

Mathematics 231

Lecture 29
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Announcements

- Reading
 - Today M&M 10.2 579-583
 - Next class M&M 10.1 559-576

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ANOVA vs Linear Regression

- The ANOVA is analogous to running a linear regression model with indicator functions for the group categories.
- An **indicator function** is a function that equals 1 if a certain condition is true, and 0 otherwise.
- For example, if measurement i came from group 1, then we could denote this by $I_i(\text{group } 1)=1$.

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ANOVA vs Linear Regression

- If we have K groups, we can describe those with $K-1$ indicator functions.

Let us denote the rating measurement for subject i by y_i . Then a regression model could be specified relating y_i to the ad from which measurement i came.

$$\hat{y}_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 I_i(\text{Affirm}) + \beta_2 I_i(\text{Control})$$

$$\text{For Affirming ad: } \hat{y}_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1$$

$$\text{For Control ad: } \hat{y}_i = \beta_0 + \beta_2$$

$$\text{For Undermining ad: } \hat{y}_i = \beta_0$$

Thus, each ad has its own expression for the average rating.

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ANOVA vs. Linear Regression

- This model is an example of a multiple regression model.
- **Multiple regression** is a regression model that has a single outcome that is predicted by more than one predictor.
- In this case, we have two predictors – both indicators of specific groups.
- We'll cover how to do this in Stata later, but it's the same procedure you used before.

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Example: Ad Ratings

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. regress rating adA adC
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Source	SS	df	MS			
Model	18.828255	2	9.4141275	Number of obs =	127	
Residual	76.3843434	124	.61600277	F(2, 124) =	15.28	
Total	95.2125984	126	.75565543	Prob > F =	0.0000	
				R-squared =	0.1977	
				Adj R-squared =	0.1848	
				Root MSE =	.78486	

rating	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
adA	.5464646	.1682594	3.25	0.001	.2134321	.8794972
adC	.9075758	.1682594	5.39	0.000	.5745432	1.240608
_cons	4.509091	.1058303	42.61	0.000	4.299623	4.718559

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Example: Ad Ratings

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. oneway rating group
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Analysis of Variance					
Source	SS	df	MS	F	Prob > F
Between groups	18.828255	2	9.4141275	15.28	0.0000
Within groups	76.3843434	124	.61600277		
Total	95.2125984	126	.75565543		

Bartlett's test for equal variances: chi2(2) = 2.6669 Prob>chi2 = 0.264

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ANOVA vs Linear Regression

- Note that the ANOVA table and the regression output are identical.
- ANOVA is simply a linear regression with categorical predictors.
- What we called “within groups MS” is the MSE (mean square error, or mean square residual) in the regression model.
- What we called “between groups MS” in the mean square model in the regression model.

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