

Broadway data analysis

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Executive summary

Research question

Is there a correlation between the occupancy percentage of a show and the revenue per attendant? I will be looking for causality.

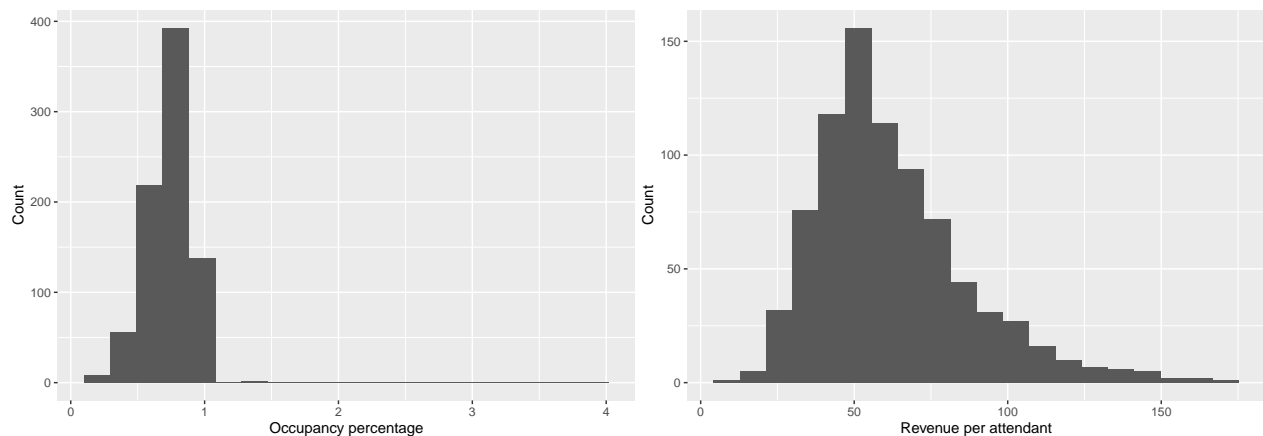
Data

The data is very complete and representative. I have removed some missing values during the cleaning process but it was a very small percentage. Further some measures were lost by switching from a time series to a cross sectional data set. However, I aggregated on the show name, which lets me keep the most amount of detail. Most of the variables are quantitative so that means they measure what they describe. I will use $\text{Revenue} / \text{Attendant}$, where Revenue is measured as the gross revenue of the show, and attendants which are measured as total number of people who attended the show.

My x variable will be Occupancy percentage (`capacity_filled`) My y variable will be $\text{Revenue} / \text{Attendant}$ which I will calculate based on revenue and attendant

There may be some measurement error in y, which is classic and doesn't affect the slope. There may be some measurement error in x which could also be classic, which does affect the slope.

Summary of variables



n	mean	median	min	max	sd
819	0.7380404	0.7463636	0.15000	3.8775	0.2051999
819	62.3321863	56.7017892	12.64152	175.1328	24.9580223

Looks like they are distributed somewhat normal, but y has a long right tail, while x has more of a left tail. Also looking at x, there are a few outliers, since a percentage should not be larger than 1. Therefore I will remove these from the set.

Ln transformations

Appendix Level- log makes the most sense

Regression Models

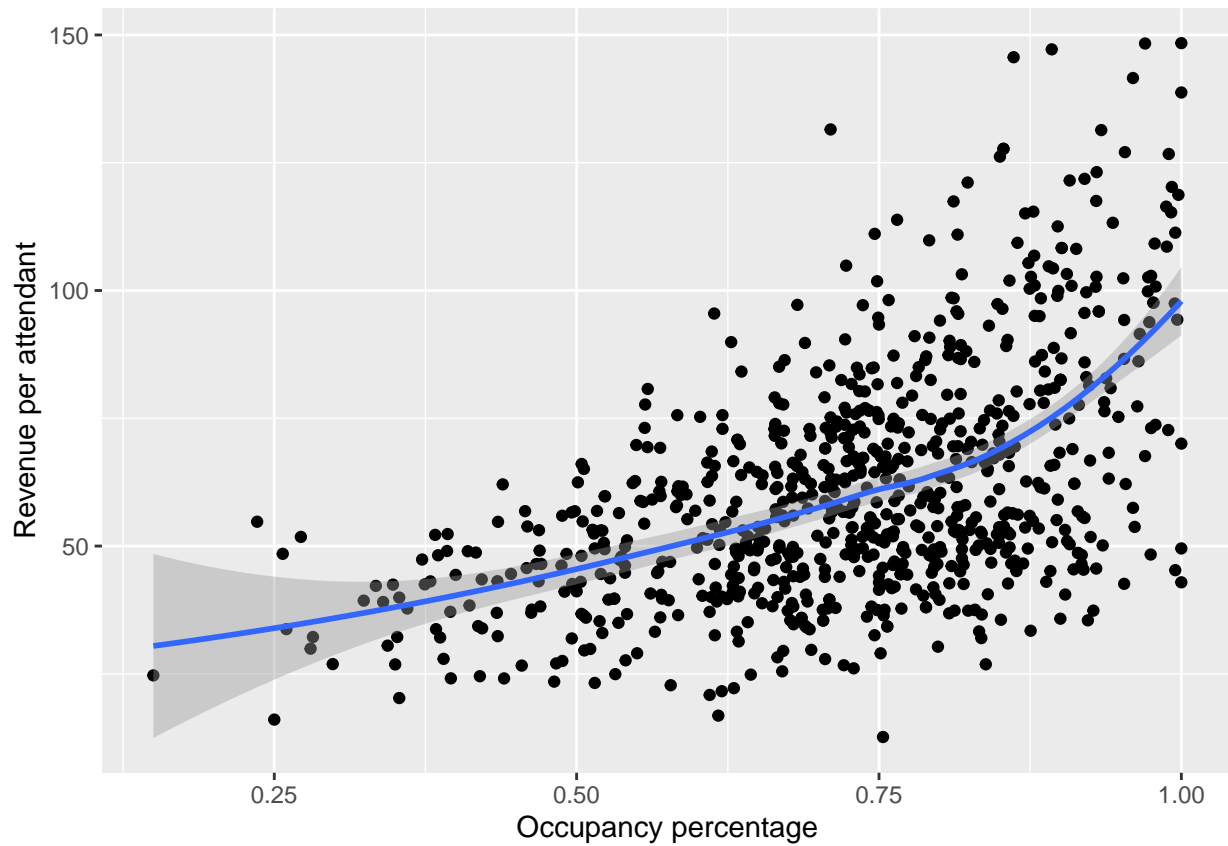
Decided on model

Appendix

Ln transformation

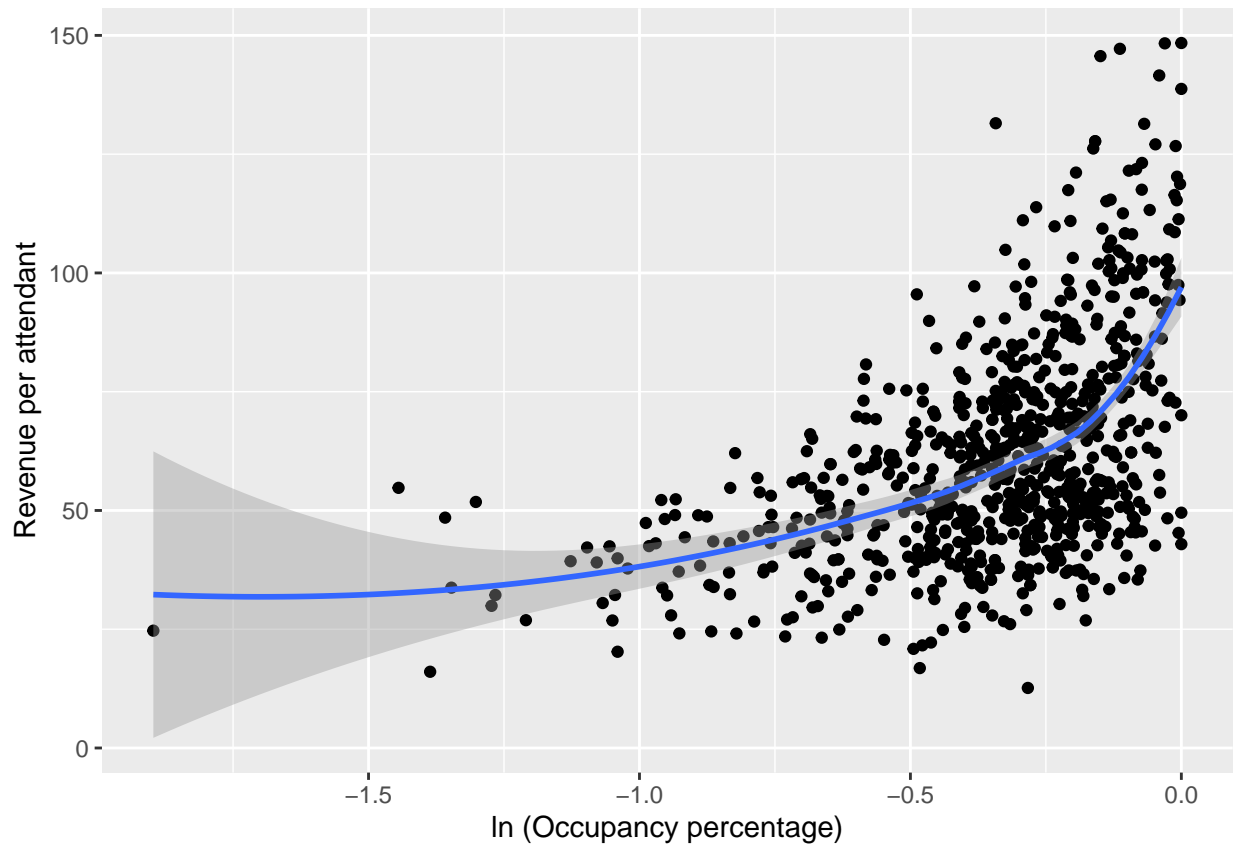
Level - level regression

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## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
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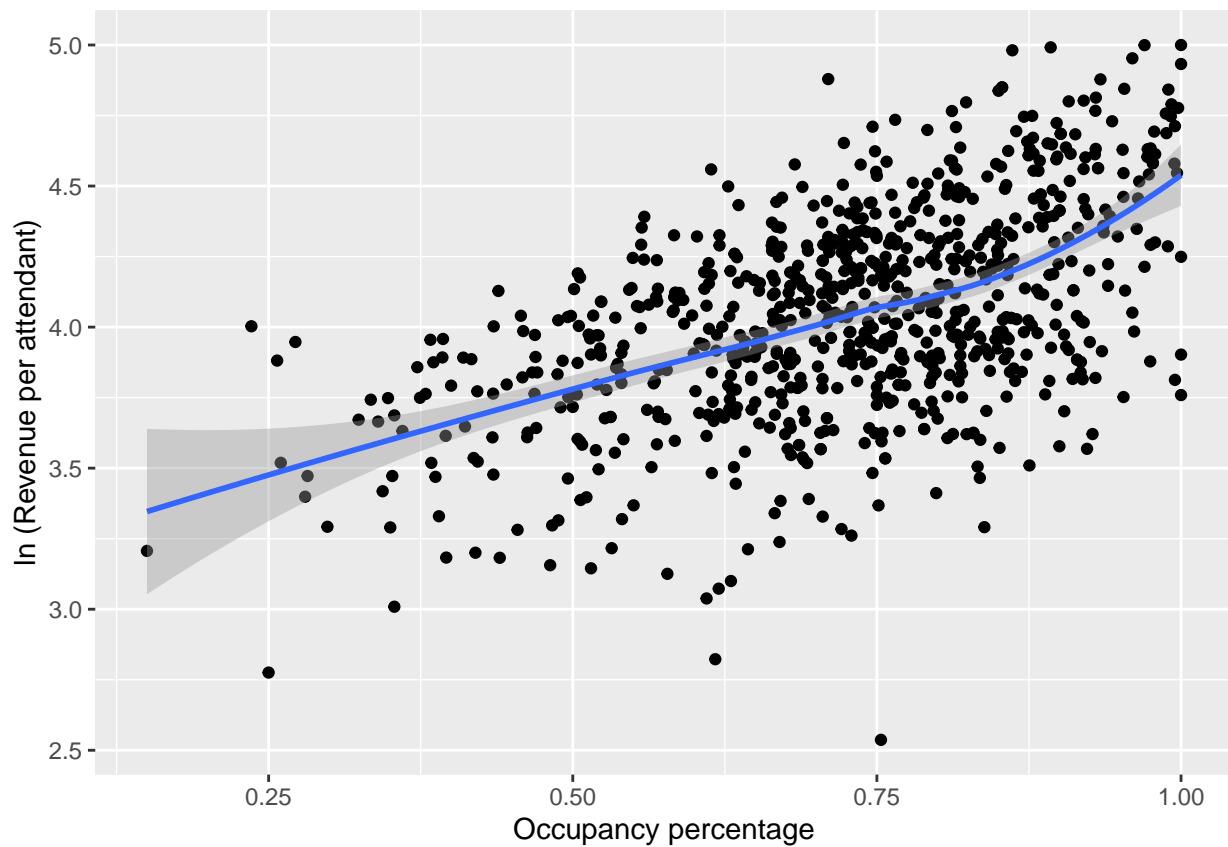
Log - level regression

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## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
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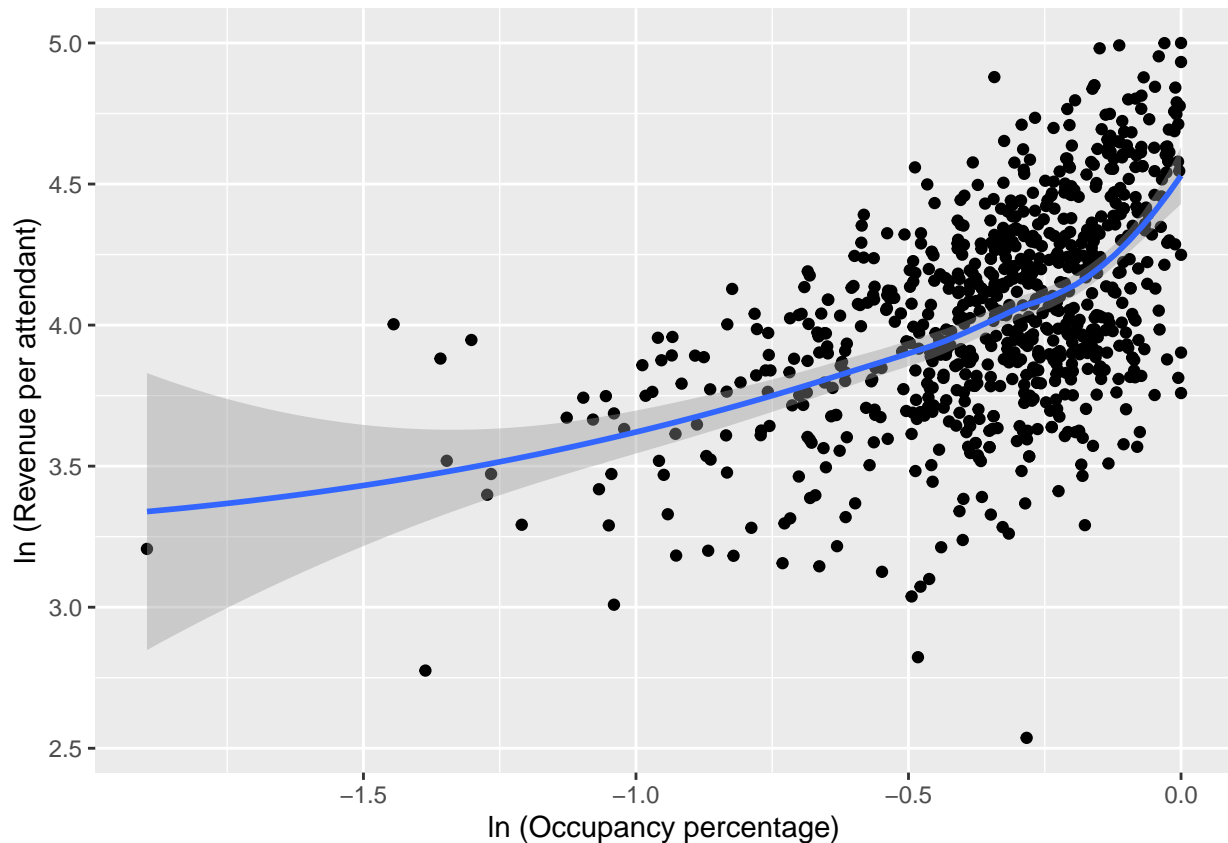
Level - log regression

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Log - log regression

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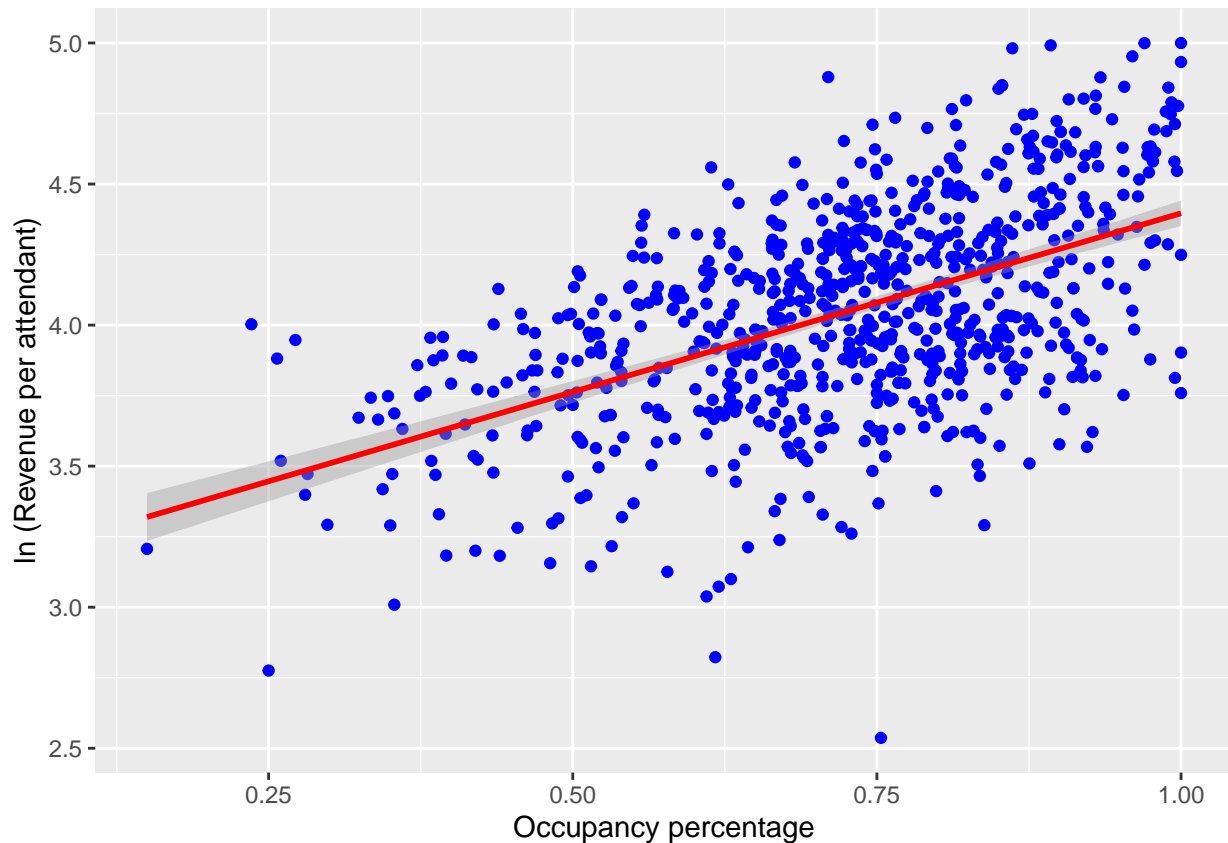


Regression modes

Regression 1 - Simple linear regression

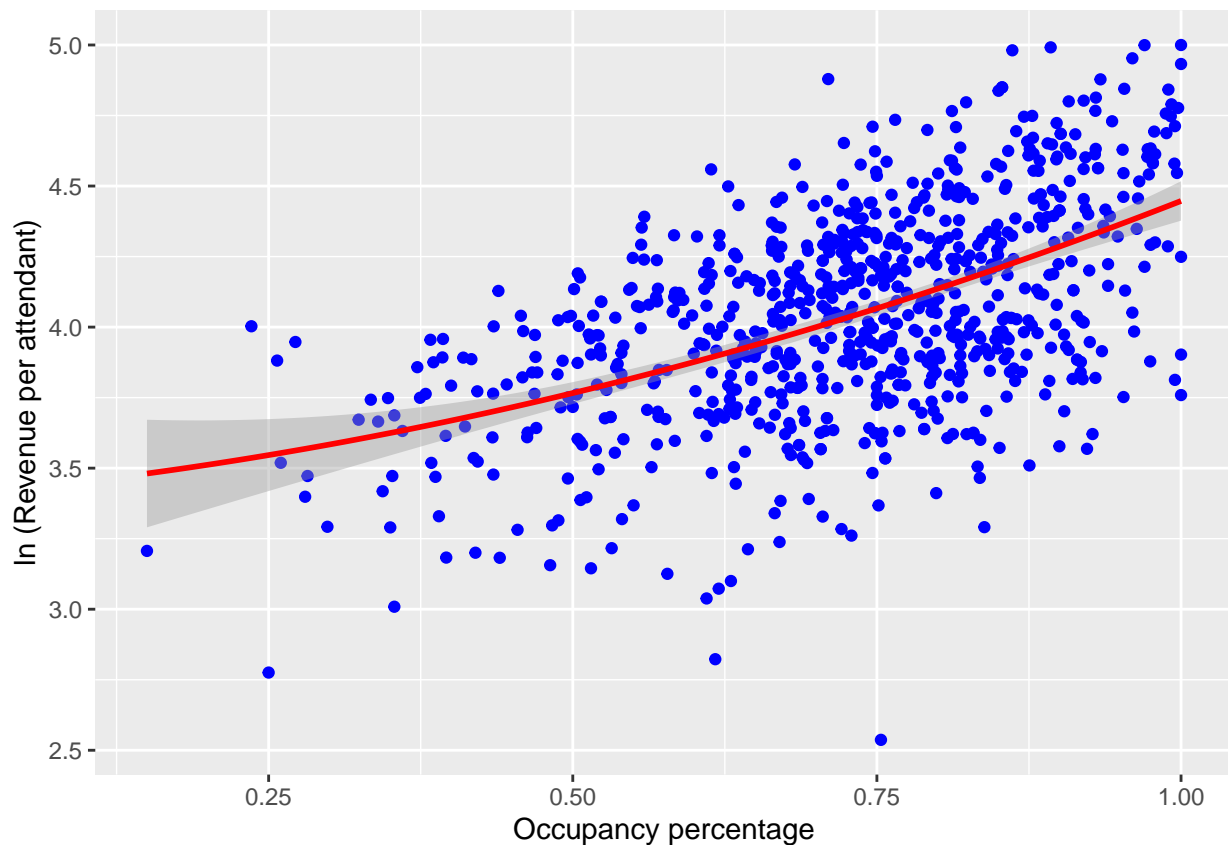
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##
## Call:
## lm_robust(formula = ln_revenue_per_att ~ capacity_filled, data = df,
##           se_type = "HC2")
##
## Standard error type: HC2
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value    Pr(>|t|) CI Lower CI Upper  DF
## (Intercept)      3.130   0.05222   59.93 1.204e-297  3.027   3.232 798
## capacity_filled    1.267   0.07224   17.54 1.769e-58   1.125   1.409 798
##
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2774 ,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.2765
## F-statistic: 307.5 on 1 and 798 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
```



Regression 2 - Quadratic (linear) regression

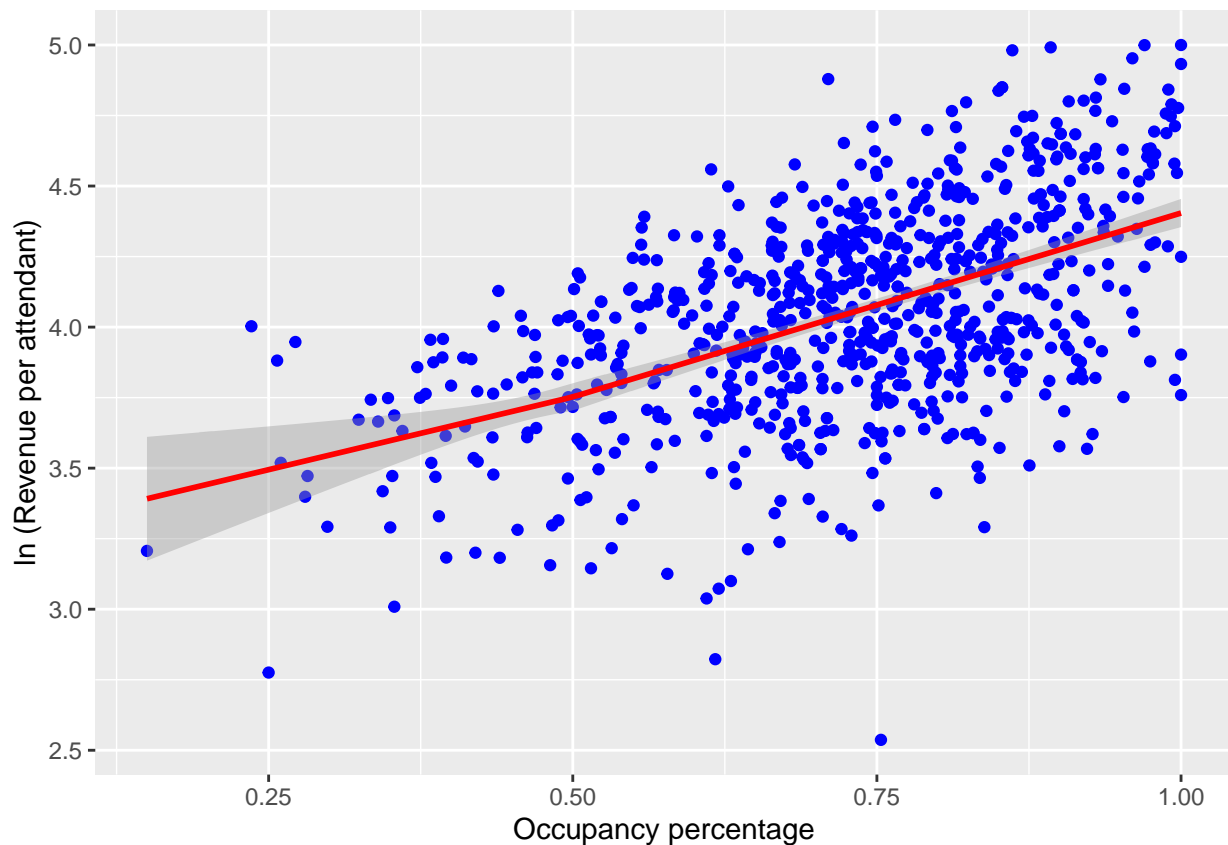
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##
## Call:
## lm_robust(formula = ln_revenue_per_att ~ capacity_filled + capacity_filled_sq,
##           data = df)
##
## Standard error type: HC2
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) CI Lower CI Upper DF
## (Intercept)      3.4069   0.1663  20.4852 2.982e-75   3.0804   3.733 797
## capacity_filled    0.3969   0.5041   0.7873 4.314e-01  -0.5927   1.387 797
## capacity_filled_sq 0.6433   0.3721   1.7289 8.422e-02  -0.0871   1.374 797
##
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2805 ,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.2787
## F-statistic: 153.8 on 2 and 797 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
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Regressipn 3 - Piecewise linear spline regression

Using 0.5 as a cutoff point

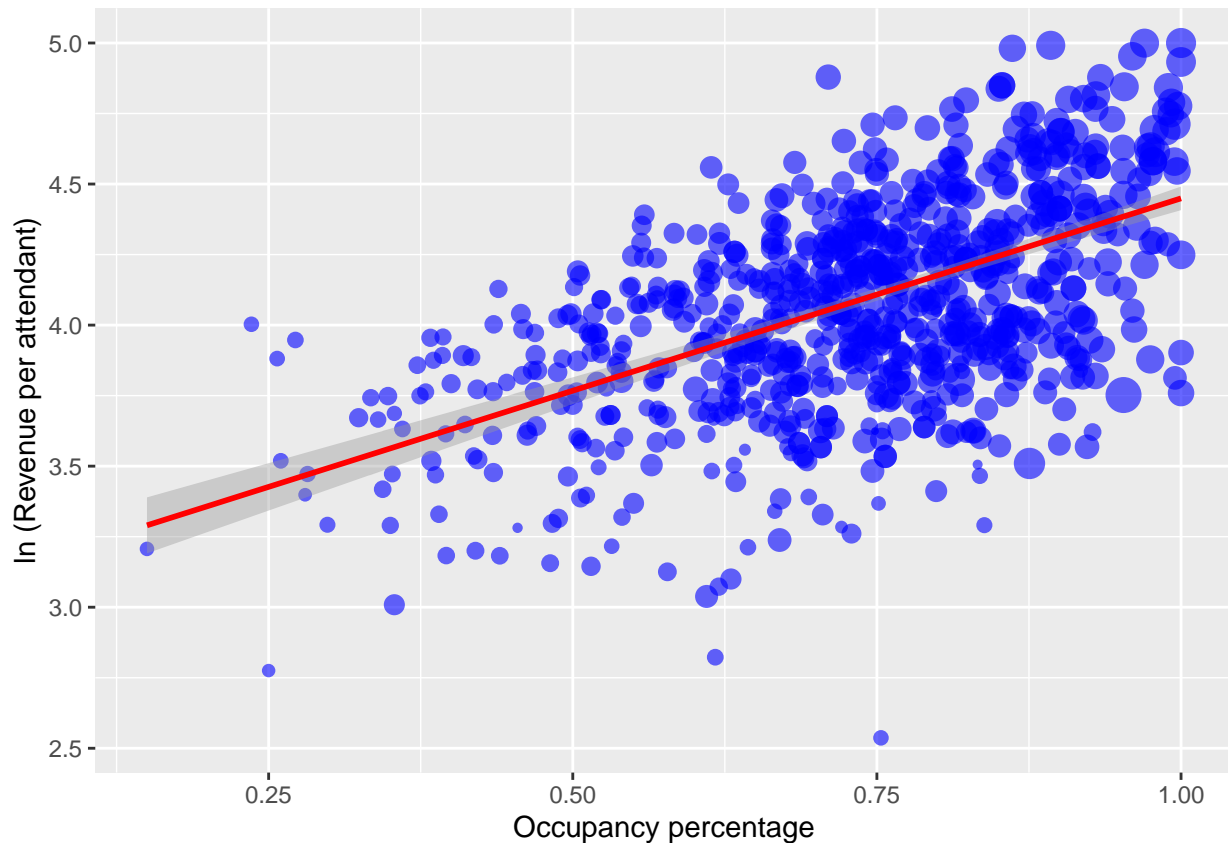
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##
## Call:
## lm_robust(formula = ln_revenue_per_att ~ lspline(capacity_filled,
##   cutoff), data = df)
##
## Standard error type: HC2
##
## Coefficients:
##               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)         3.237    0.17047   18.989 1.293e-66
## lspline(capacity_filled, cutoff)1    1.031    0.36241    2.845 4.561e-03
## lspline(capacity_filled, cutoff)2    1.304    0.09117   14.302 1.799e-41
##               CI Lower CI Upper  DF
## (Intercept)         2.9023    3.572 797
## lspline(capacity_filled, cutoff)1    0.3195    1.742 797
## lspline(capacity_filled, cutoff)2    1.1250    1.483 797
##
## Multiple R-squared:  0.2779 ,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.2761
## F-statistic: 153.1 on 2 and 797 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Regression 4 - Weighted linear regression, where weights = percentage of total revenue

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##
## Call:
## lm_robust(formula = ln_revenue_per_att ~ capacity_filled, data = df,
##           weights = percentage_of_poss_profit)
##
## Weighted, Standard error type: HC2
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value    Pr(>|t|) CI Lower CI Upper  DF
## (Intercept)      3.086    0.06155   50.13 8.467e-249   2.965    3.206  798
## capacity_filled    1.364    0.08552   15.94 6.827e-50    1.196    1.531  798
##
## Multiple R-squared:  0.27 , Adjusted R-squared:  0.2691
## F-statistic: 254.2 on 1 and 798 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

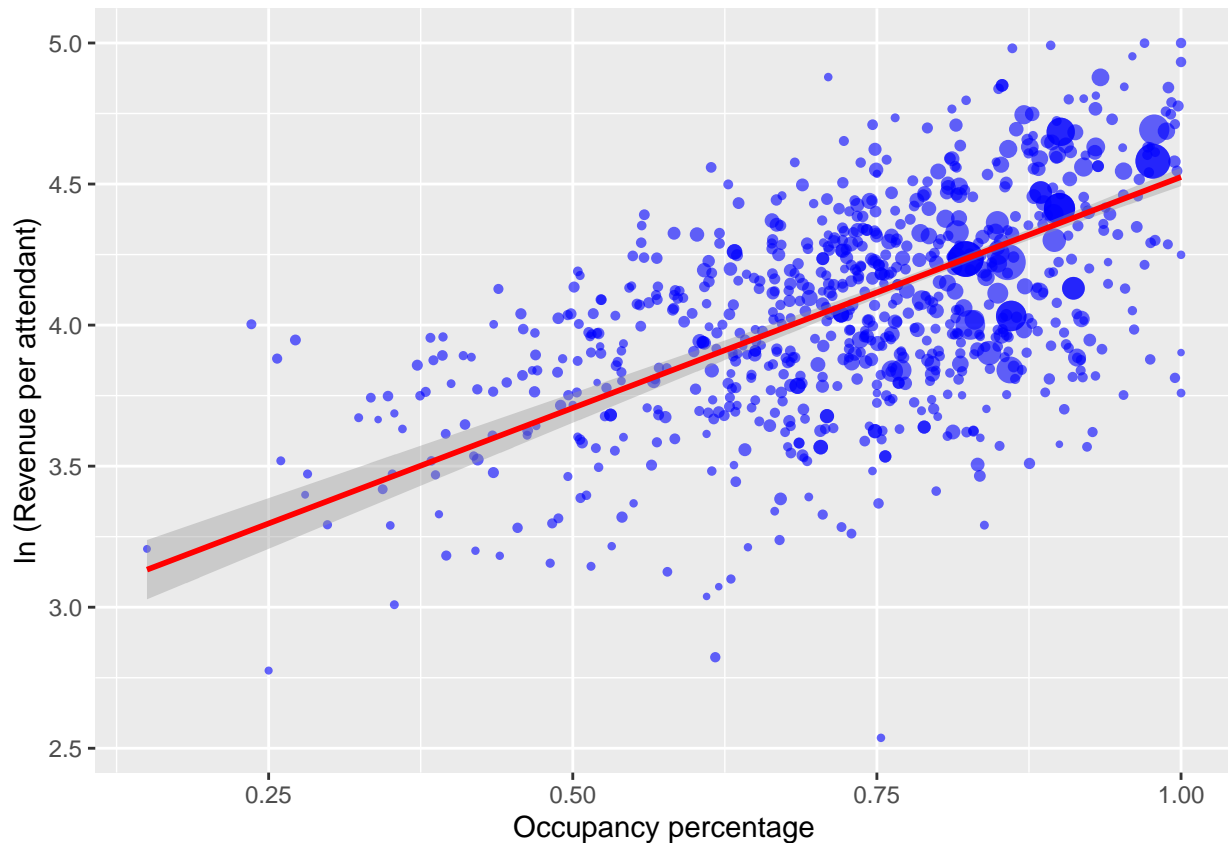
## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
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Regression 5 - Weighted linear regression, where weights = number of performances

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##
## Call:
## lm_robust(formula = ln_revenue_per_att ~ capacity_filled, data = df,
##           weights = percentage_of_poss_profit)
##
## Weighted, Standard error type: HC2
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value   Pr(>|t|) CI Lower CI Upper  DF
## (Intercept)      3.086    0.06155   50.13 8.467e-249   2.965    3.206  798
## capacity_filled    1.364    0.08552   15.94 6.827e-50    1.196    1.531  798
##
## Multiple R-squared:  0.27 , Adjusted R-squared:  0.2691
## F-statistic: 254.2 on 1 and 798 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16

## 'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'
```



Model Comparison

The table was written to the file '/Users/Terez/OneDrive - Central European University/Data_Analysis/

Additional models

Check if it becomes better if one of the weights are included as variables

##		Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
##	(Intercept)	3.2974654	0.05251182	62.794729	8.277772e-311
##	capacity_filled	0.4541116	0.13818230	3.286323	1.059449e-03
##	percentage_of_poss_profit	0.8029153	0.13674243	5.871735	6.327487e-09
##		CI Lower	CI Upper	DF	
##	(Intercept)	3.1943876	3.4005432	797	
##	capacity_filled	0.1828674	0.7253558	797	
##	percentage_of_poss_profit	0.5344974	1.0713331	797	

##		Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
##	(Intercept)	3.146160e+00	5.31544e-02	59.189079	5.962882e-294
##	capacity_filled	1.231951e+00	7.51325e-02	16.397051	2.758387e-52
##	num_of_performances	2.524265e-05	8.16892e-06	3.090084	2.070540e-03
##		CI Lower	CI Upper	DF	
##	(Intercept)	3.041821e+00	3.250499e+00	797	
##	capacity_filled	1.084470e+00	1.379432e+00	797	

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## num_of_performances 9.207510e-06 4.127779e-05 797
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##               Estimate   Std. Error   t value    Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      3.305862e+00 5.267845e-02 62.755496 2.016309e-310
## capacity_filled  4.410309e-01 1.359712e-01  3.243561 1.229678e-03
## percentage_of_poss_profit 7.948636e-01 1.371687e-01  5.794790 9.853049e-09
## num_of_performances 1.537681e-05 6.579297e-06  2.337150 1.967842e-02
##               CI Lower    CI Upper   DF
## (Intercept)      3.202457e+00 3.409267e+00 796
## capacity_filled  1.741264e-01 7.079354e-01 796
## percentage_of_poss_profit 5.256085e-01 1.064119e+00 796
## num_of_performances 2.461984e-06 2.829163e-05 796
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Explore again

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