## Review of concepts for the Normal Linear Model

- $Y_i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma^2), i = 1, 2, ..., n.$
- $\mu_i = E(Y_i) = x_i^t \beta$  linear predictor so  $g(\mu_i) = \mu_i$ .  $\beta$  is the vector of parameters
- The usual notation for the model is,

$$Y = X\beta + \epsilon$$

*Y* is the vector of observations, *X* design matrix,  $\epsilon$  is the vector of errors.

- MLR, ANOVA, ANCOVA models take this form.
- MLE of  $\beta$  is  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$  (denote this as b)
- $\sigma^2$  is treated as a *nuisance parameter*.





•  $\sigma^2$  can be estimated as

$$\hat{\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{(N-p)} (Y - Xb)^T (Y - Xb) = \frac{1}{(N-p)} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2$$

where  $\hat{Y}_i$  is the fitted value for observation i or  $\hat{Y}_i = x_i^T b$ 

- If  $\hat{Y}$  is the vector of all fitted values, then  $Y \hat{Y}$  is the vector of *residuals*.
- Deviance

$$D = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2 = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (Y - Xb)^T (Y - Xb)$$

which depends on  $\sigma^2$ .





## Hypothesis tests on $\beta$

- $H_0: \beta = \beta_0 = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_q)$ . Model with q-1 covariates.
- $H_1: \beta = \beta_0 = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_p)$ . Model with p-1 covariates.
- Assume p > q so model under H<sub>0</sub> is reduced compared to model for H<sub>1</sub>.
- Fit model under H<sub>0</sub> (H<sub>1</sub>) and compute sum of squares S<sub>0</sub>
  (S<sub>1</sub>)
- Since model under H<sub>1</sub> has more parameters S<sub>0</sub> > S<sub>1</sub>,
- Test H<sub>0</sub> with

$$F = \frac{(S_0 - S_1)}{(p - q)} / \frac{S_1}{(N - p)} = \frac{(D_0 - D_1)}{(p - q)} / \frac{D_1}{(N - p)} \sim F(p - q, N - p)$$

• Reject  $H_0$  if  $F_{obs} > F_{(1-\alpha)}(p-q, N-p)$ 



## Residuals

- Based on  $\hat{e}_i = Y_i \hat{Y}_i = Y_i x_i^T b = obs fitted$
- Standardized residuals:  $r_i = \frac{\hat{e}_i}{\hat{\sigma}(1-h_{ii})^{1/2}}$ ; i = 1, 2, ..., N where  $h_i i$  is i th element on the diagonal of  $H = X(X^TX)^{-1}X^T$ .
- Plots: Normal probability plots, independence, homoscedasticity, constant variance, etc.
- High leverage or influential:  $h_{ii} > 2(p/N)$ ,  $DFITS_i = r_i(h_{ii}/(1-h_{ii})^{1/2}$ .
- Cook's distance:  $D_i = (1/p)(DFITS)^2$ . Large values means "influential".

$$D_i = \frac{1}{\rho}(b - b_{(i)})^T X^T X (b - b_{(i)})$$

and  $b_{(i)}$  is the estimate of  $\beta$  without observation i.



