Likelihood ratios measure relative evidence. With likelihood ratios, better is bigger. For goodness of fit, better is smaller With Type I error, better is smaller LR (less Type I error).

Here are several ways to calculate a likelihood ratio.

1. From the explained variance R^2

 $LR = (1 - R^2)^{-n/2}$

2. From a goodness of fit statistic G

$$G = -2lnLR$$
$$LR = e^{G/2}$$

- *G* is distributed as χ^2 with *k* degrees of freedom $G \sim \chi^2(k)$ *k* is the change in number of degrees of freedom in the ANODEV table
- 4. From ΔDev the reduction in deviance (improvement in fit) in the ANODEV table $\Delta Dev = G$

 $G = -2\ln(L_m / L_{full})$ $L_m \text{ is the likelihood of the reduced model}$ $L_{full} \text{ is the likelihood of the full (unreduced) model}$ $LR = (L_m / L_{full})$ $LR = e^{G/2}$

5. From the *t* statistic

$$LR = (1 + t^2/(n-2))^{n/2}$$

6. From the *F* statistic.

$$LR = \left(1 + F\left(\frac{df_{numerator}}{df_{denominator}}\right)\right)^{n/2}$$

7 From a model term displayed vertically in an ANOVA table.

$$LR = \left(\frac{SS_{term} + SS_{res}}{SS_{res}}\right)^{n/2}$$