Generalised Linear Models: Logistic regression

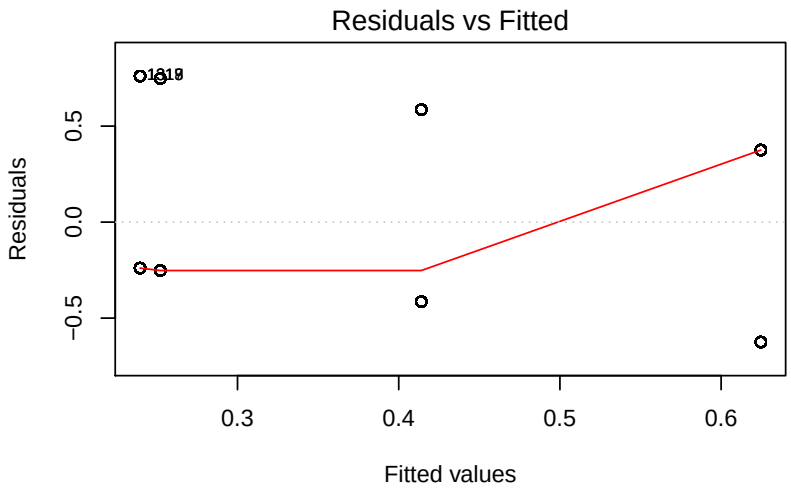
Q: Survival of passengers on the Titanic ~ Class

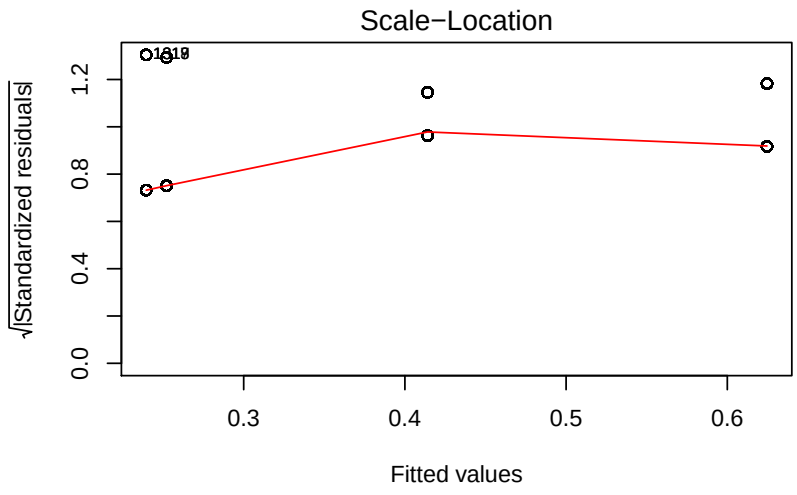
Read `titanic_long.csv` dataset.

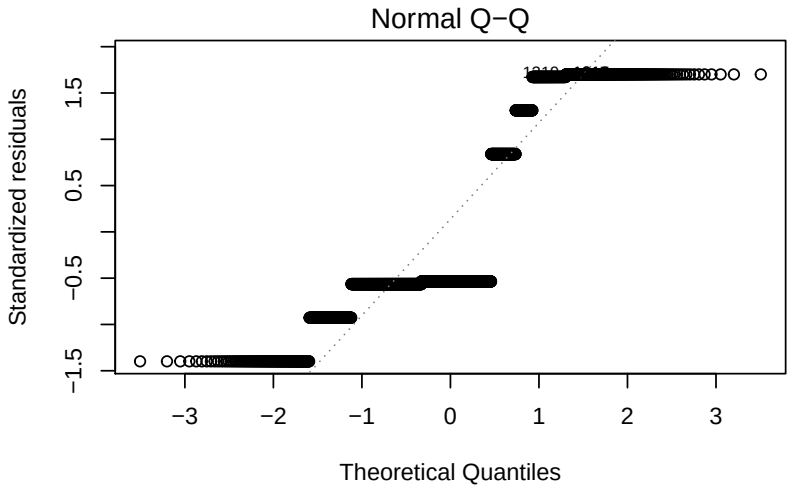
```
  class   age  sex survived
1 first adult male        1
2 first adult male        1
3 first adult male        1
4 first adult male        1
5 first adult male        1
6 first adult male        1
```

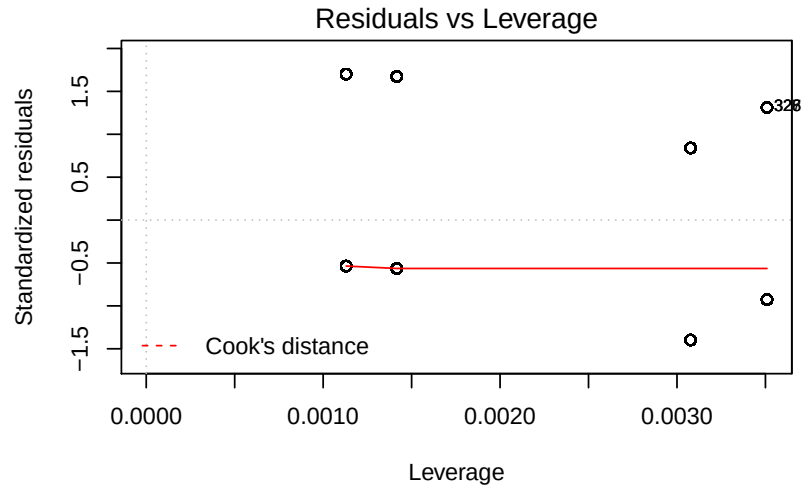
Let's fit linear model:

```
m5 <- lm(survived ~ class, data = titanic)
```









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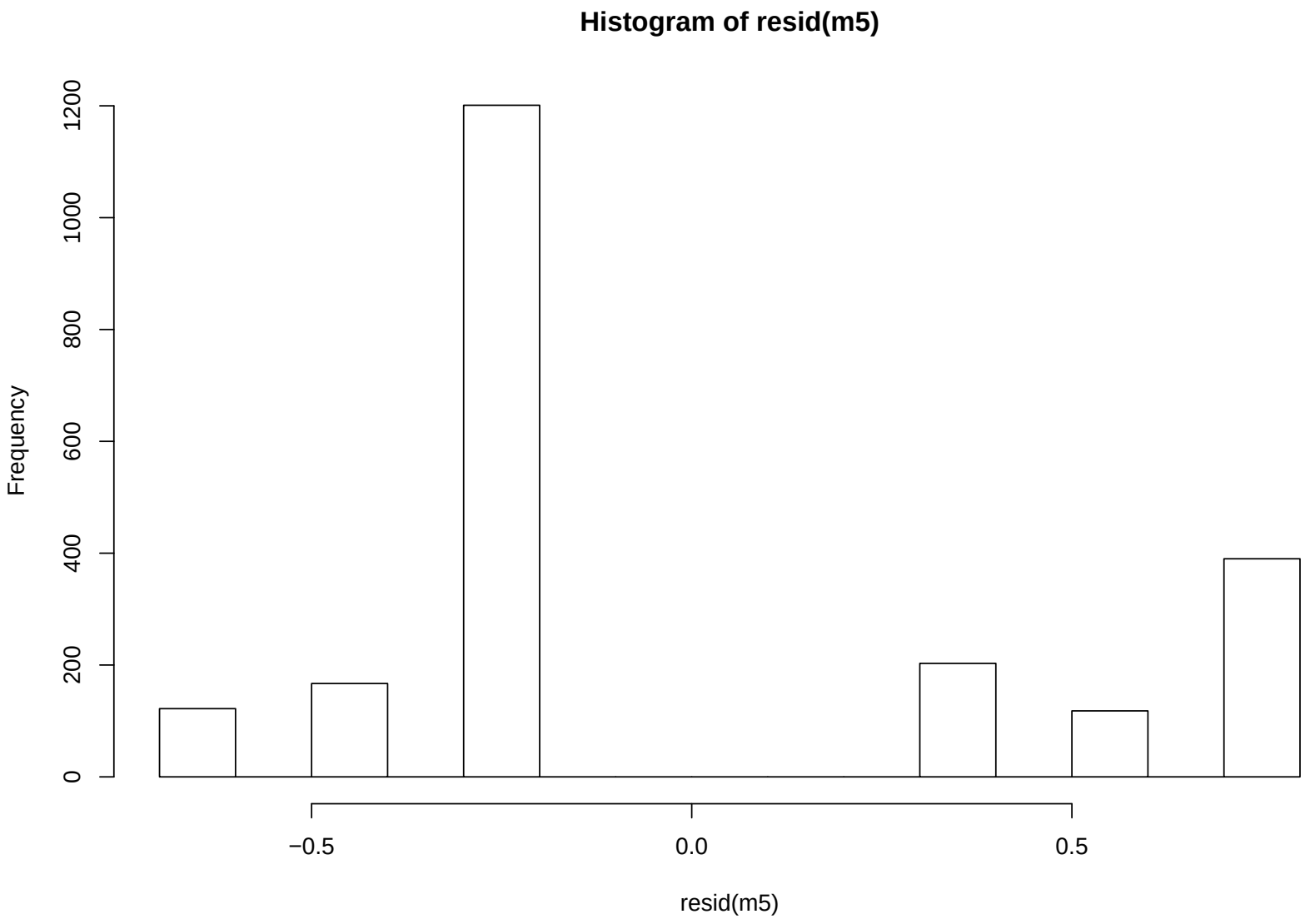

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The modelling process

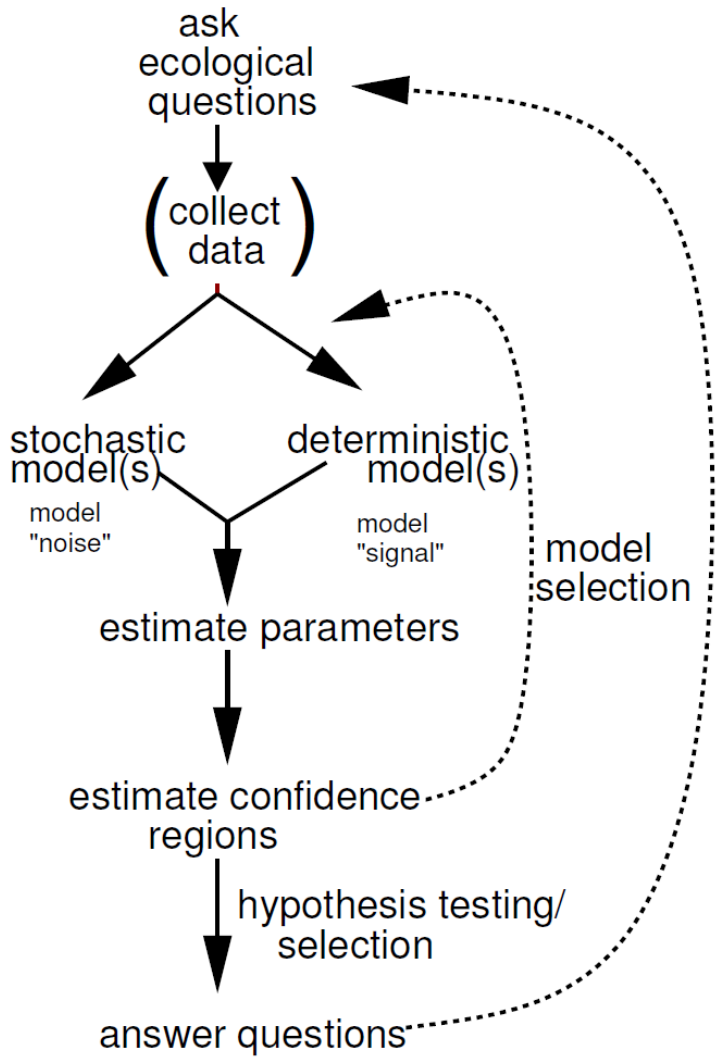

Figure 1.5 Flow of the modeling process.

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Back to survival of Titanic passengers

How many survived in each class?

```
table(titanic$class, titanic$survived)
```

```
          0   1
  crew   673 212
  first  122 203
  second 167 118
  third  528 178
```

Back to survival of Titanic passengers (dplyr)

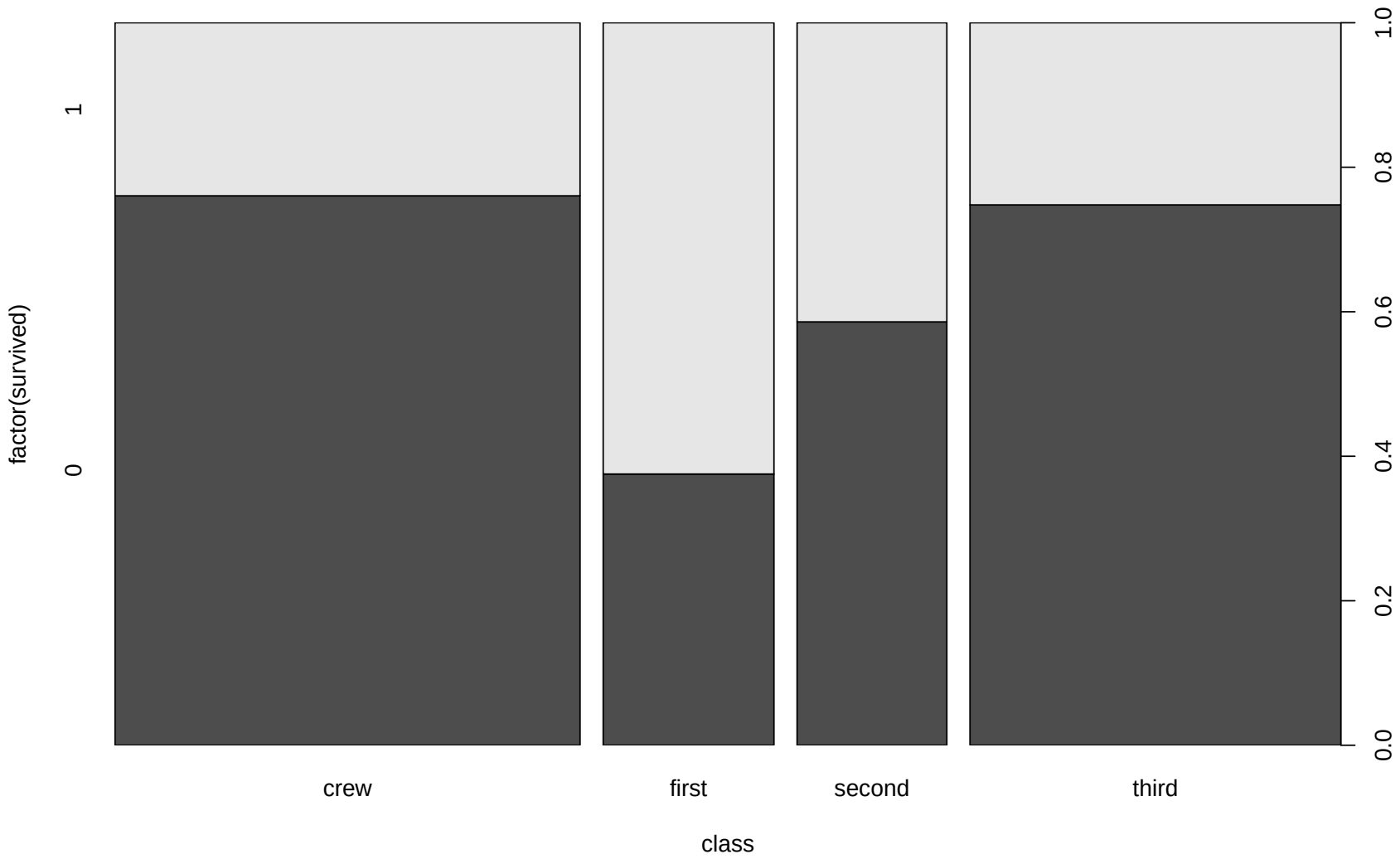
Passenger survival according to class

```
titanic %>%
  group_by(class, survived) %>%
  summarise(count = n())
```

```
# A tibble: 8 x 3
# Groups:   class [?]
  class  survived count
  <fct>     <int> <int>
1 crew          0   673
2 crew          1   212
3 first         0   122
4 first         1   203
5 second        0   167
6 second        1   118
7 third         0   528
8 third         1   178
```

Or graphically...

```
plot(factor(survived) ~ class, data = titanic)
```



Fitting GLMs in R: `glm`

```
tit.glm <- glm(survived ~ class, data = titanic, family = binomial(link = "logit"))
```

which corresponds to

$$logit(Pr(survival)_i) = a + b \cdot class_i$$
$$logit(Pr(survival)_i) = a + b_{first} + c_{second} + d_{third}$$

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```
Call:
glm(formula = survived ~ class, family = binomial(link = "logit"),
    data = titanic)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.3999  -0.7623  -0.7401   0.9702   1.6906

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept) -1.15516    0.07876 -14.667  < 2e-16 ***
classfirst   1.66434    0.13902  11.972  < 2e-16 ***
classsecond  0.80785    0.14375   5.620 1.91e-08 ***
classthird   0.06785    0.11711   0.579    0.562
---
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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

    Null deviance: 2769.5  on 2200  degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 2588.6  on 2197  degrees of freedom
AIC: 2596.6

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

These estimates are in logit scale!

Interpreting logistic regression output

Parameter estimates (logit-scale)

```
(Intercept)  classfirst classsecond  classthird
-1.15515905  1.66434399  0.80784987  0.06784632
```

We need to back-transform: apply *inverse logit*
Crew probability of survival:

```
plogis(coef(tit.glm)[1])
```

```
(Intercept)
   0.239548
```

Looking at the data, the proportion of crew who survived is

```
[1] 0.239548
```

Q: Probability of survival for 1st class passengers?

```
plogis(coef(tit.glm)[1] + coef(tit.glm)[2])
```

```
(Intercept)
  0.6246154
```

Needs to add intercept (baseline) to the parameter estimate. Again this value matches the data:

```
sum(titanic$survived[titanic$class == "first"]) /
  nrow(titanic[titanic$class == "first", ])
```

```
[1] 0.6246154
```

Model interpretation using `effects` package

```
library(effects)
allEffects(tit.glm)
```

```
 model: survived ~ class

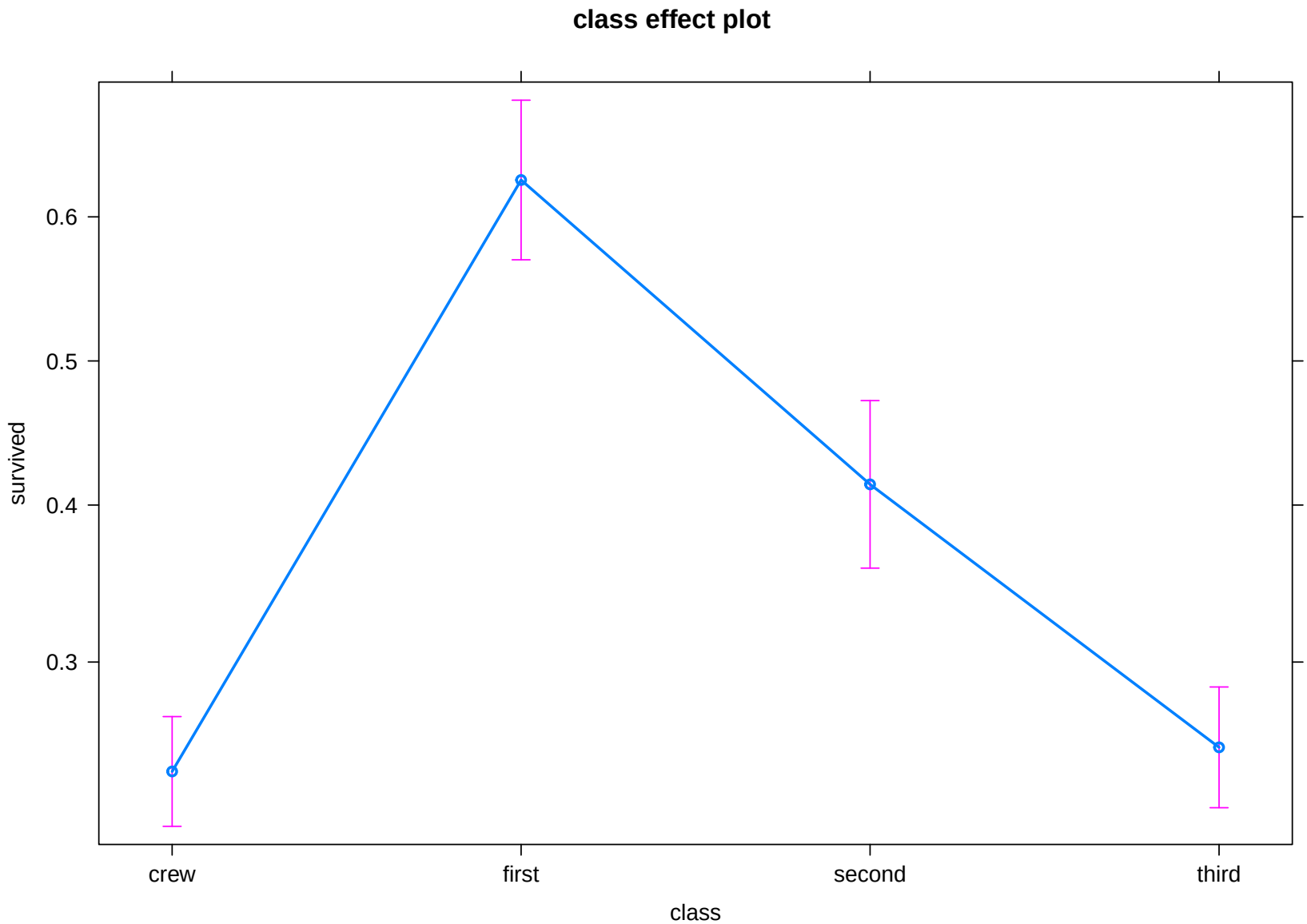
 class effect
class
     crew      first     second      third
0.2395480 0.6246154 0.4140351 0.2521246
```

Presenting model results

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)	-1.16	0.08	-14.67	0.00
classfirst	1.66	0.14	11.97	0.00
classsecond	0.81	0.14	5.62	0.00
classthird	0.07	0.12	0.58	0.56

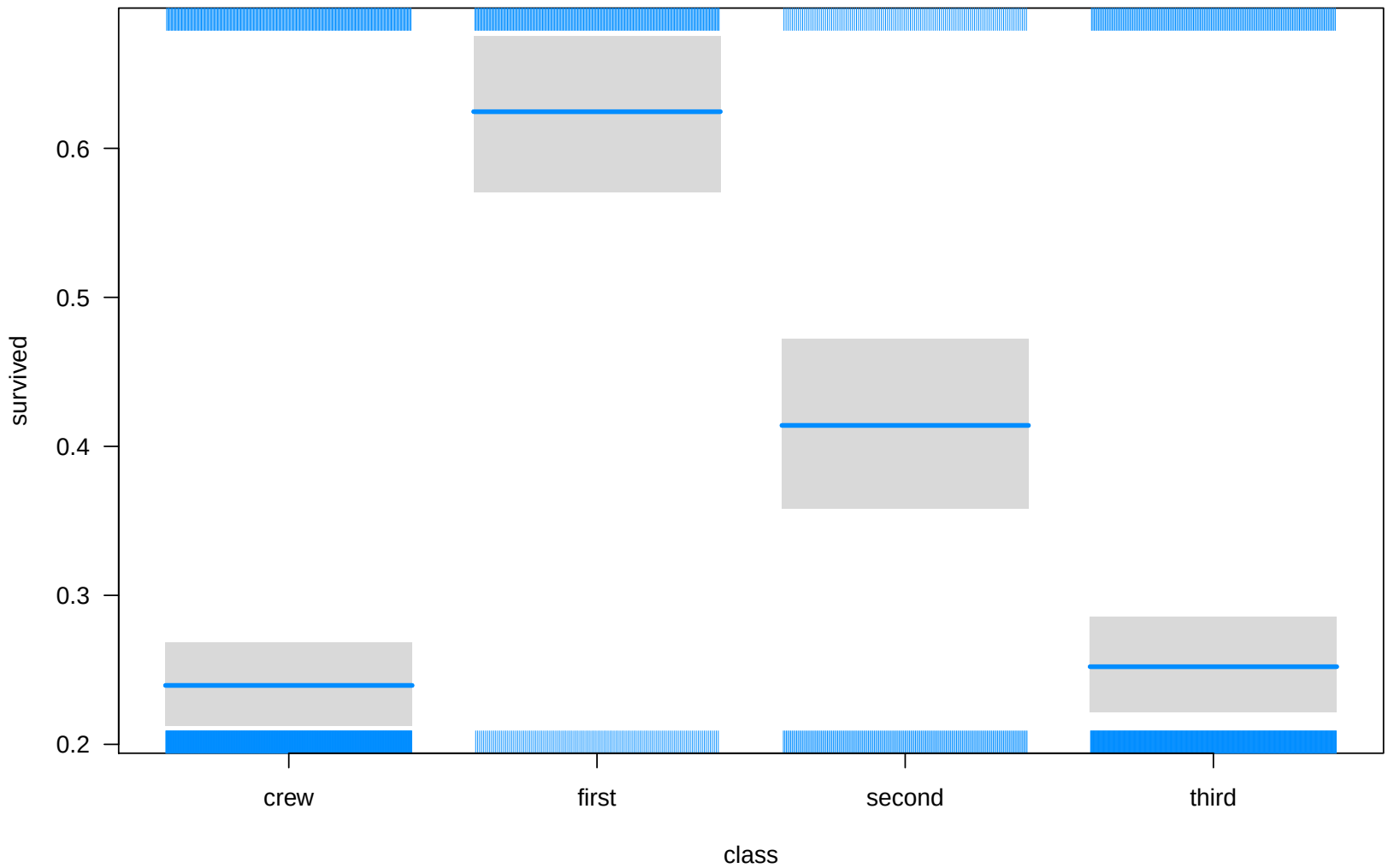
Visualising model: `effects` package

```
plot(allEffects(tit.glm))
```



Visualising model: `visreg` package

```
visreg(tit.glm, scale = "response")
```



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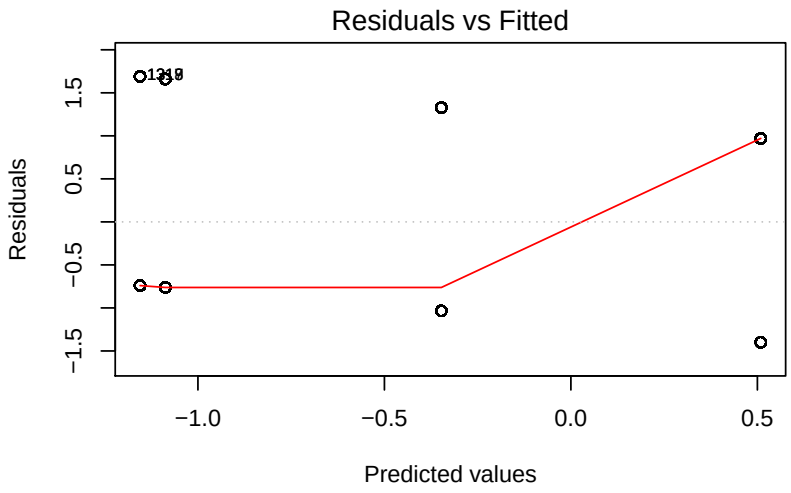
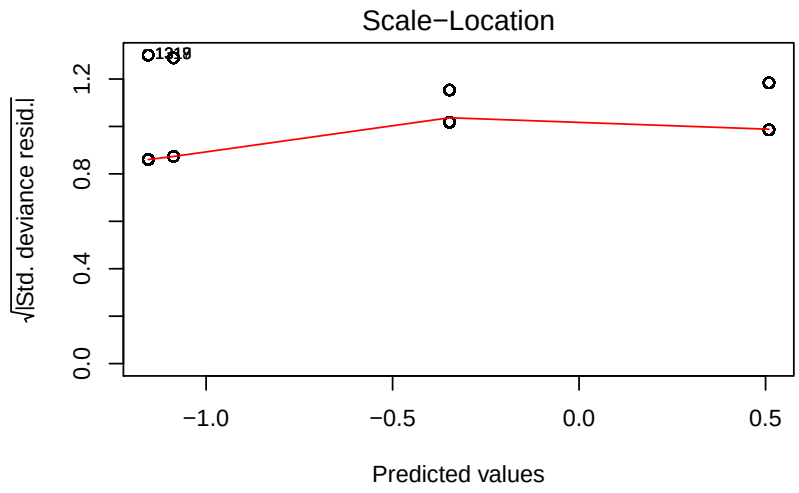
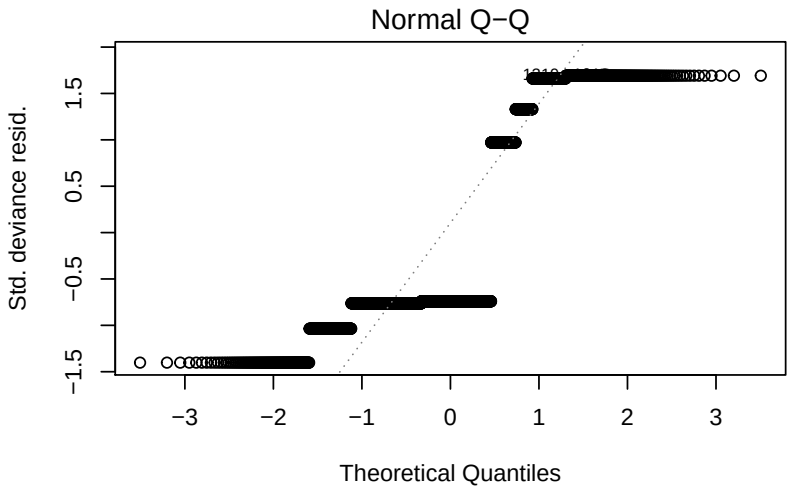
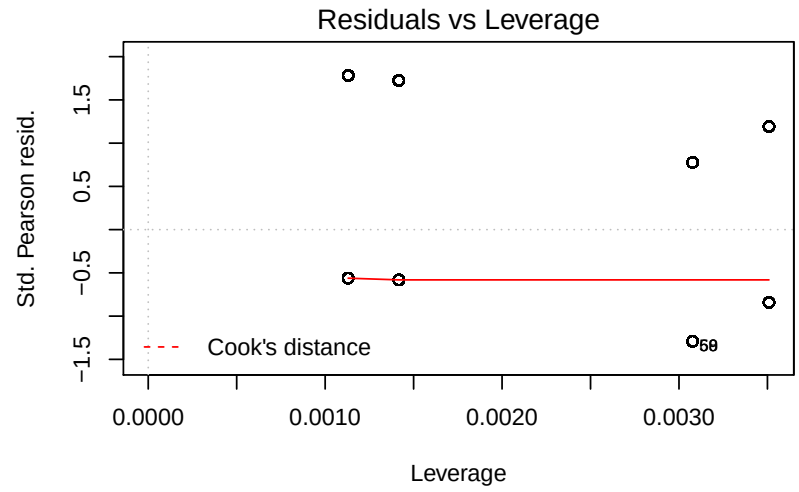




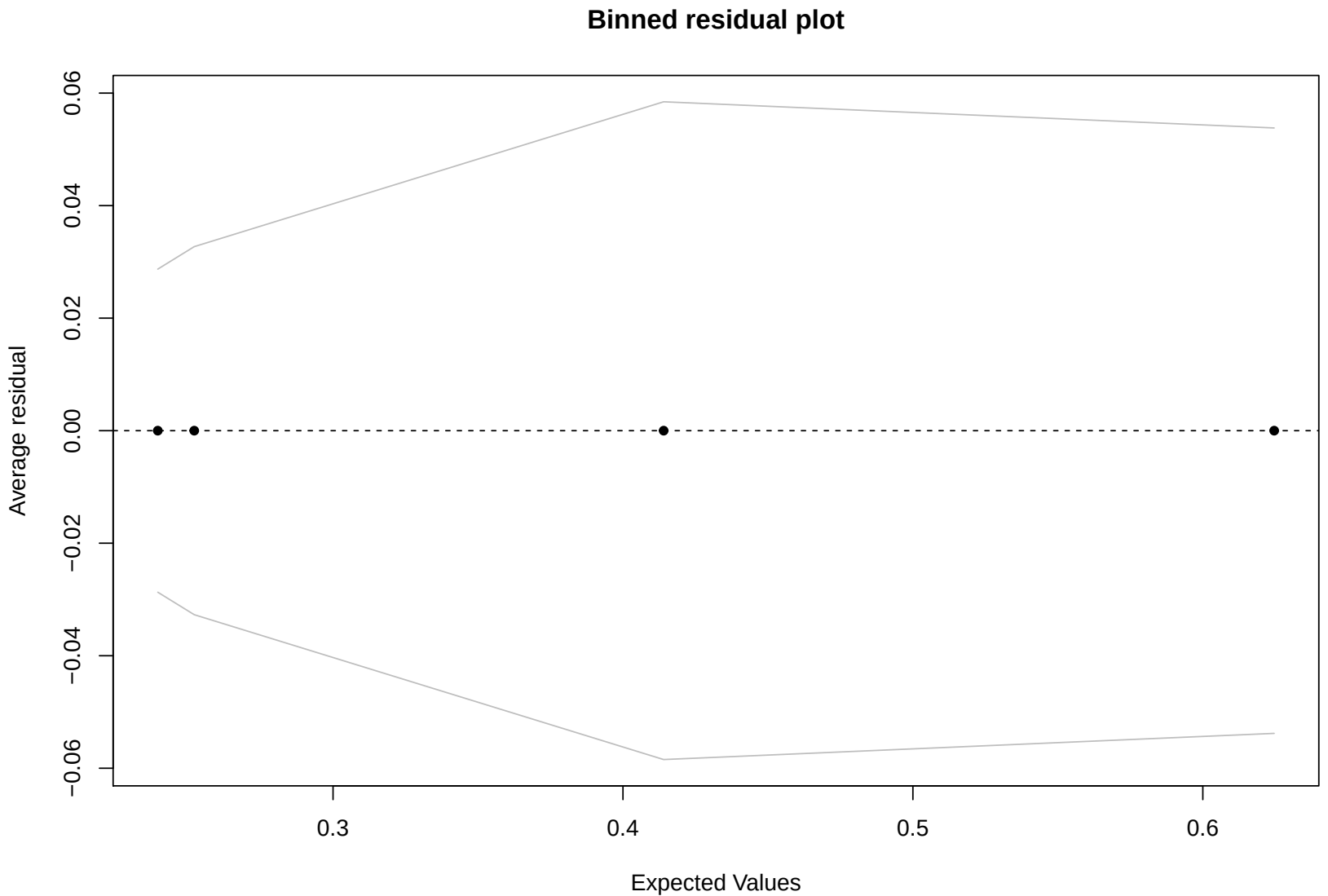





```
null device
          1
```

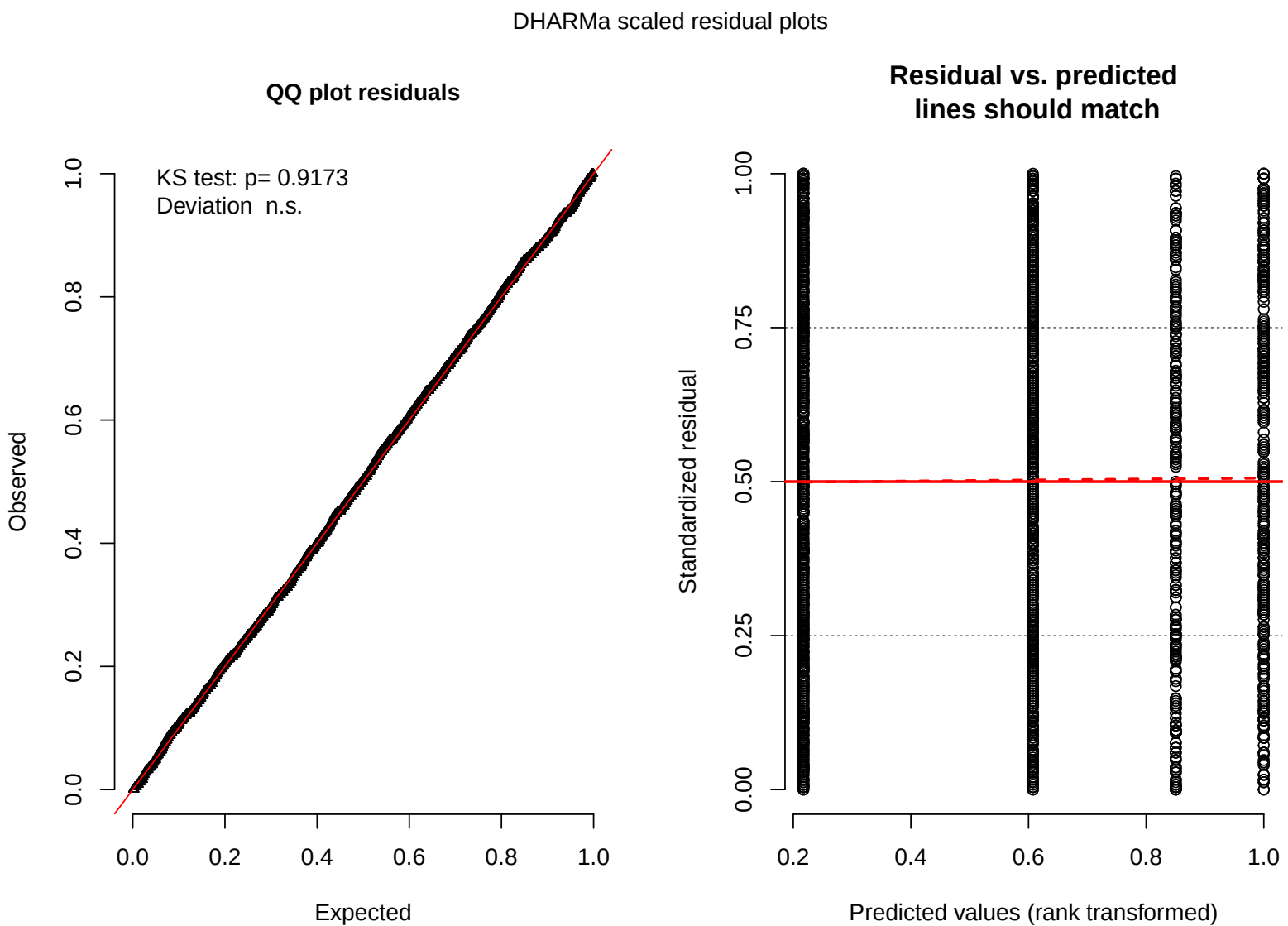
Binned residual plots for logistic regression

```
predvals <- predict(tit.glm, type="response")
arm::binnedplot(predvals, titanic$survived - predvals)
```



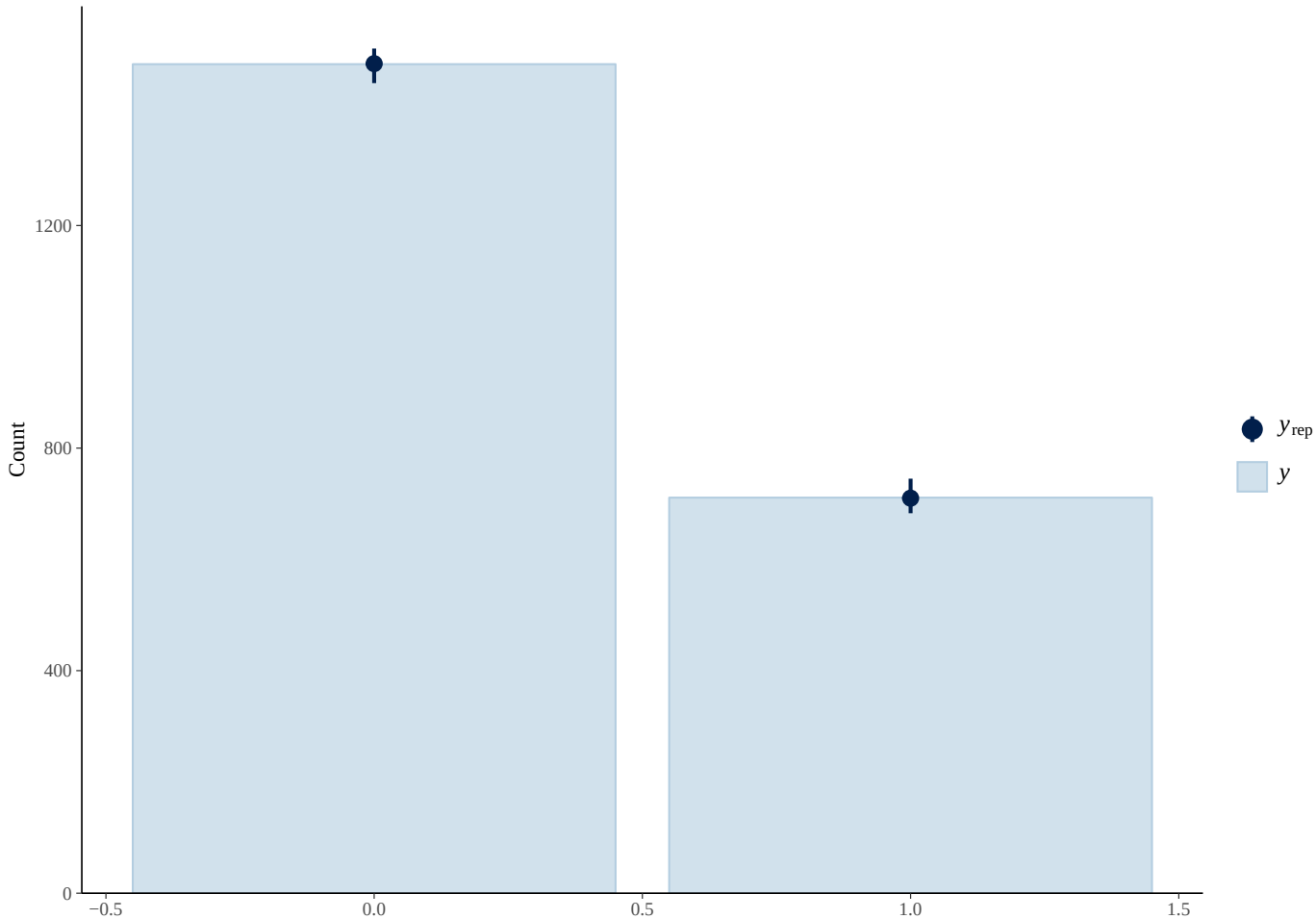
Residual diagnostics with DHARMa

```
library(DHARMa)
simulateResiduals(tit.glm, plot = TRUE)
```



Model checking with simulated data

```
library(bayesplot)
sims <- simulate(tit.glm, nsim = 100)
ppc_bars(titanic$survived, yrep = t(as.matrix(sims)))
```



Pseudo R-squared for GLMs

```
library(sjstats)
r2(tit.glm)
```

```
R-Squared for Generalized Linear Mixed Model

Cox & Snell's R-squared: 0.079
 Nagelkerke's R-squared: 0.110
```

But many caveats apply! (e.g. see here and here)

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Q: Did men have higher survival than women?

Plot first

```
plot(factor(survived) ~ sex, data = titanic)
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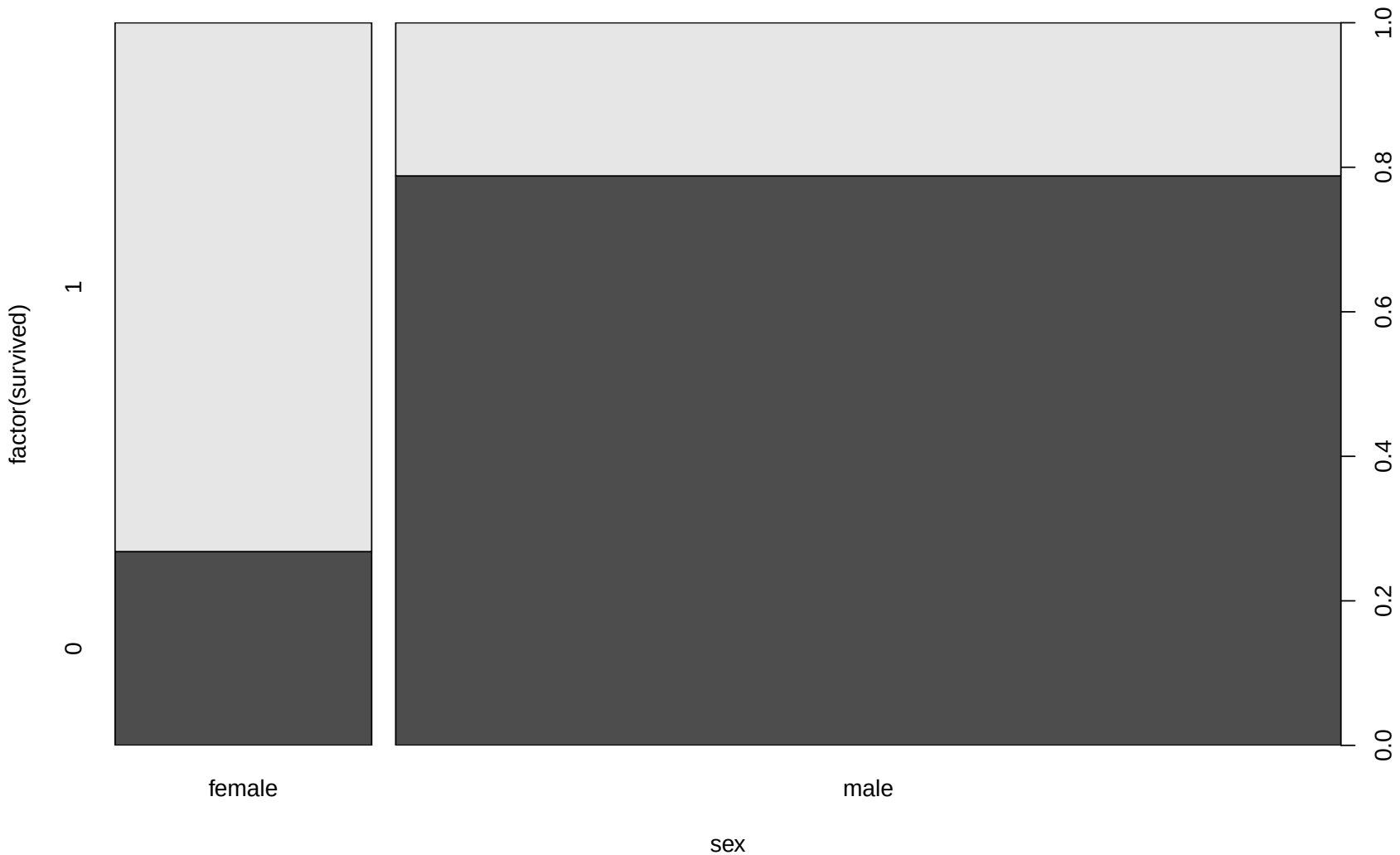

Fit model

```
Call:
glm(formula = survived ~ sex, family = binomial(link = "logit"),
    data = titanic)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.6226  -0.6903  -0.6903   0.7901   1.7613

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)   1.0044     0.1041   9.645   <2e-16 ***
sexmale      -2.3172     0.1196 -19.376   <2e-16 ***
---
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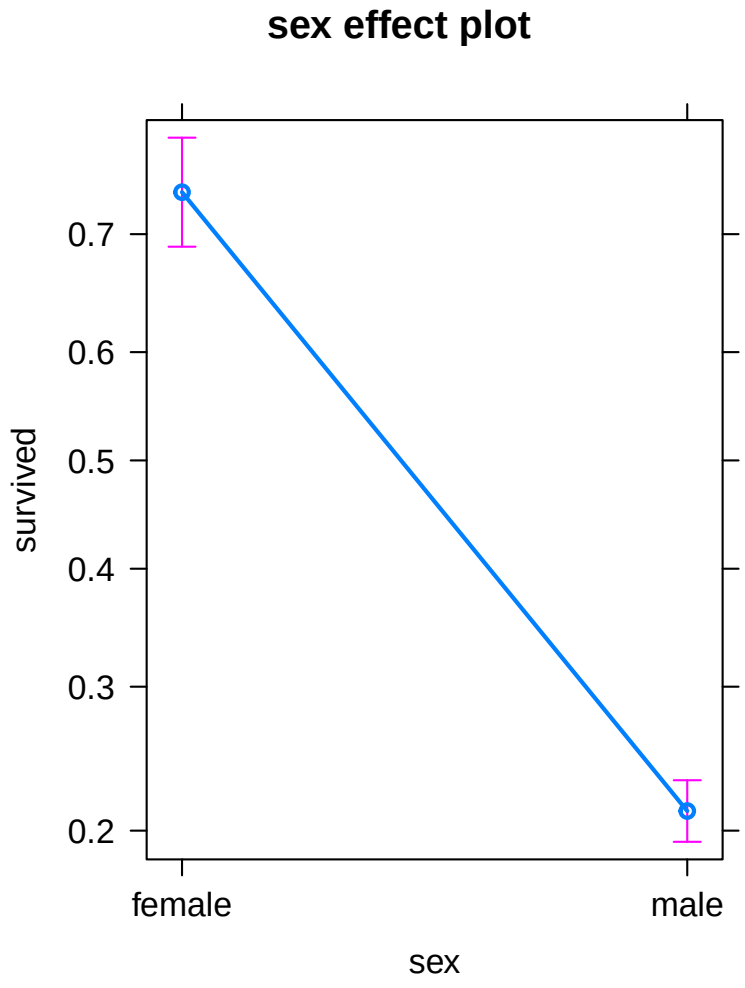
    Null deviance: 2769.5  on 2200  degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 2335.0  on 2199  degrees of freedom
```

Effects

```
 model: survived ~ sex

 sex effect
sex
   female      male
0.7319149 0.2120162
```



Q: Did women have higher survival because they travelled more in first class?

Let's look at the data

```
table(titanic$class, titanic$survived, titanic$sex)
```

```
, ,  = female


          0   1
  crew    3  20
  first   4 141
  second 13  93
  third 106  90

, ,  = male


          0   1
  crew  670 192
  first 118  62
  second 154  25
  third 422  88
```

Mmmm...

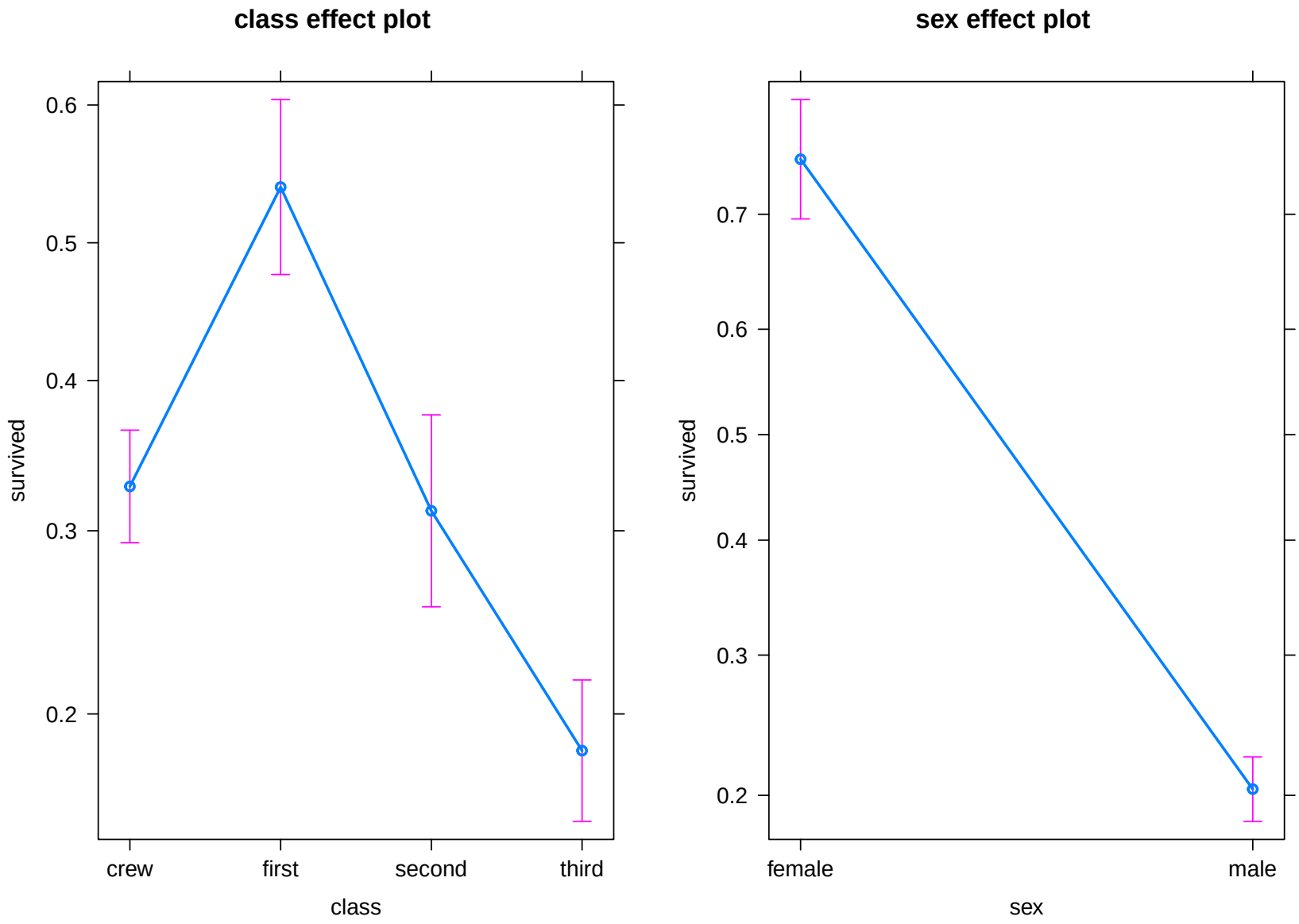
Fit additive model with both factors

```
tit.sex.class <- glm(survived ~ class + sex, data = titanic, fam
```

```
glm(formula = survived ~ class + sex, family = binomial, data =
             coef.est coef.se
(Intercept)  1.19     0.16
classfirst   0.88     0.16
classsecond -0.07     0.17
classthird  -0.78     0.14
sexmale     -2.42     0.14
---
  n = 2201, k = 5
  residual deviance = 2228.9, null deviance = 2769.5 (difference
```

Plot additive model

```
plot(allEffects(tit.sex.class))
```



Fit model with both factors (interactions)

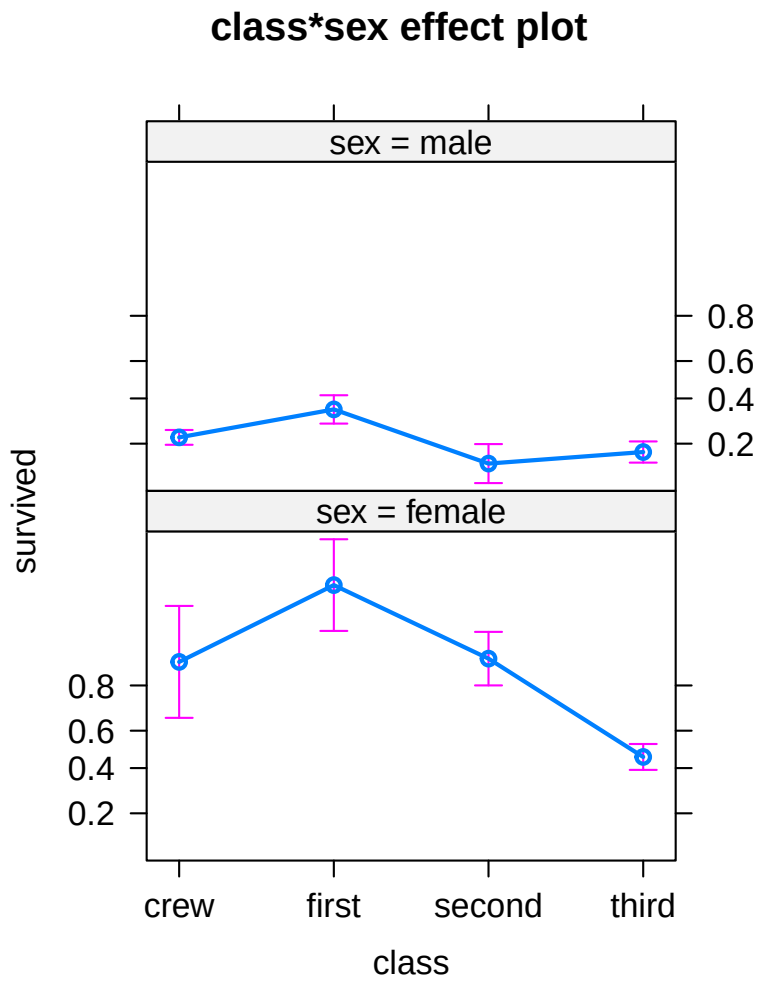
```
tit.sex.class <- glm(survived ~ class * sex, data = titanic, fam
```

```
glm(formula = survived ~ class * sex, family = binomial, data =
                    coef.est coef.se
(Intercept)          1.90     0.62
classfirst           1.67     0.80
classsecond          0.07     0.69
classthird          -2.06     0.64
sexmale             -3.15     0.62
classfirst:sexmale  -1.06     0.82
classsecond:sexmale -0.64     0.72
classthird:sexmale   1.74     0.65
---
  n = 2201, k = 8
  residual deviance = 2163.7, null deviance = 2769.5 (difference
```

Effects

```
model: survived ~ class * sex

class*sex effect
        sex
class         female      male
  crew    0.8695652 0.2227378
  first   0.9724138 0.3444444
  second  0.8773585 0.1396648
  third   0.4591837 0.1725490
```



So, women had higher probability of survival than men, even within the same class.

Logistic regression for proportion data

Read Titanic data in different format

Read `Titanic_prop.csv` data.

	X	Class	Sex	Age	No	Yes
1	1	1st	Female	Adult	4	140
2	2	1st	Female	Child	0	1
3	3	1st	Male	Adult	118	57
4	4	1st	Male	Child	0	5
5	5	2nd	Female	Adult	13	80
6	6	2nd	Female	Child	0	13

These are the same data, but summarized (see `Freq` variable).

Use cbind(n.success, n.failures) as response

```
prop.glm <- glm(cbind(Yes, No) ~ Class, data = tit.prop, family
```

```
Call:
glm(formula = cbind(Yes, No) ~ Class, family = binomial, data =

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-9.6404  -0.2915   1.5698   5.0366  10.1516

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)   0.5092     0.1146   4.445 8.79e-06 ***
Class2nd     -0.8565     0.1661  -5.157 2.51e-07 ***
Class3rd     -1.5965     0.1436 -11.114  < 2e-16 ***
ClassCrew    -1.6643     0.1390 -11.972  < 2e-16 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
```

Effects

```
 model: cbind(Yes, No) ~ Class

 Class effect
Class
      1st       2nd       3rd      Crew
0.6246154 0.4140351 0.2521246 0.2395480
```

Compare with former model based on raw data:

```
 model: survived ~ class

 class effect
class
     crew     first    second     third
0.2395480 0.6246154 0.4140351 0.2521246
```

Same results!

Logistic regression with continuous predictors

Example dataset: GDP and infant mortality
Read `UN_GDP_infantmortality.csv`.

```
          country       mortality           gdp
 Afghanistan   :  1   Min.   :  2.00   Min.   :   36
 Albania       :  1   1st Qu.: 12.00   1st Qu.:  442
 Algeria       :  1   Median : 30.00   Median : 1779
 American.Samoa:  1   Mean   : 43.48   Mean   : 6262
 Andorra       :  1   3rd Qu.: 66.00   3rd Qu.: 7272
 Angola        :  1   Max.   :169.00   Max.   :42416
 (Other)       :201   NA's   :6        NA's   :10
```

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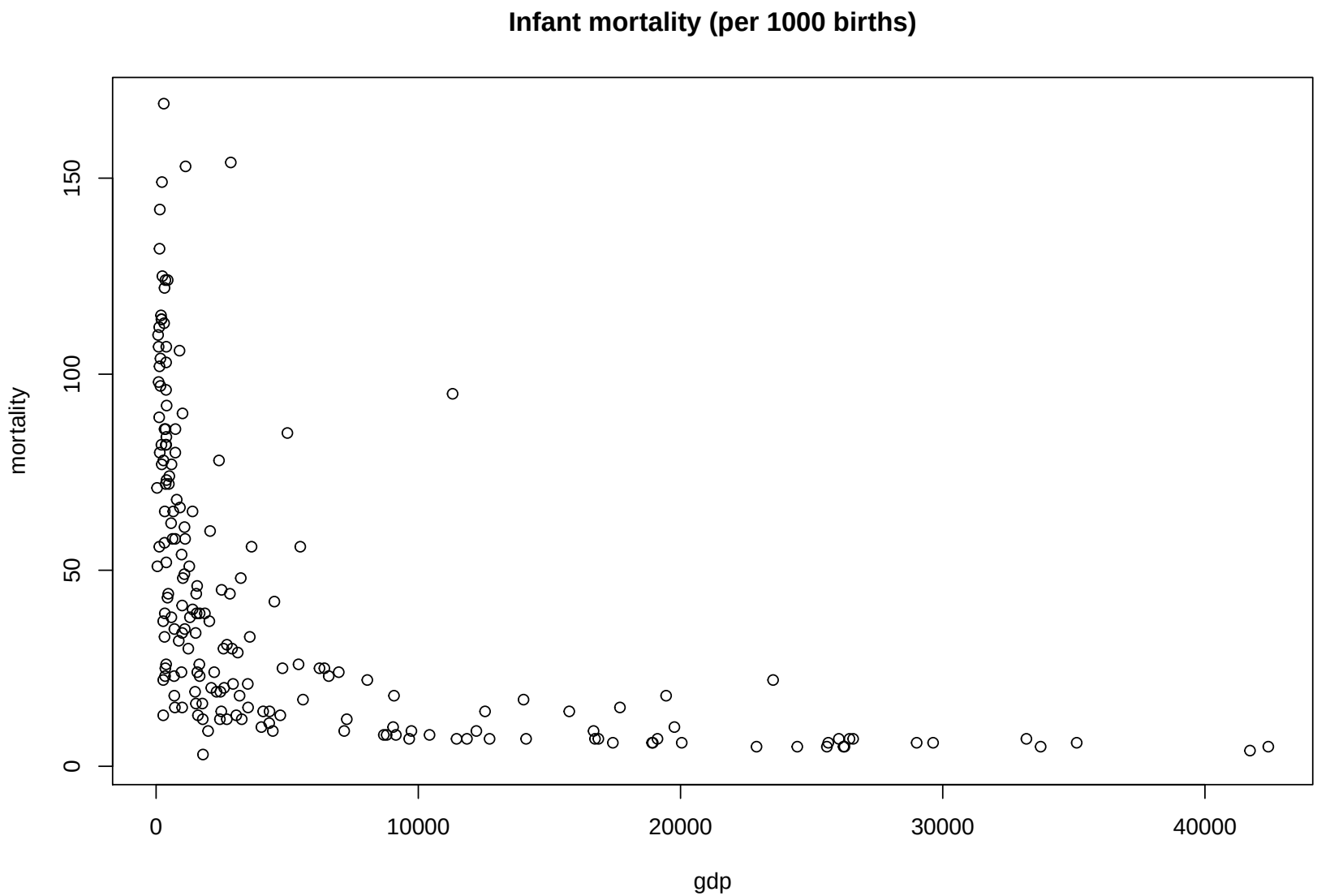
```
plot(mortality ~ gdp, data = gdp, main = "Infant mortality (per
```



Fit model

```
gdp.glm <- glm(cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp,
               data = gdp, family = binomial(link = "logit"))
```

```
Call:
glm(formula = cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp, family =
    data = gdp)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-9.2230  -3.5163  -0.5697   2.4284  13.5849

Coefficients:
             Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept) -2.657e+00  1.311e-02 -202.76   <2e-16 ***
gdp         -1.279e-04  3.458e-06  -36.98   <2e-16 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
```

Effects

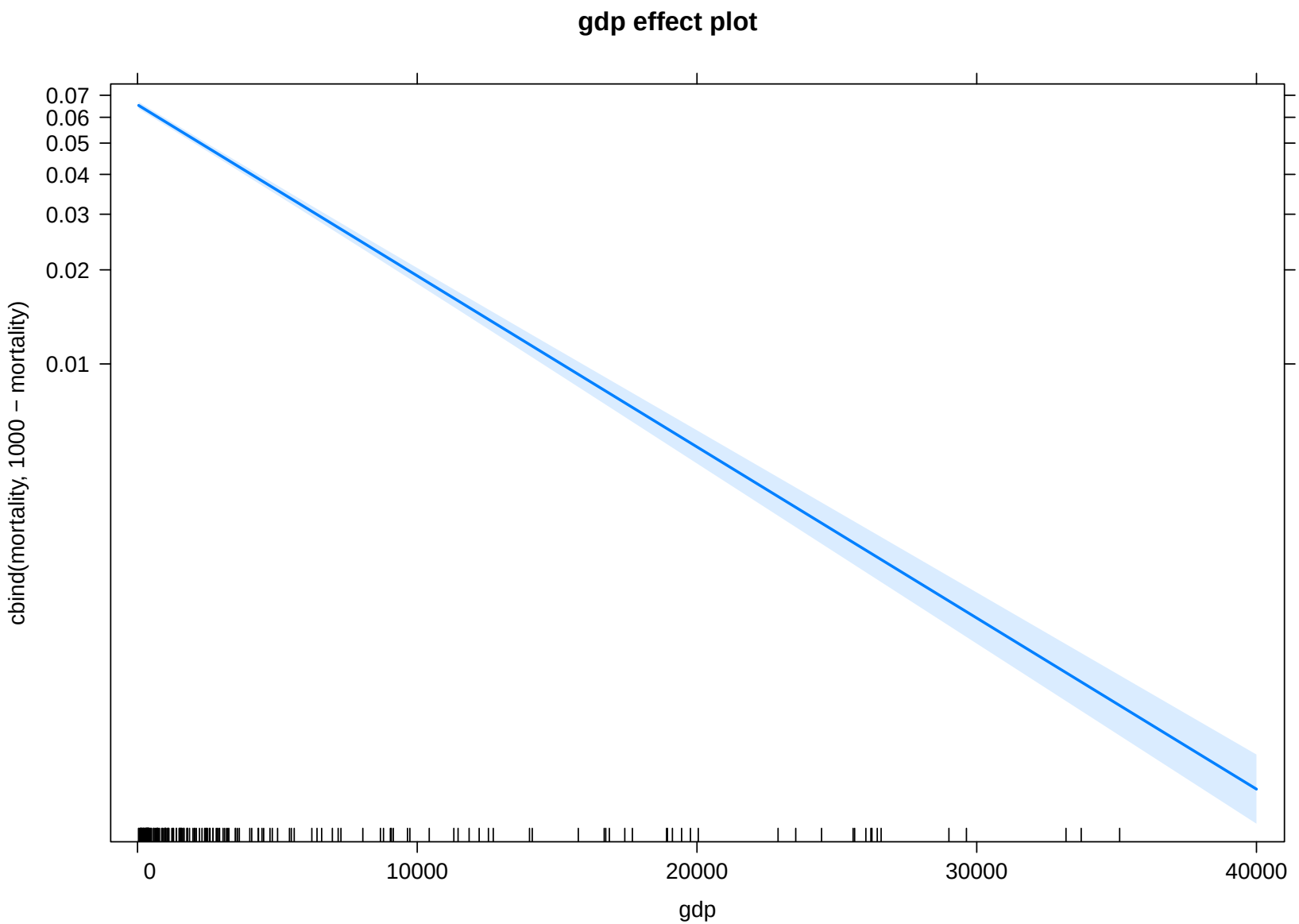
```
allEffects(gdp.glm)
```

```
 model: cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp

 gdp effect
gdp
          40         10000         20000         30000         40000
0.0652177296 0.0191438829 0.0054028095 0.0015096074 0.0004206154
```

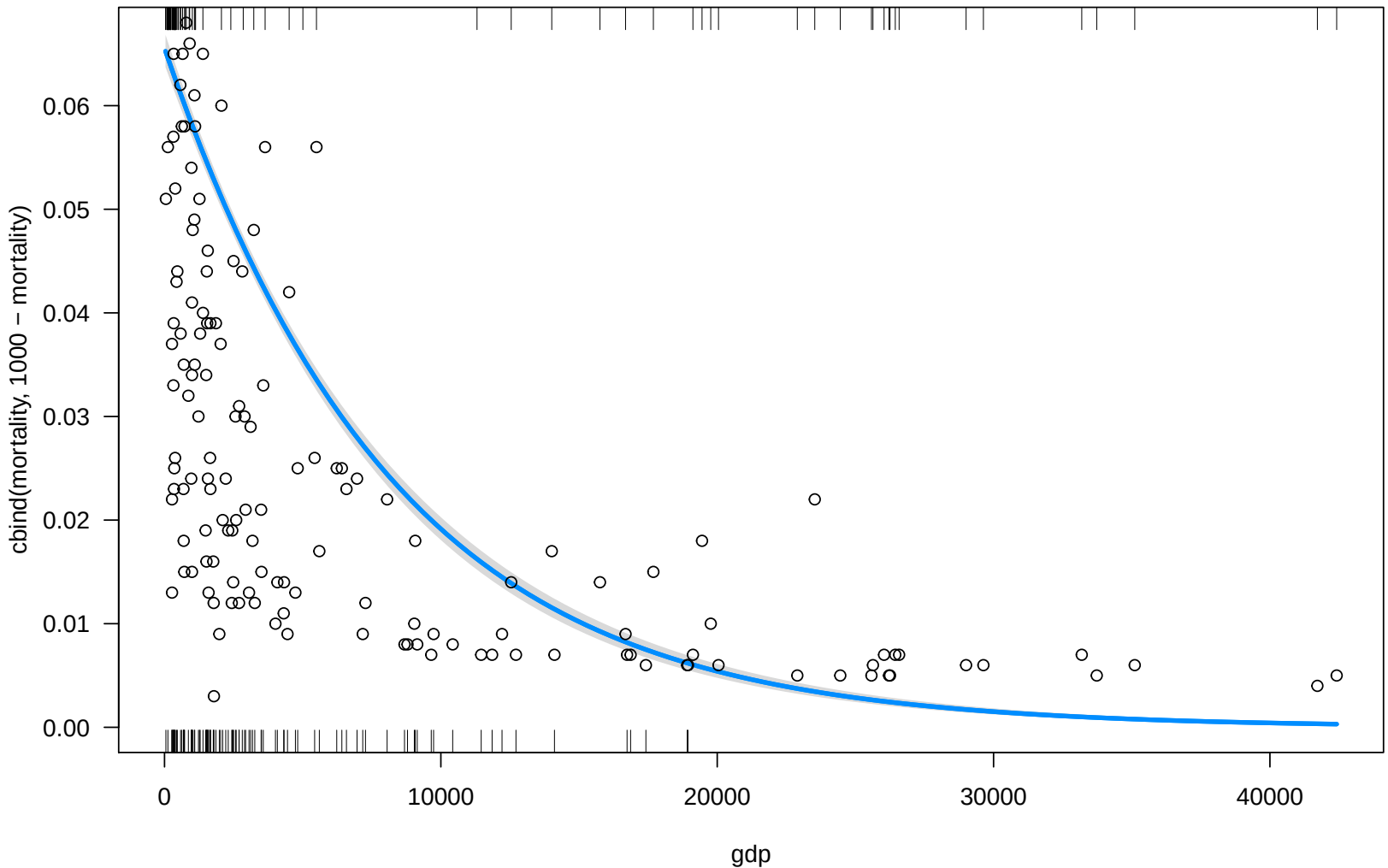
Effects plot

```
plot(allEffects(gdp.glm))
```



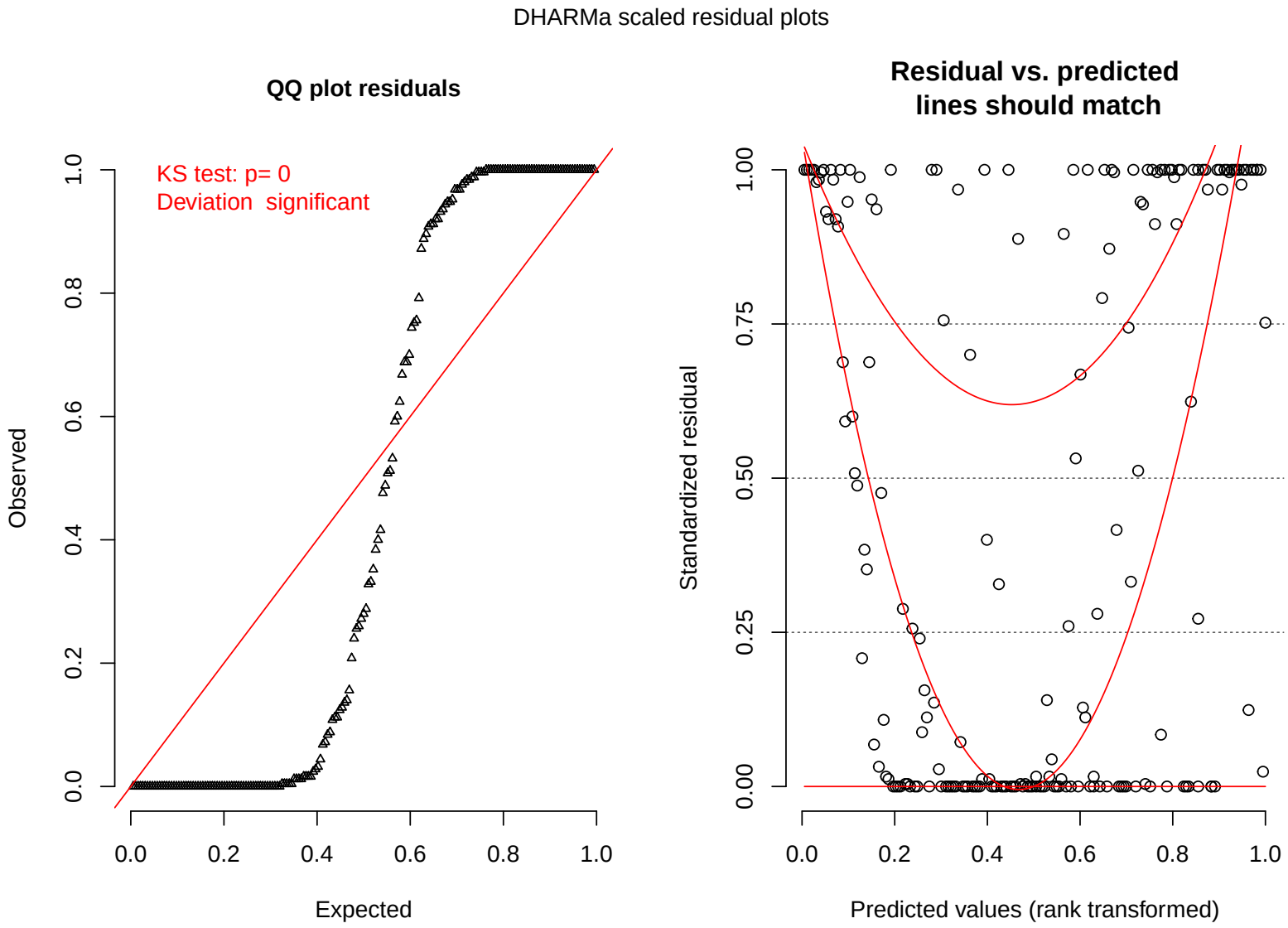
Plot model using visreg:

```
visreg(gdp.glm, scale = "response")
points(mortality/1000 ~ gdp, data = gdp)
```



Residuals diagnostics with DHARMa

```
simulateResiduals(gdp.glm, plot = TRUE)
```



Overdispersion

Testing for overdispersion (DHARMa)

```
simres <- simulateResiduals(gdp.glm, refit = TRUE)
testDispersion(simres, plot = FALSE)
```

```
    DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via mean deviance resid
    fitted vs. simulated-refitted

data:  simres
dispersion = 21, p-value < 2.2e-16
alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

Overdispersion in logistic regression with proportion data

```
gdp.overdisp <- glm(cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp,
                    data = gdp, family = quasibinomial)
```

```
Call:
glm(formula = cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp, family =
    data = gdp)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-9.2230  -3.5163  -0.5697   2.4284  13.5849

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -2.657e+00  5.977e-02 -44.465  < 2e-16 ***
gdp         -1.279e-04  1.577e-05  -8.111 5.96e-14 ***
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for quasibinomial family taken to be 20.79
```

Mean estimates do not change after accounting for overdispersion

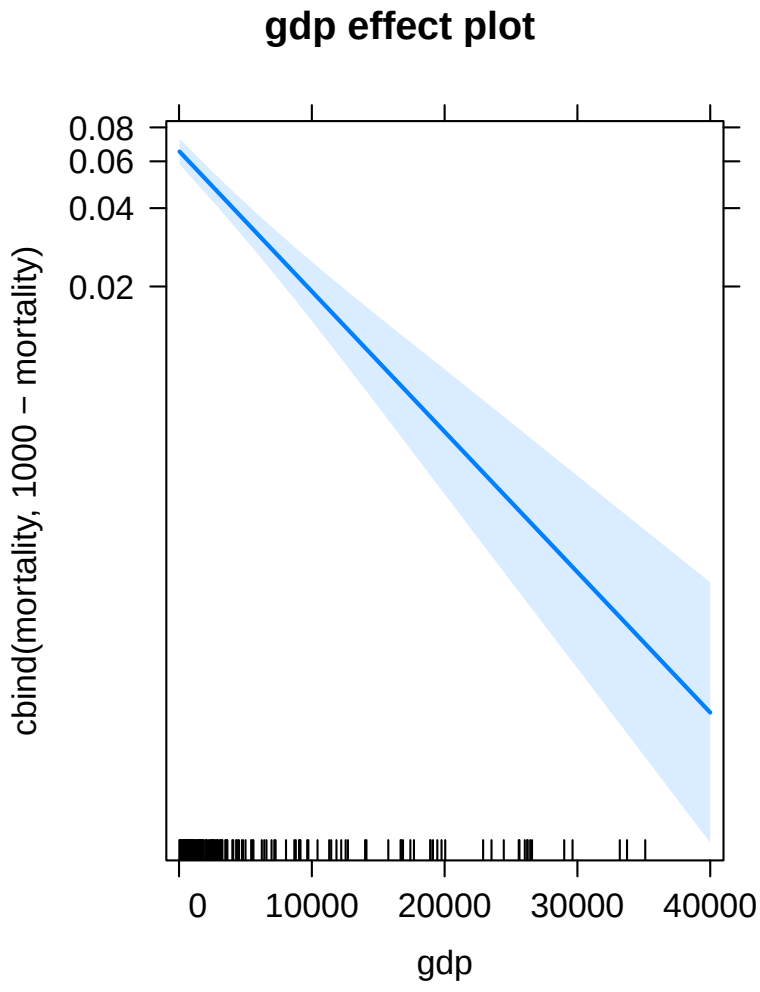
```
 model: cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp

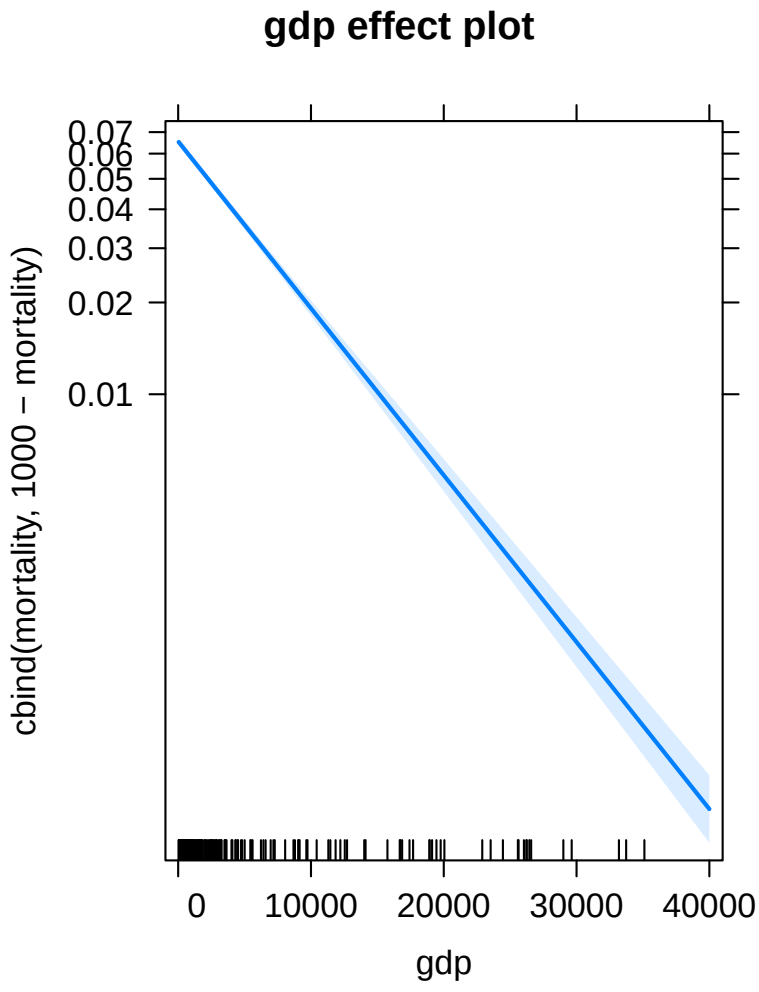
 gdp effect
gdp
          40         10000         20000         30000         40000
0.0652177296 0.0191438829 0.0054028095 0.0015096074 0.0004206154

 model: cbind(mortality, 1000 - mortality) ~ gdp

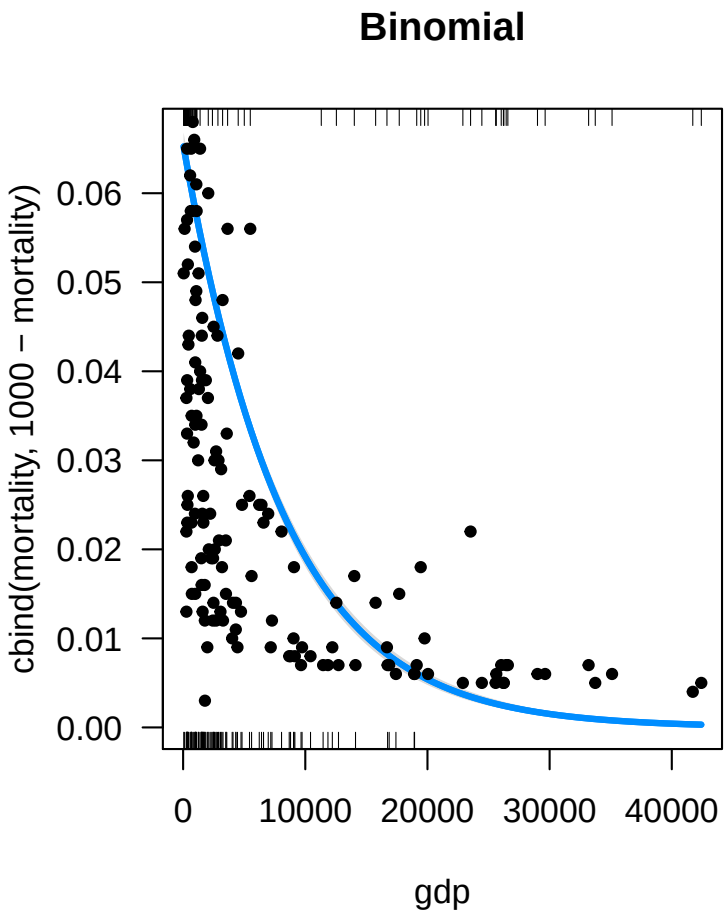
 gdp effect
gdp
          40         10000         20000         30000         40000
0.0652177296 0.0191438829 0.0054028095 0.0015096074 0.0004206154
```

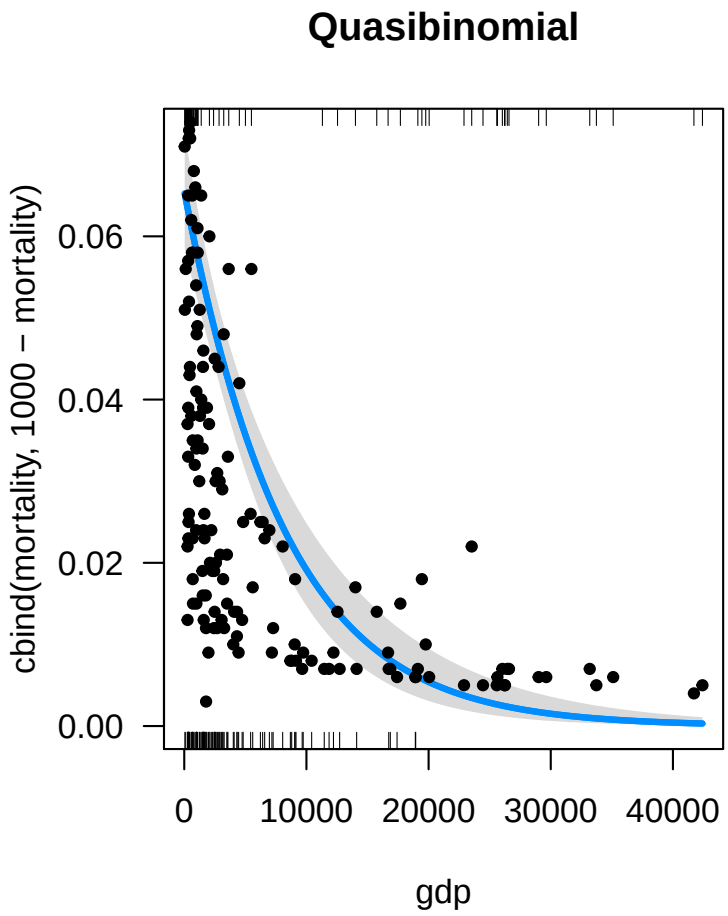
But standard errors (uncertainty) do!





Plot model and data





Overdispersion

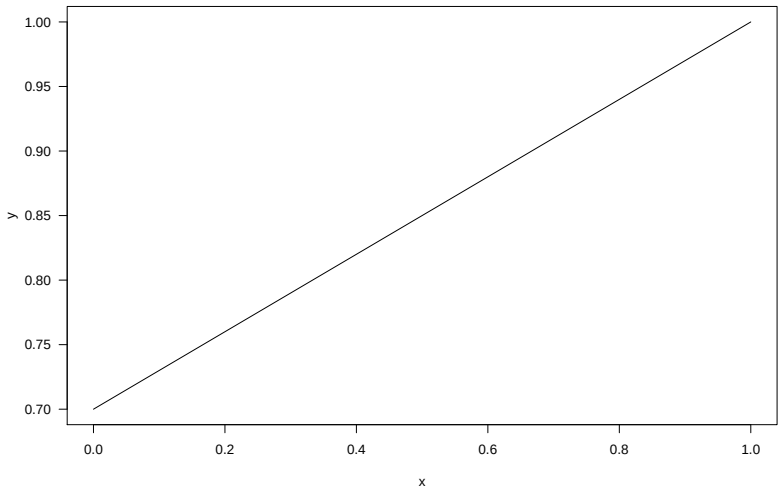
Whenever you fit logistic regression to **proportion** data, check family `quasibinomial`.

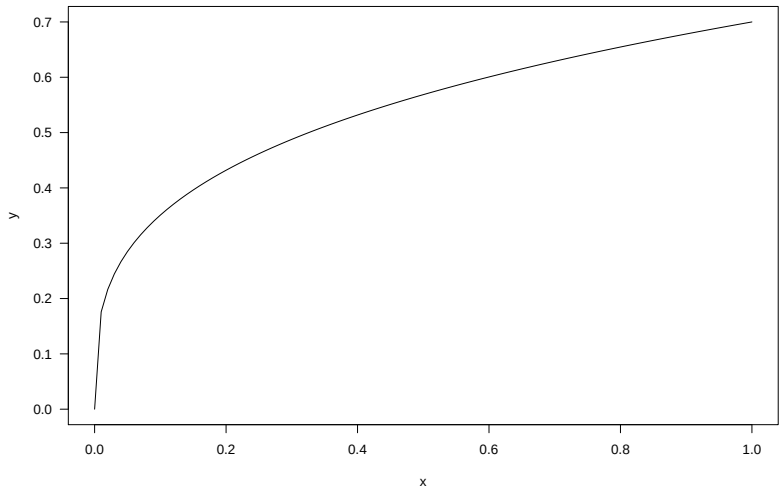
Think about the shape of relationships

$y \sim x + z$

Really? Not everything has to be linear! Actually, it often is not.

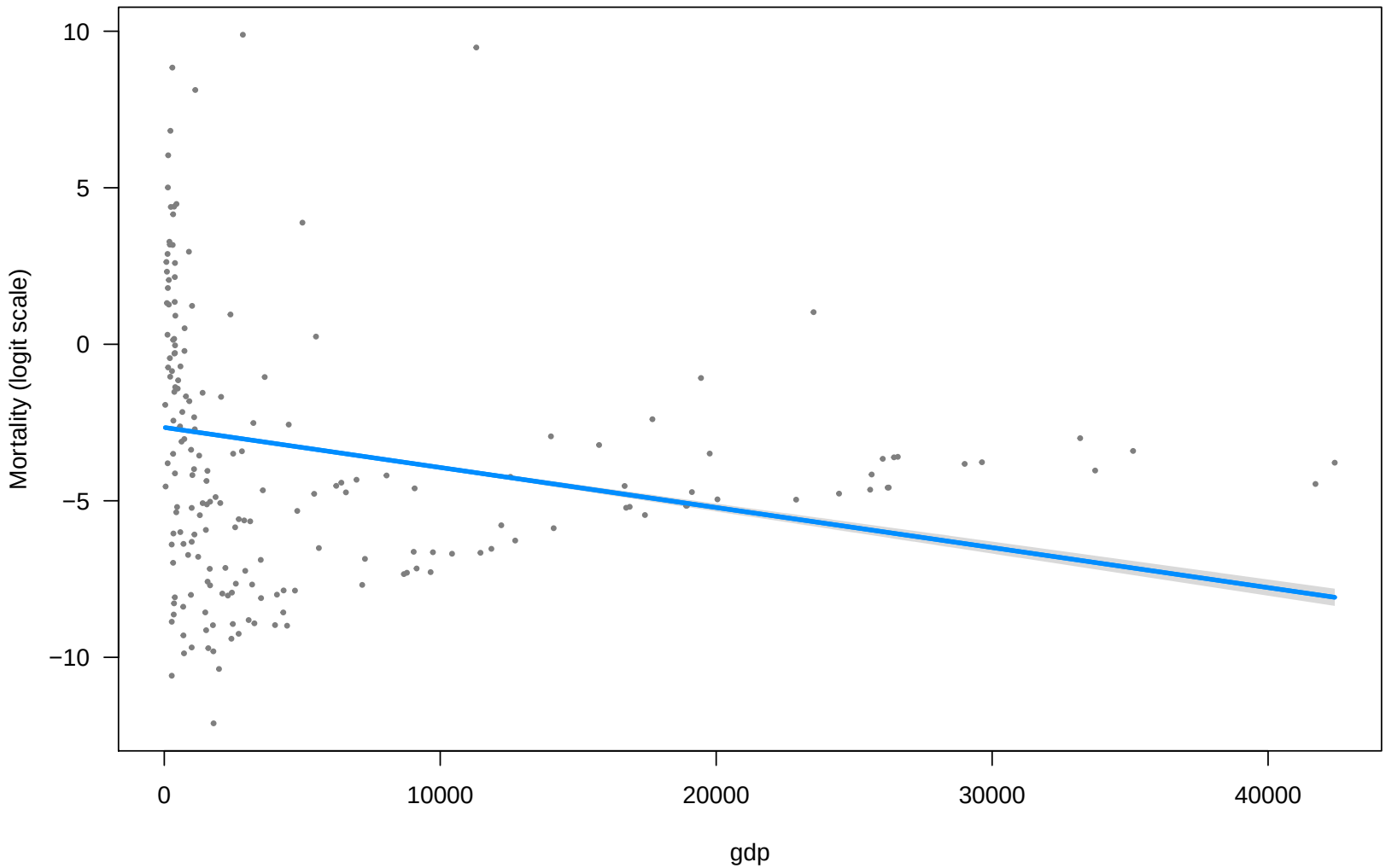
Think about shape of relationship. See chapter 3 in Bolker's book.





Think about the shape of relationships

```
visreg(gdp.glm, ylab = "Mortality (logit scale)")
```



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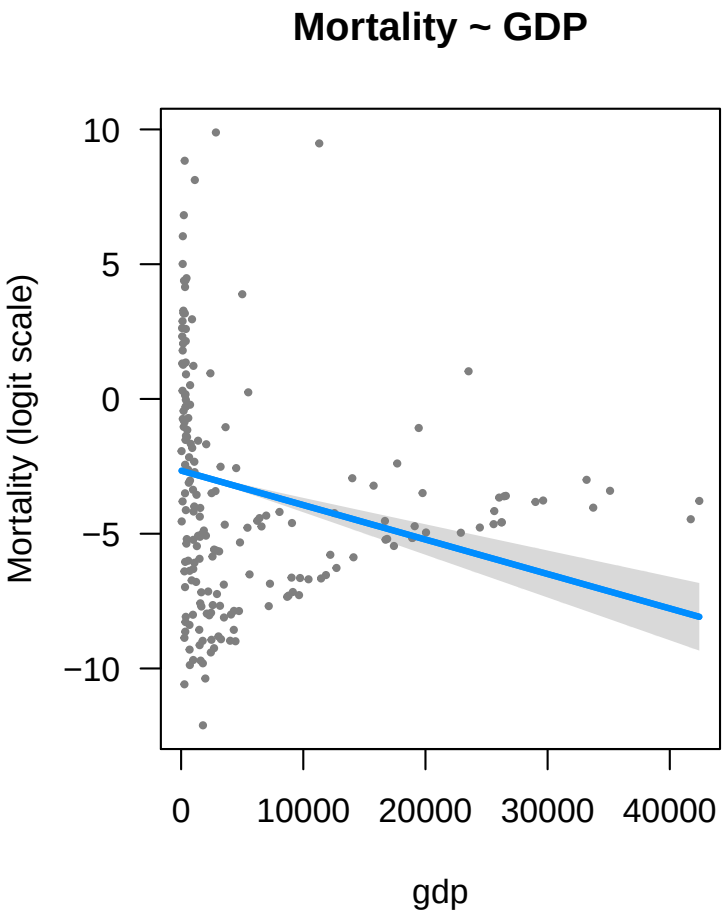

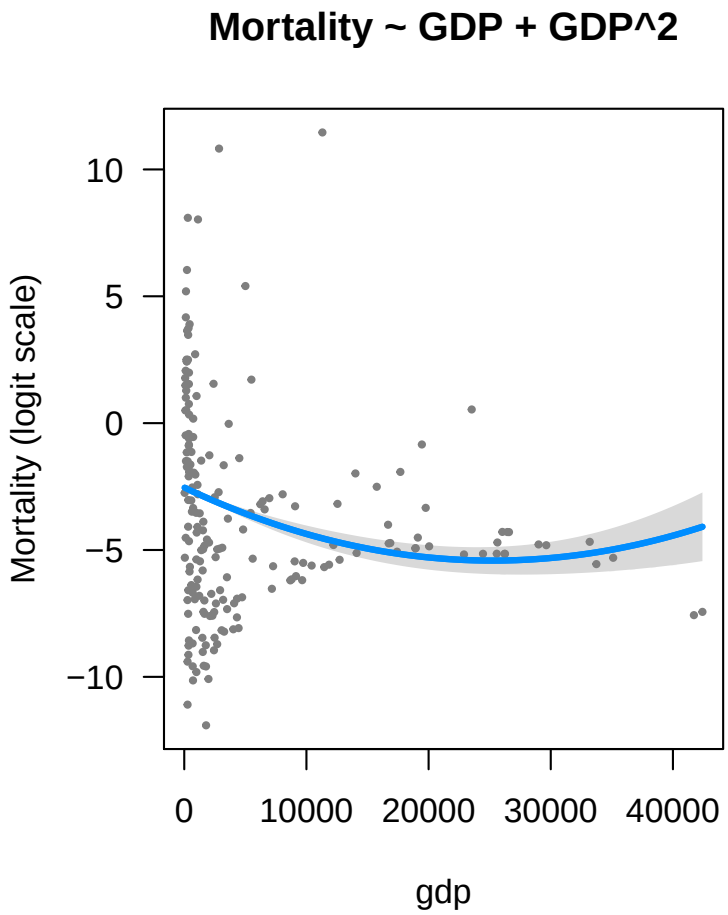

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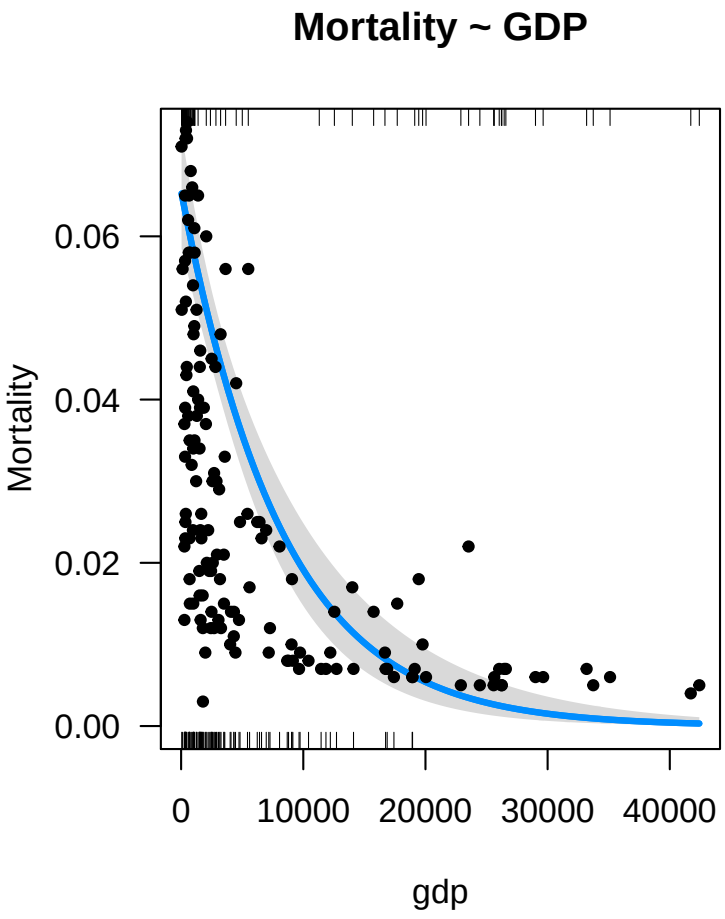

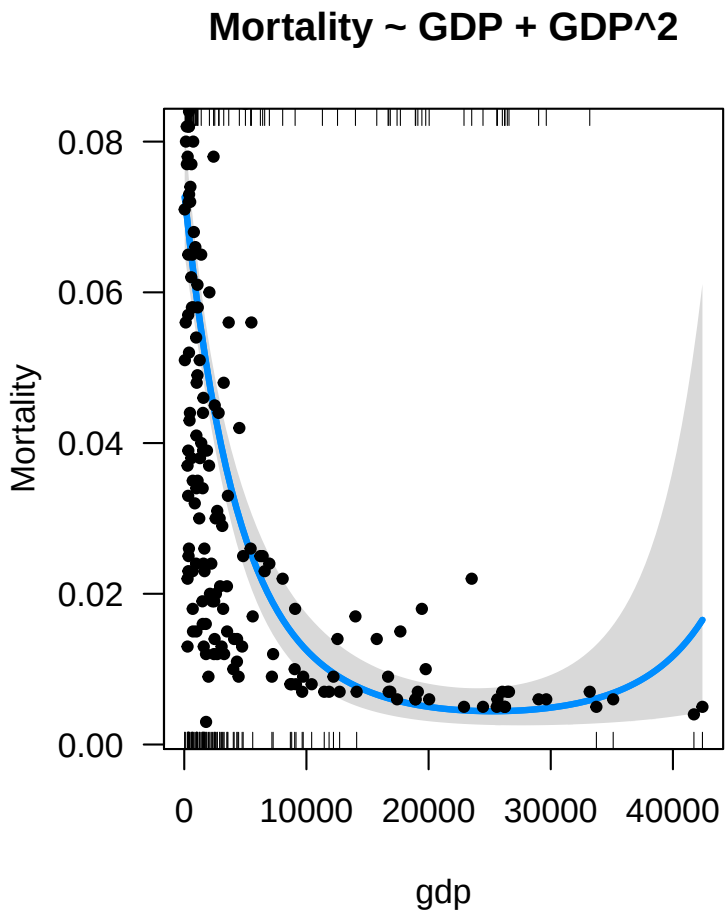

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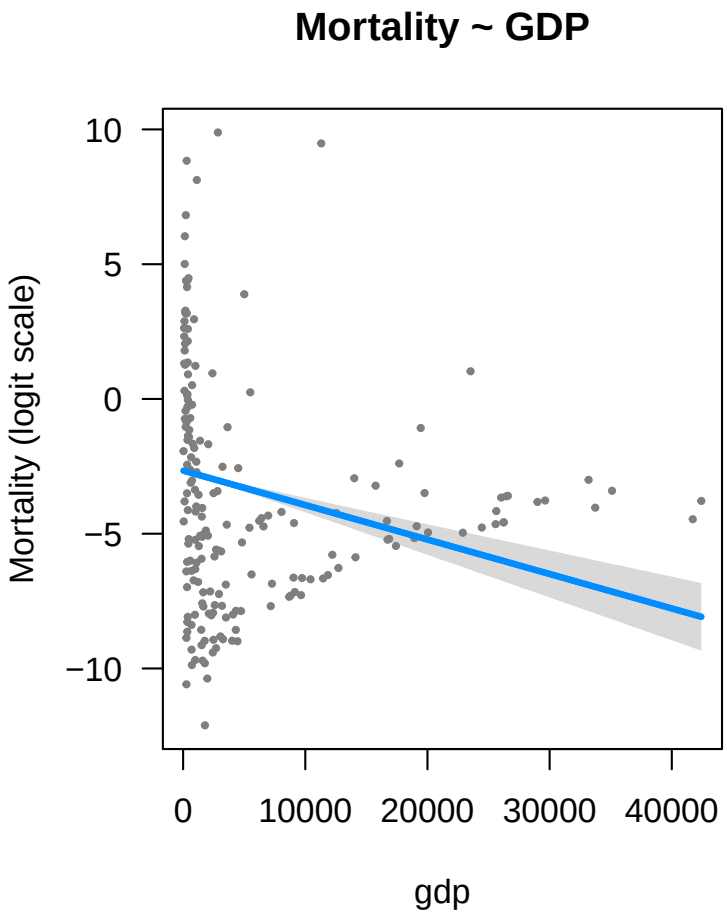

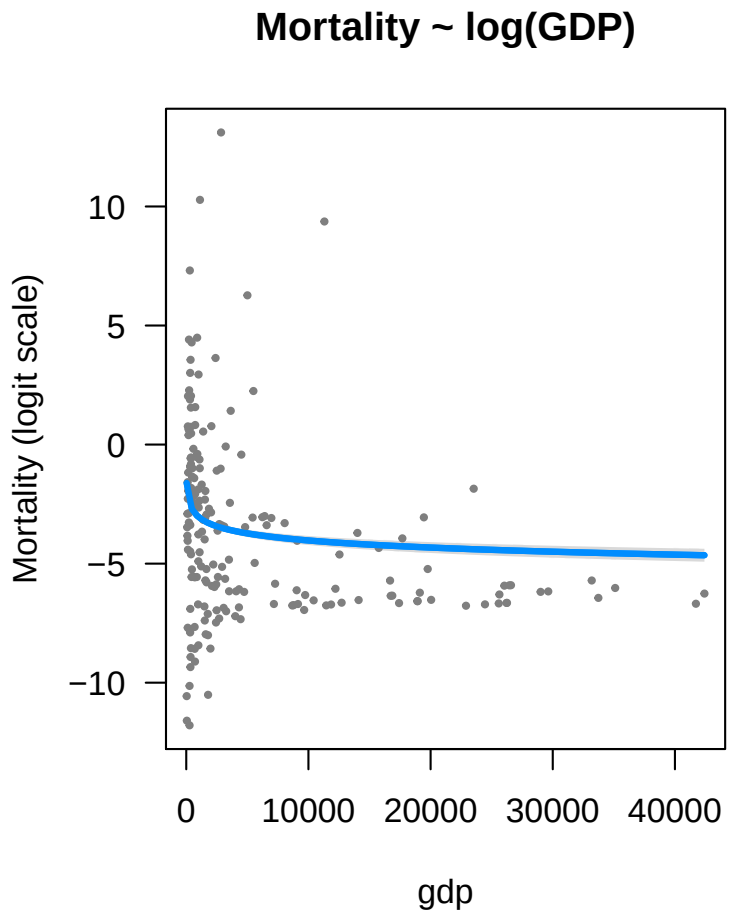

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