

- last time - S_{xx} , S_{yy} , S_{xy} , $b = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}}$, $a = \bar{y} - b\bar{x}$, $\hat{y} = a + bx$
- exponential: $y = \alpha \beta^x + E$
- Power: $y = \alpha x^{\beta} + E$
- reciprocal: $y = \frac{1}{\alpha x^{\beta}} + E$
- Polynomial regression: $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \beta_2 x^2 + \dots + \beta_p x^p + E$

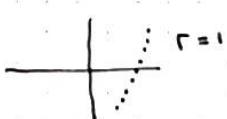
APRIL 9TH
APPLIED STAT

We have two random variables: X, Y

We take a random sample $(X_1, Y_1), \dots, (X_n, Y_n)$

The sample correlation coefficient r , is a number, $-1 \leq r \leq 1$ describing the direction and strength of the linear relationship between the variables.

$r > 1$: the points are all on a line with a positive slope.



If r is near 1, there is a strong positive linear relationship
As x increases, y tends to increase



Strong, positive linear relationship

If $r = -1$, the points are all on a line with negative slope



$r = -1$

If r is near -1, there is a strong negative linear relationship
As x increases, y tends to decrease



If r is near 0, there is a nonlinear or rectilinear or no relationship between the variables.



nonlinear relationship



\bar{x} = mean of X_i , \bar{y} = mean of Y_i

S_x = standard deviation of X_i

S_y = standard deviation of Y_i

$$r = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{S_x} \right) \left(\frac{y_i - \bar{y}}{S_y} \right)$$

- e.g.

x_i	1	2	3
y_i	1	3	8

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1+2+3}{3} = 2 \quad ; \quad \bar{y} = \frac{1+3+8}{3} = 4$$

$$S_x^2 = \frac{(1-2)^2 + (2-2)^2 + (3-2)^2}{3-1} = 1 ; S_x = 1$$

$$S_y^2 = \frac{(1-4)^2 + (3-4)^2 + (8-4)^2}{3-1} = 13, S_y = \sqrt{13}$$

$$C = \left(\frac{1}{3-1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{13}} \right) ((1-2)(1-4) + (2-2)(3-4) + (3-2)(8-4)) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{13}} (3+0+4) = \frac{7}{2\sqrt{13}}$$

$$r = \left(\frac{1}{n-1} \right) \left(\frac{1}{S_x S_y} \right) \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})$$

$$S_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{S_{xx}}{n-1}}$$

$$S_y = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{S_{yy}}{n-1}}$$

$$r = \left(\frac{1}{n-1} \right) \left(\sqrt{\frac{S_{xx}}{n-1}} \right) \left(\sqrt{\frac{S_{yy}}{n-1}} \right) (S_{xy}) \Rightarrow \frac{S_{xy}}{\sqrt{S_{xx} S_{yy}}}$$

- e.g.

x_i	1	2	3
y_i	8	6	1

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1+2+3}{3} = 2 \quad ; \quad \bar{y} = \frac{8+6+1}{3} = 5$$

$$S_{xx} = (1-2)^2 + (2-2)^2 + (3-2)^2 = 2$$

$$S_{yy} = (8-5)^2 + (6-5)^2 + (1-5)^2 = 26$$

$$S_{xy} = (1-2)(8-5) + (2-2)(6-5) + (3-2)(1-5) = -7$$

$$r = \frac{(-7)}{\sqrt{2 \cdot 26}} \approx -0.97$$

Let ρ be the population correlation coefficient.

We will test $H_0: \rho \leq 0 \quad H_0: \rho \geq 0 \quad H_0: \rho = 0$
 $H_1: \rho > 0 \quad H_1: \rho < 0 \quad H_1: \rho \neq 0$

Let $\gamma_f = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+r}{1-r} \right)$ Then $Z = \sqrt{n-3} \gamma_f$ is standard normal

Perform Z tests as normal ($Z > Z_\alpha, Z < -Z_\alpha, |Z| > Z_{\alpha/2}$)

- e.g. Suppose we have a sample of size 10 and got a sample correlation coefficient of $r = .732$. Test the hypothesis at a .01 level of significance.

$$H_0: \rho = 0 \quad \gamma_f = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+.732}{1-.732} \right) = .983$$

$$H_1: \rho \neq 0 \quad Z = \sqrt{10-3} \gamma_f = 2.44$$

We will reject the null hypothesis if $|Z| > 2.005$

But $Z_{0.005} = 2.575$

As $|Z| \neq 2.005$, we cannot reject the null hypothesis at a .01 level of significance.