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In a simple regression problem, we have $n=16$, $\bar{x}=10$, $s_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}$, and $s_e = 4$. At $x=11$, what is the value of T_0 such that $\text{prob}(\text{prediction error} > T_0) = 0.01$?

(Hint: how do we standardize prediction error?)

$$\text{prob}(\text{pred. err.} > T_0) = .01 \quad] \text{standardize}$$

$$\text{prob}\left(\frac{\text{pred. err.}}{s_{\text{pred. err.}}} > \frac{T_0}{\sqrt{s_y^2 + s_e^2}}\right) = .01 \quad]$$

$$\begin{aligned} s_y &= s_e \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{s_{xx}}} = s_e \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{(n-1)s_x^2}} = 4 \sqrt{\frac{1}{16} + \frac{(11-10)^2}{15(\frac{1}{8})}} \\ &\approx 4 \sqrt{\frac{1}{16} + \frac{8}{15}} \approx 4 \sqrt{\frac{9}{16}} = 3 \\ &\hookrightarrow \approx \frac{8}{16} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{prob}\left(t > \frac{T_0}{\sqrt{9+16}}\right) = .01 \Rightarrow T_0 = 2.6(5)$$

$\underbrace{2.6}_{\leftarrow \text{df}=n-2=14, \text{Table VI}}$

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Here is the regression version of a problem we have seen many times before. Show that, at a given x , the prob that a random y would fall into the abs CI for $\hat{y}(x)$ is

$$\text{pr}\left(t_{\text{obs}} - t^* \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{S_{xx}}} < t < t_{\text{obs}} + t^* \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{S_{xx}}}\right)$$

$$\text{where } t_{\text{obs}} = \frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x)}{S_e}$$

(Hint: How do you standardize observation error?)

$$\text{Obs CI for } \bar{y}(x) : \hat{\bar{y}}(x) \pm t^* S_{\text{est. err}}$$

$$\text{pr}(\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - t^* S_{\text{est. err}} < \bar{y} < \hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) + t^* S_{\text{est. err}}) \rightarrow \text{standardize}$$

$$= \text{pr}\left(\frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x) - t^* S_{\text{est. err}}}{S_e} < \frac{\bar{y} - \bar{y}(x)}{S_e} < \frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x) + t^* S_{\text{est. err}}}{S_e}\right)$$

$$\frac{t_{\text{obs}} - t^* \frac{S_e}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{S_{xx}}}}}{S_e}$$

$$= \text{pr}\left(t_{\text{obs}} - t^* \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x-\bar{x})^2}{S_{xx}}} < t < \dots\right)$$

b) Show that, at a given x , the prob that a random $\hat{y}(x)$ would fall into the abs CI for $\bar{y}(x)$ is $\text{pr}(t_{\text{obs}} - t^* < t < t_{\text{obs}} + t^*)$

$$\text{where } t_{\text{obs}} = \frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x)}{S_{\text{est. err}}}.$$

(Hint: how do you standardize estimation error?)

$$\text{pr}(\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - t^* S_{\text{est. err}} < \hat{y}(x) < \hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) + t^* S_{\text{est. err}})$$

$$= \text{pr}\left(\frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x) - t^* S_{\text{est. err}}}{S_{\text{est. err}}} < \frac{\hat{y}(x) - \bar{y}(x)}{S_{\text{est. err}}} < \frac{\hat{y}_{\text{obs}}(x) - \bar{y}(x) + t^* S_{\text{est. err}}}{S_{\text{est. err}}}\right)$$

$$= \text{pr}(t_{\text{obs}} - t^* < t < t_{\text{obs}} + t^*)$$