p8105_hw6_bt2654

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Problem 1

Step 1: Import necessary libraries and load data

```
# Load necessary libraries
library(tidyverse)
library(modelr)
library(broom)
set.seed(2654)
# Load the Central Park weather data
weather_df =
  rnoaa::meteo_pull_monitors(
  c("USW00094728"),
  var = c("PRCP",
          "TMIN",
          "TMAX"),
  date min = "2017-01-01",
  date_max = "2017-12-31"
) |>
  mutate(
    name = recode(id,
                  USW00094728 = "CentralPark_NY"),
    tmin = tmin / 10,
    tmax = tmax / 10
  ) |>
  select(name,
         id,
         everything())
```

Step 2: Generate bootstrap samples

```
# Generate 5000 bootstrap samples
boot_straps =
```

```
weather_df |>
modelr::bootstrap(n = 5000)
```

Step 3: Fit a linear model for each bootstrap sample and extract results

```
# Fit a model to each bootstrap sample and extract coefficients and R-squared
bootstrap results =
  boot straps |>
  mutate(
    models = map(strap,
                 ~ lm(tmax ~ tmin,
                       data = .)),
    results = map(models,
                  broom::tidy),
    r_squared = map_dbl(models,
                         ~ broom::glance(.)$r.squared),
    log beta product =
      map_dbl(models, ~ {
      coefs <- broom::tidy(.)$estimate</pre>
      log(abs(coefs[1] * coefs[2]))
    })
  ) %>%
  select(r_squared,
         log beta product,
         results) %>%
  unnest(results)
```

Step 4: Summarize Bootstrap Statistics and Confidence Intervals

```
boot se = sd(estimate), # Standard error for coefficients
    ci lower = quantile(estimate, 0.025), # 2.5% quantile
    ci_upper = quantile(estimate, 0.975) # 97.5% quantile
  )
# Calculate confidence intervals for R-squared and log(beta_0 * beta_1)
ci r squared =
  quantile(bootstrap results$r squared,
                        c(0.025, 0.975))
ci log beta product =
  quantile(bootstrap results$log beta product,
                              c(0.025, 0.975))
# Statistics summary for r_squared and log_beta_product
print(summary_stats)
      r_squared
##
                    log_beta_product
          :0.8714
                    Min.
                          :1.915
##
   Min.
   1st Qu.:0.9061
                   1st Qu.:1.997
## Median :0.9120
                    Median :2.013
                           :2.013
##
   Mean
          :0.9116
                    Mean
   3rd Qu.:0.9173
                    3rd Qu.:2.030
##
## Max.
          :0.9394
                    Max.
                           :2.090
# View summaries and confidence intervals
list(
  coefficient summary = bootstrap summary, # Summary statistics for coefficie
  r_squared_ci = ci_r_squared, # Confidence interval for R-squared
  log_beta_product_ci = ci_log_beta_product # Confidence interval for log(bet
)
## $coefficient summary
## # A tibble: 2 × 4
##
    term
                boot_se ci_lower ci_upper
##
    <chr>
                  <dbl>
                           <dbl>
                                    <dbl>
                            6.72
                                     7.74
## 1 (Intercept) 0.255
## 2 tmin
                            1.01
                                     1.07
                 0.0170
##
## $r_squared_ci
        2.5%
##
                 97.5%
## 0.8944007 0.9276583
## $log beta product ci
```

2.5% 97.5% ## 1.965937 2.061464

Key Statistics of R²:

Mean: 0.9116Median: 0.9120

• **95% Confidence Interval**: [0.8944, 0.9277]

Interpretation: The results being concentrated around 0.91 demonstrate the stability
and reliability of the relationship between the predictor and the response variable in
the bootstrap samples. Also the narrow confidence interval reflects high consistency
and reliability of the R² estimates.

Key Statistics of $log(\beta_0 \cdot \beta_1)$:

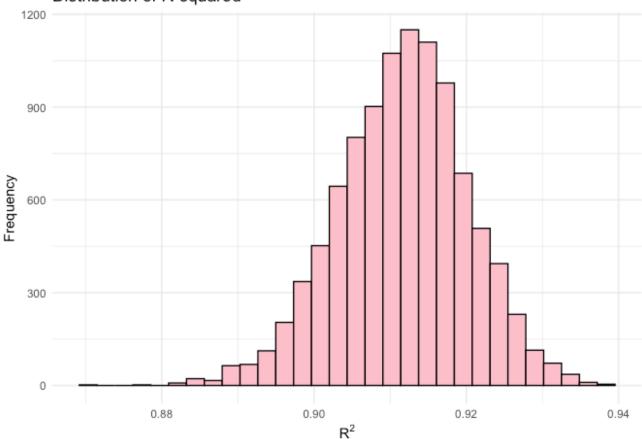
Mean: 2.013Median: 2.013

• 95% Confidence Interval: [1.9659, 2.0615]

• Interpretation: The consistent distribution of $log(\beta_0 \cdot \beta_1)$ indicates robust estimates of the coefficient product across bootstrap samples, further validating the model's reliability. In addition to that, the narrow confidence interval highlights high consistency in the estimates of β_0 and β_1 across bootstrap samples, confirming their reliability.

Step 5: Visualize the results

Distribution of R-squared



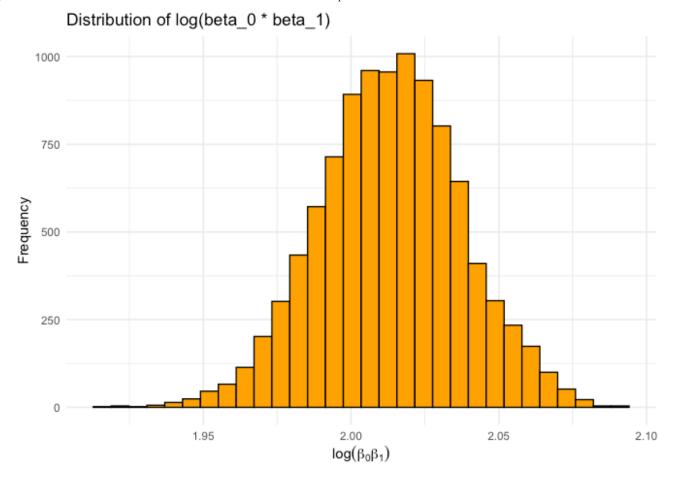


Figure 1: Distribution of R²

• **Description**: The distribution of R^2 from 5000 bootstrap samples is unimodal and approximately normal, with most values clustering around the mean $R^2 = 0.9116$. This indicates that tmin explains a substantial proportion of the variance in tmax in the bootstrap linear regression model.

Figure 3: Distribution of $log(\beta_0 \cdot \beta_1)$

• **Description**: The distribution of $\log(\beta_0 \cdot \beta_1)$ is unimodal and approximately normal, with most values clustering around the mean $\log(\beta_0 \cdot \beta_1) = 2.013$.

Problem 2

Step 1: Data Cleaning and Creating Variables

```
# Load necessary packages
library(tidyverse) # For data manipulation and visualization
library(broom)
                 # For tidying model outputs
library(purrr) # For functional programming, e.g., using map()
# Read the homicide data
homicide_data <- read_csv("data/homicide-data.csv")</pre>
# Step 1: Data cleaning and variable creation
homicide_cleaned <- homicide_data %>%
 mutate(
    city_state = str_c(city, state, sep = ", "), # Create a city_state variak
    solved = ifelse(str_detect(disposition, "Closed"), 1, 0) # Create solved
  ) %>%
  filter(
   # Remove specific cities as per the problem instructions
    !city_state %in% c("Dallas, TX", "Phoenix, AZ", "Kansas City, MO", "Tulsa,
    # Keep only "White" or "Black" victim race
    victim_race %in% c("White", "Black"),
   # Remove rows where victim age is unknown
   victim age != "Unknown"
  ) %>%
 mutate(
    victim_age = as.numeric(victim_age), # Convert victim age to numeric
   victim_race = fct_relevel(victim_race, "White") # Set reference level of
  )
```

Step 2: Logistic Regression for Baltimore, MD

```
# Step 2: Fit logistic regression for Baltimore, MD
baltimore_data =
   homicide_cleaned |>
   filter(city_state == "Baltimore, MD") |> # Filter data for Baltimore
   select(solved, victim_age, victim_race, victim_sex) # Select relevant varia
# Fit the logistic regression model
baltimore_model =
   glm(solved ~ victim_age + victim_race + victim_sex,
        data = baltimore_data,
        family = binomial())
# Tidy the model output and compute adjusted odds ratios (ORs)
baltimore_results =
   tidy(baltimore_model,
        conf.int = TRUE,
        exponentiate = FALSE) |>
```

```
mutate(
   adjusted OR = exp(estimate), # Calculate adjusted odds ratio
   adjusted_conf.low = exp(conf.low), # Calculate lower bound of OR confider
   adjusted conf.high = exp(conf.high) # Calculate upper bound of OR confide
 ) |>
 select(term,
         OR = estimate,
         adjusted OR,
         conf.low,
         conf.high,
         adjusted conf.low,
         adjusted conf.high,
         p.value) # Select final output columns
# Display the tidy table
baltimore results |>
 knitr::kable(digits = 4)
```

term	OR	adjusted_OR	conf.low	conf.high	adjusted_co
(Intercept)	1.5635	4.7755	1.0899	2.0511	1
victim_age	-0.0052	0.9948	-0.0116	0.0012	
victim_raceBlack	-0.8997	0.4067	-1.2581	-0.5499	(
victim_sexMale	-1.0366	0.3547	-1.3195	-0.7595	

Table_1 Comments (Baltimore Analysis)

1. Key Trends:

The adjusted odds ratio for victim_sexMale is 0.3547 (95% CI: 0.2673-0.4679, p = 0.0000), indicating that homicides involving male victims are significantly less likely to be resolved compared to female victims. This result is statistically significant (p < 0.05), with a narrow confidence interval showing reliable estimates.

2. Victim Race:

The adjusted odds ratio for victim_raceBlack is 0.4067 (95% CI: 0.2842-0.5770, p = 0.0000), showing that cases involving Black victims are less likely to be resolved compared to non-Black victims. This difference is statistically significant, and the confidence interval suggests moderate reliability.

3. Victim Age:

The adjusted odds ratio for victim_age is 0.9948 (95% CI: 0.9885-1.0012, p = 0.1098), indicating that age does not have a statistically significant effect on the likelihood of resolving homicide cases. The confidence interval includes 1, supporting this lack of statistical significance.

4. Intercept:

The adjusted odds ratio for the intercept is 4.7755 (95% CI: 2.9738–7.7764, p = 0.0000), which represents the baseline odds of resolving a case when all other predictors are at their reference levels. The wide confidence interval indicates variability, but the result is statistically significant.

Step 3: Logistic Regression for All Cities

```
# Step 3: Fit logistic regression for each city
city_models =
 homicide cleaned |>
 group_by(city_state) |> # Group by city_state
 nest() |> # Nest data by city state
 mutate(
   # Fit logistic regression model for each city
   model = map(data,
                ~ glm(solved ~ victim_age + victim_race + victim_sex,
                      data = x
                      family = binomial())),
   # Use broom::tidy to extract model results
   model results = map(model,
                        ~ tidy(.x,
                               conf.int = TRUE,
                               exponentiate = FALSE))
 ) |>
 unnest(model_results) |> # Unnest model results
 filter(term == "victim_sexMale") |> # Keep only the result for male victims
 mutate(
   adjusted OR = exp(estimate), # Calculate adjusted OR
   adjusted_conf.low = exp(conf.low), # Calculate lower bound of OR confider
   adjusted_conf.high = exp(conf.high) # Calculate upper bound of OR confide
 ) |>
 select(city_state,
         OR = estimate,
         adjusted_OR,
         conf.low,
         conf.high,
         adjusted conf.low,
         adjusted conf.high,
```

p.value) # Select final output columns

Display results for city models
city_models |>

knitr::kable(digits = 4)

city_state	OR	adjusted_OR	conf.low	conf.high	adjusted_conf.le
Albuquerque, NM	-0.8438	0.4301	-2.0240	0.1522	0.18
Atlanta, GA	-0.6693	0.5121	-1.1310	-0.2374	0.32
Baltimore, MD	-1.0366	0.3547	-1.3195	-0.7595	0.26
Baton Rouge, LA	-1.1432	0.3188	-1.8318	-0.5182	0.16
Birmingham, AL	-0.3510	0.7040	-0.8118	0.0882	0.44
Boston, MA	-0.3945	0.6740	-1.0400	0.2444	0.35
Buffalo, NY	-0.8250	0.4382	-1.4315	-0.2314	0.23
Charlotte, NC	-1.2013	0.3008	-1.9476	-0.5586	0.14
Chicago, IL	-0.9395	0.3908	-1.1371	-0.7427	0.32
Cincinnati, OH	-1.5823	0.2055	-2.3264	-0.9419	90.0
Columbus, OH	-1.0201	0.3606	-1.4126	-0.6450	0.24
Denver, CO	-1.6788	0.1866	-2.7926	-0.7644	0.06
Detroit, MI	-0.5939	0.5522	-0.8263	-0.3628	0.43
Durham, NC	-0.7983	0.4501	-1.7088	0.0068	0.18
Fort Worth, TX	-1.0457	0.3514	-1.6686	-0.4696	0.18
Fresno, CA	0.1212	1.1289	-0.7893	0.9739	0.45

city_state	OR	adjusted_OR	conf.low	conf.high	adjusted_conf.l
Houston, TX	-0.6090	0.5439	-0.8813	-0.3446	0.41
Indianapolis,	-0.5671	0.5672	-0.9097	-0.2359	0.40
Jacksonville, FL	-0.5934	0.5524	-0.9192	-0.2767	0.39
Las Vegas, NV	-1.0341	0.3556	-1.4604	-0.6346	0.23
Long Beach,	-1.8018	0.1650	-3.6559	-0.5311	0.02
Los Angeles,	-0.4127	0.6619	-0.7842	-0.0470	0.45
Louisville, KY	-0.7122	0.4906	-1.1990	-0.2438	0.30
Memphis, TN	-0.7223	0.4856	-1.0865	-0.3783	0.33
Miami, FL	-1.0286	0.3575	-1.5885	-0.4897	0.20
Milwaukee, wl	-0.6409	0.5268	-1.0689	-0.2368	0.34
Minneapolis, MN	0.0726	1.0752	-0.6292	0.7618	0.53
Nashville, TN	-0.3824	0.6822	-0.8694	0.0749	0.41
New Orleans, LA	-0.8804	0.4146	-1.2125	-0.5537	0.29
New York, NY	-1.8244	0.1613	-2.6720	-1.1047	0.06
Oakland, CA	-0.5743	0.5631	-1.0113	-0.1426	0.36
Oklahoma City, OK	-0.0956	0.9088	-0.5483	0.3524	0.57
Omaha, NE	-1.0270	0.3581	-1.7089	-0.3889	0.18

city_state	OR	adjusted_OR	conf.low	conf.high	adjusted_conf.le
Philadelphia, PA	-1.1265	0.3242	-1.4473	-0.8219	0.23
Pittsburgh, PA	-0.8422	0.4308	-1.3371	-0.3630	0.26
Richmond, VA	-0.7769	0.4598	-1.7877	0.0699	0.16
San Antonio,	-1.2456	0.2878	-2.0748	-0.5191	0.12
Sacramento, CA	-1.0866	0.3374	-2.0268	-0.2788	0.18
Savannah, GA	-0.6154	0.5404	-1.4030	0.1267	0.24
San Bernardino, CA	-0.9663	0.3805	-2.1905	0.1388	0.11
San Diego, CA	-1.6424	0.1935	-2.8831	-0.6718	0.05
San Francisco, CA	-0.4983	0.6075	-1.1657	0.1442	0.31
St. Louis, MO	-0.5725	0.5641	-0.8625	-0.2868	0.42
Stockton, CA	0.0531	1.0546	-0.7333	0.8467	0.48
Tampa, FL	-0.5959	0.5510	-1.5438	0.2708	0.21
Tulsa, OK	-0.3531	0.7025	-0.9365	0.1918	0.39
Washington, DC	-0.7526	0.4711	-1.2046	-0.3282	0.2\$

Table_2 Comments (All Cities Analysis)

1. Key Trends:

The majority of cities have adjusted ORs below 1, indicating that homicides involving
male victims are less likely to be solved compared to female victims. Notably, cities
like New York, NY (adjusted OR = 0.1613) and Long Beach, CA (adjusted OR = 0.1650)
show the lowest ORs, suggesting significant disparities in resolution rates.

2. Cities with OR above 1:

Exceptions include Fresno, CA (adjusted OR = 1.1289) and Minneapolis, MN (adjusted OR = 1.0752), where male victim cases are slightly more likely to be resolved than female victim cases. However, these results are not statistically significant due to wide confidence intervals and high p-values.

3. Significance of P-Values:

- Cities like Baltimore, MD (p = 0.0000) and Chicago, IL (p = 0.0000) have statistically significant differences (p < 0.05), indicating robust findings.
- By contrast, cities such as Fresno, CA (p = 0.7853) and Minneapolis, MN (p = 0.8370) have very high p-values (> 0.05), making their differences statistically insignificant.

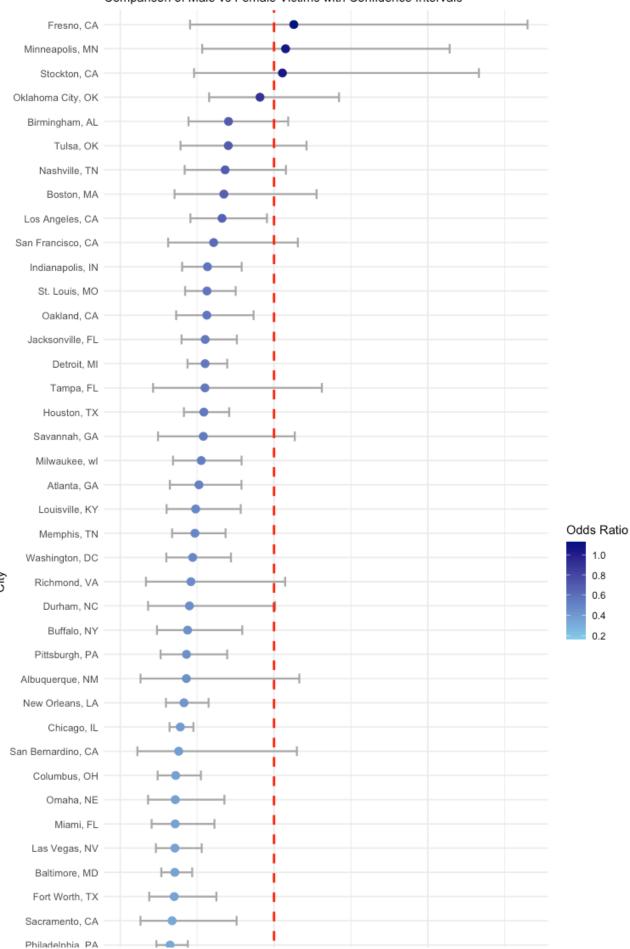
4. Confidence Intervals:

- Narrow confidence intervals, such as Baltimore, MD (adjusted CI: 0.2673–0.4679) and Chicago, IL (adjusted CI: 0.3208–0.4758), indicate higher reliability of estimates.
- Wide confidence intervals, like Fresno, CA (adjusted CI: 0.4541–2.6482), highlight greater uncertainty in these estimates.

Step 4: Plot Adjusted Odds Ratios for Each City

```
size = 1) + # Add reference line for OR = 1
coord_flip() + # Flip coordinates to place city names on y-axis
labs(
  title = "Adjusted Odds Ratios for Solving Homicides by City",
  subtitle = "Comparison of Male vs Female Victims with Confidence Intervals
  x = "City",
  y = "Adjusted Odds Ratio (Male vs Female)"
) +
scale_color_gradient(low = "skyblue", high = "navyblue", name = "Odds Ratio"
theme_minimal() # Apply minimal theme to plot
```

Adjusted Odds Ratios for Solving Homicides by City Comparison of Male vs Female Victims with Confidence Intervals



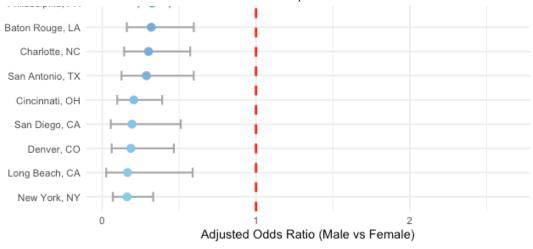


Figure Comments

1. Overall Trends:

 The figure shows that most cities have adjusted ORs below 1, reflecting lower resolution rates for male victims compared to female victims. The clustering of ORs between 0.2 and 0.8 further supports this trend.

2. Cities with Extreme ORs:

• New York, NY (adjusted OR = 0.1613) and Long Beach, CA (adjusted OR = 0.1650) have the lowest ORs, indicating male victims are significantly less likely to have their cases solved compared to female victims. These estimates are statistically significant, with narrow confidence intervals. On the other hand, Fresno, CA (adjusted OR = 1.1289) and Minneapolis, MN (adjusted OR = 1.0752) are exceptions, where male victim cases are slightly more likely to be resolved. However, their wide confidence intervals and high p-values indicate these differences are not statistically significant.

3. Confidence Interval Observations:

- Cities like Baltimore, MD and Chicago, IL stand out with tight confidence intervals, indicating reliable estimates.
- In contrast, Fresno, CA and Stockton, CA show wide intervals, suggesting less reliable estimates.

4. Red Line Analysis (OR = 1):

- Cities such as New York, NY and Long Beach, CA are well-separated from the red dashed line (OR = 1), highlighting significant differences in resolution rates by gender.
- Cities like Stockton, CA and Minneapolis, MN have confidence intervals crossing OR = 1, emphasizing the lack of statistical significance.

Problem 3

Step 1: Load Libraries and Data & Data Cleaning

```
# Load necessary libraries
library(tidyverse)
library(modelr)
library(broom)
library(purrr)
# Load dataset
bwt = read csv("data/birthweight.csv")
# Data cleaning
# Step 2: Clean and prepare the data for analysis
data cleaned =
  bwt |>
  mutate(
    # Convert categorical variables to factors
    babysex = factor(babysex,
                     levels = c(1, 2),
                     labels = c("Male",
                                 "Female")),
    frace = factor(frace,
                   levels = c(1, 2, 3, 4, 8),
                   labels = c("White",
                               "Black",
                               "Asian",
                               "Puerto Rican",
                               "0ther")),
    mrace = factor(mrace,
                   levels = c(1, 2, 3, 4, 8),
                   labels = c("White",
                               "Black",
                               "Asian",
                               "Puerto Rican",
                               "Other")),
    malform = factor(malform,
                     levels = c(0, 1),
                     labels = c("Absent",
                                 "Present")),
    parity = as.factor(parity),
    pnumlbw = as.numeric(pnumlbw),
    pnumsga = as.numeric(pnumsga),
    smoken = as.numeric(smoken)
  ) %>%
  filter(!is.na(bwt)) %>%
```

Step 2: Build and Analyze the Custom Model (Model 1)

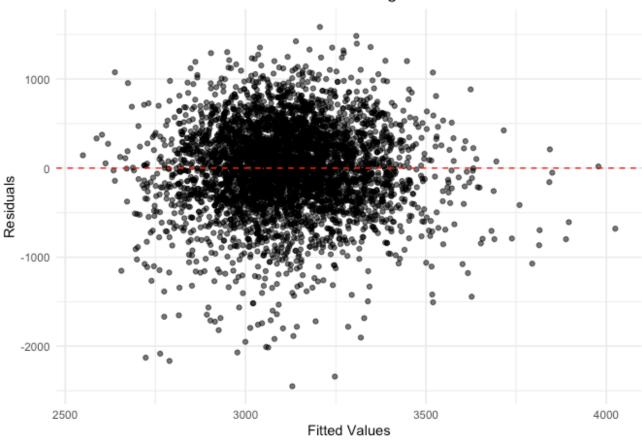
Custom Model Initial Explanation

• The custom model bwt ~ ppwt * delwt was built based on the hypothesis that both pre-pregnancy weight (ppwt) and weight at delivery (delwt) significantly influence birthweight, and their combined effect might reveal additional insights. The interaction term ppwt * delwt was included to explore whether the effect of maternal weight at delivery on birthweight depends on the mother's pre-pregnancy weight, as these two factors are biologically interconnected and jointly impact fetal growth.

```
# Model 1: Custom maternal weight model
model maternal weight =
  lm(bwt \sim ppwt * delwt,
     data = data cleaned)
# Add predictions and residuals for custom model
data_cleaned =
 data cleaned |>
  add_predictions(model_maternal_weight,
                  var = "fitted_maternal_weight") |>
  add residuals(model maternal weight,
                var = "residuals_maternal_weight")
# Plot residuals against fitted values for custom model
ggplot(data_cleaned,
       aes(x = fitted_maternal_weight,
           y = residuals_maternal_weight)) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.6) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0,
             linetype = "dashed",
```

```
color = "red") +
labs(
  title = "Residuals vs Fitted Values for Maternal Weight Model",
  x = "Fitted Values",
  y = "Residuals"
) +
theme_minimal()
```

Residuals vs Fitted Values for Maternal Weight Model



```
# Summarize the custom model (model 1)
summary(model_maternal_weight)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = bwt ~ ppwt * delwt, data = data_cleaned)
##
## Residuals:
       Min
                  10
                       Median
                                    30
                                            Max
## -2449.56 -279.08
                        23.58
                                311.91 1585.02
##
## Coefficients:
                 Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1.183e+03 1.800e+02
                                       6.569 5.67e-11 ***
```

```
## ppwt 1.034e+00 1.566e+00 0.660 0.509
## delwt 1.852e+01 1.251e+00 14.810 < 2e-16 ***
## ppwt:delwt -4.858e-02 8.206e-03 -5.919 3.48e-09 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 483.6 on 4338 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1091, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1085
## F-statistic: 177.1 on 3 and 4338 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16</pre>
```

1. Residual Plot Comments:

- The residual plot shows the residuals versus the fitted values for the custom model:
 - The residuals appear randomly scattered around the red dashed line at zero, indicating that the model captures the linear relationship between predictors and birthweight reasonably well.
 - The spread of residuals is slightly uneven, with some larger residuals at higher fitted values, suggesting potential heteroscedasticity.
 - There are no clear patterns or systematic deviations, indicating no severe model misspecification.

2. Summary Results Comments:

Coefficients:

- \circ ppwt (pre-pregnancy weight) is not statistically significant (p = 0.509), meaning its effect on birthweight is uncertain when controlling for delwt .
- delwt (maternal weight at delivery) is highly significant (p < 2e-16), indicating it has a strong positive relationship with birthweight.
- \circ The interaction term (ppwt:delwt) is significant (p < 0.001), suggesting the effect of delwt on birthweight depends on the value of ppwt .

Model Fit:

- The R² value is 0.109, which indicates the model explains about 10.9% of the variability in birthweight. This suggests additional predictors might improve the model.
- The residual standard error of 483.6 grams is relatively large, indicating variability in birthweight that the model cannot explain.

Step 3: Build Models 2 and 3

```
# Model 2: Birth length and gestational age
model length age =
  lm(bwt ~ blength + gaweeks + blength:gaweeks,
     data = data cleaned)
# Model 3: Head circumference, length, and sex
model_full =
  lm(bwt ~ bhead * blength * babysex,
     data = data_cleaned)
# Summarize model 2 & model 3
summary(model_length_age)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = bwt ~ blength + gaweeks + blength:gaweeks, data = data_cleaned
##
## Residuals:
      Min
                10 Median
                                30
                                       Max
## -1619.6 -214.5
                     -12.5
                             208.1 4143.6
##
## Coefficients:
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept)
                   -7545.926
                                750.755 -10.051 < 2e-16 ***
## blength
                                 15.461 12.576 < 2e-16 ***
                     194.435
                     111.526
## gaweeks
                                          5.651 1.70e-08 ***
                                 19.736
## blength:gaweeks
                      -1.736
                                  0.404 -4.297 1.77e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 332.5 on 4338 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.5787, Adjusted R-squared: 0.5784
## F-statistic: 1986 on 3 and 4338 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
summary(model full)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = bwt \sim bhead * blength * babysex, data = data_cleaned)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                  10
                       Median
                                    30
                                            Max
## -1132.99 -190.42
                       -10.33
                                178.63 2617.96
```

```
## Coefficients:
                                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept)
                              -7176.8170 1264.8397 -5.674 1.49e-08 ***
## bhead
                                181.7956
                                           38.0542 4.777 1.84e-06 ***
## blength
                                102.1269
                                           26.2118 3.896 9.92e-05 ***
                               6374.8684 1677.7669 3.800 0.000147 ***
## babysexFemale
## bhead:blength
                                           0.7802 -0.710 0.478012
                                 -0.5536
                              -198.3932 51.0917 -3.883 0.000105 ***
## bhead:babysexFemale
## blength:babysexFemale
                              -123.7729 35.1185 -3.524 0.000429 ***
## bhead:blength:babysexFemale
                                 3.8781 1.0566 3.670 0.000245 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 287.7 on 4334 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.6849, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6844
## F-statistic: 1346 on 7 and 4334 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
# Add predictions and residuals for all models
data cleaned =
  data_cleaned |>
  add predictions(model maternal weight,
                 var = "fitted maternal weight") |>
  add_residuals(model_maternal_weight,
               var = "residuals maternal weight") |>
  add predictions (model length age,
                 var = "fitted_length_age") |>
  add_residuals(model_length_age,
               var = "residuals length age") |>
  add predictions(model full,
                 var = "fitted full") |>
  add residuals(model full,
               var = "residuals full")
```

Comments on Model 2 and Model 3 Outputs

1. Model 2: Length & Age

- Summary Results Comments:
 - Coefficients:
 - blength (birth length) and gaweeks (gestational weeks) are both highly significant (p < 2e 16 and p = 1.70e 08, respectively), showing strong positive relationships with birthweight.
 - The interaction term blength: gaweeks is also significant (p < 0.001), indicating that the relationship between birth length and birthweight depends

on gestational weeks.

Model Fit:

- The R² value is 0.578, meaning the model explains 57.8% of the variability in birthweight, a substantial improvement over Model 1.
- The residual standard error is 332.5 grams, lower than Model 1, indicating better predictive accuracy.

2. Model 3: Full Interaction

Summary Results Comments:

Coefficients:

- bhead (head circumference), blength (birth length), and babysexFemale (baby's sex) are all statistically significant, indicating these predictors contribute meaningfully to birthweight (p < 0.001).
- Several interaction terms are also significant, such as bhead:babysexFemale and blength:babysexFemale, suggesting complex relationships among head circumference, length, and sex in their influence on birthweight.

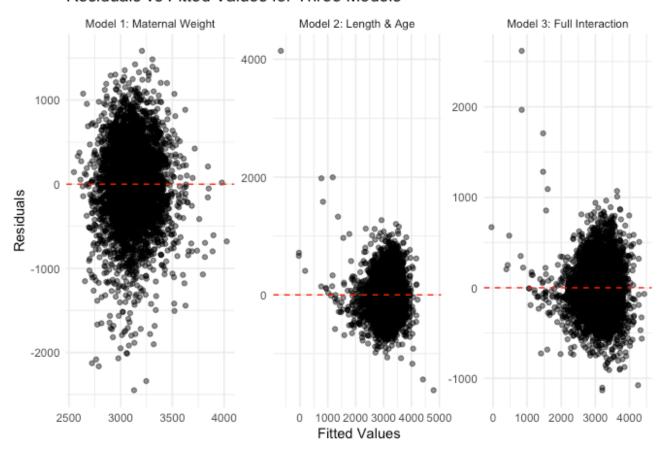
Model Fit:

- The R² value is 0.684, meaning this model explains 68.4% of the variability in birthweight, the highest among the three models.
- The residual standard error is 287.7 grams, the lowest of all models, indicating the best predictive accuracy.

Step 4: Compare Residuals for All Models

```
residuals_combined |>
  mutate(model = recode(model,
                        maternal_weight = "Model 1: Maternal Weight",
                        length_age = "Model 2: Length & Age",
                        full = "Model 3: Full Interaction"))
# Plot residuals vs fitted values for each model
ggplot(residuals combined,
       aes(x = fitted,
           y = residuals)) +
  geom\ point(alpha = 0.5) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0,
             linetype = "dashed",
             color = "red") +
  facet_wrap(~ model,
             scales = "free",
             ncol = 3) +
  labs(
    title = "Residuals vs Fitted Values for Three Models",
    x = "Fitted Values",
    y = "Residuals"
  theme_minimal()
```

Residuals vs Fitted Values for Three Models



Residual Plot Comparison

Comments:

Model 1 (Maternal Weight):

- The residuals are more widely scattered, with larger variance compared to the other two models.
- Indicates weaker predictive performance, as reflected by the higher residual standard error and lower R².

Model 2 (Length & Age):

- The residuals are less spread compared to Model 1, reflecting improved fit and predictive accuracy.
- The scatter is still slightly uneven, with some clustering at specific fitted values.

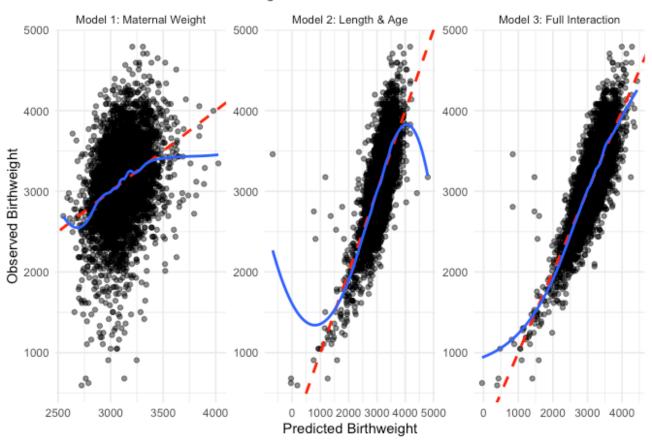
Model 3 (Full Interaction):

- The residuals are the most tightly clustered around the zero line, suggesting the best fit among the three models.
- This aligns with its higher R² and lower residual standard error, making it the most accurate model.

Step 5: Goodness of Fit

```
# Combine predictions for all models
data cleaned with predictions =
 data_cleaned |>
  gather_predictions(model_maternal_weight,
                     model length age,
                     model_full) |>
  mutate(model = recode(model,
                        model_maternal_weight = "Model 1: Maternal Weight",
                        model length age = "Model 2: Length & Age",
                        model_full = "Model 3: Full Interaction"))
# Plot Goodness of Fit
ggplot(data_cleaned_with_predictions,
       aes(x = pred, y = bwt)) +
  geom\ point(alpha = 0.5) +
  geom_abline(slope = 1,
              intercept = 0,
              color = "red",
              linetype = "dashed",
              size = 1) +
  geom_smooth(method = "loess",
```

Goodness of Fit for Birthweight Models



Comments on Goodness of Fit Plot

Overall Observations:

- The goodness of fit plot compares observed birthweight against predicted birthweight for all three models.
- The red dashed line (y = x) represents the ideal fit where observed values perfectly match predicted values.

 The blue LOESS curve visualizes the actual relationship between observed and predicted values for each model.

Model 1: Maternal Weight

Observations:

- The LOESS curve deviates significantly from the red dashed line, especially at lower and higher predicted values.
- Indicates systematic underfitting at extreme birthweights, highlighting the limitations of using only maternal weight and delivery weight as predictors.

Model 2: Length & Age

Observations:

- The LOESS curve aligns more closely with the red dashed line compared to Model
 1, indicating improved fit.
- Slight deviations at the extremes suggest some underfitting at very low and very high birthweights.

Model 3: Full Interaction

Observations:

- The LOESS curve nearly overlaps with the red dashed line, showing the best alignment among the three models.
- This suggests that the full interaction model provides the most accurate predictions across the range of observed birthweights.

Conclusion

Summary:

- Model 3 demonstrates the best goodness of fit due to its higher predictive accuracy and ability to capture complex interactions.
- Model 2 performs better than Model 1 but still shows minor underfitting at extreme birthweights.

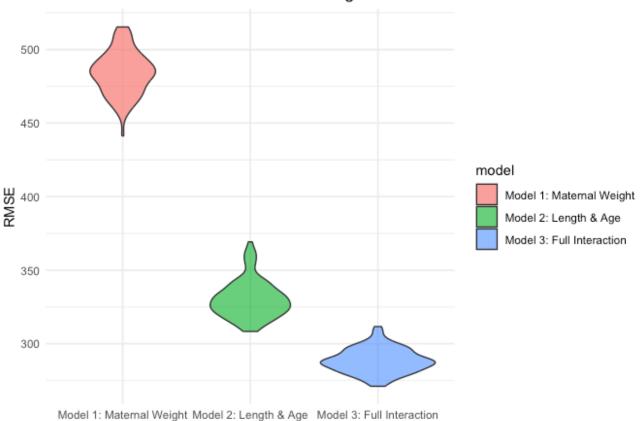
Step 6: Cross-Validation and RMSE Comparison

```
# Cross-validation for model comparison
set.seed(123)
cv results =
  crossv_mc(data_cleaned, 100) |>
  mutate(
    train = map(train, as_tibble),
    test = map(test, as_tibble),
    maternal weight mod = map(train,
                              ~ lm(bwt ~ ppwt * delwt,
                                   data = .)),
    length age mod = map(train,
                         ~ lm(bwt ~ blength + gaweeks + blength:gaweeks,
                              data = .)),
    full mod = map(train,
                   ~ lm(bwt ~ bhead * blength * babysex,
                        data = .)
  ) %>%
  mutate(
    rmse_maternal_weight = map2_dbl(maternal_weight_mod,
                                    ~ sqrt(mean((.y$bwt - predict(.x, newdata
    rmse_length_age = map2_dbl(length_age_mod,
                               ~ sqrt(mean((.y$bwt - predict(.x, newdata = .y)
    rmse_full = map2_dbl(full_mod,
                         ~ sgrt(mean((.y$bwt - predict(.x, newdata = .y))^2)))
  )
# Summarize RMSE results
cv_summary =
  cv_results |>
  summarize(
    mean rmse maternal weight = mean(rmse maternal weight),
    mean_rmse_length_age = mean(rmse_length_age),
    mean rmse full = mean(rmse full)
  )
cv_summary |>
  knitr::kable()
```

mean_rmse_maternal_weight	mean_rmse_length_age	mean_rmse_full
484.0485	330.2916	288.3849

```
# Plot RMSE distribution
cv results |>
  pivot_longer(cols = starts_with("rmse"),
               names_to = "model",
               values_to = "rmse") |>
  mutate(model = recode(model,
                        rmse_maternal_weight = "Model 1: Maternal Weight",
                        rmse_length_age = "Model 2: Length & Age",
                        rmse_full = "Model 3: Full Interaction")) |>
  ggplot(aes(x = model,
             y = rmse,
             fill = model)) +
  geom_violin(alpha = 0.7) +
  labs(
    title = "Prediction Error Distribution for Birthweight Models",
    x = "Model",
    y = "RMSE"
  ) +
  theme_minimal()
```

Prediction Error Distribution for Birthweight Models



1. Comments on RMSE Results Table:

Model

- 1. The table summarizes the mean RMSE values for the three models, allowing for straightforward performance comparison.
- 2. Model 1: Maternal Weight has the highest RMSE (484.05), indicating relatively poor predictive performance.
- 3. Model 2: Length & Age shows improvement with a lower RMSE (330.29), suggesting more accurate predictions.
- 4. Model 3: Full Interaction achieves the best performance with the lowest RMSE (288.38), highlighting the importance of interaction terms in the model.

2. Comments on RMSE Distribution Plot:

- 1. The violin plot effectively illustrates the RMSE distribution for each model, highlighting variability in prediction errors.
- 2. Model 1: Maternal Weight has the widest distribution, reflecting high variability and less reliable predictions.
- 3. Model 2: Length & Age has a narrower spread, indicating more consistent predictions with reduced error variability.
- 4. Model 3: Full Interaction has the narrowest and lowest distribution, confirming its superior predictive accuracy and robustness.