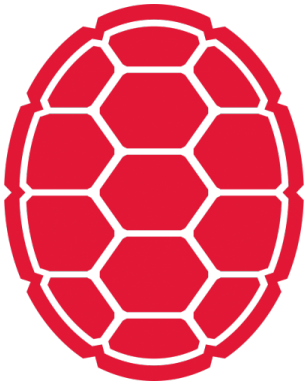

Regression

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Content Questions

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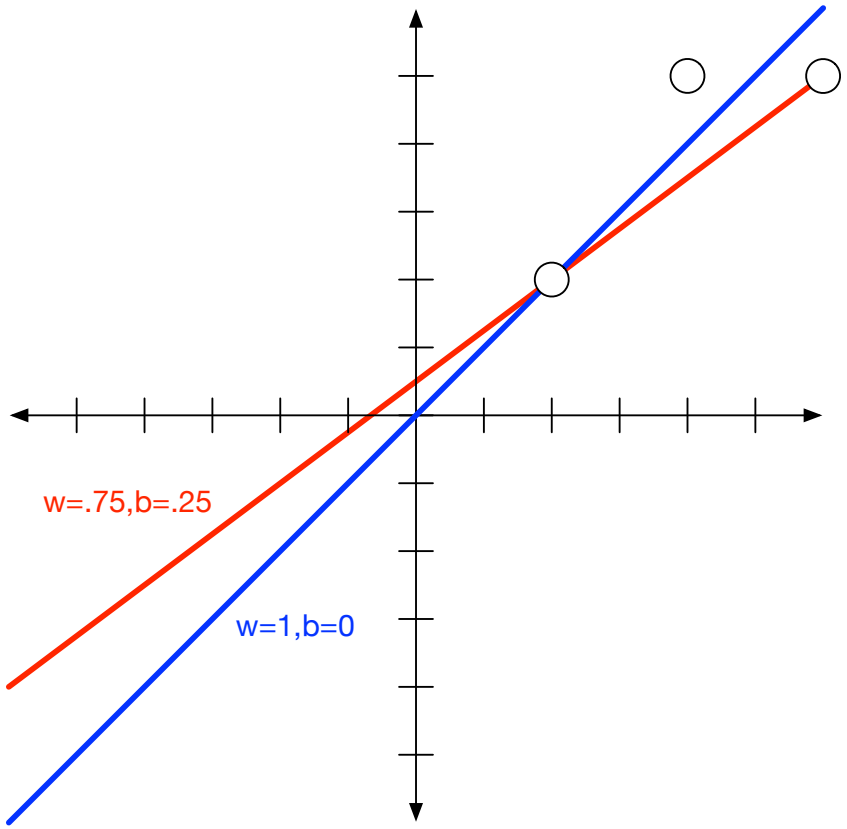

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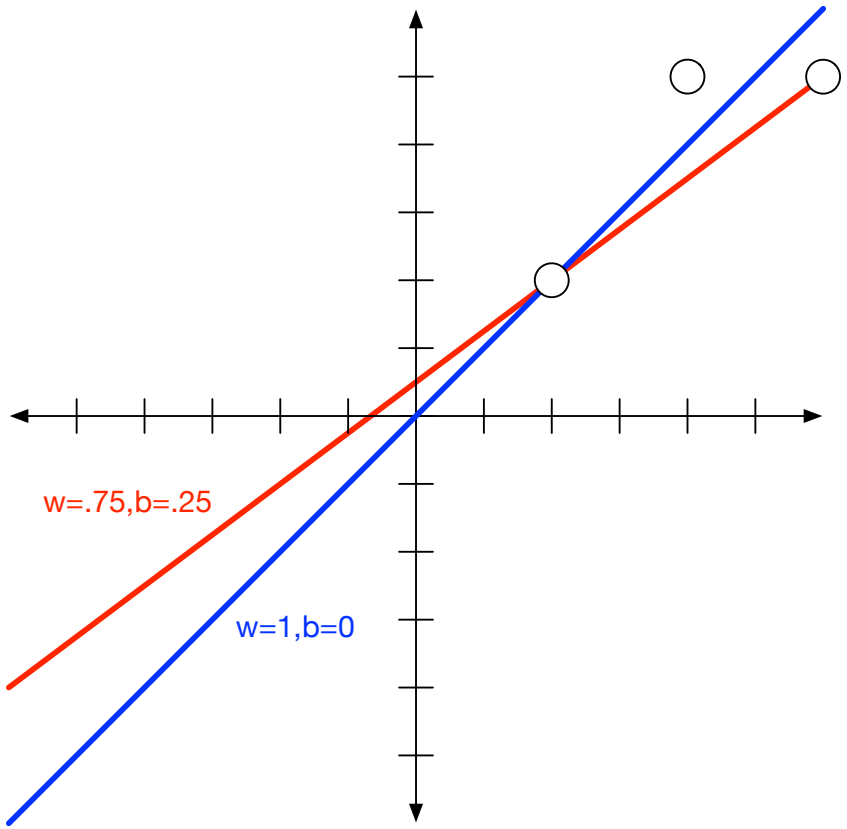

Which is the better OLS solution?

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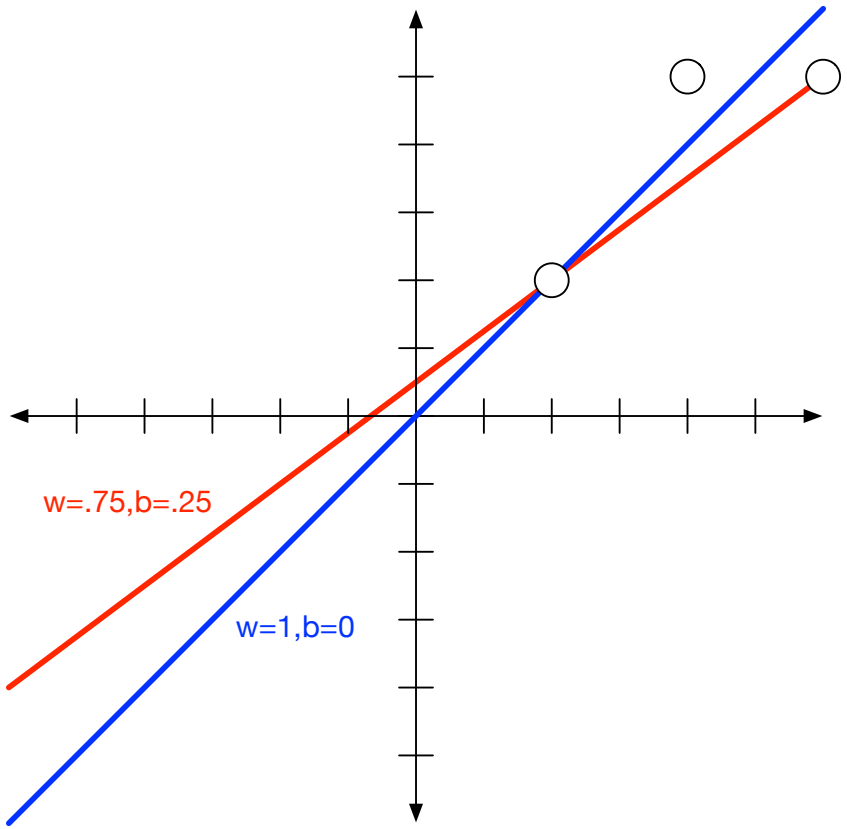

Blue! It has lower RSS.

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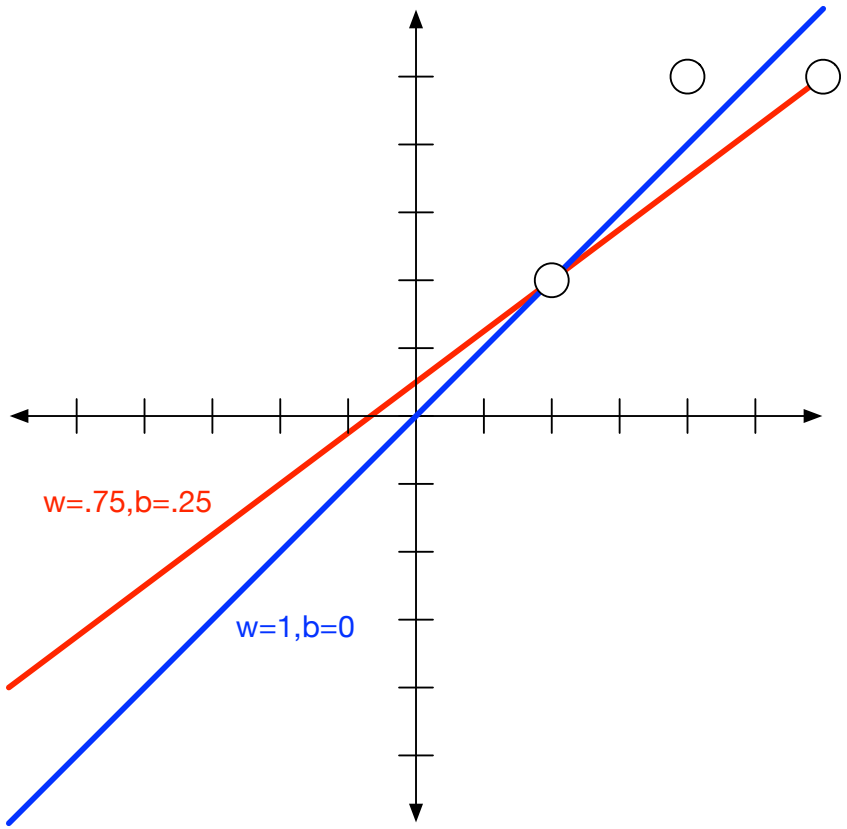

What is the RSS of the better solution?

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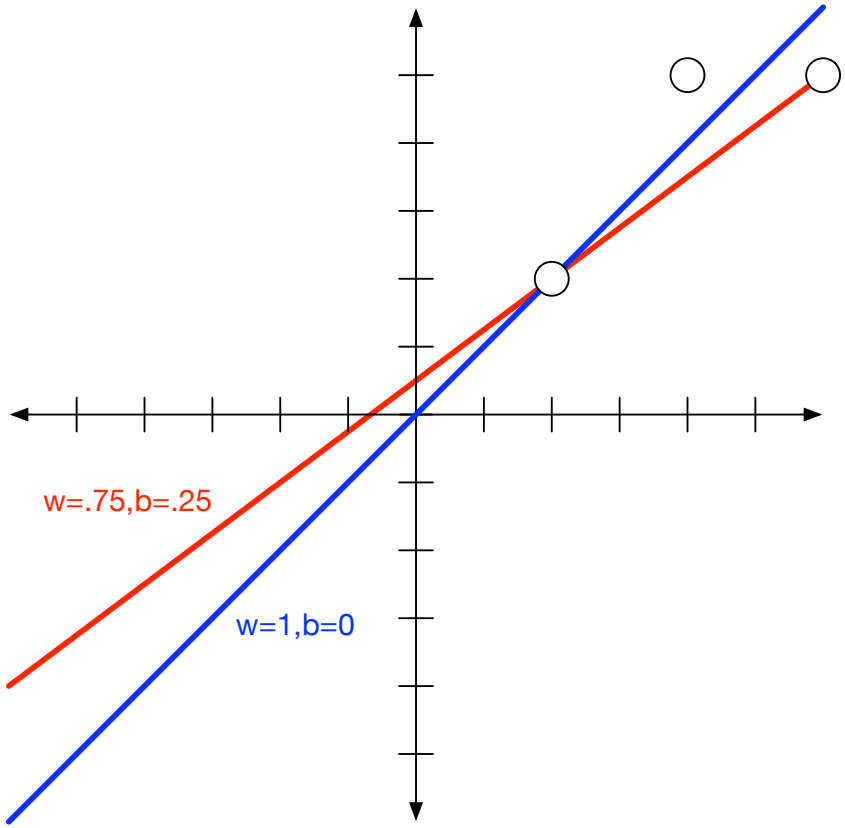

$$\frac{1}{2}\sum_i r_i^2 = \frac{1}{2}\left((1-1)^2 + (2.5-2)^2 + (2.5-3)^2\right) = \frac{1}{4}$$

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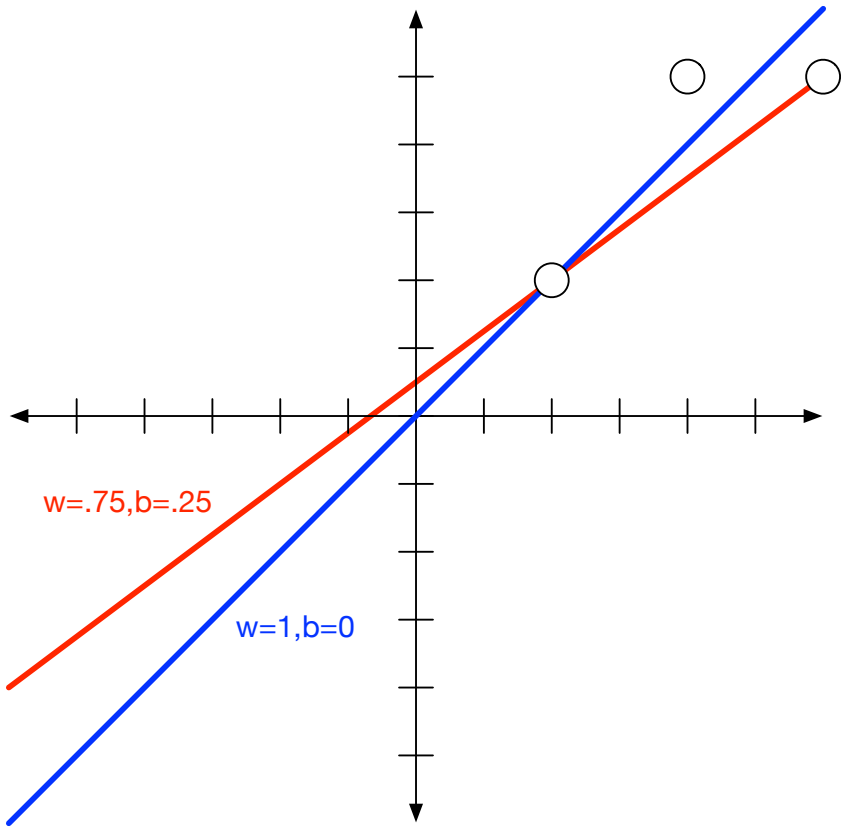

What is the RSS of the red line?

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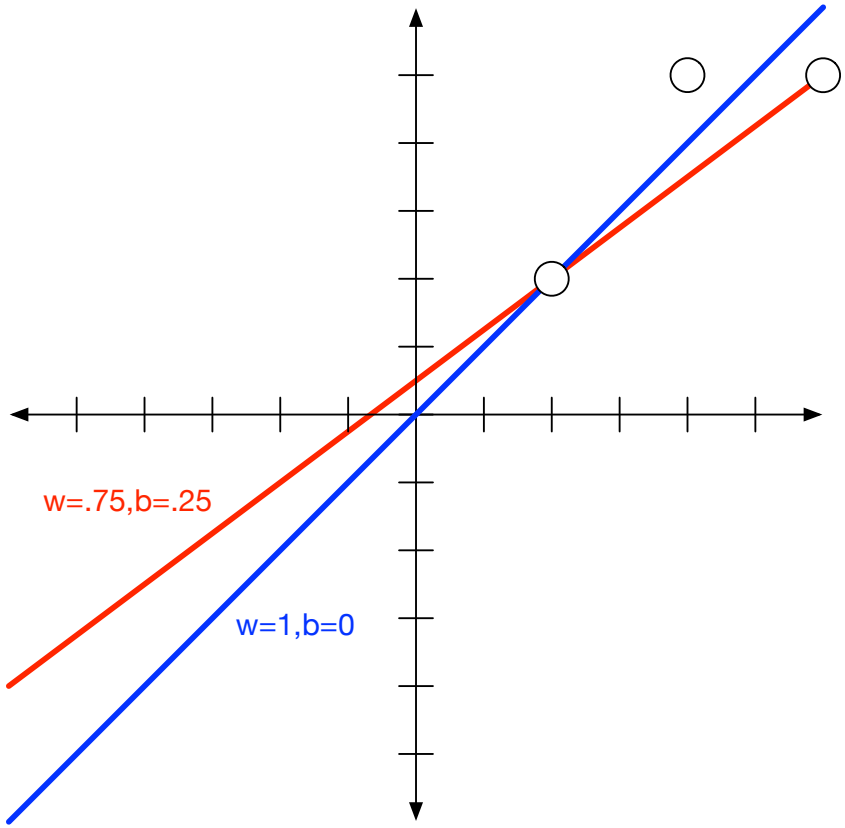

$$\frac{1}{2}\sum_i r_i^2 = \frac{1}{2}\left((1-1)^2 + (2.5-1.75)^2 + (2.5-2.5)^2\right) = \frac{3}{8}$$