

Multivariate Statistical Analysis

Lecture 14

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Likelihood Ratio Criterion and T^2 -Statistic

Let $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_N$ constitute a sample from $\mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ with $N > p$.

We shall derive T^2 -Statistic

$$T^2 = N(\bar{\mathbf{x}} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)^\top \mathbf{S}^{-1}(\bar{\mathbf{x}} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)$$

from likelihood ratio criterion

$$\lambda = \frac{\max_{\boldsymbol{\Sigma} \in \mathbb{S}_p^{++}} L(\boldsymbol{\mu}_0, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})}{\max_{\boldsymbol{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^p, \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \in \mathbb{S}_p^{++}} L(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})}.$$

Likelihood Ratio Criterion and T^2 -Statistic

We have

$$\lambda^{\frac{2}{N}} = \frac{1}{1 + T^2/(N-1)},$$

where

$$T^2 = N(\bar{\mathbf{x}} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)^\top \mathbf{S}^{-1}(\bar{\mathbf{x}} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0), \quad \bar{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N \mathbf{x}_\alpha$$

and

$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{\alpha=1}^N (\mathbf{x}_\alpha - \bar{\mathbf{x}})(\mathbf{x}_\alpha - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^\top.$$

Likelihood Ratio Criterion and T^2 -Statistic

The condition $\lambda^{2/N} > c$ for some $c \in (0, 1)$ is equivalent to

$$T^2 < \frac{(N-1)(1-c)}{c}.$$

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Multivariate Analysis of Variance

We consider testing the equality of means with common covariance.

Let $\mathbf{x}_\alpha^{(g)}$ be an observation from the g -th population $\mathcal{N}_p(\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ for $\alpha = 1, \dots, N_g$ and $g = 1, \dots, q$. We wish to test the hypothesis

$$H_0 : \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 = \dots = \boldsymbol{\mu}_g.$$

Multivariate Analysis of Variance

The likelihood function is

$$L(\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(1)}, \dots, \boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \\ = \prod_{g=1}^q \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{\rho N_g}{2}} (\det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}))^{\frac{N_g}{2}}} \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N_g} (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)})^{\top} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}) \right).$$

- 1 We let $\boldsymbol{\theta} = \{\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(1)}, \dots, \boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}\}$ be the parameters.
- 2 The set Ω is the space in which $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ is positive definite and each $\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}$ is any ρ -dimensional vector.
- 3 The set ω is the space in which $\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(1)} = \dots = \boldsymbol{\mu}^{(g)}$ (ρ -dimensional vectors) and $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ is positive definite matrix.

Multivariate Analysis of Variance

The likelihood ratio criterion is

$$\lambda = \frac{\sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta} \in \omega} L(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\sup_{\boldsymbol{\theta} \in \Omega} L(\boldsymbol{\theta})} = \frac{(\det(\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\Omega}))^{\frac{N}{2}}}{(\det(\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\omega}))^{\frac{N}{2}}},$$

where

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\Omega} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{g=1}^q \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N_g} (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)}) (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)})^{\top}$$

and

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\omega} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{g=1}^q \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N_g} (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}) (\mathbf{x}_{\alpha}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^{\top}.$$

Multivariate Analysis of Variance

We can write

$$N\hat{\Sigma}_\omega = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B},$$

where

$$\mathbf{A} = N\hat{\Sigma}_\Omega = \sum_{g=1}^q \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N_g} (\mathbf{x}_\alpha^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)}) (\mathbf{x}_\alpha^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)})^\top \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, N - q)$$

and

$$\mathbf{B} = \sum_{g=1}^q N_g (\bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}) (\bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(g)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^\top \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, q - 1)$$

are independent.

Wilks' Lambda distribution

For two independent random matrices $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, n)$ and $\mathbf{B} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, m)$ with $n \geq p$, the ratio

$$\frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})}$$

has Wilks' Lambda distribution with degrees of freedom n and m , which is typically written as

$$\frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})} \sim \Lambda_{p,n,m}.$$

Theorem

Let $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, n)$ and $\mathbf{B} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, m)$ be two independent Wishart distributed variables, then we can write

$$\frac{\det(\mathbf{A})}{\det(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})} = \prod_{i=1}^p u_i \sim \Lambda_{p,n,m},$$

where u_1, \dots, u_p are independent distributed as

$$u_i \sim \text{Beta} \left(\frac{n+1-i}{2}, \frac{m}{2} \right).$$

Properties of Wishart Distribution

Let $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, n)$ and partition \mathbf{A} and $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ into q and $p - q$ rows and columns as

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \boldsymbol{\Sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} & \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \\ \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21} & \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22} \end{bmatrix},$$

then we have

(a) $\mathbf{A}_{11} \sim \mathcal{W}_q(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11}, n)$ and $\mathbf{A}_{22} \sim \mathcal{W}_{p-q}(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}, n)$;

(b) if $q = 1$, then

$$\mathbf{a}_{21} \mid \mathbf{A}_{22} \sim \mathcal{N}_{p-q}(\mathbf{A}_{22} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{21}, \sigma_{11.2}^2 \mathbf{A}_{22})$$

where $\sigma_{11.2}^2 = \sigma_{11} - \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{21}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{21}$;

(c) if $n > p - q$, then

$$\mathbf{A}_{11.2} = \mathbf{A}_{11} - \mathbf{A}_{12} \mathbf{A}_{22}^{-1} \mathbf{A}_{21} \sim \mathcal{W}_q(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11.2}, n - p + q)$$

is independent on \mathbf{A}_{22} and \mathbf{A}_{12} , where $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11.2} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{11} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{12} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{22}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{21}$.

Let $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathcal{W}_p(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, n)$, we can follow above theorem to show

$$\det(\mathbf{A}) = \det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \prod_{i=1}^p v_i$$

with some independent random variables v_1, \dots, v_p ?

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Multivariate Linear Regression

Given dataset $\{(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{y}_i)\}_{i=1}^N$, where $\mathbf{x}_i \in \mathbb{R}^p$ and $\mathbf{y}_i \in \mathbb{R}^q$ are the feature and the corresponding output of the i -th data.

We suppose

$$\mathbf{y}_i = \mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i + \epsilon_i \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times q} \quad \text{and} \quad \epsilon_i \stackrel{\text{i.i.d.}}{\sim} \mathcal{N}_q(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{\Sigma})$$

for $i = 1, \dots, N$, $\mathbf{\Sigma} \succ 0$ and $N > p$.

We regard $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times q}$ and $\mathbf{\Sigma} \in \mathbb{R}^{q \times q}$ as parameters, then

$$\epsilon_i = \mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i \sim \mathcal{N}_q(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{\Sigma}).$$

Multivariate Linear Regression

We denote

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{x}_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times p}, \quad \mathbf{Y} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{y}_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times q} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{E} = \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times q},$$

and suppose \mathbf{X} is full rank.

MLE for Multivariate Linear Regression

We construct the likelihood function for $\epsilon_1, \dots, \epsilon_N$ as follows

$$\begin{aligned} L(\mathbf{B}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) &= \prod_{\alpha=1}^N \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^p \det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_\alpha - \mathbf{y}_\alpha)^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_\alpha - \mathbf{y}_\alpha)\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{Np/2} (\det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}))^{N/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{tr}\left((\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})^\top\right)\right). \end{aligned}$$

The maximum likelihood estimators are

$$\hat{\mathbf{B}} = (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{Y} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}} = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{Y}^\top (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^\top) \mathbf{Y}.$$

MLE for Multivariate Linear Regression

We write

$$\mathbf{B} = [\boldsymbol{\beta}_1 \quad \dots \quad \boldsymbol{\beta}_q] \in \mathbb{R}^{q \times p} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\mathbf{B}} = [\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_1 \quad \dots \quad \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_q] \in \mathbb{R}^{q \times p}.$$

Then the joint distribution of $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_1, \dots, \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_N$ is normal and we have

- 1 $\mathbb{E}[\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_i] = \boldsymbol{\beta}_i$;
- 2 $\text{Cov}[\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_i, \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_j] = \sigma_{ij}(\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X})^{-1}$;
- 3 $\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}} \sim \mathcal{W}_q\left(\frac{1}{N}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}, N - p\right)$.

Bayesian Multivariate Linear Regression

We can additionally suppose each b_{ij} independently follows

$$b_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \tau^2),$$

then the posterior likelihood function is

$$\begin{aligned} L(\mathbf{B}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) &= \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^p \det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{y}_i)^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{y}_i)\right) \\ &\quad \cdot \prod_{i=1}^p \prod_{j=1}^q \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\tau^2}} \exp\left(-\frac{b_{ij}^2}{2\tau^2}\right) \\ &\propto \frac{1}{(\det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}))^{N/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{tr}((\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})^\top) - \frac{1}{2\tau^2} \|\mathbf{B}\|_F^2\right), \end{aligned}$$

which leads to solving Sylvester equation.

Bayesian Multivariate Linear Regression

We typically suppose

$$\beta_{(i)} \stackrel{\text{i.i.d.}}{\sim} \mathcal{N}_q(\mathbf{0}, \tau^2 \boldsymbol{\Sigma}), \quad \text{where} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_{(1)}^\top \\ \vdots \\ \beta_{(p)}^\top \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times q},$$

then the posterior likelihood function is

$$\begin{aligned} & L(\mathbf{B}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^p \det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{y}_i)^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^\top \mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{y}_i)\right) \\ & \quad \cdot \prod_{j=1}^p \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^q \det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma})}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\tau^2} \beta_{(j)}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \beta_{(j)}\right) \\ & \propto \frac{1}{(\det(\boldsymbol{\Sigma}))^{N/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \text{tr}\left((\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}(\mathbf{X}\mathbf{B} - \mathbf{Y})^\top\right) - \frac{1}{2\tau^2} \mathbf{B}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1}\mathbf{B}^\top\right). \end{aligned}$$

We have

$$\hat{\mathbf{B}}_\lambda = (\mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{X} + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^\top \mathbf{Y},$$

and

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_\lambda = \frac{1}{N} \left((\mathbf{X} \hat{\mathbf{B}}_\lambda - \mathbf{Y})^\top (\mathbf{X} \hat{\mathbf{B}}_\lambda - \mathbf{Y}) + \lambda \hat{\mathbf{B}}_\lambda^\top \hat{\mathbf{B}}_\lambda \right),$$

where $\lambda = 1/\tau^2$.