

Linear Regression Using Simulated Data in R and SAS

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Preface

This document presents an example for generating simulated data for linear regression using R and SAS.

Assignment

Run this example using both R and SAS. If you have difficulty with either, let me know and get some help. Being able to run R will not cut it here!

Change the value for the parameters, n , β_1 and β_0 and observe the effect these changes have on the results. Pay particular attention to the effect on the R-square value.

R

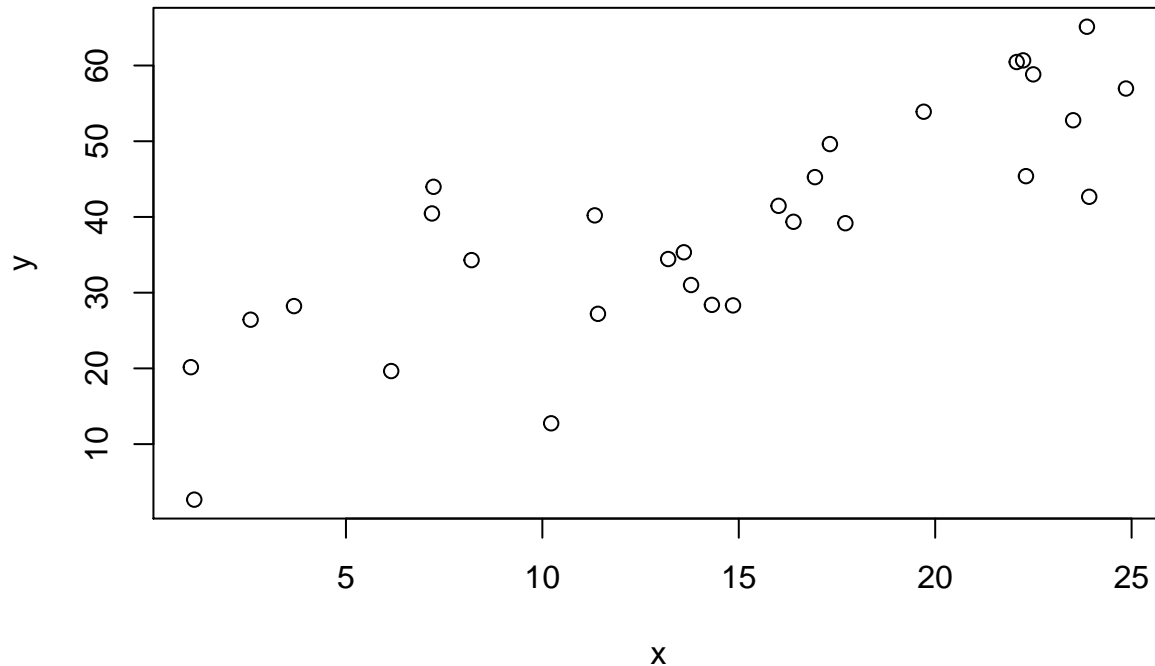
Generate the Simulated Data

```
set.seed(123)
n=30          #sample size
beta_0=10     #true y-intercept
beta_1=2      #true slope
sigma= 9      #true sigma

x=25*runif(n)
y=beta_0 + beta_1*x + sigma*rnorm(n)
```

Graph of data

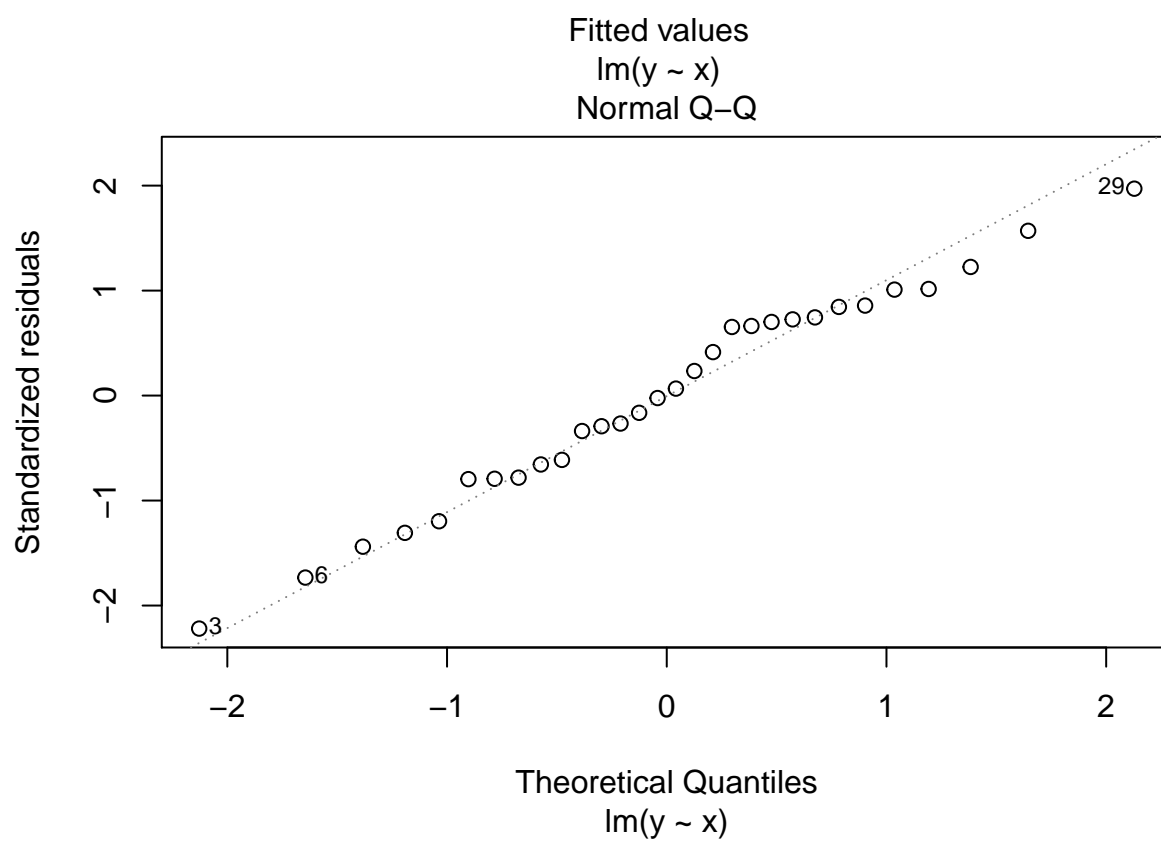
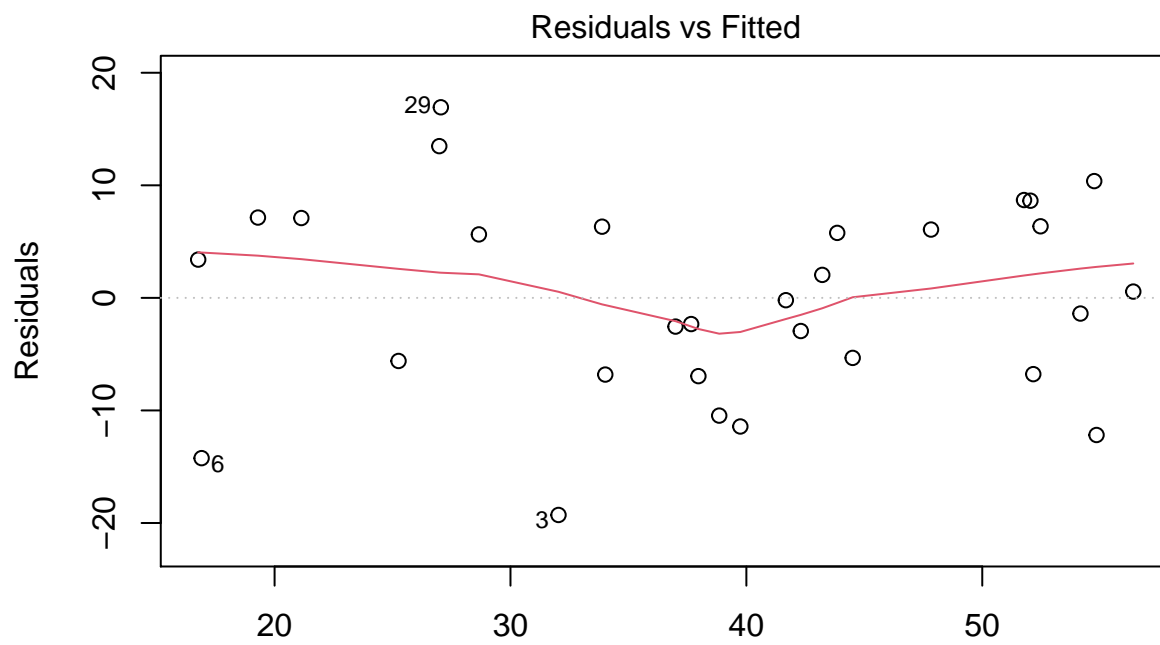
```
plot(y~x)
```

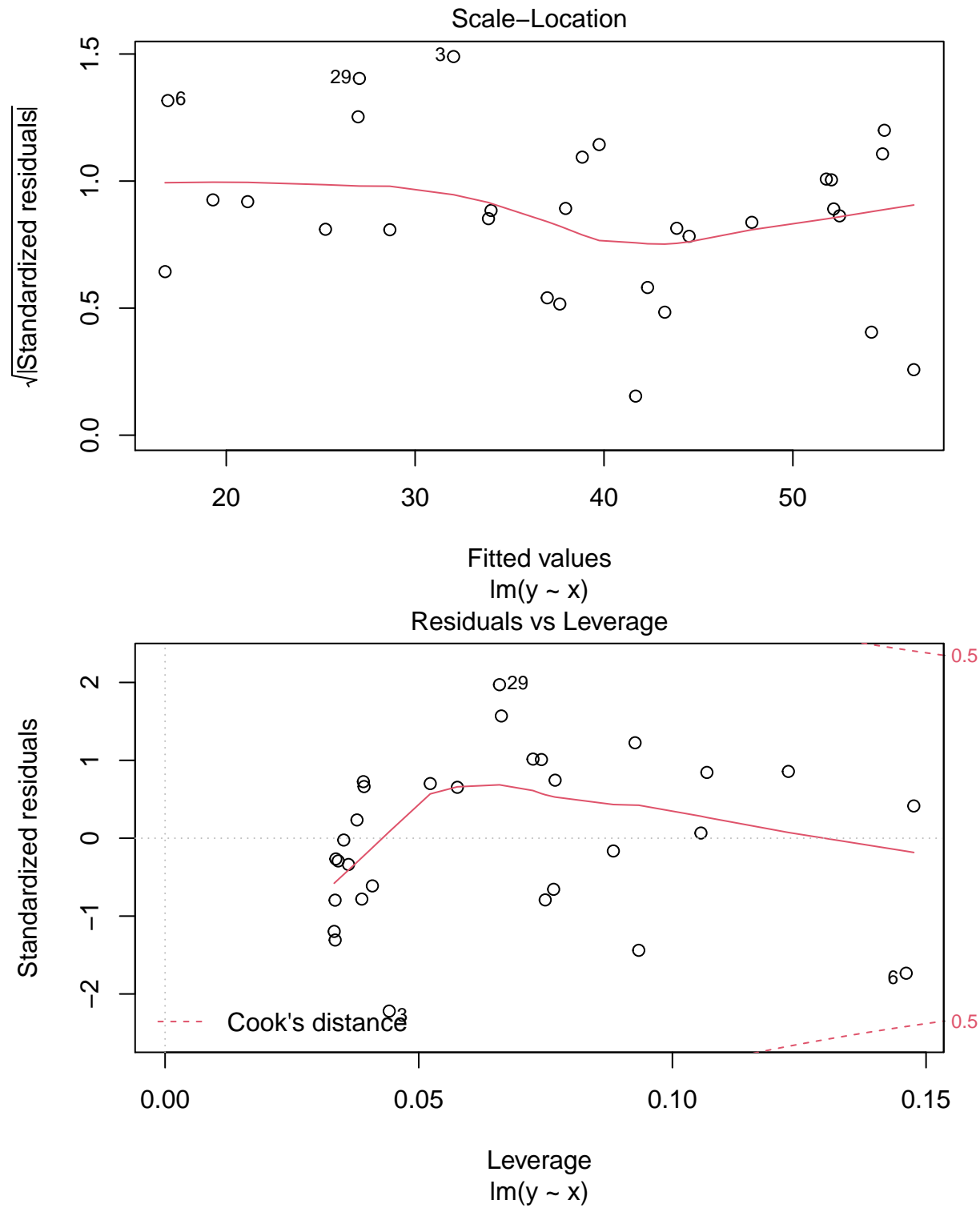


```
result<-lm(y~x)
summary(result)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = y ~ x)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -19.2864  -6.4826   0.1758   6.3506  16.9309
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  15.0097     3.6258   4.140 0.000289 ***
## x             1.6652     0.2266   7.349 5.3e-08 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 8.888 on 28 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.6586, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6464
## F-statistic: 54.01 on 1 and 28 DF, p-value: 5.296e-08
```

```
plot(result)
```





SAS

SAS Code

```
title1 'Simulated Linear Regression';
```

```

/*****
Simple Linear Regression Models
*****/

%let N = 30;                                /* size of each sample      */
%let beta_0 = 10;                           /* true y-intercept        */
%let beta_1 = 2;                             /* true slope              */
%let sigma=9;                               /* true sigma              */
data Reg1(keep=x y);
call streaminit(1);
do i = 1 to &N;
    x = 10*rand("Uniform");                 /* explanatory variable    */
    eps = rand("Normal", 0, &sigma);         /* error term N(0,sigma)   */
    y = &beta_0 + &beta_1*x + eps;
    output;
end;
run;

data reg_out; set Reg1;

proc sgplot data=reg_out;
scatter y=y x=x;
reg y=y x=x;
run;

proc reg data=Reg1 plots=FITPLOT;
    model y = x;
*   ods exclude NObs;
run;
quit;

```

SAS Output

Number of Observations Read	50
Number of Observations Used	50

Analysis of Variance					
Source	DF	Sum of Squares	Mean Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	1	1520.12331	1520.12331	88.32	<.0001
Error	48	826.17436	17.21197		
Corrected Total	49	2346.29767			

Root MSE	4.14873	R-Square	0.6479
Dependent Mean	−1.51809	Adj R-Sq	0.6405
Coeff Var	−273.28688		

Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t
Intercept	1	9.56379	1.31710	7.26	<.0001
x	1	-1.95653	0.20819	-9.40	<.0001

