

Multiple, categories (cont.)

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \delta_0 x_2 + \delta_1 x_3 + \delta_2 x_4 + u$$

if y : wage

x_1 : educ.

x_2 : $M=1$ & $W=1 \rightarrow x_2=1$ & 0 o.w.

x_3 : $M=1$ & $W=0 \rightarrow x_3=1$ & 0 o.w.

x_4 : $M=0$ & $W=1 \rightarrow x_4=1$ & 0 o.w.

base: $M=0$ & $W=0$

δ_0 : effect of $x_2=1$ rel. to base

δ_1 : " " $x_3=1$ "

δ_2 : " " $x_4=1$ "

e.g. $\hat{\delta}_0 = 2.72$ $\hat{\delta}_1 = 1.3$ $\hat{\delta}_2 = 0.02$

Effect of marr. & west. rel. to base = \$2.72
" " " & not " " " " = \$1.3

Interaction among dummy vars.

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \delta_M \cdot M + \delta_W \cdot W + \delta_{MW} M \cdot W + u$$

Base/ref. group: $M = 0$ & $W = 0$

Effect of $M = 1$ & $W = 1$: $\delta_M + \delta_W + \delta_{MW}$
rel. to base group

Effect of $M = 1$ & $W = 0$: δ_M

" " $M = 0$ & $W = 1$: δ_W

e.g. $\hat{\delta}_M = 1.3$

$$\hat{\delta}_W = 0.02$$

$$\hat{\delta}_{MW} = 1.4$$

Effect of marr. & west
rel. to base = \$2.72

Effect of marr. & = \$1.3
not west

Allowing for diff. slopes

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \delta_0 M + \delta_1 M \times x_1 + u$$

e.g. y : wage

x_1 : educ.

$M \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow$ married

$0 \rightarrow$ not "

	Intercept	Slope on educ.
Marr.	$\beta_0 + \delta_0$	$\beta_1 + \delta_1$
Not marr.	β_0	β_1
Diff.	δ_0	δ_1

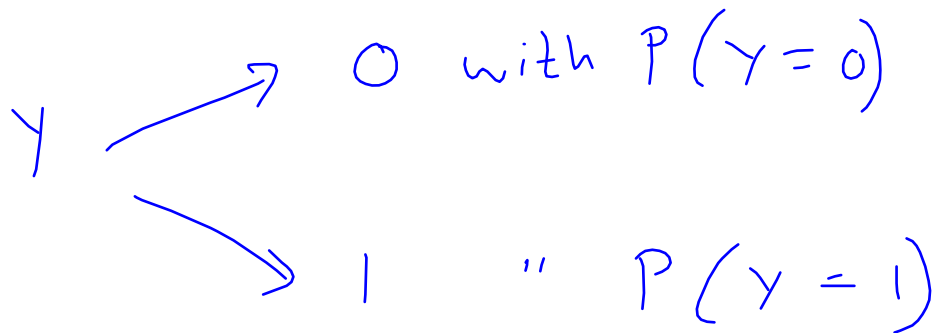
e.g. $\hat{\beta}_1 = 0.46$

$$\hat{\delta}_0 = 0.33$$

$$\hat{\delta}_1 = 0.1$$

The Linear Probability Model

Dep. var. \rightarrow dummy var. e.g. employed, graduation, sign treaty etc.



$$E(y) = [0 \times P(y=0)] + [1 \times P(y=1)]$$
$$= P(y=1)$$

$$y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \dots + \beta_k x_k + u$$

$$E(y | x_1, \dots, x_k)$$

$$P(y=1 | x_1, \dots, x_k)$$

e.g. $P(\text{sign} = 1 | \text{GDPP/L, democracy})$

$P(\text{empl.} = 1 | \text{educ., job training})$