

cnsreg postestimation — Postestimation tools for cnsreg[Description](#) [Syntax for predict](#) [Menu for predict](#) [Options for predict](#) [Also see](#)

Description

The following postestimation commands are available after `cnsreg`:

Command	Description
<code>contrast</code>	contrasts and ANOVA-style joint tests of estimates
<code>estat ic</code>	Akaike's and Schwarz's Bayesian information criteria (AIC and BIC)
<code>estat summarize</code>	summary statistics for the estimation sample
<code>estat vce</code>	variance–covariance matrix of the estimators (VCE)
<code>estat (svy)</code>	postestimation statistics for survey data
<code>estimates</code>	cataloging estimation results
<code>forecast</code> ¹	dynamic forecasts and simulations
<code>lincom</code>	point estimates, standard errors, testing, and inference for linear combinations of coefficients
<code>linktest</code>	link test for model specification
<code>lrtest</code> ²	likelihood-ratio test
<code>margins</code>	marginal means, predictive margins, marginal effects, and average marginal effects
<code>marginsplot</code>	graph the results from margins (profile plots, interaction plots, etc.)
<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>pwcompare</code>	pairwise comparisons of estimates
<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 `forecast` is not appropriate with `mi` or `svy` estimation results.

² `lrtest` is not appropriate with `svy` estimation results.

Syntax for predict

`predict [type] newvar [if] [in] [, statistic]`

<i>statistic</i>	Description
Main	
<code>xb</code>	linear prediction; the default
<code>residuals</code>	residuals
<code>stdp</code>	standard error of the prediction
<code>stdf</code>	standard error of the forecast
<code>pr(a,b)</code>	$\Pr(a < y_j < b)$
<code>e(a,b)</code>	$E(y_j a < y_j < b)$
<code>ystar(a,b)</code>	$E(y_j^*), y_j^* = \max\{a, \min(y_j, b)\}$
<code>score</code>	equivalent to <code>residuals</code>

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

`stdf` is not allowed with `svy` estimation results.

where a and b may be numbers or variables; a missing ($a \geq .$) means $-\infty$, and b missing ($b \geq .$) means $+\infty$; see [\[U\] 12.2.1 Missing values](#).

Menu for predict

Statistics > Postestimation > Predictions, residuals, etc.

Options for predict

Main

`xb`, the default, calculates the linear prediction.

`residuals` calculates the residuals, that is, $y_j - \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b}$.

`stdp` calculates the standard error of the prediction, which can be thought of as the standard error of the predicted expected value or mean for the observation's covariate pattern. The standard error of the prediction is also referred to as the standard error of the fitted value.

`stdf` calculates the standard error of the forecast, which is the standard error of the point prediction for 1 observation. It is commonly referred to as the standard error of the future or forecast value. By construction, the standard errors produced by `stdf` are always larger than those produced by `stdp`; see [Methods and formulas in \[R\] regress postestimation](#).

`pr(a,b)` calculates $\Pr(a < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < b)$, the probability that $y_j | \mathbf{x}_j$ would be observed in the interval (a, b) .

a and b may be specified as numbers or variable names; lb and ub are variable names;

`pr(20,30)` calculates $\Pr(20 < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < 30)$;

`pr(lb,ub)` calculates $\Pr(lb < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < ub)$; and

`pr(20,ub)` calculates $\Pr(20 < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < ub)$.

a missing ($a \geq .$) means $-\infty$; `pr(.,30)` calculates $\Pr(-\infty < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < 30)$;

`pr(lb,30)` calculates $\Pr(-\infty < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < 30)$ in observations for which $lb \geq .$ and calculates $\Pr(lb < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < 30)$ elsewhere.

b missing ($b \geq .$) means $+\infty$; `pr(20,.)` calculates $\Pr(+\infty > \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j > 20)$; `pr(20,ub)` calculates $\Pr(+\infty > \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j > 20)$ in observations for which $ub \geq .$ and calculates $\Pr(20 < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < ub)$ elsewhere.

`e(a,b)` calculates $E(\mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j | a < \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j < b)$, the expected value of $y_j | \mathbf{x}_j$ conditional on $y_j | \mathbf{x}_j$ being in the interval (a,b) , meaning that $y_j | \mathbf{x}_j$ is truncated. a and b are specified as they are for `pr()`.

`ystar(a,b)` calculates $E(y_j^*)$, where $y_j^* = a$ if $\mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j \leq a$, $y_j^* = b$ if $\mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j \geq b$, and $y_j^* = \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{b} + u_j$ otherwise, meaning that y_j^* is censored. a and b are specified as they are for `pr()`.

`score` is equivalent to `residuals` for linear regression models.

Also see

[R] **cnsreg** — Constrained linear regression

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