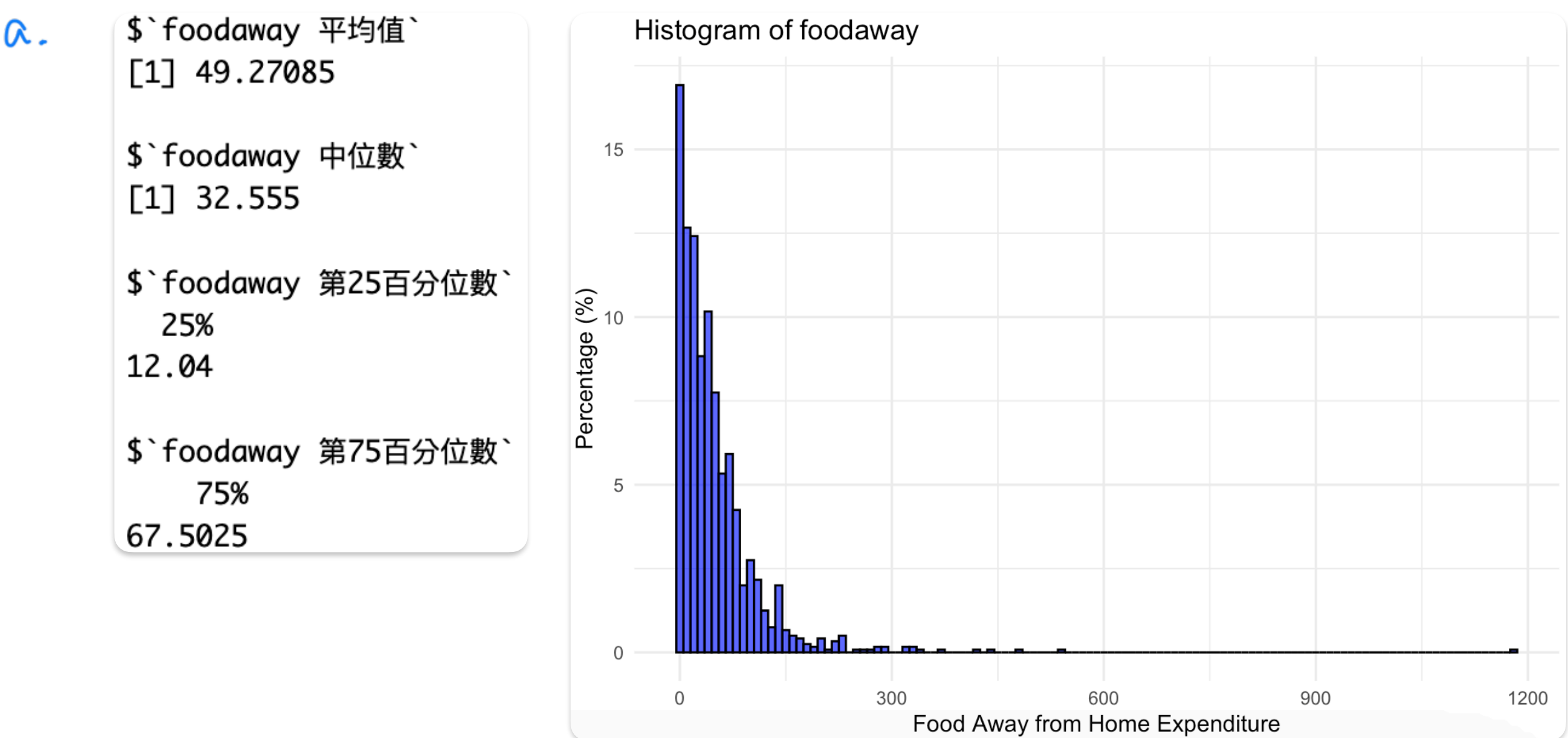


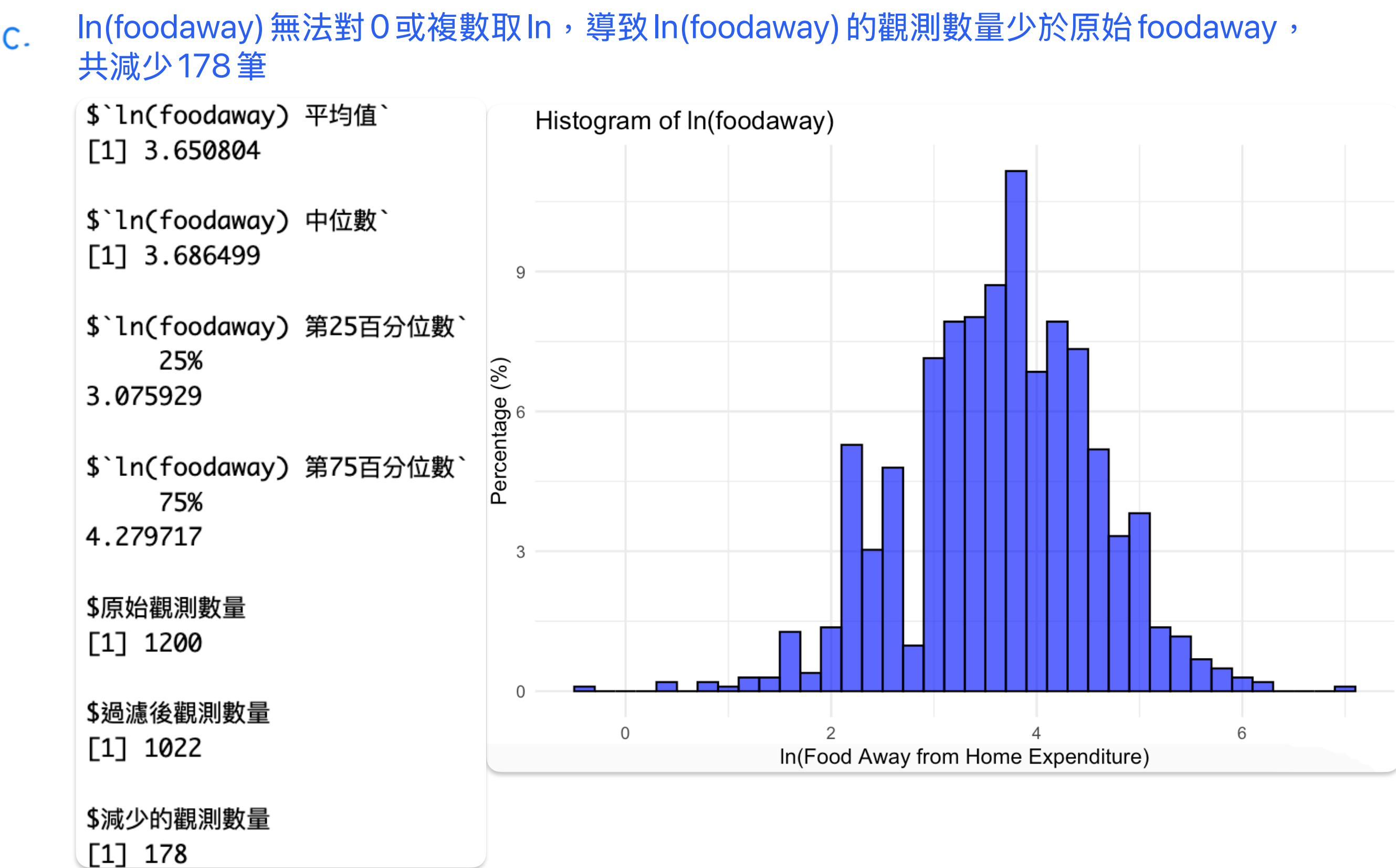
**2.25** Consumer expenditure data from 2013 are contained in the file *cex5\_small*. [Note: *cex5* is a larger version with more observations and variables.] Data are on three-person households consisting of a husband and wife, plus one other member, with incomes between \$1000 per month to \$20,000 per month. *FOODAWAY* is past quarter’s food away from home expenditure per month per person, in dollars, and *INCOME* is household monthly income during past year, in \$100 units.

- a. Construct a histogram of *FOODAWAY* and its summary statistics. What are the mean and median values? What are the 25th and 75th percentiles?
- b. What are the mean and median values of *FOODAWAY* for households including a member with an advanced degree? With a college degree member? With no advanced or college degree member?
- c. Construct a histogram of  $\ln(\text{FOODAWAY})$  and its summary statistics. Explain why *FOODAWAY* and  $\ln(\text{FOODAWAY})$  have different numbers of observations.
- d. Estimate the linear regression  $\ln(\text{FOODAWAY}) = \beta_1 + \beta_2 \text{INCOME} + e$ . Interpret the estimated slope.
- e. Plot  $\ln(\text{FOODAWAY})$  against *INCOME*, and include the fitted line from part (d).
- f. Calculate the least squares residuals from the estimation in part (d). Plot them vs. *INCOME*. Do you find any unusual patterns, or do they seem completely random?



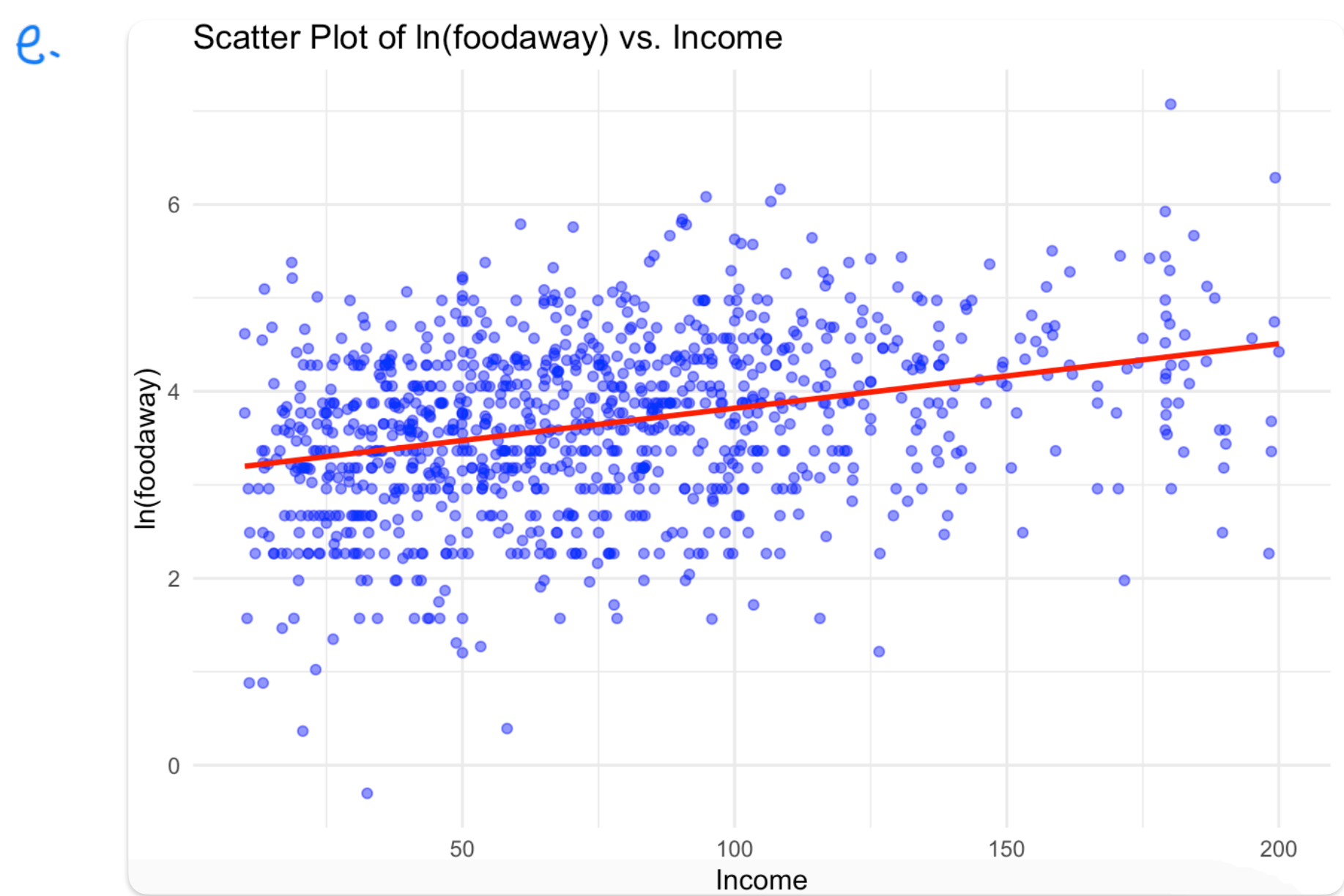
b.

	N	Mean	Median
ADVANCED = 1	257	73.15494	48.15
COLLEGE = 1	369	48.59718	36.11
NONE	574	39.01017	26.02



d.  $\widehat{\ln(\text{foodaway})} = 3.1293 + 0.0069 \text{ income}$   
For every additional \$100 in household income, the food away from home expenditure increases by approximately 0.69% per person.

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Call:  
lm(formula = ln_foodaway ~ income, data = cex5_small)  
  
Residuals:  
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max   
-3.6547 -0.5777  0.0530  0.5937  2.7000  
  
Coefficients:  
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)      
(Intercept)  3.1293004   0.0565503   55.34  <2e-16 ***  
income       0.0069017   0.0006546   10.54  <2e-16 ***  
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1  
  
Residual standard error: 0.8761 on 1020 degrees of freedom  
Multiple R-squared:  0.09826, Adjusted R-squared:  0.09738  
F-statistic: 111.1 on 1 and 1020 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
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f. 殘差隨機分佈，沒有明顯的非線性模式，顯示OLS線性模型適用

