

# 228.371 - Statistical Modelling for Engineers and Technologists

## Week 4. Multiple Regression and ANOVA

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# The General Linear Model

- ▶ The models dealt with so far only include one explanatory variable. We will now extend the model to include more than one explanatory variable.
- ▶ We will use a matrix notation because it simplifies the written form of the model considerably.

# Matrix Notation for the Simple Linear Model

- ▶ The Simple Linear model can be written:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{1i} + \epsilon_i, \quad \text{where } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

- ▶ In matrix notation it is written:

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} \\ 1 & x_{12} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{1n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_1 \\ \epsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ The residual sum of squares is:

$$SS_{Res} = \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2 = \mathbf{e}^T \mathbf{e} = (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b})^T (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{X}\mathbf{b})$$

# Matrix Notation

- ▶ Including additional variables does not change the matrix representation.
- ▶ The model with two explanatory variables is:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{1i} + \beta_2 x_{2i} + \epsilon_i, \quad \text{where } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & x_{21} \\ 1 & x_{12} & x_{22} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{1n} & x_{2n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_1 \\ \epsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\beta} + \boldsymbol{\epsilon} \quad (\text{same as before})$$

- ▶ The Least Squares Solution is:

$$\mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y}$$

# Assumptions

- ▶ The  $x_i$  are recorded without error.
- ▶ The relationship between the variables is linear.
- ▶ The variance of the response is constant.
- ▶ The errors are uncorrelated.
- ▶ The distribution of the errors is normal.

## Example: trees: Model Volume of Trees

The volume ( $v$ ) of a cylinder of height  $h$  and radius  $r$  (girth  $g = 2\pi r$ ) is:

$$v = h \times \pi r^2 = \frac{hg^2}{4\pi}$$

Taking logs gives us:

$$\begin{aligned}\log(v) &= -\log(4\pi) + \log(h) + 2\log(g) \\ \log(v_i) &= \beta_0 + \beta_1 \log(h_i) + \beta_2 \log(g_i) + \epsilon_i\end{aligned}$$

# Example: trees: Model Volume of Trees

```
data(trees)
ltrees <- log(trees)
names (ltrees) <- c("logGirth", "logHeight", "logVolume")
head (ltrees)
```

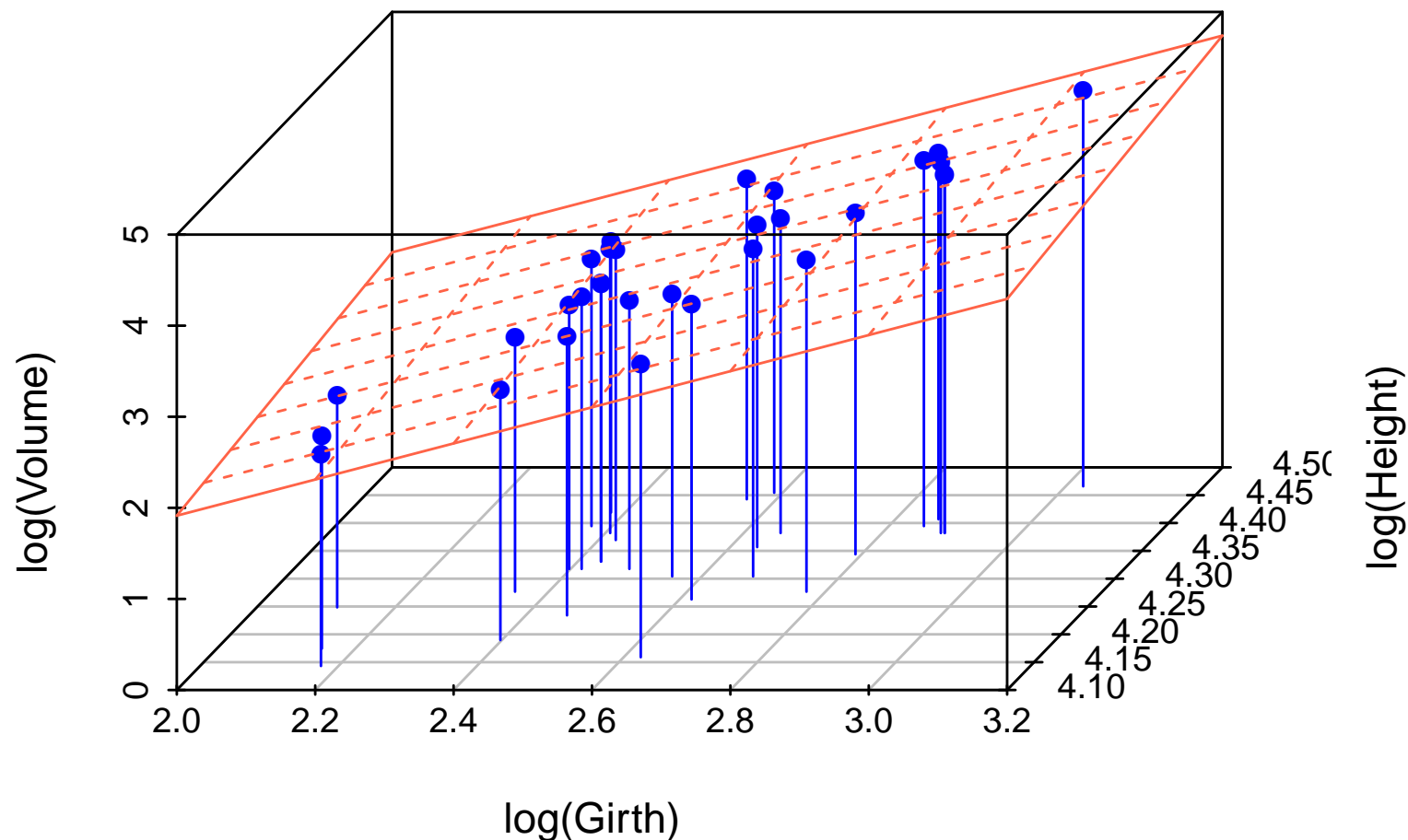
```
  logGirth logHeight logVolume
1 2.116256  4.248495  2.332144
2 2.151762  4.174387  2.332144
3 2.174752  4.143135  2.322388
4 2.351375  4.276666  2.797281
5 2.370244  4.394449  2.933857
6 2.379546  4.418841  2.980619
```

```
m1 <- lm (logVolume ~ logHeight + logGirth, data=ltrees)
cbind(coef(m1), confint (m1))
```

```
                2.5 %    97.5 %
(Intercept) -6.631617 -8.269912 -4.993322
logHeight    1.117123  0.698353  1.535894
logGirth     1.982650  1.828998  2.136302
```

# Example: trees: Visualising the Model

$$\log(\hat{v}_i) = -6.63 + 1.12 \log(h_i) + 1.98 \log(g_i)$$





## Example: trees: Visualising the Model

- ▶ The regression model is a 2-d plane in 3-d space.
- ▶ It is defined by two simple linear regression lines in the  $y:x_1$  ( $v:h$ ) and  $y:x_2$  ( $v:g$ ) planes. In this case:

$$\log(\hat{v}_i) = -6.63 + 1.12 \log(h_i) + 1.98 \log(g_i)$$

is defined by the plane through:

$$\log(\hat{v}_i) = -6.63 + 1.12 \log(h_i) \quad (\text{when } \log(g_i) = 0)$$

$$\log(\hat{v}_i) = -6.63 + 1.98 \log(g_i) \quad (\text{when } \log(h_i) = 0)$$

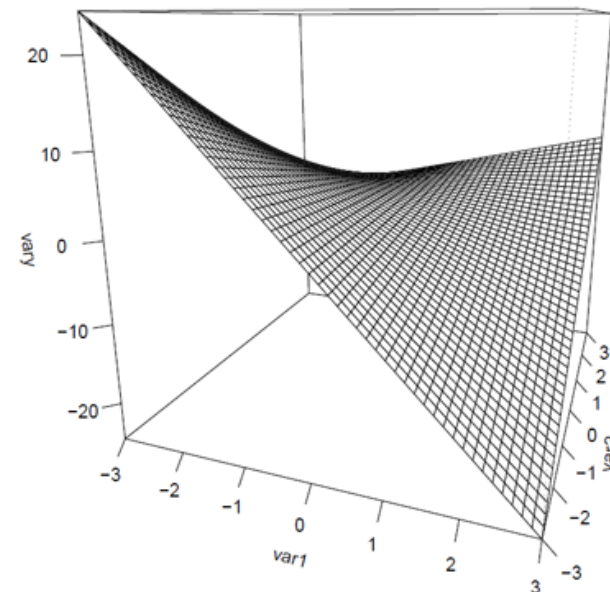
## Example: trees: Interaction Term

We can make the regression model more flexible by adding a term to model interaction between the predictor variables.

**Interaction terms like this (both variables continuous) are hard to interpret!**

$$\log(v_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \log(h_i) + \beta_2 \log(g_i) + \beta_{12}(\log(h_i) \times \log(g_i)) + \epsilon_i$$

$\beta_0$	Intercept
$\beta_1, \beta_2$	Main effects
$\beta_{12}$	Interaction term



## Example: trees: Interaction Term

We can fit the interaction term in different ways. These give the same results with only two predictors.

```
m2 <- lm (logVolume ~ logHeight + logGirth + logHeight:logGirth, data=ltrees)
m2 <- lm (logVolume ~ logHeight * logGirth,      data=ltrees)
m2 <- lm (logVolume ~ (logHeight + logGirth)^2, data=ltrees)
summary(m2)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = logVolume ~ (logHeight + logGirth)^2, data = ltrees)
```

Residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-0.165941	-0.048613	0.006384	0.062204	0.132295

Coefficients:

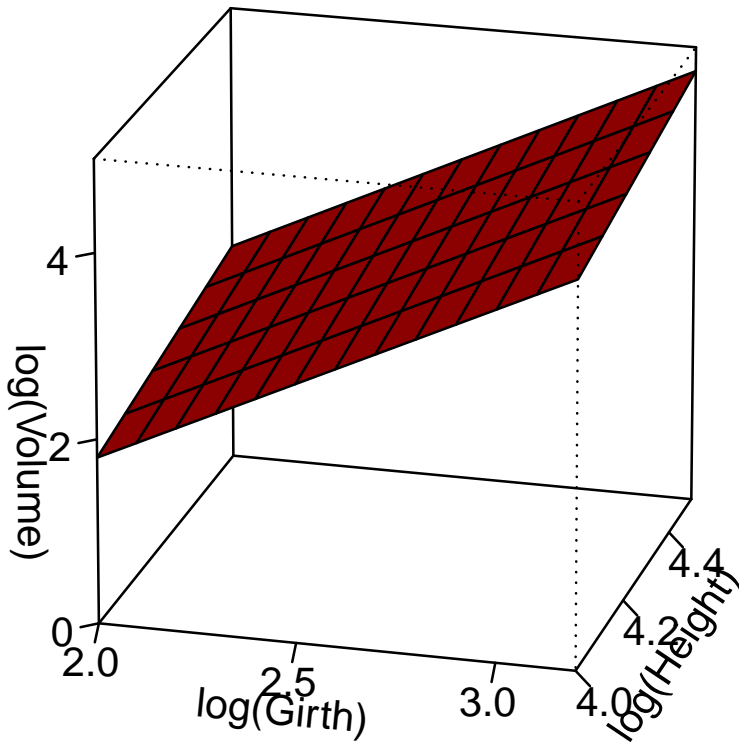
	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-3.6869	7.6996	-0.479	0.636
logHeight	0.4377	1.7788	0.246	0.808
logGirth	0.7942	3.0910	0.257	0.799
logHeight:logGirth	0.2740	0.7124	0.385	0.704

Residual standard error: 0.08265 on 27 degrees of freedom

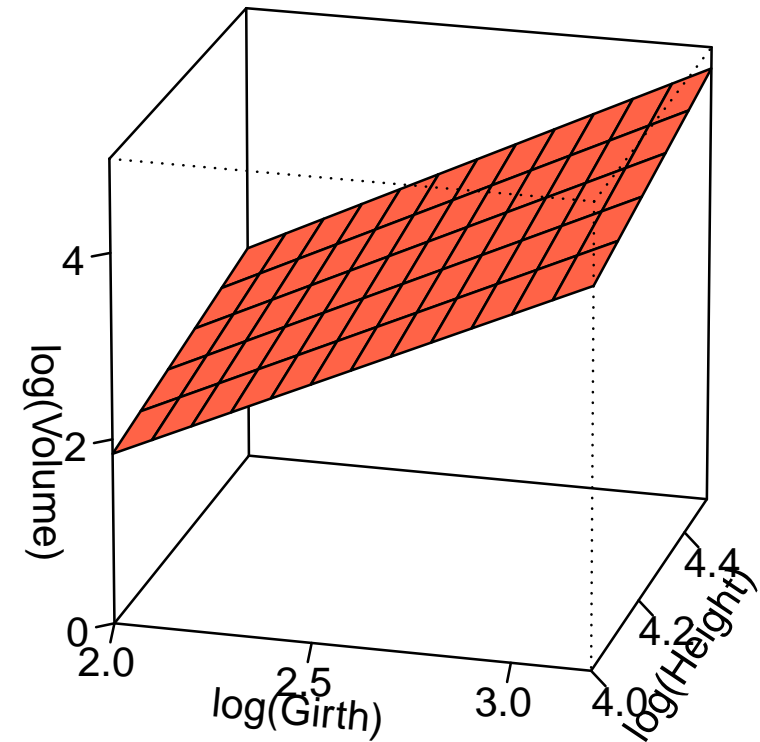
Multiple R-squared: 0.9778, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9753

F-statistic: 396.4 on 3 and 27 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

## Example: trees: Comparison of Surfaces



**No interaction - flat plane**



**Interaction term - Curved surface**

- These surfaces look the same - what is going on?

# Example: trees: Model Summaries

```
summary(m1)
```

```
Call:
lm(formula = logVolume ~ logHeight + logGirth, data = ltrees)
```

```
Residuals:
```

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.168561	-0.048488	0.002431	0.063637	0.129223

```
Coefficients:
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-6.63162	0.79979	-8.292	5.06e-09 ***
logHeight	1.11712	0.20444	5.464	7.81e-06 ***
logGirth	1.98265	0.07501	26.432	< 2e-16 ***

```
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```

```
Residual standard error: 0.08139 on 28 degrees of freedom
```

```
Multiple R-squared:  0.9777, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9761
```

```
F-statistic: 613.2 on 2 and 28 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
summary(m2)
```

```
Call:
lm(formula = logVolume ~ (logHeight + logGirth)^2, data = ltrees)
```

```
Residuals:
```

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.165941	-0.048613	0.006384	0.062204	0.132295

```
Coefficients:
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```

- ▶ The interaction coefficient is not significant ( $p\text{-value} = 0.704$ ).
- ▶ Adjusted- $R^2$  is lower for interaction model.
- ▶ None of the coefficients are significant in the interaction model - but the  $F$ -test is significant.
- ▶ Interaction model does not seem worth it.
- ▶ **Note:** *Do not judge  $p$ -values jointly but conditionally.*

# Example: trees: Model Comparison

The ANOVA test is the same as testing if interaction coefficient is zero.

```
anova (m1, m2)
```

Analysis of Variance Table

Model 1: logVolume ~ logHeight + logGirth

Model 2: logVolume ~ (logHeight + logGirth)^2

	Res.Df	RSS	Df	Sum of Sq	F	Pr(>F)
1	28	0.18546				
2	27	0.18445	1	0.0010105	0.1479	0.7035

# Variable selection

- ▶ Do not judge  $p$ -values **jointly** but **conditionally**.
- ▶ If a particular coefficients  $p$ -value is high ( $> 0.05$ ) - we can say that this variable is not significant given the other variables in the model (whether they are significant or not).
- ▶ If an interaction term is in the model - we should include the corresponding main effects in the model.
- ▶ Therefore remove higher order interactions first before removing main effects.
- ▶ Adding variables to a model can change the significance of other variables already in the model.
- ▶ Scientific reasons can keep non-significant variables in a model.

# Multiple regression

Examine relationship between predictor variables and response variable:

- ▶ Scatterplots using `pairs(x1, x2, ..., xp, y)`.
- ▶ Correlations using `cor.test(xi, xj)` and `cor.test(xi, y)`.



# Correlation matrix

```
horseshearts <- read.table("Data/horseshearts.txt", header=TRUE)
attach(horseshearts)
```

```
round(cor(horseshearts), 3)
```

	innersys	innerdia	outersys	outerdia	extsys	extdia	weight
innersys	1.000	0.909	0.825	0.756	0.807	0.807	0.778
innerdia	0.909	1.000	0.772	0.699	0.812	0.849	0.811
outersys	0.825	0.772	1.000	0.908	0.749	0.792	0.779
outerdia	0.756	0.699	0.908	1.000	0.724	0.783	0.686
extsys	0.807	0.812	0.749	0.724	1.000	0.961	0.681
extdia	0.807	0.849	0.792	0.783	0.961	1.000	0.759
weight	0.778	0.811	0.779	0.686	0.681	0.759	1.000

# Multiple regression

All variables have similar sized correlations (0.7 - 0.9), and are significantly correlated with one another (from `cor.test()` output)

Suggests that **not all six predictor variables are needed.**

How do we choose a “good” set of explanatory variables?

# R: Regression basics

- ▶ Full model.

```
m1 <- lm(weight ~ ., data=horseshearts)
```

- ▶ Full model except for outerdia.

```
m2 <- lm(weight ~ . - outerdia, data=horseshearts)
```

- ▶ Intercept only.

```
m3 <- lm(weight ~ 1, data=horseshearts)
```

- ▶ Model includes outerdia and no intercept.

```
m4 <- lm(weight ~ 0 + outerdia, data=horseshearts)
```

- ▶ All main effects and interactions up third order.

```
m5 <- lm(weight ~ .^3, data=horseshearts)
```

# Multiple regression

```
multiplereg <- lm(weight ~ extdia + extsys + innerdia + innersys + outerdia + outersys)
summary(multiplereg)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = weight ~ extdia + extsys + innerdia + innersys +
    outerdia + outersys)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-1.05051	-0.35313	0.01948	0.18674	2.09335

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.6311	0.4879	-3.343	0.00184 **
extdia	0.3387	0.1475	2.296	0.02716 *
extsys	-0.2996	0.1346	-2.227	0.03182 *
innerdia	0.5195	0.3954	1.314	0.19654
innersys	0.2321	0.3083	0.753	0.45617
outerdia	-0.5574	0.4510	-1.236	0.22386
outersys	0.7114	0.3288	2.164	0.03668 *

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Residual standard error: 0.6006 on 39 degrees of freedom

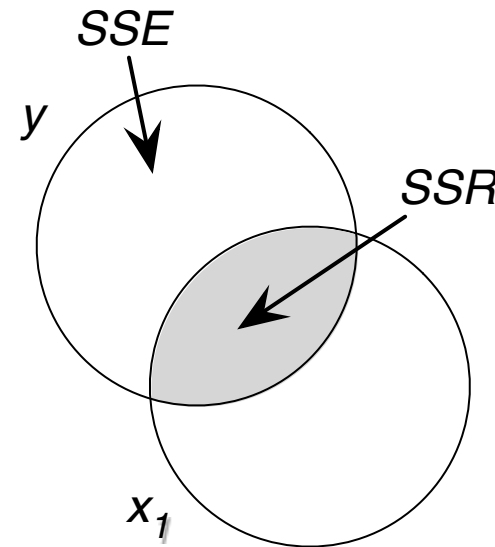
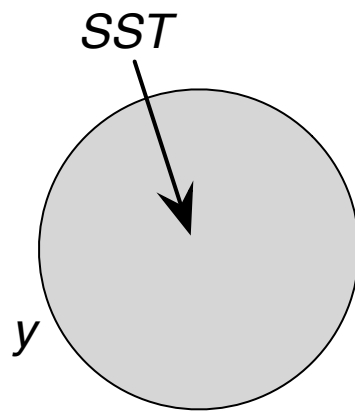
Multiple R-squared: 0.7525, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7145

F-statistic: 19.77 on 6 and 39 DF, p-value: 1.922e-10

Not all variables significant!

## Circle diagrams

Variation in a variable can be measured by its sum of squares ( $SS$ ) and illustrated by a circle.



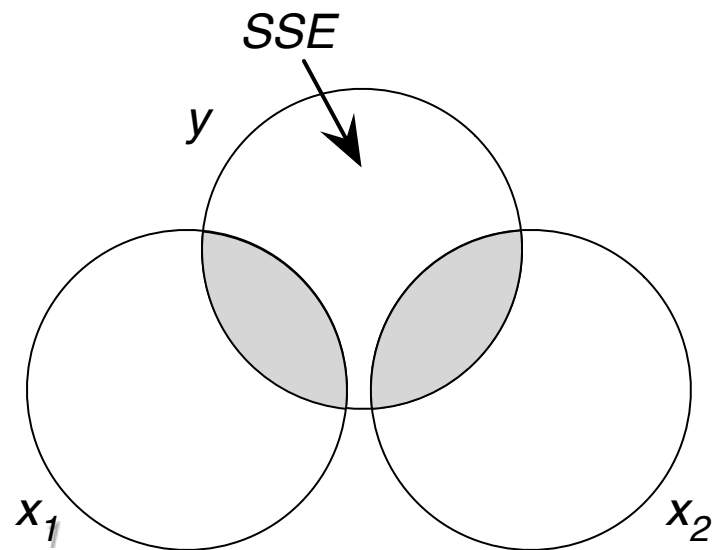
- ▶ The first single shaded circle represents  $SST$  (total).
- ▶ The shaded overlap of two circles represents the variation in  $Y$  explained by the variable  $X_1$ .

The variation in  $Y$  is separated into two parts:  $SSR$  (regression) +  $SSE$  (error or residual) =  $SST$

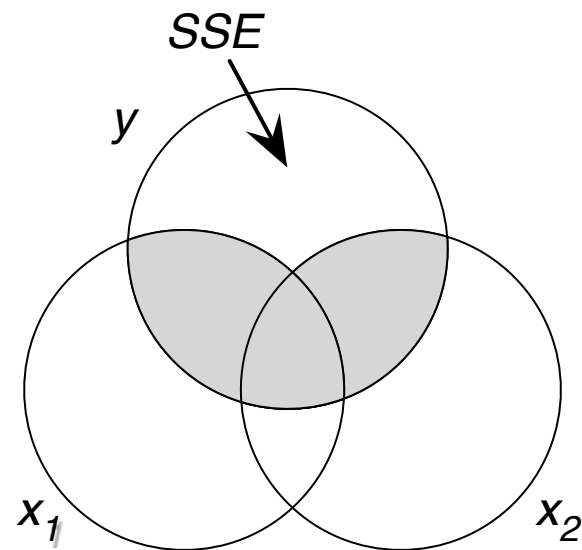
# Circle diagrams and correlation

The total overlap of  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ , and  $Y$  depends on:

- ▶ Relationship of  $Y$  with  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ .
- ▶ Correlation between  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ .



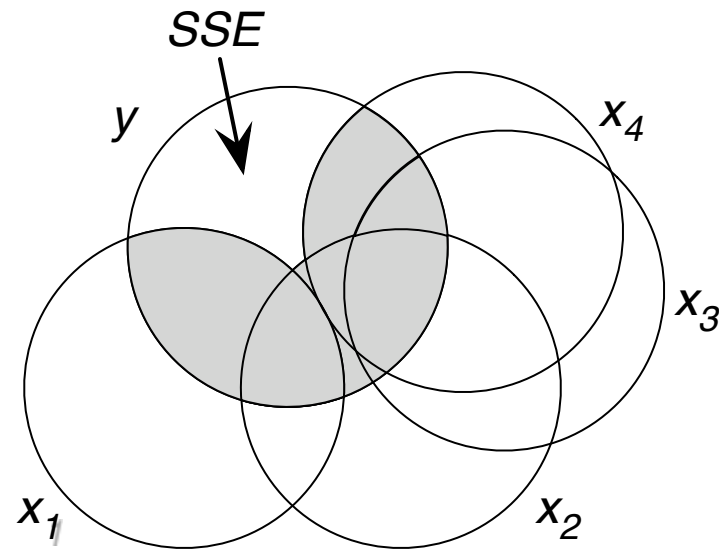
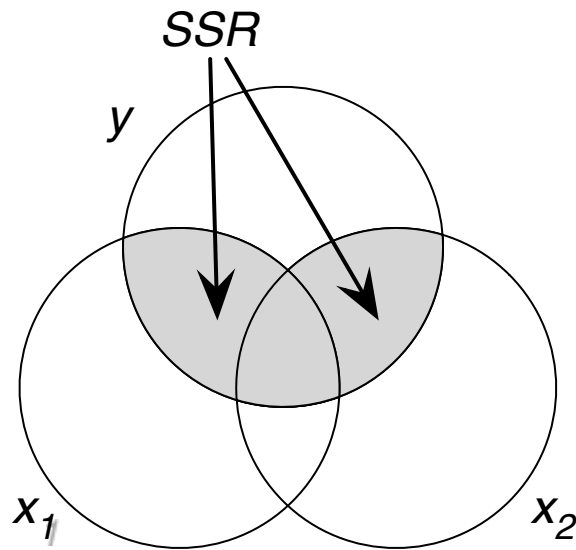
$X_i$ 's uncorrelated,



$X_i$ 's correlated

# Sequential addition of predictors

Increase in number of predictors means **increase**  $SSR$  &  $R^2$  and **decrease** in  $SSE$ .



However improvement “slows down” due to overlap (correlation)

# Test for significance of increased SSR

Regress weight on extdia and outerdia.

```
edodreg <- lm(weight ~ extdia + outerdia)
anova(edodreg)
```

## Analysis of Variance Table

Response: weight

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
extdia	1	32.731	32.731	61.5468	7.863e-10 ***
outerdia	1	1.247	1.247	2.3453	0.133
Residuals	43	22.867	0.532		

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Adding outerdia to extdia does not produce significant improvement in *SSR* (32.7 to 34.0).

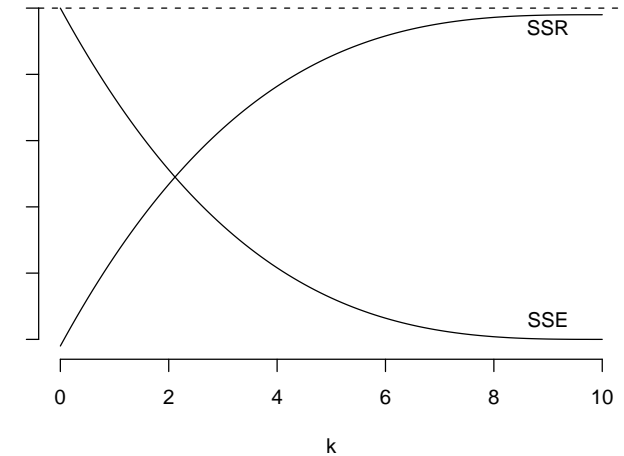
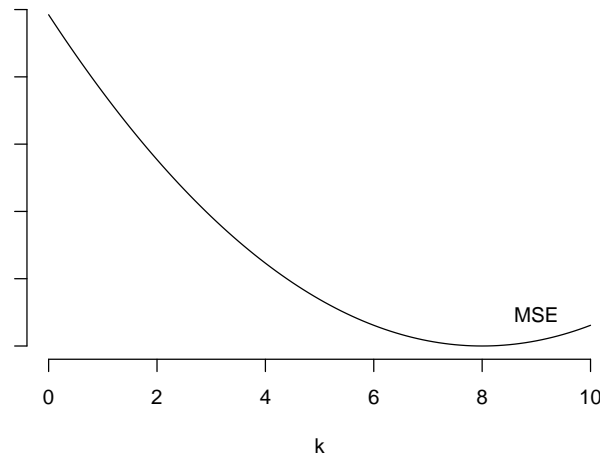
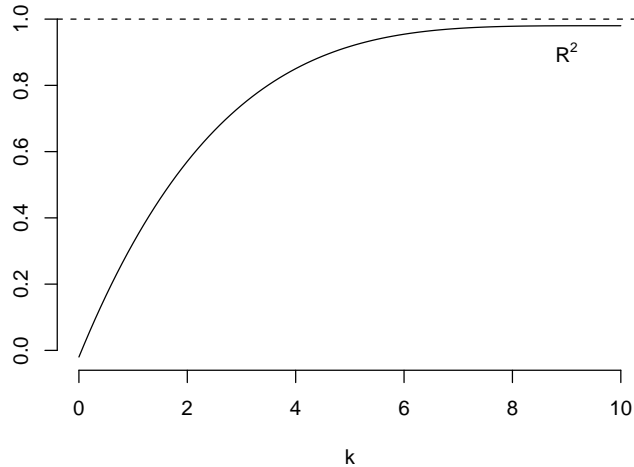


# Test for significance of increased SSR

- ▶ Can use  $F$  test as above (`anova()`) or  $t$  test (`summary()`) because  $t^2 = F$ .
- ▶ If only one predictor required, then choose predictor that has **largest correlation with  $Y$**  ( $r^2 = R^2$  for only one variable).
- ▶ Order of variables in model is important, so we cannot find “best” set of predictors by trial and error - **need procedure or algorithm for finding a “good” set of predictor variables.**

# Effects of Adding Predictors

- ▶ Addition of variables **decreases**  $SSE$  and **increases**  $SSR$  and  $R^2$ .
- ▶  $s^2 = MSE = SSE/df$  **decreases to a minimum** and then **may increase** since addition of variable decreases  $df$  faster than  $SSE$ .



## Adjusted $R^2$ : $\bar{R}^2$

- ▶  $R^2$  measures the quality of the fit of a model **but** it always *increases* whenever any new variable is added.
- ▶  $R^2$  cannot be used as a meaningful comparison of models with different numbers of independent variables.
- ▶ Adjusted  $R^2$  (sometimes written as  $\bar{R}^2$ ) is a modification of  $R^2$  that adjusts for the number of explanatory terms ( $p$ ) in a model.

$$\bar{R}^2 = 1 - \left( \frac{n - 1}{n - p - 1} \right) (1 - R^2) .$$

- ▶  $\bar{R}^2$  increases only if the new term improves the model more than would be expected by chance.
- ▶  $\bar{R}^2$  can be negative, and is always  $\leq R^2$ .

```
m1 = lm(weight ~ ., data=horseshearts)
summary(m1)$adj.r.squared
```

```
[1] 0.7144585
```

# Best subset of explanatory variables

Consider “stepwise” procedures which either **add** or **delete** one variable at a time.

## Forward selection:

- ▶ Start with **no** variables in the model.
- ▶ For each predictor not in the model, individually check its  $p$ -value if it is added to the model. Choose the one with the **lowest**  $p$ -value provided it is **less than**  $\alpha$ .
- ▶ Continue until **no new predictors can be added**, i.e. **lowest**  $p$ -value  $> \alpha$ .

## Backwards elimination:

- ▶ Start with **all** the predictors in the model.
- ▶ **Remove** the predictor with **highest**  $p$ -value greater than  $\alpha$ .
- ▶ Refit the model and go to 2.
- ▶ Stop when all  $p$ -values are **less than**  $\alpha$ .

# Backwards elimination

Use `update()` in R to produce output of new model at each step.

```
bstepreg <- lm(weight~extdia+extsys+innerdia+innersys+outerdia+outersys)
summary(bstepreg)$coefficients
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.6310876	0.4879347	-3.3428401	0.00183926
extdia	0.3386581	0.1475247	2.2956020	0.02716015
extsys	-0.2996260	0.1345664	-2.2266036	0.03181965
innerdia	0.5195055	0.3953815	1.3139349	0.19654470
innersys	0.2320751	0.3083393	0.7526614	0.45617269
outerdia	-0.5573826	0.4509658	-1.2359753	0.22386058
outersys	0.7114153	0.3288007	2.1636671	0.03667716

```
bstepreg <- update(bstepreg, . ~ . - innersys)
summary(bstepreg)$coefficients
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.5303000	0.4666508	-3.279326	0.002159842
extdia	0.2972759	0.1361526	2.183403	0.034932338
extsys	-0.2598670	0.1230921	-2.111158	0.041056347
innerdia	0.7340914	0.2724511	2.694397	0.010258197
outerdia	-0.5076979	0.4436843	-1.144277	0.259310074
outersys	0.7716258	0.3171879	2.432709	0.019552503

# Backwards elimination

```
bstepreg <- update(bstepreg, . ~ . - outerdia)
summary(bstepreg)$coefficients
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.5120478	0.4681343	-3.229944	0.002441204
extdia	0.2500162	0.1302258	1.919867	0.061850908
extsys	-0.2360272	0.1217730	-1.938255	0.059498553
innerdia	0.7990585	0.2674732	2.987434	0.004733621
outersys	0.4931218	0.2041625	2.415340	0.020263541

```
bstepreg <- update(bstepreg, . ~ . - extdia)
summary(bstepreg)$coefficients
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.34067305	0.47401133	-2.8283565	0.0071411249
extsys	-0.03351747	0.06276285	-0.5340336	0.5961337480
innerdia	0.95751994	0.26242874	3.6486856	0.0007224999
outersys	0.59695512	0.20306598	2.9397101	0.0053207311

```
bstepreg <- update(bstepreg, . ~ . - extsys)
summary(bstepreg)$coefficients
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-1.4948399	0.3728253	-4.009492	0.0002380307
innerdia	0.8796763	0.2164017	4.065017	0.0002005695
outersys	0.5612408	0.1901373	2.951766	0.0051002805

All  $p$ -values below 0.05; innerdia and outersys selected.

# Backwards elimination

However larger model with extdia, extsys, innerdia and outersys was only just rejected!

```
# larger model with predictors extdia, extsys, innerdia and  
Residual standard error: 0.5996 on 41 degrees of freedom  
Multiple R-Squared: 0.7407,      Adjusted R-squared: 0.7154  
F-statistic: 29.28 on 4 and 41 DF,  $p$-value: 1.554e-11
```

```
# smaller model with predictors innerdia and outersys  
Residual standard error: 0.6133 on 43 degrees of freedom  
Multiple R-Squared: 0.7155,      Adjusted R-squared: 0.7023  
F-statistic: 54.07 on 2 and 43 DF,  $p$-value: 1.833e-12
```

**Perhaps larger model is better?**

# Overfitting

Stepwise procedures tend to find models that fit the given data set “too well” - may overfit and include too many variables.

Akaike Information Criterion (*AIC*) - balances **goodness of fit** with **model size**:

$$AIC = n \log \left( \frac{SSE}{n} \right) + 2k.$$

$n$  = number of data points,  $k$  = number of variables selected.



# AIC criterion - The step() procedure

step() function in R does stepwise selection by minimising AIC as selection criterion.

```
aicstepr <- lm(weight ~ ., data=horseshearts)
step(aicstepr)
```

Start: AIC=-40.5

```
weight ~ innersys + innerdia + outersys + outerdia + extsys +
        extdia
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
- innersys	1	0.204	14.272	-41.836
- outerdia	1	0.551	14.618	-40.732
- innerdia	1	0.623	14.690	-40.507
<none>			14.067	-40.500
- outersys	1	1.689	15.756	-37.285
- extsys	1	1.788	15.856	-36.995
- extdia	1	1.901	15.968	-36.670

Step: AIC=-41.84

```
weight ~ innerdia + outersys + outerdia + extsys + extdia
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
- outerdia	1	0.467	14.739	-42.355
<none>			14.272	-41.836
- extsys	1	1.590	15.862	-38.977
- extdia	1	1.701	15.973	-38.657
- outersys	1	2.112	16.383	-37.489
- innerdia	1	2.590	16.862	-36.164

# AIC criterion - The step() procedure

Step: AIC=-42.35

```
weight ~ innerdia + outersys + extsys + extdia
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
<none>			14.739	-42.355
- extdia	1	1.325	16.064	-40.395
- extsys	1	1.351	16.090	-40.322
- outersys	1	2.097	16.836	-38.235
- innerdia	1	3.208	17.947	-35.295

Call:

```
lm(formula = weight ~ innerdia + outersys + extsys + extdia, data = horseshearts)
```

Coefficients:

(Intercept)	innerdia	outersys	extsys	extdia
-1.5120	0.7991	0.4931	-0.2360	0.2500

The procedure stops since removing any variable increases *AIC*.

# AIC criterion - The step() procedure

Saving the final model.

```
ModelAIC <- step(aicstepr)  
class(ModelAIC)
```

```
[1] "lm"
```

Specifying the direction, number of steps, and the scope of the models investigated.

```
m0 <- lm(weight ~ 1, data=horseshearts)  
m1 <- lm(weight ~ ., data=horseshearts)  
step(m1, scope=list(lower=m0,upper=m1), direction="both")  
step(m0, scope=list(lower=m0,upper=m1), direction="forward",step=2)  
step(m1, scope=list(lower=m0,upper=m1), direction="backward",step=1)
```

# Choosing the “best” model

In general we use stepwise procedures to identify good models, but final choice should be made using **many criteria, not just one**, e.g:

- ▶ Compare residual plots (do I have outliers or influential points?);
- ▶ Some variables should be included because of context;
- ▶ Some variable choices may not make sense.
- ▶ Do model predictions make sense. Fit to part of data, predict remaining data and compare.

**i.e. researcher chooses, not the computer!**

# Factors

- ▶ Factors are discrete valued variables. The values a factor takes are called levels. For example:
  - ▶ Drug Treatment (Control, Drug A, Drug B)
  - ▶ Sex (Male, Female)
  - ▶ Month (Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec)
  - ▶ Water Temperature (Cold, Warm, Hot)
- ▶ Factor levels can be ordered or nominal.
  - ▶ **Ordered:** Water Temperature (Cold < Warm < Hot)
  - ▶ **Nominal:** Diet: Corn, Grain, Soybean (no natural ordering of levels)
- ▶ Numerical variables with discrete levels can be modelled as factors.
- ▶ Common in experimental design because you can set the levels.
- ▶ We model factors by changes in the mean response for each level - not with regression lines.

# One-way ANOVA

Used to analyse experiments with ONE factor.

<b>Model:</b>	fit = overall effect + treatment effect.	
<b>Fit:</b>	mean of response for treatment group	$\bar{y}_i$
<b>Overall effect:</b>	mean of all responses	$\bar{y}$
<b>Treatment effect:</b>	fit - overall effect	$\bar{y}_i - \bar{y}$

Let  $y_{ij}$  be the  $j^{th}$  replicate of treatment  $i$ . Then:

$$\begin{array}{lclclcl} y_{ij} & = & \bar{y} & + & (\bar{y}_i - \bar{y}) & + & (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_i) \\ \text{Observation} & = & \text{overall} & + & \text{treatment} & + & \text{residual} \\ & = & & \text{fit} & & + & \text{residual} \end{array}$$

## One-way example: fabrics.txt

Flammability test on five samples from each of four different fabrics.

Fabric 1	Fabric 2	Fabric 3	Fabric 4
17.8	11.2	11.8	14.9
16.2	11.4	11.0	10.8
17.5	15.8	10.0	12.8
17.4	10.0	9.2	10.7
15.0	10.4	9.2	10.7
$\bar{y}_1 = 16.78$	$\bar{y}_2 = 11.76$	$\bar{y}_3 = 10.24$	$\bar{y}_4 = 11.98$
$\bar{y} = 12.69$	(mean of all 20 observations)		

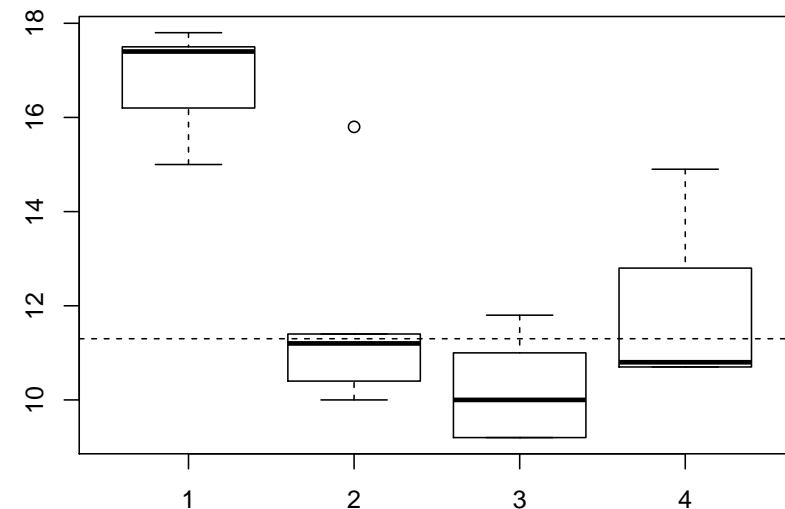
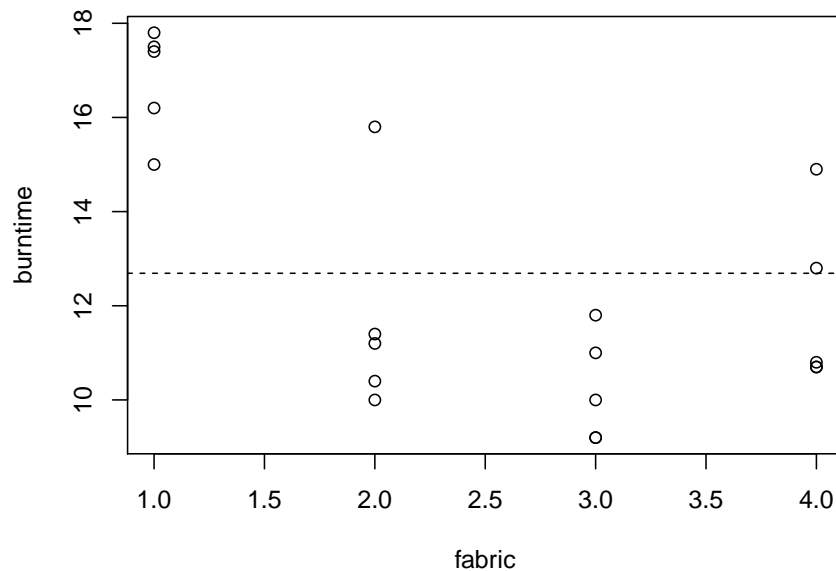
e.g. Fabric 1 effect =  $16.78 - 12.69 = 4.09$

Residual for 5<sup>th</sup> observation of Fabric 1

$$y_{15} = 15.0 - 16.78 = -1.78.$$

# EDA - Plots: fabrics.txt

```
fabrics <- read.table("Data/fabrics.txt", header=TRUE)
attach(fabrics)
plot(fabric,burntime)           # Fabric is numeric, produces dot plots
abline(h=mean(burntime))       # Draw line at mean of all burntimes
plot(factor(fabric),burntime)  # Produces box plots
abline(h=median(burntime))     # Draw line at median of all burntimes
plot(factor(fabric),burntime)
abline(h=median(burntime), lty=2)
```



- Fabrics 2 and 4 burntimes are similar.
- Fabric 1 burntimes seem much higher.



## Decompose variation

$$\sum \sum (y_{ij} - \bar{y})^2 = \sum \sum (\bar{y}_i - \bar{y})^2 + \sum \sum (y_{ij} - \bar{y}_i)^2$$

Total Sum Sq

Factor Sum Sq

Residual Sum Sq

i.e. **same as regression** but  $\bar{y}_i$  replaces  $\hat{y}$ .

Let  $k$  = number of treatments (factor levels).

$n$  = total number of observations (all groups).

Then *Total df* =  $n - 1$ , *Factor df* =  $k - 1$ , and *Residual df* =  $n - k$ .

*MeanSq* = *SumSq*/*df* and  $F = \text{FactorMS} / \text{Residual MS}$ .

(i.e. both terms same as for regression)

# One-way ANOVA in R

Let  $\mu_i$  be the true mean of the  $i^{th}$  group ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$ ).

$H_0 : \mu_1 = \mu_2 = \dots = \mu_k$  (no difference in means).

$H_1$  : not  $H_0$  (i.e. at least one difference).

```
oneway <- lm(burntime ~ factor(fabric))  
anova(oneway)
```

Analysis of Variance Table

Response: burntime

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
factor(fabric)	3	120.50	40.166	13.892	0.0001016 ***
Residuals	16	46.26	2.891		

---

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

$p$ -value is close to 0 - reject  $H_0$  and conclude that burnt times differ across fabrics.

# One-way ANOVA in R

```
summary(oneway)
```

```
Call:
```

```
lm(formula = burntime ~ factor(fabric))
```

```
Residuals:
```

```
      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.780 -1.205 -0.460  0.775  4.040
```

```
Coefficients:
```

```
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)    16.7800     0.7604  22.067 2.09e-13 ***
factor(fabric)2  -5.0200     1.0754  -4.668 0.000257 ***
factor(fabric)3  -6.5400     1.0754  -6.081 1.59e-05 ***
factor(fabric)4  -4.8000     1.0754  -4.463 0.000392 ***
```

```
---
```

```
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
Residual standard error: 1.7 on 16 degrees of freedom
```

```
Multiple R-squared:  0.7226, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6706
```

```
F-statistic: 13.89 on 3 and 16 DF,  p-value: 0.0001016
```

- ▶ Fabric type explains 72% of variation in burntimes.
- ▶ What does this mean?

# One-way ANOVA in R

The R command `lm()` creates linear model for fit: equation takes **value of  $i$**  (fabric type) and outputs **the corresponding treatment mean,  $\bar{y}_i$** .

How? By creating **indicator variables** for each level after the first level - e.g. for  $2^{nd}$  fabric.

$$I_2 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if factor is at level 2} \\ 0 & \text{if factor is at other level} \end{cases}$$

So R output tells us that the regression equation is:

$$\text{Expected burn time} = 16.78 - 5.02 \times I_2 - 6.54 \times I_3 - 4.8 \times I_4.$$

# One-way ANOVA in R

To explore differences between means (i.e. if  $H_0$  is rejected), use `Tukey.HSD()` command - produces confidence intervals for every paired difference  $(\mu_i - \mu_j)$ .

Cannot use two-sample  $t$ -test because comparisons are **not all independent** of one another (same means), plus by chance we would expect 1 in 20 differences to be significant even if  $H_0$  were true.

`Tukey.HSD()` gives joint **95% confidence for all intervals simultaneously** - note only works on `aov()`.

HSD = **Honest Significant Difference** (doing separate  $t$ -tests would be “dishonest”!)

# One-way ANOVA in R

```
MC <- TukeyHSD(aov(oneway)) #only works with aov()
```

```
## Note: Only works with aov()
```

```
MC
```

```
Tukey multiple comparisons of means  
95% family-wise confidence level
```

```
Fit: aov(formula = oneway)
```

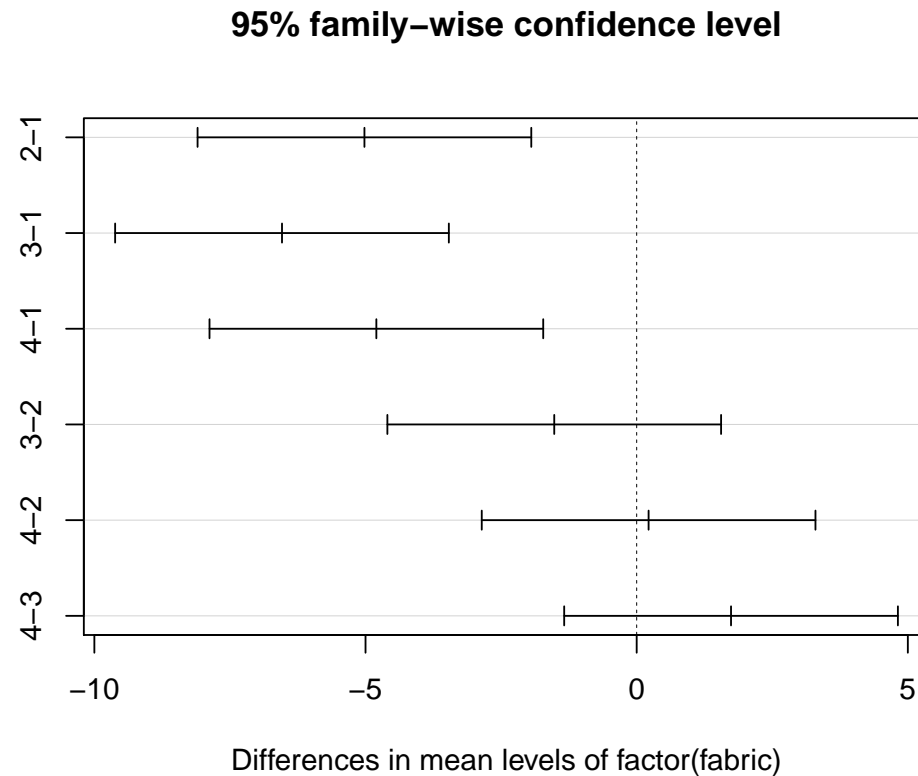
```
$`factor(fabric)`
```

	diff	lwr	upr	p adj
2-1	-5.02	-8.09676	-1.94324	0.0013227
3-1	-6.54	-9.61676	-3.46324	0.0000851
4-1	-4.80	-7.87676	-1.72324	0.0019981
3-2	-1.52	-4.59676	1.55676	0.5094118
4-2	0.22	-2.85676	3.29676	0.9968426
4-3	1.74	-1.33676	4.81676	0.3968476

- ▶ Differences between Fabric 1 burnt times and other burnt times **are all significant**.
- ▶ Differences between other burnt times are **not** significant.

# One-way ANOVA in R

`plot(MC)`



- ▶ Top three intervals DON'T include 0  $\Rightarrow$  **differences** between means.
- ▶ Bottom three intervals DO include 0  $\Rightarrow$  **NO differences** between means.

# Important note to remember

- ▶ When performing a one-way (or two-way) ANOVA, ignore the “coefficients” part of the `summary()` output - always use `Tukey.HSD()` to explore significant differences between treatments.
- ▶ In other words, **`summary()`** is only used to output  $R^2$ .



# ANOVA assumptions

Similar to LS regression assumptions:

- ▶ Responses are **normally distributed** about their means.
- ▶ **Variances are constant** across treatment groups.

Can examine residuals as before for normality.

Two tests for equal variances: **Bartlett's** (assumes normality) and **Levene's**.

If necessary, transform response variable to satisfy assumptions as before.

# Tests for equal variances in R

```
bartlett.test(burntime, fabric) # assumes normal data
Bartlett test of homogeneity of variances

data: burntime and fabric
Bartlett's K-squared = 2.6606, df = 3, p-value = 0.447

library("car") ## Must have installed it first: install.packages("car")
leveneTest(burntime ~ factor(fabric), data=fabrics)

Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)
      Df F value Pr(>F)
group  3  0.1788 0.9092
      16
```

- ▶ Both tests have produced large  $p$ -values - not enough evidence to conclude variances differ.
- ▶ i.e. conclude that equal variances assumption is satisfied.

# Two-way ANOVA

Used to analyse experiments with TWO factors - represent data in a table, **rows for factor 1 levels** and **columns for factor 2 levels**.

## MODEL:

*fit = overall effect + row effect + column effect.*

Decomposition of variation and ANOVA table similar to one-way, but now there are two factor SumSqs giving **two**  $F$  tests and  $p$ -values.

**FOUR** possible test outcomes: neither significant, factor 1 significant, factor 2 significant, both factors significant

## Two-way ANOVA: concrete.txt

Cement	1	2	3	Row Means	Row Effects
1	4	10	22	12.00	-2.42
2	5	8	28	13.67	-0.75
3	6	9	34	16.33	1.92
4	7	10	30	15.67	1.25
Col. Means	5.50	9.25	28.50	14.42	
Col. Effects	-8.92	-5.17	14.08		

- ▶ Overall mean  $\bar{y} = 14.42$ .
- ▶ Effect = (row or column) mean - overall mean:  
e.g. for first cell in table:  
fitted =  $14.42 - 2.42 - 8.92 = 3.08$   
Hence residual =  $4 - 3.08 = 0.92$

```
concrete <- read.table("Data/concrete.txt",header=TRUE)
attach(concrete)

rowmeans <- sapply(split(strength, cement),mean)
rowmeans
      1      2      3      4
12.00000 13.66667 16.33333 15.66667

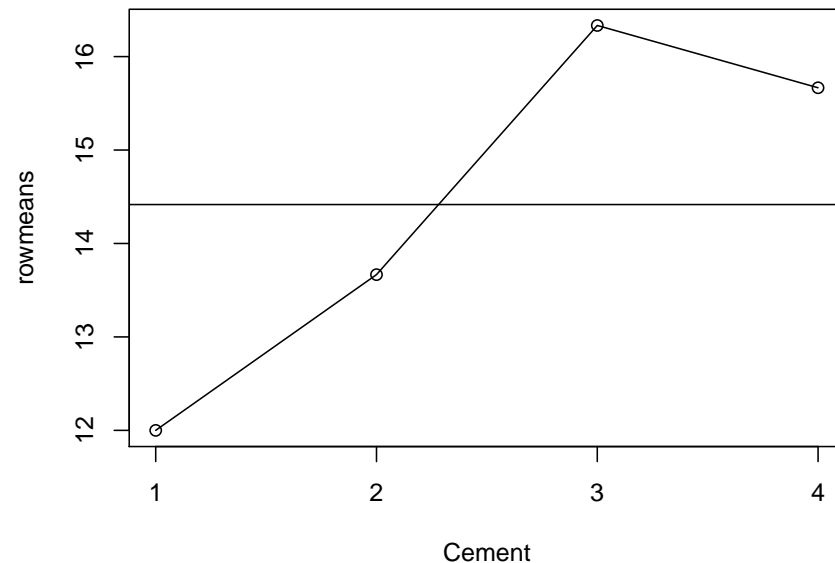
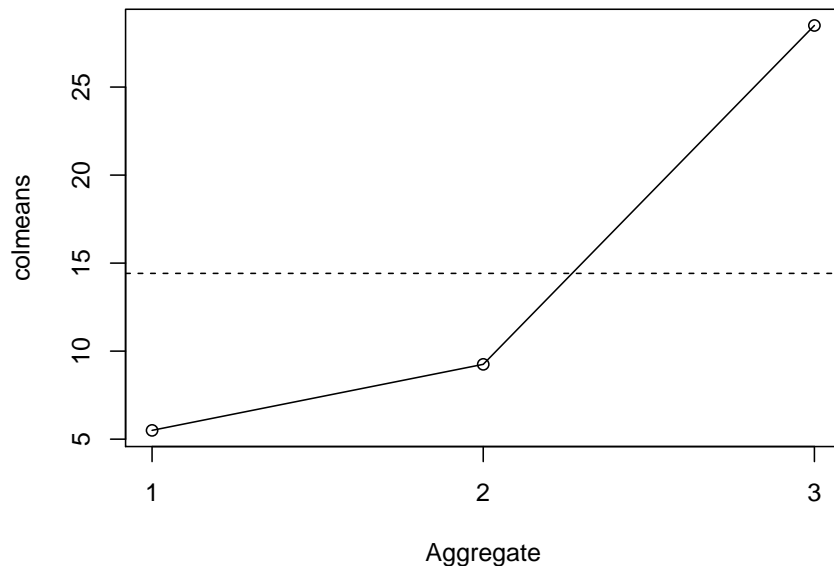
colmeans <- sapply(split(strength, aggregate),mean)
colmeans
      1      2      3
5.50  9.25 28.50
```

# Main effects plot

Plot row means and plot column means to explore magnitude of differences due to each factor.

```
agg <- c(1,2,3)
cem <- c(1,2,3,4)
plot(agg, colmeans, type="o", xlab="Aggregate", xaxp= c(1,3,2))
abline(h = mean(strength), lty=2)

plot(cem, rowmeans, type="o", xlab="Cement", xaxp = c(1,4,3))
abline(h = mean(strength))
```



*Note:* Different scales on  $y$  axis.

Aggregate seems to have greater effect than Cement.

# Two-way ANOVA in R

```
twoway <- lm(strength ~ factor(aggregate) + factor(cement))  
anova(twoway)
```

## Analysis of Variance Table

Response: strength

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
factor(aggregate)	2	1218.17	609.08	76.4007	5.394e-05 ***
factor(cement)	3	34.92	11.64	1.4599	0.3165
Residuals	6	47.83	7.97		

---

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- ▶ Aggregate is significant.
- ▶ Cement is not significant.
- ▶ To maximise concrete strength, choose Aggregate 3 (cement can be chosen using other reasons, e.g. cost, availability).

# Two-way ANOVA with Interaction

Suppose we **hold one factor constant**, and **vary the levels of the other factor**.

If the changes are the same (similar) regardless of which first factor level was chosen, then there is no (little) interaction.

However if the response changes are not similar, then the two factors are **interacting with one another**.

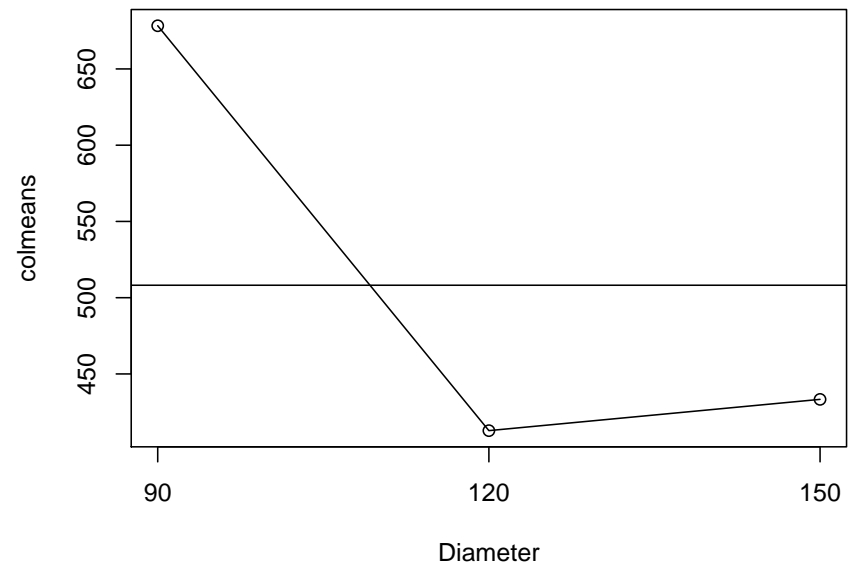
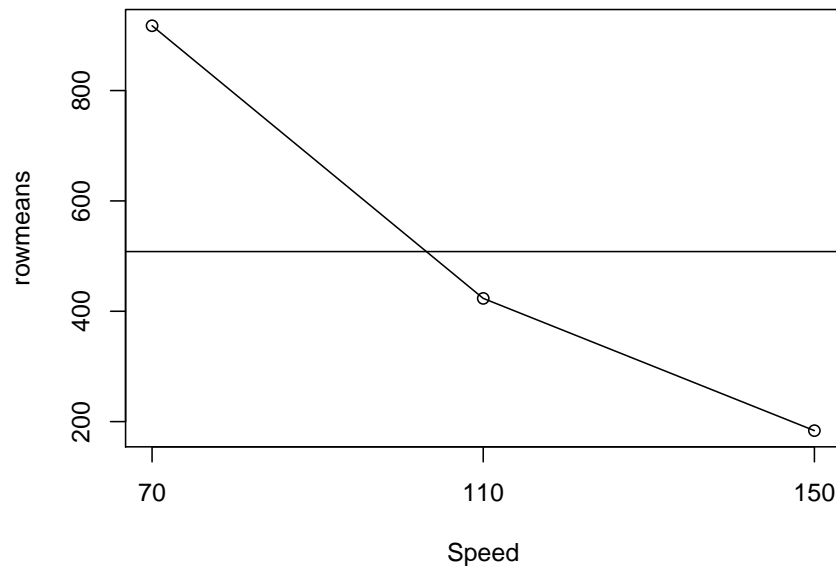
Need to investigate whether interaction is present, and if so incorporate it into the fitted model.

*Note:* Need at **least 2 replicates per cell**.

## Example: `mixingtime.txt`

A large paddle is used to mix milk that has been collected and stored in large vats.

The optimal mixing time depends on both the diameter of the paddle and its rotation speed (3 levels for each). `mixingtime.txt`

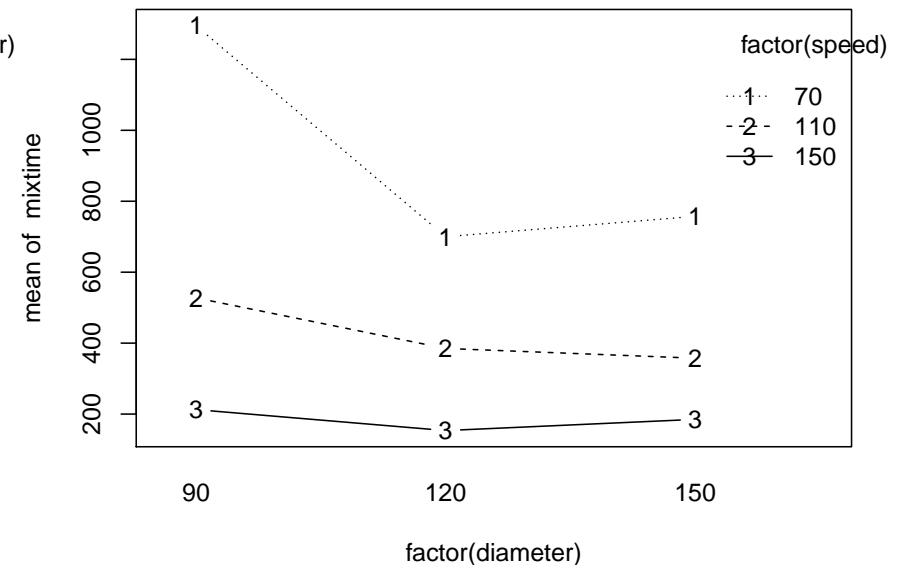
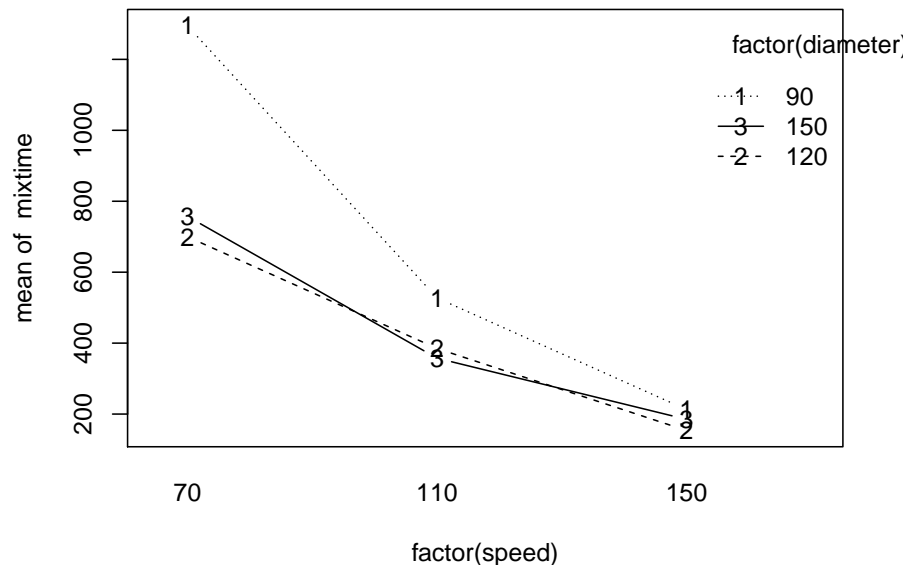


The variable `speed` seems to have greater effect than `Diameter`.  
What about **interaction** between `speed` and `diameter`?



# Interaction Plots: `mixingtime.txt`

```
interaction.plot(factor(speed), factor(diameter), mixingtime, type = "b")  
interaction.plot(factor(diameter), factor(speed), mixingtime, type = "b")
```



- ▶ If **lines** (close to) **parallel**  $\Rightarrow$  **no** (little) **interaction present**.
- ▶ Plots suggest there may be some interaction.

# Two-way model with interaction

*fit = overall effect + row effect + column effect + interaction effect.*

**Two** factor SumSqs plus an interaction SumSq giving **three**  $F$  tests and  $p$ -values.

Interaction is represented using multiplication symbol ( $\times$  or  $*$ ) between factors.

If interaction term is not significant then can refit ANOVA model without interaction term.

Use `Tukey.HSD()` to explore differences as before.

# R output

```
twowayintact <- lm(mixtime ~ factor(diameter)*factor(speed))
anova(twowayintact)
```

## Analysis of Variance Table

Response: mixtime

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)	
factor(diameter)	2	261871	130935	10.4688	0.004478	**
factor(speed)	2	1680304	840152	67.1737	3.893e-06	***
factor(diameter):factor(speed)	4	205749	51437	4.1126	0.036349	*
Residuals	9	112565	12507			
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Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

*Diameter, speed and interaction term are all significant in determining optimal mixing time.*

*Note:*

$\text{df}(\text{rowfactor}) = r - 1$  ( $r$  = no. of levels/rows)  
 $\text{df}(\text{columnfactor}) = c - 1$  ( $c$  = no. of levels/columns)  
 $\text{df}(\text{interaction}) = (r - 1)(c - 1)$ , so  
 $\text{df}(\text{residuals}) = (n - 1) - (r - 1) - (c - 1) - (r - 1)(c - 1)$

# Analysis of covariance (ANCOVA)

Indicator variables allow us to explore the effect of a factor on a regression situation (quantitative explanatory variable and quantitative response variable) - the factor is called a **covariate**.

Analysis allows different regression lines (different slopes and/or intercepts) for different levels of the covariate by testing for significance using the linear model framework.

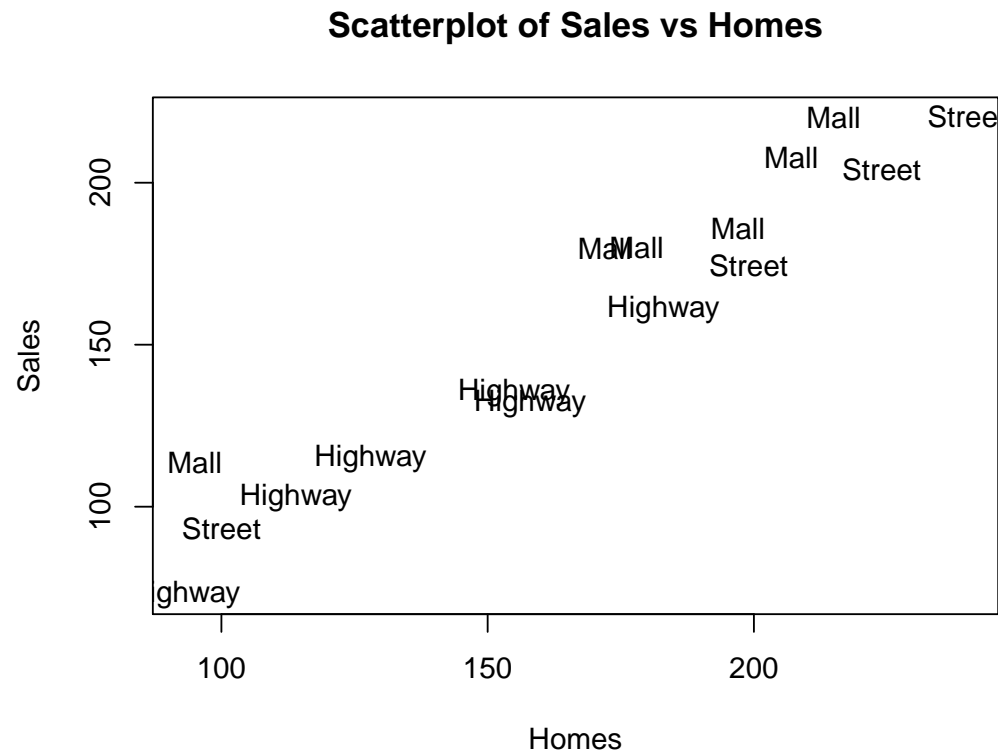
## ANCOVA Example: restaurant.txt

Restaurant sales ( $Y$ ) depend on the number of households ( $X$ ) and the restaurant location (factor).

Restaurant	Sales	Households	Location	I2	I3
1	135.27	155	Highway	0	0
2	72.74	93	Highway	0	0
3	114.95	128	Highway	0	0
4	102.93	114	Highway	0	0
5	131.77	158	Highway	0	0
6	160.91	183	Highway	0	0
7	179.86	178	Mall	1	0
8	220.14	215	Mall	1	0
9	179.64	172	Mall	1	0
10	185.92	197	Mall	1	0
11	207.82	207	Mall	1	0
12	113.51	95	Mall	1	0
13	203.98	224	Street	0	1
14	174.48	199	Street	0	1
15	220.43	240	Street	0	1
16	93.19	100	Street	0	1

# ANCOVA Example: restaurant.txt

```
restaurant <- read.table("Data/restaurant.txt", header = TRUE)
attach(restaurant)
plot(homes,sales,type="n",xlab="Homes",ylab="Sales",
     main="Scatterplot of Sales vs Homes")
text(homes,sales,as.character(location))
```



- ▶ Looks like **two parallel lines are needed**, one for Mall and a common one for Highway and Street.
- ▶ i.e. **one** slope, **two** intercepts.

# ANCOVA Model

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 I_2 + \beta_2 I_3 + (\beta_3 + \beta_4 I_2 + \beta_5 I_3)X.$$

Allows (up to) **three different lines**:

Highway:  $I_2 = I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow Y = \beta_0 + \beta_3 X$

Mall:  $I_2 = 1, I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow Y = (\beta_0 + \beta_1) + (\beta_3 + \beta_4)X$

Street:  $I_2 = 0, I_3 = 1 \Rightarrow Y = (\beta_0 + \beta_2) + (\beta_3 + \beta_5)X$

# R Output - Interaction model with X and factor

```
anc <- lm(sales ~ homes*location)
summary(anc)

Call:
lm(formula = sales ~ homes * location)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-11.656  -2.794   1.128   3.013   7.528

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)   -6.20298    11.81820   -0.525   0.6111
homes           0.90949     0.08339   10.906 7.14e-07 ***
locationMall   39.22325    16.45140    2.384   0.0383 *
locationStreet  8.03627    16.27339    0.494   0.6321
homes:locationMall -0.07418     0.10450   -0.710   0.4940
homes:locationStreet -0.01205     0.10067   -0.120   0.9071
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 6.136 on 10 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.9889, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9833
F-statistic: 177.8 on 5 and 10 DF,  p-value: 1.97e-09
```

Only  $X$  (Homes) and  $I_2$  (Mall indicator) are significant (confirms EDA from plot - one slope, two intercepts)



# R Output

Extract  $I_2$  and then regress  $Y$  on  $X$  and  $I_2$ .

```
I2 <- model.matrix(anc)[,3]
final <- lm(sales ~ homes + I2)
summary(final)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = sales ~ homes + I2)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-13.040	-2.031	1.063	4.526	6.928

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-3.29802	5.81307	-0.567	0.58
homes	0.90567	0.03429	26.411	1.11e-12 ***
I2	23.84174	3.28906	7.249	6.47e-06 ***

---

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 6.257 on 13 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.985, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9826

F-statistic: 425.7 on 2 and 13 DF, p-value: 1.418e-12

# R Output

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )	
(Intercept)	-3.29802	5.81307	-0.567	0.58	
homes	0.90567	0.03429	26.411	1.11e-12	***
I2	23.84174	3.28906	7.249	6.47e-06	***

Highway and Street locations ( $I_2 = 0$ ):

$$\hat{y} = -3.298 + 0.906x$$

Mall locations ( $I_2 = 1$ ):

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{y} &= (-3.298 + 23.84) + 0.906x \\ &= 20.54 + 0.906x\end{aligned}$$

# R Output

```
plot(homes,sales,type="n",xlab="Homes",ylab="Sales",  
     main="Scatterplot of Sales vs Homes")  
text(homes,sales,as.character(location))  
abline(reg = final)  
abline(coef = c(20.54,0.9057), lty = 2)  
legend("bottomright", lty=1:2, c("Highway & Street", "Mall"))  
plot(homes,sales,type="n",xlab="Homes",ylab="Sales")  
text(homes,sales,as.character(location))
```

