

$$\begin{pmatrix} X & Y \\ 5 & 10 \\ 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 \\ 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \text{ find correlation}$$

$$E(X) = \frac{5+3+1+6+2}{5} = 3$$

$$E(Y) = \frac{10+6+4+8+5}{5} = 5$$

$$E(XY) = \frac{50+18+4+48+10}{5} = 26$$

$$\text{cov}(X, Y) = 26 - 3 \cdot 5 = 11$$

$$E(X^2) = \frac{25+9+1+36+4}{5} = 15 \rightarrow \text{var}(X) = 15 - 3^2 = 6$$

$$E(Y^2) = \frac{100+36+16+64+25}{5} = 48.2 \rightarrow \text{var}(Y) = 48.2 - 5^2 = 23.2$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{6} = 2.45$$

$$\sigma_y = \sqrt{23.2} = 4.82$$

$$\text{corr}(X, Y) = \frac{11}{2.45 \cdot 4.82} = 0.93$$

in excel you could just type both variables  
and then =correl ('column of 1 variable', 'column of second variable')

derivations:

$$\pi = q(p) \cdot (p - c)$$

$$q(p) = a - b \cdot p$$

$$\max_p \pi = q(p) \cdot (p - c) = (a - b \cdot p)(p - c) = ap - ac - bp^2 + bcp$$

$$\text{FOC: } [p] \quad a - 2bp + bc = 0$$

$$2bp = a + bc$$

$$p = \frac{a + bc}{2b}$$

$$q = a - b \left( \frac{a + bc}{2b} \right) = a - \frac{a + bc}{2} = \frac{a - bc}{2}$$

now we can express this as a regression model

$$q = d_0 + d_1 \cdot c$$

derivations  $\hat{\beta}_0$ ;  $\hat{\beta}_1$ :

$$\text{model: } y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_i + \epsilon_i$$

$$\epsilon_i = y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_i = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i)$$

$$\min_{\beta_0, \beta_1} \sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_i$$

$$\text{FOC: } \left[ \beta_0 \right] \quad -2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 X_i) = 0$$

$$-2 \sum y_i + 2\beta_0 \cdot n + 2\beta_1 \sum X_i = 0$$

$$\sum y_i - \beta_1 \sum x_i = \beta_0 \cdot n$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \frac{\sum y_i - \beta_1 \sum x_i}{n} = \bar{y} - \bar{x} \hat{\beta}_1$$

$$\sum \beta_1 \sum (y_i - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i) (-x_i) = 0$$

$$- \sum (y_i - \bar{y} + \bar{x} \beta_1 - \beta_1 x_i) x_i = 0$$

$$- \sum (y_i - \bar{y}) x_i + \beta_1 \sum (x_i - \bar{x}) x_i = 0$$

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum (y_i - \bar{y}) x_i}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x}) x_i} = \frac{\sum (y_i - \bar{y})(x_i - \bar{x})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(x_i - \bar{x})} = \frac{\sum (y_i - \bar{y})(x_i - \bar{x})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

check A7 and A8 in the appendix of Wooldridge book

show

$$\underbrace{\sum (x_i - \bar{x}) x_i}_{\text{LHS}} = \underbrace{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}_{\text{RHS}}$$

$$\text{LHS} = \sum (x_i^2 - \bar{x} x_i) = \sum x_i^2 - \bar{x} \sum x_i = \sum x_i^2 - n \bar{x}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \sum (x_i^2 - 2x_i \bar{x} + \bar{x}^2) = \sum x_i^2 - 2\bar{x} \sum x_i + \sum \bar{x}^2 \\ &= \sum x_i^2 - 2n\bar{x}^2 + n\bar{x}^2 = \sum x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$



derivation firm output:

Firm	1	2	3	4	5	6
q	15	32	52	14	37	27
c	294	247	153	350	173	218

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})(x_i - \bar{x})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^6 (q_i - \bar{q})(c_i - \bar{c})}{\sum_{i=1}^6 (c_i - \bar{c})^2} = \frac{\text{cov}(q_i, c_i)}{\text{var}(c_i)}$$

$$= \frac{E(q_i c_i) - E(q_i)E(c_i)}{E(c_i^2) - (E(c_i))^2} = \frac{-812,583}{4600,472} = -0,1766$$

supporting calculations:

$$E(q_i c_i) = \frac{4410 + 7904 + 7956 + 4900 + 6401 + 5886}{6} = 6242,8$$

$$E(q_i) = 29,5$$

$$E(c_i) = 239,1667$$

$$\text{cov}(q_i, c_i) = 6242,8 - 29,5 \cdot 239,1667 = -812,583$$

$$E(c_i^2) = 61801,17$$

$$(E(c_i))^2 = 239,1667^2 = 57200,69$$

$$\text{var}(c_i) = 61801,17 - 57200,69 = 4600,472$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \bar{x} \cdot \hat{\beta}_1 = \bar{q} - \bar{c} \cdot \hat{\beta}_1 = 29,5 - 239,1667 \cdot (-0,1766) = 71,74$$

now, from original economic model

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \frac{a}{2} \Rightarrow a = 2 \cdot 71,74 = 143,48; \hat{\beta}_1 = -\frac{b}{2} \Rightarrow b = 2 \cdot 0,1766 = 0,35$$