

Chapter 29

The GLMMOD Procedure

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The GLMMOD Procedure

Overview

The GLMMOD procedure essentially constitutes the model-building front end for the GLM procedure; it constructs the design matrix for a general linear model. You can use the GLMMOD procedure in conjunction with other SAS/STAT software regression procedures or with SAS/IML software to obtain specialized analyses for general linear models that you cannot obtain with the GLM procedure.

While some of the regression procedures in SAS/STAT software provide for general linear effects modeling with classification variables and interaction or polynomial effects, many others do not. For such procedures, you must specify the model directly in terms of distinct variables. For example, if you want to use the REG procedure to fit a polynomial model, you must first create the crossproduct and power terms as new variables, usually in a DATA step. Alternatively, you can use the GLMMOD procedure to create a data set that contains the design matrix for a model as specified using the effects modeling facilities of the GLM procedure.

Note that the TRANSREG procedure provides alternative methods to construct design matrices for full-rank and less-than-full-rank models, polynomials, and splines. See Chapter 56, “The TRANSREG Procedure,” for more information.

Getting Started

A One-Way Design

A one-way analysis of variance considers one treatment factor with two or more treatment levels. This example studies the effect of bacteria on the nitrogen content of red clover plants. The treatment factor is bacteria strain, and it has six levels. Red clover plants are inoculated with the treatments, and nitrogen content is later measured in milligrams. The data are derived from an experiment by Erdman (1946) and are analyzed in Chapters 7 and 8 of Steel and Torrie (1980). PROC GLMMOD is used to create the design matrix. The following DATA step creates the SAS data set Clover:

```

title 'Nitrogen Content of Red Clover Plants';
data Clover;
  input Strain $ Nitrogen @@;
  datalines;
3DOK1  19.4 3DOK1  32.6 3DOK1  27.0 3DOK1  32.1 3DOK1  33.0
3DOK5  17.7 3DOK5  24.8 3DOK5  27.9 3DOK5  25.2 3DOK5  24.3
3DOK4  17.0 3DOK4  19.4 3DOK4   9.1 3DOK4  11.9 3DOK4  15.8
3DOK7  20.7 3DOK7  21.0 3DOK7  20.5 3DOK7  18.8 3DOK7  18.6
3DOK13 14.3 3DOK13 14.4 3DOK13 11.8 3DOK13 11.6 3DOK13 14.2
COMPOS 17.3 COMPOS 19.4 COMPOS 19.1 COMPOS 16.9 COMPOS 20.8
;

```

The variable Strain contains the treatment levels, and the variable Nitrogen contains the response. The following statements produce the design matrix:

```

proc glmmod data=Clover;
  class Strain;
  model Nitrogen = Strain;
run;

```

The classification variable, or treatment factor, is specified in the CLASS statement. The MODEL statement defines the response and independent variables. The design matrix produced corresponds to the model

$$Y_{i,j} = \mu + \alpha_i + \epsilon_{i,j}$$

where $i = 1, \dots, 6$, and $j = 1, \dots, 5$.

Figure 29.1 and Figure 29.2 display the output produced by these statements. Figure 29.1 displays information about the data set, which is useful for checking your data.

```

Nitrogen Content of Red Clover Plants

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Class Level Information

Class      Levels  Values
Strain     6      3DOK1 3DOK13 3DOK4 3DOK5 3DOK7 COMPOS

Number of observations   30

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Parameter Definitions

Column      Name of
Number      Associated
              Effect
              CLASS Variable Values
              Strain

1      Intercept
2      Strain      3DOK1
3      Strain      3DOK13
4      Strain      3DOK4
5      Strain      3DOK5
6      Strain      3DOK7
7      Strain      COMPOS

```

Figure 29.1. Class Level Information and Parameter Definitions

The design matrix, shown in Figure 29.2, consists of seven columns: one for the mean and six for the treatment levels. The vector of responses, Nitrogen, is also displayed.

Nitrogen Content of Red Clover Plants								
The GLMMOD Procedure								
Design Points								
Observation Number	Nitrogen	Column Number						
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	19.4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
2	32.6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
3	27.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
4	32.1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
5	33.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	17.7	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
7	24.8	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
8	27.9	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
9	25.2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
10	24.3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
11	17.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
12	19.4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
13	9.1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
14	11.9	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
15	15.8	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
16	20.7	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
17	21.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
18	20.5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
19	18.8	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
20	18.6	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
21	14.3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
22	14.4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
23	11.8	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
24	11.6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
25	14.2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
26	17.3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
27	19.4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
28	19.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
29	16.9	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
30	20.8	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

Figure 29.2. Design Matrix

Most of the time, you will find PROC GLMMOD most useful for the data sets it can create rather than its output. For example, the following statements use PROC GLMMOD to create the design matrix for the clover study but save it to the data set CloverDesign instead of displaying it.

```
proc glmmmod data=Clover outdesign=CloverDesign noprint;
  class Strain;
  model Nitrogen = Strain;
run;
```

Now you can use, for example, the REG procedure to analyze the data, as the following statements demonstrate:

```
proc reg data=CloverDesign;
  model Nitrogen = Col2-Col7;
run;
```

The results are shown in Figure 29.3.

Nitrogen Content of Red Clover Plants						
The REG Procedure						
Model: MODEL1						
Dependent Variable: Nitrogen						
Analysis of Variance						
Source	DF	Sum of Squares	Mean Square	F Value	Pr > F	
Model	5	847.04667	169.40933	14.37	<.0001	
Error	24	282.92800	11.78867			
Corrected Total	29	1129.97467				
	Root MSE	3.43346	R-Square	0.7496		
	Dependent Mean	19.88667	Adj R-Sq	0.6975		
	Coeff Var	17.26515				
NOTE: Model is not full rank. Least-squares solutions for the parameters are not unique. Some statistics will be misleading. A reported DF of 0 or B means that the estimate is biased.						
NOTE: The following parameters have been set to 0, since the variables are a linear combination of other variables as shown.						
Col7 = Intercept - Col2 - Col3 - Col4 - Col5 - Col6						
Parameter Estimates						
Variable	Label	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	Intercept	B	18.70000	1.53549	12.18	<.0001
Col2	Strain 3DOK1	B	10.12000	2.17151	4.66	<.0001
Col3	Strain 3DOK13	B	-5.44000	2.17151	-2.51	0.0194
Col4	Strain 3DOK4	B	-4.06000	2.17151	-1.87	0.0738
Col5	Strain 3DOK5	B	5.28000	2.17151	2.43	0.0229
Col6	Strain 3DOK7	B	1.22000	2.17151	0.56	0.5794
Col7	Strain COMPOS	0	0	.	.	.

Figure 29.3. Regression Analysis

Syntax

The following statements are available in PROC GLMMOD.

```

PROC GLMMOD < options > ;
  BY variables ;
  CLASS variables ;
  FREQ variable ;
  MODEL dependents=independents / < options > ;
  WEIGHT variable ;

```

The PROC GLMMOD and MODEL statements are required. If classification effects are used, the class variables must be declared in a CLASS statement, and the CLASS statement must appear before the MODEL statement.

PROC GLMMOD Statement

PROC GLMMOD < options > ;

The PROC GLMMOD statement invokes the GLMMOD procedure. It has the following options:

DATA=SAS-data-set

specifies the SAS data set to be used by the GLMMOD procedure. If you do not specify the DATA= option, the most recently created SAS data set is used.

NAMELEN=n

specifies the maximum length for an effect name. Effect names are listed in the table of parameter definitions and stored in the EFFNAME variable in the OUTPARM= data set. By default, $n = 20$. You can specify $20 < n \leq 200$ if 20 characters are not enough to distinguish between effects, which may be the case if the model includes a high-order interaction between variables with relatively long, similar names.

NOPRINT

suppresses the normal display of results. This option is generally useful only when one or more output data sets are being produced by the GLMMOD procedure. Note that this option temporarily disables the Output Delivery System (ODS); see Chapter 14, “Using the Output Delivery System,” for more information.

ORDER=DATA | FORMATTED | FREQ | INTERNAL

specifies the order in which you want the levels of the classification variables (specified in the CLASS statement) to be sorted. This ordering determines which parameters in the model correspond to each level in the data.

The ORDER= option can take the following values.

FREQ	Levels are sorted by descending frequency count so that levels with the most observations come first.
DATA	Levels are sorted in the order in which they first occur in the input data.
INTERNAL	Levels are sorted by the internal value.
FORMATTED	Levels are ordered by the external formatted value.

If you omit the ORDER= option, PROC GLMMOD orders by the external formatted value.

OUTPARM=SAS-data-set

names an output data set to contain the information regarding the association between model effects and design matrix columns.

OUTDESIGN=SAS-data-set

names an output data set to contain the columns of the design matrix.

PREFIX=*name*

specifies a prefix to use in naming the columns of the design matrix in the OUTDESIGN= data set. The default prefix is Col and the column name is formed by appending the column number to the prefix, so that by default the columns are named Col1, Col2, and so on. If you specify the ZEROBASED option, the column numbering starts at zero, so that with the default value of PREFIX= the columns of the design matrix in the OUTDESIGN= data set are named Col0, Col1, and so on.

ZEROBASED

specifies that the numbering for the columns of the design matrix in the OUTDESIGN= data set should begin at 0. By default it begins at 1, so that with the default value of PREFIX= the columns of the design matrix in the OUTDESIGN= data set are named Col1, Col2, and so on. If you use the ZEROBASED option, the column names are instead Col0, Col1, and so on.

BY Statement

BY *variables* ;

You can specify a BY statement with the GLMMOD procedure to obtain separate designs for observations in groups defined by the BY variables. When you specify a BY statement, the procedure expects the input DATA= data set to be sorted in the order of the BY variables.

If your input data set is not sorted in ascending order, use one of the following alternatives:

- Sort the data using the SORT procedure with a similar BY statement.
- Specify the BY statement option NOTSORTED or DESCENDING in the BY statement for the GLMMOD procedure. The NOTSORTED option does not mean that the data are unsorted but rather that the data are arranged in groups (according to values of the BY variables) and that these groups are not necessarily in alphabetical or increasing numeric order.
- Create an index on the BY variables using the DATASETS procedure (in base SAS software).

For more information on the BY statement, refer to the discussion in *SAS Language Reference: Concepts*. For more information on the DATASETS procedure, refer to the discussion in the *SAS Procedures Guide*.

CLASS Statement

CLASS *variables* ;

The CLASS statement names the classification variables to be used in the analysis. Typical classification variables are Treatment, Sex, Race, Group, and Replication. If you specify the CLASS statement, it must appear before the MODEL statement.

Class levels are determined from up to the first 16 characters of the formatted value of the CLASS variables. Thus, you can use formats to group values into levels. Refer to the discussion of the FORMAT procedure in the *SAS Procedures Guide* and the discussions for the FORMAT statement and SAS formats in *SAS Language Reference: Dictionary*.

FREQ and WEIGHT Statements

FREQ *variable* ;
WEIGHT *variable* ;

FREQ and WEIGHT variables are transferred to the output data sets without change.

MODEL Statement

MODEL *dependents=independents / < options >* ;

The MODEL statement names the dependent variables and independent effects. For the syntax of effects, see the “Specification of Effects” section on page 1463 in Chapter 28, “The GLM Procedure.”

You can specify the following option in the MODEL statement after a slash (/):

NOINT

requests that the intercept parameter not be included in the model.

Details

Displayed Output

For each pass of the data (that is, for each BY group and for each pass required by the pattern of missing values for the dependent variables), the GLMMOD procedure displays the definitions of the columns of the design matrix along with the following:

- the number of the column
- the name of the associated effect
- the values that the class variables take for this level of the effect

The design matrix itself is also displayed, along with the following:

- the observation number
- the dependent variable values
- the FREQ and WEIGHT values, if any
- the columns of the design matrix

Missing Values

If some variables have missing values for some observations, then PROC GLMMOD handles missing values in the same way as PROC GLM; see the “Missing Values” section on page 1514 in Chapter 28, “The GLM Procedure,” for further details.

OUTPARM= Data Set

An output data set containing information regarding the association between model effects and design matrix columns is created whenever you specify the OUTPARM= option in the PROC GLMMOD statement. The OUTPARM= data set contains an observation for each column of the design matrix with the following variables:

- a numeric variable, `_COLNUM_`, identifying the number of the column of the design matrix corresponding to this observation
- a character variable, `EFFNAME`, containing the name of the effect that generates the column of the design matrix corresponding to this observation
- the `CLASS` variables, with the values they have for the column corresponding to this observation, or blanks if they are not involved with the effect associated with this column

If there are BY-group variables or if the pattern of missing values for the dependent variables requires it, the single data set defines several design matrices. In this case,

for each of these design matrices, the OUTPARM= data set also contains the following:

- the current values of the BY variables, if you specify a BY statement
- a numeric variable, `_YPASS_`, containing the current pass of the data, if the pattern of missing values for the dependent variables requires multiple passes

OUTDESIGN= Data Set

An output data set containing the design matrix is created whenever you specify the OUTDESIGN= option in the PROC GLMMOD statement. The OUTDESIGN= data set contains an observation for each observation in the DATA= data set, with the following variables:

- the dependent variables
- the FREQ variable, if any
- the WEIGHT variable, if any
- a variable for each column of the design matrix, with names COL1, COL2, and so forth

If there are BY-group variables or if the pattern of missing values for the dependent variables requires it, the single data set contains several design matrices. In this case, for each of these, the OUTDESIGN= data set also contains the following:

- the current values of the BY variables, if you specify a BY statement
- a numeric variable, `_YPASS_`, containing the current pass of the data, if the pattern of missing values for the dependent variables requires multiple passes

ODS Table Names

PROC GLMMOD assigns a name to each table it creates. You can use these names to reference the table when using the Output Delivery System (ODS) to select tables and create output data sets. These names are listed in the following table. For more information on ODS, see Chapter 14, “Using the Output Delivery System.”

Table 29.1. ODS Tables Produced in PROC GLMMOD

ODS Table Name	Description	Statement
ClassLevels	Table of class levels	CLASS statement
DependentInfo	Simultaneously analyzed dependent variables	default when there are multiple dependent variables
DesignPoints	Design matrix	default
NObs	Number of observations	default
Parameters	Parameters and associated column numbers	default

Examples

Example 29.1. A Two-Way Design

The following program uses the GLMMOD procedure to produce the design matrix for a two-way design. The two classification factors have seven and three levels, respectively, so the design matrix contains $1 + 7 + 3 + 21 = 32$ columns in all.

```

data Plants;
  input Type $ @;
  do Block=1 to 3;
    input StemLength @;
    output;
  end;
  datalines;
Clarion 32.7 32.3 31.5
Clinton 32.1 29.7 29.1
Knox    35.7 35.9 33.1
O'Neill 36.0 34.2 31.2
Compost 31.8 28.0 29.2
Wabash  38.2 37.8 31.9
Webster 32.5 31.1 29.7
;
proc glmmmod outparm=Parm outdesign=Design;
  class Type Block;
  model StemLength = Type|Block;
run;

proc print data=Parm;
run;

proc print data=Design;
run;

```

Output 29.1.1. A Two-Way Design

The GLMMOD Procedure	
Class Level Information	
Class	Levels Values
Type	7 Clarion Clinton Compost Knox O'Neill Wabash Webster
Block	3 1 2 3
Number of observations 21	

Output 29.1.1. (continued)

The GLMMOD Procedure			
Parameter Definitions			
Column Number	Name of Associated Effect	CLASS Variable Type	Values Block
1	Intercept		
2	Type	Clarion	
3	Type	Clinton	
4	Type	Compost	
5	Type	Knox	
6	Type	O'Neill	
7	Type	Wabash	
8	Type	Webster	
9	Block		1
10	Block		2
11	Block		3
12	Type*Block	Clarion	1
13	Type*Block	Clarion	2
14	Type*Block	Clarion	3
15	Type*Block	Clinton	1
16	Type*Block	Clinton	2
17	Type*Block	Clinton	3
18	Type*Block	Compost	1
19	Type*Block	Compost	2
20	Type*Block	Compost	3
21	Type*Block	Knox	1
22	Type*Block	Knox	2
23	Type*Block	Knox	3
24	Type*Block	O'Neill	1
25	Type*Block	O'Neill	2
26	Type*Block	O'Neill	3
27	Type*Block	Wabash	1
28	Type*Block	Wabash	2
29	Type*Block	Wabash	3
30	Type*Block	Webster	1
31	Type*Block	Webster	2
32	Type*Block	Webster	3

Output 29.1.1. (continued)

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Design Points

Observation Number	Stem Length	Column Number																
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1	32.7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2	32.3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
3	31.5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
4	32.1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
5	29.7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
6	29.1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
7	35.7	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	35.9	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	33.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	36.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	34.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	31.2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	31.8	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	28.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	29.2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	38.2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	37.8	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	31.9	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	32.5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	31.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	29.7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Design Points

Observation Number	Column Number														
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Output 29.1.2. The OUTPARM= Data Set

Obs	_COLNUM_	EFFNAME	Type	Block
1	1	Intercept		
2	2	Type	Clarion	
3	3	Type	Clinton	
4	4	Type	Compost	
5	5	Type	Knox	
6	6	Type	O'Neill	
7	7	Type	Wabash	
8	8	Type	Webster	
9	9	Block		1
10	10	Block		2
11	11	Block		3
12	12	Type*Block	Clarion	1
13	13	Type*Block	Clarion	2
14	14	Type*Block	Clarion	3
15	15	Type*Block	Clinton	1
16	16	Type*Block	Clinton	2
17	17	Type*Block	Clinton	3
18	18	Type*Block	Compost	1
19	19	Type*Block	Compost	2
20	20	Type*Block	Compost	3
21	21	Type*Block	Knox	1
22	22	Type*Block	Knox	2
23	23	Type*Block	Knox	3
24	24	Type*Block	O'Neill	1
25	25	Type*Block	O'Neill	2
26	26	Type*Block	O'Neill	3
27	27	Type*Block	Wabash	1
28	28	Type*Block	Wabash	2
29	29	Type*Block	Wabash	3
30	30	Type*Block	Webster	1
31	31	Type*Block	Webster	2
32	32	Type*Block	Webster	3


```

-1  1  1 -1  1    0.553
-1  1  1  1 -1   -2.352
 1 -1 -1 -1 -1   -4.802
 1 -1 -1  1  1    5.705
 1 -1  1 -1  1   14.639
 1 -1  1  1 -1    2.151
 1  1 -1 -1  1    5.884
 1  1 -1  1 -1   -3.317
 1  1  1 -1 -1    4.048
 1  1  1  1  1   15.248
;
run;

```

The data set contains a single dependent variable (*y*) and five independent factors (*a*, *b*, *c*, *d*, and *e*). The design is a half-fraction of the full 2^5 factorial, the precise half-fraction having been chosen to provide uncorrelated estimates of all main effects and two-factor interactions.

The following statements use the GLMMOD procedure to create a design matrix data set containing all the main effects and two factor interactions for the preceding screening design.

```

ods output DesignPoints = DesignMatrix;
proc glmmmod data=Screening;
  model y = a|b|c|d|e@2;
run;

```

Notice that the preceding statements use ODS to create the design matrix data set, instead of the OUTDESIGN= option in the PROC GLMMOD statement. The results are equivalent, but the columns of the data set produced by ODS have names that are directly related to the names of their corresponding effects.

Finally, the following statements use the REG procedure to perform forward model selection for the screening design. Two MODEL statements are used, one without the selection options (which produces the regression analysis for the full model) and one with the selection options.

```

proc reg data=DesignMatrix;
  model y = a-d_e;
  model y = a-d_e / selection = forward
                    details    = summary
                    slentry    = 0.05;
run;

```

Output 29.2.1. PROC REG Full Model Fit

```

PROC GLMMOD and PROC REG for Forward Selection Screening

The REG Procedure
Model: MODEL1
Dependent Variable: y

Analysis of Variance

Source                DF          Sum of Squares      Mean Square      F Value      Pr > F
Model                  15          861.48436           57.43229         .             .
Error                   0              0                  .
Corrected Total        15          861.48436

Root MSE              .
Dependent Mean        0.33325
Coeff Var              .

R-Square              1.0000
Adj R-Sq              .

Parameter Estimates

Variable  Label      DF      Parameter Estimate      Standard Error      t Value      Pr > |t|
Intercept Intercept  1        0.33325                  .                  .             .
a         a          1        4.61125                  .                  .             .
b         b          1        0.21775                  .                  .             .
a_b      a*b       1        0.30350                  .                  .             .
c         c          1        4.02550                  .                  .             .
a_c      a*c       1        0.05150                  .                  .             .
b_c      b*c       1       -0.20225                  .                  .             .
d         d          1       -0.11850                  .                  .             .
a_d      a*d       1        0.12075                  .                  .             .
b_d      b*d       1        0.18850                  .                  .             .
c_d      c*d       1        0.03200                  .                  .             .
e         e          1        3.45275                  .                  .             .
a_e      a*e       1        1.97175                  .                  .             .
b_e      b*e       1       -0.35625                  .                  .             .
c_e      c*e       1        0.30900                  .                  .             .
d_e      d*e       1        0.30750                  .                  .             .
    
```

Output 29.2.2. PROC REG Screening Results

```

PROC GLMMOD and PROC REG for Forward Selection Screening

The REG Procedure
Model: MODEL2
Dependent Variable: y

Summary of Forward Selection

Variable  Number  Partial  Model
Step Entered  Label  Vars In R-Square R-Square  C(p)  F Value Pr > F
1 a         a      1    0.3949  0.3949  .      9.14 0.0091
2 c         c      2    0.3010  0.6959  .     12.87 0.0033
3 e         e      3    0.2214  0.9173  .     32.13 0.0001
4 a_e      a*e    4    0.0722  0.9895  .     75.66 <.0001
    
```

Output 29.2.1 and Output 29.2.2 contain the results of the REG analysis. The full model has 16 parameters (the intercept + 5 main effects + 10 interactions). These are all estimable, but since there are only 16 observations in the design, there are no degrees of freedom left to estimate error; consequently, there is no way to use the full model to test for the statistical significance of effects. However, the forward selection method chooses only four effects for the model: the main effects of factors a, c, and e, and the interaction between a and e. Using this reduced model enables you to test for the significance of these effects.

Example 29.3. Logistic Regression

You can use logistic regression to model a categorical response variable with a set of explanatory variables; the LOGISTIC procedure is available to facilitate these studies. However, the LOGISTIC procedure does not have a CLASS statement, so if your data has classification variables, you need to create indicator functions in a DATA step for each level of the classification variables. If you need to include multiple classification variables, possibly with interactions or nesting of variables, the data step becomes unwieldy. You can use the GLMMOD procedure, employing the PROC GLM effects syntax, to create the proper indicator variables and set up the correct design matrix for your logistic analysis.

This example uses PROC GLMMOD to create the design matrix for a one-way analysis of variance then finds a logistic regression model using the LOGISTIC procedure. The following SAS code creates an artificial SAS data set for this analysis:

```

data one (keep=Factor Response);
  input Factor $ @;
  do i=1 to 20 ;
    input Response @;
    output;
  end;
datalines;
A 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
B 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
C 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
D 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0
;
run;

```

The Factor variable is a four-level classification variable. For each subject a response is recorded. In this example, the responses are 1 = cured and 0 = not cured.

Since the responses are dichotomous, a logistic regression model may be appropriate. In order to create the proper design variables for this one-way model, you could create indicator variables in the DATA step for the different levels of the Factor variable; instead, this example uses PROC GLMMOD to create the appropriate design matrix.

```
proc glmmod data=one outdesign=Design noprint;
  class Factor;
  model Response=Factor;
run;
```

The reason for using PROC GLMMOD in this example is to create a data set for use in another analysis, so the standard output is suppressed with the NOPRINT option.

The names for the created indicator variables in the OUTDESIGN= data set are Col1–Col5; the intercept term is Col1, and Col2–Col5 are the indicator functions for factors A–D, respectively. Perform a logistic regression analysis of this one-factor model with the following statements:

```
proc logistic data=Design descending;
  model Response=Col2-Col4;
run;
```

The LOGISTIC procedure uses an intercept term by default, hence the Col1 variable is not specified. The Col5 variable is not used because the values of the Col2–Col4 variables uniquely identify the effect due to Factor=D; since subjects with Factor=D are described by the intercept, this group is the reference cell of this parameterization. The output is shown in Output 29.3.1.

Output 29.3.1. PROC LOGISTIC Modeling Results

The LOGISTIC Procedure								
Testing Global Null Hypothesis: BETA=0								
	Test		Chi-Square	DF	Pr > ChiSq			
	Likelihood Ratio		13.1426	3	0.0043			
	Score		12.4000	3	0.0061			
	Wald		10.8479	3	0.0126			
Analysis of Maximum Likelihood Estimates								
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	Wald Chi-Square	Pr > ChiSq	Standardized Estimate	Odds Ratio	Label
Intercept	1	1.3863	0.5590	6.1497	0.0131			Intercept
Col2	1	-2.4849	0.7610	10.6613	0.0011	-0.5970	0.083	Factor A
Col3	1	-1.5869	0.7173	4.8947	0.0269	-0.3812	0.205	Factor B
Col4	1	-1.3863	0.7159	3.7498	0.0528	-0.3330	0.250	Factor C

The tests for all slopes being zero are all rejected, and all the parameter estimates are significant. The model equation can be written as

$$\text{logit}(\text{Pr}\{\text{Response} = 1\}) = 1.3863 - 2.4849\text{Col2} - 1.5869\text{Col3} - 1.3863\text{Col4}$$

The “Odds Ratio” column tells how much higher (or lower) the odds of a positive response are due to the first three levels of Factor compared to the fourth level (the reference cell). For example, the subjects classified in Factor=A have 0.083 times the odds of a positive response as subjects with Factor=D.