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Multivariate Normal Distribution

Let be

$$
\binom{\mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{x}} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\left[\begin{array}{l}
\mu_{y} \\
\mu_{x}
\end{array}\right],\left[\begin{array}{ll}
\Sigma_{y y} & \Sigma_{y x} \\
\Sigma_{x y} & \Sigma_{x x}
\end{array}\right]\right)
$$

Then

$$
\mathbf{y} \mid \mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{y}+\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1}\left(\mathbf{x}-\mu_{x}\right), \Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y}\right)
$$

## Proof:

Consider the matrix

$$
A=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
I & -\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \\
\mathbf{0} & I
\end{array}\right]
$$

and let be $\mu=\left[\begin{array}{l}\mu_{x} \\ \mu_{y}\end{array}\right]$ and $\Sigma=\left[\begin{array}{ll}\Sigma_{y y} & \Sigma_{y x} \\ \Sigma_{x y} & \Sigma_{x x}\end{array}\right]$

Thus, $A\binom{\mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{x}} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(A \mu, A \Sigma A^{T}\right)$. Now, let us compute this expressions

$$
\begin{gathered}
A\binom{\mathbf{y}}{\mathbf{x}}=\binom{\mathbf{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{x}} \equiv\binom{\mathbf{u}}{\mathbf{x}} \\
A \mu=\binom{\mu_{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mu_{x}}{\mu_{x}} \\
A \Sigma A^{T}=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
\Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y} & \Sigma_{y x}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x x} \\
\Sigma_{x y} & \Sigma_{x x}
\end{array}\right) A^{T} \\
=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
\Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y} & \mathbf{0} \\
\Sigma_{x y} & \Sigma_{x x}
\end{array}\right)\left(\begin{array}{cc}
I & \mathbf{0} \\
-\Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y} & I
\end{array}\right) \\
=\left(\begin{array}{cc}
\Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y} & \mathbf{0} \\
\mathbf{0} & \Sigma_{x x}
\end{array}\right)
\end{gathered}
$$

Because

$$
\binom{\mathbf{u}}{\mathbf{x}}
$$

is a (multivariate) normal variable and $\operatorname{Cov}(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{x})=0$, it implies that $\mathbf{u}$ and $\mathbf{x}$ are independent, and hence $\mathbf{u} \mid \mathbf{x}$ has the same distribution than $\mathbf{u}$, that is

$$
\mathbf{u} \mid \mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mu_{x}, \Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y}\right)
$$

That is,

$$
\mathbf{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mathbf{x} \mid \mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mu_{x}, \Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y}\right)
$$

And from here, we conclude

$$
\mathbf{y} \mid \mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_{y}+\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1}\left(\mathbf{x}-\mu_{x}\right), \Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y}\right)
$$

Define

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mu_{y \mid x} & =\mu_{y}+\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1}\left(\mathbf{x}-\mu_{x}\right) \\
& =\left[\mu_{y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \mu_{x}\right]+\left[\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1}\right] \mathbf{x} \\
& \equiv \beta_{0}+\beta_{1} \mathbf{x}
\end{aligned}
$$

and

$$
\Sigma_{y \mid x}=\Sigma_{y y}-\Sigma_{y x} \Sigma_{x x}^{-1} \Sigma_{x y}
$$

Remember that

$$
\Sigma_{y y}=\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{y}}\left[\left(\mathbf{y}-\mu_{y}\right)\left(\mathbf{y}-\mu_{y}\right)^{T}\right]^{2} \quad\left(\text { resp. } \Sigma_{x x}\right)
$$

and

$$
\Sigma_{y x}=\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x}}\left[\left(\mathbf{y}-\mu_{y}\right)\left(\mathbf{x}-\mu_{x}\right)^{T}\right] \quad\left(\text { similarly } \Sigma_{x y}=\Sigma_{y x}^{T}\right)
$$

Assume for now that $\mathbf{x} \equiv x \in \mathbb{R}$ and $\mathbf{y} \equiv y \in \mathbb{R}$, and that we count with a sample $\mathcal{D}_{n}=\left(\left(x_{1}, y_{1}\right), \ldots,\left(x_{n}, y_{n}\right)\right)$ from independent and identically distributed random variables with the same distribution than the generic vector $(x, y)$. Thus (intuitively) good estimators of the previous quantities would be given by

- $\widehat{\Sigma}_{y y} \equiv S_{y y}=\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\bar{y}\right)^{2}\left(\right.$ resp. $\left.S_{x x}\right)$
- $\widehat{\Sigma}_{y x} \equiv S_{y x}=\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\bar{y}\right)\left(x_{i}-\bar{x}\right)=S_{x y}$
- $\hat{\mu}_{y \mid x} \equiv \hat{y} \mid x=\hat{\beta}_{0}+\hat{\beta}_{1} x$ where

$$
\begin{gathered}
\hat{\beta}_{0}=\bar{y}-S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1} \bar{x} \\
\hat{\beta}_{1}=S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1}
\end{gathered}
$$

- $\widehat{\Sigma}_{y \mid x} \equiv \hat{\sigma}^{2}=S_{y y}-S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x y}$

Let be $\hat{y}_{i}=\hat{y}_{i} \mid x_{i}=\hat{\beta}_{0}+\hat{\beta}_{1} x_{i}, i=1, \ldots, n$, we define the Sum of Squared Estimate Errors (SSE) (Sima de Cuadrados del Error (SCE), in Spanish) also known as Sum of Squared Residuals (SSR) or Residual Sum of Squares (RSS)

## Definition 1 Sum of Squared Estimate Errors (SSE)

$$
E S S=\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\hat{y}_{i}\right)^{2}
$$

Remember that $\hat{y}_{i}=\bar{y}+S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1}\left(x_{i}-\bar{x}\right)$, thus applying simple algebra we get

$$
\begin{aligned}
S S E= & \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\hat{y}_{i}\right)^{2} \\
= & \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\bar{y}\right)^{2}+S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(x_{i}-\bar{x}\right)^{2}\right) S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x y} \\
& -2 \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left(y_{i}-\bar{y}\right) S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1}\left(x_{i}-\bar{x}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{n} S S E & =S_{y y}+S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x x} S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x y}-2 S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x y} \\
& =S_{y y}-S_{y x} S_{x x}^{-1} S_{x y}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Linear Regression

Mathematical modeling refers to the construction of mathematical expressions that describes the behavior of a variable of interest $Y$. Frequently we want to add to the model some variables (features) $X$, which give information about the variable of interest $Y$ denoted as response.

In regression analysis one considers $(X, Y)$ as random vector, where $X$ is $\mathbb{R}^{p}$-valued $\left(X \in \mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{p}\right)$ and $Y$ is $\mathbb{R}$-valued $(Y \in$ $\mathcal{Y} \subset \mathbb{R})$. We are interested on how the variable $Y$ depends on the value of the observation vector $X$. This means that we want to find a function $f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$, such that $f(X)$ is a good approximation of $Y$, that is, $f(X)$ should be close to $Y$ in some sense, which is equivalent to making $|f(X)-Y|$ "small". Since $X$ and $Y$ are random vectors, $|f(X)-Y|$ is random as well, therefore it is not clear what "small $|f(X)-Y|$ " means.

We can resolve this problem by introducing the so-called $L_{2}$ risk or mean squared error of $f$,

$$
\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-Y]^{2},
$$

and requiring it to be as small as possible. So we are interested in a (measurable) function $m: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ such that

$$
m=\underset{f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-Y]^{2}
$$

Such function that minimizes the mean squared error is given by the regression function

$$
m(X)=\mathbb{E}[Y \mid X]
$$

## Proof:

For any arbitrary function $f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-Y]^{2} & =\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-m(X)+m(X)-Y]^{2} \\
& =\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-m(X)]^{2}+\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[m(X)-Y]^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

where we have used

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[(f(X)-m(X))(m(X)-Y)] \\
& =\mathbb{E}_{X}\left\{\mathbb{E}_{Y \mid X}[(f(X)-m(X))(m(X)-Y)]\right\} \\
& =\mathbb{E}_{X}\left\{(f(X)-m(X)) \mathbb{E}_{Y \mid X}[(m(X)-Y)]\right\} \\
& =\mathbb{E}_{X}\{(f(X)-m(X))(m(X)-m(X))\} \\
& =0
\end{aligned}
$$

Thus,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \arg \min \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y} \\
& =\underset{f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-Y]^{2} \\
& =\underset{f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{X}[f(X)-m(X)]^{2}+\mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[m(X)-Y]^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

Note that $\mathbb{E}_{X}[f(X)-m(X)]^{2}$, called the $L_{2}$ error of $f$ is nonnegative and is zero if $f(X)=m(X)$. Therefore

$$
m=\underset{f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{X, Y}[f(X)-Y]^{2}
$$

For practical problems, the distribution of $(X, Y)$ is unknown and hence, the regression function is unknown as well. However, in our framework, we have access to a training set $\mathcal{D}_{n}=$ $\left(X_{i}, Y_{i}\right)_{i=1, \ldots, n}$ where the collected data has the same distribution than $(X, Y)$ and are considered independent. The goal is to use the data $\mathcal{D}_{n}$ to construct a learning model, also called learner or predictor, $m_{n}: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ which estimates the function $m$, and enables us to predict the outcome for new unseen objects.

Thus, instead of minimizing the $L_{2}$ risk we minimize the empirical $L_{2}$ risk

$$
\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{n}}[f(X)-Y]^{2}=\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left[f\left(X_{i}\right)-Y_{i}\right]^{2}
$$

Note that minimizing the above expression over all the functions $f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ is not well-define, since every function which takes the value $Y_{i}$ for every $X_{i}$ would have zero empirical risk.


[^0]We can resolve this problem restricting the search of the function that minimizes the empirical risk into a pre-defined set of functions $\mathcal{F}$. Moreover, the parametric estimation uses a model belonging to a set of functions $\mathcal{F}_{\Theta}$ determined by a finite number of parameters $\Theta$, then the estimation is made through the inference of this set of parameters that minimize the empirical risk,

$$
m_{n}=m_{n}(\cdot, \hat{\theta})=\underset{f_{\theta} \in \mathcal{F}_{\Theta}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{n}}\left[f_{\theta}(X)-Y\right]^{2}
$$

where

$$
\hat{\theta}=\underset{\theta \in \Theta}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{n}}\left[f_{\theta}(X)-Y\right]^{2}
$$

For example let be $\mathcal{F}_{\Theta}=\left\{f: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}: f(X)=X^{T} \beta, \beta \in \mathbb{R}^{p}\right\}$ $\left(\Theta=\left\{\beta: \beta \in \mathbb{R}^{p}\right\}\right)$,

$$
m_{n}(X)=X^{T} \hat{\beta}=\underset{f_{\theta} \in \mathcal{F}_{\Theta}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{n}}\left[f_{\theta}(X)-Y\right]^{2}
$$

where

$$
\begin{aligned}
\hat{\beta} & =\underset{\beta \in \mathbb{R}^{p}}{\arg \min } \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{n}}\left[X^{T} \beta-Y\right]^{2} \\
& =\underset{\beta \in \mathbb{R}^{p}}{\arg \min } \sum_{i=1}^{n}\left[X_{i}^{T} \beta-Y_{i}\right]^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

This is known as Ordinary Leas Squares (OLS).

Let be $\mathbf{X}=\left[\begin{array}{c}X_{1}^{T} \\ \vdots \\ X_{n}^{T}\end{array}\right]$ and $\mathbf{Y}=\left[\begin{array}{c}Y_{1} \\ \vdots \\ Y_{n}\end{array}\right], \mathbf{X}$ is known as the design matrix while $\mathbf{Y}$ is known as the response vector. Then

$$
\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left[X_{i}^{T} \beta-Y_{i}\right]^{2}
$$

can be written as

$$
\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=1}^{n}\left[X_{i}^{T} \beta-Y_{i}\right]^{2} & =[\mathbf{X} \beta-\mathbf{Y}]^{T}[\mathbf{X} \beta-\mathbf{Y}] \\
& =\left[\beta^{T} \mathbf{X}^{T}-\mathbf{Y}^{T}\right][\mathbf{X} \beta-\mathbf{Y}] \\
& =\beta^{T} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X} \beta-2 \beta^{T} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}+\mathbf{Y}^{T} \mathbf{Y}
\end{aligned}
$$

$\hat{\beta}$ can be obtained from the right-hand side of the above expression.
$\hat{\beta}$ satisfies

$$
\left.\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta}\left(\beta^{T} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X} \beta-2 \beta^{T} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}+\mathbf{Y}^{T} \mathbf{Y}\right)\right|_{\hat{\beta}}=0
$$

That is,

$$
\begin{align*}
2 \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}-2 \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y} & =0 \\
\Leftrightarrow \mathbf{X}^{T}(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}) & =0 \tag{1}
\end{align*}
$$

Equation (1) is known as the normal equations. It is easy to see that $\hat{\beta}=\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X Y}$.

Hence, under this model, the best prediction $\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$ for the vector of response $\mathbf{Y}$ is given by

$$
\begin{aligned}
\widehat{\mathbf{Y}} & =\left[\begin{array}{c}
\widehat{Y}_{1} \\
\vdots \\
\widehat{\widehat{Y}}_{n}
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{c}
X_{1}^{T} \\
\vdots \\
X_{n}^{T}
\end{array}\right] \hat{\beta} \\
& =\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}
\end{aligned}
$$

Let be $\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T}$, so $\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}=\mathbf{P Y}$.
We will see that $\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$ is the orthogonal projection of $\mathbf{Y}$ over the span of the the columns of $\mathbf{X}$ (What does this mean?).

Projections

Let $\mathbf{X}=\left[\mathbf{X}^{(1)}, \ldots, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}\right]$ be an $n \times p$ matrix, let $W=\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{X})$, and let $\mathbf{Y}$ be a vector in $\mathbb{R}^{n}$.
Let $\mathbf{Y}=\mathbf{Y}_{W}+\mathbf{Y}_{W^{\perp}}$ be the orthogonal decomposition with respect to $W$. By definition $\mathbf{Y}_{W}$ lies in $W=\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{X})$ so there is a vector $\hat{\beta} \in \mathbb{R}^{p}$ with $\mathbf{Y}_{W}=\mathbf{X} \beta$, that is

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{Y}_{W} & =\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta} \\
& =\left[\mathbf{X}^{(1)}, \ldots, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}\right]\left[\begin{array}{c}
\hat{\beta_{1}} \\
\vdots \\
\hat{\beta}_{p}
\end{array}\right] \\
& =\hat{\beta_{1}} \mathbf{X}^{(1)}+\cdots+\hat{\beta}_{p} \mathbf{X}^{(p)}
\end{aligned}
$$

Choose any such vector $\hat{\beta}$. We know that $\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{Y}_{W}=\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}$ lies in $W^{\perp}$, which is equal to $\operatorname{Null}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T}\right)$. We thus have

$$
0=\mathbf{X}^{T}(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta})=\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}
$$

and so

$$
\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}=\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}
$$

Hence,

$$
\hat{\beta}=\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}
$$

Remember that $\mathbf{Y}_{W}=\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}$, so it can be written as

$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{Y}_{W} & =\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y} \\
& =\mathbf{P Y}
\end{aligned}
$$

where $\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T}$.
Thus, $\mathbf{P}$ is a projection matrix over the columns of $\mathbf{X}$. Actually is the orthogonal projection onto $\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{X})$.

## Properties of a Projection Matrix

- If $\mathbf{P}$ is a projection matrix in a space $W$, then $\mathbf{P}^{2}=\mathbf{P}$. Remember that a vector that has been projected onto $W$ belongs to that space, thus projecting again over $W$ would led the same result.
- If $\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{P}^{T}$, then $\mathbf{P}$ is the creates orthogonal projections onto $W$.

Suppose that $\mathbf{P}$ satisfies both conditions, and consider its SVD decomposition, so

$$
\mathbf{P}=U S V^{T}
$$

where $U$ and $V$ are orthogonal matrices. (An orthogonal matrix satisfies: $Q^{T} Q=Q Q^{T}=I$ ).

Actually, $U$ and $V$ are rotation or reflection matrices. So, we might think as if the projection is "computed" by $S$.
Because $\mathbf{P}^{2}=\mathbf{P}$,

$$
U S V^{T} U S V^{T}=U S V^{T}
$$

which implies $S V^{T} U S=S$.
Using the fact that $\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{P}^{T}$, we get that $U S V^{T}=V S U^{T}$. So $U=V$.
Therefore, it is satisfied

$$
U S^{2} U^{T}=U S U^{T}
$$

Since

$$
S=\left[\begin{array}{lll}
\lambda_{1} & & \\
& \ddots & \\
& & \lambda_{p}
\end{array}\right]
$$

Then $\lambda_{i} \in\{0,1\}$

Those places where $\lambda_{i}=1$ represent the coordinates (in the rotated space) where the projection is perform, the basis of $W$. On the other hand, the places where $\lambda_{i}=0$ would lead to a basis for $W^{\perp}$.

## Example 1

Consider the matrix

$$
\mathbf{P}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / 2 & -1 / 2 \\
-1 / 2 & 1 / 2
\end{array}\right]
$$

which can be written as

$$
\mathbf{P}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{ll}
1 & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & -1 / \sqrt{2} \\
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]
$$

$\mathbf{P}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\ -1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{ll}1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}1 / \sqrt{2} & -1 / \sqrt{2} \\ 1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}\end{array}\right]$


$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P} & =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{ll}
1 & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & -1 / \sqrt{2} \\
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right] \\
& =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & -1 / \sqrt{2} \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]
\end{aligned}
$$



$$
\mathbf{P}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / \sqrt{2} & -1 / \sqrt{2} \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / 2 & -1 / 2 \\
-1 / 2 & 1 / 2
\end{array}\right]
$$



$$
\mathbf{P}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / 2 & -1 / 2 \\
-1 / 2 & 1 / 2
\end{array}\right]
$$



## Example 2

Let $\mathbf{X}=\left[\mathbf{X}^{(1)}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{c}2 \\ -2\end{array}\right]$
It can be shown that

$$
\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 / 2 & -1 / 2 \\
-1 / 2 & 1 / 2
\end{array}\right]
$$

so $\mathbf{P}$ is the orthogonal projection onto $\operatorname{Span}\left(\mathbf{X}^{(1)}\right)$
Now, consider the matrix

$$
\mathbf{P}^{\prime}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 & 0 \\
-1 & 0
\end{array}\right]
$$

note that $\mathbf{P}^{\prime 2}=\mathbf{P}^{\prime}$, hence $\mathbf{P}^{\prime}$ is a projection matrix.

$$
\mathbf{P}^{\prime}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 & 0 \\
-1 & 0
\end{array}\right]
$$


$\mathbf{P}^{\prime}$ is an oblique projection onto $\operatorname{Span}\left(\mathbf{X}^{(1)}\right)$.
The SVD decomposition of $\mathbf{P}^{\prime}$ is
$\mathbf{P}^{\prime}=\underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{cc}-1 / 2 & 1 / 2 \\ 1 / 2 & 1 / 2\end{array}\right]}_{U^{\prime}} \underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{cc}\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0\end{array}\right]}_{S^{\prime}} \underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{cc}-1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0\end{array}\right]}_{V^{\prime} T}$

$$
\mathbf{P}^{\prime}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 / 2 & 1 / 2 \\
1 / 2 & 1 / 2
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]
$$



$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}^{\prime} & =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right] \\
& =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]
\end{aligned}
$$



$$
\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}^{\prime} & =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2} \\
1 / \sqrt{2} & 1 / \sqrt{2}
\end{array}\right]\left[\begin{array}{cc}
-\sqrt{2} & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right]
\end{aligned} \begin{aligned}
& \text { Let be } \mathbf{Z}=\left[\begin{array}{l}
1 \\
0
\end{array}\right] \text { and } \\
& \\
& =\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 & 0 \\
-1 & 0
\end{array}\right] \\
& \\
&
\end{aligned} \begin{aligned}
& \mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{Z}}=\mathbf{Z}\left(\mathbf{Z}^{T} \mathbf{Z}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{Z}^{T}=\left[\begin{array}{ll}
1 & 0 \\
0 & 0
\end{array}\right] \\
& \\
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { Moreover, let } \mathbf{B}=\mathbf{P}_{\mathbf{Z}} \mathbf{X} \\
\text { be the orthogonal projec- } \\
\text { tion onto } \operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{Z}),
\end{array} \\
& \mathbf{B}=\left[\begin{array}{l}
2 \\
0
\end{array}\right]
\end{aligned}
$$

Simple calculations show $\mathbf{P}^{\prime}=\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{B}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{B}^{T}$.
Define $\mathbf{Y}_{\mathrm{IV}}=\left(\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{B}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{B}^{T}\right) \mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{Y}_{\mathrm{IV}}$ is an oblique projection over $\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{X})$.
This method is called Two-Stage Least Squares (2SLS).
In the first stage we get the orthogonal projection of $\mathbf{X}$ onto
$\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{Z})$, where $\mathbf{Z}$ is called instrumental variables.

## Linear Regression (2)

Consider the model

$$
Y_{i}=X_{i}^{T} \beta+\varepsilon_{i}, i=1, \ldots, n
$$

where $\mathbb{E}\left[\varepsilon_{i} \mid X_{i}\right]=0, \quad \forall i=1, \ldots, n$.
So $\mathbb{E}\left[Y_{i} \mid X_{i}\right]=X_{i}^{T} \beta$, and that $\varepsilon_{i}=Y_{i}-X_{i}^{T} \beta . \varepsilon_{i}, i=1, \ldots, n$ are called the errors of the model.

Denote by $\varepsilon$ the vector with these errors,

$$
\varepsilon=\left[\begin{array}{c}
\varepsilon_{1} \\
\vdots \\
\varepsilon_{n}
\end{array}\right]
$$

Consider $\hat{\beta}=\mathbf{P Y}$, where $\mathbf{P}=\mathbf{X}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T}$
Let be $\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}=\mathbf{X} \hat{\beta}\left(\widehat{Y}_{i}=X_{i}^{T} \hat{\beta}\right)$. Then $Y_{i}-\widehat{Y}_{i}, i=1 \ldots, n$, called the residuals of the model, estimate the errors $\varepsilon_{i}, i=1, \ldots, n$ and $\mathbf{Y}-\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$ estimates $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$.

Denote by $\mathbf{e}=\mathbf{Y}-\widehat{\mathbf{Y}}$ the vector of residuals, note that $\mathbf{e}=(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P}) \mathbf{Y}$.

Moreover, it is easy to show that $\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P}$ is the projection matrix onto $\operatorname{Col}(\mathbf{X})^{\perp}$, hence $\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{e}=\mathbf{0}$

Writing $\mathbf{X}=\left[\mathbf{X}^{(1)}, \ldots, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}\right]$,

$$
\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{e}=\left[\begin{array}{c}
\mathbf{X}^{(1) T} \mathbf{e} \\
\vdots \\
\mathbf{X}^{(p) T} \mathbf{e}
\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{c}
\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{(1)} e_{i} \\
\vdots \\
\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{(p)} e_{i}
\end{array}\right]
$$

We can conclude that $\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_{i}^{(h)} e_{i}=0$, for all $h \in\{1, \ldots, p\}$.
For example, if

$$
\mathbf{X}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
1 & x_{1} \\
\vdots & \vdots \\
1 & x_{n}
\end{array}\right]
$$

We have proved that $\sum_{i=1}^{n} e_{i}=0$ and $\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} e_{i}=0$

## Distributional Properties

Let be $y \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mu, \sigma^{2} \mathbf{I}\right)$, then

1. $A y \perp B y \Longleftrightarrow A B^{T}=0$.
2. $A y \perp y^{T} C y \Longleftrightarrow A C=0$, where $C$ is non-negative definite.
3. $y^{T} C y \perp y^{T} D y \Longleftrightarrow C D=0$, where $C$ and $D$ are non-negative definite.

Let be $y \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \Sigma)$, then $y^{T} A y \sim \chi_{k, \lambda}^{2}$ if and only if $A \Sigma$ is symmetric and idempotent of range $k$, where $\lambda=\frac{1}{2} \mu^{T} A \mu$.

Assume $\mathbf{Y} \mid \mathbf{X} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{X} \beta, \sigma^{2} \mathbf{I}\right)$, which is equivalent to the assumption $\varepsilon_{i} \mid X_{i} \stackrel{i i d}{\sim} \mathcal{N}\left(0, \sigma^{2}\right)$.
Consider the least squares estimate $\hat{\beta}=\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}$, then

$$
\hat{\beta} \mid \mathbf{X} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\beta, \sigma^{2}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1}\right)
$$

Remember that $S S E=(\mathbf{Y}-\widehat{\mathbf{Y}})^{T}(\mathbf{Y}-\widehat{\mathbf{Y}})=$ $(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{P Y})^{T}(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{P Y})=\mathbf{Y}^{T}(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P}) \mathbf{Y}$, then

$$
\frac{S S E}{\sigma^{2}}=\mathbf{Y}^{T} \frac{\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P}}{\sigma^{2}} \mathbf{Y}
$$

and

$$
\left.\frac{S S E}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim \chi_{n-p}^{2}
$$

Denote by $\hat{\sigma}^{2}$ the unbiased estimate of $\sigma, \hat{\sigma}^{2}=\frac{S S E}{n-p}$, then

$$
\hat{\beta} \perp \hat{\sigma}^{2} \mid \mathbf{X}
$$

To see this, remember that $\hat{\beta}=\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{Y}$ and $\hat{\sigma}^{2}=\frac{1}{n-p} \mathbf{Y}^{T}(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P}) \mathbf{Y}$. Hence $\hat{\beta}$ and $\hat{\sigma}^{2}$ are independent if and only if

$$
\frac{1}{n-p}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{X}^{T}(\mathbf{I}-\mathbf{P})=\mathbf{0}
$$

As a consequence of the previous results, we have that

$$
\left.\frac{(n-p) \hat{\sigma}^{2}}{\sigma^{2}} \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim \chi_{n-p}^{2}
$$

$$
\left.\frac{a^{T} \hat{\beta}-a^{T} \beta}{\sqrt{\sigma^{2} a^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} a}} \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim \mathcal{N}_{1}(0,1), \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}^{p}, a \neq 0
$$

$$
\left.\frac{a^{T} \hat{\beta}-a^{T} \beta}{\sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2} a^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} a}} \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim t_{n-p}, \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}^{p}, a \neq 0
$$

$$
\begin{gathered}
\left.(\hat{\beta}-\beta)^{T} \frac{\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}}{\sigma^{2}}(\hat{\beta}-\beta) \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim \chi_{p}^{2} \\
\left.(\hat{\beta}-\beta)^{T} \frac{\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}}{p \hat{\sigma}^{2}}(\hat{\beta}-\beta) \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim F_{n-p}^{p}
\end{gathered}
$$

- Let be $\mathbf{K}$ a $q \times p$ matrix of range $q$,

$$
\left.(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{K} \beta)^{T} \frac{\left[\mathbf{K}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{T}\right]^{-1}}{q \hat{\sigma}^{2}}(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{K} \beta) \right\rvert\, \mathbf{X} \sim F_{n-p}^{q}
$$

## Confidence Intervals

- $\mathrm{A}(1-\alpha) \times 100 \%$ confidence interval for $a^{T} \beta$ is given by

$$
a^{T} \hat{\beta} \pm t_{n-p, \alpha / 2} \sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2} a^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} a}
$$

- $\mathrm{A}(1-\alpha) \times 100 \%$ confidence interval for $\beta_{j}$ is given by

$$
\hat{\beta}_{j} \pm t_{n-p, \alpha / 2} \sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)_{j, j}^{-1}}
$$

where $\beta=\left[\beta_{1}, \ldots, \beta_{p}\right]^{T}$

## Confidence Regions

- $\mathrm{A}(1-\alpha) \times 100 \%$ confidence region for $\beta$ is given by

$$
\left\{\beta:(\hat{\beta}-\beta)^{T} \frac{\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}}{p \hat{\sigma}^{2}}(\hat{\beta}-\beta) \leq F_{n-p, 1-\alpha}^{p}\right\}
$$

- Scheffé Intervals. A $(1-\alpha) \times 100 \%$ confidence region for $\mathbf{K} \beta$ is given by

$$
\left\{\beta:(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{K} \beta)^{T} \frac{\left[\mathbf{K}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{T}\right]^{-1}}{q \hat{\sigma}^{2}}(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{K} \beta) \leq F_{n-p, 1-\alpha}^{q}\right\}
$$

where $\mathbf{K}$ is a $q \times p$ matrix of range $q$.

## Prediction Interval

Remember that $Y=X^{T} \beta+\varepsilon$,

$$
Y \mid X \sim \mathcal{N}\left(X^{T} \beta, \sigma^{2}\right)
$$

and $\widehat{Y}=X^{T} \hat{\beta}$,

$$
\widehat{Y} \mid(X, \mathbf{X}) \sim \mathcal{N}\left(X^{T} \beta, \sigma^{2} X^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} X\right)
$$

Because $Y \perp \hat{Y} \mid \mathbf{X}$, then

$$
Y-\widehat{Y} \mid(X, \mathbf{X}) \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \sigma^{2}\left(1+X^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} X\right)\right)
$$

Therefore,

$$
\left.\frac{Y-\hat{Y}}{\sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2}\left(1+X^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} X\right)}} \right\rvert\,(X, \mathbf{X}) \sim t_{n-p}
$$

- $\mathrm{A}(1-\alpha) \times 100 \%$ prediction interval for $Y$ is given by

$$
X^{T} \hat{\beta} \pm t_{n-p, \alpha / 2} \sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2}\left(1+X^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} X\right)}
$$

## Hypothesis Test

- Reject $H: \beta_{j}=m$ if

$$
\frac{\left|\hat{\beta}_{j}-m\right|}{\sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)_{j, j}^{-1}}}>t_{n-p, 1-\alpha / 2}
$$

- Reject $H: a^{T} \beta_{j}=m$ if

$$
\frac{\left|a^{T} \hat{\beta}-m\right|}{\sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^{2} a^{T}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} a}}>t_{n-p, 1-\alpha / 2}
$$

- Reject $H: \mathbf{K} \beta=\mathbf{m}$ if

$$
(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{m})^{T} \frac{\left[\mathbf{K}\left(\mathbf{X}^{T} \mathbf{X}\right)^{-1} \mathbf{K}^{T}\right]^{-1}}{q \hat{\sigma}^{2}}(\mathbf{K} \hat{\beta}-\mathbf{m})>F_{n-p, 1-\alpha}^{q}
$$


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ picture taken from Wikipedia:
    https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Regularization_(mathematics)

