

Math 584 Exam 2 is on Tuesday, March. 23. You are allowed 9 sheets of notes and a calculator. CHECK FORMULAS!

37) **Know:** If  $\mathbf{Z}_n \xrightarrow{D} \mathbf{Z}$ , then  $\mathbf{Z}$  is the limiting distribution of  $\mathbf{Z}_n$  and does not depend on  $n$  (since  $\mathbf{Z}$  is found by taking a limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ).

Often  $\mathbf{Z}_n \xrightarrow{D} N_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$  and  $\mathbf{Z}_n \sim N_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$  behave similarly (compare 7) and 36)). A big difference is that the distribution on the RHS (right hand side) can depend on  $n$  for  $\sim$  but not for  $\xrightarrow{D}$ .

38) **Know:** Often want a normal approximation where the RHS can depend on  $n$ . Write  $\mathbf{Z}_n \sim AN_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$  for an approximate multivariate normal distribution where the RHS may depend on  $n$ . For the model in 35), if  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim N_n(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$ , then  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$ . If the  $\epsilon_i$  are iid with  $E(\epsilon_i) = 0$  and  $V(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2$ , use the multivariate normal approximation  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim AN_p(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$  or  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim AN_p(\boldsymbol{\beta}, MSE(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$ . The RHS depends on  $n$  since the number of rows of  $\mathbf{X}$  is  $n$ .

39) Suppose  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_n$  is positive definite and symmetric. If  $\mathbf{W}_n \xrightarrow{D} N_k(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$  and  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_n \xrightarrow{P} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$ , then  $\mathbf{Z}_n = \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_n^{-1/2}(\mathbf{W}_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}) \xrightarrow{D} N_k(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$ , and  $\mathbf{Z}_n^T \mathbf{Z}_n = (\mathbf{W}_n - \boldsymbol{\mu})^T \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_n^{-1}(\mathbf{W}_n - \boldsymbol{\mu}) \xrightarrow{D} \chi_k^2$ .

40) Let  $\mathbf{x} = (1 \ \mathbf{u}^T)^T$  where  $\mathbf{u}$  is the vector of nontrivial predictors. Let the sample mean and sample covariance matrix of the nontrivial predictors be  $\bar{\mathbf{u}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbf{u}_i$  and

$\mathbf{C}_u = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})^T$ . Let the  $i$ th squared Mahalanobis distance  $MD_i^2 = (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})^T \mathbf{C}_u^{-1}(\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})$ . Then  $h_i = \frac{1}{n-1} MD_i^2 + \frac{1}{n}$ . Then  $MD_i^2 = d^2$  is the equation of a hyperellipsoid. Points that lie on the hyperellipsoid all have  $MD_i^2 = d^2$ . The  $MD_i^2$  tend to be bounded in probability ( $MD_i^2 \approx \chi_{p-1}^2$  if the  $\mathbf{u}_i$  are iid MVN). Hence  $\max(h_1, \dots, h_n) \xrightarrow{P} 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  is considered to be a mild assumption.

41) Let  $f(\mathbf{y}|\boldsymbol{\theta})$  be the joint pdf of  $Y_1, \dots, Y_n$ . If  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{y}$  is observed, then **the likelihood function**  $L(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = f(\mathbf{y}|\boldsymbol{\theta})$ . Note: it is crucial to observe that the likelihood function is a function of  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  (and that  $y_1, \dots, y_n$  act as fixed constants).

42) For each sample point  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$ , let  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{y})$  be a parameter value at which  $L(\boldsymbol{\theta}|\mathbf{y})$  attains its maximum as a function of  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  with  $\mathbf{y}$  held fixed. Then a maximum likelihood estimator (**MLE**) of the parameter  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  based on the sample  $\mathbf{Y}$  is  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{Y})$ .

Note: If the MLE  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}$  exists, then  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \in \Theta$ , the parameter space.

43) Know how to find the max and min of a function  $h$  that is continuous on an interval  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . Solve  $h'(x) \equiv 0$  and find the places where  $h'(x)$  does not exist. These values are the **critical points**. Evaluate  $h$  at  $a$ ,  $b$ , and the critical points. One of these values will be the min and one the max.

Assume  $h$  is continuous. Then a critical point  $\theta_o$  is a local max of  $h(\theta)$  if  $h$  is increasing for  $\theta < \theta_o$  in a neighborhood of  $\theta_o$  and if  $h$  is decreasing for  $\theta > \theta_o$  in a neighborhood of  $\theta_o$ . The first derivative test is often used.

If  $h$  is strictly concave ( $\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} h(\theta) < 0$  for all  $\theta$ ), then any local max of  $h$  is a global max.

Suppose  $h'(\theta_o) = 0$ . The 2nd derivative test states that if  $\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} h(\theta_o) < 0$ , then  $\theta_o$  is a

local max.

If  $h(\theta)$  is a continuous function on an interval with endpoints  $a < b$  (not necessarily finite), and differentiable on  $(a, b)$  and if the **critical point is unique**, then the critical point is a **global maximum** if it is a local maximum (because otherwise there would be a local minimum and the critical point would not be unique). To show that  $\hat{\theta}$  is the MLE (the global maximizer of  $\log L(\theta)$ ), show that  $\log L(\theta)$  is differentiable on  $(a, b)$  where  $\Theta$  may contain the endpoints  $a$  and  $b$ . Then show that  $\hat{\theta}$  is the unique solution to the equation  $\frac{d}{d\theta} \log L(\theta) = 0$  and that the 2nd derivative evaluated at  $\hat{\theta}$  is negative:  $\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} \log L(\theta)|_{\hat{\theta}} < 0$ .

44) **Know:** In addition to differentiating the log likelihood, the MLE can sometime be found by directly maximization of the likelihood  $L(\theta)$ . For regression,  $\theta = (\beta, \sigma)$  or  $(\beta, \sigma^2)$ . Can often fix  $\sigma$  and then show  $\hat{\beta}$  is the MLE by direct maximization. The the MLE  $\hat{\sigma}$  or  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  can be found by maximizing the log profile likelihood function  $\log[L_p(\sigma, \hat{\beta})]$  or  $\log[L_p(\sigma^2, \hat{\beta})]$  where  $L_p(\sigma, \hat{\beta}) = L(\sigma, \beta = \hat{\beta})$ . See HW5 1 and Q4 1.

45) **Orthogonal regression:** let  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  where  $X$  is full rank  $p$  and  $X = [v_0 \ v_1 \ \dots \ v_{p-1}]$ . Suppose the columns of  $X$  are orthogonal so  $v_i^T v_j = 0$  for  $i \neq j$ . Then  $X^T X = \text{diag}(v_i^T v_i)$  and  $(X^T X)^{-1} = \text{diag}(1/(v_i^T v_i))$ . Then  $\hat{\beta}_j = \frac{v_j^T y}{v_j^T v_j}$  for  $j = 0, 1, \dots, p-1$ . Also, the  $\hat{\beta}_j$  remain unchanged if columns of  $X$  other than  $v_j$  are deleted.

**46)-51) are for the nonfull rank linear model.**

46) **Know:** The **nonfull rank linear model:** suppose  $Y = X\beta + \epsilon$  where  $X$  has rank  $r < p$  and  $X$  is an  $n \times p$  matrix.

i)  $P_X = X(X^T X)^- X^T$  is the unique projection matrix on  $C(X)$  and does not depend on the generalized inverse  $(X^T X)^-$ . (Recall that projection matrices are symmetric and idempotent but singular unless  $P_X = I$ . Also recall that  $P_X X = X$ , so  $X^T P_X = X^T$ .)

ii)  $\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^- X^T Y$  does depend on  $(X^T X)^-$  and is not unique.

iii)  $\hat{Y} = X\hat{\beta} = P_X Y$ ,  $e = Y - \hat{Y} = Y - X\hat{\beta} = (I - P_X)Y$  and  $RSS = e^T e$  are unique and so do not depend on  $(X^T X)^-$ .

iv)  $\hat{\beta}$  is a solution to the *normal equations*:  $X^T X\hat{\beta} = X^T Y$ .

v) It can be shown that  $\text{rank}(P_X) = r$  and  $\text{rank}(I - P_X) = n - r$ .

vi) Let  $\hat{\theta} = X\hat{\beta}$  and  $\theta = X\theta$ . Suppose there exists a constant vector  $c$  such that  $E(c^T \hat{\theta}) = c^T \theta$ . Then among the class of linear unbiased estimators of  $c^T \theta$ , the least squares estimator  $c^T \hat{\theta}$  is BLUE.

vii) If  $\text{Cov}(Y) = \text{Cov}(\epsilon) = \sigma^2 I$ , then  $MSE = \frac{RSS}{n-r} = \frac{e^T e}{n-r}$  is an unbiased estimator of  $\sigma^2$ .

viii) Let the columns of  $X_1$  form a basis for  $C(X)$ . For example, take  $r$  linearly independent columns of  $X$  to form  $X_1$ . Then  $P_X = X_1(X_1^T X_1)^{-1} X_1^T$ .

47) **Know:** Let  $a$  and  $b$  be constant vectors. Then  $a^T \beta$  is **estimable** if there exists a linear unbiased estimator  $b^T Y$  so  $E(b^T Y) = a^T \beta$ .

48) **Know:** The quantity  $a^T \beta$  is estimable iff  $a^T = b^T X$  iff  $a = X^T b$  (for some

constant vector  $\mathbf{b}$ ) iff  $\mathbf{a} \in C(\mathbf{X}^T)$ .

49) If  $\mathbf{a}^T\boldsymbol{\beta}$  is estimable and a least squares estimator  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$  is any solution to the normal equations  $\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{X}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} = \mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{Y}$ . Then  $\mathbf{a}^T\boldsymbol{\beta}$  is unique and  $\mathbf{a}^T\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$  is the BLUE of  $\mathbf{a}^T\boldsymbol{\beta}$ .

50) The term “estimable” is misleading since there are nonestimable quantities  $\mathbf{a}^T\boldsymbol{\beta}$  that can be estimated with biased or nonlinear estimators.

51) Estimable quantities tend to go with the nonfull rank linear model. Can avoid nonestimable functions by using a full rank model instead of a nonfull rank model (delete columns of  $\mathbf{X}$  until it is full rank).

**Back to the full rank linear model.**

52) The **Gauss Markov theorem**: Let  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  where  $\mathbf{X}$  is full rank  $p$ ,  $E(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \sigma^2\mathbf{I}$ . Then  $\mathbf{a}^T\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$  is the BLUE for  $\mathbf{a}^T\boldsymbol{\beta}$  for any constant  $p \times 1$  vector  $\mathbf{a}$ .

(Also see 32 b.)

53) The *generalized least squares* (GLS) model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  where  $\mathbf{Y}$  is an  $n \times 1$  vector of dependent variables,  $\mathbf{X}$  has full rank  $p$ ,  $E(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \mathbf{0}$ , and  $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \sigma^2\mathbf{V}$  where  $\mathbf{V}$  is a **known**  $n \times n$  symmetric positive definite matrix. The least squares (LS) or ordinary least squares (OLS) model is the special case where  $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{I}$ .

54) The *weighted least squares* (WLS) model with weights  $w_1, \dots, w_n$  is the special case of the GLS model where  $\mathbf{V}$  is diagonal:  $\mathbf{V} = \text{diag}(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  and  $w_i = 1/v_i$ .

55) The *feasible generalized least squares* (FGLS) model is the same as the GLS estimator except that  $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  is a function of an unknown  $q \times 1$  vector of parameters  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$ . Let the estimator of  $\mathbf{V}$  be  $\hat{\mathbf{V}} = \mathbf{V}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})$ . The *feasible weighted least squares* (FWLS) estimator is the special case of the FGLS estimator where  $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$  is diagonal. Hence the estimated weights  $\hat{w}_i = 1/\hat{v}_i = 1/v_i(\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}})$ .

56) The *GLS estimator*  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{GLS} = (\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}^T\mathbf{V}^{-1}\mathbf{Y}$ . The fitted values are  $\hat{\mathbf{Y}}_{GLS} = \mathbf{X}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{GLS}$ .

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Then the *FGLS estimator*  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{FGLS} = (\mathbf{X}^T\hat{\mathbf{V}}^{-1}\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}^T\hat{\mathbf{V}}^{-1}\mathbf{Y}$ . The fitted values are  $\hat{\mathbf{Y}}_{FGLS} = \mathbf{X}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{FGLS}$ . The FWLS estimator and fitted values will be denoted by  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{FWLS}$  and  $\hat{\mathbf{Y}}_{FWLS}$ , respectively.

57) It can be shown that the GLS estimator minimizes the GLS criterion

$$Q_{GLS}(\boldsymbol{\eta}) = (\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\eta})^T\mathbf{V}^{-1}(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\eta}).$$

Notice that the FGLS and FWLS estimators have  $p + q + 1$  unknown parameters. These estimators can perform very poorly if  $n < 10(p + q + 1)$ .

58) There is a symmetric, nonsingular  $n \times n$  matrix  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{V}^{1/2}$  (the square root matrix of  $\mathbf{V}$ ) such that  $\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}$ . Let  $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{Y}$ ,  $\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ . This method uses the spectral theorem (singular value decomposition).

59) **GLS as OLS Theorem**: a)  $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{U}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \mathbf{a}$  follows the OLS model since  $E(\mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{a}) = \sigma^2\mathbf{I}_n$ .

b) The GLS estimator  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{GLS}$  can be obtained from the OLS regression (without an intercept) of  $\mathbf{Z}$  on  $\mathbf{U}$ .

c) For WLS,  $Y_i = \mathbf{x}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta} + \epsilon_i$ . The corresponding OLS model  $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{U}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \mathbf{a}$  is equivalent to  $Z_i = \mathbf{u}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta} + a_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n$  where  $\mathbf{u}_i^T$  is the  $i$ th row of  $\mathbf{U}$ . Then  $Z_i = \sqrt{w_i} Y_i$  and  $\mathbf{u}_i = \sqrt{w_i} \mathbf{x}_i$ . Hence  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{WLS}$  can be obtained from the OLS regression (without an intercept) of  $Z_i = \sqrt{w_i} Y_i$  on  $\mathbf{u}_i = \sqrt{w_i} \mathbf{x}_i$ .

60) The FGLS estimator can also be found from the OLS regression (without an intercept) of  $\mathbf{Z}$  on  $\mathbf{U}$  where  $\mathbf{V}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}) = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}$ . Similarly the FWLS estimator can be found from the OLS regression (without an intercept) of  $Z_i = \sqrt{\hat{w}_i} Y_i$  on  $\mathbf{u}_i = \sqrt{\hat{w}_i} \mathbf{x}_i$ . But now  $\mathbf{U}$  is a random matrix instead of a constant matrix. Hence these estimators are highly nonlinear.

61) Under regularity conditions, the OLS estimator  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{OLS}$  is a consistent estimator of  $\boldsymbol{\beta}$  when the GLS model holds ( $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \sigma^2 \mathbf{V}$ ), but  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_{GLS}$  should be used because it generally has higher efficiency.

#### Ch. 4 Hypothesis Testing

62) Let  $\mathbf{A}$  be a  $q \times p$  constant matrix with  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = q$ , let  $\mathbf{c}$  be a  $q \times 1$  constant vector, and consider testing  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} = \mathbf{c}$ . If  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  where  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{X}) = p$ ,  $E(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \mathbf{0}$  and  $\text{Cov}(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}) = \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}$ , then  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} \sim N_p(\boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma^2(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1})$ , and  $\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{c} \sim N_q(\mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} - \mathbf{c}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)$ . If  $H_0$  is true then  $\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{c} \sim N_q(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T)$ , and

$$qF = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{c})^T [\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T]^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}} - \mathbf{c}) \sim \chi_q^2.$$

63) If  $H_0$  is true, then by the LS CLT,  $qF \xrightarrow{D} \chi_q^2$  for a large class of zero mean error distributions.

64) **Know:** The partial  $F$  test, and its special cases the Anova  $F$  test and the Wald  $t$  test, use  $\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{0}$ . Let the **full model** use  $Y$ ,  $x_0 \equiv 1$ ,  $x_1, \dots, x_{p-1}$ , and let the **reduced model** use  $Y$ ,  $x_0$ ,  $x_{j_1}, \dots, x_{j_k}$  where  $\{j_1, \dots, j_k\} \subset \{1, \dots, p-1\}$ . Here  $0 \leq k < p-1$ , and if  $k = 0$ , then the model is  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \epsilon_i$ . Hence the full model is  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i,1} + \dots + \beta_{p-1} x_{i,p-1} + \epsilon_i$ , while the reduced model is  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_{j_1} x_{i,j_1} + \dots + \beta_{j_k} x_{i,j_k} + \epsilon_i$ . In matrix form, the full model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  and the reduced model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}_R \boldsymbol{\beta}_R + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  where the columns of  $\mathbf{X}_R$  are a proper subset of the columns of  $\mathbf{X}$ . i) The **partial F test** has  $H_0 : \beta_{j_{k+1}} = \dots = \beta_{j_{p-1}} = 0$ , or  $H_0$  : the reduced model is good, or  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} = \mathbf{0}$  where  $\mathbf{A}$  is a  $p-k-1 \times p$  matrix where the  $i$ th row of  $\mathbf{A}$  has a 1 in the  $j_{k+i}$ th position and zeroes elsewhere. In particular, if  $\beta_0, \dots, \beta_k$  are the only  $\beta_i$  in the reduced model, then  $\mathbf{A} = [\mathbf{0} \ \mathbf{I}_{p-k-1}]$  and  $\mathbf{0}$  is a  $(p-k-1) \times (k+1)$  matrix. Hence  $q = p-k+1 =$  number of predictors in the full model but not in the reduced model. ii) The **Anova F test** is the special case of the partial  $F$  test where the reduced model is  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \epsilon_i$ . Hence  $H_0 : \beta_1 = \dots = \beta_{p-1} = 0$ , or  $H_0$  : none of the nontrivial predictors  $x_1, \dots, x_{p-1}$  are needed in the linear model, or  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} = \mathbf{0}$  where  $\mathbf{A} = [\mathbf{0} \ \mathbf{I}_{p-1}]$  and  $\mathbf{0}$  is a  $(p-1) \times 1$  vector. Hence  $q = p-1$ . iii) The **Wald t test** uses the reduced model that deletes the  $j$ th predictor from the full model. Hence  $H_0 : \beta_j = 0$ , or  $H_0$  : the  $j$ th predictor  $x_j$  is not needed in the linear model given that the other predictors are in the model, or  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}_j \boldsymbol{\beta} = 0$  where  $\mathbf{A}_j = [0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0]$  is a  $1 \times p$  row vector with a 1 in the  $j+1$  position for  $j = 0, \dots, p-1$ . Hence  $q = 1$ .

65) A way to get the test statistic  $F_R$  for the partial  $F$  test is to fit the full model and the reduced model. Let  $RSS(F)$  be the RSS of the full model, and let  $RSS(R)$  be

the RSS of the reduced model. Similarly, let  $MSE(F)$  be the MSE of the full model. Let  $df_R = n - k - 1$  and  $df_F = n - p$  be the degrees of freedom for the reduced and full models. Then  $F_R = \frac{RSS(R) - RSS(F)}{qMSE(F)}$  where  $q = df_R - df_F = p - k - 1 =$  number of predictors in the full model but not in the reduced model.

66) If  $X_n \sim F_{q,d_n}$  where the positive integer  $d_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $qX_n \xrightarrow{D} \chi_q^2$ .

67) A test with test statistic  $T_n$  is a *large sample right tail  $\delta$  test* if the test rejects  $H_0$  if  $T_n > a_n$  and  $P(T_n > a_n) = \delta_n \rightarrow \delta$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  when  $H_0$  is true. Typically want  $\delta \leq 0.1$  and the values  $\delta = 0.05$  or  $\delta = 0.01$  are common. (An analogy is a large sample  $100(1 - \delta)\%$  confidence interval or prediction interval.)

Suppose when  $H_0$  is true,  $T_n \xrightarrow{D} \chi_q^2$ . Suppose  $P(W \leq \chi_q^2(1 - \delta)) = 1 - \delta$  and  $P(W > \chi_q^2(1 - \delta)) = \delta$  where  $W \sim \chi_q^2$ . Suppose  $P(W \leq F_{q,d_n}(1 - \delta)) = 1 - \delta$  when  $W \sim F_{q,d_n}$ . Also write  $\chi_q^2(1 - \delta) = \chi_{q,1-\delta}^2$  and  $F_{q,d_n}(1 - \delta) = F_{q,d_n,1-\delta}$ . Then a test that rejects  $H_0$  if  $T_n > \chi_q^2(1 - \delta)$  is a large sample right tail  $\delta$  test. Also, a test that rejects  $H_0$  if  $T_n/q > F_{q,d_n}(1 - \delta)$  is a large sample right tail  $\delta$  test if the positive integer  $d_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

Suppose when  $H_0$  is true,  $T_n \xrightarrow{D} N(0, 1)$ . Suppose  $P(W > Z(1 - \delta)) = \delta$  when  $W \sim N(0, 1)$ , and  $P(W > t_{d_n}(1 - \delta)) = \delta$  when  $W \sim t_{d_n}$ . Then a test that rejects  $H_0$  if  $T_n > Z(1 - \delta)$  is a large sample right tail  $\delta$  test. Also, a test that rejects  $H_0$  if  $T_n > t_{d_n}(1 - \delta)$  is a large sample right tail  $\delta$  test if the positive integer  $d_n \rightarrow \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

68) Large sample  $t$  tests and intervals are used instead of  $Z$  tests and intervals since the  $t$  tests and intervals are more accurate for moderate  $n$ . Large sample  $F$  tests and intervals are used instead of  $\chi_2$  tests and intervals since the  $F$  tests and intervals are more accurate for moderate  $n$ .

69) **Partial F Test Theorem:** Suppose  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} = \mathbf{0}$  is true for the partial  $F$  test. Under the OLS full rank model, a)

$$F_R = \frac{1}{qMSE} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}})^T [\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T]^{-1} (\mathbf{A}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}).$$

b) If  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim N_n(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$ , then  $F_R \sim F_{q,n-p}$ .

c) For a large class of zero mean error distributions  $qF_R \xrightarrow{D} \chi_q^2$ .

d) The partial  $F$  test that rejects  $H_0 : \mathbf{A}\boldsymbol{\beta} = \mathbf{0}$  if  $F_R > F_{q,n-p}(1 - \delta)$  is a large sample right tail  $\delta$  test for the OLS model for a large class of zero mean error distributions.

70) Let  $X \sim t_{n-p}$ . Then  $X^2 \sim F_{1,n-p}$ . The two tail Wald  $t$  test for  $H_0 : \beta_j = 0$  versus  $H_1 : \beta_j \neq 0$  is equivalent to the corresponding right tailed  $F$  test since rejecting  $H_0$  if  $|X| > t_{n-p}(1 - \delta)$  is equivalent to rejecting  $H_0$  if  $X^2 > F_{1,n-p}(1 - \delta)$ .

71) The **pvalue** of a test is the probability, assuming  $H_0$  is true, of observing a test statistic as extreme as the test statistic  $T_n$  actually observed. For a right tail test, pvalue =  $P_{H_0}$ (of observing a test statistic  $\geq T_n$ ). Under the OLS model where  $F_R \sim F_{q,n-p}$  when  $H_0$  is true (so the  $\epsilon_i$  are iid  $N(0, \sigma^2)$ ), the pvalue =  $P(W > F_R)$  where  $W \sim F_{q,n-p}$ . In general can only estimate the pvalue. Let pval be the estimated pvalue. Then pval =  $P(W > F_R)$  where  $W \sim F_{q,n-p}$ , and pval  $\xrightarrow{P}$  pvalue as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  for the large sample partial  $F$  test. The pvalues in output are usually actually pvals (estimated pvalues).

72) Often  $n > 10p$  starts to give good results for the OLS output for error distributions not too far from  $N(0, 1)$ .

73) Let  $\mathbf{P}$  and  $\mathbf{P}_1$  be the projection matrices on  $\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{X}_1$  where  $\mathbf{X} = [\mathbf{X}_1 \ \mathbf{X}_2]$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\beta}^T = (\boldsymbol{\beta}_1^T, \boldsymbol{\beta}_2^T)$ , the full model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ ,  $H_0 : \boldsymbol{\beta}_2 = \mathbf{0}$ ,  $\mathbf{X}$  has full rank  $p$ , and  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim N_n(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$ . Assume  $H_0$  holds. Then the reduced model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}_1\boldsymbol{\beta}_1 + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ . Also, i)  $\frac{\mathbf{Y}^T(\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1)\mathbf{Y}}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_q^2 \perp\!\!\!\perp \frac{\mathbf{Y}^T(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})\mathbf{Y}}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi_{n-p}^2$  where  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}) = \text{trace}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}) = n - p$  and  $q = \text{rank}(\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1) = \text{trace}(\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1) = p - d$  if  $\mathbf{X}_1$  is  $n \times d$ . Note that  $q$  is the number of predictors in the full model that are not in the reduced model. Also, ii)  $F_R = \frac{n-p}{q} \frac{\mathbf{Y}^T(\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1)\mathbf{Y}}{\mathbf{Y}^T(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})\mathbf{Y}} \sim F_{q, n-p}$ . Also  $W = \frac{X_1/d_1}{X_2/d_2} \sim F_{d_1, d_2}$  if  $X_1 \sim \chi_{d_1}^2 \perp\!\!\!\perp X_2 \sim \chi_{d_2}^2$ .

74) (**Population OLS Coefficients**): Let  $\mathbf{x}_i^T = (1 \ \mathbf{u}_i^T)$  where  $\mathbf{u}_i$  is the vector of nontrivial predictors. Let  $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n X_{jk} = \bar{X}_{ok} = \bar{u}_{ok}$  for  $k = 1, \dots, p-1$ . The subscript "ok" means sum over the first subscript  $j$ . Let  $\bar{\mathbf{u}} = (\bar{u}_{o,1}, \dots, \bar{u}_{o,p-1})^T$  be the sample mean of the  $\mathbf{u}_i$ . Let  $\boldsymbol{\beta}^T = (\beta_0 \ \boldsymbol{\beta}_S^T)$  where the slopes vector  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_S = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_{p-1})^T$ . Let the population covariance matrices  $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{u}) = E[(\mathbf{u} - E(\mathbf{u}))(\mathbf{u} - E(\mathbf{u}))^T] = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}$  and  $\text{Cov}(\mathbf{u}, Y) = E[(\mathbf{u} - E(\mathbf{u}))(Y - E(Y))] = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}Y}$ . Then the population coefficients from an OLS regression of  $Y$  on  $\mathbf{u}$  (even if a linear model does not hold) are

$$\beta_0 = E(Y) - \boldsymbol{\beta}_S^T E(\mathbf{u}) \quad \text{and} \quad \boldsymbol{\beta}_S = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}Y}.$$

75) (**2nd way to compute  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$** ): Let the sample covariance matrices be  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})^T$  and  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}Y} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(Y_i - \bar{Y})$ . Let the method of moments or maximum likelihood estimators be  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})^T$  and  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}Y} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(Y_i - \bar{Y}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbf{u}_i Y_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}} \bar{Y}$ . Suppose that  $\mathbf{w}_i = (Y_i, \mathbf{u}_i^T)^T$  are iid random vectors such that  $\sigma_Y^2$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}Y}$  exist. Then  $\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{Y} - \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S^T \bar{\mathbf{u}} \xrightarrow{P} \beta_0$  and

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S = \frac{n}{n-1} \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}Y} = \tilde{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} \tilde{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}Y} \xrightarrow{P} \boldsymbol{\beta}_S \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

It is important to note that this result is for iid  $\mathbf{w}_i$  with second moments. Do not need a linear model  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  to hold.

76) Result 75) can be shown, after algebra, using  $\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} n\bar{Y} \\ \mathbf{X}_1^T \mathbf{Y} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} n\bar{Y} \\ \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbf{u}_i Y_i \end{pmatrix}$

$$(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{n} + \bar{\mathbf{u}}^T \mathbf{D}^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{u}} & -\bar{\mathbf{u}}^T \mathbf{D}^{-1} \\ -\mathbf{D}^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{u}} & \mathbf{D}^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

where the  $(p-1) \times (p-1)$  matrix  $\mathbf{D}^{-1} = [(n-1)\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}]^{-1} = \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1}/(n-1)$ .

77) **Generalized Cochran's Theorem:** Let  $\mathbf{Y} \sim N_n(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ . Let  $\mathbf{A}_i = \mathbf{A}_i^T$  have rank  $r_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, k$ , and let  $\mathbf{A} = \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{A}_i = \mathbf{A}^T$  have rank  $r$ . Then  $\mathbf{Y}^T \mathbf{A}_i \mathbf{Y} \sim \chi^2(r_i, \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{\mu}^T \mathbf{A}_i \boldsymbol{\mu})$ , and the  $\mathbf{Y}^T \mathbf{A}_i \mathbf{Y}$  are independent, and  $\mathbf{Y}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{Y} \sim \chi^2(r, \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{\mu}^T \mathbf{A} \boldsymbol{\mu})$ , iff

I) any 2 of a)  $\mathbf{A}_i \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$  are idempotent  $\forall i$ ,

b)  $\mathbf{A}_i \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \mathbf{A}_j = \mathbf{0} \quad \forall i < j$ ,

c)  $\mathbf{A} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$  is idempotent

are true; or II) c) is true and d)  $r = \sum_{i=1}^k r_i$ ;

or III) c) is true and e)  $\mathbf{A}_1 \boldsymbol{\Sigma}, \dots, \mathbf{A}_{k-1} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$  are idempotent and  $\mathbf{A}_k \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \geq 0$  is singular.

78) **Distribution of  $F_R$  under normality when  $H_0$  may not hold:** Assume  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X} \boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  where  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim N_n(\mathbf{0}, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I})$ . Let  $\mathbf{X} = [\mathbf{X}_1 \quad \mathbf{X}_2]$  be full rank, and let the reduced model  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}_1 \boldsymbol{\beta}_1 + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ . Then

$$F_R = \frac{\mathbf{Y}^T (\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1) \mathbf{Y} / q}{\mathbf{Y}^T (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}) \mathbf{Y} / (n - p)} \sim F \left( q, n - p, \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}^T \mathbf{X}^T (\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P}_1) \mathbf{X} \boldsymbol{\beta}}{2\sigma^2} \right)$$

where  $F(d_1, d_2, \gamma)$  is a noncentral  $F$  distribution with  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  numerator and denominator degrees of freedom and noncentrality parameter  $\gamma$ . If  $H_0 : \boldsymbol{\beta}_2 = \mathbf{0}$  is true, then  $\gamma = 0$ .

79)  $Y \sim F(d_1, d_2) \sim F(d_1, d_2, 0)$ . Let  $X_1 \sim \chi^2(d_1, \gamma) \perp\!\!\!\perp X_2 \sim \chi^2(d_2, 0)$ . Then  $W = \frac{X_1/d_1}{X_2/d_2} \sim F(d_1, d_2, \gamma)$ .

80) Suppose  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u}^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_U$ , e.g.  $Y_i = \beta_0 + \mathbf{u}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_U + \epsilon_i$ , or  $Y_i = m(\mathbf{u}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_U) + \epsilon_i$ , or a GLM (generalized linear model). If the  $\mathbf{u}_i$  are iid from an elliptically contoured distribution, then often the OLS estimator  $\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S \xrightarrow{P} c \boldsymbol{\beta}_U$  for some constant  $c \neq 0$ .

81) Let  $\boldsymbol{\beta}^T = (\beta_0 \quad \boldsymbol{\beta}_U^T)$  and suppose the full model is  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | (\beta_0 + \mathbf{u}^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_U)$ . Consider testing  $\mathbf{C} \boldsymbol{\beta}_U = \mathbf{0}$ . Let the full model be  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | (\beta_0 + \mathbf{u}_R^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_R + \mathbf{u}_O^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_O)$ , and let the reduced model be  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | (\beta_0 + \mathbf{u}_R^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_R)$  where  $\mathbf{u}^T = (\mathbf{u}_R^T \quad \mathbf{u}_O^T)$  and  $\mathbf{u}_O$  denotes the terms outside of the reduced model. Notice that OLS ANOVA  $F$  test corresponds to  $H_0: \boldsymbol{\beta}_U = \mathbf{0}$  and uses  $\mathbf{L} = \mathbf{I}_{p-1}$ . The tests for  $H_0: \beta_i = 0$  use  $\mathbf{L} = (0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$  where the 1 is in the  $i$ th position and are equivalent to the OLS  $t$  tests. The test  $H_0: \boldsymbol{\beta}_O = \mathbf{0}$  uses  $\mathbf{L} = [\mathbf{0} \quad \mathbf{I}_j]$  if  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_O$  is a  $j \times 1$  vector.

82) Assume  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | (\beta_0 + \boldsymbol{\beta}_U^T \mathbf{u})$ , which is equivalent to  $Y \perp\!\!\!\perp \mathbf{u} | \boldsymbol{\beta}_U^T \mathbf{u}$ . Let the population OLS residual

$$v = Y - \beta_0 - \boldsymbol{\beta}_S^T \mathbf{u}$$

with

$$\tau^2 = E[(Y - \beta_0 - \boldsymbol{\beta}_S^T \mathbf{u})^2] = E(v^2),$$

and let the OLS residual be

$$r = Y - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S^T \mathbf{u}. \tag{1}$$

Then under regularity conditions, results i) – iv) below hold.

i) Li and Duan (1989): The OLS slopes estimator  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_S = c \boldsymbol{\beta}_U$  for some constant  $c$ .

ii) Li and Duan (1989) and Chen and Li (1998):

$$\sqrt{n}(\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S - c \boldsymbol{\beta}_U) \xrightarrow{D} N_{p-1}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{C}_{OLS})$$

where

$$\mathbf{C}_{OLS} = \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} E[(Y - \beta_0 - \boldsymbol{\beta}_S^T \mathbf{u})^2 (\mathbf{u} - E(\mathbf{u})) (\mathbf{u} - E(\mathbf{u}))^T] \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1}.$$

iii) Chen and Li (1998): Let  $\mathbf{L}$  be a known full rank constant  $k \times (p - 1)$  matrix. If the null hypothesis  $H_0: \mathbf{L}\boldsymbol{\beta}_U = \mathbf{0}$  is true, then

$$\sqrt{n}(\mathbf{L}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S - c\mathbf{L}\boldsymbol{\beta}_U) = \sqrt{n}\mathbf{L}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S \xrightarrow{D} N_k(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{L}\mathbf{C}_{OLS}\mathbf{L}^T)$$

and

$$\mathbf{L}\mathbf{C}_{OLS}\mathbf{L}^T = \tau^2 \mathbf{L}\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1}\mathbf{L}^T.$$

To create test statistics, the estimator

$$\hat{\tau}^2 = \text{MSE} = \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n r_i^2 = \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S^T \mathbf{u}_i)^2$$

will be useful. The estimator  $\hat{\mathbf{C}}_{OLS} =$

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [(Y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S^T \mathbf{u}_i)^2 (\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})(\mathbf{u}_i - \bar{\mathbf{u}})^T] \right] \hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1}$$

can also be useful. Notice that for general 1D regression models, the OLS MSE estimates  $\tau^2$  rather than the error variance  $\sigma^2$ .

iv) Result iii) suggests that a test statistic for  $H_0: \mathbf{L}\boldsymbol{\beta}_U = \mathbf{0}$  is

$$W_{OLS} = n\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S^T \mathbf{L}^T [\mathbf{L}\hat{\boldsymbol{\Sigma}}_{\mathbf{u}}^{-1} \mathbf{L}^T]^{-1} \mathbf{L}\hat{\boldsymbol{\beta}}_S / \hat{\tau}^2 \xrightarrow{D} \chi_k^2.$$

83) Under the conditions of 82), if  $H_0: \mathbf{L}\boldsymbol{\beta}_U = \mathbf{0}$  is true, then the test statistic

$$F_R = \frac{n-1}{kn} W_{OLS} \xrightarrow{D} \chi_k^2/k$$

as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . This result means that the OLS partial  $F$  tests are large sample tests for a large class of nonlinear models where  $Y \perp \mathbf{u} | \mathbf{u}^T \boldsymbol{\beta}_U$ .

84) The  $AR(p)$  time series model is  $Y_t = \phi_0 + \phi_1 Y_{t-1} + \dots + \phi_p Y_{t-p} + \epsilon_t$ . In matrix form, this model is  $\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  or

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_{p+1} \\ Y_{p+2} \\ \vdots \\ Y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & Y_p & Y_{p-1} & \dots & Y_1 \\ 1 & Y_{p+1} & Y_p & \dots & Y_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & Y_{n-1} & Y_{n-2} & \dots & Y_{n-p} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_0 \\ \phi_1 \\ \vdots \\ \phi_p \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{p+1} \\ \epsilon_{p+2} \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \end{bmatrix}.$$

If the  $AR(p)$  model is stationary, then under regularity conditions, OLS partial  $F$  tests are large sample tests for this model.