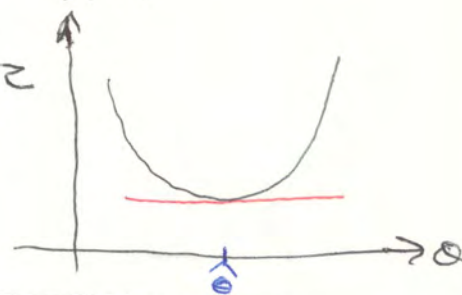


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Least squares estimation: Estimate θ with the value that minimizes $Q(\theta)$

$$Q(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - E_{\theta}(X_i))^2$$



Ex $X_1, \dots, X_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} \text{Exp}(\lambda)$ so $E(X_i) = \frac{1}{\lambda}$

$$Q(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \frac{1}{\lambda})^2$$

$$\frac{dQ}{d\lambda} = \frac{d}{d\lambda} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \lambda^{-1})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d}{d\lambda} (X_i - \lambda^{-1})^2$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(X_i - \lambda^{-1})(-1)(-\lambda^{-2}) = \frac{2}{\lambda^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \lambda^{-1})$$

$$= \frac{2}{\lambda^2} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n X_i - \frac{n}{\lambda} \right] \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n X_i = \frac{n}{\lambda}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i} = \frac{1}{\bar{X}_n} \quad \text{Second derivative test}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2Q}{d\lambda^2} &= \frac{d}{d\lambda} 2 \left(\lambda^{-2} \sum X_i - n \lambda^{-3} \right) = 2 \left(\sum X_i (-2) \lambda^{-3} - n (-3) \lambda^{-4} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(-2 \frac{\sum X_i}{\lambda^3} + \frac{3n}{\lambda^4} \right) \quad \text{at } \lambda = \frac{1}{\bar{X}} \end{aligned}$$

$$2\left(\frac{3n}{\lambda^4} - 2\frac{\sum X_i}{\lambda^3}\right) = 2(3n\bar{x}^4 - 2n\bar{x}^4) \quad (8)$$

$$= 2n\bar{x}^4 > 0 \quad \text{convex} \quad \cup \quad \text{MIN}$$

$$\hat{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\bar{X}_n} = \text{MOM}$$

In general Let $E_{\theta}(X_i) = g(\theta)$

Minimize

$$Q(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - g(\theta))^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + n(\bar{X} - g(\theta))^2$$

Pos, SMALL AS POSSIBLE if $g(\theta) = \bar{X}$

$$\hat{\theta} = g^{-1}(\bar{X}) = \text{MOM}$$

So why Bother.?

$E(X_i)$ might be different

Ex $Y_i = \beta x_i + E_i$

E_1, \dots, E_n ind? ($\mu=0, \sigma^2$)

x_1, \dots, x_n Fixed, known constants

$\Theta = (\beta, \sigma^2)$

For ex $x_i =$ drug dose

$Y_i =$ Response to drug

Estimate β by least squares

$$E(Y_i) = E(\beta x_i + E_i) = E(\beta x_i) + E(E_i) = \beta x_i + 0 = \beta x_i$$

$$Q(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - E_{\beta}(Y_i))^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta x_i)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dQ}{d\beta} &= \frac{d}{d\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta x_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d}{d\beta} (Y_i - \beta x_i)^2 \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(Y_i - \beta x_i)(-1)x_i = -2 \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i Y_i - \beta x_i^2) \\ &= -2 \left[\sum_{i=1}^n x_i Y_i - \beta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \right] \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i = \beta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \Rightarrow \beta = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

is it a min

$$\frac{d^2 Q}{d\beta^2} = \frac{d}{d\beta} \left(-2 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - \beta \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \right) \right)$$

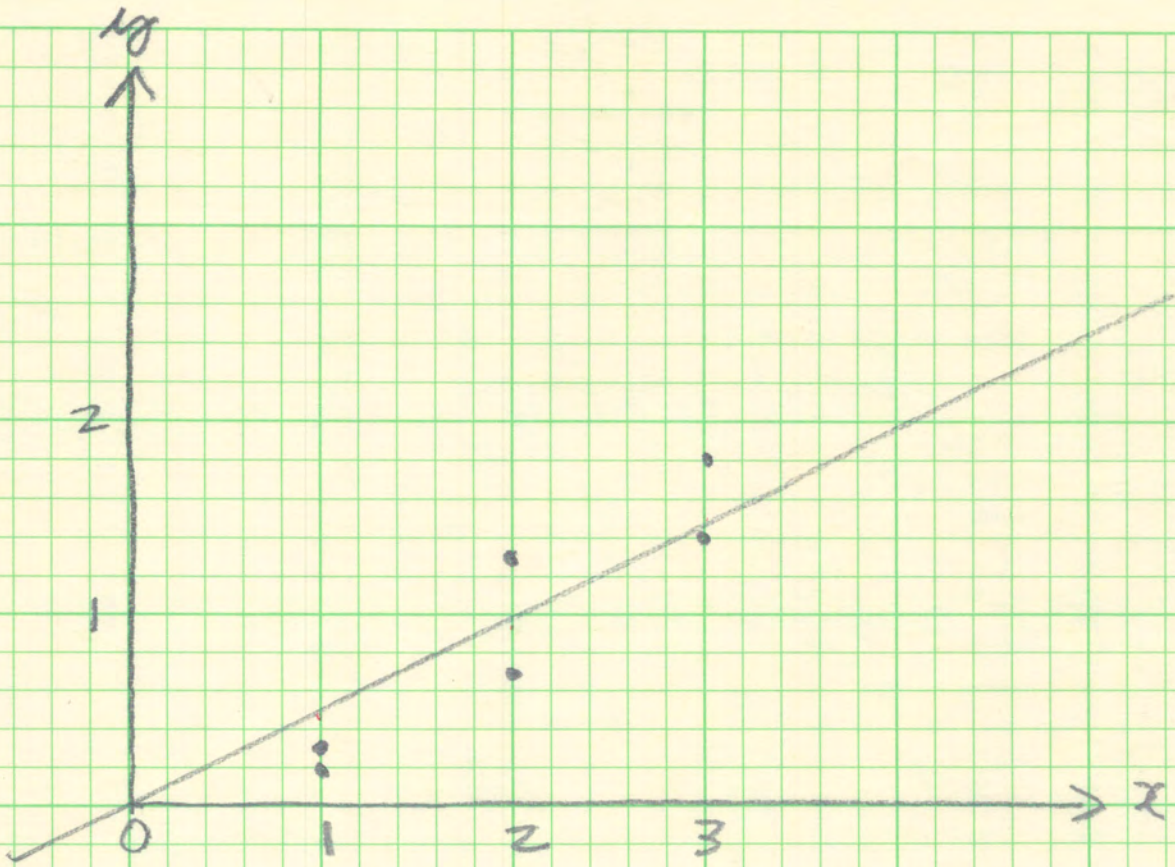
$$= -2 \left(- \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \right) = 2 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 > 0$$

convex MIN

$$So \hat{\beta} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

| x | y | xy | x ² |
|----|-----|--------------------|----------------|
| 1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1 |
| 1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1 |
| 2 | 1.3 | 2.6 | 4 |
| 2 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 4 |
| 3 | 1.4 | 2.8 4.2 | 9 |
| 3 | 1.6 | 3.2 4.8 | 9 |
| 12 | 5.5 | 13.5 | 28 |

$$\hat{\beta} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} = \frac{13.5}{28} = 0.482$$



$$\text{IS } \hat{\beta}_n = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \quad \text{UNBIASED?}$$

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$$E(y_i) = \beta x_i$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}) = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i\right) = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \sum_{i=1}^n E(x_i y_i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i E(y_i) = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \beta x_i$$

$$= \beta \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 = \beta \quad \underline{\text{unbiased}}$$

Consistent? Note x_1, x_2, \dots is a sequence of fixed constants.

Suppose $\frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

Variance rule \Rightarrow Need $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} E(\hat{\beta}_n) = \beta$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_n) = 0$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}\right)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \text{Var}\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}\right)$$

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$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right)^2} \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i\right)$$

Note $y_i = \beta_0 x_i + E_i$
 E_i are independent

$$\stackrel{\text{ind}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right)^2} \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(x_i y_i)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right)^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \text{Var}(y_i)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right)^2} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \sigma^2$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sigma^2 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right)^2} = \sigma^2 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

= 0 ~~consistent by~~

$\hat{\beta}_n$ is consistent by variance rule

□

Extend the model: $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i$

$\epsilon_1, \dots, \epsilon_n \stackrel{iid}{\sim} (\mu=0, \sigma^2)$

x_1, \dots, x_n fixed observable constants

$$E(Y_i) = E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + E(\epsilon_i)$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i$$

$$Var(Y_i) = Var(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \epsilon_i) = Var(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2$$

Want Least-squares estimates of

β_0, β_1

$$Q(\beta_0, \beta_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial \beta_0} \stackrel{set}{=} 0, \quad \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \beta_1} \stackrel{set}{=} 0$$

Solve 2 EQ in 2 unknowns

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dQ}{d\beta_0} &= \frac{d}{d\beta_0} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)^2 \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d}{d\beta_0} (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)^2 \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)(-1) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_0 - \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n y_i = n\beta_0 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{y}_n = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dQ}{d\beta_1} &= \frac{d}{d\beta_1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)^2 \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n 2(y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)(-x_i) \quad \text{chain rule} \end{aligned}$$

$$= -2 \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i y_i - \beta_0 x_i - \beta_1 x_i^2) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - \beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i = \beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \quad (2)$$

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and $\bar{y}_n = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x} \quad (1)$

From (1) $\beta_0 = \bar{y}_n - \beta_1 \bar{x}$ sub into (2)

get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i &= (\bar{y}_n - \beta_1 \bar{x}) \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \\ &= \underbrace{n \bar{x}_n \bar{y}_n}_{n \bar{x}} - \beta_1 n \bar{x}^2 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - n \bar{x}_n \bar{y}_n = \beta_1 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n \bar{x}^2 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - n \bar{x}_n \bar{y}_n}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n \bar{x}^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}_n)(y_i - \bar{y}_n)}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

2-variable 2nd derivative test...
wait

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}, \quad \hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y}_n - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}$$

Unbiased? First

$$E(Y_i) = E(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + E_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + E(E_i)$$

$$E(\bar{Y}) = E\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n Y_i\right) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E(Y_i) \\ = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i) = \frac{1}{n} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \beta_0 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} (n\beta_0 + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x}$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}_1) = E\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) E(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) (E(Y_i) - E(\bar{Y}))}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) (\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i - (\beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x}))}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) (\beta_1 (x_i - \bar{x}))}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = \beta_1 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

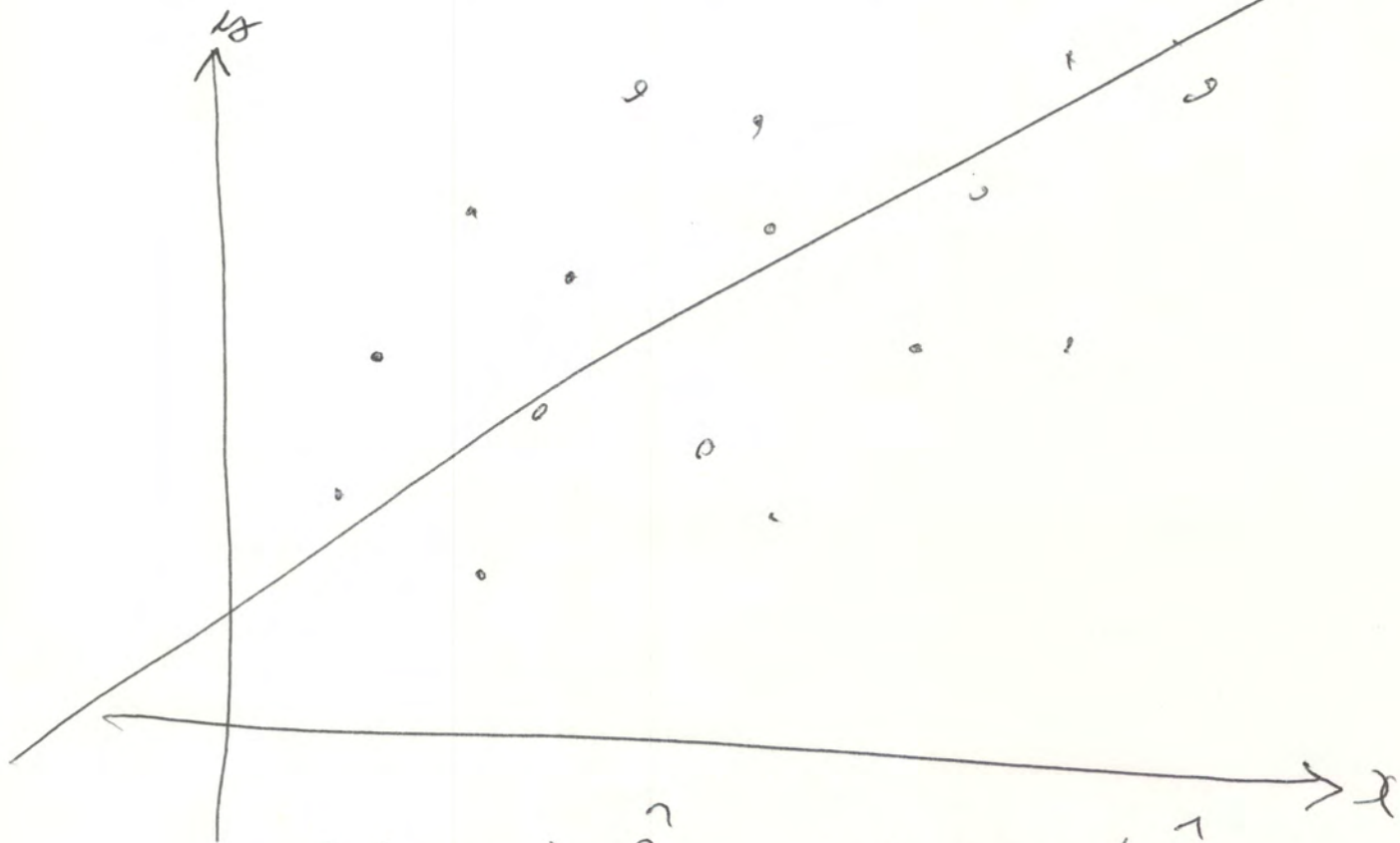
= β_1 unbiased

$$E(\hat{\beta}_0) = E(\bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x})$$

$$= E(\bar{Y}) - \bar{x} E(\hat{\beta}_1)$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 \bar{x} - \bar{x} \beta_1 = \beta_0 \text{ unbiased}$$

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Slope is $\hat{\beta}_1$, intercept $\hat{\beta}_0$.

They minimize $Q = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i)^2$

Sum of squared vertical distances from point to line.