## No. 29: Simple linear regression.

- 1. Write a program that
  - reads the natural number  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  and the pairs of data  $(x_i, y_i), i = 1, \ldots, n$ ;
  - displays the scatter plot corresponding to the given data in a Cartesian coordinate system;
  - determines and displays the coefficients  $\widehat{\beta}_0$  and  $\widehat{\beta}_1$  of the predicted regression line  $y = \widehat{\beta}_0 + \widehat{\beta}_1$ ;
  - plots the regression line in the same Cartesian coordinate system as the scatter plot;
  - displays the residuals  $e_i = y_i \widehat{\beta}_0 \widehat{\beta}_1 x_i$ , i = 1, ..., n.
- 2. In a study of a free living population of the snake *Vipera bertis*, researchers caught and measured nine adult females. Notice that this data comes in pairs and is given in the table below. For example  $(x_1, y_1) = (60, 136)$ .

Snake	Length (cm) $(x_i)$	Weight (g) $(y_i)$
1	60	136
2	69	198
3	66	194
4	64	140
5	54	93
6	67	172
7	59	116
8	65	174
9	63	145

Run your program using these data. What is the weight of a snake of length 55 cm, resp. 70 cm according to this model?

3. The total consumption of electric energy in the years 1975-2005 is given in the table below. The task is to carry out a linear regression of the form  $y = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x$  through the data.

year $x_i$	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005
consumption $y_i$ [GWh]	30.663	37.995	42.815	49.951	54.177	60.502	65.199

Run your program using these data. Compute the forecast  $\hat{y}$  for 2010 and 2013.