

STAT 511: HW #4

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Workspace Setup

```

library(nortest)
library(olsrr)
library(car)
library(lmtest)
library(MASS)
library(ggplot2)

setwd("C:/Users/RUMIL/Desktop/APU/STAT 511 - Millie Mao (Applied Regression Analysis)/Week 6/Hw 4")

gpa_data = read.table(file = "GPA.txt", header = FALSE, sep = "")

gpa_data_extended = read.table(file = "GPA_Extended.txt", header = FALSE, sep = "")

# Adding headers
names(gpa_data) <- c("GPA", "ACT")
names(gpa_data_extended) <- c("GPA", "ACT", "IQ", "Rank")
# names(bank_data) <- c("", "")

# Defining dependent and independent vars
GPA = gpa_data$GPA #Y
ACT = gpa_data$ACT #X1
IQ = gpa_data_extended$IQ #X2
RANK = gpa_data_extended$Rank #X3

gpa_lm = lm(GPA ~ ACT, data = gpa_data)
summary(gpa_lm)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = GPA ~ ACT, data = gpa_data)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.74004 -0.33827  0.04062  0.44064  1.22737
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.11405    0.32089   6.588 1.3e-09 ***
## ACT          0.03883    0.01277   3.040 0.00292 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.6231 on 118 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.07262,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.06476
## F-statistic:  9.24 on 1 and 118 DF,  p-value: 0.002917

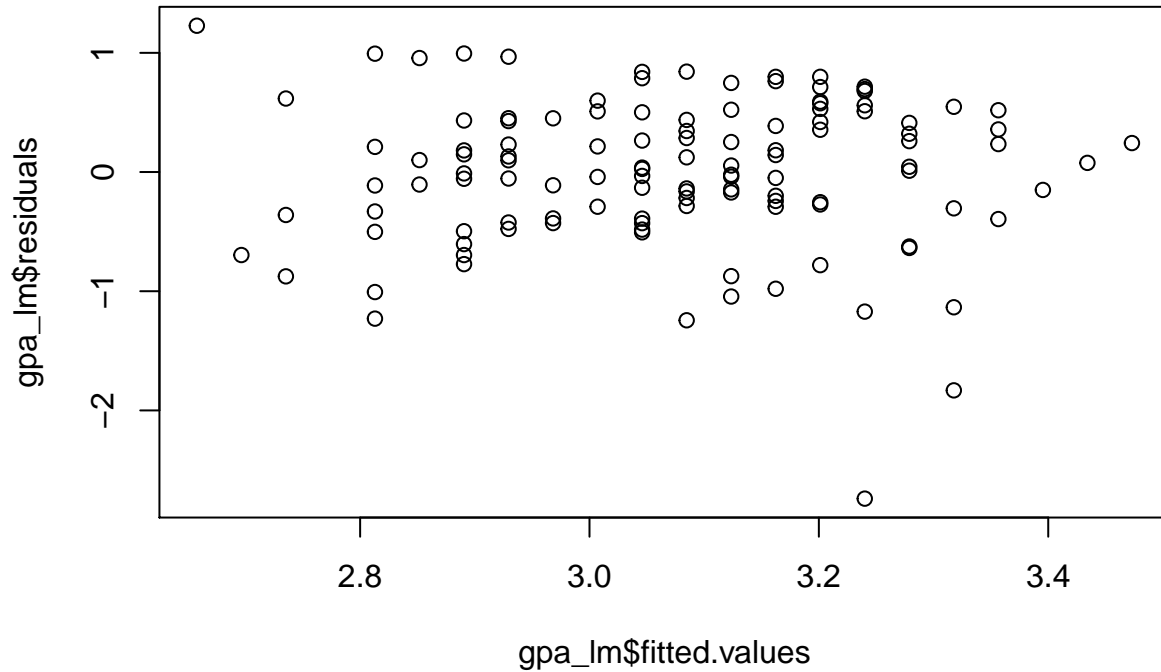
```

Refer to the GPA problem (GPA.txt) for Questions 1-3

1. Diagnostic plots:

(a). Plot the regression residuals against the predicted values of the variable (residuals on the vertical axis). Check the linearity assumption visually.

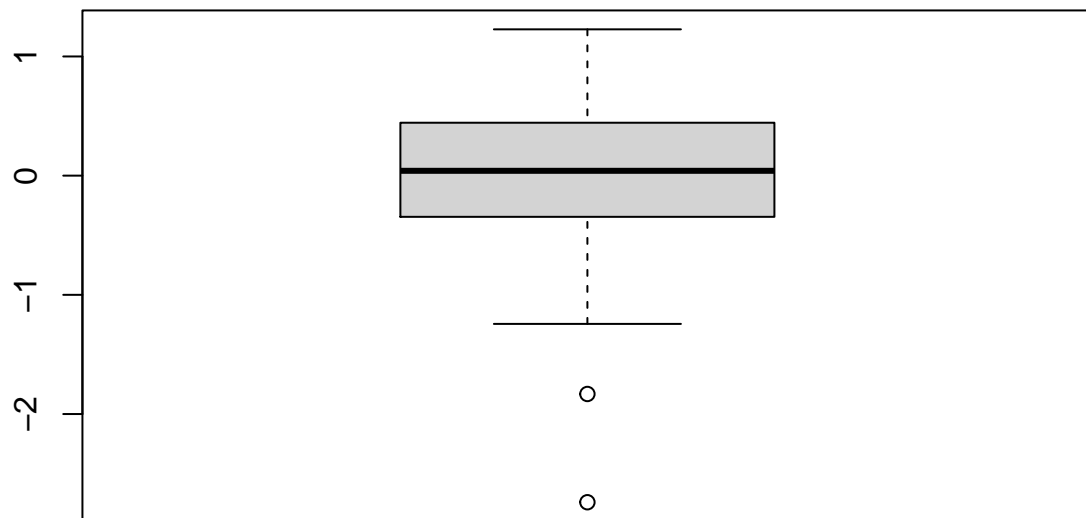
```
plot(gpa_lm$fitted.values, gpa_lm$residuals)
```



The assumption of linearity is **not violated** because we are **not seeing** any systemic patterns in the plots.

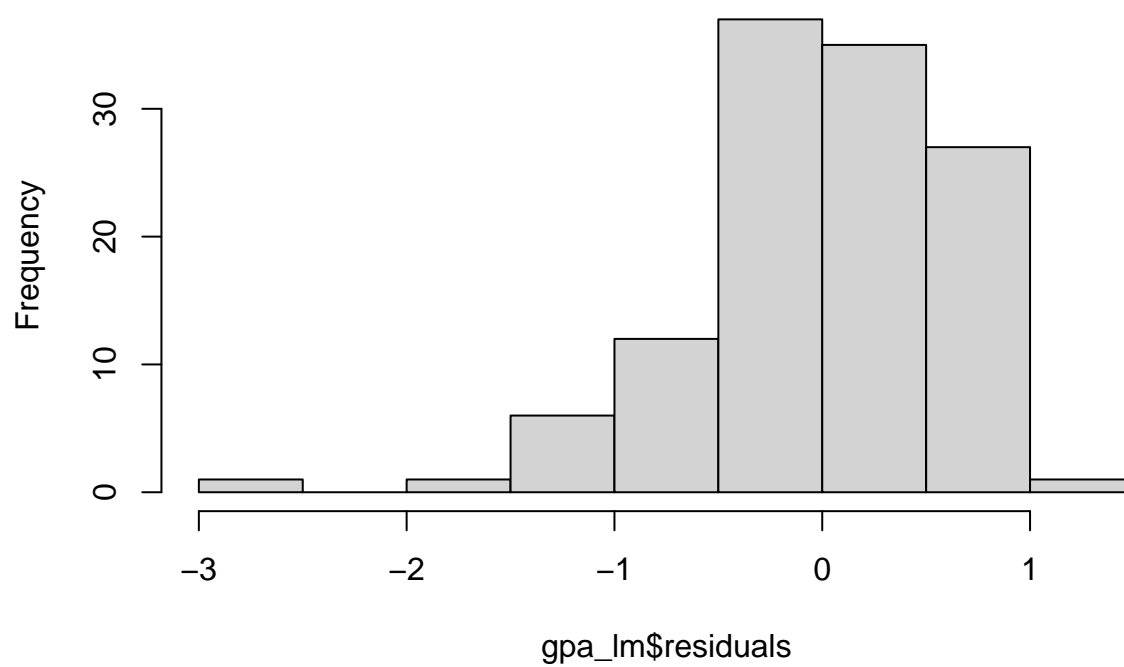
(b). Draw the boxplot, histogram, and normal probability plot of the regression residuals. Check the normality assumption visually.

```
#boxplot  
boxplot(gpa_lm$residuals)
```

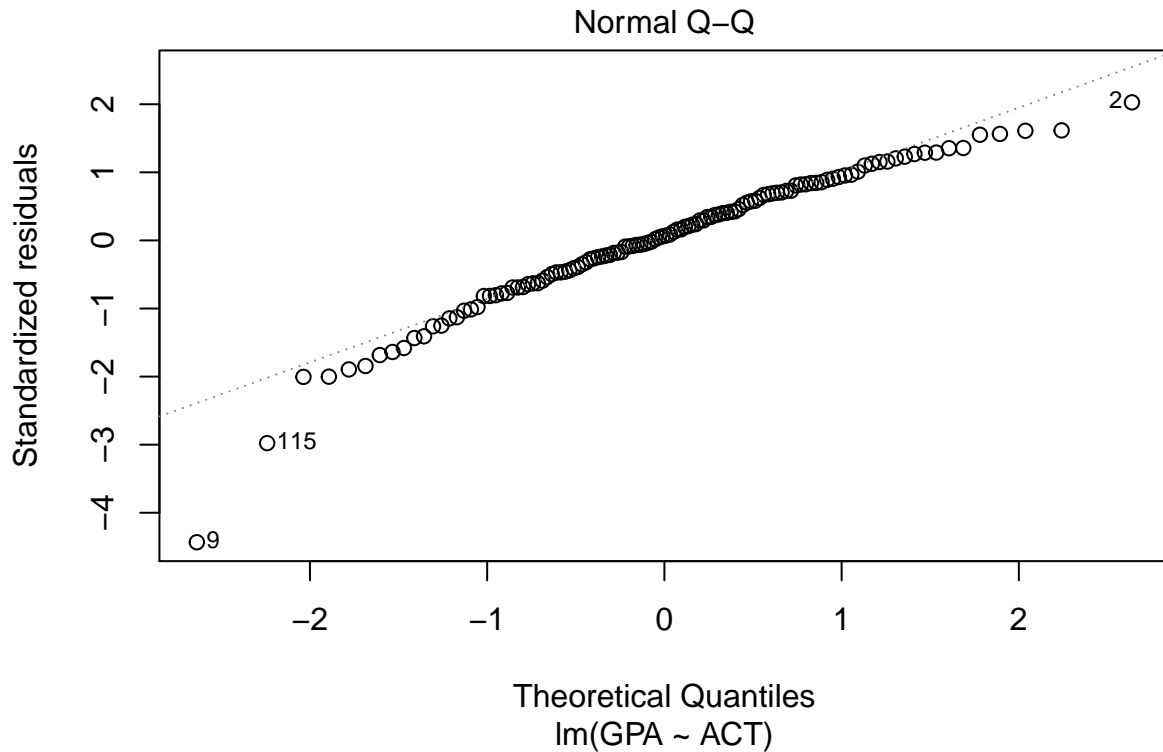


```
#histogram  
hist(gpa_lm$residuals)
```

Histogram of gpa_lm\$residuals



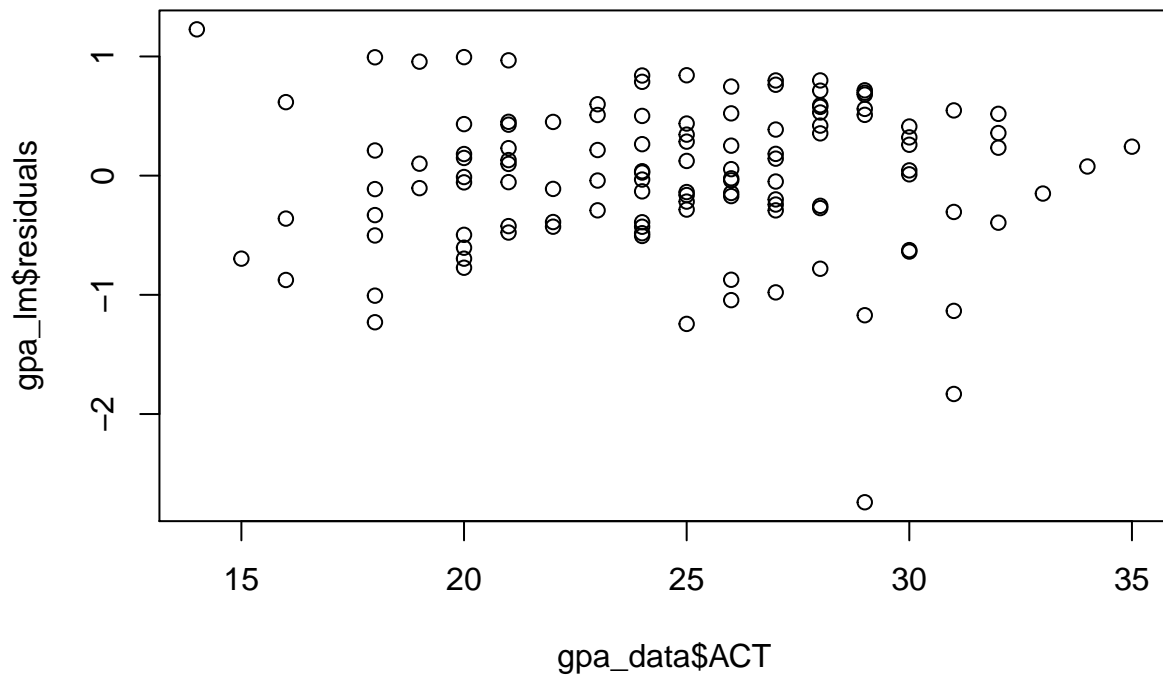
```
#Plotting specifically for QQ Plot  
plot(gpa_lm, c(2))
```



Based on the outputs, the box plot is asymmetrical as shown by the outliers, the histogram is left skewed similar to what the normal Q-Q plot is indicating. These plots show that the assumption of normality is violated.

(c). Plot the regression residuals against the `ACT` variable (residuals on the vertical axis). Check the equal variance assumption visually.

```
plot(gpa_data$ACT, gpa_lm$residuals)
```



Based on the plot, we can see no systematic pattern and can therefore conclude visually that our assumption of equal variance is not violated.

2. Diagnostic Tests:

(a). Use normality tests to check the normality assumption and draw a conclusion.

Stating our Hypothesis

Null Hypothesis: H_0 : The data **is** from a normal distribution

Alternative Hypothesis: H_1 : The data is **NOT** from a normal distribution

Testing our Hypothesis

To test these we can use several normality tests using...

- Shapiro-Wilk normality test
- Shapiro-Francia normality test
- Anderson-Darling normality test

```
#Shapiro-Wilk normality test
shapiro.test(gpa_lm$residuals)
```

```
##
##  Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data:  gpa_lm$residuals
## W = 0.95249, p-value = 0.0003304
```

```
#Shapiro-Francia normality test
nortest::sf.test(gpa_lm$residuals)
```

```
##
##  Shapiro-Francia normality test
##
## data:  gpa_lm$residuals
## W = 0.94815, p-value = 0.0003307
```

```
#Anderson-Darling normality test
nortest::ad.test(gpa_lm$residuals)
```

```
##
##  Anderson-Darling normality test
##
## data:  gpa_lm$residuals
## A = 0.77141, p-value = 0.04384
```

Interpretation of Normality Tests

Looking at the results of these three tests we can see that the p-values are smaller than our alpha. Therefore we reject our NULL hypothesis and that **there is an issue and a violation of our normality assumption.**

(b). Use Modified Levene Test and Breusch-Pagan Test to check the equal variance assumption and draw a conclusion.

Testing Equal Variance Assumptions

Stating our Hypothesis

Null Hypothesis: H_0 : The variances in the data is equal **Alternative Hypothesis:** H_1 : The variances in the data are NOT equal

Testing our Hypothesis Using Breusch-Pagan test

```
#Conducting Levene Test splitting into two groups

#obtaining median of X to use as a threshold
gpa_median = median(gpa_data$ACT)
#ifelse: splitting X into 2 groups
#one group x < gpa_median, another with x >= gpa_median
```



```
#ifelse( "if this equation is true", "then do this", "else do this")
gpa_group = ifelse(gpa_data$ACT < gpa_median,
                  "Group1",
                  "Group2")
```

```
#Levene "Modified" test using median (default in R)
leveneTest(gpa_lm$residuals, gpa_group)
```

```
## Warning in leveneTest.default(gpa_lm$residuals, gpa_group): gpa_group coerced to
## factor.
```

```
## Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)
##      Df F value Pr(>F)
## group  1  0.3997 0.5285
##      118
```

```
#b.f.test(infection_lm, data = SENIC)
```

```
lmtest::bptest(gpa_lm, studentize = FALSE)
```

```
##
## Breusch-Pagan test
##
## data: gpa_lm
## BP = 0.63928, df = 1, p-value = 0.424
```

Both Modified Levene and Breusch-Pagan test gives us high p values indicating that we cannot **reject the null hypothesis** and conclude that there is no issue with our equal variance assumption.

(c). Conduct a lack-of-fit test for the regression model and conclude on the model fitness.

Stating our Hypothesis

Null Hypothesis: H_0 : The regression line **IS adequate** in describing the relationship between ACT and GPA

Alternative Hypothesis: H_1 : The regression line is **NOT adequate** in describing the relationship between ACT and GPA

Testing our Hypothesis by Conducting our Lack of Fit Test (F Test)

```
#Lack of Fit Test
ols_pure_error_anova(gpa_lm)
```

```
## Lack of Fit F Test
## -----
## Response : GPA
## Predictor: ACT
```

```
##
##              Analysis of Variance Table
## -----
##              DF          Sum Sq      Mean Sq      F Value      Pr(>F)
## -----
## ACT              1      3.587846      3.587846      9.030747      0.003243287
## Residual        118      45.81761      0.3882848
## Lack of fit       19      6.485674      0.3413513      0.8591944      0.6324492
## Pure Error       99      39.33193      0.3972923
## -----
```

Based on the small p value 0.003243287, we reject the null hypothesis and conclude with the alternative hypothesis that our regression line is **NOT adequate** in describing the relationship between ACT and GPA.

3. Remediation:

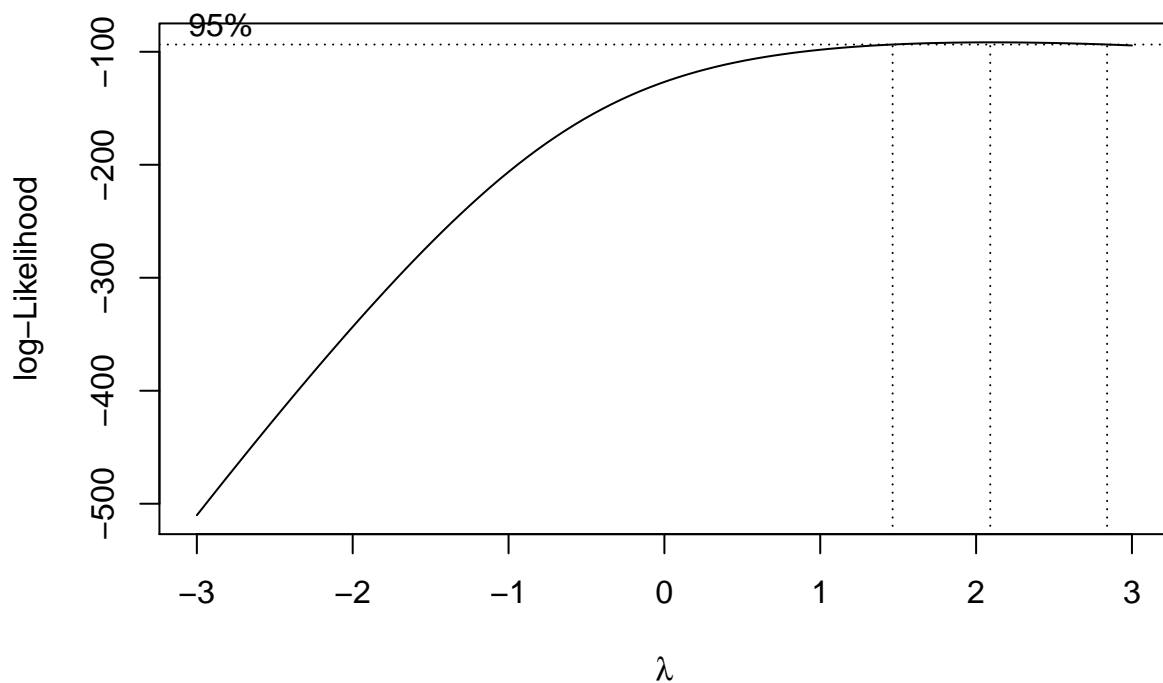
(a). Use Box-Cox method to find the best transformation of \ln based on a range of $[-3, 3]$, i.e., what is an approximate value of the optimal \ln ?

#Applying Box-Cox Method

```
MASS::boxcox(gpa_lm, lambda = seq(-3, 3, by = 0.1), plotit = FALSE)
```

```
## $x
## [1] -3.0 -2.9 -2.8 -2.7 -2.6 -2.5 -2.4 -2.3 -2.2 -2.1 -2.0 -1.9 -1.8 -1.7 -1.6
## [16] -1.5 -1.4 -1.3 -1.2 -1.1 -1.0 -0.9 -0.8 -0.7 -0.6 -0.5 -0.4 -0.3 -0.2 -0.1
## [31] 0.0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 1.0 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4
## [46] 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9 2.0 2.1 2.2 2.3 2.4 2.5 2.6 2.7 2.8 2.9
## [61] 3.0
##
## $y
## [1] -510.19604 -492.76784 -475.47555 -458.32876 -441.33815 -424.51564
## [7] -407.87457 -391.42991 -375.19840 -359.19888 -343.45240 -327.98248
## [13] -312.81524 -297.97951 -283.50680 -269.43114 -255.78868 -242.61714
## [19] -229.95486 -217.83967 -206.30744 -195.39047 -185.11583 -175.50376
## [25] -166.56641 -158.30692 -150.71918 -143.78812 -137.49056 -131.79654
## [31] -126.67096 -122.07523 -117.96895 -114.31140 -111.06269 -108.18472
## [37] -105.64182 -103.40108 -101.43256 -99.70933 -98.20731 -96.90513
## [43] -95.78392 -94.82705 -94.01992 -93.34967 -92.80504 -92.37612
## [49] -92.05418 -91.83152 -91.70132 -91.65754 -91.69481 -91.80831
## [55] -91.99373 -92.24719 -92.56518 -92.94453 -93.38232 -93.87593
## [61] -94.42291
```

```
MASS::boxcox(gpa_lm, lambda = seq(-3, 3, by = 0.1), plotit = TRUE)
```

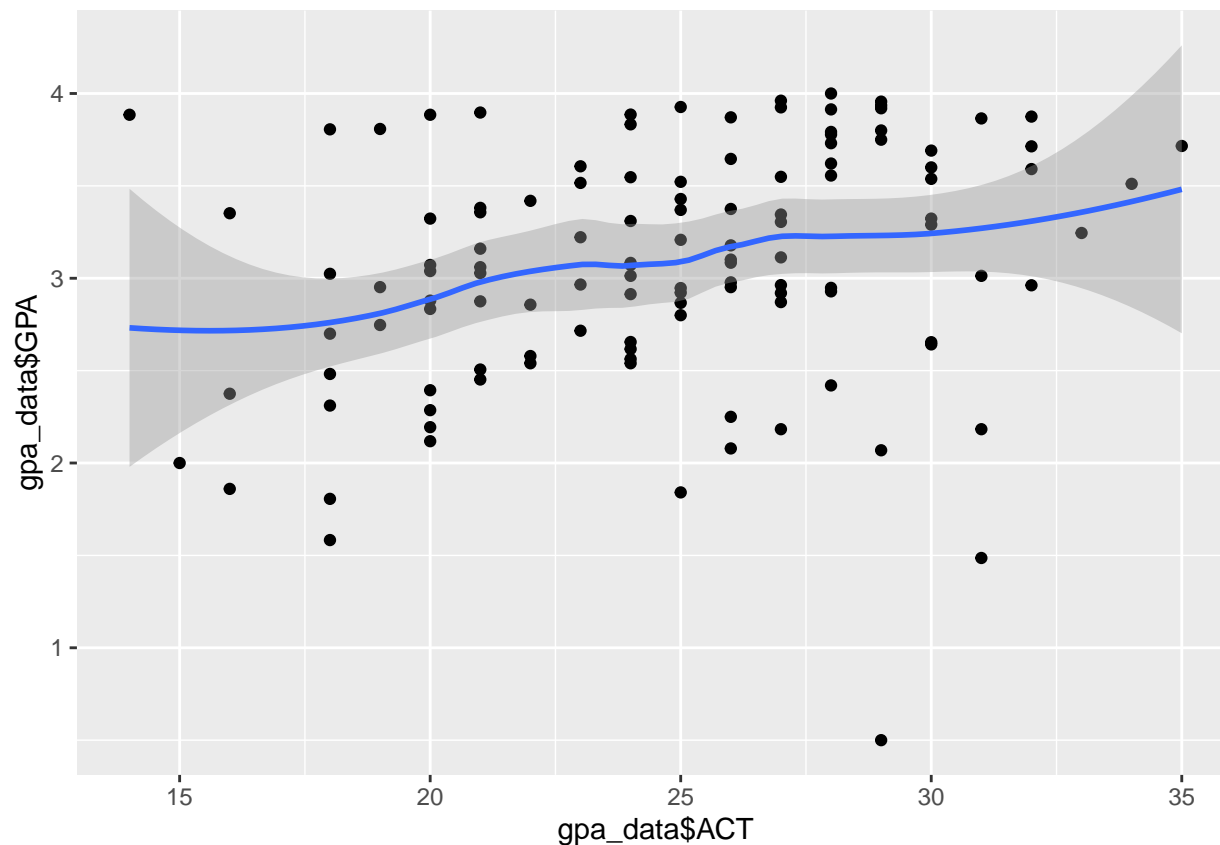


The graph shows us the most optimal value of λ is at roughly 2.1

(b). Plot a smooth curve that best fits the dataset using LOESS method. Is the fitted smooth curve close to linear?

```
#LOESS scatterplot and smoothed curve
smoothplot = qplot(gpa_data$ACT, gpa_data$GPA, geom=c("point", "smooth"))
smoothplot
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using method = 'loess' and formula 'y ~ x'
```



***The fitted smooth curve is somewhat linear although the fit it is not a good fit.

4. Check for Omitted Predictors

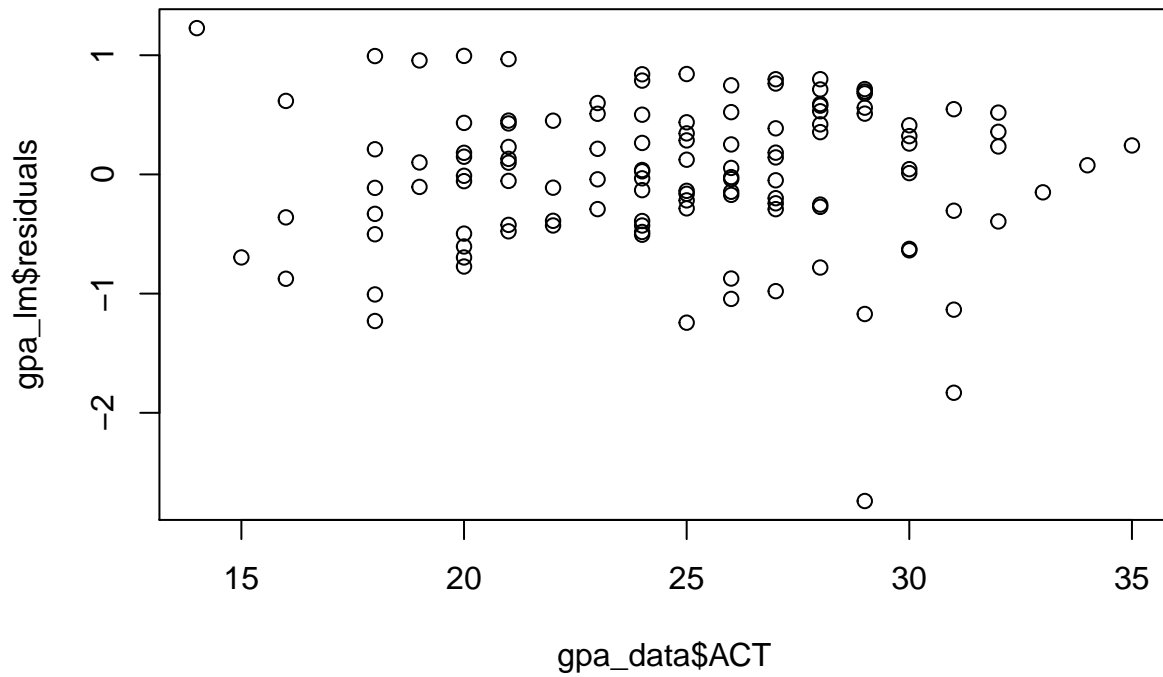
```
#Running a simple linear regression of GPA on ACT
lm(GPA ~ ACT, data = gpa_data)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = GPA ~ ACT, data = gpa_data)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      ACT
##      2.11405      0.03883
```

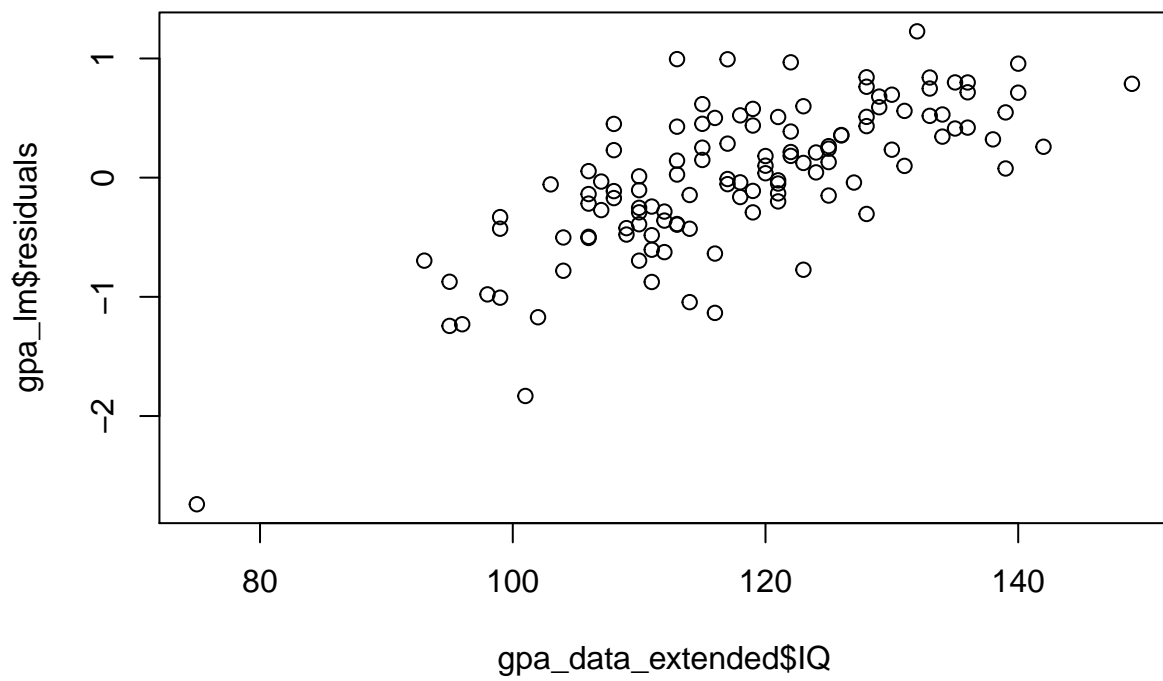
```
gpa_lm
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = GPA ~ ACT, data = gpa_data)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      ACT
##      2.11405      0.03883
```

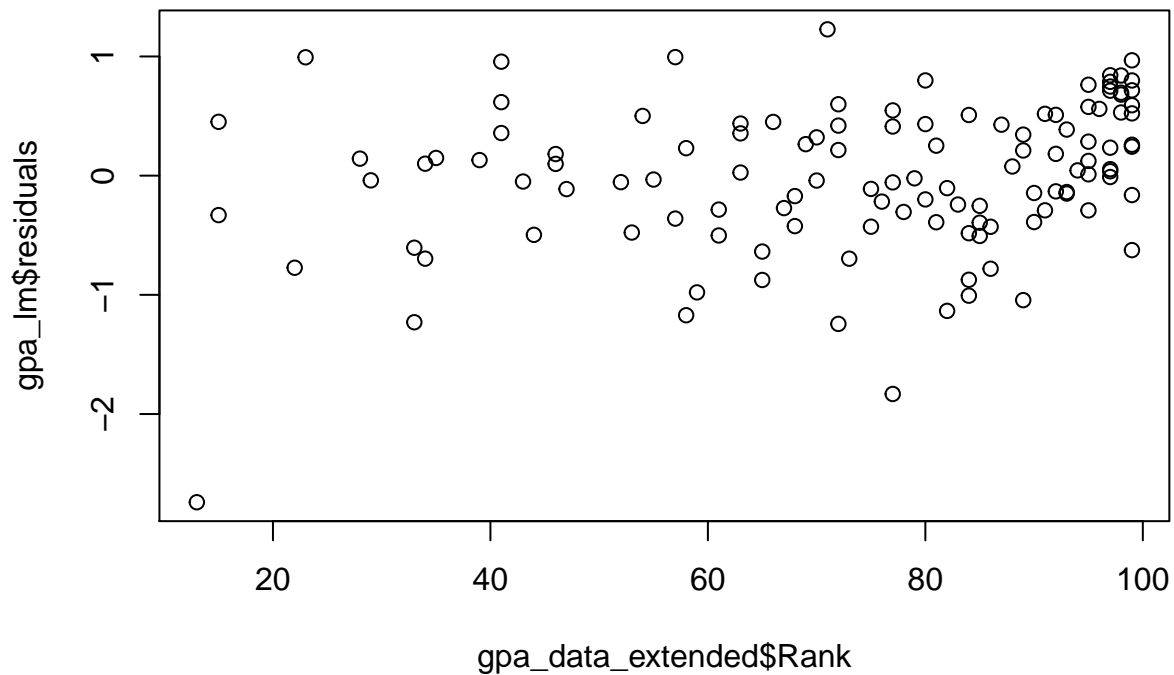
```
#Plotting gpa_lm
plot(gpa_data$ACT, gpa_lm$residuals)
```



```
#plotting regression residuals of gpa_lm against IQ (X2) and Rank(X3)
plot(gpa_data_extended$IQ, gpa_lm$residuals)
```



```
plot(gpa_data_extended$Rank, gpa_lm$residuals)
```



```
summary(lm(GPA ~ IQ, data = gpa_data_extended))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = GPA ~ IQ, data = gpa_data_extended)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -1.1672 -0.2402 -0.0225  0.2977  1.0193
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -1.873921   0.345709  -5.421  3.2e-07 ***
## IQ           0.041944   0.002915  14.389 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3899 on 118 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.637, Adjusted R-squared:  0.6339
## F-statistic: 207 on 1 and 118 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
summary(lm(GPA ~ Rank, data = gpa_data_extended))
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = GPA ~ Rank, data = gpa_data_extended)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -1.94233 -0.40879  0.05516  0.48679  1.25950
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  2.306901   0.185497  12.436  < 2e-16 ***
## Rank         0.010417   0.002406   4.329 3.15e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.6011 on 118 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.1371, Adjusted R-squared:  0.1298
## F-statistic: 18.74 on 1 and 118 DF,  p-value: 3.153e-05
```

Based on the outputs, there is a visible pattern when plotting the residuals of our GPA-ACT linear regression model against potentially omitted variable, IQ (X_2). As for Rank it the plots on the graph seem somewhat scattered but more concentration the higher the rank gets.

***What constitutes as a distinct and systematic visible pattern?

IQ is a potentially omitted variable in our GPA-ACT regression model, because the plot shows a linear pattern. Rank...