

# Solutions for Econometrics I Homework No.3

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## Exercise 3.1

We have the following model:

$$y_{TN \times 1} = X_{TN \times Nk} \beta_{Nk \times 1} + u_{TN \times 1}$$

In Matrix notation this looks like:

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_{11} \\ \vdots \\ y_{1T} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ y_{N1} \\ \vdots \\ y_{NT} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_{1T \times k} & 0 & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & X_{2T \times k} & & & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \ddots & & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & \ddots & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & & 0 & \dots & \dots & X_{NT \times k} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{1k \times 1} \\ \beta_{2k \times 1} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \beta_{Nk \times 1} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} u_{11} \\ \vdots \\ u_{1T} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ u_{N1} \\ \vdots \\ u_{NT} \end{pmatrix}$$

The cont. correlation among the observations  $\mathbf{E}(u_{i,t}u_{j,t}) = \sigma_{ij}$  and  $\mathbf{E}(u_{it}^2) = \sigma_i^2$  results into a VCV of the following form:

$$\Sigma_{uu_{TN \times TN}} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1^2 I_T & \sigma_{1,2} I_T & \dots & \dots & \sigma_{1N} I_T \\ \vdots & \sigma_2^2 I_T & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ \sigma_{N,1} I_T & \dots & \dots & & \sigma_N^2 I_T \end{pmatrix}$$

To write the VCV in more compact form we introduce  $\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}$  given by:

$$\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1^2 & \sigma_{1,2} & \dots & \dots & \sigma_{1N} \\ \vdots & \sigma_2^2 & & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & \\ \sigma_{N,1} & \dots & \dots & & \sigma_N^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

We can write now  $\Sigma_{uu_{TN \times TN}} = (\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}} \otimes I_T)$ .

The generalized least squares estimator is given by:

$$\tilde{\beta}_{GLS} = [X'(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes I_T)X]^{-1}[X'(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes I_T)y]$$

Show that if  $X_1 = X_2 = X_3 = \dots = X_N = X$  then  $\tilde{\beta}_{GLS}$  coincides with the OLS estimator (for N separate OLS Regressions).

The X-matrix ( $X_{TN \times Nk}$ ) looks now like

$$\begin{pmatrix} X & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & X & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & & 0 & X \end{pmatrix}$$

which can be rewritten as  $X = (I_N \otimes X_{T \times k})$ . The GLS estimator then becomes:

$$\tilde{\beta}_{GLS} = [X'(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes I_T)X]^{-1}[X'(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes I_T)y] \quad (1)$$

$$= [(I_N \otimes X'_{k \times T})(\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}^{-1} \otimes I_T)(I_N \otimes X_{T \times k})]^{-1}[(I_N \otimes X')(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes I_T)y_{N \times 1}] \quad (2)$$

$$= [(\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}^{-1} \otimes X'_{k \times T})(I_N \otimes X_{T \times k})]^{-1}[(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes X')y] \quad (3)$$

$$= [(\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}^{-1} \otimes X'X_{k \times k})]^{-1}[(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes X')y] \quad (4)$$

$$= [\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}^{-1} \otimes (X'X_{k \times k})^{-1}][(\Sigma_0^{-1} \otimes X')y] \quad (5)$$

$$= \underbrace{[\Sigma_{0_{N \times N}} \Sigma_{0_{N \times N}}^{-1}]_{I_N}} \otimes (X'X)^{-1}X'y \quad (6)$$

$$= (I_N \otimes (X'X)^{-1}X'y) \quad (7)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} (X'X)^{-1}X'y_1 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ (X'X)^{-1}X'y_N \end{pmatrix} \quad (8)$$

Where we have used the following rules concerning the Kronecker product: For A, B nonsingular it holds that

$$(A \otimes B)^{-1} = A^{-1} \otimes B^{-1}.$$

For A, B with matching dimensions

$$(A \otimes B)(C \otimes D) = (AC \otimes BD).$$

### Exercise 3.2

(i) Show that the function  $f(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$  is a density function, i.e. show that it integrates to one over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Show that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

One may split up the integral on the left-hand side:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = \int_{-\infty}^0 \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy + \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = 2 \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy \quad (9)$$

Now take the square of it and rename  $y$  into  $t$  in one factor. Since the integral with respect to  $t$  can be considered constant with respect to  $y$ , it may be put into the integral with respect to  $y$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy\right)^2 &= \left(\int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{t^2}{2}\right) dt\right) \left(\int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy\right) = \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{t^2}{2}\right) dt\right) \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Now substitute in (10) for  $t = xy$ , which implies " $dt = y dx$ ". (Note: we substitute for  $t$  since it is in the "inner integral" and thus  $y$  can be regarded as constant (? right?))

$$\int_0^{\infty} \left(\int_0^{\infty} y \exp\left(-\frac{x^2 y^2}{2}\right) dx\right) \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{(1+x^2)y^2}{2}\right) y dx dy$$

By Fubini's Theorem\*, we may interchange the  $\int$ -signs in (10).

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} y \exp\left(-\frac{(1+x^2)y^2}{2}\right) dy dx$$

Now set  $z := \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}y}{\sqrt{2}}$ , i.e.  $y = z\sqrt{\frac{2}{1+x^2}}$  and  $dy = \sqrt{\frac{2}{1+x^2}} dz$  :

$$= 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} \int_0^{\infty} z \exp(-z^2) dz dx$$

We know the antiderivative of the "inner integral":

$$\int_0^{\infty} z \exp(-z^2) dz = \left| -\exp(-z^2) \right|_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Substituting into the entire expression, and "remembering" that the resulting formula is the definition of arc tan yields the following expression for (10):

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = |\arctan x|_0^{\infty} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

So we know that

$$\left( \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy \right)^2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Since the expression  $\exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$  is non-negative over the interval  $[0, \infty]$ , the whole expression (9) (and its integral) is non-negative, therefore the root of it is non-negative as well

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = 2 \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = 2 \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \sqrt{2\pi}$$

which is what we aimed to show.

Any non-negative Lebesgue-integrable function  $f(x)$  on  $\mathbb{R}$  with total integral over  $\int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) dx$  is a density function for some probability distribution and vice versa.

Note: we could equally have used Fubini's Theorem in order to transform  $(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-\frac{y^2}{2}) dy)^2$  into polar coordinates (see [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gaussian\\_integral](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gaussian_integral)).

\* *Outline of use of Fubini's Theorem in this exercise:* Let  $\mu$  and  $\nu$  some  $\sigma$ -finite measures on  $(\Omega_1, \mathcal{B}_1)$  and  $(\Omega_2, \mathcal{B}_2)$  respectively. Further let  $f(x, y) \in \mathcal{L}^+((\Omega_1 \otimes \Omega_2, (\mathcal{B}_1 \otimes \mathcal{B}_2), \mu \otimes \nu))$ . Then  $\int f d(\mu \otimes \nu) = \int (\int f(x, y) d\nu(y)) d\mu(x) = \int (\int f(x, y) d\nu(x)) d\mu(y)$ .

(ii) Show that a random variable with density function  $f(y)$  has mean 0 and variance 1.

$$\mathbb{E}(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y f(y) dy = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy$$

The antiderivative of  $y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$  is easily recognized:

$$\frac{d}{dy} \left( -\exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right) = y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$$

Therefore

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy = \left| -\exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right|_{-\infty}^{\infty} = 0$$

I.e.  $\mathbb{E}(y) = 0$ .

Since  $E(y) = 0$ ,  $\text{Var}(y) = E(y^2)$ :

$$\text{Var}(y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y^2 f(y) dy = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y \left( y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right) dy =$$

For this we use partial integration: "  $\int_a^b uv' = uv|_a^b - \int_a^b u'v$  " where we set  $u = y$  and  $v' = y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$ :

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left( \left| -y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right|_{-\infty}^{\infty} + \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) dy}_{=\sqrt{2\pi} \text{ by (i)}} \right)$$

The first summand in the above expression is zero since  $\exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)$  vanishes faster as any polynomial as  $y^2 \rightarrow \infty$ :

$$\left| -y \exp\left(-\frac{y^2}{2}\right) \right|_{-\infty}^{\infty} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-n + n) \exp\left(-\frac{n^2}{2}\right) = 0$$

Hence we have  $\text{Var}(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sqrt{2\pi} = 1$ .

### Exercise 3.3

Let  $z_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, T$  be independently distributed  $N(0, \sigma^2)$ . Denote with  $\bar{z} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T z_t$  the empirical mean and with  $s^2 = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T (z_t - \bar{z})^2$  the empirical variance.

Show that

$$\frac{T s^2}{\sigma^2}$$

is  $X_{T-1}$  distributed.

From our Q1 Theorem we know that the quadratic form  $Q = \frac{z'Az}{\sigma^2}$  is  $X_{r,\lambda}$  distributed, with  $\lambda = \frac{\mu'A\mu}{\sigma^2}$  and  $A$  being a projector with  $\text{rk}(A)=r$ .

Proof: Since in our example  $\mu = 0$  it follows that  $\lambda = 0$ . Now consider the quadratic form

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{T s^2}{\sigma^2} &= \frac{T}{\sigma^2} \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T (z_t - \bar{z})^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{\sigma^2} z' \left( I_T - \frac{11'}{T} \right)' \left( I_T - \frac{11'}{T} \right) z \\ &= \frac{z' \left( I_T - \frac{11'}{T} \right) z}{\sigma^2} \end{aligned}$$

We know from a previous exercise, that  $\left( I_T - \frac{11'}{T} \right)$  is a projector projecting on the orthocomplement of the space spanned by 1. Hence its rank is equal to  $T - 1$ . So we can apply the Q1 Theorem, with  $A = \left( I_T - \frac{11'}{T} \right)$ ,  $\lambda = 0$  to get that

$$Q = \frac{z'Az}{\sigma^2}$$

is  $X_{T-1}$  distributed.

### Exercise 3.4

*Show that the expected value (under the true probability measure) of the score is equal to 0, i.e.  $\mathbb{E}(s(\theta|y)) = \mathbf{0}$  and that the variance of the score is equal to the information matrix  $I(\theta|y)$ . Remark: you can assume throughout that you can interchange differentiation and integration when necessary or helpful.*

The random variable is  $y$  which is a function from a  $\sigma$ -field in a probability space to  $\mathbb{R}$ . Moreover any transformation  $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  applied on  $y$  is still a random variable. The probability measure of  $(-\infty, x]$  is thus the function  $\int_{-\infty}^x f(y)dy$  which satisfies the requirements for a probability measure.

We know

$$s(\theta|y) := \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ell(\theta|y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ln f(y|\theta) = \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} f(y|\theta)}{f(y|\theta)}$$

Therefore:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}_\theta (s(\theta|y)) &= \int \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \ell(\theta|y) f(y|\theta) dy = \int \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} f(y|\theta)}{f(y|\theta)} f(y|\theta) dy = \\ &= \int \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} f(y|\theta) dy \end{aligned}$$

Here we may change integration and differentiation signs if there exists a function  $g(y, \theta_0)$  such that  $|\frac{f(y, \theta_0 + \delta) - f(y, \theta_0)}{\delta}| \leq g(y, \theta_0)$  and  $\int_{\mathbb{R}} g(y, \theta_0) dy \leq \infty$ .<sup>1</sup>

$$\mathbb{E}_\theta (s(\theta|y)) = \int \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} f(y|\theta) dy = \frac{d}{d\theta} \underbrace{\int 1 f(y|\theta) dy}_{=\mathbb{E}(1)=1} = \frac{d}{d\theta} 1 = \mathbf{0}$$

We know  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} s(\theta|y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \frac{\partial \ln f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta}$ . The score  $\frac{\partial \ln f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta}$  is a vector whose i-th element is:

$$\left[ \frac{\frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)} \right]_i$$

Differentiating this expression with respect to the vector  $\theta$  is equivalent to differentiating each element of the score. This results into a matrix, whose i-j-th entry is the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \left( \frac{\frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)} \right) \right]_{i,j} &= \left[ \frac{\frac{\partial^2 f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j \partial \theta_i} f(y|\theta) - \frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} \frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)^2} \right]_{i,j} \\ &= \left[ \frac{\frac{\partial^2 f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j \partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)} - \underbrace{\frac{\frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j}}{f(y|\theta)}}_{=\text{j-th element of the score}} \frac{\frac{\partial f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)} \right]_{i,j} \end{aligned}$$

Since the latter two terms are equal to the j-th and the i-th element of the score, respectively, while the very first second derivative is equal the i-j-th entry of the Hessian of  $f$ , we may write the matrix whose i-j-th element is given above as:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} s(\theta|y) = \frac{1}{f(y|\theta)} \mathbf{H}_f - \mathbf{s}(\theta|y) \mathbf{s}(\theta|y)'$$

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<sup>1</sup>compare Casella/Berger (1990): *Statistical Inference*; Duxbury Press, Belmont, CA. p.70



Taking the expected value of the i,j-th element yields the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left( \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} s_i(\theta|y) \right]_{i,j} \right) &= \left[ \int \left( \frac{\frac{\partial^2 f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j \partial \theta_i}}{f(y|\theta)} - \mathbf{s}_i(\theta|y) \mathbf{s}_j(\theta|y)' \right) f(y|\theta) dy \right]_{i,j} = \\ &= \left[ \int \frac{\partial^2 f(y|\theta)}{\partial \theta_j \partial \theta_i} dy - \mathbb{E}(\mathbf{s}_i(\theta|y) \mathbf{s}_j(\theta|y)') \right]_{i,j} \end{aligned}$$

The integral first expression (the second derivative thing) is zero if we may interchange integration and differentiation signs:

$$\int \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta_j \partial \theta_i} f(y|\theta) dy = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i} \underbrace{\int \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i} f(y|\theta) dy}_{=0(*)} = 0$$

Where we know that expression (\*) is zero from the first part of Exercise 3.4.

Knowing that  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} s(\theta|y) = \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \theta \partial \theta'}$ , the Hessian of  $\ell$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E} \left( \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \theta \partial \theta'} \right) &= -\mathbb{E}(s(\theta|y) s(\theta|y)') \\ \mathbb{E}(-H_\ell(\theta|y)) &= \mathbb{E}(s(\theta|y) s(\theta|y)') \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the two definitions of the information  $I(\theta|y)$  yield the same result.

### Exercise 3.5

proof of Lemma 2:

$$F = \frac{(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})' (X'X)(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})}{\frac{\hat{u}'\hat{u}}{\sigma^2} m} (T - k) \quad \text{is } F_{m, T-k}.$$

The denominator  $\frac{\hat{u}'\hat{u}}{\sigma^2}$  is  $\chi_{T-k}^2$  by theorem Q4.

we know that

$$\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} R' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1} R' \right]^{-1} (R\hat{\beta} - r).$$

so we can rearrange:

$$\begin{aligned}
(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta})'(X'X)(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta}) &= \\
&= (R\widehat{\beta} - r)' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1}X'X(X'X)^{-1}R' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} (R\widehat{\beta} - r) \\
&= (R\widehat{\beta} - r)' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} (R\widehat{\beta} - r)
\end{aligned}$$

**null hypothesis holds:**  $R\beta = r$

we know that  $\widehat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y = (X'X)^{-1}X'(X\beta + u) = \beta + (X'X)^{-1}X'u$ . So  $(R\widehat{\beta} - r) = R\beta - r + R(X'X)^{-1}X'u$  (as  $R\beta - r = 0$  by assumption).

Plugging in above yields:

$$(R\widehat{\beta} - r)' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} (R\widehat{\beta} - r) = u'X(X'X)^{-1}R' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1}X'u.$$

Note that the matrix "between the u" is symmetric and idempotent and has Rank m (= number of restrictions = rank of R). So by Theorem Q1, this quantity (divided by  $\sigma^2$ ) is  $\chi_m^2$  (as the u are centered).

As  $\widehat{u} = (I - P)y = (I - P)u$  (where  $P = X(X'X)^{-1}X'$ ) we can write:

$$\begin{aligned}
F &= \frac{(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta})'(X'X)(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta})}{\widehat{u}'\widehat{u}} \frac{(T - k)}{m} \\
&= \frac{u'X(X'X)^{-1}R' \left[ R(X'X)^{-1}R' \right]^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1}X'u}{u'(I - P)u} \frac{(T - k)}{m}
\end{aligned}$$

What's left to check for proving that the whole quantity is  $F_{m, T-k}$  is the independence of the denominator and the nominator. Note that

$$(I - P)X(X'X)^{-1} \dots = \left( X - X(X'X)^{-1}X'X \right) (X'X)^{-1} \dots = 0$$

By theorem Q3, this establishes independence.

$\beta = \beta^0$ , where  $R\beta^0 \neq r$

if this is the case, we know from class (theorem Q5 and the stuff before) that  $\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta} = \beta^0 + (X^+)u - \widetilde{\beta} = (X^+) \left[ u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}) \right]$ .

$u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta})$  is  $N(X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}), \sigma^2 I_T)$ .

*Caution: This conclusion is incorrect: We did the correct thing in class.*

$$\begin{aligned}
 F &= \frac{(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta})'(X'X)(\widehat{\beta} - \widetilde{\beta})}{\widetilde{u}'\widetilde{u} \quad m} \quad (T - k) \\
 &= \frac{(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))'X(X'X)^{-1}(X'X)(X'X)^{-1}X'(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))}{u'(I - P)u \quad m} \quad (T - k) \\
 &= \frac{(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))'X(X'X)^{-1}(X'X)(X'X)^{-1}X'(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))}{u'(I - P)u \quad m} \quad (T - k) \\
 &= \frac{(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))'X(X'X)^{-1}X'(u + X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta}))}{u'(I - P)u \quad m} \quad (T - k)
 \end{aligned}$$

By theorem Q1, the nominator (divided by  $\sigma^2$ ) is  $\chi_k^\lambda$  as  $X(X'X)^{-1}X'$  has rank  $k$  and is symmetric and idempotent.  $\lambda = \frac{(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta})'X'X(\beta^0 - \widetilde{\beta})}{\sigma^2}$ .

Note that  $(I - P)X(X'X)^{-1}X' = 0$ . So by theorem Q3, denominator and nominator are independent.

### Exercise 3.6

leave out  $T - k$  and  $m$

$$\frac{\widetilde{u}'\widetilde{u} - \widehat{u}'\widehat{u}}{\widetilde{u}'\widehat{u}} = \frac{\widetilde{u}'\widetilde{u}}{\widetilde{u}'\widehat{u}} - 1 = \frac{\widetilde{u}'\widetilde{u}/T}{\widetilde{u}'\widehat{u}/T} - 1 = \frac{1 - \widetilde{R}^2}{1 - R^2} - 1 = \frac{1 - \widetilde{R}^2 - (1 - R^2)}{1 - R^2} = \frac{R^2 - \widetilde{R}^2}{1 - R^2}$$

### Exercise 3.7

Exercise 3.7 is very similar to Exercise 3.5.

### Exercise 3.8

Denote with  $\hat{\beta}$  the unrestricted OLS estimator and with  $\tilde{\beta}$  the restricted OLS estimator under the restriction  $R\beta = r$ . Then the quantities  $(R\hat{\beta} - r)'(R(X'X)^{-1}R')^{-1}(R\hat{\beta} - r)$  and  $(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})'X'X(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})$  are equal (and can be written, by Lemma 3, as  $\tilde{u}'\tilde{u} - \hat{u}'\hat{u}$ ).

$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y$ ,  $\tilde{\beta} = \hat{\beta} - Q(R\hat{\beta} - r)$  with  $Q = (X'X)^{-1}R'[R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1}$ .  
Thus  $(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta}) = Q(R\hat{\beta} - r)$  and  $(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})'X'X(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta}) = (R\hat{\beta} - r)'Q'X'XQ(R\hat{\beta} - r)$ .

Now

$$\begin{aligned} Q' &= [(X'X)^{-1}R'[R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1}]' = [[R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1}]' [(X'X)^{-1}R']' = \\ &= [R[R(X'X)^{-1}]^{-1}]^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1} = [R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} &(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta})'X'X(\hat{\beta} - \tilde{\beta}) = \\ &= (R\hat{\beta} - r)' [R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1} R(X'X)^{-1}X'X(X'X)^{-1}R'[R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1}(R\hat{\beta} - r) = \\ &= (R\hat{\beta} - r)' [R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1} [R(X'X)^{-1}R'] [R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1} (R\hat{\beta} - r) = \\ &= (R\hat{\beta} - r)' [R(X'X)^{-1}R']^{-1} (R\hat{\beta} - r) \end{aligned}$$

QED

### Exercise 3.9

Show Lemma 7

$$(y - X_2\beta_2^*)'M_1(y - X_2\beta_2^*) = (y - X\hat{\beta})'(y - X\hat{\beta}) + (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)'H(\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)$$

*Proof:*

Let  $y - X_2\beta_2^* = (y - x\hat{\beta}) + (x\hat{\beta} - X_2\beta_2^*) = (y - x\hat{\beta}) + x_1\hat{\beta}_1 + x_2(\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)$ ,  
then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
(y - X_2\beta_2^*)' M_1(y - X_2\beta_2^*) &= [(y - x\hat{\beta}) + x_1\hat{\beta}_1 + x_2(\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)]' M_1[(y - x\hat{\beta}) + x_1\hat{\beta}_1 + \\
x_2(\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)] &= \underbrace{(y - x\hat{\beta})' M_1(y - x\hat{\beta})}_{\hat{u}} + 2(y - x\hat{\beta})' \underbrace{M_1 X_1}_{=0} \hat{\beta}_1 + 2 \underbrace{(y - x\hat{\beta})' M_1 X_2}_{\hat{u}'} (\hat{\beta}_2 - \\
\beta_2^*) &+ 2\hat{\beta}_1' \underbrace{X_1' M_1 X_2}_{=0} (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*) + (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)' \underbrace{X_2' M_1 X_2}_H (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)
\end{aligned}$$

We know that  $M_1$  is orthogonal to the space spanned by  $\text{col}(X_1)$ , thus  $M_1 X_1 = 0$  and

$$\hat{u} \in [\text{col}(X_1, X_2)]^\perp \subset [\text{col}(X_1)]^\perp, \text{ so}$$

$$\hat{u}' M_1 = \hat{u}'.$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \hat{u} \in [\text{col}(X_2)]^\perp, \text{ so } \hat{u}' X_2 = 0.$$

Hence the right side of the equation above only remains

$$(y - X\hat{\beta})'(y - X\hat{\beta}) + (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)' H (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*), \text{ which is just what we have to show.}$$

### Exercise 3.10, first part

(i) Show Lemma 8 of the document 'Some Basics on Testing':

Under the null hypothesis that  $\beta_2 = \beta_2^*$  (with  $\beta_2^* \in \mathbb{R}^{k_2}$ ), the quantity

$$F = \frac{(\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)' H (\hat{\beta}_2 - \beta_2^*)}{\hat{u}' \hat{u}} \frac{T - k}{k_2}$$

is  $F_{k_2, T-k}$  distributed.

By the Frisch-Waugh Theorem

$$\hat{\beta}_2 = (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} X_2' M_1 y$$

Under the Null-Hypothesis, we hence receive

$$Y = \tilde{X}_2 \beta_2^* + u$$

Inserting this into  $\hat{\beta}_2$  yields

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\beta}_2 &= (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} (X_2' M_1 X_2) \beta_2^* + (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} X_2' M_1 u \\ &= \beta_2^* + (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} X_2' M_1 u\end{aligned}$$

We also know that

$$H = X_2' M_1 X_2$$

Inserting these into the nominator above yields

$$u' ((X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} X_2' M_1)' \underbrace{X_2' M_1 X_2 (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1}}_I X_2' M_1 u$$

$$\underbrace{u' M_1' X_2 (X_2' M_1 X_2)^{-1} X_2' M_1 u}_{\text{symmetric+idempotent}}$$

The rank of this projector is  $k_2$ . By Theorem Q1 and exercise 3.5 we hence know that this, if divided by  $\sigma^2$ , is distributed as  $\chi_m^2$ . We also again know by Theorem Q4 that the denominator is, if divided by  $\sigma^2$ , distributed as  $\chi_{T-k}^2$ .

So what remains is to show independence by multiplying both projectors and receiving:

$$\underbrace{(I - \tilde{X}_2 \tilde{X}_2^+)}_{(I-P_2)} \underbrace{\tilde{X}_2 \tilde{X}_2^+}_{\text{idempotent}} = \tilde{X}_2 \tilde{X}_2^+ - \tilde{X}_2 \tilde{X}_2^+ = 0$$

Again by Theorem Q3 this establishes independence.

(ii) Derive the distribution of the quantity  $F$  when the true value of  $\beta_2$  is equal to some arbitrary, fixed  $\beta_2^0$ .

### **Exercise 3.11**

Exercise 3.11 is concerned with MATLAB programming in groups of two.