# Multiple linear regression for BME680 gas readings of a single sensor

## January 15, 2021

Read the CSV file created by the CCU Historian, ensure that field separator is ';' and decimal separator is ',' (German notation), if necessary edit CSV file before reading it by the provided script 'csv\_convert\_historian.bsh' The provided script 'get\_new\_history.bsh' is searching for the CCU Historian's CSV in the directory '\${HOME}/Downloads'. The conversion script 'csv\_convert\_historian.bsh' is invoked inside 'csv\_convert\_historian.bsh'.

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[1]:
                                 Mode raw_gas_resistance relative_humidity \
                          Datum
     0 2020-12-29 22:13:34.000
                                    2
                                                     99100
                                                                         37.3
     1 2020-12-29 22:15:43.830
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                                                                         37.3
                                                     99100
     2 2020-12-29 22:15:43.840
                                    2
                                                                         37.3
                                                     99100
     3 2020-12-29 22:15:43.845
                                    2
                                                     99920
                                                                         37.3
     4 2020-12-29 22:20:15.627
                                    2
                                                    99920
                                                                         37.3
     5 2020-12-29 22:20:15.637
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                                                                         37.2
                                    2
     6 2020-12-29 22:20:15.643
                                                    100260
                                                                         37.2
    7 2020-12-29 22:24:47.322
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                                    2
     8 2020-12-29 22:24:47.326
                                                    100260
                                                                         37.2
     9 2020-12-29 22:24:47.332
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10 2020-12-29 22:29:19.016
                                                                     37.2
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11 2020-12-29 22:29:19.019
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12 2020-12-29 22:29:19.025
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                                                                     37.2
                               2
13 2020-12-29 22:33:50.707
                                               101460
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14 2020-12-29 22:33:50.716
                               2
                                               101460
                                                                     37.3
15 2020-12-29 22:33:50.722
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                                                98800
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16 2020-12-29 22:38:22.398
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                                                98800
17 2020-12-29 22:38:22.408
                               2
                                                98800
                                                                     37.9
18 2020-12-29 22:38:22.414
                               2
                                                94600
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```

### temperature

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0
            23.4
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            23.4
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```

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[2]: # keep every 3rd row (CCU historian is tacking every change of a datapoint ⇒ separately)

df = df0[(df0.index % 3 == 0)]

df.head(7)
```

[2]:			Datum	Mode	raw_gas_resistance	relative_humidity	\
	0	2020-12-29	22:13:34.000	2	99100	37.3	
	3	2020-12-29	22:15:43.845	2	99920	37.3	
	6	2020-12-29	22:20:15.643	2	100260	37.2	
	9	2020-12-29	22:24:47.332	2	101220	37.2	
	12	2020-12-29	22:29:19.025	2	101460	37.2	
	15	2020-12-29	22:33:50.722	2	98800	37.3	
	18	2020-12-29	22:38:22.414	2	94600	37.9	

temperature

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0 23.4
3 23.4
6 23.4
9 23.4
12 23.4
15 23.4
18 23.4
```

## [3]: df.head(-1)

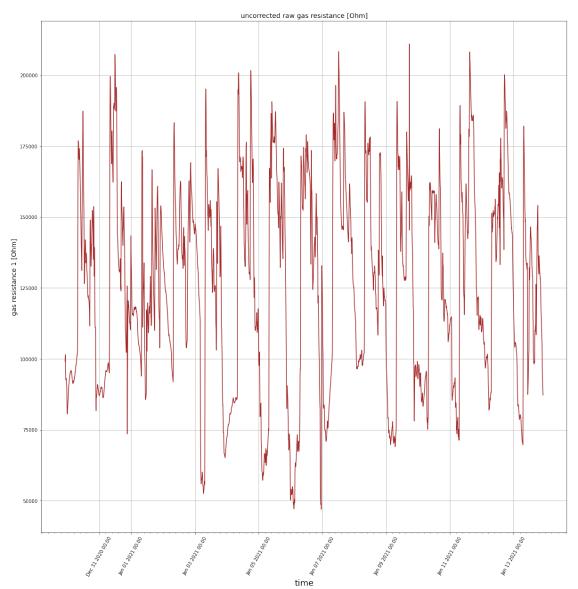
```
[3]:
                              Datum
                                     Mode
                                           raw_gas_resistance relative_humidity \
     0
           2020-12-29 22:13:34.000
                                                         99100
                                                                              37.3
     3
           2020-12-29 22:15:43.845
                                        2
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                                                         99920
     6
           2020-12-29 22:20:15.643
                                        2
                                                        100260
                                                                              37.2
     9
           2020-12-29 22:24:47.332
                                        2
                                                        101220
                                                                              37.2
     12
           2020-12-29 22:29:19.025
                                        2
                                                        101460
                                                                              37.2
                                        2
     15129 2021-01-13 21:37:32.971
                                                         95580
                                                                              35.3
     15132 2021-01-13 21:46:38.513
                                        2
                                                         91900
                                                                              35.4
     15135 2021-01-13 21:51:11.255
                                        2
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                                                         91280
     15138 2021-01-13 22:00:16.743
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                                                         89340
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     15141 2021-01-13 22:04:49.485
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                                                         88300
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#### temperature 0 23.4 3 23.4 6 23.4 9 23.4 12 23.4 24.4 15129 24.4 15132 24.4 15135 15138 24.4 15141 24.4

[5048 rows x 5 columns]

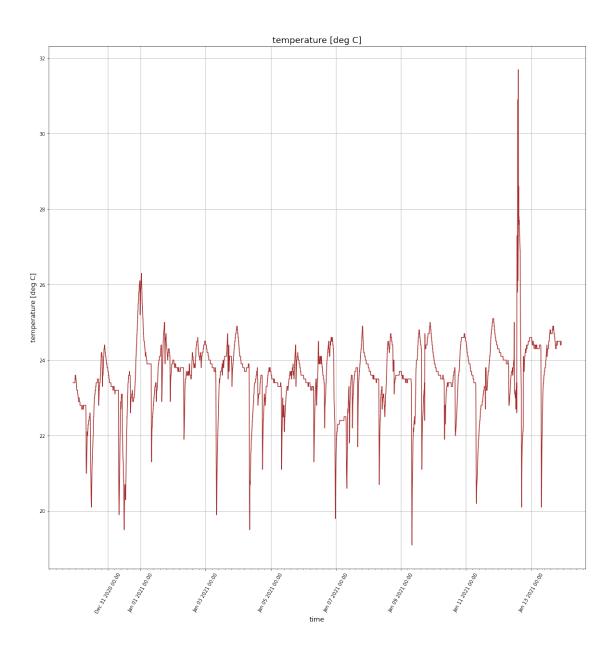
Time series diagram of the measured raw gas resistance

```
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
ax.plot_date(df['Datum'], df['raw_gas_resistance'], linestyle='solid', marker="______, color='brown')
plt.title('uncorrected raw gas resistance [Ohm]', fontsize=14)
plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=18)
plt.ylabel('gas resistance 1 [Ohm]', fontsize=14)
plt.grid(True)
plt.show()
```

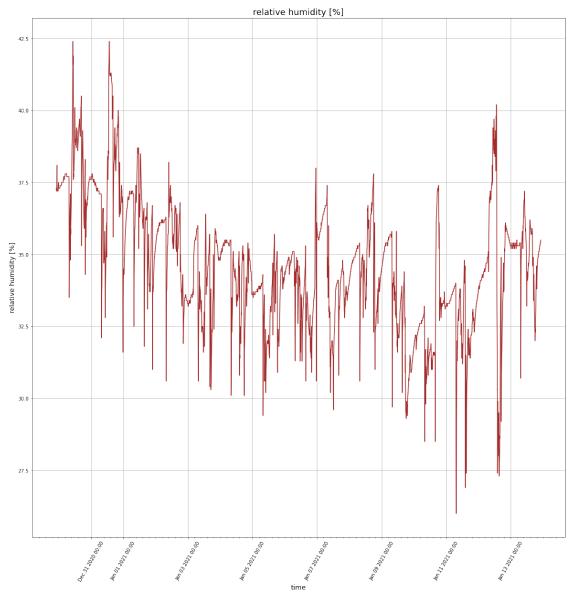


Time series diagram of the measured temperature

```
[5]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import matplotlib.dates as mdates
    from matplotlib.dates import DateFormatter
    from matplotlib.ticker import (MultipleLocator, FormatStrFormatter,
                                   AutoMinorLocator)
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 20))
    plt.xticks(rotation=60)
    ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
    ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
    ax.plot_date(df['Datum'], df['temperature'], linestyle='solid', marker=" ",_
     plt.title('temperature [deg C]', fontsize=18)
    plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
    plt.ylabel('temperature [deg C]', fontsize=14)
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.show()
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Time series diagram of the measured relative humidity



Calculate and plot the absolute humidity from temperature and relative humidity by an approxi-

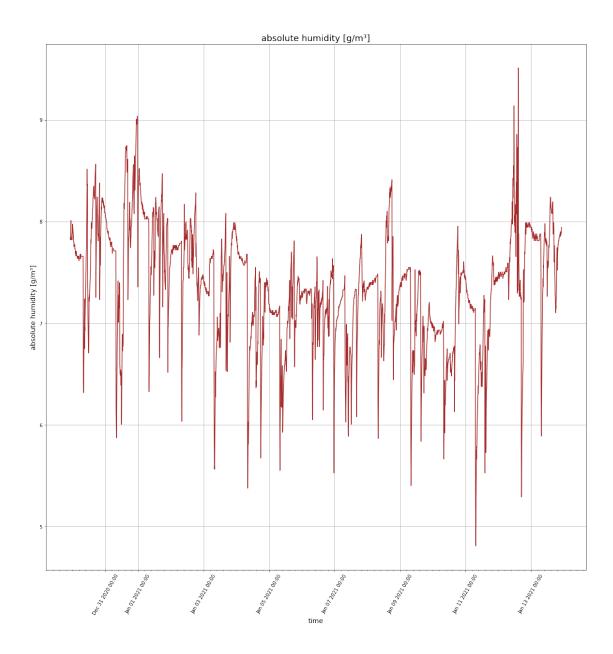
mate formula (same formula as used inside the sensor)

```
[7]: import numpy as np
     # Create a function that calculates the absolute humidity from the two
     → arguments 'temperature' and 'relative humidity'
     # see for details https://www.kompf.de/weather/vent.html or https://
     →rechneronline.de/barometer/luftfeuchtigkeit.php for x-checking the
      \hookrightarrow calculated result
     a = 6.112
     b = 17.67
     c = 243.5
     # Compute saturated water vapor pressure in hPa
     # Param t - temperature in °C
     def svp(t):
       svp = a * np.exp((b*t)/(c+t))
       return svp
     # Compute actual water vapor pressure in hPa
     # Param rh - relative humidity in %
     # Param t - temperature in °C
     def vp(rh, t):
      vp = rh/100. * svp(t)
       return vp
     # Compute the absolute humidity in g/m^3
     # Param rh - relative humidity in %
     # Param t - temperature in °C
     def calculate_absolute_humidity(t, rh):
      mw = 18.016 # kg/kmol (Molekulargewicht des Wasserdampfes)
       rs = 8314.3 # J/(kmol*K) (universelle Gaskonstante)
       ah = 10**5 * mw/rs * vp(rh, t)/(t + 273.15)
       #return the absolute humidity in [q/m<sup>3</sup>]
       return ah
     # now apply the above defined formulas to get the pandas dataframe columnu
     → 'absolute_humidity'
     df['absolute_humidity'] = calculate_absolute_humidity(df['temperature'],__

→df['relative_humidity'])
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     import matplotlib.dates as mdates
     from matplotlib.dates import DateFormatter
     from matplotlib.ticker import (MultipleLocator, FormatStrFormatter,
                                    AutoMinorLocator)
```

```
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 20))
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
ax.plot_date(df['Datum'], df['absolute_humidity'], linestyle='solid', marker="u

→", color='brown')
plt.title('absolute humidity [g/m<sup>3</sup>]', fontsize=18)
plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('absolute humidity [g/m<sup>3</sup>]', fontsize=14)
plt.grid(True)
plt.show()
<ipython-input-7-6b16bc84f520>:33: SettingWithCopyWarning:
A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead
See the caveats in the documentation: https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-
docs/stable/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy
  df['absolute_humidity'] = calculate_absolute_humidity(df['temperature'],
df['relative_humidity'])
```



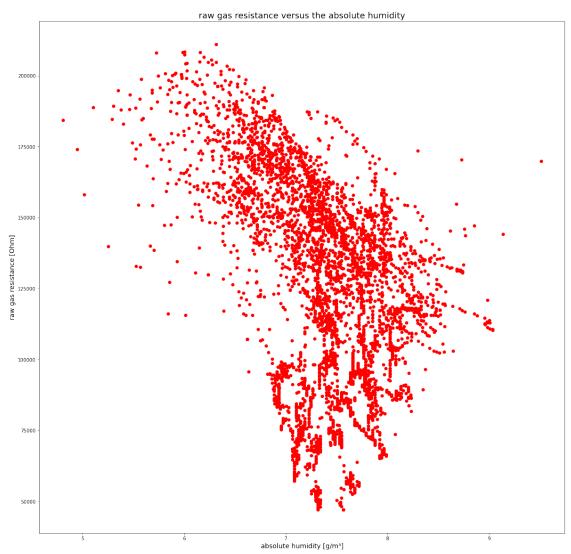
Scatter plot of raw gas resistance versus the absolute humidityy, is the dependency somehow linear (should be for a multilinear regression)?

```
[8]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

plt.figure(figsize=(20,20))

plt.scatter(df['absolute_humidity'], df['raw_gas_resistance'], color='red')
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```
plt.title('raw gas resistance versus the absolute humidity', fontsize=18)
plt.xlabel('absolute humidity [g/m³]', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('raw gas resistance [Ohm]', fontsize=14)
plt.show()
```

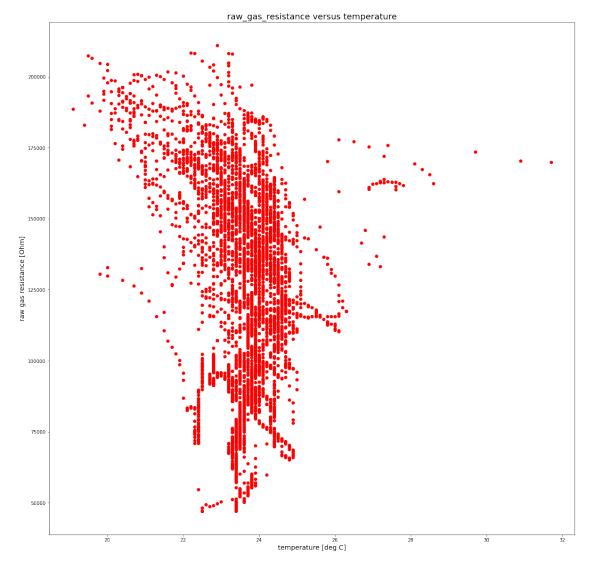


Scatter plot of raw gas resistance versus the temperature, is the dependency somehow linear (should be for a multilinear regression)?

```
[9]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

plt.figure(figsize=(20,20))
```

```
plt.scatter(df['temperature'], df['raw_gas_resistance'], color='red')
plt.title('raw_gas_resistance versus temperature', fontsize=18)
plt.xlabel('temperature [deg C]', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('raw gas resistance [Ohm]', fontsize=14)
plt.grid(False)
plt.show()
```



Execute a multiple linear regression of raw gas resistance oin dependency of the absolute humidity and the temperature use the prediction 'predictions1' of the mutiple linear regression to create a corrected gas resistance 'residuals' with eliminated influence of the absolute humidity and the temperature create a normalized scaled corrected gas resistance 'normalized\_residuals'

```
[10]: import pandas as pd from sklearn import linear_model
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```
import statsmodels.api as sm
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.dates as mdates
from matplotlib.dates import DateFormatter
from matplotlib.ticker import (MultipleLocator, FormatStrFormatter,
                               AutoMinorLocator)
X = df[['temperature', 'absolute humidity']] # here we have 2 variables for |
\rightarrow multiple regression
Y = df['raw_gas_resistance']
# with sklearn
regr = linear_model.LinearRegression()
regr.fit(X, Y)
print('Intercept: \n', regr.intercept_)
print('Coefficients: \n', regr.coef_)
X = sm.add_constant(X)
model = sm.OLS(Y, X).fit()
predictions = model.predict(X)
print_model = model.summary()
print(print_model)
print(model.rsquared)
residuals=df['raw_gas_resistance']-predictions
min_res=min(residuals)
max_res=max(residuals)
#clip min of residual to epsilon in order to avoid a log(0) trap
epsilon=0.0001
normalized_residuals=((residuals-min_res)/(max_res-min_res)).
⇔clip(epsilon,None)*100
fig, ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 20))
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
ax1.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
ax1.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
lns1=ax1.plot_date(df['Datum'], predictions, linestyle='solid', marker=" ",u

→color='brown', label='linear regression prediction')
```

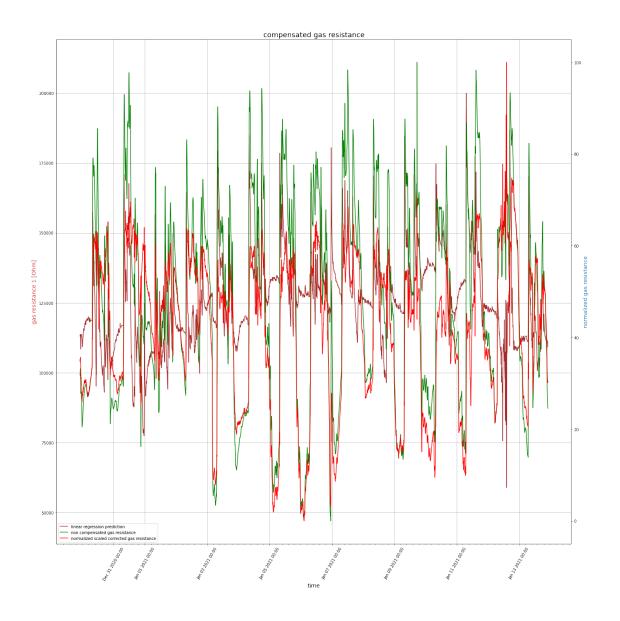
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lns2=ax1.plot_date(df['Datum'], df['raw_gas_resistance'], linestyle='solid',u
 →marker=" ", color='green', label='non compensated gas resistance')
color = 'tab:red'
ax1.set_xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
ax1.set_ylabel('gas resistance 1 [Ohm]', color=color, fontsize=14)
ax2 = ax1.twinx() # instantiate a second axes that shares the same x-axis
ax2.xaxis.set major formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
ax2.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
color = 'tab:blue'
ax2.set_ylabel('normalized gas resistance', color=color, fontsize=14) # we_
 \rightarrow already handled the x-label with ax1
lns3=ax2.plot_date(df['Datum'], normalized_residuals, linestyle='solid',__
 →marker=" ", color='red', label='normalized scaled corrected gas resistance')
plt.title('compensated gas resistance', fontsize=18)
ax1.grid(True)
lns = lns1+lns2+lns3
labs = [l.get_label() for l in lns]
ax1.legend(lns, labs, loc="lower left")
fig.tight_layout() # otherwise the right y-label is slightly clipped
plt.show()
Intercept:
352749.6148985638
Coefficients:
 -951.04961362 -27722.38305622]
                         OLS Regression Results
______
Dep. Variable: raw_gas_resistance
                                    R-squared:
                                                                   0.203
                               OLS Adj. R-squared:
Model:
                                                                   0.202
Method:
                    Least Squares F-statistic:
                                                                   640.9
             Fri, 15 Jan 2021 Prob (F-statistic): 9.37e-249
Date:
                                                                 -59499.
Time:
                          14:18:34 Log-Likelihood:
No. Observations:
                              5049 AIC:
                                                              1.190e+05
Df Residuals:
                              5046
                                   BIC:
                                                               1.190e+05
Df Model:
Covariance Type:
                        nonrobust
                     coef std err t P>|t| [0.025
0.975]
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const	3.527e+05	1.1e+04	32.182	0.000	3.31e+05
3.74e+05					
temperature	-951.0496	574.196	-1.656	0.098	-2076.722
174.623					
absolute_humidity	-2.772e+04	993.063	-27.916	0.000	-2.97e+04
-2.58e+04					
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Omnibus:		380.331	Durbin-Watso	on:	0.011
<pre>Prob(Omnibus):</pre>	0.000	Jarque-Bera	(JB):	309.929	
Skew:	-0.523	Prob(JB):		5.01e-68	
Kurtosis:		2.384	Cond. No.		607.

## Warnings:

<sup>[1]</sup> Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

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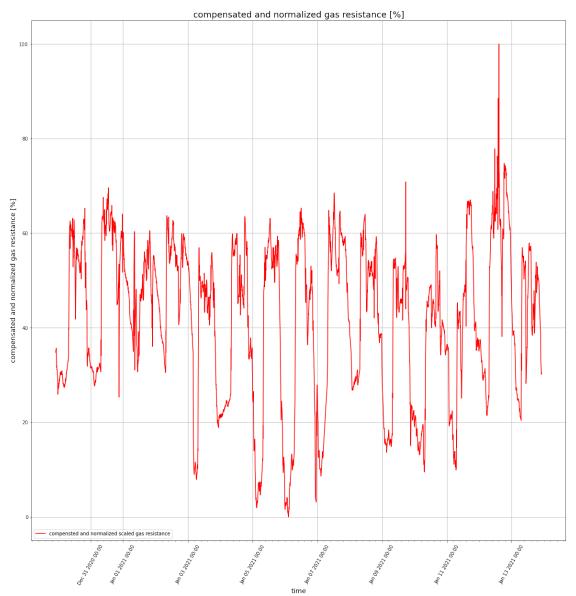


time series diagrams of normalized scaled gas resistance; y range is 0.0..100.0 [%]

```
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())

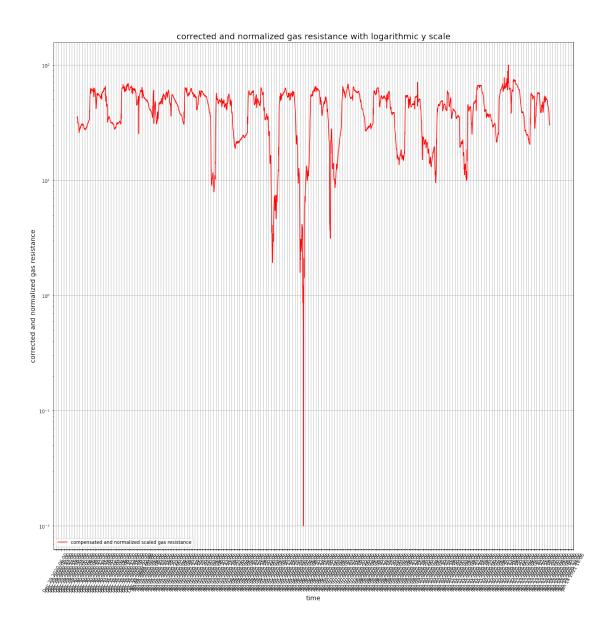
plt.plot_date(df['Datum'], normalized_residuals, linestyle='solid', marker=" ",u color='red', label='compensted and normalized scaled gas resistance')

plt.title('compensated and normalized gas resistance [%]', fontsize=18)
plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('compensated and normalized gas resistance [%]', fontsize=14)
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(loc ="lower left")
plt.show()
```



time series diagrams of compensated and normalized scaled gas resistance with logarithmic y scale  $0.01 \dots 100$ 

```
[12]: import pandas as pd
      from sklearn import linear_model
      import statsmodels.api as sm
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      from datetime import datetime
      from matplotlib.dates import DateFormatter
      from matplotlib.ticker import (MultipleLocator, FormatStrFormatter,
                                     AutoMinorLocator)
      fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 20))
      plt.yscale('log')
      plt.xticks(rotation=60)
      ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
      hours = mdates.HourLocator(interval = 2)
      ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(hours)
      ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
      plt.xticks(rotation=60)
      plt.plot_date(df['Datum'], normalized_residuals, linestyle='solid', marker=" ",u
       →color='red', label='compensated and normalized scaled gas resistance')
      plt.title('corrected and normalized gas resistance with logarithmic y scale', u
      →fontsize=18)
      plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
      plt.ylabel('corrected and normalized gas resistance', fontsize=14)
      plt.grid(True)
      plt.legend(loc ="lower left")
      plt.show()
```

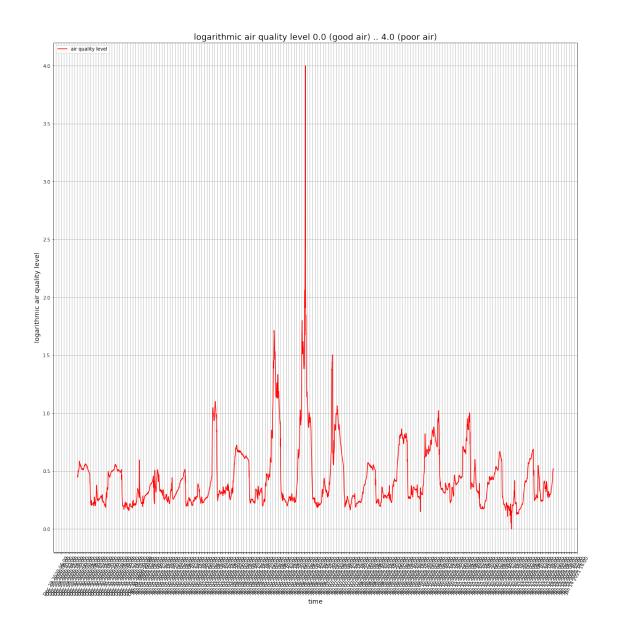


time series diagrams of the logarithmic air quality level the air quality level can vary between 0.0 (fresh air) and 4.0 (very poor air quality)

```
[13]: import pandas as pd
from sklearn import linear_model
import statsmodels.api as sm
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from datetime import datetime
from matplotlib.dates import DateFormatter
from matplotlib.ticker import (MultipleLocator, FormatStrFormatter,
AutoMinorLocator)
```

```
log_normalized_residuals = -(np.log10(normalized_residuals)-2)
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20, 20))
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
ax.xaxis.set_major_formatter(DateFormatter('%b %d %Y %H:%M'))
hours = mdates.HourLocator(interval = 2)
ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(hours)
ax.xaxis.set_minor_locator(AutoMinorLocator())
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
plt.plot_date(df['Datum'], log_normalized_residuals, linestyle='solid',u
→marker=" ", color='red', label='air quality level')
plt.title('logarithmic air quality level 0.0 (good air) .. 4.0 (poor air)', u

fontsize=18)
plt.xlabel('time', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('logarithmic air quality level', fontsize=14)
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(loc ="upper left")
plt.show()
```



Please check whether the R-squared (uncentered) of the multiple linear regression above is sufficiently good (should be > 0.7): R-squared (also called coefficient of determination) is the portion of variance in the dependent variables that can be explained by the independent variables. Hence, as a rule of thumb for interpreting the strength of a relationship based on its R-squared value is: - if R-squared value < 0.3 this value is generally considered as None or very weak effect size - if R-squared value 0.3 < r < 0.5 this value is generally considered as weak or low effect size - if R-squared value 0.5 < r < 0.7 this value is generally considered as moderate effect size - if R-squared value 0.7 < r < 1.0 this value is generally considered as strong effect size

If R-squared value is < 0.3, the collected history may be too short. Please try to collect datapoints for a longer timeframe!

## [14]: print(model.rsquared)

#### 0.20256910480233203

Please enter the following parameters of the multilinear regression into the Home-matic/RaspberryMatic WebUI page 'Startseite > Einstellungen > Geräte > Geräte-/ Kanalparameter einstellen' of your concerning BME680 AQ sensor device which was the source of the history.csv file above

```
[15]: print("\nPlease enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_alpha' = \( \times \)%11.31f" % regr.coef_[0])

print("Please enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_beta' = \( \times \)%11.31f" % regr.coef_[1])

print("Please enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_delta' = \( \times \)%11.31f" % regr.intercept_)

import datetime

now = datetime.datetime.now()

print("\n\nPlease check whether current date and time are correct: ")

print(str(now))
```

```
Please enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_alpha' = -951.050

Please enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_beta' = -27722.383

Please enter the WebUI device parameter 'WEATHER|mlr_delta' = 352749.615
```

Please check whether current date and time are correct: 2021-01-15 14:18:43.988145

Congratulations, you are done!

Please repeat the multilinear regression update of the WebUI device parameters on a regular basis every month or similar as appropriate ..