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ST 412/512
Homework 2 – Solutions
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1. \mu\{Flowers|Intensity, Time + 1\} - \{Flowers|Intensity, Time\} =
(\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 Intensity + \gamma_2 (Time + 1)) - (\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 Intensity + \gamma_2 (Time)) = \gamma_2
Effect of time = \gamma_2
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2. In model 1 we have, the change in mean flowers moving from early to late timing is:  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, Early = 1\} - \{Flowers|Intensity, Early = 0\}$   $= (\beta_0 + \beta_1 Intensity + \beta_2 1) - (\beta_0 + \beta_1 Intensity + \beta_2 0) = \beta_2$ 

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And that should be equivalent to, in model 2, time moving from 24 to 0: \mu\{Flowers|Intensity, Time = 24\} - \{Flowers|Intensity, Time = 0\} = (\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 Intensity + \gamma_2(24)) - (\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 Intensity + \gamma_2(0)) = 24\gamma_2
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These two changes in mean should be equal, so have:  $\beta_2 = 24\gamma_2$ 

3. Model with early variable:

Coefficients:

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Call:
lm(formula = Flowers ~ Intens + Time, data = case0901)
Residuals:
          1Q Median
  Min
                        30
                              Max
-9.652 -4.139 -1.558 5.632 12.165
Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 71.305834 3.273772 21.781 6.77e-16 ***
          -0.040471 0.005132 -7.886 1.04e-07 ***
Intens
TimeEarly 12.158333 2.629557 4.624 0.000146 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 6.441 on 21 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.7992, Adjusted R-squared: 0.78
F-statistic: 41.78 on 2 and 21 DF, p-value: 4.786e-08
Model with time variable:
lm(formula = Flowers ~ Intens + time, data = case0901)
Residuals:
          1Q Median
                        3Q
-9.652 -4.139 -1.558 5.632 12.165
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Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 71.305834 3.273772 21.781 6.77e-16 ***
Intens -0.040471 0.005132 -7.886 1.04e-07 ***
time 0.506597 0.109565 4.624 0.000146 ***
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 6.441 on 21 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.7992, Adjusted R-squared: 0.78
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Note: the coefficient estimates for intercept and intensity are equal for the two models.  $\hat{\beta}_2 = 12.1583$ ;  $\hat{\gamma}_2 = 0.5066 \Rightarrow 24 * 0.5066 \approx 12.1583$ .

## R Input:

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#### Question 1 ####
head(case0901)
case0901$time = ifelse(case0901$Time == "Early", 24, 0)

# Fit model using early variable
m.early = lm(Flowers ~ Intensity + Time, data = case0901)
summary(m.early)

# Fit model using time variable
m.time = lm(Flowers ~ Intensity + time, data = case0901)
summary(m.time)
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Q2:

1.

- a)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_6$
- b)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0$
- c)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_2 + \beta_6$
- d)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_2$

2.

- a)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_6$
- b)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0$
- c)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_2 + \beta_6 + \beta_8$
- d)  $\mu\{Flowers|Intensity, early\} = \beta_0 + \beta_2$

3. Plot A = no interaction variable present in model; Plot B = interaction variable present in model

<u>Q3</u>:

For problem three, let:

I = college; II = high school/some college; III = high school only

$$v.II = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if in group } II \\ 0 \text{ if in group } I \text{ or } III \end{cases} & & v.III = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if in group } III \\ 0 \text{ if in group } I \text{ or } II \end{cases}$$

1. 
$$\mu\{Score | Age, Educ\} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 Age + \beta_2(v.II) + \beta_3(v.III) + \beta_4[(Age) * (v.II)] + \beta_5[(Age) * (v.III)]$$

Diverging gap measured by:  $\beta_5$ 

2. 
$$\mu\{Score | Age, Educ\} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 Age + \beta_2(v.II) + \beta_3(v.III) + \beta_4[(Age)*(v.III)]$$
  
Diverging gap measured by:  $\beta_4$