

## GVPT 722

### Examples of Regression with Pooled Cross-Sectional-Time-Series Data

(1) The data - black percentage of registered voters and black percentage of state legislators in the South, 1970-1990 (first three states only):

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. list if state<4
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. list state year blkpctreg blkpctlegs if state<4
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+-----+
| state   year   blkpct~g   blkpct~s |
+-----+
1. | al  1970   19.37     0 |
2. | al  1971   19.37     1.43 |
3. | al  1972   19.37     1.43 |
4. | al  1973   19.37     1.43 |
5. | al  1974   19.37     2.14 |
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6. | al  1975   19.37    10.71 |
7. | al  1976   17.21    10.71 |
8. | al  1977   17.21    10.71 |
9. | al  1978   17.21    10.71 |
10. | al  1979   17.21    11.43 |
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11. | al  1980   17.07    10.71 |
12. | al  1981   17.07    11.43 |
13. | al  1982   20.87    11.43 |
14. | al  1983   20.87    11.43 |
15. | al  1984   22.01    17.14 |
+-----+
16. | al  1985   22.01    17.14 |
17. | al  1986   21.98    17.14 |
18. | al  1987   21.98    17.14 |
19. | al  1988   21.98    17.14 |
20. | al  1989   21.98    17.14 |
+-----+
21. | al  1990   21.98    17.14 |
22. | ar  1970   17.37     0 |
23. | ar  1971   17.37     0 |
24. | ar  1972   17.37     0 |
25. | ar  1973   17.37     2.96 |
+-----+
26. | ar  1974   17.37     2.96 |
27. | ar  1975   17.37     2.96 |
28. | ar  1976   19.98     2.96 |
29. | ar  1977   19.98     2.96 |
30. | ar  1978   19.98     2.96 |
+-----+
31. | ar  1979   19.98     2.96 |
32. | ar  1980   10.96     2.96 |
33. | ar  1981   10.96     3.7 |
34. | ar  1982   13.07     3.7 |
35. | ar  1983   13.07     3.7 |
+-----+
36. | ar  1984   13.49     3.7 |
37. | ar  1985   13.49     3.7 |
38. | ar  1986   13.23     3.7 |
39. | ar  1987   13.23     3.7 |
40. | ar  1988   13.23     3.7 |
+-----+
41. | ar  1989   13.23     3.7 |
42. | ar  1990   13.23     3.7 |
43. | fl  1970   10.8      .6 |
44. | fl  1971   10.8      1.2 |
45. | fl  1972   10.8      1.2 |
+-----+
46. | fl  1973   10.8      1.9 |
47. | fl  1974   10.8      1.9 |
48. | fl  1975   10.8      1.9 |
49. | fl  1976   10.54     1.9 |
50. | fl  1977   10.54     1.9 |
+-----+
51. | fl  1978   10.54     1.9 |
52. | fl  1979   10.54     2.5 |
53. | fl  1980   10.15     2.5 |
54. | fl  1981   10.15     2.5 |
55. | fl  1982   10.64     3.12 |
+-----+
56. | fl  1983   10.64     3.12 |
57. | fl  1984   10.6      7.5 |
58. | fl  1985   10.6      7.5 |
59. | fl  1986   10.97     7.5 |
60. | fl  1987   10.97     7.5 |
+-----+
61. | fl  1988   10.97     7.5 |
62. | fl  1989   10.97     7.5 |
63. | fl  1990   10.97     7.5 |
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(2) Telling Stata we have cross-sectional-time-series data and which variables represent the cross-sectional and time units:

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. tsset state year, yearly
      panel variable:  state, 1 to 11
      time variable:  year, 1970 to 1990
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(3) Results of simple OLS model:

```
. reg blkpctlegs blkpctreg, beta
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Source	SS	df	MS		
Model	352.665367	1	352.665367	Number of obs =	231
Residual	3711.68114	229	16.2082146	F( 1, 229) =	21.76
Total	4064.34651	230	17.6710718	Prob > F =	0.0000
				R-squared =	0.0868
				Adj R-squared =	0.0828
				Root MSE =	4.0259

blkpctlegs	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
blkpctreg	.216669	.0464497	4.66	0.000	.2945683
_cons	2.731527	.893228	3.06	0.002	.

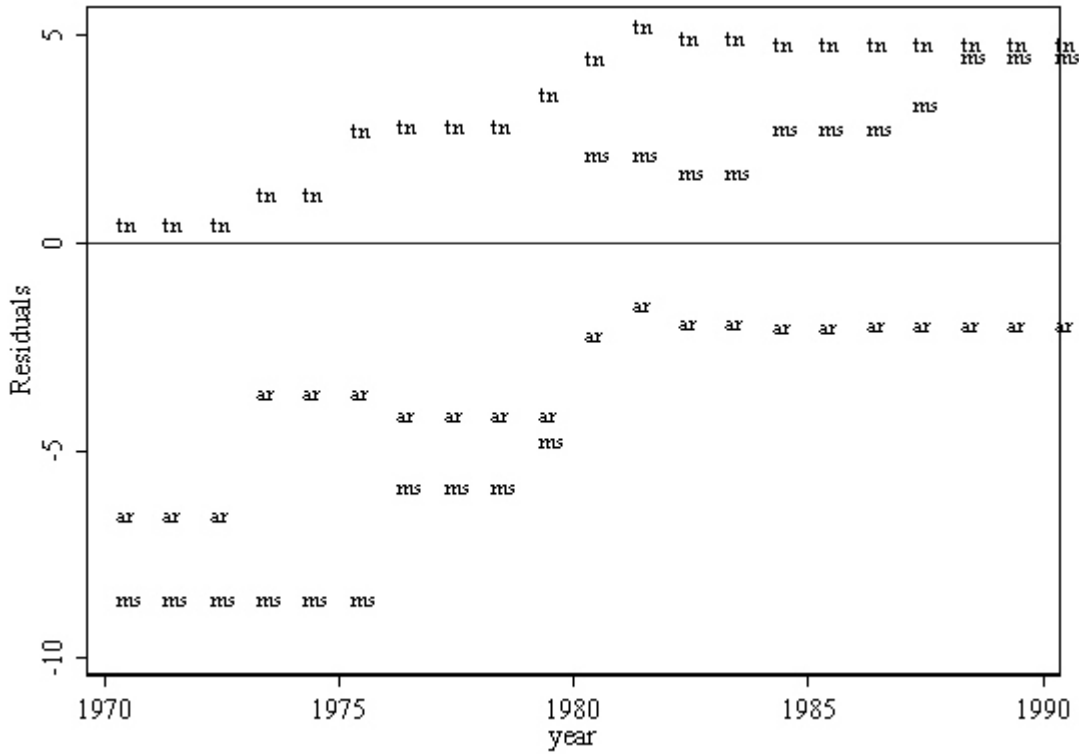
(4) Do the residuals meet OLS assumptions (homoskedasticity across states, no autocorrelation within states)?

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. predict error1, residuals
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. tab state, summ(error1)
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state	Summary of Residuals		
	Mean	Std. Dev.	Freq.
al	3.7347909	5.8786263	21
ar	-3.1986194	1.6678253	21
fl	-1.208751	2.6915652	21
ga	2.0395085	2.0029244	21
la	.37111553	3.4371618	21
ms	-1.8937252	5.4597566	21
nc	-1.8423611	3.072238	21
sc	-.82089942	3.5630554	21
tn	3.4525604	1.7343969	21
tx	1.5788585	2.4485623	21
va	-2.2124777	2.1169943	21
Total	4.838e-09	4.0171811	231

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. twoway (scatter error1 year if state==2 | state==6 | state==9, sort msymbol(none)
mlabel(state) mlabsize(small) mlabcolor(black)), yline(0) legend(off)
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. gen error1_lag=error1[_n-1]
(1 missing value generated)

. list state year error1 error1_lag if state<3
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	state	year	error1	error1_lag
1.	al	1970	-6.928407	.
2.	al	1971	-5.498406	-6.928407
3.	al	1972	-5.498406	-5.498406
4.	al	1973	-5.498406	-5.498406
5.	al	1974	-4.788406	-5.498406
6.	al	1975	3.781594	-4.788406
7.	al	1976	4.249599	3.781594
8.	al	1977	4.249599	4.249599
9.	al	1978	4.249599	4.249599
10.	al	1979	4.969599	4.249599
11.	al	1980	4.279932	4.969599
12.	al	1981	4.999933	4.279932
13.	al	1982	4.17659	4.999933
14.	al	1983	4.17659	4.17659
15.	al	1984	9.639586	4.17659
16.	al	1985	9.639586	9.639586
17.	al	1986	9.646087	9.639586
18.	al	1987	9.646087	9.646087
19.	al	1988	9.646087	9.646087
20.	al	1989	9.646087	9.646087
21.	al	1990	9.646087	9.646087
22.	ar	1970	-6.495069	9.646087
23.	ar	1971	-6.495069	-6.495069
24.	ar	1972	-6.495069	-6.495069
25.	ar	1973	-3.535069	-6.495069
26.	ar	1974	-3.535069	-3.535069
27.	ar	1975	-3.535069	-3.535069
28.	ar	1976	-4.100574	-3.535069
29.	ar	1977	-4.100574	-4.100574

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. replace error1_lag=. if year==1970
(10 real changes made, 10 to missing)
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. sort state

. by state: reg error1 error1\_lag, beta

-> state = al

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	489.259722	1	489.259722	20
Residual	82.5162489	18	4.58423605	F( 1, 18) = 106.73
Total	571.775971	19	30.0934722	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.8557  
Adj R-squared = 0.8477  
Root MSE = 2.1411

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.8646163	.0836926	10.33	0.000	.9250321
_cons	1.29434	.5586255	2.32	0.032	.

-> state = ar

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	33.9078493	1	33.9078493	20
Residual	10.3150678	18	.573059324	F( 1, 18) = 59.17
Total	44.2229171	19	2.32752195	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.7667  
Adj R-squared = 0.7538  
Root MSE = .75701

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.7934689	.1031525	7.69	0.000	.8756417
_cons	-.4441943	.3768134	-1.18	0.254	.

-> state = fl

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	115.801566	1	115.801566	20
Residual	17.910726	18	.995040333	F( 1, 18) = 116.38
Total	133.712292	19	7.03748905	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.8661  
Adj R-squared = 0.8586  
Root MSE = .99752

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.9392007	.0870606	10.79	0.000	.9306182
_cons	.2587222	.2537135	1.02	0.321	.

-> state = ga

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	59.9492019	1	59.9492019	20
Residual	7.79756878	18	.433198266	F( 1, 18) = 138.39
Total	67.7467707	19	3.56561951	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.8849  
Adj R-squared = 0.8785  
Root MSE = .65818

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.9072446	.0771216	11.76	0.000	.9406919
_cons	.4820296	.2080495	2.32	0.032	.

-> state = la

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	155.454665	1	155.454665	20
Residual	27.2929714	18	1.51627619	F( 1, 18) = 102.52
Total	182.747636	19	9.61829664	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.8507  
Adj R-squared = 0.8424  
Root MSE = 1.2314

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.8501762	.0839646	10.13	0.000	.922308
_cons	.6036672	.2756173	2.19	0.042	.

-> state = ms

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =
Model	500.629339	1	500.629339	20
Residual	49.5866288	18	2.75481271	F( 1, 18) = 181.73
Total	550.215968	19	28.9587351	Prob > F = 0.0000

R-squared = 0.9099  
Adj R-squared = 0.9049  
Root MSE = 1.6598

error1	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
error1_lag	.9518771	.0706104	13.48	0.000	.9538752
_cons	.5465465	.4027738	1.36	0.192	.

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-> state = nc

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      20
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 148.02528      1 148.02528      F( 1, 18) = 100.99
      Residual | 26.3832186    18  1.46573437      Prob > F      = 0.0000
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      Total | 174.408498    19  9.17939465      R-squared      = 0.8487
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.8403
                                           Root MSE      = 1.2107

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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
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      error1_lag |   .9366486   .0932044    10.05   0.000   .921264
      _cons |   .2728513   .3319352     0.82   0.422      .
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-> state = sc

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      20
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 158.969514      1 158.969514      F( 1, 18) = 73.32
      Residual | 39.028933    18  2.16827406      Prob > F      = 0.0000
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Total | 197.998447    19 10.4209709      R-squared      = 0.8029
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.7919
                                           Root MSE      = 1.4725

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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      error1_lag |   .8074763   .094304    8.56   0.000   .8960372
      _cons |   .3319998   .3418832     0.97   0.344      .
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-> state = tn

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      20
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 47.4642123      1 47.4642123      F( 1, 18) = 249.12
      Residual | 3.42951677    18  .19052871      Prob > F      = 0.0000
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Total | 50.8937291    19  2.67861732      R-squared      = 0.9326
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.9289
                                           Root MSE      = .4365

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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      error1_lag |   .9032985   .0572306   15.78   0.000   .9657195
      _cons |   .5446329   .2168572     2.51   0.022      .
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-> state = tx

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      20
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 78.053442      1 78.053442      F( 1, 18) = 143.04
      Residual | 9.82216218    18  .545675677      Prob > F      = 0.0000
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Total | 87.8756042    19  4.6250318      R-squared      = 0.8882
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.8820
                                           Root MSE      = .7387

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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      error1_lag |   .823519    .0688565   11.96   0.000   .9424577
      _cons |   .6430051   .1937877     3.32   0.004      .
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-> state = va

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      20
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 76.8766622      1 76.8766622      F( 1, 18) = 141.36
      Residual | 9.78928181    18  .54384899      Prob > F      = 0.0000
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Total | 86.665944     19  4.56136547      R-squared      = 0.8870
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.8808
                                           Root MSE      = .73746

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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      error1_lag |   1.004031   .084448    11.89   0.000   .9418311
      _cons |   .2721298   .2606899     1.04   0.310      .
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. reg error1 error1_lag, beta

      Source |      SS      df      MS      Number of obs =      220
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Model | 3028.86625      1 3028.86625      F( 1, 218) = 2124.51
      Residual | 310.79801    218  1.42567895      Prob > F      = 0.0000
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
      Total | 3339.66426    219 15.2496085      R-squared      = 0.9069
                                           Adj R-squared  = 0.9065
                                           Root MSE      = 1.194

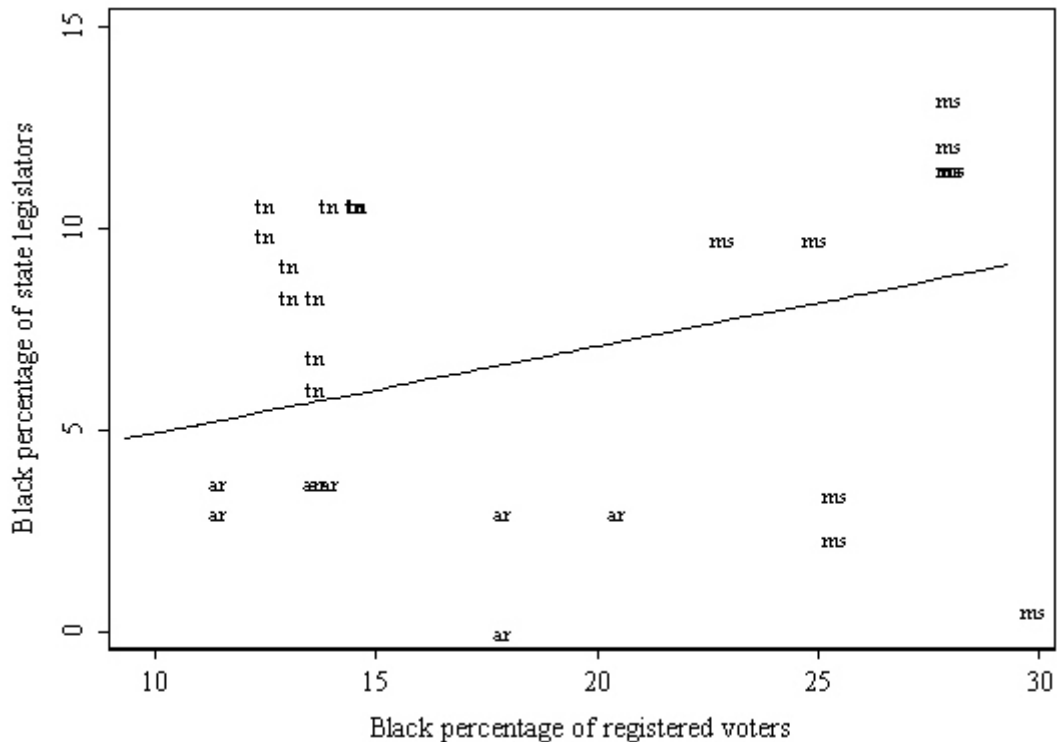
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      error1 |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|      Beta
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      error1_lag |   .9322143   .0202249   46.09   0.000   .9523326
      _cons |   .4178396   .0805803     5.19   0.000      .
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(5) Graphing predicted and actual values (notice the problems of failing to model unit effects and panel heteroskedasticity):

```
. predict legshat1
(option xb assumed; fitted values)

. twoway (connected legshat1 blkpctreg, sort msymbol(none) clcolor(black)
clpat(solid)) (scatter blkpctlegs blkpctreg if state==2 | state==6 | state==9, sort
msymbol(none) mlabel(state) mlabsize(small) mlabcolor(black)), ytitle(Black percentage
of state legislators, size(medsmall) margin(medsmall)) xtitle(Black percentage of
registered voters, size(medsmall) margin(medsmall)) legend(off)
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(6) Estimating a fixed effects model "by hand"

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. reg blkpctlegs blkpctreg al ar fl ga la ms nc sc tn tx
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Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	231
Model	1617.32042	11	147.029129	F( 11, 219) =	13.16
Residual	2447.02609	219	11.1736351	Prob > F =	0.0000
Total	4064.34651	230	17.6710718	R-squared =	0.3979
				Adj R-squared =	0.3677
				Root MSE =	3.3427

blkpctlegs	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]
blkpctreg	.5310141	.125822	4.22	0.000	.2830372 .778991
al	4.757099	1.136265	4.19	0.000	2.517684 6.996513
ar	-.8361542	1.033325	-0.81	0.419	-2.872688 1.200379
fl	2.661672	1.2266	2.17	0.031	.2442202 5.079124
ga	2.423396	1.264859	1.92	0.057	-.0694585 4.916251
la	.2087915	1.402751	0.15	0.882	-2.555828 2.973411
ms	-3.04893	1.697406	-1.80	0.074	-6.394271 .2964106
nc	.058017	1.039116	0.06	0.956	-1.98993 2.105964
sc	-1.908446	1.67598	-1.14	0.256	-5.21156 1.394668
tn	6.517961	1.086604	6.00	0.000	4.376422 8.6595
tx	5.219211	1.179323	4.43	0.000	2.894935 7.543487
_cons	-4.500741	2.137567	-2.11	0.036	-8.713576 -.2879064

(7) F-test that all of the fixed effects are 0 (i.e. that all of the coefficients on the state dummies = 0)

```
. test al ar fl ga la ms nc sc tn tx
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```
( 1) al = 0
( 2) ar = 0
( 3) fl = 0
( 4) ga = 0
( 5) la = 0
( 6) ms = 0
( 7) nc = 0
( 8) sc = 0
( 9) tn = 0
(10) tx = 0
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F( 10, 219) = 11.32
Prob > F = 0.0000
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(8) Using Stata's fixed effects command:

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. xtreg blkpctlegs blkpctreg, fe
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```
Fixed-effects (within) regression      Number of obs   =      231
Group variable (i): state              Number of groups =       11

R-sq:  within = 0.0752                 Obs per group: min =      21
        between = 0.1626                avg =           21.0
        overall = 0.0868                max =           21

corr(u_i, Xb) = -0.6082                F(1,219)        =      17.81
                                         Prob > F         =      0.0000
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blkpctlegs |      Coef.   Std. Err.      t    P>|t|     [95% Conf. Interval]
-----+-----
blkpctreg |   .5310141   .125822     4.22  0.000     .2830372   .778991
  _cons |  -3.041412   2.321161   -1.31  0.191    -7.616084  1.53326
-----+-----
sigma_u |   3.091432
sigma_e |   3.3426988
rho |   .4610073   (fraction of variance due to u_i)
-----+-----
F test that all u_i=0:      F(10, 219) = 11.32                Prob > F = 0.0000
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(9) The random effects model:

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. xtreg blkpctlegs blkpctreg, re
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```
Random-effects GLS regression      Number of obs   =      231
Group variable (i): state          Number of groups =       11

R-sq:  within = 0.0752                 Obs per group: min =      21
        between = 0.1626                avg =           21.0
        overall = 0.0868                max =           21

Random effects u_i ~ Gaussian      Wald chi2(1)    =      15.97
corr(u_i, X) = 0 (assumed)         Prob > chi2     =      0.0001
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-----+-----
blkpctlegs |      Coef.   Std. Err.      z    P>|z|     [95% Conf. Interval]
-----+-----
blkpctreg |   .3750634   .0938458     4.00  0.000     .1911289   .5589978
  _cons |  -1.1773811   1.883528   -0.09  0.925    -3.869028  3.514266
-----+-----
sigma_u |   2.3983221
sigma_e |   3.3426988
rho |   .33983754   (fraction of variance due to u_i)
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(10) Test for random effects:

. xttest0

Breusch and Pagan Lagrangian multiplier test for random effects:

blkpctlegs[state,t] = Xb + u[state] + e[state,t]

Estimated results:

	Var	sd = sqrt(Var)
blkpctl~s	17.67107	4.203697
e	11.17364	3.342699
u	5.751949	2.398322

Test: Var(u) = 0

chi2(1) = 191.64  
Prob > chi2 = 0.0000

(11) Hausman test of no difference between fixed and random effects coefficients

. xtreg blkpctlegs blkpctreg, fe (results not shown)

. est store fixed

. xtreg blkpctlegs blkpctreg, re (results not shown)

. est store random

. hausman fixed random

	---- Coefficients ----			
	(b) fixed	(B) random	(b-B) Difference	sqrt(diag(V_b-V_B)) S.E.
blkpctreg	.5310141	.3750634	.1559507	.0838101

b = consistent under Ho and Ha; obtained from xtreg  
B = inconsistent under Ha, efficient under Ho; obtained from xtreg

Test: Ho: difference in coefficients not systematic

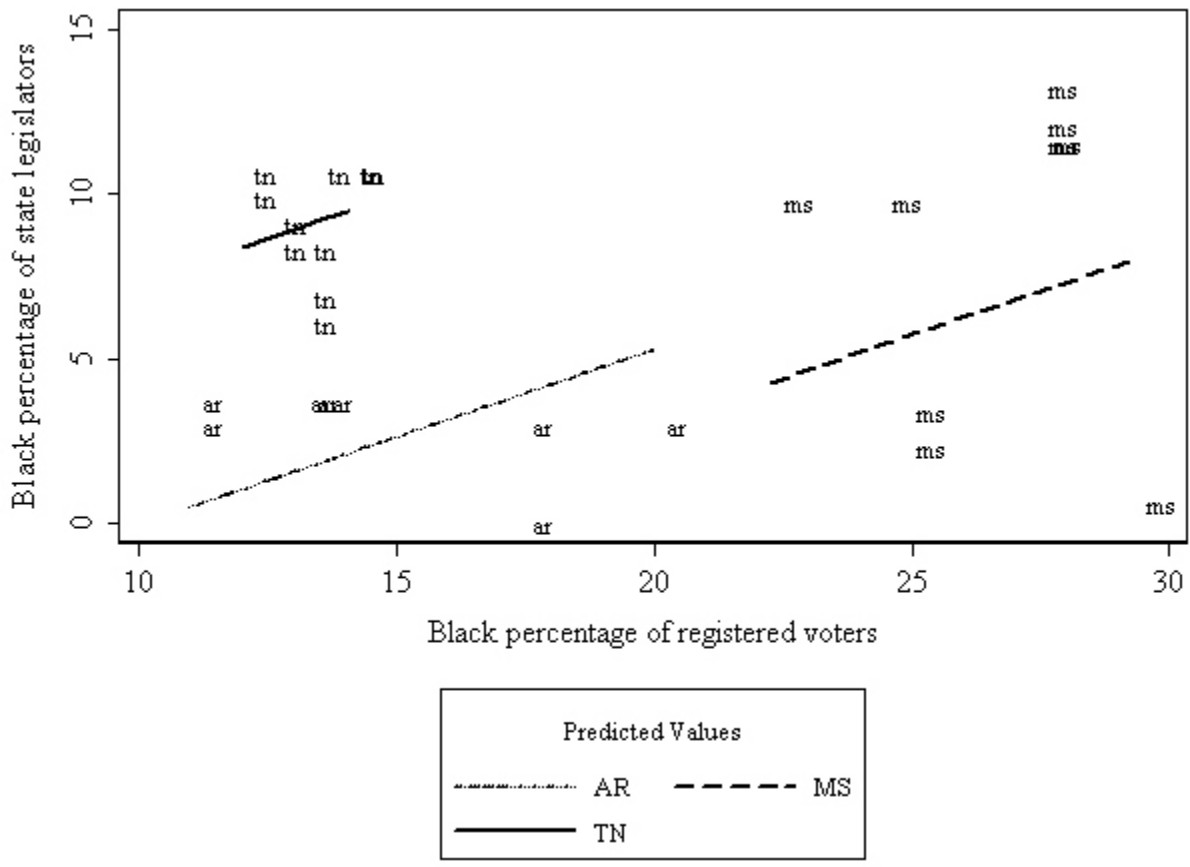
chi2(1) = (b-B)'[(V\_b-V\_B)^(-1)](b-B)  
= 3.46  
Prob>chi2 = 0.0628

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(12) Graphing predicted and actual values from the fixed effects model (notice that assumption of homogeneity across units is gone, but panel heteroskedasticity remains):

```
. predict legshat2, xbu

. twoway (connected legshat2 blkpctreg if state==2, sort msymbol(none) clcolor(black)
clpat(tight_dot)) (scatter blkpctlegs blkpctreg if state==2 | state==6 | state==9,
sort msymbol(none) mlabel(state) mlabsize(small) mlabcolor(black)) (connected legshat2
blkpctreg if state==6, sort msymbol(none) clcolor(black) clpat(dash)) (connected
legshat2 blkpctreg if state==9, sort msymbol(none) clcolor(black) clpat(solid)),
ytitle(Black percentage of state legislators, size(medsmall) margin(medsmall))
xtitle(Black percentage of registered voters, size(medsmall) margin(medsmall))
legend(on order(1 "AR" 3 "MS" 4 "TN") size(small)) legend(title(Predicted Values,
size(small) margin(medsmall)))
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(13) Further tests of panel heteroskedasticity and autocorrelation in fixed-effects residuals (notice that mean error within states now equals 0, but panel heteroskedasticity and autocorrelation remain):

```
. predict errorfel, e
. tab state, summ(errorfel)
```

state	Summary of e[state,t]		Freq.
	Mean	Std. Dev.	
al	-5.393e-08	5.6408917	21
ar	-1.419e-08	2.4680193	21
fl	1.135e-08	2.661925	21
ga	8.515e-09	1.9659608	21
la	1.419e-09	2.9920101	21
ms	-3.406e-08	5.7914268	21
nc	-1.561e-08	2.6085454	21
sc	-3.690e-08	3.1899351	21
tn	0	1.6806772	21
tx	1.135e-08	2.800138	21
va	-1.277e-08	1.8306524	21
Total	-1.226e-08	3.2617854	231

```
. gen errorfel_lag=errorfel[_n-1]
(1 missing value generated)

. replace errorfel_lag=. if year==1970
(10 real changes made, 10 to missing)

. reg errorfel errorfel_lag, beta
```

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	220
Model	1736.30723	1	1736.30723	F( 1, 218) =	1087.10
Residual	348.187953	218	1.59719245	Prob > F =	0.0000
Total	2084.49518	219	9.51824284	R-squared =	0.8330
				Adj R-squared =	0.8322
				Root MSE =	1.2638

errorfel	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	Beta
errorfel_lag	.8682921	.0263349	32.97	0.000	.912668
_cons	.3919525	.0853133	4.59	0.000	.

(14) Fixed effects model with a lagged dependent variable (leglag1)

```
. reg blkpctlegs leglag1 blkpctreg al ar fl ga la ms nc sc tn tx
```

Source	SS	df	MS	Number of obs =	220
Model	3435.68616	12	286.30718	F( 12, 207) =	209.80
Residual	282.484645	207	1.36466012	Prob > F =	0.0000
Total	3718.17081	219	16.9779489	R-squared =	0.9240
				Adj R-squared =	0.9196
				Root MSE =	1.1682

blkpctlegs	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
leglag1	.8970312	.0247103	36.30	0.000	.848315	.9457473
blkpctreg	.0296422	.0469364	0.63	0.528	-.0628925	.122177
al	1.143197	.4214053	2.71	0.007	.312401	1.973994
ar	-.1793712	.3707091	-0.48	0.629	-.9102206	.5514782
fl	.203398	.445273	0.46	0.648	-.6744535	1.08125
ga	.4481575	.457539	0.98	0.328	-.4538761	1.350191
la	.5429291	.5027628	1.08	0.281	-.4482629	1.534121
ms	.2917272	.6060169	0.48	0.631	-.9030293	1.486484
nc	.1800592	.372236	0.48	0.629	-.5538005	.9139189
sc	.3397975	.6025217	0.56	0.573	-.8480682	1.527663
tn	.5576069	.4233989	1.32	0.189	-.27712	1.392334
tx	.5098992	.4459904	1.14	0.254	-.3693666	1.389165
_cons	.2012985	.7745479	0.26	0.795	-1.325715	1.728312

(15) Beck's and Katz' test for first-order autocorrelation with PCSTS data (Nathaniel Beck and Jonathan Katz. 1996. "Nuisance vs. Substance: Specifying and Estimating Time-Series-Cross-Section Models." *Political Analysis* 6:1-36.)

```
. predict errorfe2, residuals
(11 missing values generated)

. gen errorfe2_lag=errorfe2[_n-1]
(12 missing values generated)

. replace errorfe2_lag=. if year==1970
(10 real changes made, 10 to missing)

. reg errorfe2 errorfe2_lag leglag1, nocons
```

Source	SS	df	MS			
Model	1.88364973	2	.941824864	Number of obs =	209	
Residual	274.960133	207	1.32830982	F( 2, 207) =	0.71	
Total	276.843782	209	1.3246114	Prob > F =	0.4933	
				R-squared =	0.0068	
				Adj R-squared =	-0.0028	
				Root MSE =	1.1525	

errorfe2	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P> t	[95% Conf. Interval]	
errorfe2_lag	-.0825106	.0693999	-1.19	0.236	-.2193318	.0543107
leglag1	.0025248	.0102034	0.25	0.805	-.0175911	.0226408

$(\chi^2 = N \times T \times R^2 = 21 \times 11 \times .0068 = 1.57 \text{ (df = 1)}; p > .10; \text{ accept } H_0: \rho = 0)$

(16) But panel heteroskedasticity remains:

```
. tab state, summ(errorfe2)
```

state	Summary of Residuals		
	Mean	Std. Dev.	Freq.
al	8.661e-09	2.1022586	20
ar	5.588e-10	.62568283	20
fl	-2.608e-09	.9790929	20
ga	2.515e-09	.56477677	20
la	4.843e-09	1.2024602	20
ms	-6.333e-09	1.5444691	20
nc	8.382e-10	1.2508111	20
sc	1.453e-08	1.4726759	20
tn	-7.451e-09	.41213957	20
tx	-7.451e-10	.67232041	20
va	-6.985e-09	.76978878	20
Total	7.112e-10	1.1357307	220

(17) Estimating the model with Beck's and Katz' panel-corrected standard errors (Nathaniel Beck and Jonathan Katz. 1995. "What To Do (and Not To Do) with Times-Series-Cross-Section Data in Comparative Politics." *American Political Science Review* 89:634-647.)

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```
. xtpcse blkpctlegs leglag1 blkpctreg al ar fl ga la ms nc sc tn tx,
correlation(independent)
```

Linear regression, correlated panels corrected standard errors (PCSEs)

```
Group variable:  state                Number of obs   =      220
Time variable:  year                  Number of groups =      11
Panels:         correlated (balanced)  Obs per group: min =      20
Autocorrelation: no autocorrelation    avg             =      20
                                                max             =      20
Estimated covariances =      66        R-squared       =      0.9240
Estimated autocorrelations =      0        Wald chi2(12)   =     6053.02
Estimated coefficients =      13        Prob > chi2     =      0.0000
```

	Panel-corrected					
	Coef.	Std. Err.	z	P> z	[95% Conf. Interval]	
leglag1	.8970312	.0427116	21.00	0.000	.813318	.9807443
blkpctreg	.0296422	.0498393	0.59	0.552	-.068041	.1273255
al	1.143197	.5848303	1.95	0.051	-.0030488	2.289444
ar	-.1793712	.2293989	-0.78	0.434	-.6289848	.2702424
fl	.203398	.3415431	0.60	0.551	-.4660141	.8728102
ga	.4481575	.4442188	1.01	0.313	-.4224954	1.31881
la	.5429291	.5390338	1.01	0.314	-.5135577	1.599416
ms	.2917272	.65226	0.45	0.655	-.986679	1.570133
nc	.1800592	.2797841	0.64	0.520	-.3683076	.7284259
sc	.3397975	.6594611	0.52	0.606	-.9527225	1.632317
tn	.5576069	.3178967	1.75	0.079	-.0654592	1.180673
tx	.5098992	.3398378	1.50	0.134	-.1561707	1.175969
_cons	.2012985	.8468056	0.24	0.812	-1.45841	1.861007

(18) Can the hypothesis that black legislative representation increases with black presence in the electorate be saved? (Maybe we don't need to specify separate intercepts for each state anymore):

```
. test al tn
```

```
( 1) al = 0
( 2) tn = 0
```

```
chi2( 2) = 4.91
Prob > chi2 = 0.0858
```

```
. test ar fl ga la ms nc sc tx
```

```
( 1) ar = 0
( 2) fl = 0
( 3) ga = 0
( 4) la = 0
( 5) ms = 0
( 6) nc = 0
( 7) sc = 0
( 8) tx = 0
```

```
chi2( 8) = 7.21
Prob > chi2 = 0.5143
```

```
. xtpcse blkpctlegs leglag1 blkpctreg al tn, correlation(independent)
```

Linear regression, correlated panels corrected standard errors (PCSEs)

```
Group variable:  state                Number of obs   =      220
Time variable:  year                  Number of groups =      11
Panels:         correlated (balanced)  Obs per group: min =      20
Autocorrelation: no autocorrelation    avg             =      20
                                                max             =      20
Estimated covariances =      66        R-squared       =      0.9221
Estimated autocorrelations =      0        Wald chi2(4)    =     1446.35
Estimated coefficients =      5        Prob > chi2     =      0.0000
```

	Panel-corrected					
	Coef.	Std. Err.	z	P> z	[95% Conf. Interval]	
leglag1	.916428	.0367116	24.96	0.000	.8444746	.9883813
blkpctreg	.0359706	.0143659	2.50	0.012	.007814	.0641272
al	.7878913	.4331171	1.82	0.069	-.0610027	1.636785
tn	.2716138	.2125553	1.28	0.201	-.144987	.6882146
_cons	.2292132	.2387436	0.96	0.337	-.2387156	.697142