

Title

zip postestimation — Postestimation tools for zip

Description

The following postestimation commands are available for zip:

command	description
<code>estat</code>	AIC, BIC, VCE, and estimation sample summary
<code>estat (svy)</code>	postestimation statistics for survey data
<code>estimates</code>	cataloging estimation results
<code>lincom</code>	point estimates, standard errors, testing, and inference for linear combinations of coefficients
<code>lrtest</code> ¹	likelihood-ratio test
<code>margins</code>	marginal means, predictive margins, marginal effects, and average marginal effects
<code>nlcom</code>	point estimates, standard errors, testing, and inference for nonlinear combinations of coefficients
<code>predict</code>	predictions, residuals, influence statistics, and other diagnostic measures
<code>predictnl</code>	point estimates, standard errors, testing, and inference for generalized predictions
<code>suest</code>	seemingly unrelated estimation
<code>test</code>	Wald tests of simple and composite linear hypotheses
<code>testnl</code>	Wald tests of nonlinear hypotheses

¹ `lrtest` is not appropriate with `svy` estimation results.

See the corresponding entries in the *Base Reference Manual* for details, but see [SVY] `estat` for details about `estat (svy)`.

Syntax for predict

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predict [type] newvar [if] [in] [, statistic nooffset]
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predict [type] { stub* | newvarreg newvarinflate } [if] [in] , scores
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<i>statistic</i>	description
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Main

<code>n</code>	number of events; the default
<code>ir</code>	incidence rate
<code>pr</code>	probability of a degenerate zero
<code>pr(<i>n</i>)</code>	probability $\Pr(y_j = n)$
<code>pr(<i>a,b</i>)</code>	probability $\Pr(a \leq y_j \leq b)$
<code>xb</code>	linear prediction
<code>stdp</code>	standard error of the linear prediction

These statistics are available both in and out of sample; type `predict ... if e(sample) ...` if wanted only for the estimation sample.

Menu

Statistics > Postestimation > Predictions, residuals, etc.

Options for predict

Main

n, the default, calculates the predicted number of events, which is $(1 - p_j) \exp(\mathbf{x}_j\beta)$ if neither `offset()` nor `exposure()` was specified when the model was fit, where p_j is the predicted probability of a zero outcome; $(1 - p_j) \exp\{\mathbf{x}_j\beta + \text{offset}_j\}$ if `offset()` was specified; or $(1 - p_j)\{\exp(\mathbf{x}_j\beta) \times \text{exposure}_j\}$ if `exposure()` was specified.

ir calculates the incidence rate $\exp(\mathbf{x}_j\beta)$, which is the predicted number of events when exposure is 1. This is equivalent to specifying both the **n** and the **nooffset** options.

pr calculates the probability $\Pr(y_j = 0)$, where this zero was obtained from the degenerate distribution $F(\mathbf{z}_j\gamma)$. If `offset()` was specified within the `inflate()` option, then $F(\mathbf{z}_j\gamma + \text{offset}_j)$ is calculated.

pr(*n*) calculates the probability $\Pr(y_j = n)$, where n is a nonnegative integer that may be specified as a number or a variable. Note that **pr** is not equivalent to **pr(0)**.

pr(*a*,*b*) calculates the probability $\Pr(a \leq y_j \leq b)$, where a and b are nonnegative integers that may be specified as numbers or variables;

b missing ($b \geq .$) means $+\infty$;

pr(20, .) calculates $\Pr(y_j \geq 20)$;

pr(20, *b*) calculates $\Pr(y_j \geq 20)$ in observations for which $b \geq .$ and calculates $\Pr(20 \leq y_j \leq b)$ elsewhere.

pr(. , *b*) produces a syntax error. A missing value in an observation of the variable a causes a missing value in that observation for **pr(*a*,*b*)**.

xb calculates the linear prediction, which is $\mathbf{x}_j\beta$ if neither `offset()` nor `exposure()` was specified; $\mathbf{x}_j\beta + \text{offset}_j$ if `offset()` was specified; or $\mathbf{x}_j\beta + \ln(\text{exposure}_j)$ if `exposure()` was specified; see **nooffset** below.

stdp calculates the standard error of the linear prediction.

nooffset is relevant only if you specified `offset()` or `exposure()` when you fit the model. It modifies the calculations made by **predict** so that they ignore the offset or exposure variable; the linear prediction is treated as $\mathbf{x}_j\beta$ rather than as $\mathbf{x}_j\beta + \text{offset}_j$ or $\mathbf{x}_j\beta + \ln(\text{exposure}_j)$. Specifying **predict ... , nooffset** is equivalent to specifying **predict ... , ir**.

scores calculates equation-level score variables.

The first new variable will contain $\partial \ln L / \partial (\mathbf{x}_j\beta)$.

The second new variable will contain $\partial \ln L / \partial (\mathbf{z}_j\gamma)$.

Methods and formulas

All postestimation commands listed above are implemented as ado-files.

The probabilities calculated using the `pr(n)` option are the probability $\Pr(y_i = n)$. These are calculated using

$$\Pr(0|\mathbf{x}_i) = \omega_i + (1 - \omega_i) \exp(-\lambda_i)$$

$$\Pr(n|\mathbf{x}_i) = (1 - \omega_i) \frac{\lambda_i^n \exp(-\lambda_i)}{n!} \quad \text{for } n = 1, 2, \dots$$

where ω_i is the probability of obtaining an observation from the degenerate distribution whose mass is concentrated at zero. ω_i can be obtained from the `pr` option.

See Cameron and Trivedi (1998, sec. 4.7) for further details.

Reference

Cameron, A. C., and P. K. Trivedi. 1998. *Regression Analysis of Count Data*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Also see

[R] **zip** — Zero-inflated Poisson regression

[U] **20 Estimation and postestimation commands**