RECITATION Simple Linear Regression

First:

Collect homework due today. Hand out homework solutions. Review one or more homework problems, as needed.

Then:

Explain difficult concepts from the lecture.

You may wish to go over some regression w/ MS Excel problems in: http://cisnet.baruch.cuny.edu/friedman/stat/n regressionxlsprobs.doc

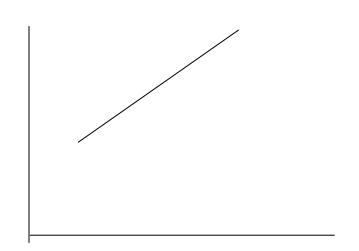
rec_regression p. 1

Measuring a Stock's Beta:

Dependent variable: Quarterly returns on a specific stock, say GE. Independent variable: Quarterly returns on the S&P500 which is a surrogate for the entire stock market.

[Return = difference in Price + Dividend]





Return on S&P500

$$\hat{\mathbf{Y}} = \mathbf{b}_0 + \mathbf{b}_1 \mathbf{X}$$

 b_1 = the slope of the line = the beta of the stock

if the beta = 1, GE is just as volatile as the S&P500 if the beta = 2, GE is 2 times as volatile as the S&P500

We have two rates of change and $\frac{\Delta GE}{\Delta S \& P}$. Do they change together (say, beta of 1.0) or differently?

rec_regression p. 2

	Returns		Returns			
	Stock ABC		S&P 500			
Year 1	11%		20%			
Year 2	6%		18%			
Year 3	-8%		-14%			
Year 4	12%		18%			
Year 5	7%		13%			
Year 6	8%		12%			
Year 7	-10%		-20%			
Year 8	9%		14%			
Year 9	6%		13%			
Year 10	-8%		-17%			
Year 11	4%		4%			
Year 12	11%		14%			
Average Return	4.00%		6.25%			
SUMMARY OUTPUT						
Regression S	tatistics					
Multiple R	0.973281463					
R Square	0.947276806					
Adjusted R Square	0.942004487					
Standard Error	0.019265806					
Observations	12					
ANOVA						
	df	SS	MS	F	Significance F	
Regression	1	0.066688287	0.066688287	179.66984	1.02536E-07	
Residual	10	0.003711713	0.000371171			
Total	11	0.0704				
	Coefficients	Standard Error	t Stat	P-value	Lower 95%	Upper 95%
Intercept	0.006735691	0.006090118			-0.00683394	
X Variable 1	0.532228948	0.039706435			0.443757482	

beta of stock ABC is .55

rec_regression p. 3