

ST 705 Linear models and variance components

Homework problem set 8

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1. Monahan exercise 3.6.
2. Monahan exercise 3.7.
3. Prove that if $\lambda^{(1)'}\beta, \dots, \lambda^{(k)'}\beta$ are estimable, then so is

$$\sum_{j=1}^k d_j \lambda^{(j)'}\beta,$$

for any scalar constants d_1, \dots, d_k .

4. Assume that $Y = X\beta + U$, where X is an $n \times p$ matrix with $\text{rank}(X) = k < p$, and assume $\lambda'\beta$ is estimable.

(a) Construct an argument to determine the rank of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ \lambda' \end{pmatrix}$.

(b) Construct an argument to determine the rank of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ \lambda'(I - P_{X'}) \end{pmatrix}$.

5. Let X be an $n \times p$ matrix with $\text{rank}(X) = r$, and C be a $(p - r) \times p$ matrix with $\text{rank}(C) = p - r$, such that $\text{col}(X') \cap \text{col}(C') = \{0\}$. Show that

$$\text{rank} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ C \end{pmatrix} = p.$$

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