

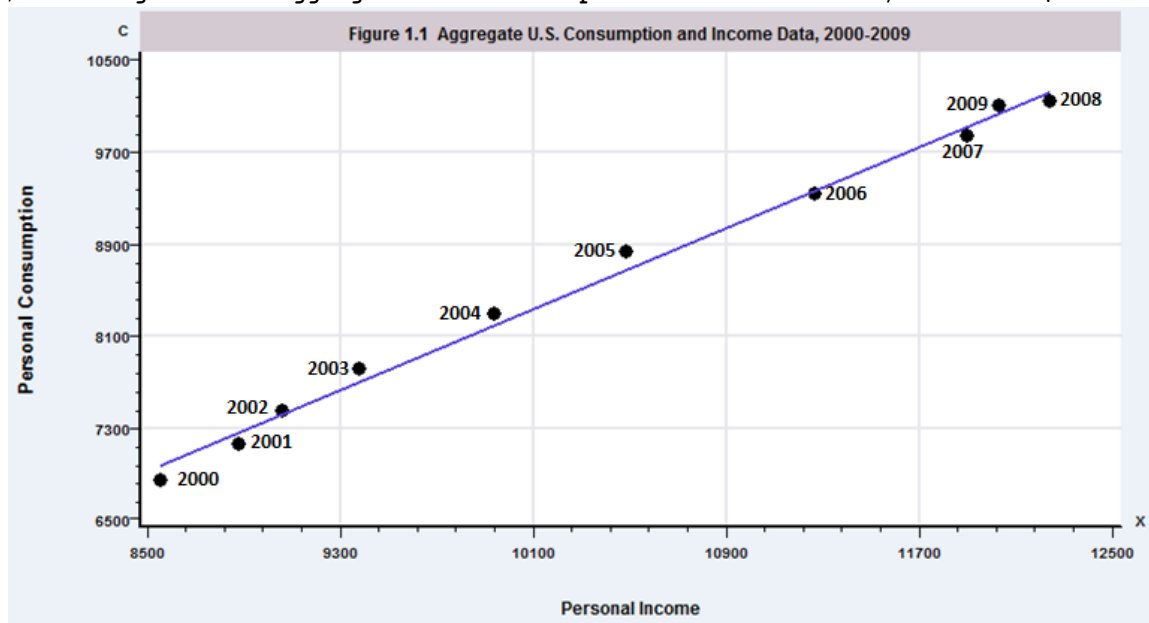
# Chapter 1

## Econometrics

There are no exercises or applications in Chapter 1.

### Example 1.2

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import$
Year, X,C
2000, 8559.4, 6830.4
2001, 8883.3, 7148.8
2002, 9060.1, 7439.2
2003, 9378.1, 7804.0
2004, 9937.2, 8285.1
2005, 10485.9, 8819.0
2006, 11268.1, 9322.7
2007, 11894.1, 9826.4
2008, 12238.8, 10129.9
2009, 12030.3, 10088.5
plot
;lhs=x
;rhs=c
;limits=6500,10500
;endpoints=8500,12500
;grid
;regression
;vaxis=Personal Consumption;Footer=Personal Income
;Title=Figure 1.1 Aggregate U.S. Consumption and Income Data, 2000-2009$
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# Chapter 2

## The Linear Regression Model

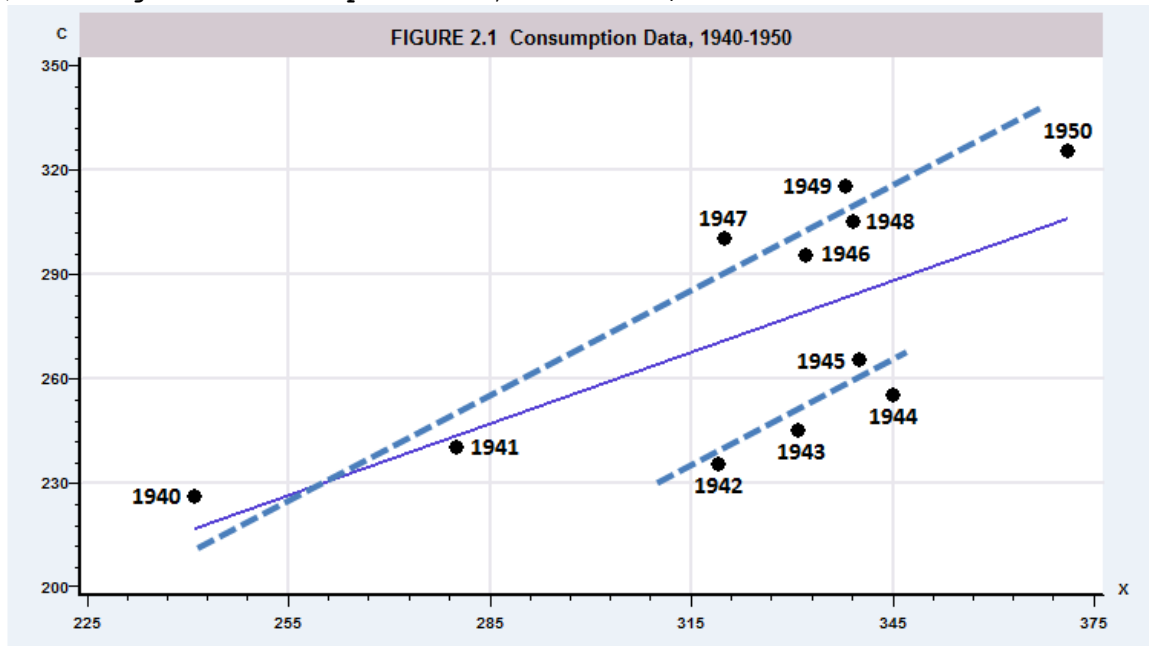
There are no exercises or applications in Chapter 2.

**Example 2.1. Keynes's Consumption**

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import$
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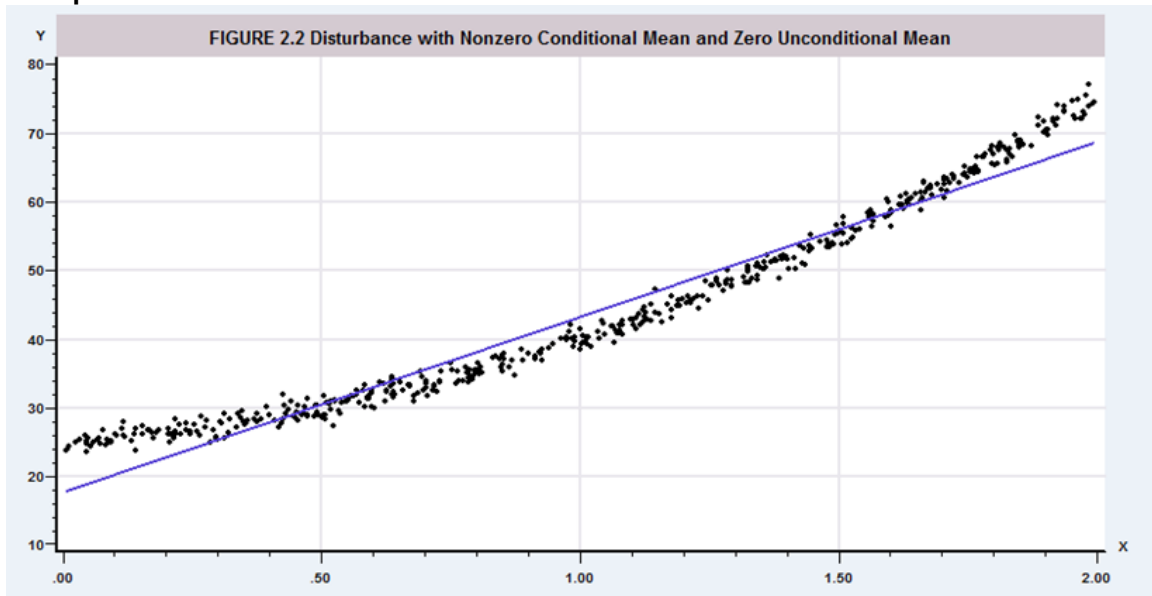
Year	X	C	W
1940	241	226	0
1941	280	240	0
1942	319	235	1
1943	331	245	1
1944	345	255	1
1945	340	265	1
1946	332	295	0
1947	320	300	0
1948	339	305	0
1949	338	315	0
1950	371	325	0

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plot;lhs=x;rhs=c;limits=200,350; endpoints=225,375;regression  
;title=Figure 2.1 Consumption Data, 1940-1950 $
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### Example 2.7. Nonzero Conditional Mean of the Disturbances



# Chapter 3

## Least Squares Regression

### EXAMPLES – Section 3.2.2 and Table 3.2

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Import$
YEAR RealGNP Invest GNPDefl Interest Infl Trend RealInv
2000 87.1 2.034 81.9 9.23 3.4 1 2.484
2001 88.0 1.929 83.8 6.91 1.6 2 2.311
2002 89.5 1.925 85.0 4.67 2.4 3 2.265
2003 92.0 2.028 86.7 4.12 1.9 4 2.339
2004 95.5 2.277 89.1 4.34 3.3 5 2.556
2005 98.7 2.527 91.9 6.19 3.4 6 2.750
2006 101.4 2.681 94.8 7.96 2.5 7 2.828
2007 103.2 2.644 97.3 8.05 4.1 8 2.717
2008 102.9 2.425 99.2 5.09 0.1 9 2.445
2009 100.0 1.878 100.0 3.25 2.7 10 1.878
2010 102.5 2.101 101.2 3.25 1.5 11 2.076
2011 104.2 2.240 103.3 3.25 3.0 12 2.168
2012 105.6 2.479 105.2 3.25 1.7 13 2.356
2013 109.0 2.648 106.7 3.25 1.5 14 2.482
2014 111.6 2.856 108.3 3.25 0.8 15 2.637

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EndData

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Create ; Y = RealInv $
Create ; T = trend $
Create ; G = realgnp $
Create ; R = interest $
Create ; P = infl $
Namelist; z=y,t,g,r,p$
Dstat ; rhs=z$

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Variable	Mean	Standard Deviation	Minimum	Maximum	Cases	Missing Values
Y	2.420067	.262666	1.878	2.828	15	0
T	8.0	4.472136	1.0	15.0	15	0
G	99.41333	7.525468	87.1	111.6	15	0
R	5.070667	2.081351	3.25	9.23	15	0
P	2.26	1.092703	.1	4.1	15	0

Descriptive Statistics for 5 variables  
 Dstat results are matrix LASTDSTA in current project.  
 Regress; Lhs=y; rhs=one,t,g,r,p\$

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Ordinary least squares regression .....
LHS=Y Mean = 2.42007
Standard deviation = .26267
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No. of observations = 15 DegFreedom Mean square
Regression Sum of Squares = .760908 4 .19023
Residual Sum of Squares = .205002 10 .02050
Total Sum of Squares = .965911 14 .06899
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Standard error of e = .14318 Root MSE .11691
Fit R-squared = .78776 R-bar squared .70287
Model test F[ 4, 10] = 9.27926 Prob F > F* .00213

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Y	Coefficient	Standard Error	t	Prob.  t >T*	95% Confidence Interval
Constant	-6.26176***	1.93671	-3.23	.0090	-10.57700 -1.94651

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T|   -.16187***   .04739   -3.42   .0066   -.26746   -.05628
G|   .09960***   .02421    4.11   .0021   .04566   .15355
R|   .01972     .03380    .58   .5725   -.05559   .09503
P|   -.01109     .03990   -.28   .7867   -.09998   .07781
-----+-----
***, **, * ==> Significance at 1%, 5%, 10% level.
Model was estimated on Aug 01, 2017 at 08:37:09 AM
-----+-----
Namelist; x=one,t,g,r,p$
Matrix ; list;x'x$
-----+-----
RESULT|          1          2          3          4          5
-----+-----
1|      15.0000      120.000      1491.20      76.0600      33.9000
2|      120.000      1240.00      12381.5      522.060      244.100
3|      1491.20      12381.5      149038.      7453.03      3332.83
4|      76.0600      522.060      7453.03      446.323      186.656
5|      33.9000      244.100      3332.83      186.656      93.3300
Matrix ; list;x'y$
-----+-----
RESULT|          1
-----+-----
1|      36.3010
2|      288.691
3|      3612.90
4|      188.300
5|      82.8193
Matrix ; list;<x'x>*x'y$
-----+-----
RESULT|          1
-----+-----
1|      -6.26176
2|      -.161870
3|      .0996027
4|      .0197220
5|      -.0110883

Matrix ; list;xcor(z)$
-----+-----
Cor.Mat.|          Y          T          G          R          P
-----+-----
Y|  1.00000  -.10441  .14809  .55261  .19388
T| -.10441  1.00000  .95910  -.66317  -.39612
G| .14809  .95910  1.00000  -.49410  -.32384
R| .55261  -.66317  -.49410  1.00000  .46358
P| .19388  -.39612  -.32384  .46358  1.00000
Create ; dy = dev(y) $
Create ; dt = dev(t) $
Create ; dg = dev(g) $
Calc ; list ; xbr(y)
      ; xbr(t)
      ; xbr(g) $
[CALC]      =          2.4200667
[CALC]      =          8.0000000
[CALC]      =          99.4133333
Calculator: Computed 3 scalar results
Calc ; list ; sty = dt'dy
      ; sgg = dg'dg
      ; sgy = dg'dy
      ; stg = dt'dg
      ; stt = dt'dt$
[CALC] STY   =          -1.7170000
[CALC] SGG   =          792.8573333

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[CALC] SGY      =      4.0982867
[CALC] STG      =      451.9000000
[CALC] STT      =      280.0000000
Calculator: Computed 5 scalar results
Calc ; list ; b2 = (sty*sgg - sgy*stg)/(stt*sgg-stg*stg)$
[CALC] B2      =      -.1806630
Calc ; list ; b3 = (sgy*stt - sty*stg)/(stt*sgg-stg*stg)$
[CALC] B3      =      .1081404
Calc ; list ; b1 = xbr(y) - b2*xbr(t)-b3*xbr(g)$
[CALC] B1      =      -6.8852242
Calc ; list ; byg = sgy / sgg $
[CALC] BYG     =      .0051690
Calc ; list ; byt = sty / stt $
[CALC] BYT     =      -.0061321
Calc ; list ; btg = stg / sgg$
[CALC] BTG     =      .5699638
Calc ; list ; r2gt=stg^2/(sgg*stt)$
[CALC] R2GT    =      .9198809
Calc ; list ; byg_t=byg-((byt*btg-r2gt*byg)/(1-r2gt))$
[CALC] BYG_T   =      .1081404
Namelist ; yvar=y $
Matrix;list;xcor(x,yvar)$
-----+-----
Cor.Mat. |      Y
-----+-----
      ONE|  .00000
          T| -.10441
          G|  .14809
          R|  .55261
          P|  .19388

Regress;quietly ; Lhs=y;rhs=one,t,g,r,p$
Matrix ; vars = diag(varb) ; sdevs=sqrt(vars)$
Matrix ; tstats = <sdevs>*b$
Matrix ; pcor = dirp(tstats,tstats) + degfrdm$
Matrix ; pci = diri(pcor)$
Matrix ; pcor = dirp(tstats,tstats,pci)$
Matrix ; list ; pcor = esqr(pcor)$
-----+-----
      PCOR|      1
-----+-----
      1|  .000000
      2|  .733814
      3|  .792847
      4|  .181449
      5|  .0875491

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# Exercises

1. Let  $\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1 \\ \dots & \dots \\ 1 & x_n \end{bmatrix}$ .

(a) The normal equations are given by (3-12),  $\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{0}$  (we drop the minus sign), hence for each of the columns of  $\mathbf{X}$ ,  $\mathbf{x}_k$ , we know that  $\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{e} = 0$ . This implies that  $\sum_{i=1}^n e_i = 0$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i e_i = 0$ .

(b) Use  $\sum_{i=1}^n e_i$  to conclude from the first normal equation that  $a = \bar{y} - b\bar{x}$ .

(c) We know that  $\sum_{i=1}^n e_i = 0$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i e_i = 0$ . It follows then that  $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})e_i = 0$  because

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x}e_i = \bar{x}\sum_{i=1}^n e_i = 0. \text{ Substitute } e_i \text{ to obtain } \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - a - bx_i) = 0$$

or  $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y} - b(x_i - \bar{x})) = 0$

Then,  $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y}) = b\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(x_i - \bar{x})$  so  $b = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$ .

(d) The first derivative vector of  $\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}$  is  $-2\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{e}$ . (The normal equations.) The second derivative matrix is  $\partial^2(\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e})/\partial\mathbf{b}\partial\mathbf{b}' = 2\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}$ . We need to show that this matrix is positive definite. The diagonal elements are  $2n$  and  $2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2$  which are clearly both positive. The determinant is

$$[(2n)(2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2)] - (2\sum_{i=1}^n x_i)^2 = 4n\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - 4(n\bar{x})^2 = 4n[(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2) - n\bar{x}^2] = 4n[(\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2)].$$

Note that a much simpler proof appears after (3-6).

2. Write  $\mathbf{c}$  as  $\mathbf{b} + (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})$ . Then, the sum of squared residuals based on  $\mathbf{c}$  is

$$(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c})'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c}) = [\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{b} + (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b}))]'[\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{b} + (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b}))] = [(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}) + \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})]'[(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}) + \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})]$$

$$= (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b})'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}) + (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b}) + 2(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}).$$

But, the third term is zero, as  $2(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b}) = 2(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{e} = \mathbf{0}$ . Therefore,

$$(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c})'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c}) = \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})$$

or

$$(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c})'(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{c}) - \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} = (\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})'\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b}).$$

The right hand side can be written as  $\mathbf{d}'\mathbf{d}$  where  $\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{b})$ , so it is necessarily positive. This confirms what we knew at the outset, least squares is least squares.

3. In the regression of  $\mathbf{y}$  on  $\mathbf{i}$  and  $\mathbf{X}$ , the coefficients on  $\mathbf{X}$  are  $\mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}$ .  $\mathbf{M}^0 = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{i}(\mathbf{i}'\mathbf{i})^{-1}\mathbf{i}'$  is the matrix which transforms observations into deviations from their column means. Since  $\mathbf{M}^0$  is idempotent and symmetric we may also write the preceding as  $[(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0)(\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{X})]^{-1}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0)(\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y})$  which implies that the regression of  $\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}$  on  $\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{X}$  produces the least squares slopes. If only  $\mathbf{X}$  is transformed to deviations, we would compute  $[(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0)(\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{X})]^{-1}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0)\mathbf{y}$  but, of course, this is identical. However, if only  $\mathbf{y}$  is transformed, the result is  $(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}$  which is likely to be quite different.

4. What is the result of the matrix product  $\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{M}$  where  $\mathbf{M}_1$  is defined in (3-19) and  $\mathbf{M}$  is defined in (3-14)?

$$\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{M} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{X}_1(\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{X}_1)^{-1}\mathbf{X}_1')(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}') = \mathbf{M} - \mathbf{X}_1(\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{X}_1)^{-1}\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{M}$$

There is no need to multiply out the second term. Each column of  $\mathbf{M}\mathbf{X}_1$  is the vector of residuals in the regression of the corresponding column of  $\mathbf{X}_1$  on all of the columns in  $\mathbf{X}$ . Since that  $\mathbf{x}$  is one of the columns in  $\mathbf{X}$ , this regression provides a perfect fit, so the residuals are zero. Thus,  $\mathbf{M}\mathbf{X}_1$  is a matrix of zeroes which implies that  $\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{M}$ .

5. The original  $\mathbf{X}$  matrix has  $n$  rows. We add an additional row,  $\mathbf{x}_s'$ . The new  $\mathbf{y}$  vector likewise has an additional element. Thus,  $\mathbf{X}_{n,s} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_n \\ \mathbf{x}_s' \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{y}_{n,s} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_n \\ y_s \end{bmatrix}$ . The new coefficient vector is

$$\mathbf{b}_{n,s} = (\mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{X}_{n,s})^{-1}(\mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{y}_{n,s}). \text{ The matrix is } \mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{X}_{n,s} = \mathbf{X}_n'\mathbf{X}_n + \mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}_s'. \text{ To invert this, use (A -66);}$$

$(\mathbf{X}'_{n,s}\mathbf{X}_{n,s})^{-1} = (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1} - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}$ . The vector is

$(\mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{y}_{n,s}) = (\mathbf{X}_n'\mathbf{y}_n) + \mathbf{x}_s'y_s$ . Multiply out the four terms to get

$$\begin{aligned} & (\mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{X}_{n,s})^{-1}(\mathbf{X}_{n,s}'\mathbf{y}_{n,s}) = \\ & \mathbf{b}_n - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s\mathbf{b}_n + (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s \\ = & \\ & \mathbf{b}_n + (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s - \frac{\mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s\mathbf{b}_n \\ & \mathbf{b}_n + \left[ 1 - \frac{\mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} \right] (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s\mathbf{b}_n \\ & \mathbf{b}_n + \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s'y_s - \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s\mathbf{x}'_s\mathbf{b}_n \\ & \mathbf{b}_n + \frac{1}{1 + \mathbf{x}'_s(\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s} (\mathbf{X}'_n\mathbf{X}_n)^{-1}\mathbf{x}_s(y_s - \mathbf{x}'_s\mathbf{b}_n) \end{aligned}$$

6. Define the data matrix as follows:  $\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{x} & \mathbf{0} \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1 & \mathbf{0} \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{X}_1 \quad \mathbf{X}_2]$  and  $\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_o \\ \mathbf{y}_m \end{bmatrix}$ . (The subscripts on

the parts of  $\mathbf{y}$  refer to the “observed” and “missing” rows of  $\mathbf{X}$ . We will use Frish-Waugh to obtain the first two columns of the least squares coefficient vector.  $\mathbf{b}_1 = (\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{M}_2\mathbf{X}_1)^{-1}(\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{M}_2\mathbf{y})$ . Multiplying it out, we find that  $\mathbf{M}_2$  = an identity matrix save for the last diagonal element that is equal to 0.

$\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{M}_2\mathbf{X}_1 = \mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{X}_1 - \mathbf{X}_1' \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}' & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1$ . This just drops the last observation.  $\mathbf{X}_1'\mathbf{M}_2\mathbf{y}$  is computed likewise. Thus,

the coefficients on the first two columns are the same as if  $y_0$  had been linearly regressed on  $\mathbf{X}_1$ . The denominator of  $R^2$  is different for the two cases (drop the observation or keep it with zero fill and the dummy variable). For the first strategy, the mean of the  $n-1$  observations should be different from the mean of the full  $n$  unless the last observation happens to equal the mean of the first  $n-1$ .

For the second strategy, replacing the missing value with the mean of the other  $n-1$  observations, we can deduce the new slope vector logically. Using Frish-Waugh, we can replace the column of  $x$ 's with deviations from the means, which then turns the last observation to zero. Thus, once again, the coefficient on the  $x$  equals what it is using the earlier strategy. The constant term will be the same as well.

7. For convenience, reorder the variables so that  $\mathbf{X} = [\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{P}_d, \mathbf{P}_n, \mathbf{P}_s, \mathbf{Y}]$ . The three dependent variables are  $\mathbf{E}_d$ ,  $\mathbf{E}_n$ , and  $\mathbf{E}_s$ , and  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{E}_d + \mathbf{E}_n + \mathbf{E}_s$ . The coefficient vectors are

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{b}_d &= (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{E}_d, \\ \mathbf{b}_n &= (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{E}_n, \text{ and} \\ \mathbf{b}_s &= (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{E}_s. \end{aligned}$$

The sum of the three vectors is

$$\mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'[\mathbf{E}_d + \mathbf{E}_n + \mathbf{E}_s] = (\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{Y}.$$

Now,  $\mathbf{Y}$  is the last column of  $\mathbf{X}$ , so the preceding sum is the vector of least squares coefficients in the regression of the last column of  $\mathbf{X}$  on all of the columns of  $\mathbf{X}$ , including the last. Of course, we get a perfect fit. In addition,  $\mathbf{X}'[\mathbf{E}_d + \mathbf{E}_n + \mathbf{E}_s]$  is the last column of  $\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X}$ , so the matrix product is equal to the last column of an identity matrix. Thus, the sum of the coefficients on all variables except income is 0, while that on income is 1.



8. Let  $\bar{R}_K^2$  denote the adjusted  $R^2$  in the full regression on  $K$  variables including  $\mathbf{x}_k$ , and let  $\bar{R}_1^2$  denote the adjusted  $R^2$  in the short regression on  $K-1$  variables when  $\mathbf{x}_k$  is omitted. Let  $R_K^2$  and  $R_1^2$  denote their unadjusted counterparts. Then,

$$R_K^2 = 1 - \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}/\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}$$

$$R_1^2 = 1 - \mathbf{e}_1'\mathbf{e}_1/\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}$$

where  $\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}$  is the sum of squared residuals in the full regression,  $\mathbf{e}_1'\mathbf{e}_1$  is the (larger) sum of squared residuals in the regression which omits  $\mathbf{x}_k$ , and  $\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y} = \sum_i (y_i - \bar{y})^2$ .

Then,  $\bar{R}_K^2 = 1 - [(n-1)/(n-K)](1 - R_K^2)$

and  $\bar{R}_1^2 = 1 - [(n-1)/(n-(K-1))](1 - R_1^2)$ .

The difference is the change in the adjusted  $R^2$  when  $\mathbf{x}_k$  is added to the regression,

$$\bar{R}_K^2 - \bar{R}_1^2 = [(n-1)/(n-K+1)][\mathbf{e}_1'\mathbf{e}_1/\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}] - [(n-1)/(n-K)][\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}/\mathbf{y}'\mathbf{M}^0\mathbf{y}].$$

The difference is positive if and only if the ratio is greater than 1. After cancelling terms, we require for the adjusted  $R^2$  to increase that  $\mathbf{e}_1'\mathbf{e}_1/(n-K+1)/[(n-K)\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}] > 1$ . From the previous problem, we have that  $\mathbf{e}_1'\mathbf{e}_1 = \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + b_k^2(\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{x}_k)$ , where  $\mathbf{M}_1$  is defined above and  $b_k$  is the least squares coefficient in the full regression of  $\mathbf{y}$  on  $\mathbf{X}_1$  and  $\mathbf{x}_k$ . Making the substitution, we require  $[(\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + b_k^2(\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{x}_k))(n-K)]/[(n-K)\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + \mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e}] > 1$ . Since  $\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} = (n-K)s^2$ , this simplifies to  $[\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + b_k^2(\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{x}_k)]/[\mathbf{e}'\mathbf{e} + s^2] > 1$ . Since all terms are positive, the fraction is greater than one if and only if  $b_k^2(\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{x}_k) > s^2$  or  $b_k^2(\mathbf{x}_k'\mathbf{M}_1\mathbf{x}_k/s^2) > 1$ . The denominator is the estimated variance of  $b_k$ , so the result is proved.

9. This  $R^2$  must be lower. The sum of squares associated with the coefficient vector which omits the constant term must be higher than the one which includes it. We can write the coefficient vector in the regression without a constant as  $\mathbf{c} = (0, \mathbf{b}^*)$  where  $\mathbf{b}^* = (\mathbf{W}'\mathbf{W})^{-1}\mathbf{W}'\mathbf{y}$ , with  $\mathbf{W}$  being the other  $K-1$  columns of  $\mathbf{X}$ . Then, the result of the previous exercise applies directly.

10. We use the notation 'Var[.]' and 'Cov[.]' to indicate the sample variances and covariances. Our information is

$$\text{Var}[N] = 1, \text{Var}[D] = 1, \text{Var}[Y] = 1.$$

Since  $C = N + D$ ,  $\text{Var}[C] = \text{Var}[N] + \text{Var}[D] + 2\text{Cov}[N,D] = 2(1 + \text{Cov}[N,D])$ .

From the regressions, we have

$$\text{Cov}[C,Y]/\text{Var}[Y] = \text{Cov}[C,Y] = .8.$$

But,  $\text{Cov}[C,Y] = \text{Cov}[N,Y] + \text{Cov}[D,Y]$ .

Also,  $\text{Cov}[C,N]/\text{Var}[N] = \text{Cov}[C,N] = .5$ ,

but,  $\text{Cov}[C,N] = \text{Var}[N] + \text{Cov}[N,D] = 1 + \text{Cov}[N,D]$ , so  $\text{Cov}[N,D] = -.5$ ,

so that  $\text{Var}[C] = 2(1 + -.5) = 1$ .

And,  $\text{Cov}[D,Y]/\text{Var}[Y] = \text{Cov}[D,Y] = .4$ .

Since  $\text{Cov}[C,Y] = .8 = \text{Cov}[N,Y] + \text{Cov}[D,Y]$ ,  $\text{Cov}[N,Y] = .4$ .

Finally,  $\text{Cov}[C,D] = \text{Cov}[N,D] + \text{Var}[D] = -.5 + 1 = .5$ .

Now, in the regression of  $C$  on  $D$ , the sum of squared residuals is  $(n-1)\{\text{Var}[C] - (\text{Cov}[C,D]/\text{Var}[D])^2\text{Var}[D]\}$  based on the general regression result  $\sum e^2 = \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2 - b^2\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2$ . All of the necessary figures were obtained above. Inserting these and  $n-1 = 20$  produces a sum of squared residuals of 15.

11. Computed results are

**Regress ; lhs=realinv ; rhs=one , realgnp , interest\$**

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Ordinary	least squares regression .....				
LHS=REALINV	Mean	=	2.42007		
	Standard deviation	=	.26267		
-----	No. of observations	=	15	DegFreedom	Mean square
Regression	Sum of Squares	=	.521605	2	.26080
Residual	Sum of Squares	=	.444305	12	.03703
Total	Sum of Squares	=	.965911	14	.06899
-----	Standard error of e	=	.19242	Root MSE	.17211

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Fit          R-squared          =          .54001  R-bar squared      .46335
Model test  F[ 2, 12]          =          7.04388  Prob F > F*        .00947
-----+-----
|          |          |          |          |          |          | | |
| REALINV| Coefficient | Standard |          | Prob.   | 95% Confidence |
|          |          | Error    |          | |t|>T* | Interval        |
|-----+-----|-----+-----|-----+-----|
Constant|   -.04298 |   .86319 |   -.05 |   .9611 |  -1.92371 |  1.83775
REALGNP|   .01945**|   .00786 |   2.47 |   .0293 |   .00232 |   .03657
INTEREST|   .10448***|   .02842 |   3.68 |   .0032 |   .04256 |   .16640
-----+-----
Namelist; X=one,realgnp,interest$
Matrix ; list ; x'x ; x'realinv$
RESULT|          |          |          |
-----+-----+-----+-----
1|          | 15.0000 | 1491.20 | 76.0600
2|          | 1491.20 | 149038. | 7453.03
3|          | 76.0600 | 7453.03 | 446.323
RESULT|          | 1
-----+-----
1|          | 36.3010
2|          | 3612.90
3|          | 188.300
Matrix ; list ; <x'x>*x'realinv$
RESULT|          | 1
-----+-----
1|          | -.0429785
2|          | .0194467
3|          | .104480
Matrix ; list ; ba=<x'x>*x'realinv$
BA|          | 1
-----+-----
1|          | -.0429785
2|          | .0194467
3|          | .104480
Matrix ; e = realinv - x*ba$
Calc ; list ; r2 = 1 - e'e / ((n-1)*var(realinv)) $
[CALC] R2          =          .5400140

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12. The results cannot be correct. Since  $\log S/N = \log S/Y + \log Y/N$  by simple, exact algebra, the same result must apply to the least squares regression results. That means that the second equation estimated must equal the first one plus  $\log Y/N$ . Looking at the equations, that means that all of the coefficients would have to be identical save for the second, which would have to equal its counterpart in the first equation, plus 1. Therefore, the results cannot be correct. In an exchange between Leff and Arthur Goldberger that appeared later in the same journal, Leff argued that the difference was simple rounding error. You can see that the results in the second equation resemble those in the first, but not enough so that the explanation is credible. Further discussion about the data themselves appeared in subsequent discussion. [See Goldberger (1973) and Leff (1973).]

13. a. Consider a regression of  $y$  on  $x_1, x_2$  and  $x_3$ . The incremental contribution of  $x_3$  will be different depending on whether the order entered is  $(x_1, x_3, x_2)$  or  $(x_1, x_2, x_3)$ ,  $(x_2, x_1, x_3)$ , or  $(x_2, x_3, x_1)$ .
- b. Use the equation above (3-31) and consider  $x_2$  after  $x_1$ . If  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are orthogonal, then  $\mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2 = \mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{X}_2$  and the result reduces to  $R_{1,2}^2 = R_1^2 + R_2^2$ . This is the if part. For only if, note that (3-31) implies that if the variables are not orthogonal, then, as observed earlier the previous result cannot hold.
- c. Entering T first raises  $R^2$  from 0.00000 to 0.01090. Entering T last raises  $R^2$  from .54013 to .78776.

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Ordinary      least squares regression .....
T entered first R-squared          =          .01090
T not entered  R-squared           =          .54013
T entered last  R-squared           =          .78776
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# Application

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? Chapter 3 Application 1
?=====
Read $
(Data appear in the text.)
Namelist ; X1 = one,educ,exp,ability$
Namelist ; X2 = mothered,fathered,sibs$
?=====
? a.
?=====
Regress ; Lhs = wage ; Rhs = x1$
+-----+
| Ordinary least squares regression |
| LHS=WAGE Mean = 2.059333 |
| Standard deviation = .2583869 |
| WTS=none Number of observs. = 15 |
| Model size Parameters = 4 |
| Degrees of freedom = 11 |
| Residuals Sum of squares = .7633163 |
| Standard error of e = .2634244 |
| Fit R-squared = .1833511 |
| Adjusted R-squared = -.3937136E-01 |
| Model test F[ 3, 11] (prob) = .82 (.5080) |
+-----+
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|Variable| Coefficient | Standard Error |t-ratio |P[|T|>t]| Mean of X|
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
Constant| 1.66364000 | .61855318 | 2.690 |.0210 |
EDUC | .01453897 | .04902149 | .297 |.7723 | 12.8666667
EXP | .07103002 | .04803415 | 1.479 |.1673 | 2.8000000
ABILITY | .02661537 | .09911731 | .269 |.7933 | .3660000
?=====
? b.
?=====
Regress ; Lhs = wage ; Rhs = x1,x2$
+-----+
| Ordinary least squares regression |
| LHS=WAGE Mean = 2.059333 |
| Standard deviation = .2583869 |
| WTS=none Number of observs. = 15 |
| Model size Parameters = 7 |
| Degrees of freedom = 8 |
| Residuals Sum of squares = .4522662 |
| Standard error of e = .2377673 |
| Fit R-squared = .5161341 |
| Adjusted R-squared = .1532347 |
| Model test F[ 6, 8] (prob) = 1.42 (.3140) |
+-----+
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|Variable| Coefficient | Standard Error |t-ratio |P[|T|>t]| Mean of X|
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
Constant| .04899633 | .94880761 | .052 |.9601 |
EDUC | .02582213 | .04468592 | .578 |.5793 | 12.8666667
EXP | .10339125 | .04734541 | 2.184 |.0605 | 2.8000000
ABILITY | .03074355 | .12120133 | .254 |.8062 | .3660000
MOTHERED| .10163069 | .07017502 | 1.448 |.1856 | 12.0666667
FATHERED| .00164437 | .04464910 | .037 |.9715 | 12.6666667
SIBS | .05916922 | .06901801 | .857 |.4162 | 2.2000000
?=====
? c.

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?=====
Regress ; Lhs = mothered ; Rhs = x1 ; Res = meds $
Regress ; Lhs = fathered ; Rhs = x1 ; Res = feds $
Regress ; Lhs = sibs ; Rhs = x1 ; Res = sibss $
Namelist ; X2S = meds,feds,sibss $
Matrix ; list ; Mean(X2S) $
Matrix Result has 3 rows and 1 columns.
      1
      +-----+
      1| -.1184238D-14
      2| .1657933D-14
      3| -.5921189D-16
The means are (essentially) zero. The sums must be zero, as these new
variables are orthogonal to the columns of X1. The first column in X1 is a
column of ones, so this means that these residuals must sum to zero.
?=====
? d.
?=====
Namelist ; X = X1,X2 $
Matrix ; i = init(n,1,1) $
Matrix ; M0 = iden(n) - 1/n*i*i' $
Matrix ; b12 = <X'X>*X'wage$
Calc ; list ; ym0y = (N-1)*var(wage) $
Matrix ; list ; cod = 1/ym0y * b12'*X'*M0*X*b12 $
Matrix COD has 1 rows and 1 columns.
      1
      +-----+
      1| .51613
Matrix ; e = wage - X*b12 $
Calc ; list ; cod = 1 - 1/ym0y * e'e $
COD = .516134
The R squared is the same using either method of computation.
Calc ; list ; RsqAd = 1 - (n-1)/(n-col(x))*(1-cod)$
RSQAD = .153235
? Now drop the constant
Namelist ; X0 = educ,exp,ability,X2 $
Matrix ; i = init(n,1,1) $
Matrix ; M0 = iden(n) - 1/n*i*i' $
Matrix ; b120 = <X0'X0>*X0'wage$
Matrix ; list ; cod = 1/ym0y * b120'*X0'*M0*X0*b120 $
Matrix COD has 1 rows and 1 columns.
      1
      +-----+
      1| .52953
Matrix ; e0 = wage - X0*b120 $
Calc ; list ; cod = 1 - 1/ym0y * e0'e0 $
COD = .515973
The R squared now changes depending on how it is computed. It also goes up,
completely artificially.
?=====
? e.
?=====
The R squared for the full regression appears immediately below.
? f.
Regress ; Lhs = wage ; Rhs = X1,X2 $
+-----+
| Ordinary least squares regression |
| WTS=none Number of observs. = 15 |
| Model size Parameters = 7 |
| Degrees of freedom = 8 |
| Fit R-squared = .5161341 |
+-----+
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+

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Variable	Coefficient	Standard Error	t-ratio	P[ T >t]	Mean of X
Constant	.04899633	.94880761	.052	.9601	
EDUC	.02582213	.04468592	.578	.5793	12.8666667
EXP	.10339125	.04734541	2.184	.0605	2.8000000
ABILITY	.03074355	.12120133	.254	.8062	.3660000
MOTHERED	.10163069	.07017502	1.448	.1856	12.0666667
FATHERED	.00164437	.04464910	.037	.9715	12.6666667
SIBS	.05916922	.06901801	.857	.4162	2.2000000

Regress ; Lhs = wage ; Rhs = X1,X2S \$

Ordinary	least squares regression				
WTS=none	Number of observs.	=	15		
Model size	Parameters	=	7		
	Degrees of freedom	=	8		
Fit	R-squared	=	.5161341		
	Adjusted R-squared	=	.1532347		

Variable	Coefficient	Standard Error	t-ratio	P[ T >t]	Mean of X
Constant	1.66364000	.55830716	2.980	.0176	
EDUC	.01453897	.04424689	.329	.7509	12.8666667
EXP	.07103002	.04335571	1.638	.1400	2.8000000
ABILITY	.02661537	.08946345	.297	.7737	.3660000
MEDS	.10163069	.07017502	1.448	.1856	-.118424D-14
FEDS	.00164437	.04464910	.037	.9715	.165793D-14
SIBSS	.05916922	.06901801	.857	.4162	-.592119D-16

In the first set of results, the first coefficient vector is

$$\mathbf{b}_1 = (\mathbf{X}_1' \mathbf{M}_2 \mathbf{X}_1)^{-1} \mathbf{X}_1' \mathbf{M}_2 \mathbf{y} \text{ and } \mathbf{b}_2 = (\mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)^{-1} \mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{y}$$

In the second regression, the second set of regressors is  $\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2$ , so

$$\mathbf{b}_1 = (\mathbf{X}_1' \mathbf{M}_{12} \mathbf{X}_1)^{-1} \mathbf{X}_1' \mathbf{M}_{12} \mathbf{y} \text{ where } \mathbf{M}_{12} = \mathbf{I} - (\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)[(\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)'(\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)]^{-1}(\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)'$$

Thus, because the “M” matrix is different, the coefficient vector is different. The second set of coefficients in the second regression is

$$\mathbf{b}_2 = [(\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)' \mathbf{M}_1 (\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)]^{-1} (\mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{y} = (\mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{X}_2)^{-1} \mathbf{X}_2' \mathbf{M}_1 \mathbf{y} \text{ because } \mathbf{M}_1 \text{ is idempotent.}$$

