STAT 435: Quiz 1

Due 09/26 11:59pm

For this quiz discussions are permitted however the code should be your own. All work should be done in Rmarkdown. Upload both .rmd and .pdf files to canvas.

- Q1 Consider the data provided with the quiz and do the following.
 - a. Import the data set in R.
 - b. The data contains the variables y, X1, X2 and X3. The objective of this problem is to predict the response y based on X1, X2 and X3 and to determine which variables are significantly associated with the response. Perform a multiple regression to answer this question. Provide a prediction at X1 = 0.25, X2 = 0.5, X3 = 0 and compute the corresponding confidence and prediction intervals.
 - c. Analyse the residuals to detect potential problems with your analysis in part (b).
 - d. Propose solutions to the problems that you detect in part (c) and implement them on the data set. [Hint: studentized residual can be computed using the function studres(), cooks distance using cooks.distance() and the variance inflation factor using vif(). The function vif() is part of the R package car which you may need to install and unpack].
 - e. Rerun your analysis of part (a) on the data that you obtain from part (d)
 - f. Provide a prediction at X1 = 0.25, X2 = 0.5, X3 = 0 and compute the corresponding confidence and prediction intervals. Compare with the prediction in part (a) and comment on which you think is more believable.