

**MATH202 05S**  
**Quiz 5 Solutions**  
**Monday Pink**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**10 points** Attach your output/graphs to the back of this quiz. Use  $\alpha = .05$ .

Best's Review (June 1999) compared the mortgage loan portfolios for a sample of 25 life/health insurance companies. Suppose you want to model the percentage of problem mortgages of a company ( $y$ ) as a function of total mortgage loans ( $x_1$ ) and percentage of commercial mortgages ( $x_3$ ).

**Questions 1 – 4:** Consider the analysis using  $y$  as the response variable.

1. **1 point** Write down the model you used for these data in terms of the  $\beta$  parameters, NOT the  $\hat{\beta}$ 's.

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_3 + \varepsilon \quad \text{or} \quad E(y) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_3$$

2. **2 points** Interpret the estimated coefficient of  $x_3$  in terms of this problem.

$\hat{\beta}_2 = -.1786$       **We estimate that an increase of 1% in the percentage of commercial mortgages is associated with a decrease of .1786% in the percentage of problem mortgages, holding total mortgage loans constant.**

3. **4 points** Conduct the global F-test for the overall usefulness of this model. Show Ho and Ha, report the value of the F-statistic and p-value. Is there enough evidence that at least one predictor is useful for predicting the percentage of problem mortgages? Circle one: (YES, **NO**).

**Ho:**  $\beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0$       **Ha:** not Ho; at least 1  $\beta \neq 0$

**F = 2.08    p-value = .149      Do not reject Ho.**

4. **2 points** Is there enough evidence that  $x_3$  is a useful predictor of percentage of problem mortgages? Support your answer. Perform this test even if you circled NO in #3.

**Ho:**  $\beta_2 = 0$       **Ha:**  $\beta_2 \neq 0$

**t = -1.36    p-value = .187    Do not reject Ho.**

**No, there is not enough evidence that percentage of commercial mortgages is a useful predictor.**

5. **1 point** Consider your regression analyses using  $\ln(y)$  as the response. Did the transformation help to correct problems in the residual plots? If so, how?

**Yes. There is some evidence of non-normality in the residuals when using the untransformed data. Using  $\ln(y)$  takes care of this non-normality.**

## Regression Analysis: ProbMort versus MortLoan, CommMort

The regression equation is

$$\text{ProbMort} = 20.1 + 0.000000 \text{ MortLoan} - 0.179 \text{ CommMort}$$

Predictor	Coef	SE Coef	T	P
Constant	20.14	12.38	1.63	0.118
MortLoan	0.00000043	0.00000030	1.42	0.170
CommMort	-0.1786	0.1312	-1.36	0.187

S = 7.49846 R-Sq = 15.9% R-Sq(adj) = 8.3%

Analysis of Variance

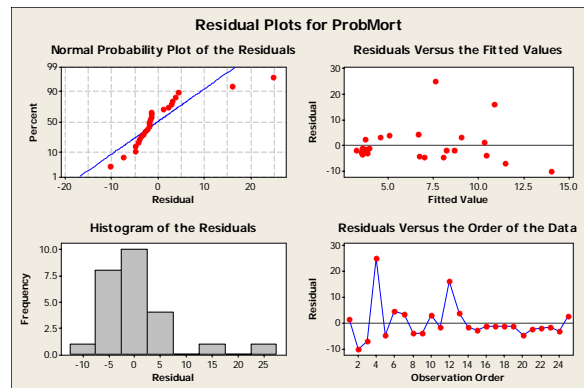
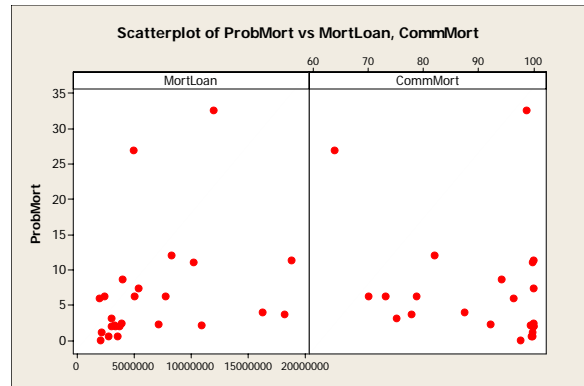
Source	DF	SS	MS	F	P
Regression	2	234.17	117.09	2.08	0.149
Residual Error	22	1236.99	56.23		
Total	24	1471.17			

Predicted Values for New Observations

New Obs	Fit	SE Fit	95% CI	95% PI
1	5.31	1.63	(1.94, 8.69)	(-10.60, 21.23)

Values of Predictors for New Observations

New Obs	MortLoan	CommMort
1	5000000	95.0



## Regression Analysis: ln(ProbMort) versus MortLoan, CommMort

The regression equation is

$$\ln(\text{ProbMort}) = 4.15 + 0.000000 \text{ MortLoan} - 0.0377 \text{ CommMort}$$

Predictor	Coef	SE Coef	T	P
Constant	4.151	1.795	2.31	0.030
MortLoan	0.00000009	0.00000004	2.07	0.050
CommMort	-0.03769	0.01902	-1.98	0.060

S = 1.08702 R-Sq = 28.7% R-Sq(adj) = 22.2%

Analysis of Variance

Source	DF	SS	MS	F	P
Regression	2	10.472	5.236	4.43	0.024
Residual Error	22	25.996	1.182		
Total	24	36.468			

Predicted Values for New Observations

New Obs	Fit	SE Fit	95% CI	95% PI
1	1.024	0.236	(0.534, 1.513)	(-1.283, 3.330)

Values of Predictors for New Observations

New Obs	MortLoan	CommMort
1	5000000	95.0

