Best fit line

14.3 Coefficient of Determination

GOALS:

- 1. Associate a regression equation with a coefficient of determination, r².
- 2. Understand that r² provides a measure of how well the line fits the data by comparing amounts of variation.
- 3. Compute r^2 as the ratio of the variation in the response variable, \hat{y} (from the regression equation), to the total variation in the observed y (from original data).
- ★4. Interpret r² as the proportion of total variation that is explained by the regression line.
 - 5. Use a calculator to compute r²
 - 6. As a proportion, $r^2 < 1$

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Study Ch. 14.3, #83, 87, 89, b-d for 99, 101

[#79-83 (by hand), 89, 91 (by calc)]

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How useful is the regression line in helping to make predictions?

Is there any measure we can use to help us assess how good a prediction it is?

Coefficient of Determination, r² ★

Compare the variation in the predicted values • to the variation in the observed values •

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Coefficient of Determination, r²

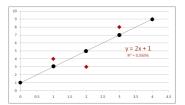
The proportion of variation in the observed values (x,y) explained by the variation in the response variable (x,y)

response observed

The larger this proportion is, the better the response variable is as a predictor of the observed variable.

Since observed variation is the total variation, this proportion has a value between 0 and 1.

$$0 \le r^2 \le 1$$



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Coefficient of Determination, r²

The proportion of variation in the observed values explained by the variation in the response variable

The larger this proportion is, the better the response variable is as a predictor of the observed variable.

$$r^{2} = \frac{SSR}{SST} = \frac{\sum (\hat{y}' - \overline{\hat{y}'})^{2}}{\sum (y - \overline{y})^{2}}, \frac{response}{observed}$$

or
$$r^2 = \frac{S_0^2}{S_y^2}$$

remember

$$S_{j} = \sqrt{\frac{2(y-\bar{q})}{n-1}}$$

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