

# The Coefficient of Determination

Lecture 46  
Section 13.9

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# Explaining the Variation in $y$

- Statisticians use regression models to “explain”  $y$ .
- More specifically, through the model they use *variation* in  $x$  to explain *variation* in  $y$ .

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- That is, because there is **variability in height**.
- But that is only a **partial explanation**.

# Explaining the Variation in $y$

- Statisticians want to quantify how much of the variation in  $y$  is explained by the variation in  $x$ .
- We measure variation in  $y$  by the standard deviation

$$s_y = \sqrt{\frac{SSY}{n-1}}.$$

- However, the key component is  $SSY$ .

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# The Regression Identity

- Variation in the data (**Total** sum of squares):

$$SST = \sum (y - \bar{y})^2.$$

- (This is the same as SSY.)
- Variation in the model (**Regression** sum of squares):

$$SSR = \sum (\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2.$$

- Residues (Sum of squared **Errors**):

$$SSE = \sum (y - \hat{y})^2.$$

# The Regression Identity

- SST is the **observed** variation in  $y$ .
- SSR is the **predicted** variation in  $y$  (according to the model).
- SSE is the **unexplained** variation in  $y$  (not explained by the model).

## Example - SST, SSR, and SSE

- The following data represent the heights and weights of 10 adult males.

Height ( $x$ )	Weight ( $y$ )
70	185
65	140
71	180
76	220
68	150
67	170
68	185
72	200
74	210
69	160

## Example - SST, SSR, and SSE

- The regression line is

$$\hat{y} = -310 + 7x.$$

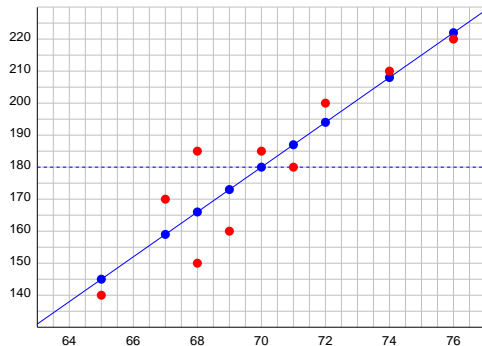
- The model predicts, for example, that if a person is 70 inches tall, he will weigh 180 pounds.
- The model also predicts that a person will weigh an additional 7 pounds for each additional inch of height.

# Example - SST, SSR, and SSE

- Compute the predicted weight:  $Y_1(L_1) \rightarrow L_3$ .

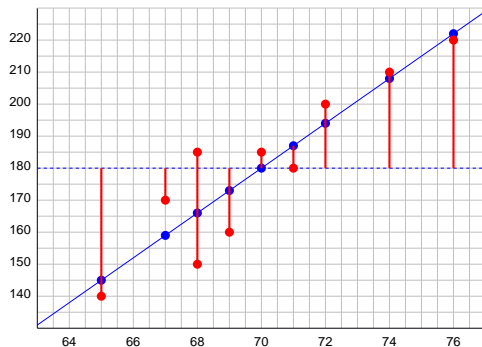
Height ( $x$ )	Weight ( $y$ )	Pred. Wgt. ( $\hat{y}$ )
70	185	180
65	140	145
71	180	187
76	220	222
68	150	166
67	170	159
68	185	166
72	200	194
74	210	208
69	160	173

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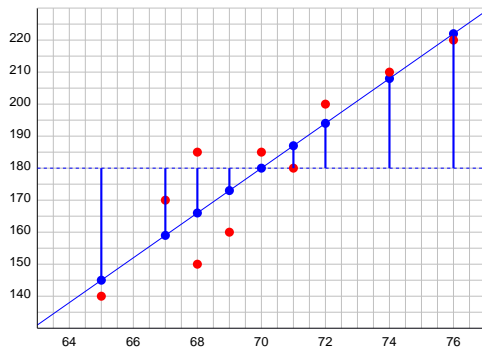
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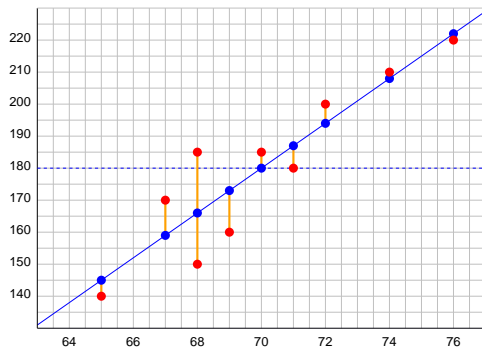
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# Example

- Compute SST.

$x$	$y$	$y - \bar{y}$	$(y - \bar{y})^2$
70	185		
65	140		
71	180		
76	220		
68	150		
67	170		
68	185		
72	200		
74	210		
69	160		

# Example

- Compute SST:  $\sum (y - \bar{y})^2$ .

$x$	$y$	$y - \bar{y}$	$(y - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	5	
65	140	-40	
71	180	0	
76	220	40	
68	150	-30	
67	170	-10	
68	185	5	
72	200	20	
74	210	30	
69	160	-20	

# Example

- Compute SST:  $\text{Ans}^2$ .

$x$	$y$	$y - \bar{y}$	$(y - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	5	25
65	140	-40	1600
71	180	0	0
76	220	40	1600
68	150	-30	900
67	170	-10	100
68	185	5	25
72	200	20	400
74	210	30	900
69	160	-20	400

# Example

- Compute SST:  $\text{sum}(Ans)$ .

$x$	$y$	$y - \bar{y}$	$(y - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	5	25
65	140	-40	1600
71	180	0	0
76	220	40	1600
68	150	-30	900
67	170	-10	100
68	185	5	25
72	200	20	400
74	210	30	900
69	160	-20	400
			5950

# Example

- Compute SSR.

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$\hat{y} - \bar{y}$	$(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2$
70	185			
65	140			
71	180			
76	220			
68	150			
67	170			
68	185			
72	200			
74	210			
69	160			

# Example

- Compute SSR:  $Y_1 (L_1) \rightarrow L_3$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$\hat{y} - \bar{y}$	$(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	180		
65	140	145		
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76	220	222		
68	150	166		
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68	185	166		
72	200	194		
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# Example

- Compute SSR:  $L_3 - \bar{y}$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$\hat{y} - \bar{y}$	$(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	180	0	
65	140	145	-35	
71	180	187	7	
76	220	222	42	
68	150	166	-14	
67	170	159	-21	
68	185	166	-14	
72	200	194	14	
74	210	208	28	
69	160	173	-7	

# Example

- Compute SSR:  $\text{Ans}^2$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$\hat{y} - \bar{y}$	$(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	180	0	0
65	140	145	-35	1225
71	180	187	7	49
76	220	222	42	1764
68	150	166	-14	196
67	170	159	-21	441
68	185	166	-14	196
72	200	194	14	196
74	210	208	28	784
69	160	173	-7	49

# Example

- Compute SSR:  $\text{sum}(\text{Ans})$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$\hat{y} - \bar{y}$	$(\hat{y} - \bar{y})^2$
70	185	180	0	0
65	140	145	-35	1225
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76	220	222	42	1764
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# Example

- Compute SSE.

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$y - \hat{y}$	$(y - \hat{y})^2$
70	185			
65	140			
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76	220			
68	150			
67	170			
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70	185	180		
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# Example

- Compute SSE:  $L_2 - L_3 \rightarrow L_4$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$y - \hat{y}$	$(y - \hat{y})^2$
70	185	180	5	
65	140	145	-5	
71	180	187	-7	
76	220	222	-2	
68	150	166	-16	
67	170	159	11	
68	185	166	19	
72	200	194	6	
74	210	208	-7	
69	160	173	-13	

# Example

- Compute SSE:  $\text{Ans}^2$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$y - \hat{y}$	$(y - \hat{y})^2$
70	185	180	5	25
65	140	145	-5	25
71	180	187	-7	49
76	220	222	-2	4
68	150	166	-16	256
67	170	159	11	121
68	185	166	19	361
72	200	194	6	36
74	210	208	-7	49
69	160	173	-13	169

# Example

- Compute SSE:  $\text{sum}(\text{Ans})$ .

$x$	$y$	$\hat{y}$	$y - \hat{y}$	$(y - \hat{y})^2$
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65	140	145	-5	25
71	180	187	-7	49
76	220	222	-2	4
68	150	166	-16	256
67	170	159	11	121
68	185	166	19	361
72	200	194	6	36
74	210	208	-7	49
69	160	173	-13	169
				1050

# Example

- We have now found that

$$\text{SSR} = 4900.$$

$$\text{SSE} = 1050.$$

$$\text{SST} = 5950.$$

- We see that

$$\text{SSR} + \text{SSE} = \text{SST}.$$

- This is called the **regression identity**.

# Explaining Variation

- It follows that the total variation in  $y$  (SST) can be separated into two parts:
  - SSR = the part “explained” by the model.
  - SSE = the part unexplained by the model.

# Explaining Variation

- Furthermore,

$$1 = \frac{SSR}{SST} + \frac{SSE}{SST}.$$

- So, the fraction

$$\frac{SSR}{SST}$$

can be interpreted as the proportion of SST that is explained by the model.

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## TI-83 SSR, SSE, and SST

- Put the  $x$  values into  $L_1$  and the  $y$  values into  $L_2$ .
- Use  $\text{LinReg}(a+bx)$   $L_1, L_2, Y_1$ .
- Enter  $Y_1(L_1) \rightarrow L_3$ .
- To get SSR, evaluate  $\text{sum}((L_3 - \bar{Y})^2)$ .
- To get SSE, evaluate  $\text{sum}((L_2 - L_3)^2)$ .
- To get SST, evaluate  $\text{sum}((L_2 - \bar{Y})^2)$ .

# Explaining Variation

- It can be shown that

$$r^2 = \frac{SSR}{SST}$$

and, therefore,

$$1 - r^2 = \frac{SSE}{SST}.$$

- Therefore,  $r^2$  is the proportion of variation in  $y$  that is explained by the model. It is called the **coefficient of determination**.
- $1 - r^2$  is the proportion that is not explained by the model.

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# TI-83 - Coefficient of Determination

## TI-83 Coefficient of Determination

- To calculate  $r^2$  on the TI-83, follow the procedure that produces the regression line and  $r$ .
- In the same window, the TI-83 reports the value of  $r^2$ .

# Coefficient of Determination

## Example (Coefficient of Determination)

- In the height-weight example, we found that  $r = 0.9075$ .
- Then  $r^2 = 0.8235$ .
- So, 82% of variation in weight can be explained by variation in height.
- The remaining 18% of variation in weight is due to some other factor.

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# Assignment

## Homework

- Read Section 13.9, pages 868 - 869.
- Exercises 35(a), 36(f),