F)
                     ssr
## 0
           56.0
                               0.0
                 820.425
                                         NaN
                                                    NaN
                                                              NaN
## 1
           54.0
                 712.106
                                2.0
                                     108.319
                                               4.106991
                                                          0.02186
```

• With a p-value of 2.186% there is a significant interaction supp:dose, i.e. the lack of parallel curves in the interaction plot is significant.

```
Interaction.summary(slim = True)
```

```
## <class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
## """
##
                          OLS Regression Results
## Dep. Variable:
                                    R-squared:
                                                                0.794
                               len
## Model:
                               OLS
                                    Adj. R-squared:
                                                                0.775
## No. Observations:
                                60
                                    F-statistic:
                                                                41.56
## Covariance Type:
                                    Prob (F-statistic):
                          nonrobust
                                                              2.50e-17
  ______
##
                                                     P>|t|
                                                               [0.025
                          coef
                                 std err
                                               t
                                                                        0.975]
##
                                                     0.000
## Intercept
                       13.2300
                                  1.148
                                           11.521
                                                              10.928
                                                                        15.532
## supp[T.VC]
                       -5.2500
                                  1.624
                                           -3.233
                                                     0.002
                                                              -8.506
                                                                         -1.994
## dose[T.ME]
                        9.4700
                                  1.624
                                            5.831
                                                     0.000
                                                               6.214
                                                                         12.726
## dose[T.HI]
                                  1.624
                                            7.900
                                                     0.000
                                                               9.574
                                                                         16.086
                       12.8300
## supp[T.VC]:dose[T.ME]
                       -0.6800
                                  2.297
                                           -0.296
                                                     0.768
                                                              -5.285
                                                                         3.925
## supp[T.VC]:dose[T.HI]
                        5.3300
                                  2.297
                                            2.321
                                                     0.024
                                                               0.725
                                                                         9.935
##
##
```

Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.
"""

• Note the negative effect of changing from OJ to VC when dose is low is cancelled by the positive interaction parameter (β_5 for suppVC:doseHI) meaning almost no difference between OJ and VC when dose is high (compare with interaction plot)

10.4 Hierarchical principle

- In presence of interaction effect it does not make sense to make tests for absence of main effects! Indeed each factor has an effect that just happens to vary depending on the other factor
- Hence start by investigating whether there is an interaction effect
- If yes: no further tests!
- If no: you may test main effects if relevant for your study