

# Line Fitting and Regression

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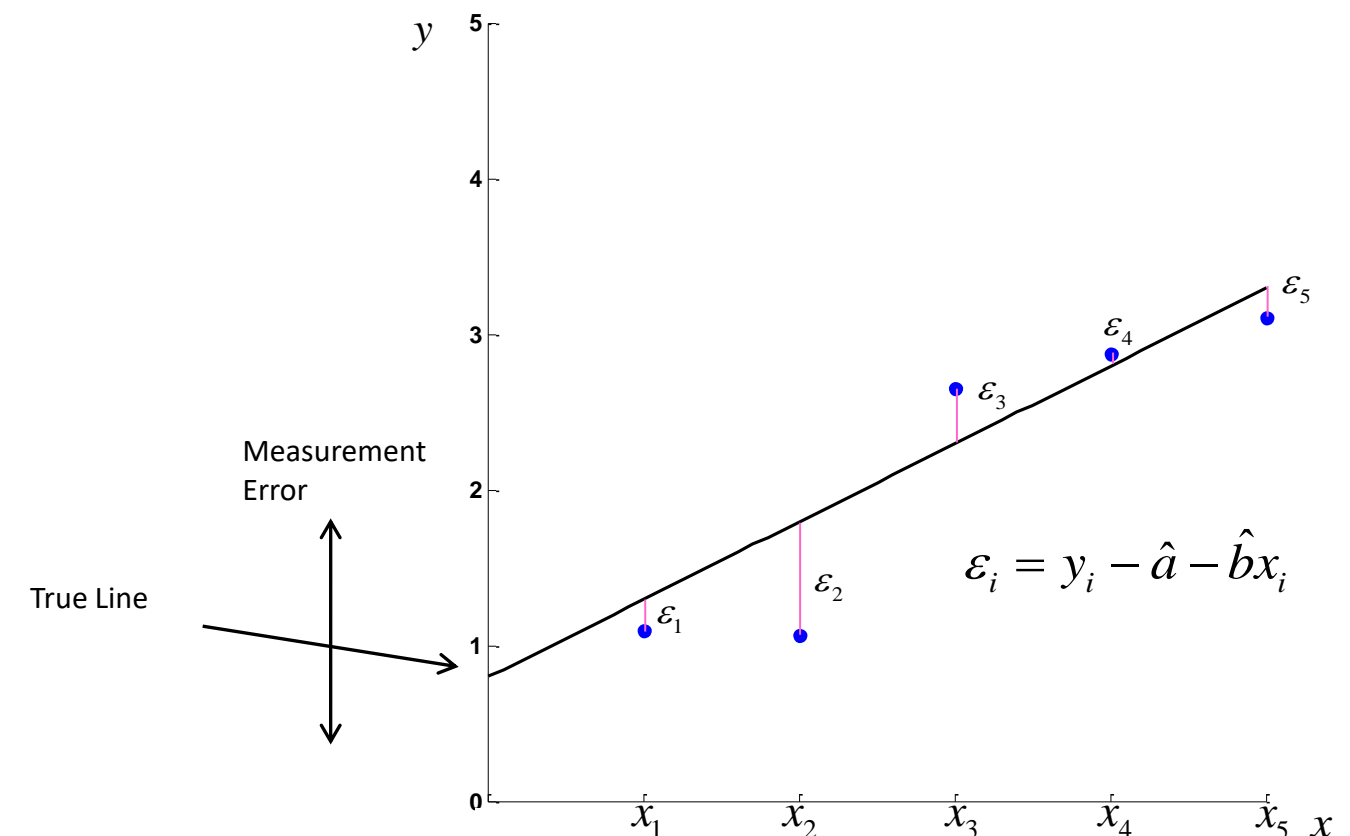
# Least Squares Simple Regression

For LSR we have points  $(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$  and wish to find the “best” fit line  $y = \hat{a} + \hat{b}x$  to the data.

The “best” line defined as minimizing sum of squared errors.

$$Q = \sum_{i=1}^n \varepsilon_i^2$$

$$Q = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - a - bx_i)^2$$



## Least Squares Simple Regression

Define  $Q = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - a - bx_i)^2$  as the “score” function to be

minimized to obtain the optimal  $(a,b)$  denoted as  $(\hat{a}, \hat{b})$ .

What we want to do is find the values of  $(a,b)$  that minimize  $Q$ .

The values  $(a,b)$  that minimize  $Q$  are the optimal values are  $(\hat{a}, \hat{b})$ .

Find  $(\hat{a}, \hat{b})$  that minimize  $\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - a - bx_i)^2$  wrt  $(a,b)$ .

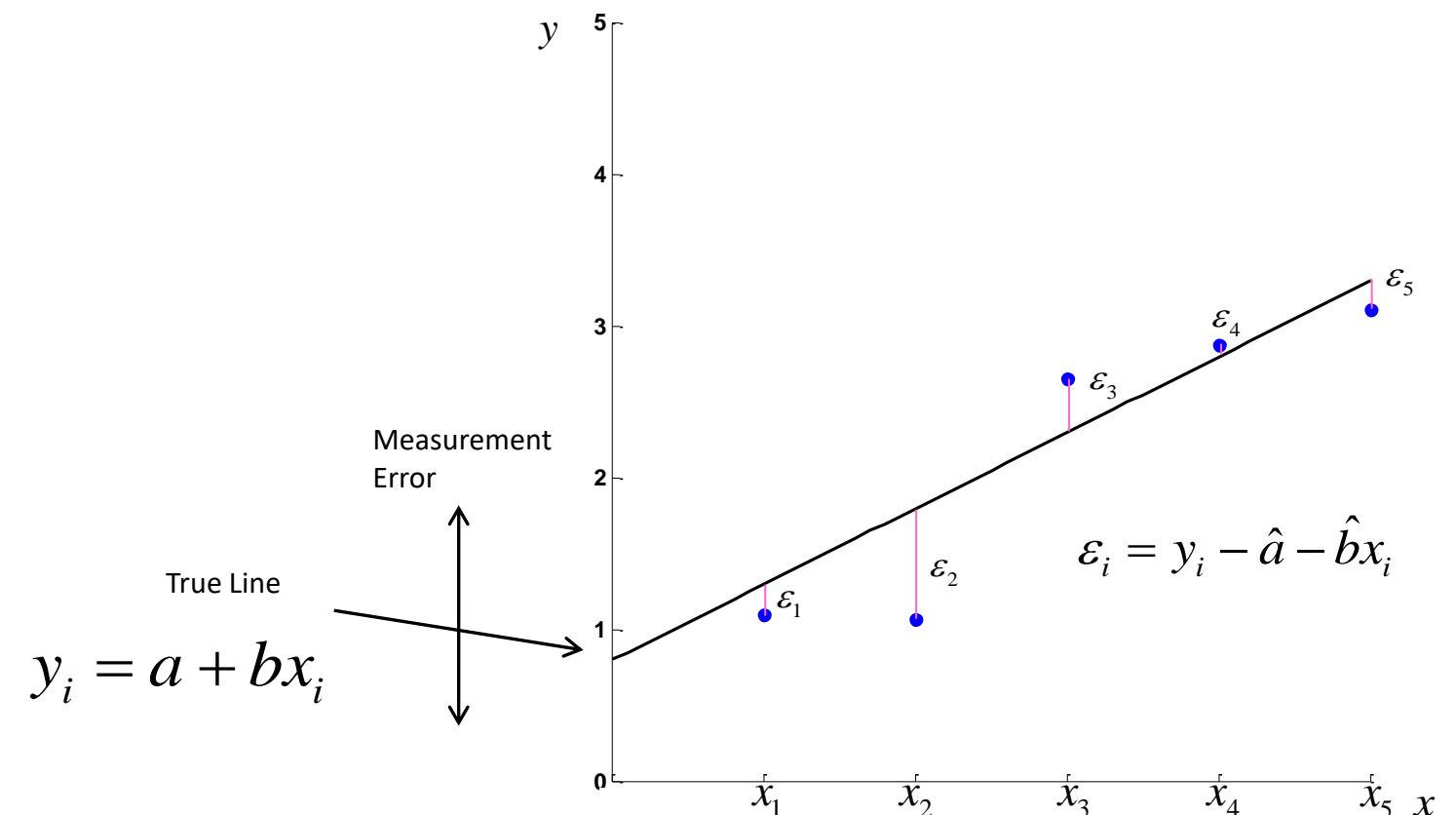
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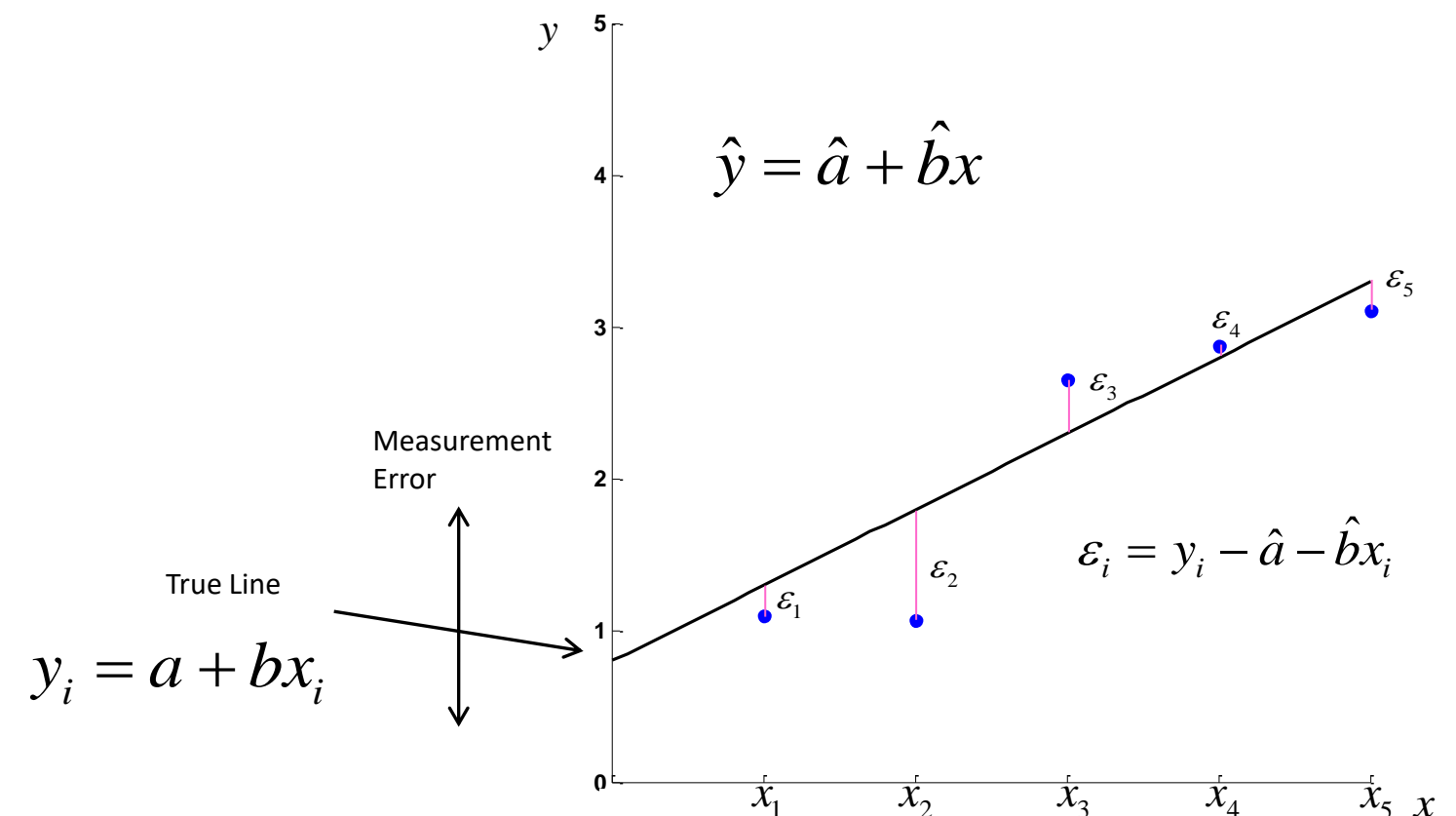
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$$\hat{b} = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}} \quad \hat{a} = \bar{y} - \hat{b}\bar{x}$$

$$S_{xx} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

$$S_{xy} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})$$



# Least Squares Simple Regression

Because of the scientific application, it may be known that the  $y$ -intercept should truly be zero.

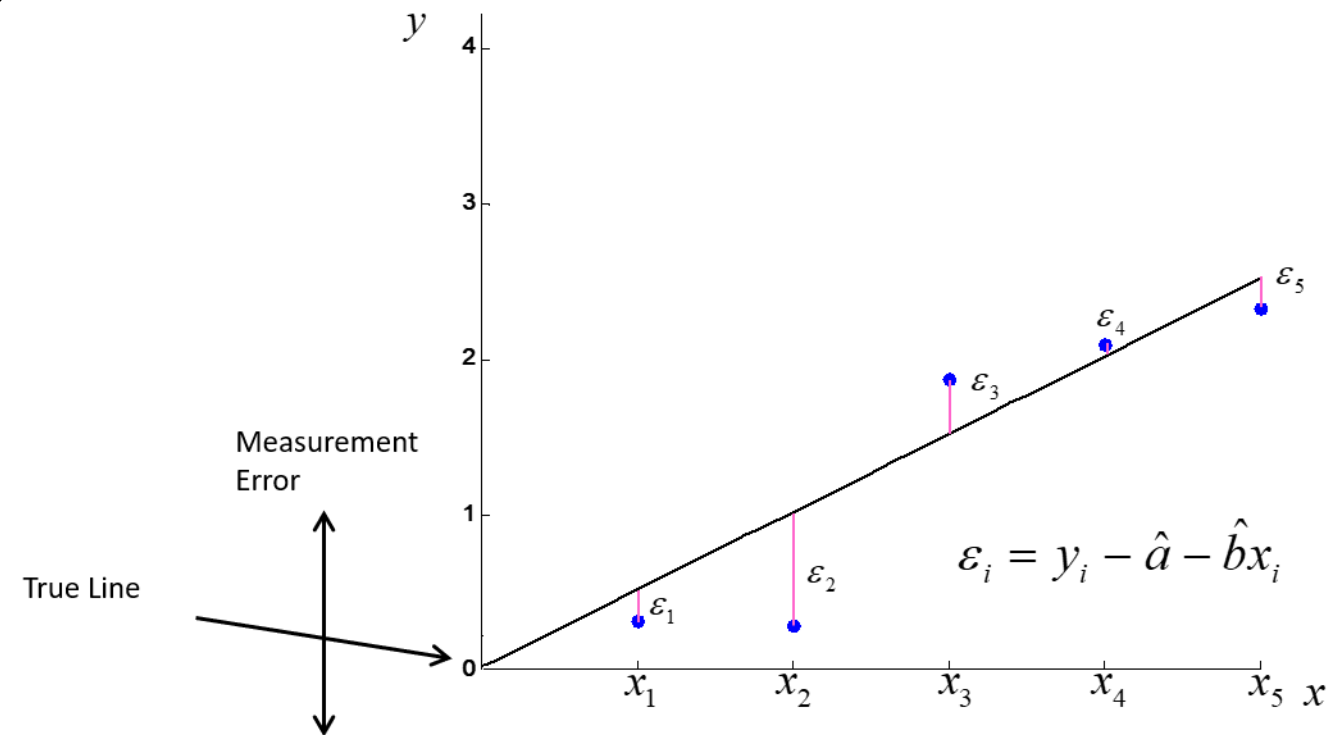
$$y_i = \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i$$

This is known as regression through the origin

Minimize:  $Q = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_1 x_i)^2$  to get

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} \quad \text{Compare to} \quad \hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

$y_i =$



# Least Squares Simple Regression

The least squares estimation score function

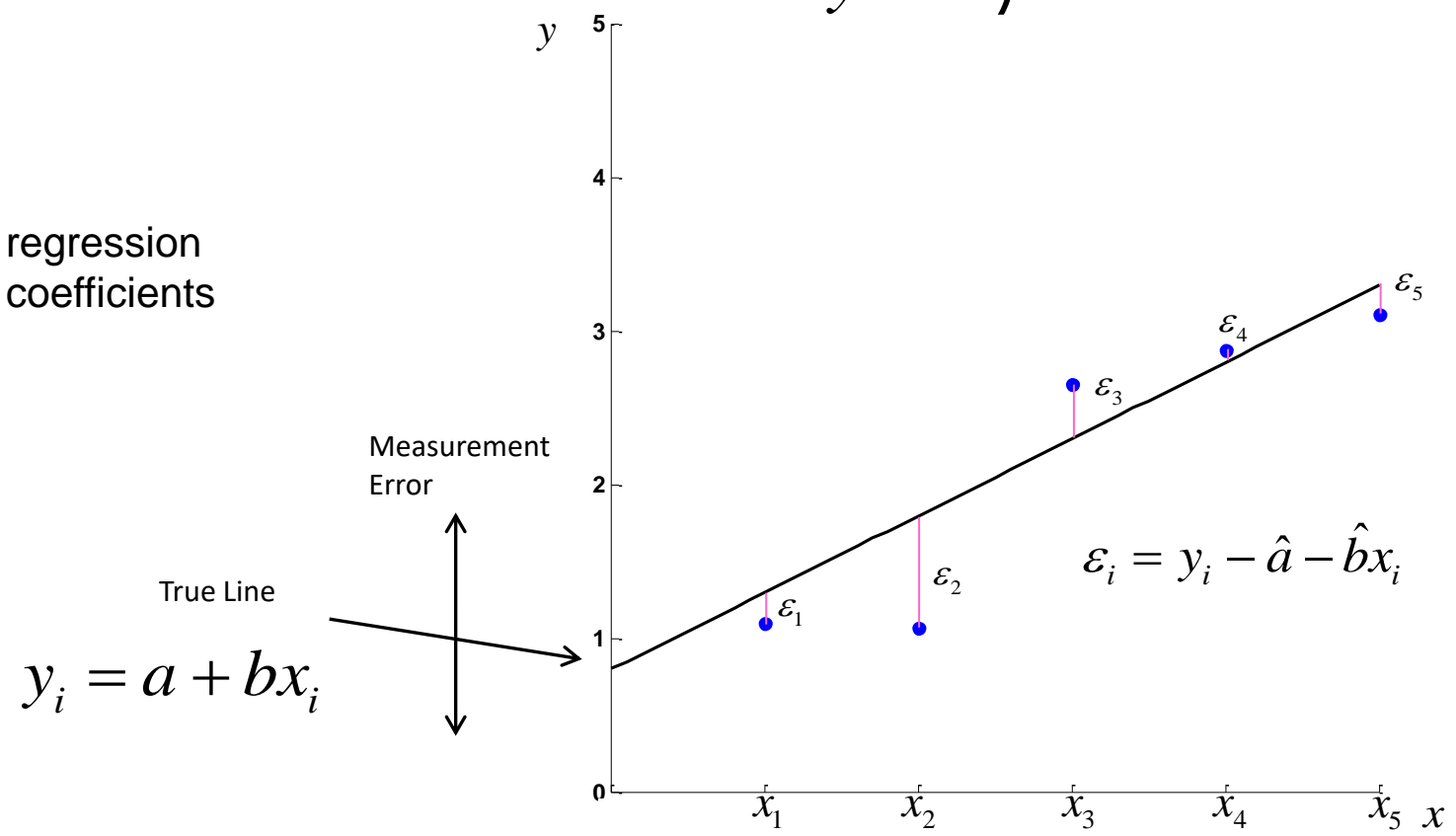
$$Q = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - a - bx_i)^2 \quad i = 1, \dots, n$$

is equivalently represented as

$Q = (y - X\beta)'(y - X\beta)$  where

measured y data  $y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}_{n \times 1}$ , design matrix  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_1 \\ 1 & x_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_n \end{pmatrix}_{n \times 2}$ , regression coefficients  $\beta = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}_{2 \times 1}$ .

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon$$





# Least Squares Simple Regression

We don't need to take the derivative of  $Q$  wrt  $\beta$  (although we could).

We can write with algebra

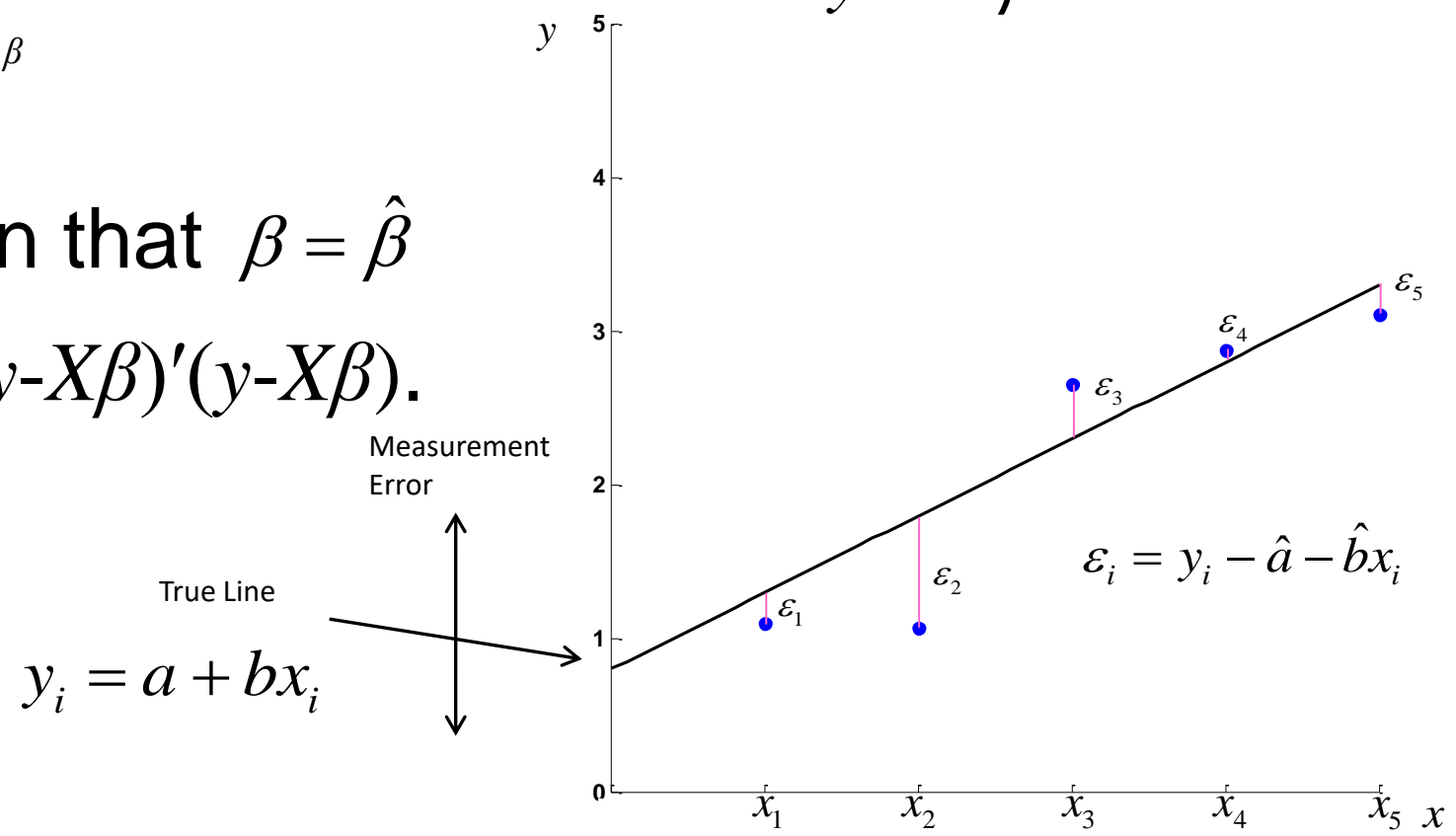
$$(y - X\beta)'(y - X\beta) = (y - X\hat{\beta})'(y - X\hat{\beta}) + (\beta - \hat{\beta})'(X'X)(\beta - \hat{\beta})$$

↙ add and subtract  $X\hat{\beta}$ 
↘ does not depend on  $\beta$

where  $\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y$ . It can be seen that  $\beta = \hat{\beta}$  minimizes  $Q$  because it minimizes  $(y - X\beta)'(y - X\beta)$ .

↙ invertible

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon$$



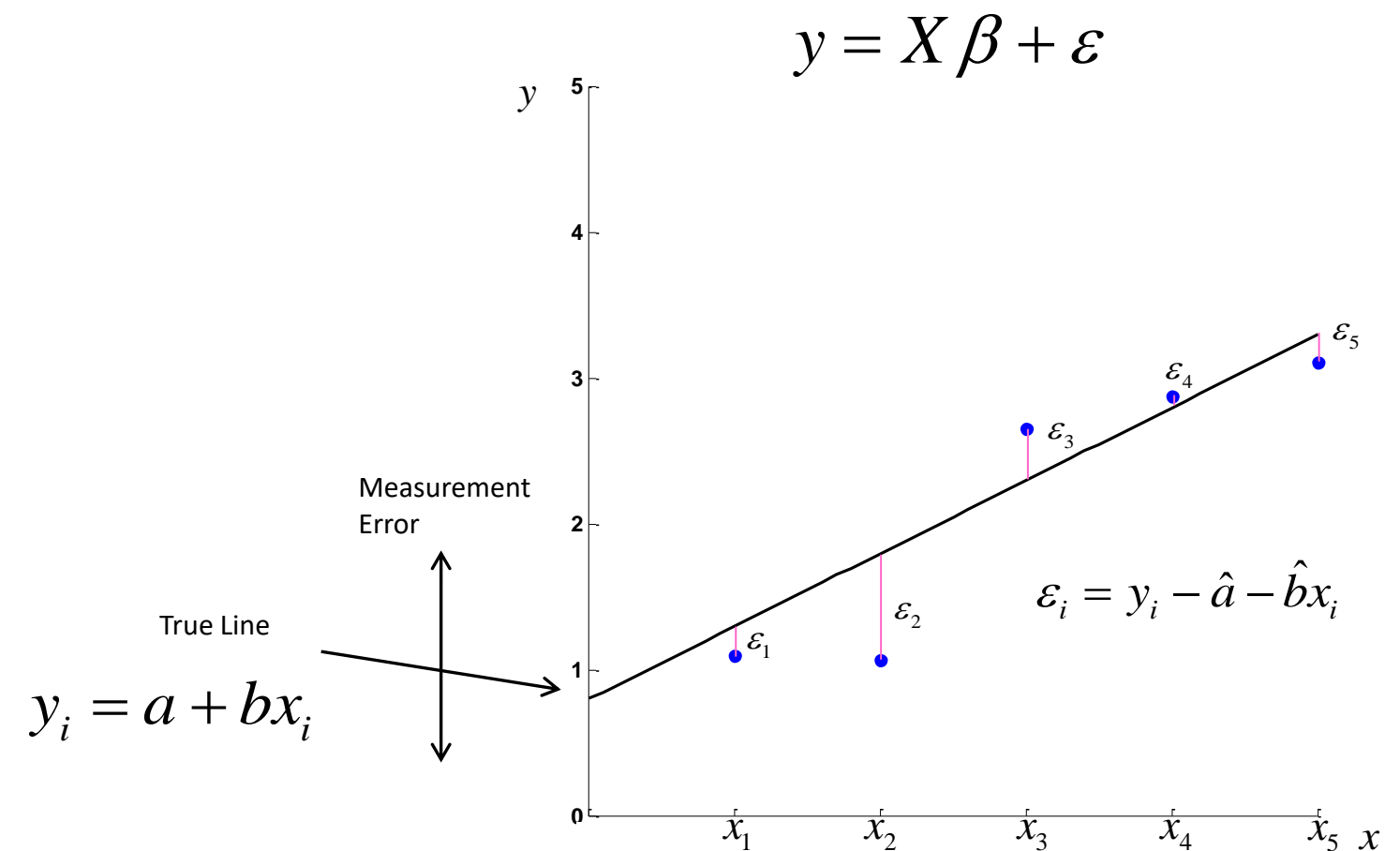
# Least Squares Simple Regression

Generate simulated data by adding random noise to a noiseless line.

Let  $y_i = a + bx_i + \varepsilon_i$ ,

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are independent.



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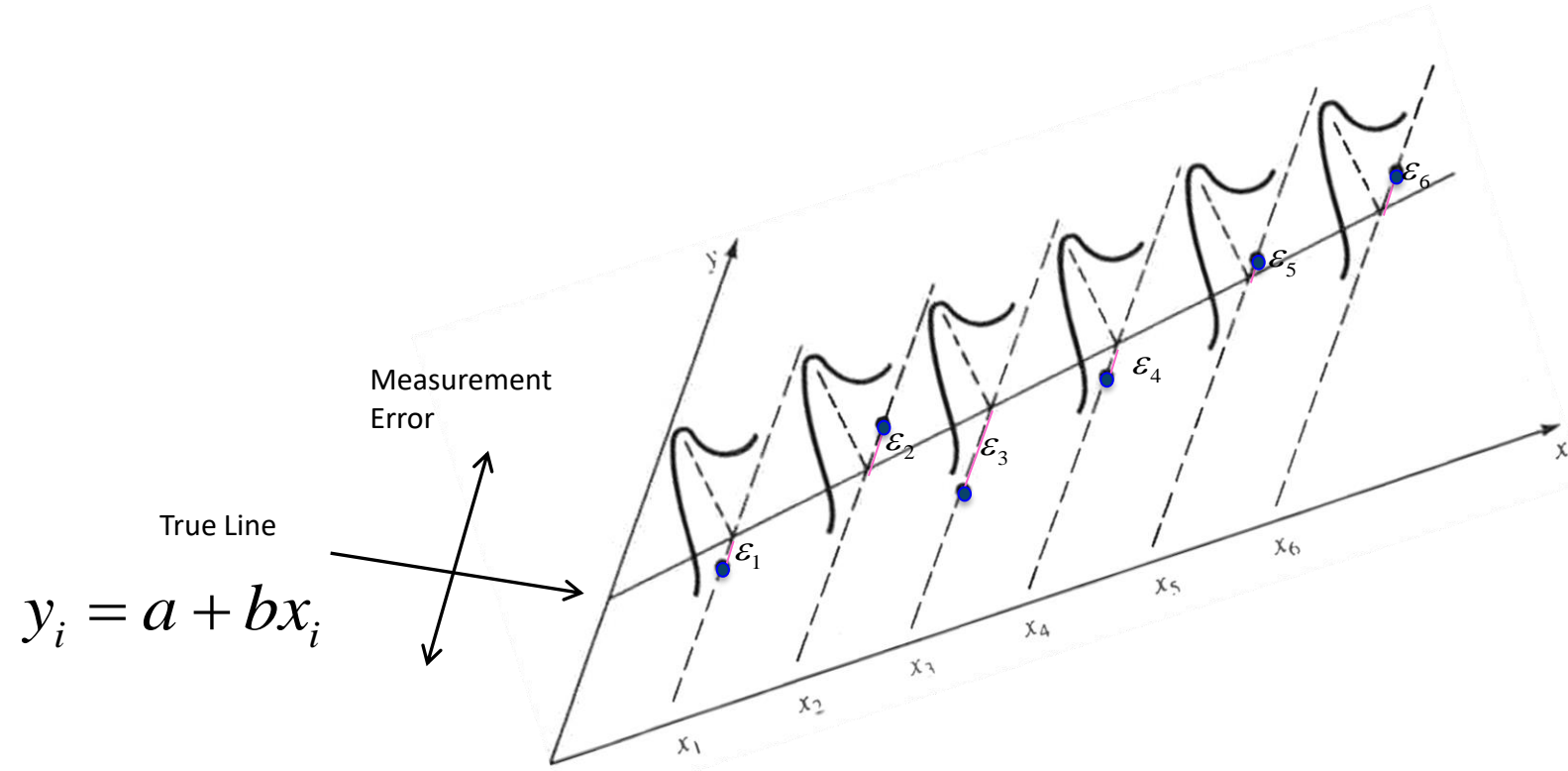
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# Least Squares Simple Regression

Let  $a=0$ ,  $b=1$ , and  $\sigma=1$  in  $y_i=a+bx_i+\varepsilon_i$  with  $\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ ,  $i=1, \dots, n$ .

Generate  $y$  values to go along with  $x=1,2,3,4$ .

$$y = a e_n + b x + \varepsilon$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.5377 \\ 3.8339 \\ 0.7412 \\ 4.8622 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0.5377 \\ 1.8339 \\ -2.2588 \\ 0.8622 \end{bmatrix}$$

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rng('default')
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n=4; a=0; b=1; sigma=1;
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x=[1,2,3,4]';
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e=sigma*randn(n,1);
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y=a+b*x+e;
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sumX=sum(x); sumX2=sum(x.*x);
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sumY=sum(y); sumXY=sum(x.*y);
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bhat=(n*sumXY-sumX*sumY)/(n*sumX2-sumX^2)
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ahat=sumY/n-bhat*sumX/n
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# Least Squares Simple Regression

$a=0, b=1, \text{ and } \sigma=1$

$x=1,2,3,4.$

$y_i = a + bx_i + \varepsilon_i$

$\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$

figure;

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line([0,5],[ahat,ahat+bhat*5],'color','k')
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hold on
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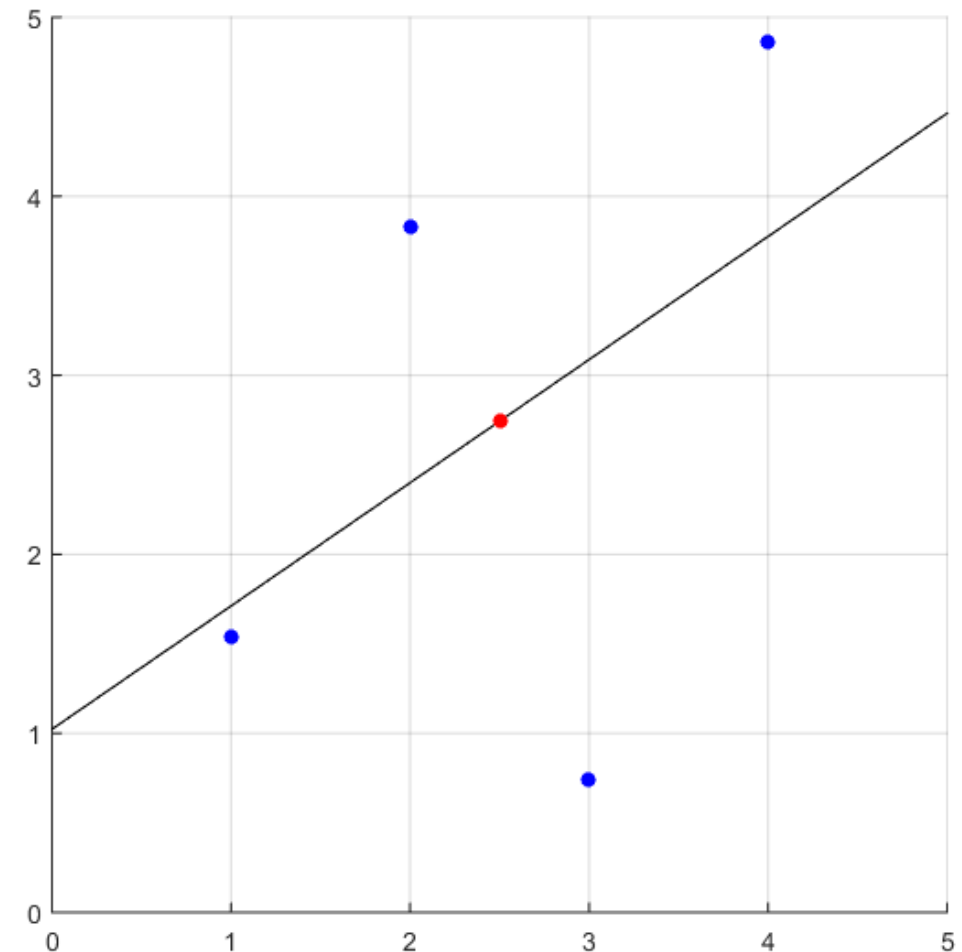
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scatter(x,y,'bo','filled')
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scatter(sumX/n,sumY/n,'ro','filled')
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grid on, axis square
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xlim([0,5]), ylim([0,5])
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set(gca,'xtick',(0:5)),set(gca,'ytick',(0:5))
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# Least Squares Simple Regression

As previously noted, the least squares regression

$y_i = a + bx_i + \varepsilon_i$  can be written as

$$y = a e_n + b x + \varepsilon$$

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$$\hat{\beta}_{2 \times 1} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$

$$y_{n \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_{n \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1 \\ 1 & x_2 \\ 1 & x_3 \\ 1 & x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\beta_{2 \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\varepsilon_{n \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{bmatrix}$$

# Least Squares Simple Regression

As it turns out (not shown here, take MSSC 5780),

$$y_i = a + bx_i + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$E(\hat{\beta}) = \beta$$

$2 \times 1$

$$\text{cov}(\hat{\beta}) = \sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1} = \sigma^2 W$$

$2 \times 2$

$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y$$

$2 \times 1$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times 1$

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$n \times 2$

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$n \times 2$

$$\sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1} = \sigma^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & -0.5 \\ -0.5 & 0.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$2 \times 2$

$$\beta = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

$2 \times 1$

$$\varepsilon = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times 1$

# Least Squares Simple Regression

Repeated  $10^6$  times

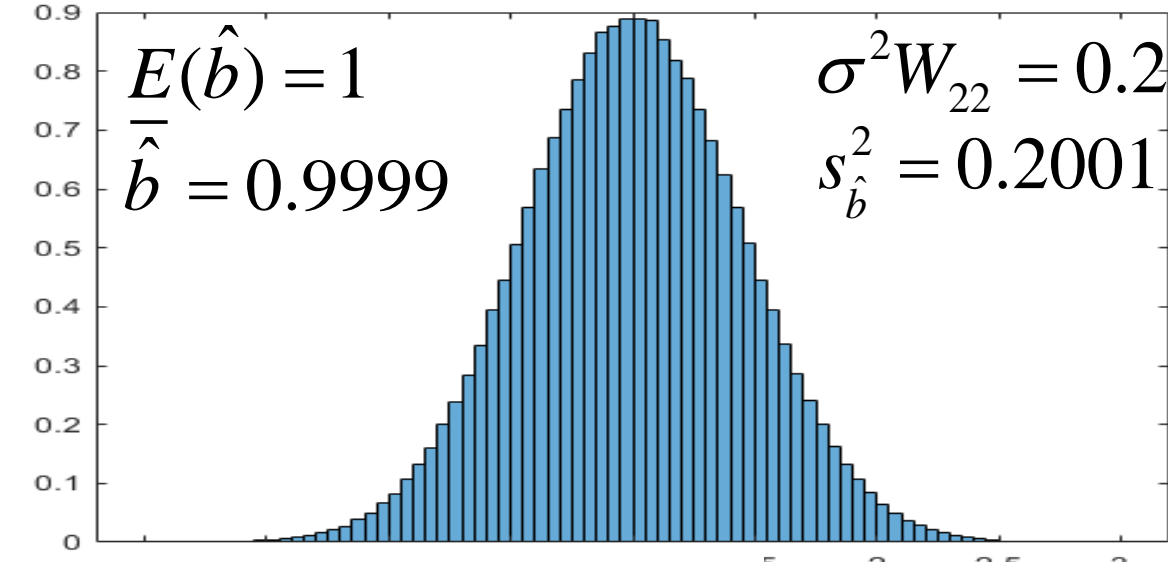
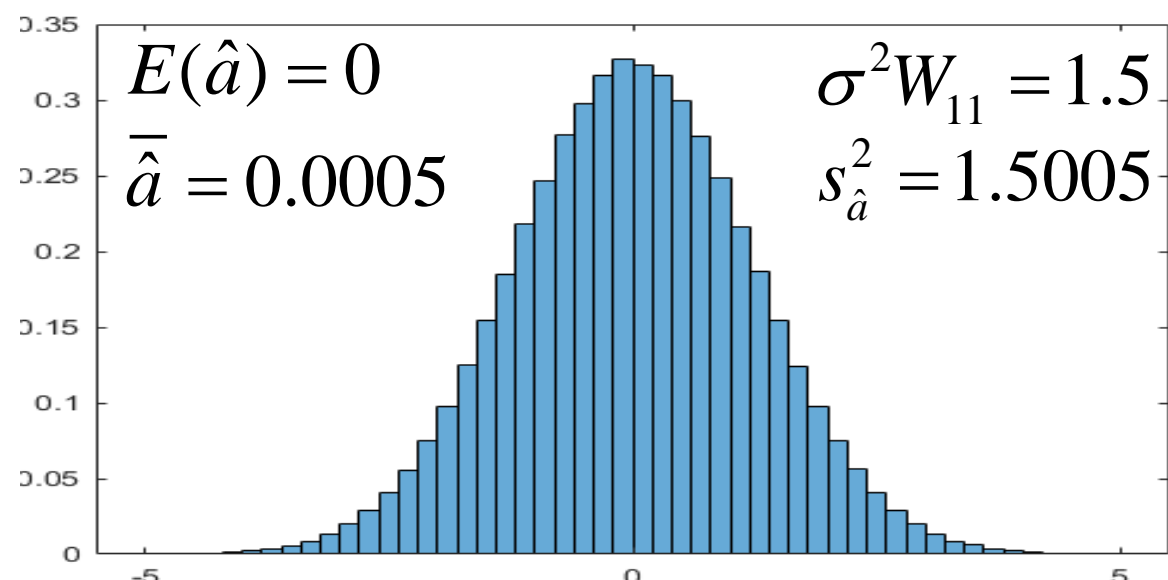
$$\hat{\beta}_{(q+1) \times 1} \sim N(\beta, \sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1})$$

$$\beta = (a, b)' \quad W = (X'X)^{-1}$$

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num=10^6; a=0;b=1; sigma=1;
x=[1,2,3,4]'; n=4;
mu=a+b*x'; X=[ones(n,1),x];
y=sigma*randn(num,n)...
+ones(num,1)*mu;
betahat=inv(X'*X)*X'*y';
figure; histogram(betahat(1,:),(-5:.2:5),'normalization','pdf')
figure; histogram(betahat(2,:),(-1:.05:3),'normalization','pdf')
betabar=mean(betahat,2)
covbetahat=cov(betahat')
    
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$a=0, b=1, \text{ and } \sigma=1$   
 $x=1,2,3,4.$



$$\text{cov}(\hat{a}, \hat{b}) = \sigma^2 W_{12} = -0.5 \quad s_{\hat{a}\hat{b}} = -0.5003$$



# Least Squares Multiple Regression

More generally, we can have a multiple regression model

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon \quad \varepsilon \sim N(0, \sigma^2 I_n)$$

 $n \times 1$ 
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measured data

design matrix

regression coefficients

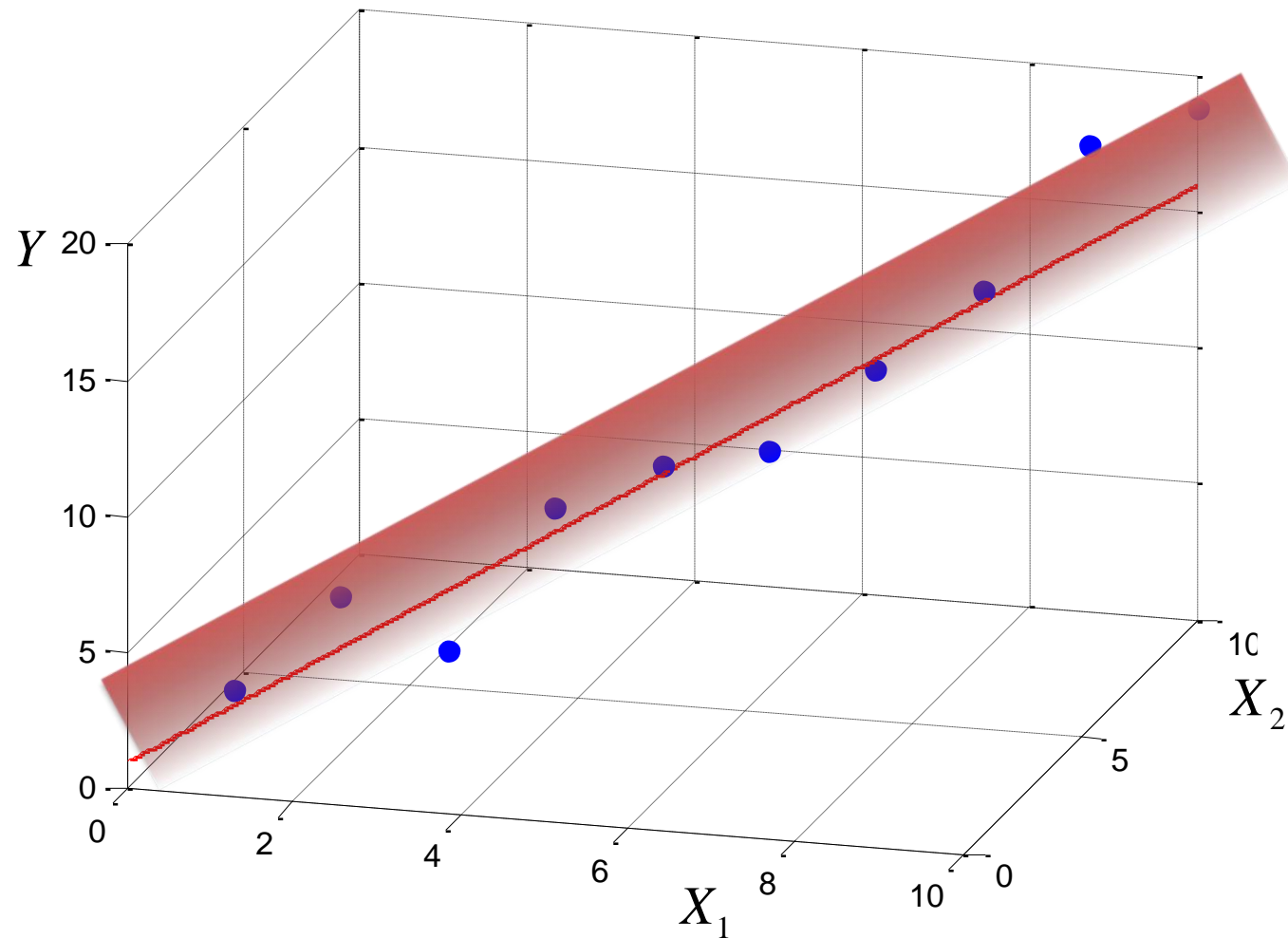
measurement error

$$y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & \cdots & x_{1q} \\ 1 & x_{21} & \cdots & x_{2q} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{n1} & \cdots & x_{nq} \end{pmatrix} \quad \beta = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_q \end{pmatrix} \quad \varepsilon = \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \cdots + \beta_q x_{iq} + \varepsilon_i$$

# Least Squares Multiple Regression

The points are considered to be  $y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \dots + \beta_q x_{iq} + \varepsilon_i$   
 $i = 1, \dots, n$



How do we estimate the coefficients?

# Least Squares Multiple Regression

The MLEs are the same,

$$s^2 = \frac{(y - X \hat{\beta})'(y - X \hat{\beta})}{n - q - 1}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_{(q+1) \times 1} = (X'X)^{-1} X'y \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\sigma}^2_{1 \times 1} = \frac{1}{n} (y - X \hat{\beta})'(y - X \hat{\beta}) .$$

In addition,

$$\hat{\beta}_{(q+1) \times 1} \sim N(\beta, \sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1}) \quad n \frac{\hat{\sigma}^2}{\sigma^2} = \frac{(n - q - 1)s^2}{\sigma^2} \sim \chi^2(n - q - 1)$$

$$\underbrace{(y - X \beta)'(y - X \beta)}_{\chi^2(n)} = \underbrace{(y - X \hat{\beta})'(y - X \hat{\beta})}_{\chi^2(n-q-1)} + \underbrace{(\beta - \hat{\beta})'(X'X)(\beta - \hat{\beta})}_{\chi^2(q+1)}$$

could + & -  $X \hat{\beta}$

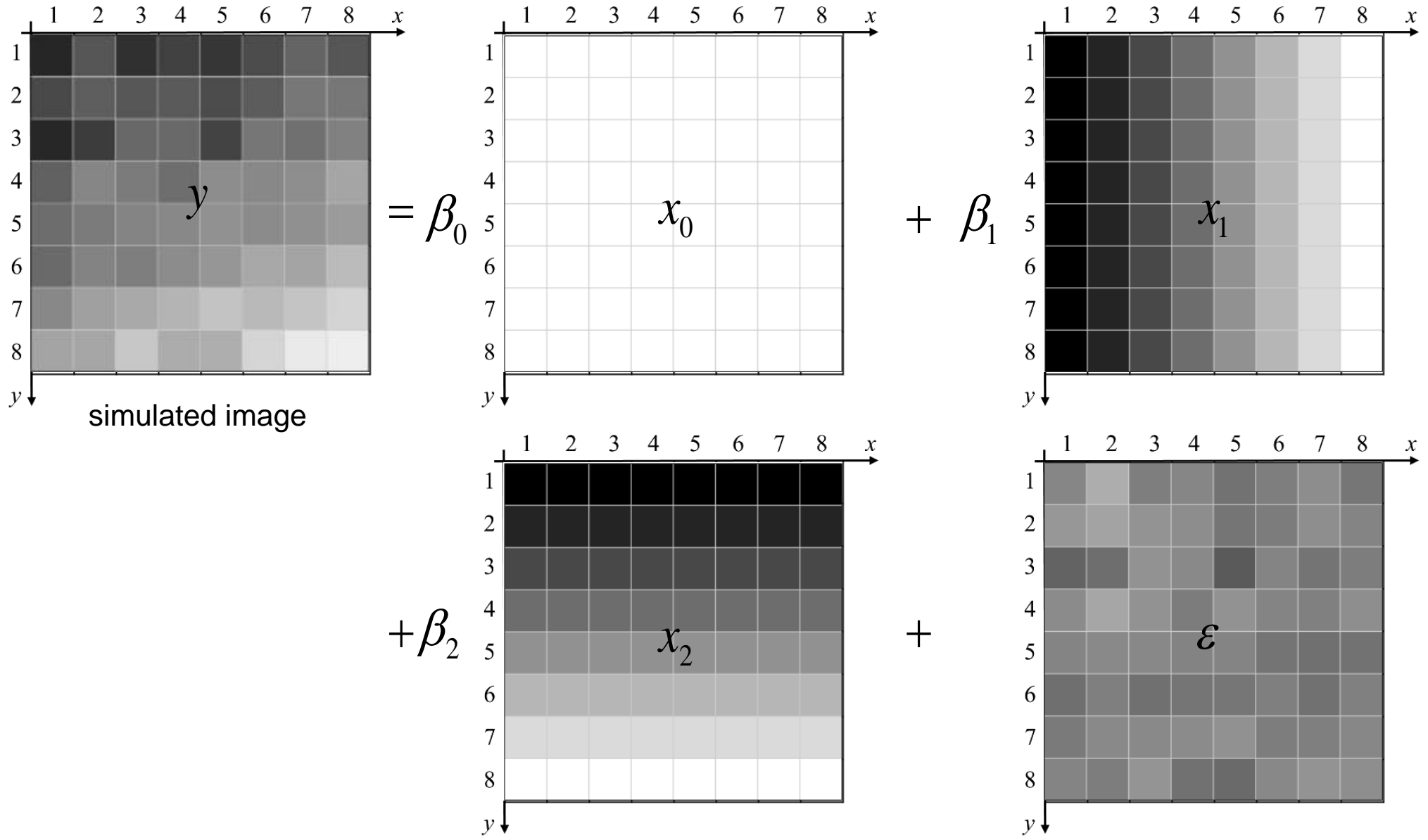
independent

This means we should use a denominator of  $n - q - 1$  for unbiased estimator of  $\sigma^2$ .

# Least Squares Multiple Regression

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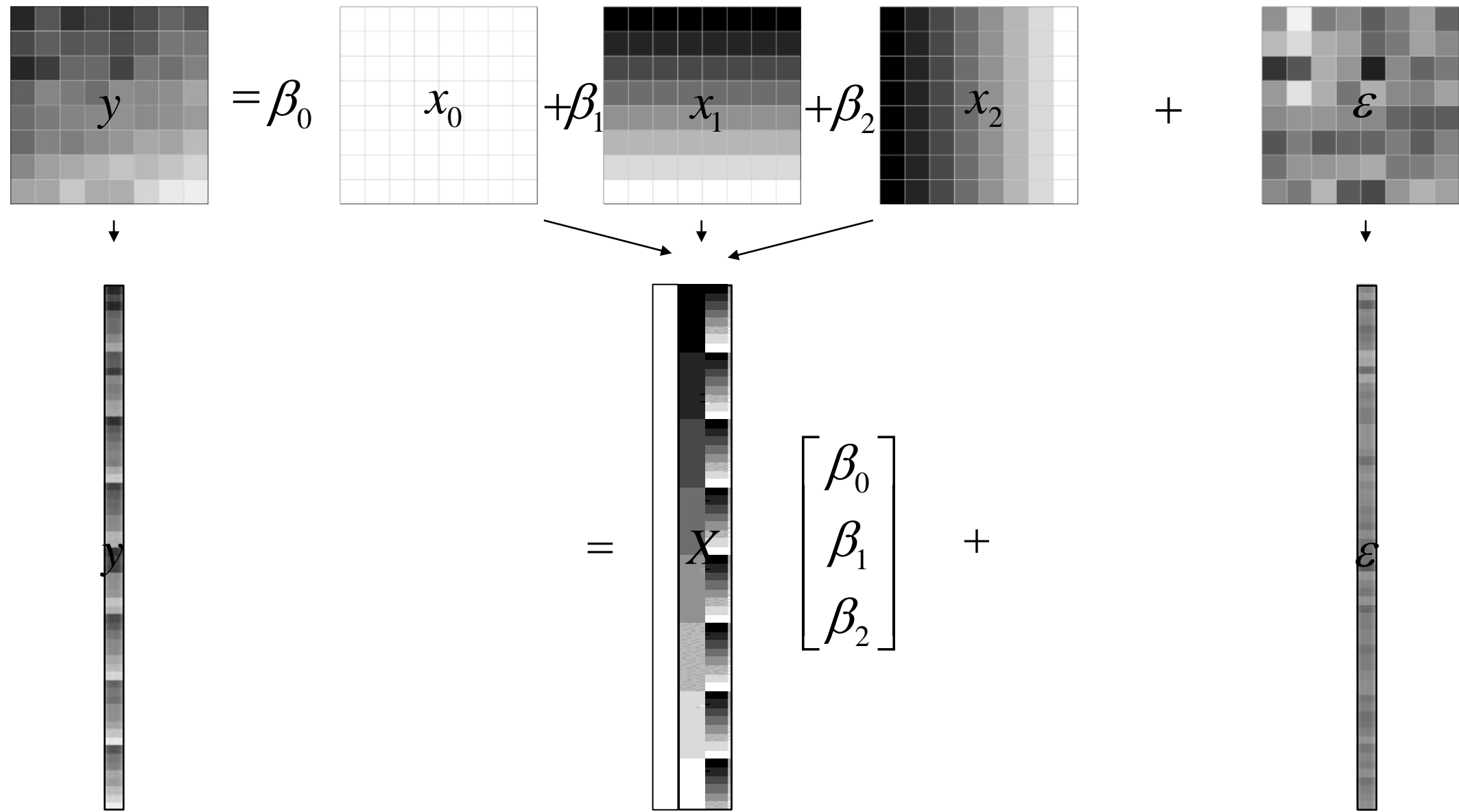
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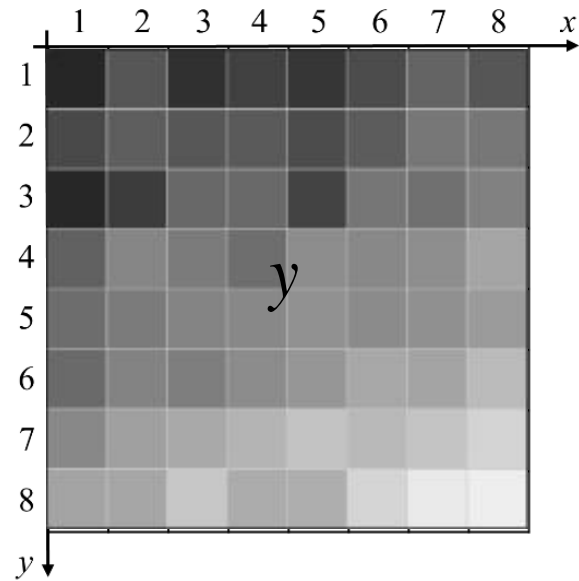
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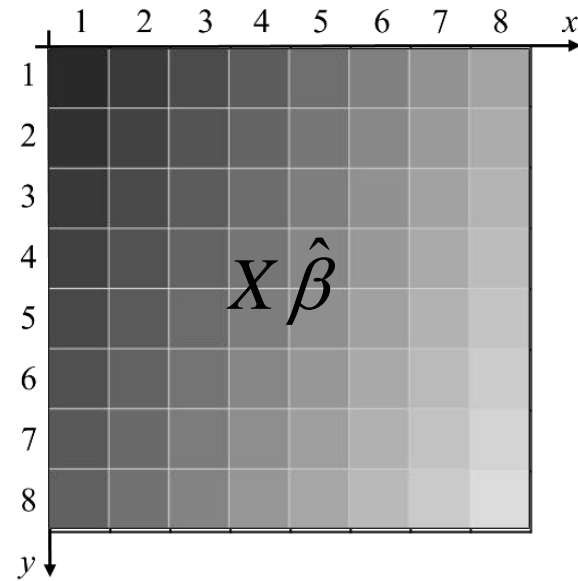
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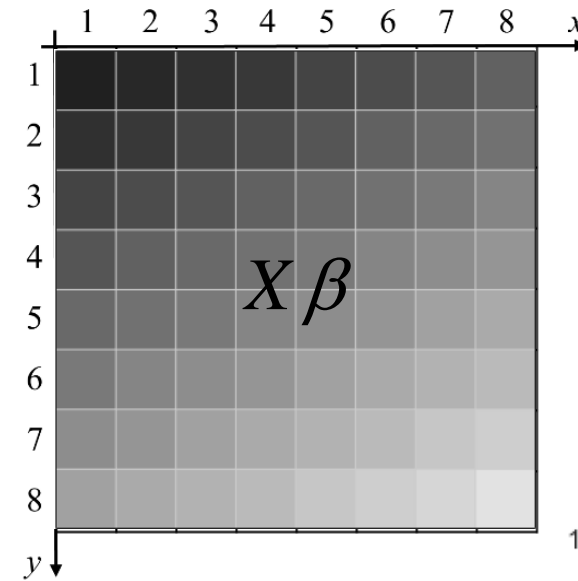
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Observed

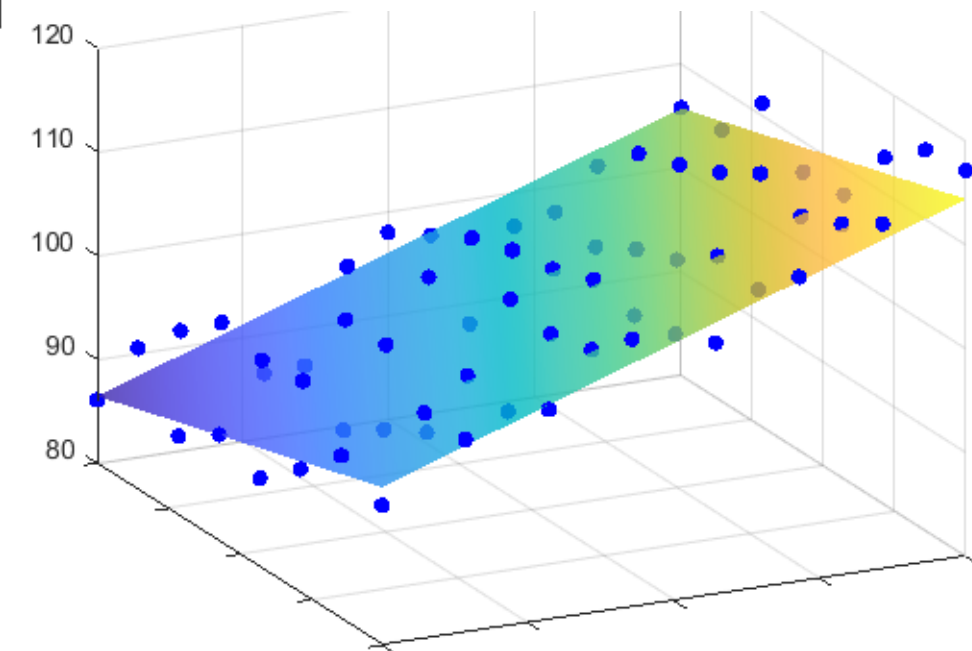


Estimated



True

$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y$$

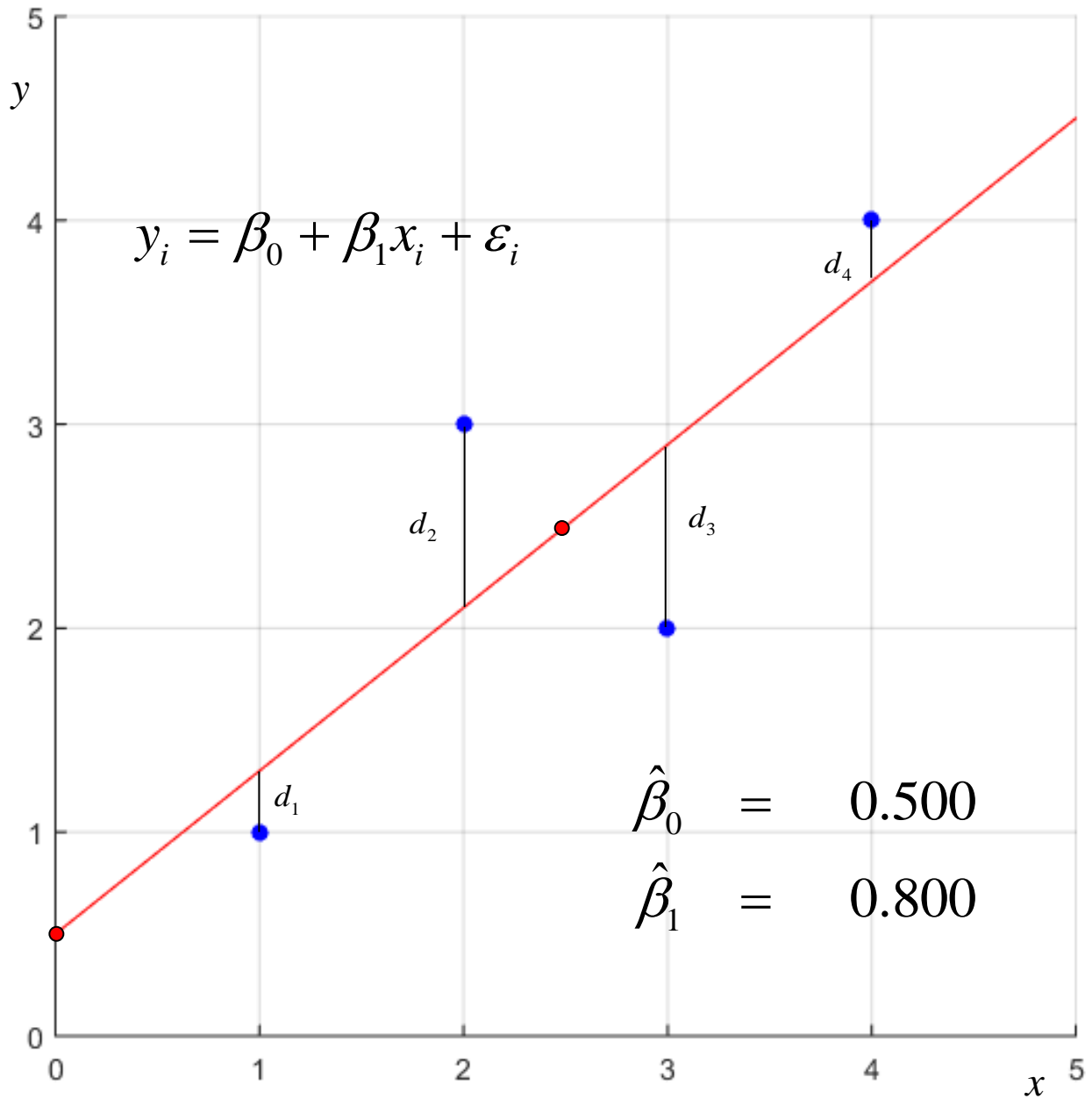


# Least Squares Orthogonal Regression

If we have random error in  $y$   
 $x$  as independent variable  
 $y$  as dependent variable  
 and minimized the sum of squared vertical distances from the point to the line.

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{s_{xy}}{s_{xx}} \quad \hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \bar{x}\hat{\beta}_1$$

$(x,y)$  pairs: (1,1),(3,2),(2,3),(4,4)



# Least Squares Orthogonal Regression

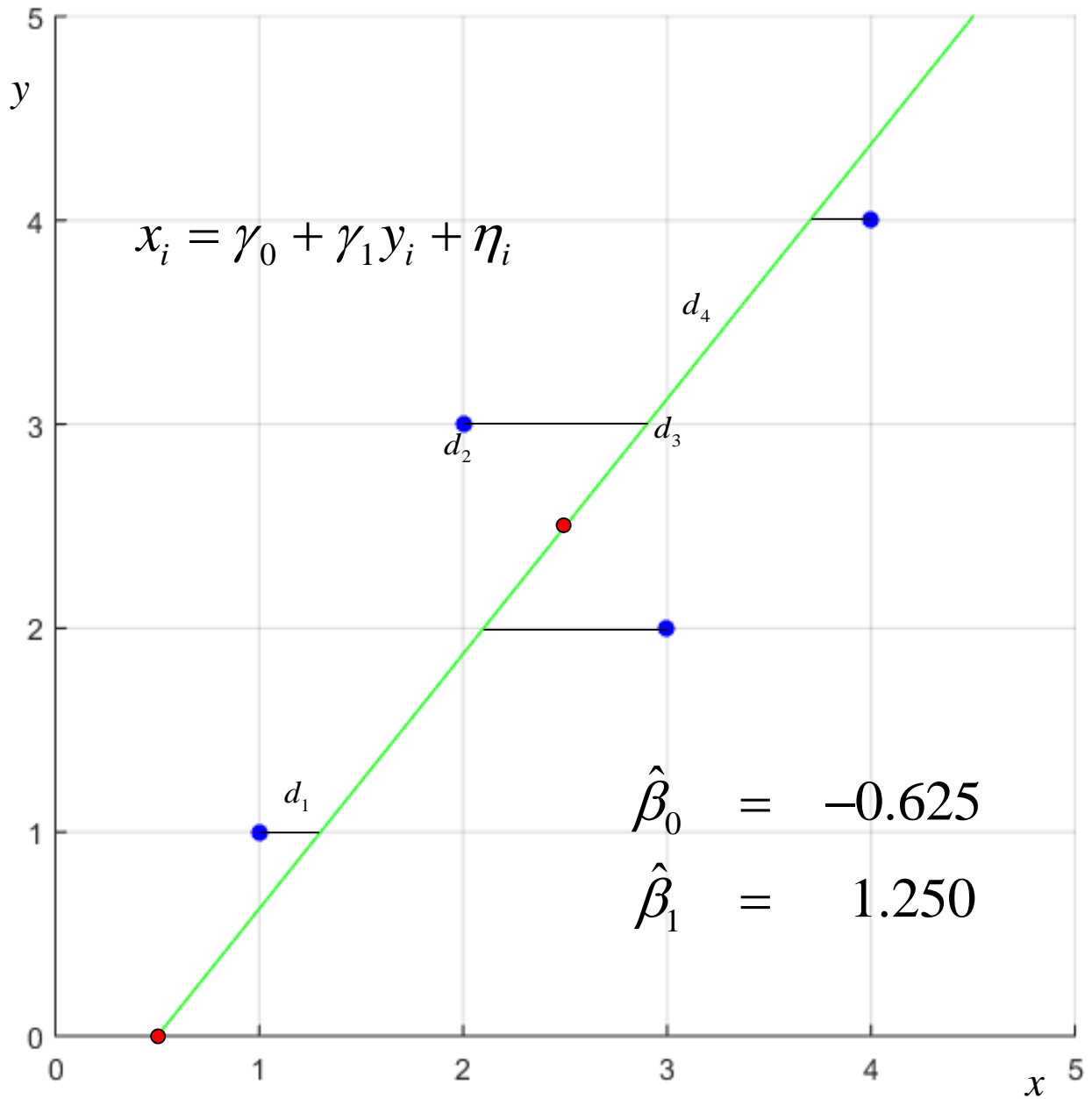
If we have random error in  $x$   
 $y$  as independent variable  
 $x$  as dependent variable  
 and minimized the sum of  
 squared horizontal distances  
 from the point to the line.

$$\hat{\gamma}_1 = \frac{s_{xy}}{s_{yy}} \quad \hat{\gamma}_0 = \bar{x} - \bar{y}\hat{\gamma}_1$$

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = 1 / \hat{\gamma}_0 \quad \hat{\beta}_0 = -\hat{\gamma}_1 / \hat{\gamma}_0$$

$$y = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x$$

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## Least Squares Orthogonal Regression

When there is measurement error in both  $x$  and  $y$ , we model this as  $y_i = y_i^* + \varepsilon_i$  and  $x_i = x_i^* + \eta_i$  where  $y_i$  and  $x_i$  are observed noisy data,  $y_i^* = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i^*$  and  $x_i^*$  are true unobserved values,  $\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma_y^2)$  and  $\eta_i \sim N(0, \sigma_x^2)$ . If we specify that  $\sigma_y^2 = \sigma_x^2 = \sigma^2$ , then we have an orthogonal regression.

# Least Squares Orthogonal Regression

In orthogonal regression,  $y_i$  and  $x_i$  are observed while  $y_i^*$  and  $x_i^*$  are true unobserved values.

$$\begin{aligned} y_i &= y_i^* + \varepsilon_i \\ x_i &= x_i^* + \eta_i \\ i &= 1, \dots, n \end{aligned}$$

Differentiating  $Q$  wrt  $y_i^*$ ,  $x_i^*$ , and  $\lambda_i$ , then set = 0

$$Q = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ (y_i - y_i^*)^2 + (x_i - x_i^*)^2 \right] - 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i (y_i^* - \beta_0 - \beta_1 x_i^*)$$

Lagrange Multiplier

$$\left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x_i^*} \right|_{\hat{x}_i^*, \hat{y}_i^*, \hat{\lambda}_i} = 0 \quad \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial y_i^*} \right|_{\hat{x}_i^*, \hat{y}_i^*, \hat{\lambda}_i} = 0 \quad \left. \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \lambda_i} \right|_{\hat{x}_i^*, \hat{y}_i^*, \hat{\lambda}_i} = 0$$

obtain solution to orthogonal regression.

# Least Squares Orthogonal Regression

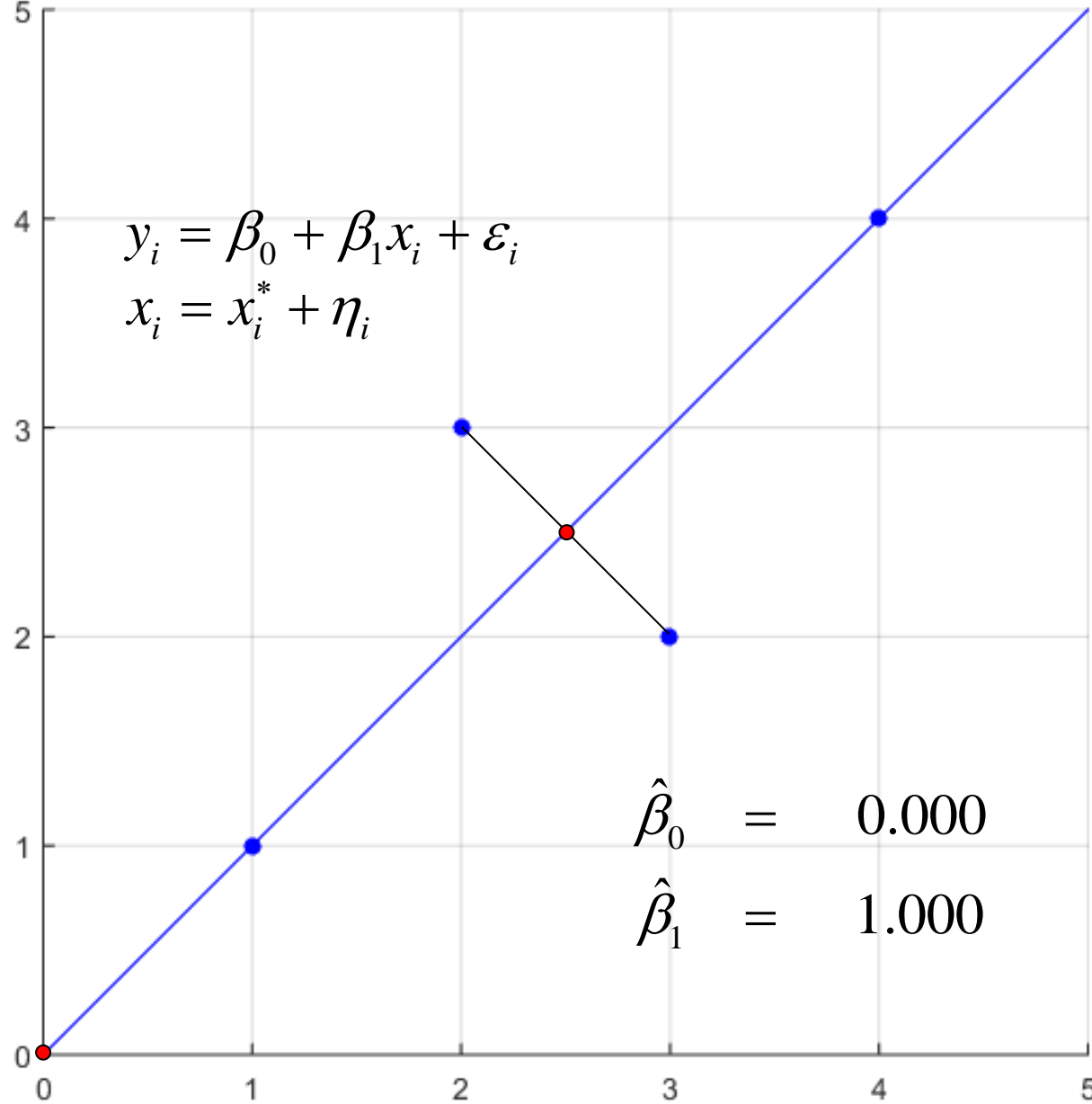
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$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{(s_{yy} - s_{xx}) + \sqrt{(s_{yy} - s_{xx})^2 + 4s_{xy}^2}}{2s_{xy}}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \bar{x}\hat{\beta}_1$$

$$\hat{x}_i^* = x_i + \frac{\hat{\beta}_1}{\hat{\beta}_1^2 + 1} (y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1 x_i)$$

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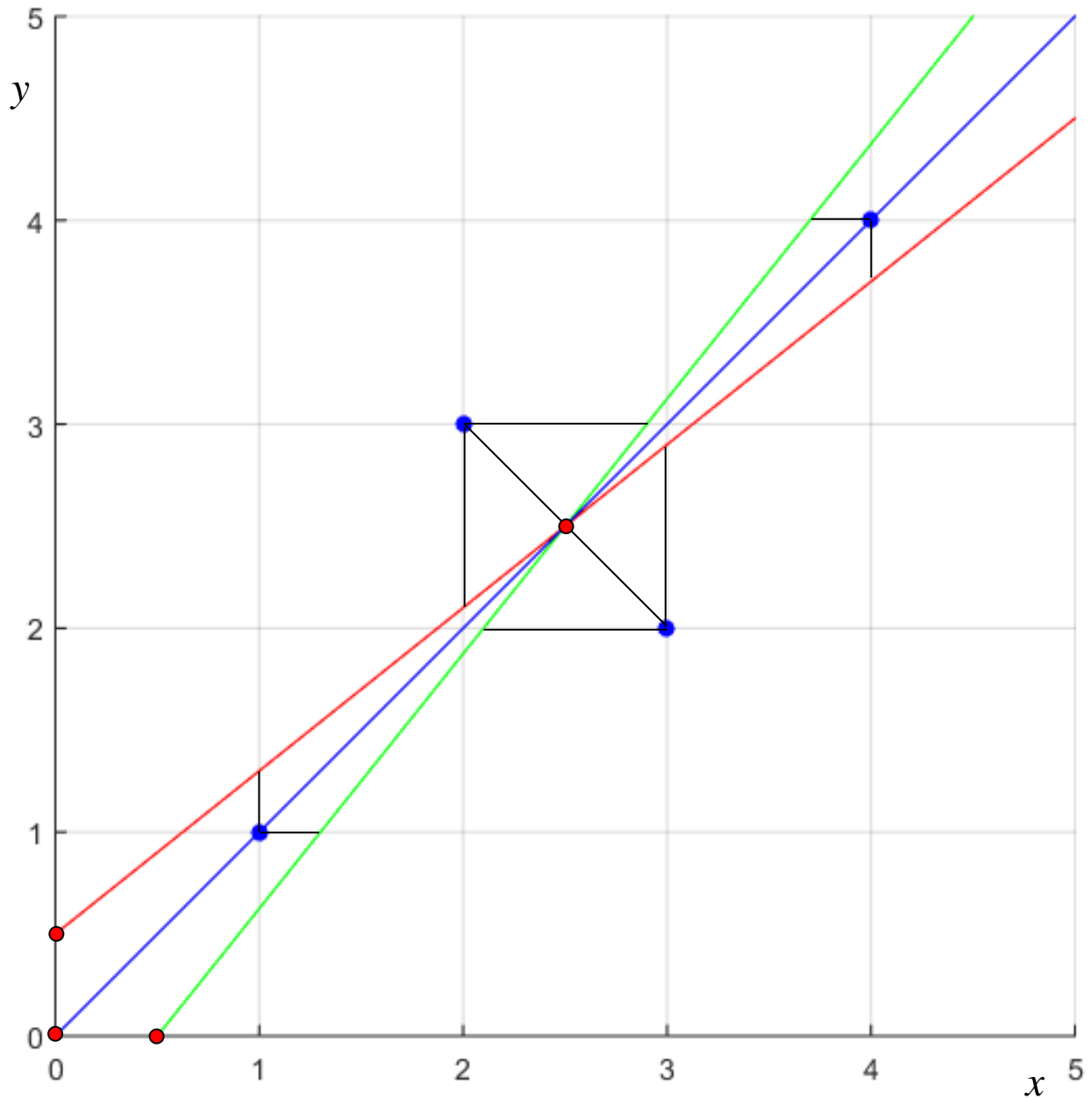
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# Experimental Design - The Beginning

## Example:

For my lab experiment I know that there is a linear relationship between my independent variable  $x$  and dependent variable  $y$ . I can select  $x$  to be any value between  $x_{min}$  and  $x_{max}$ .

**Option 1:** Spread out  $x$ 's  
Select the  $x$  values at every  
 $\Delta x = 1/(x_{max} - x_{min})$ .

**Option 2:** Clump the  $x$ 's  
Select  $n/2$  at  $x_{min}$  and  
select  $n/2$  at  $x_{max}$ .

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1}{\sqrt{s^2 / S_{xx}}}$$

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n-2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1 x_i)^2$$

$$S_{xx} = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

# Experimental Design - The Beginning

**Example:**  $\beta_0=10, \beta_1=1, \sigma=.5$

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i + \varepsilon_i$$

For my lab experiment I know that there is a linear relationship.

**Option 1:** Spread out  $x$ 's

**Option 2:** Clump the  $x$ 's

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \varepsilon$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 11.2688 \\ 12.9169 \\ 11.8706 \\ 14.4311 \\ 15.1594 \\ 15.3462 \\ 16.7832 \\ 18.1713 \\ 20.7892 \\ 21.3847 \end{bmatrix} = 10 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0.2688 \\ 0.9169 \\ -1.1294 \\ 0.4311 \\ 0.1594 \\ -0.6538 \\ -0.2168 \\ 0.1713 \\ 1.7892 \\ 1.3847 \end{bmatrix}$$

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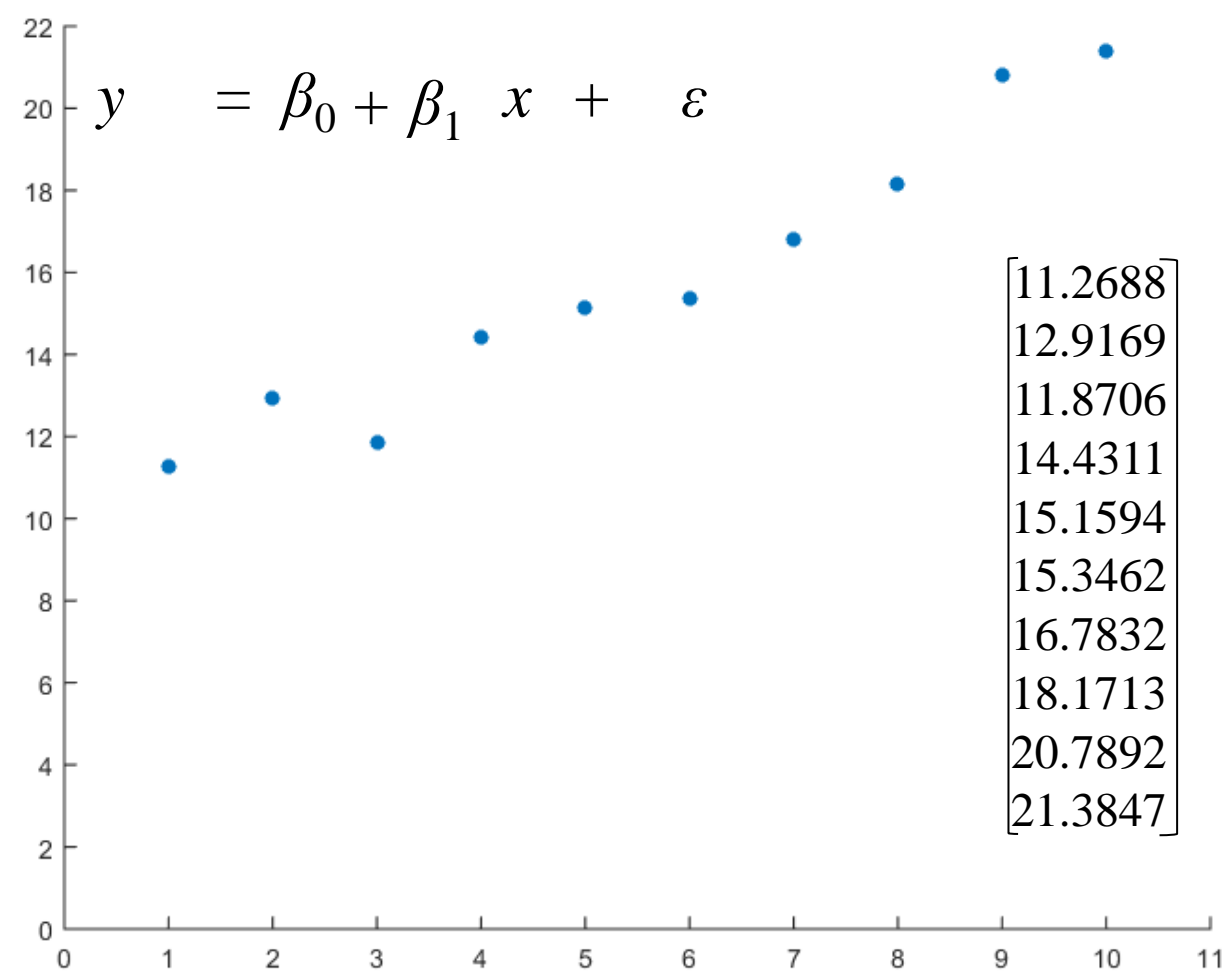
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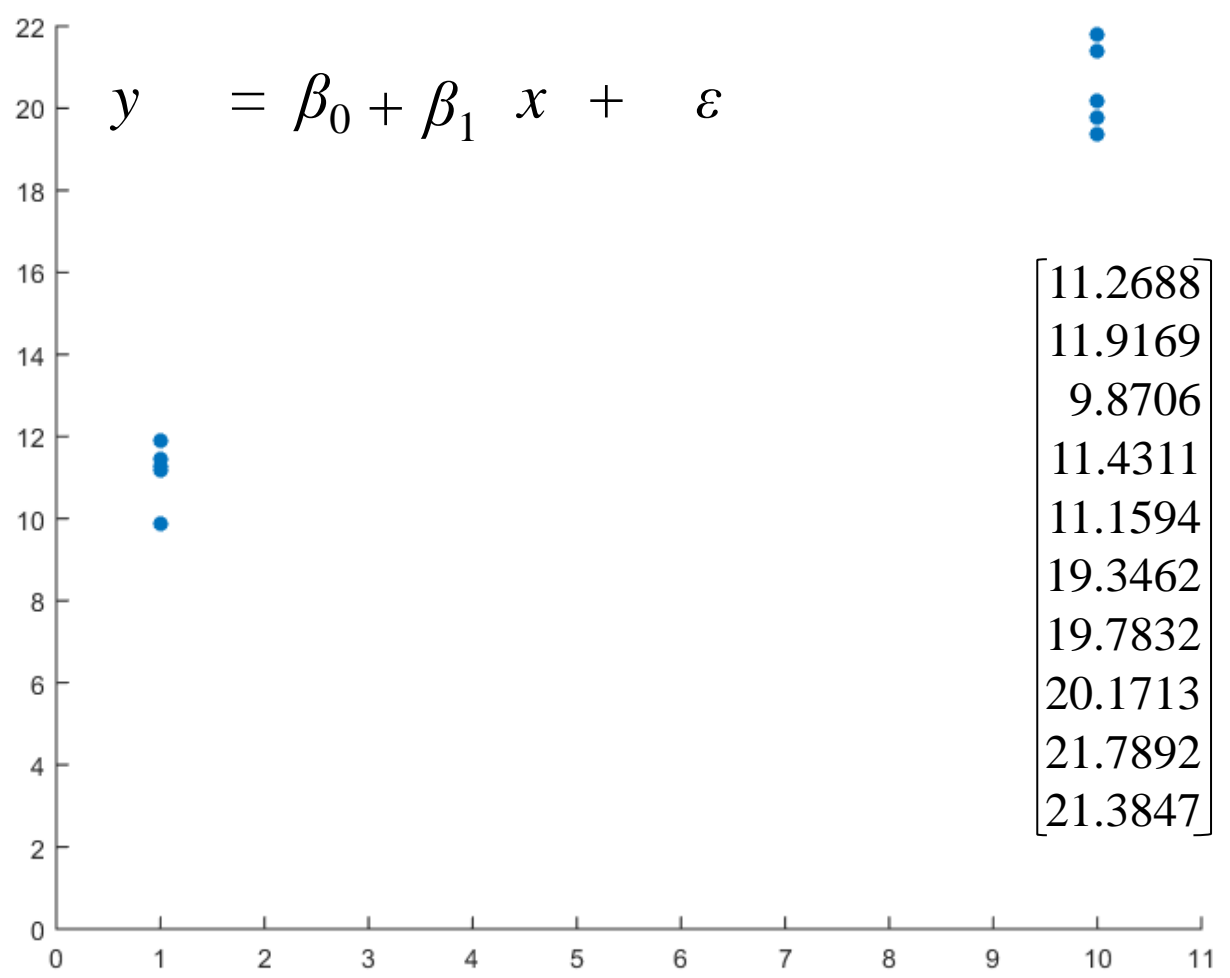
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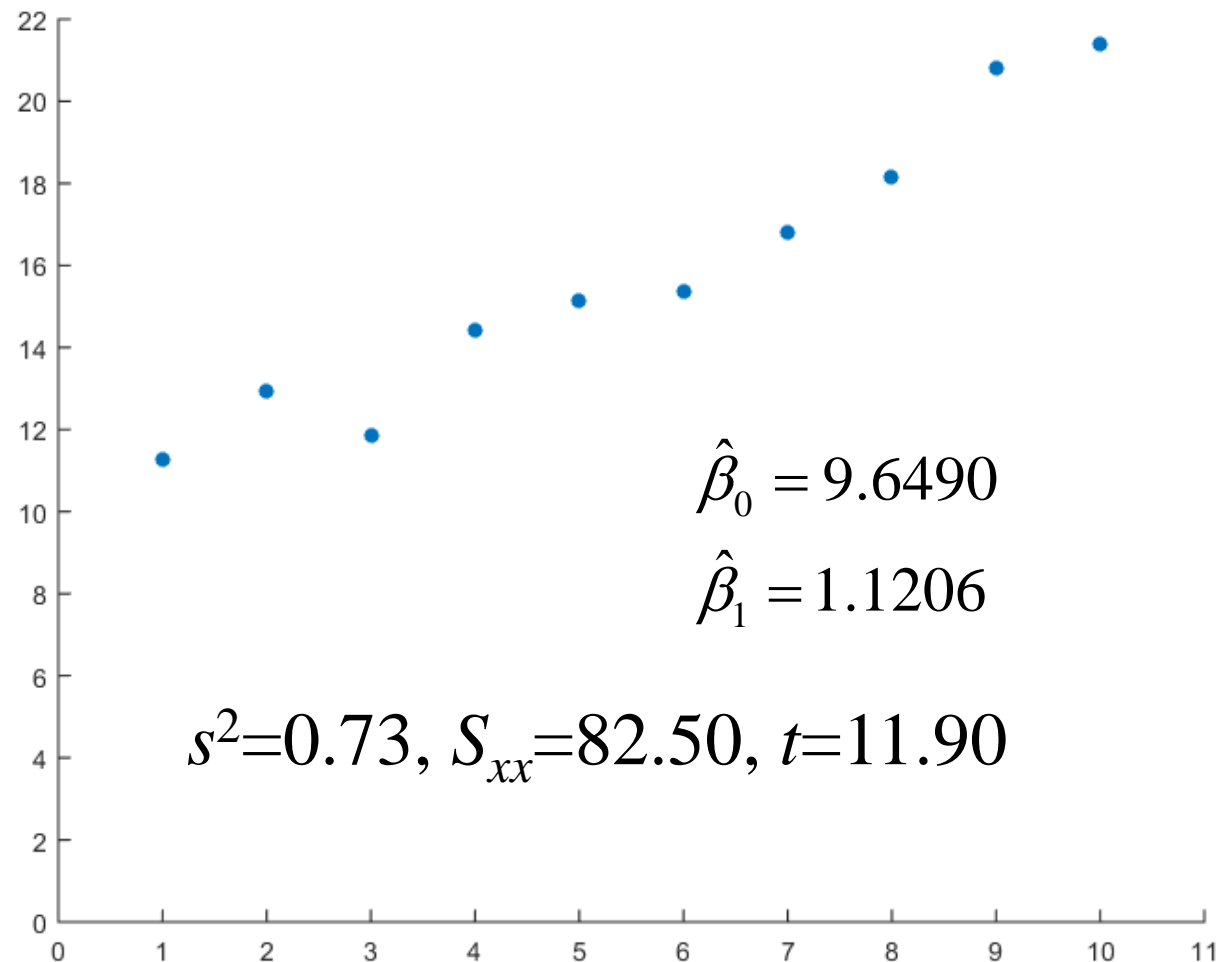
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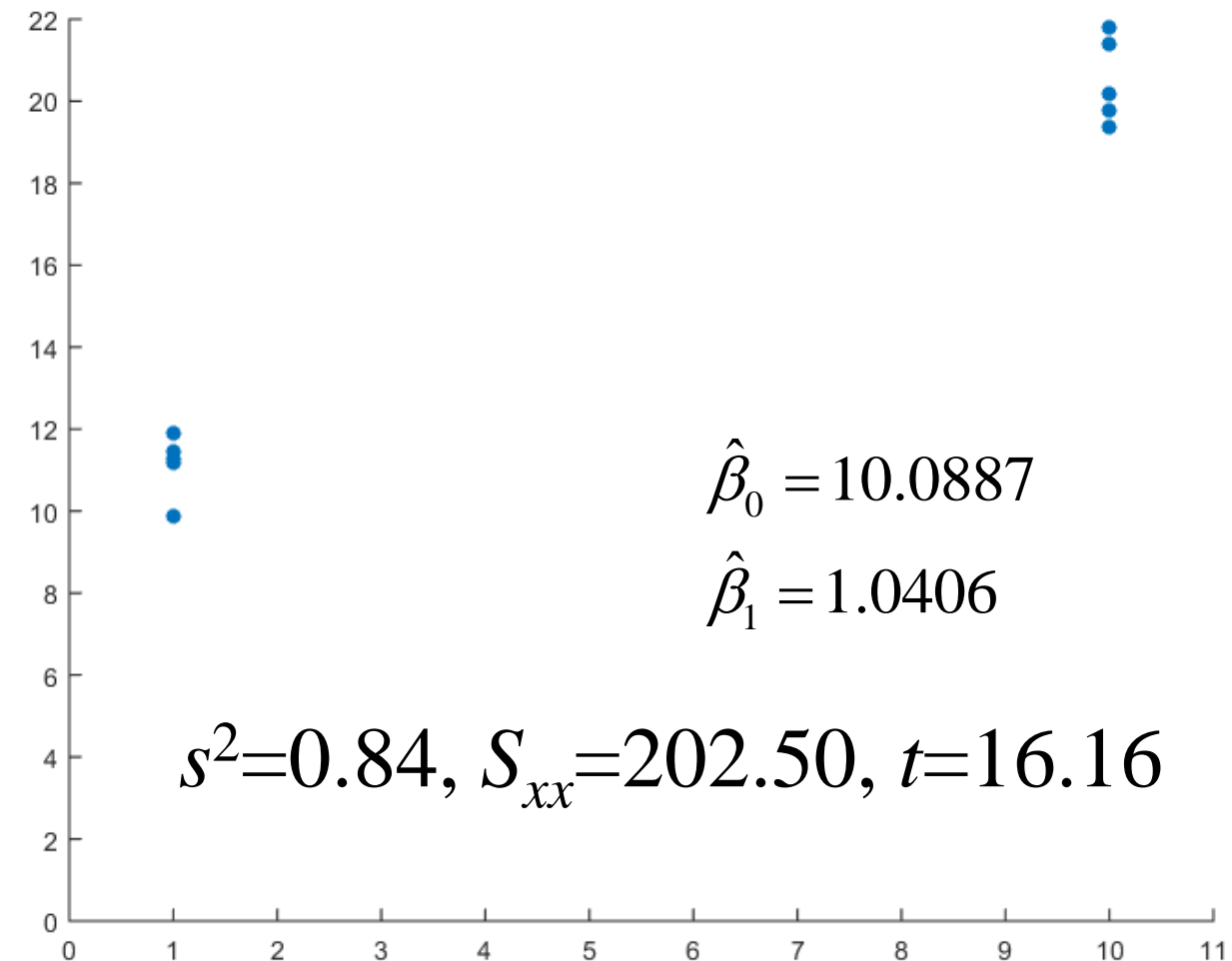
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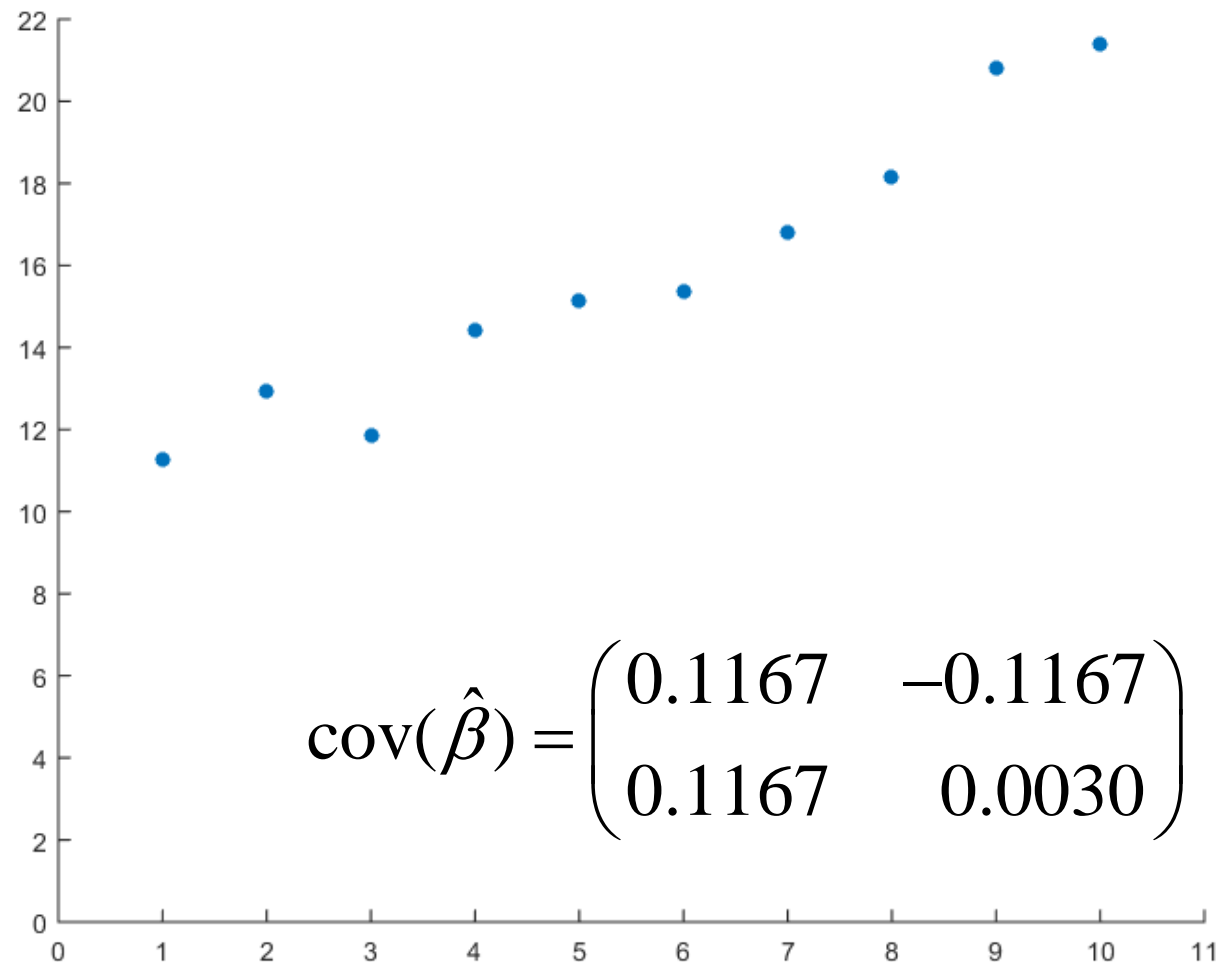
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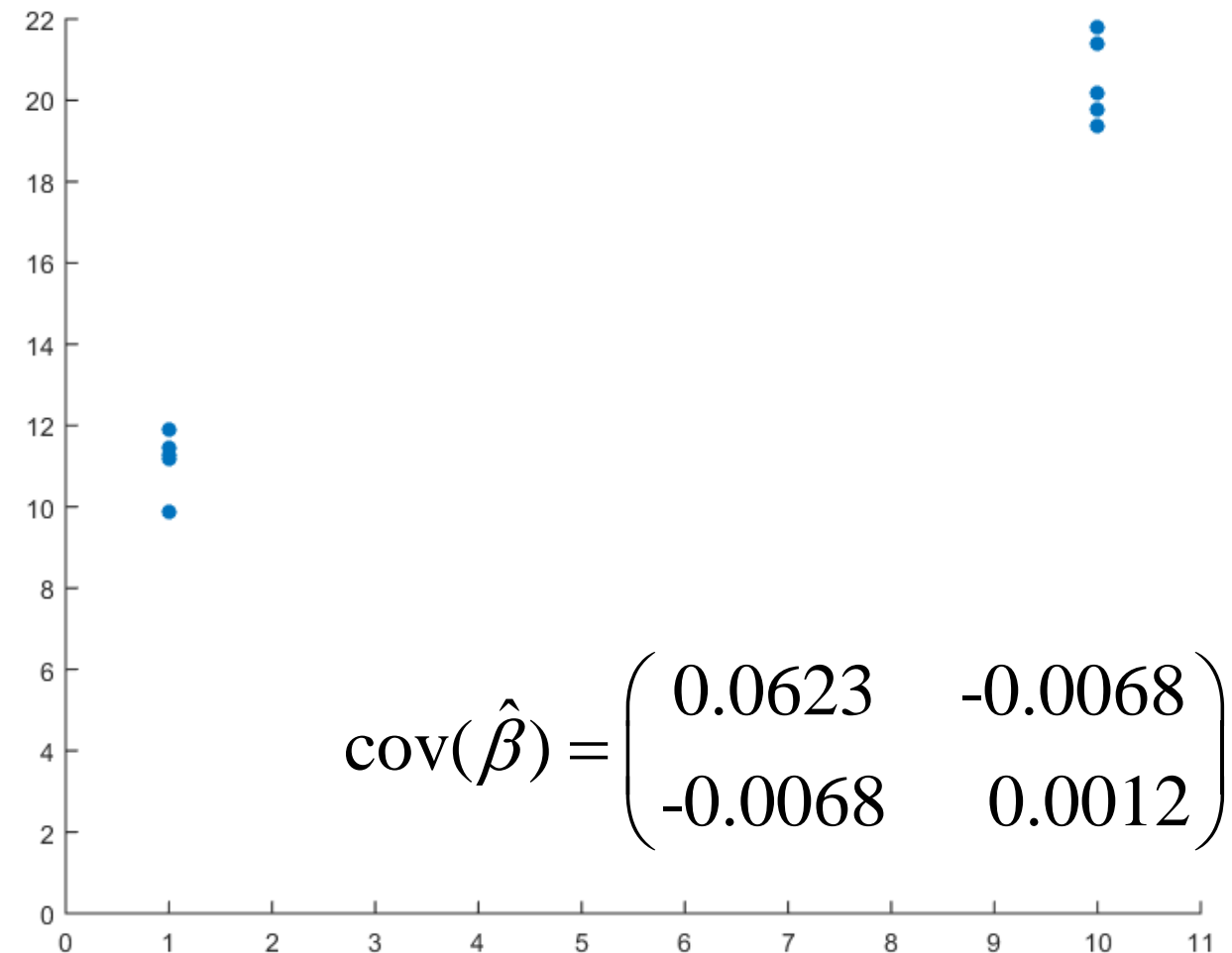
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## Discussion

# Questions?

## Homework 6

1. For orthogonal regression, let  $\beta_0=0$ ,  $\beta_1=1$ ,  $\sigma_x=1$ ,  $\sigma_y=1$ .  
Generate  $10^6$  random lines.  $x^*=[1,2,3,4]$ .

For each set of 4 data points, get estimates  $\hat{\beta}_0$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_1$ ,  $\hat{x}_i^*$

$$\hat{\sigma}_y^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i^*)^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\sigma}_x^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \hat{x}_i^*)^2.$$

Plot histograms of estimates  $\hat{\beta}_0$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_1$ ,  $\hat{x}_i^*$ ,  $\hat{\sigma}_y^2$ ,  $\hat{\sigma}_x^2$ .

Compute means and variances of estimates.

Using same data, repeat for ordinary least squares for  $\hat{\beta}_0$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_1$ ,  $s^2$ .

Compare results.

## Homework 6

2. Create your own solution for the surface fitting example.

Create a larger image with higher order polynomial true curvature and with noise.

Fit a higher order surface to it.

Present true, noisy, and estimated image surfaces.

## Homework 6

3. For the experimental design regression, repeat the two case line simulations  $10^6$  times.

For each simulation for each case, estimate  $\hat{\beta}_0$ ,  $\hat{\beta}_1$ , and

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n-2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{\beta}_0 - x_i \hat{\beta}_1)^2 .$$

Plot histograms of estimates.

Compute means & variances of estimated values.

Compute & make histograms for the  $s^2 (X'X)^{-1}$ .