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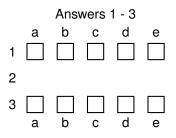
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- 1. (4 points) What distinguishes the GLM from the linear regression model?
 - (a) can model normal error distribution
 - (b) can model mean as a function of the variance
 - (c) can model variance as function of the mean
 - (d) can model non-normal error distribution
 - (e) statistical power
- 2. *(2 points)* The annual mean concentration of sulphur dioxide, in micrograms per cubic metre, is a measure of the air pollution of a city. Related measurements have been taken in 52 US cities along with the following variables that may determine the SO2 levels:
 - temp: average annual temperature in Fahrenheit.
 - manu: number of manufacturing enterprises employing 20 or more workers.
 - popul: population size (1970 census); in thousands.
 - wind: average annual wind speed in miles per hour.
 - precip: average annual precipitation in inches.
 - predays: average number of days with precipitation per year.

A multiple linear regression model has been fitted that returned the following summary information:

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##
## Call:
## lm(formula = SO2 ~ ., data = final_data)
##
## Residuals:
     Min 1Q Median 3Q
##
                                    Max
## -24.439 -7.500 1.420 7.752 23.362
##
## Coefficients:
     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 65.94902 31.76346 2.076 0.04361 *
## temp -0.68571 0.41118 -1.668 0.10233
             0.05321 0.01031 5.160 5.39e-06 ***
## manu
            -0.02820 0.01028 -2.742 0.00874 **
## popul
## wind
            -2.93647 1.44476 -2.032 0.04803 *
## precip0.088080.249650.3530.72589## predays0.182720.113531.6090.11452
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 10.96 on 45 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8092, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7838
## F-statistic: 31.82 on 6 and 45 DF, p-value: 1.245e-14
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How many explanatory variables in the model are statistically significant?

- 3. (2 points) Which statements are correct with respect to PCA?
 - (a) eigenvalues give the variance that each principal component represents
 - (b) eigenvalues give the variance that each variable explains of the principal component
 - (c) the eigenvectors resulting from the analysis are only stretched or shrunk with the eigenvalues when multiplied with the raw data entering the analysis
 - (d) the eigenvalue problem is solved by converting the covariance matrix into a matrix with variables that maximise variation
 - (e) the eigenvalue problem is solved by converting the covariance matrix into a matrix with linear independent variables