

warmXtrophic Project: Greenup Analyses

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Script Details:

```
script_tbl <- data.frame(Item = c("OVERVIEW", "COLLABORATORS", "REQUIRES", "DATA INPUT",  
  "DATA OUTPUT", "NOTES"), Details = c("This script explores and analyses the greenup data from the K  
  "Moriah Young, Mark Hammond, Pat Bills", "Prior to running this script, make sure plant_comp_clean_  
  "Data imported as csv files from shared Google drive 'SpaCE_Lab_warmXtrophic' plant comp folder",  
  "... a brief description of the data output from through the script, including what format it's in",  
  "Each row in 'greenup' is the date at which spp_half_cover_date was recorded, per species. The 'gre
```

```
kbl(script_tbl) %>% kable_paper(full_width = F) %>% column_spec(1, bold = T, border_right = T) %>%  
  column_spec(2, width = "30em", background = "lightblue")
```

```
metadata_tbl <- data.frame(Variable = c("spp_half_cover_date", "plot_half_cover_date",  
  "state"), Definition = c("date at which 50% of a species max cover was reached (per species, per pl  
  "the date at which 50% of a plot's max cover was reached (per plot, per year)",  
  "describes each treatment: warmed or ambient"))
```

```
kbl(metadata_tbl) %>% kable_paper(full_width = F) %>% column_spec(1, bold = T, border_right = T) %>%  
  column_spec(2, width = "30em", background = "lightyellow")
```

```
# Clear all existing data  
rm(list = ls())
```

```
# Load packages  
library(tidyverse)  
library(ggplot2)  
library(lme4)  
library(olsrr)  
library(predictmeans)  
library(car)  
library(fitdistrplus)  
library(ggpubr)  
library(rstatix)  
library(vegan)  
library(interactions)  
library(sjPlot)  
library(effects)  
library(glmmTMB)  
# install.packages('TMB', type='source')
```

```
# Get data
Sys.getenv("L1DIR")
```

```
## [1] "/Volumes/GoogleDrive/Shared drives/SpaCE_Lab_warmXtrophic/data/L1/"
```

```
L1_dir <- Sys.getenv("L1DIR")
L2_dir <- Sys.getenv("L2DIR")
greenup <- read.csv(file.path(L2_dir, "final_greenup_species_L2.csv"))
greenup <- greenup %>% select(-X) # get rid of 'X' column that shows up
greenupp <- read.csv(file.path(L2_dir, "final_greenup_plot_L2.csv"))
greenupp <- greenupp %>% select(-X) # get rid of 'X' column that shows up

# Set ggplot2 plots to bw: see here for more options:
# http://www.sthda.com/english/wiki/ggplot2-themes-and-background-colors-the-3-elements
theme_set(theme_bw(base_size = 14))
# check variable types
str(greenup)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 2026 obs. of 18 variables:
## $ site : chr "kbs" "kbs" "kbs" "kbs" ...
## $ plot : chr "A1" "A1" "A1" "A1" ...
## $ year : int 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2016 2017 2016 2017 2018 ...
## $ species : chr "Acmi" "Acmi" "Acmi" "Acmi" ...
## $ spp_half_cover_date: int 197 101 122 120 127 88 108 97 99 127 ...
## $ min_green_date : int 81 80 122 120 107 81 108 85 80 127 ...
## $ treatment_key : chr "AO" "AO" "AO" "AO" ...
## $ state : chr "ambient" "ambient" "ambient" "ambient" ...
## $ insecticide : chr "no_insects" "no_insects" "no_insects" "no_insects" ...
## $ scientific_name : chr "Achillea millefolium" "Achillea millefolium" "Achillea millefolium" "A
## $ common_name : chr "common yarrow" "common yarrow" "common yarrow" "common yarrow" ...
## $ USDA_species : chr "ACMI2" "ACMI2" "ACMI2" "ACMI2" ...
## $ LTER_species : chr "ACHMI" "ACHMI" "ACHMI" "ACHMI" ...
## $ origin : chr "Native" "Native" "Native" "Native" ...
## $ group : chr "Dicot" "Dicot" "Dicot" "Dicot" ...
## $ family : chr "Fabaceae" "Fabaceae" "Fabaceae" "Fabaceae" ...
## $ duration : chr "Biennial" "Biennial" "Biennial" "Biennial" ...
## $ growth_habit : chr "Forb" "Forb" "Forb" "Forb" ...
```

```
# Order warm and ambient so that warm shows up first in plotting (and is default
# is red = warm; blue = ambient). First make it a factor.
greenup$state <- as.factor(greenup$state)
levels(greenup$state)
```

```
## [1] "ambient" "warmed"
```

```
greenup$state <- factor(greenup$state, levels(greenup$state)[c(2, 1)])
levels(greenup$state)
```

```
## [1] "warmed" "ambient"
```

```
greenupp$state <- as.factor(greenupp$state)
levels(greenupp$state)
```

```
## [1] "ambient" "warmed"
```

```
greenupp$state <- factor(greenupp$state, levels(greenupp$state)[c(2, 1)])
levels(greenupp$state)
```

```
## [1] "warmed" "ambient"
```

```
# adding sequential year variable starting at 1: this is because 2016... are
# large numbers compare with other values in the dataset. We can always label
# axes with these real years.
```

```
greenup$year_factor[greenup$year == 2016] <- 1
greenup$year_factor[greenup$year == 2017] <- 2
greenup$year_factor[greenup$year == 2018] <- 3
greenup$year_factor[greenup$year == 2019] <- 4
greenup$year_factor[greenup$year == 2020] <- 5
```

```
greenupp$year_factor[greenupp$year == 2016] <- 1
greenupp$year_factor[greenupp$year == 2017] <- 2
greenupp$year_factor[greenupp$year == 2018] <- 3
greenupp$year_factor[greenupp$year == 2019] <- 4
greenupp$year_factor[greenupp$year == 2020] <- 5
```

```
# create dataframes for kbs and umbs - remember that these contain species within
# plots
```

```
green_kbs <- subset(greenup, site == "kbs")
green_umbs <- subset(greenup, site == "umbs")
```

```
green_kbsp <- subset(greenupp, site == "kbs")
green_umbsp <- subset(greenupp, site == "umbs")
```

Data Exploration: are there differences between warmed vs. ambient plots when we account for species?

Starting with KBS

First, checking for normality in raw data. This is a little weird to do because each row in the dataframe is a species-plot combo, so you're missing the influence of species below. Instead, re-run this on plot-level half cover date (re-compute this in `plant_comp_clean_L0.R` to get that variable first). It's also not going to tell you about normality once you fit a model to these data - that's when you really need to investigate the residuals.

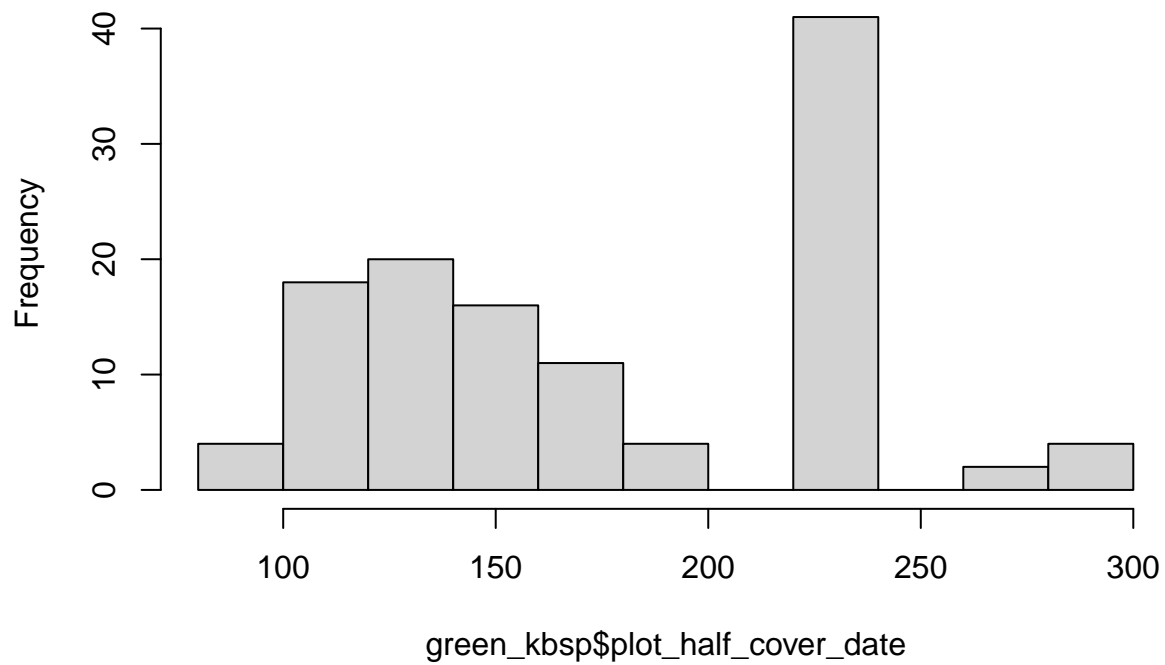
Note that since this change, some of the code below breaks because the variable name changed. Also, there seem to be some errors popping up with `qqPlot`, suggesting that something else changed when this new variable was created. Check

```
# remove species, origin, duration, growth habit, spp_half_cover_date - again, this
# should be done in other script preceding this one
green_kbsp <- subset(green_kbsp, select = c("plot_half_cover_date", "min_green_date",
      "plot", "year", "state", "insecticide", "site", "year_factor"))
head(green_kbsp)
```

```
##   plot_half_cover_date min_green_date plot year  state insecticide site
## 1                232             81   A1 2016  ambient  no_insects kbs
## 2                101             61   A1 2017  ambient  no_insects kbs
## 3                235             59   A1 2018  ambient  no_insects kbs
## 4                157            106   A1 2019  ambient  no_insects kbs
## 5                223             91   A1 2020  ambient  no_insects kbs
## 11               126             81   A2 2016   warmed   insects kbs
##   year_factor
## 1            1
## 2            2
## 3            3
## 4            4
## 5            5
## 11           1
```

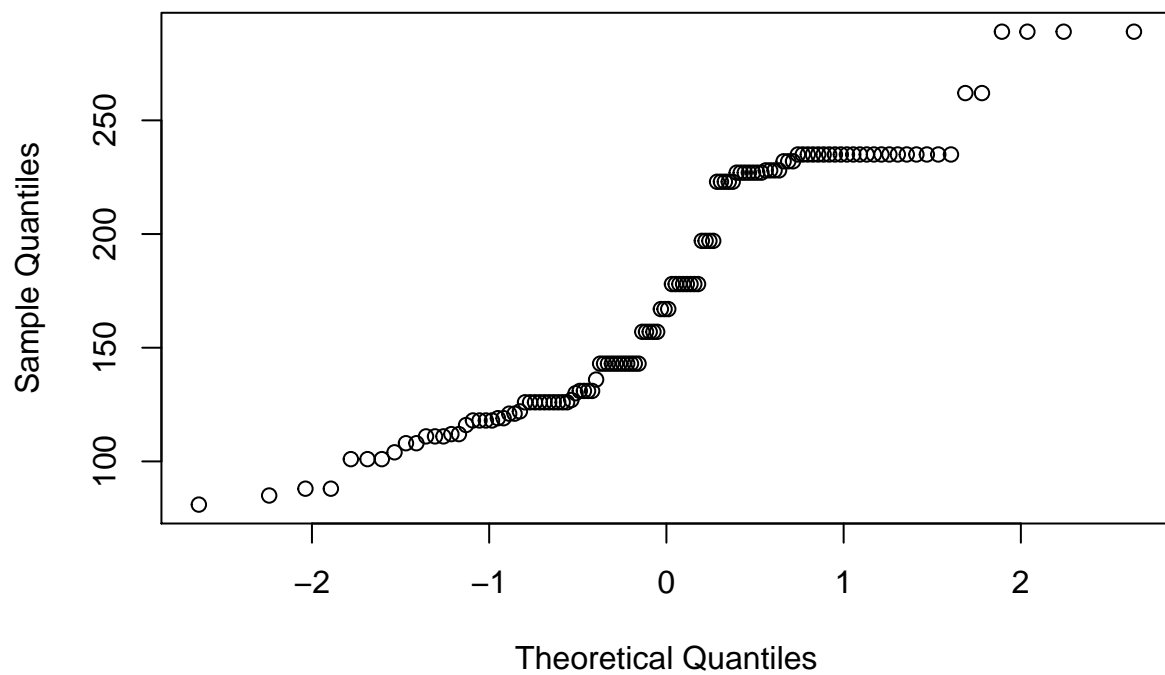
```
hist(green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date)
```

Histogram of green_kbsp\$plot_half_cover_date



```
qqnorm(green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date)
```

Normal Q-Q Plot

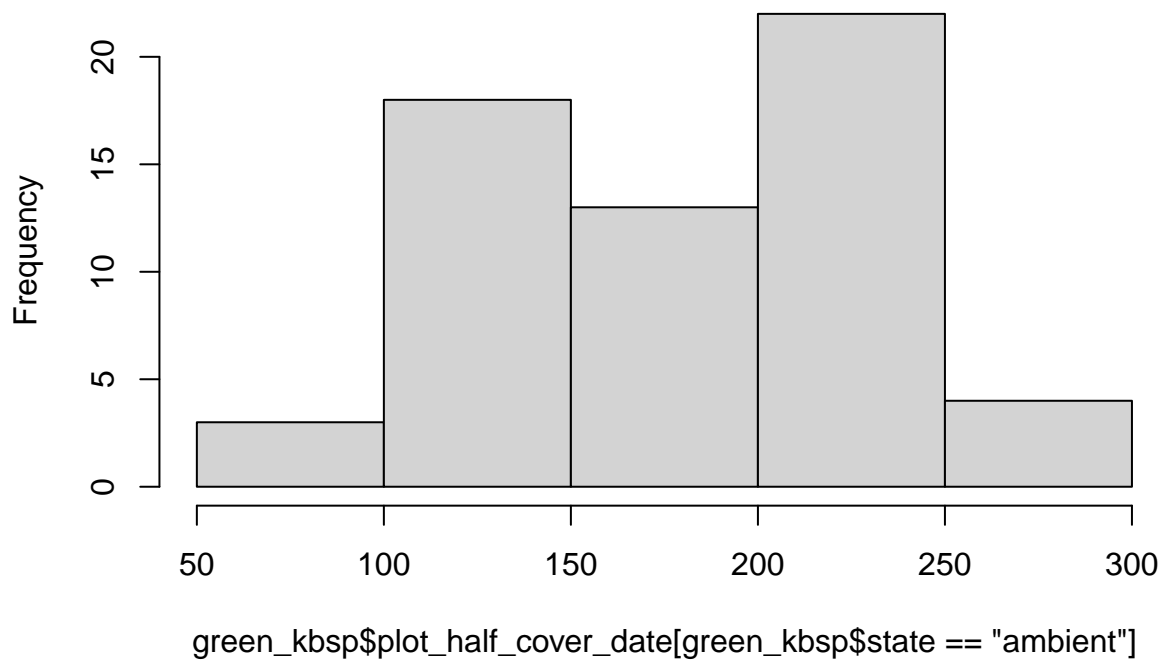


```
shapiro.test(green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date)
```

```
##  
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data:  green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date  
## W = 0.90721, p-value = 4.673e-07
```

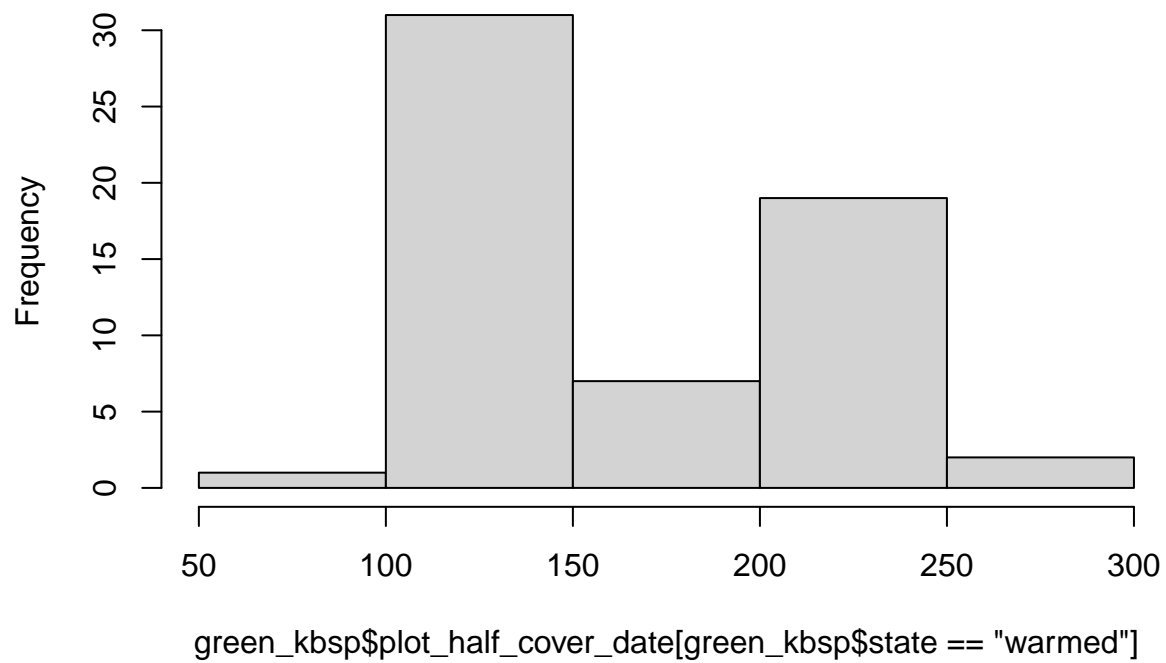
```
# histograms for each treatment separately  
hist(green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date[green_kbsp$state == "ambient"])
```

Histogram of green_kbsp\$plot_half_cover_date[green_kbsp\$state == "ambient"]



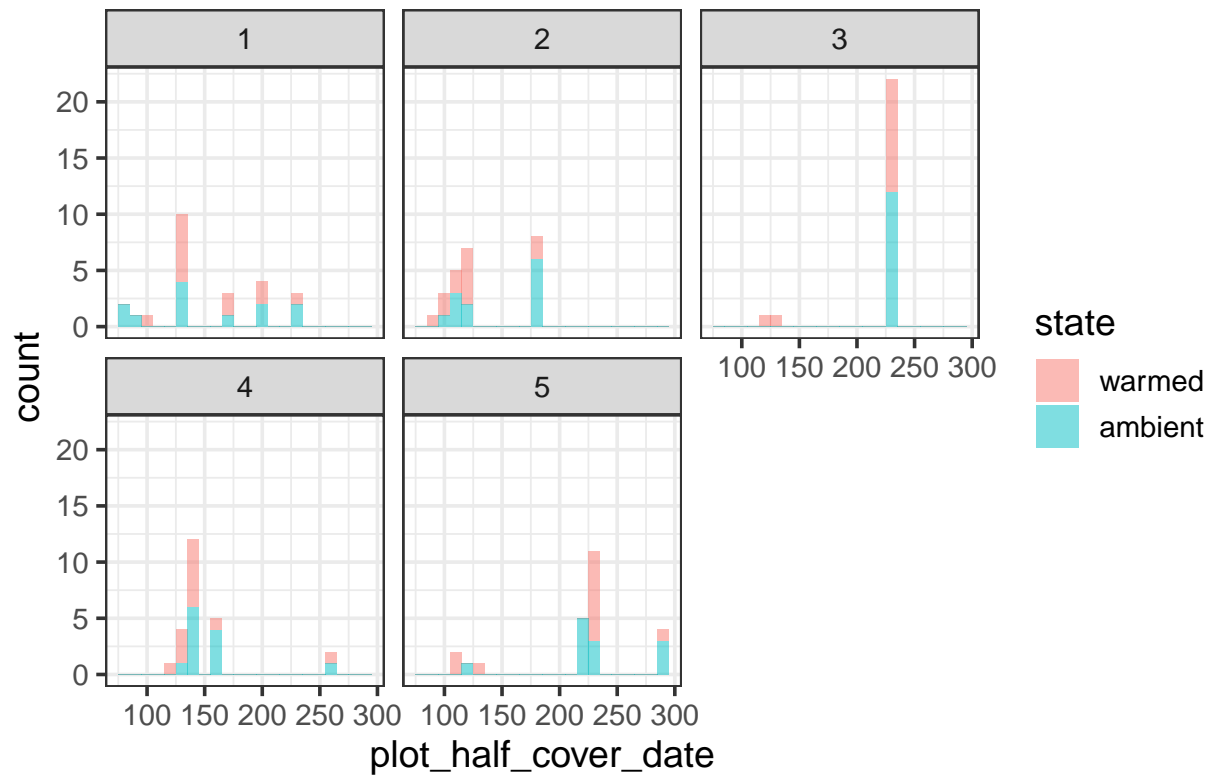
```
hist(green_kbsp$plot_half_cover_date[green_kbsp$state == "warmed"])
```

istogram of green_kbsp\$plot_half_cover_date[green_kbsp\$state == "wa



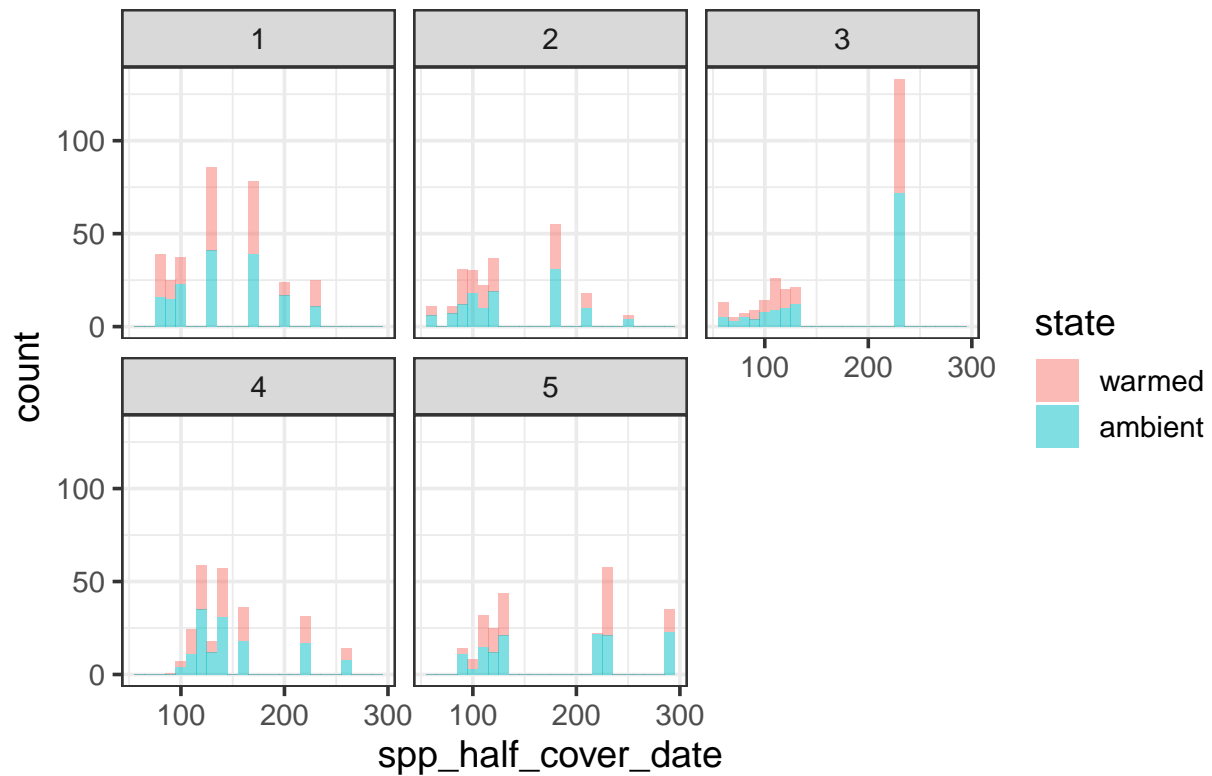
```
# histograms for each year - look at them together:  
p1 <- ggplot(data = green_kbsp, aes(x = plot_half_cover_date, fill = state)) + geom_histogram(alpha = 0.5, binwidth = 10)  
p1 + facet_wrap(~year_factor) + labs(title = "Plot-level half cover date")
```

Plot-level half cover date

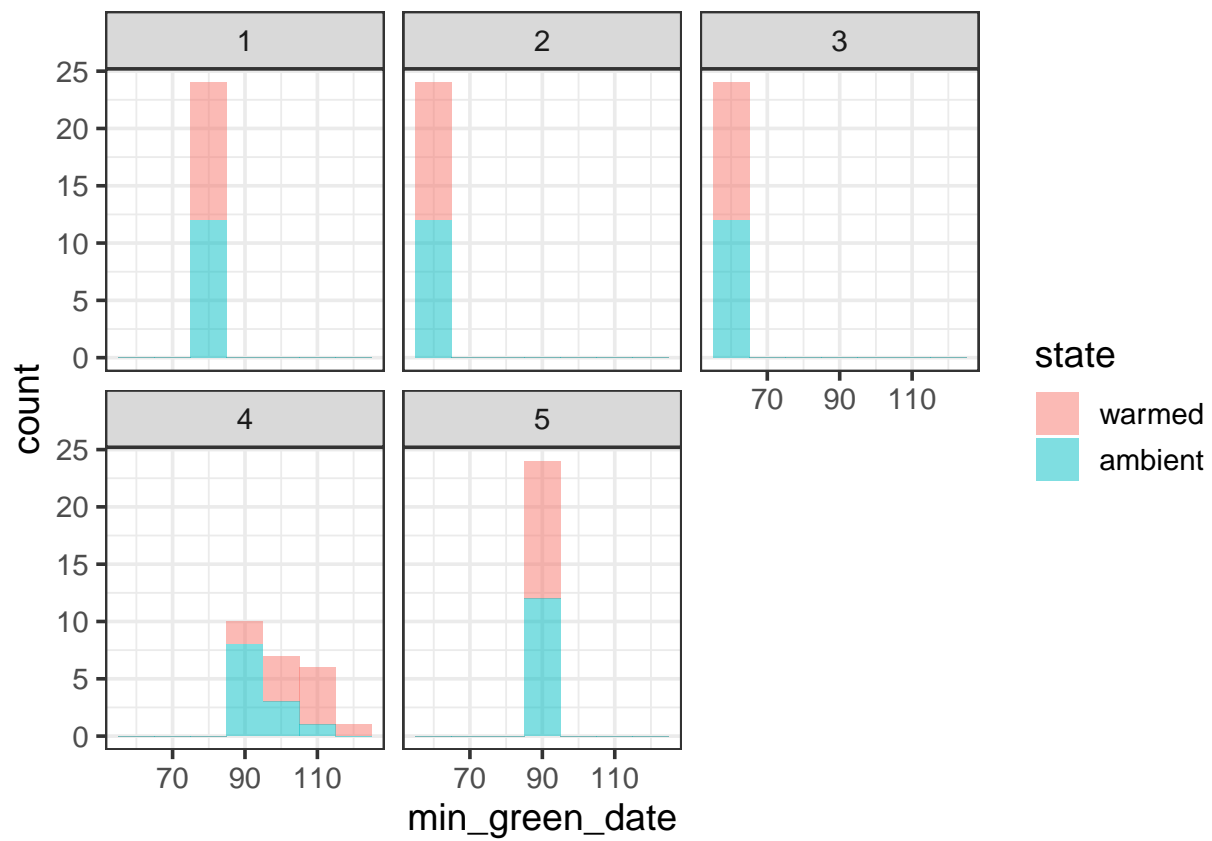


```
p1 <- ggplot(data = green_kbs, aes(x = spp_half_cover_date, fill = state)) + geom_histogram(alpha = 0.5,
  binwidth = 10)
p1 + facet_wrap(~year_factor) + labs(title = "Species-level half cover date")
```


Species-level half cover date

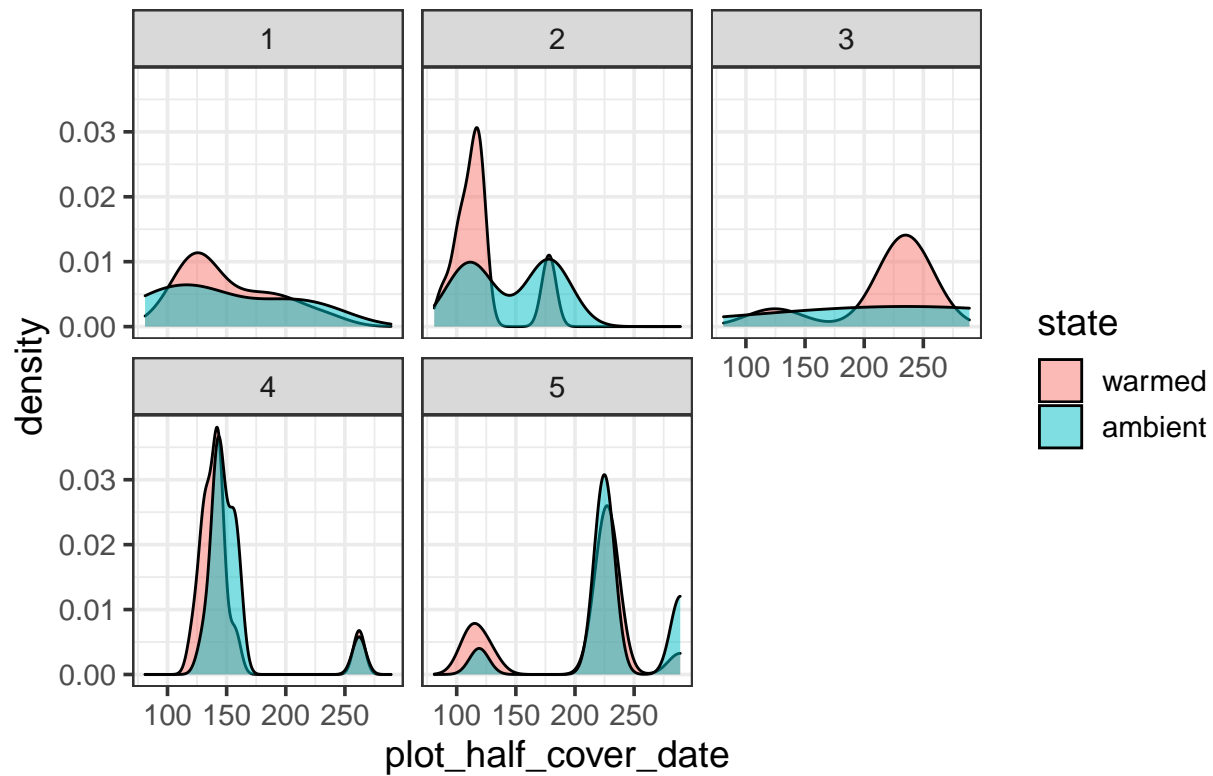


```
# this will just show sampling date artifact
p2 <- ggplot(data = green_kbsp, aes(x = min_green_date, fill = state)) + geom_histogram(alpha = 0.5,
  binwidth = 10)
p2 + facet_wrap(~year_factor)
```



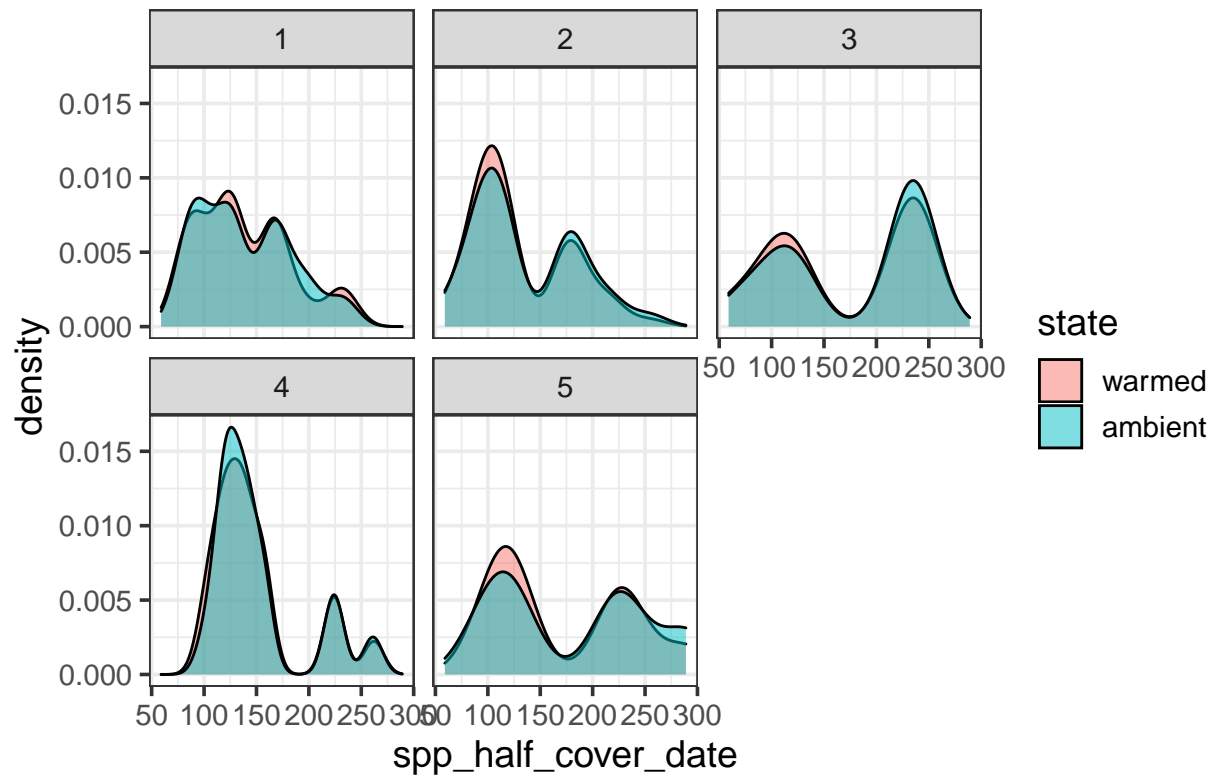
```
# Density plot
p3 <- ggplot(data = green_kbsp, aes(x = plot_half_cover_date, fill = state)) + geom_density(alpha = 0.5)
p3 + facet_wrap(~year_factor) + labs(title = "Plot-level half cover date")
```

Plot-level half cover date

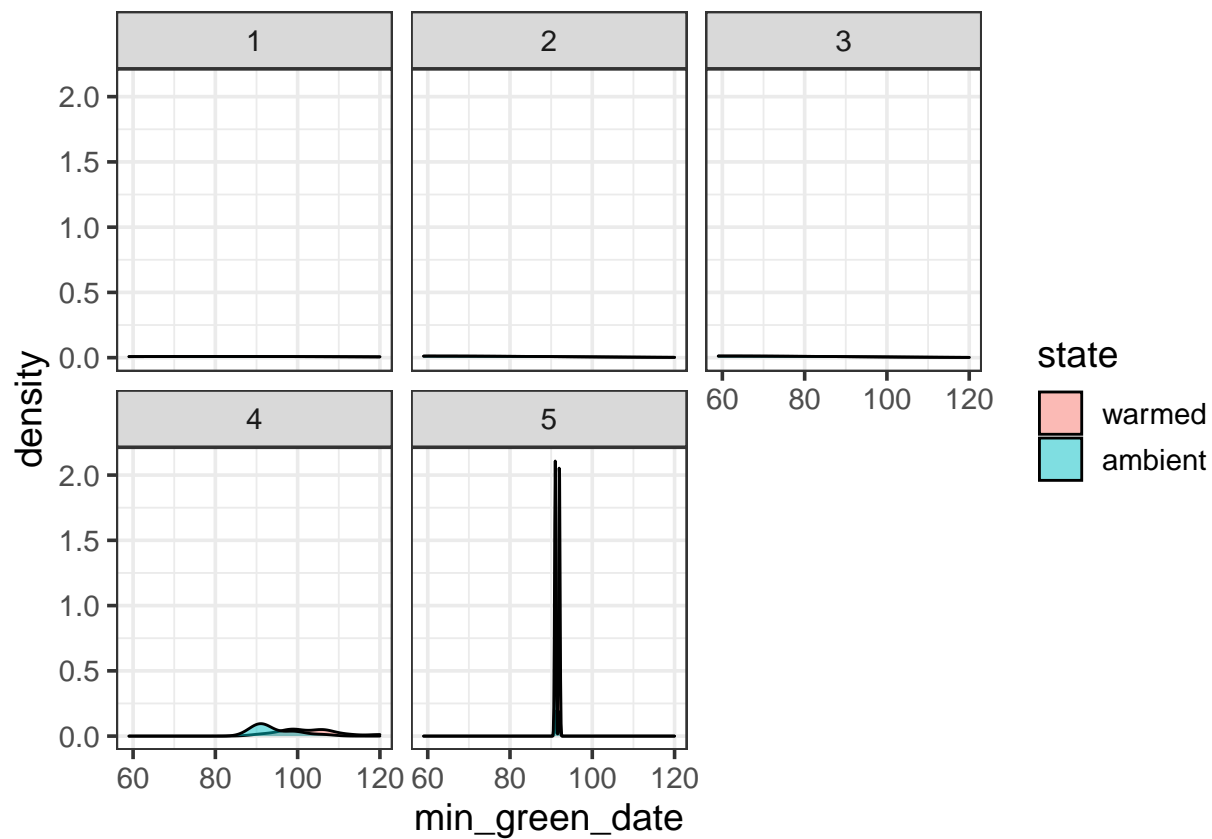


```
p3 <- ggplot(data = green_kbs, aes(x = spp_half_cover_date, fill = state)) + geom_density(alpha = 0.5)
p3 + facet_wrap(~year_factor) + labs(title = "Species-level half cover date")
```

Species-level half cover date



```
# this will just show sampling date artifact
p4 <- ggplot(data = green_kbsp, aes(x = min_green_date, fill = state)) + geom_density(alpha = 0.5)
p4 + facet_wrap(~year_factor)
```



```
# Or try with tidyverse format
green_kbsp.t <- as_tibble(green_kbsp)
# green_kbsp.t %>% gather(state, plot_half_cover_date, year_factor) %>%
# ggplot(aes(plot_half_cover_date, fill = state)) + geom_histogram() +
# facet_wrap(~year_factor)

# looks like the 225 spike is from 2018 and 2020 - what's going on here is that
# you are treating all species-plot records as independent observations, so the
# influence of species differences is likely coming through here.
kbs_2018 <- subset(green_kbs, year == 4) # many records on 235
kbs_2020 <- subset(green_kbs, year == 6) # records from 227 & 228
```

Leverage plots and detecting Outliers. <https://www.statmethods.net/stats/riagnostics.html>

These illustrate whether certain data points have more leverage (more influence), and thus could be outliers. It's a way of detecting outliers. Leverage plots can help identify whether a point has high or low influence, based on its leverage and residual and determining model fit with and without the point in question. Ultimately you decide whether the points are outliers or not, based on the knowledge of the system and how much it changes the model when included vs. excluded from the data used to fit the model. Here is a good overview of the combination of leverage and residual: scroll down to sections beginning at "13.3 Unusual Observations": <https://davidalpiaz.github.io/appliedstats/model-diagnostics.html>

```
# checking fit for date as a function of state and species - bringing in species  
# here makes it obvious that that is explaining some of the variation compared  
# with the state-only model you had previously.
```

```
# State-only model (not really correct bc species differ)  
fit <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state, data = green_kbs)  
outlierTest(fit)
```

```
## No Studentized residuals with Bonferroni p < 0.05  
## Largest |rstudent|:  
##      rstudent unadjusted p-value Bonferroni p  
## 473 2.376821          0.017611          NA
```

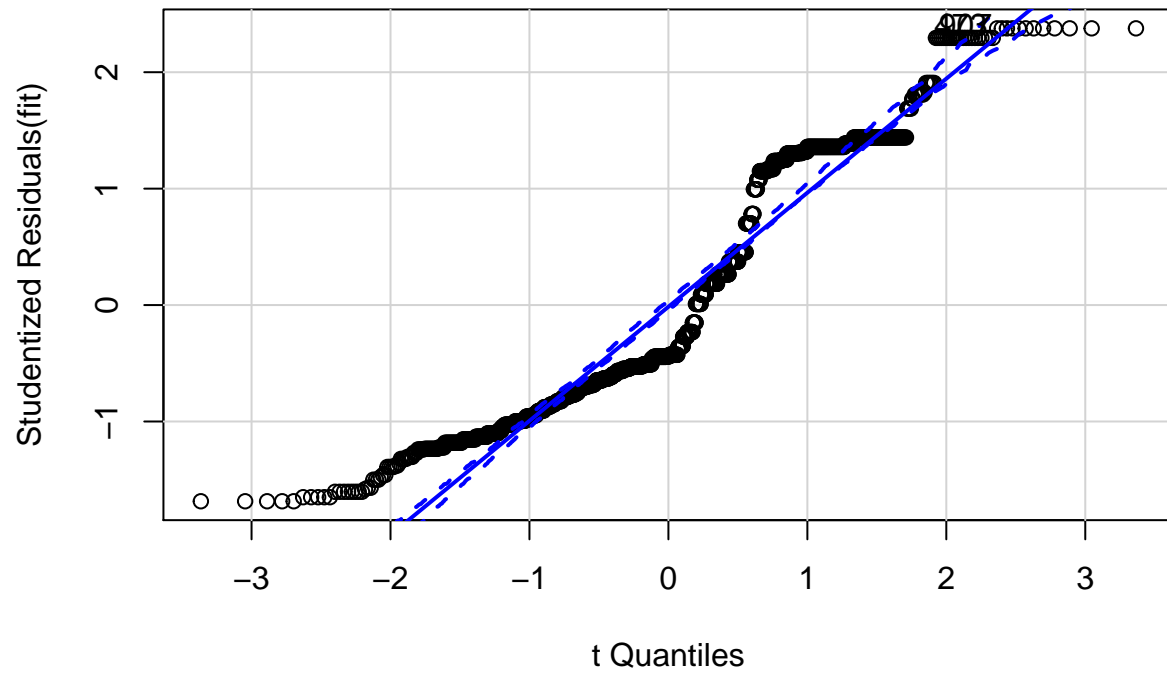
```
# record 551 is the largest outlier
```

```
# State-only model - not really correct bc species should be included  
fit <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state, data = green_kbs)  
outlierTest(fit)
```

```
## No Studentized residuals with Bonferroni p < 0.05  
## Largest |rstudent|:  
##      rstudent unadjusted p-value Bonferroni p  
## 473 2.376821          0.017611          NA
```

```
qqPlot(fit, main = "QQ Plot")
```

QQ Plot

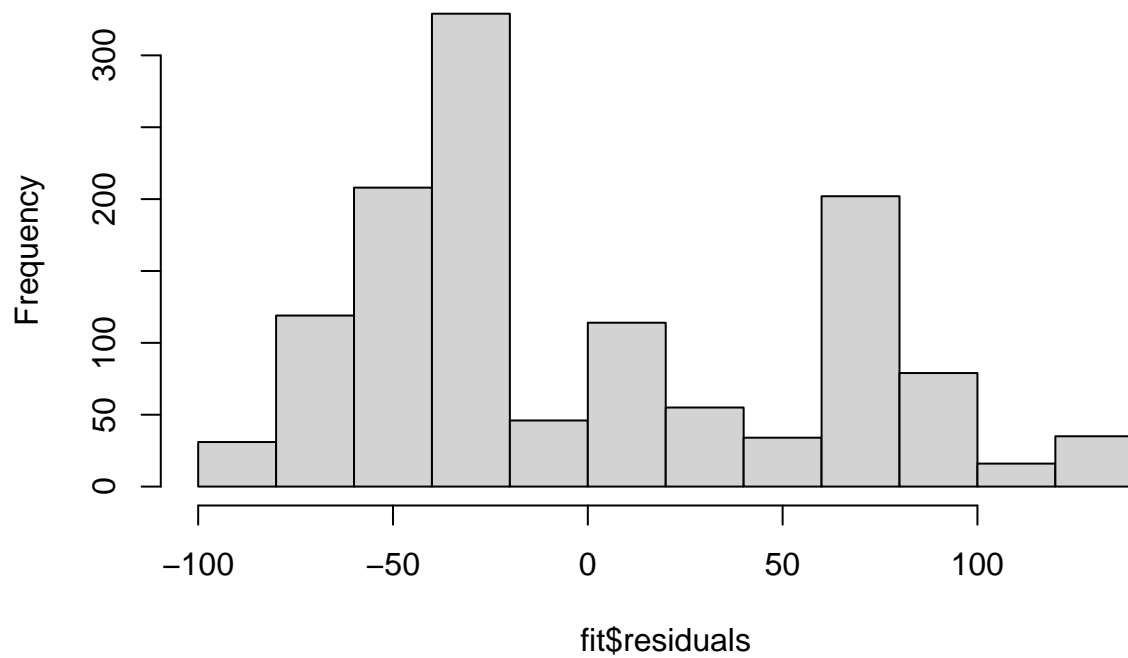


```
## 473 907
```

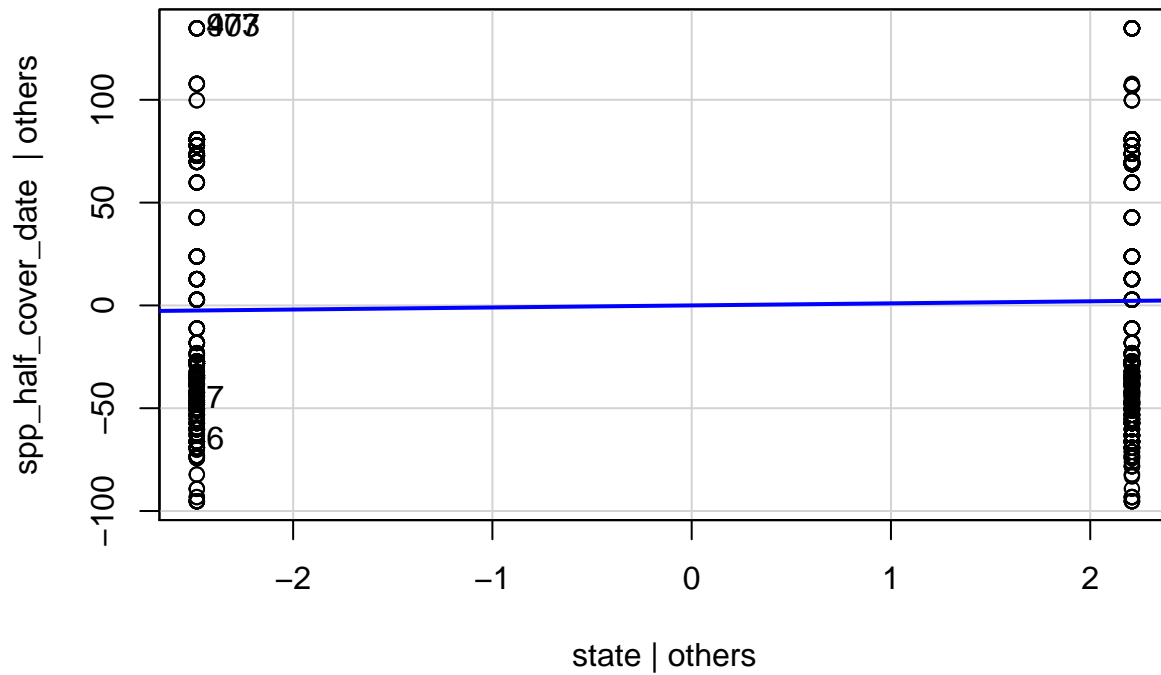
```
## 283 552
```

```
hist(fit$residuals)
```

Histogram of fit\$residuals



```
leveragePlots(fit)
```

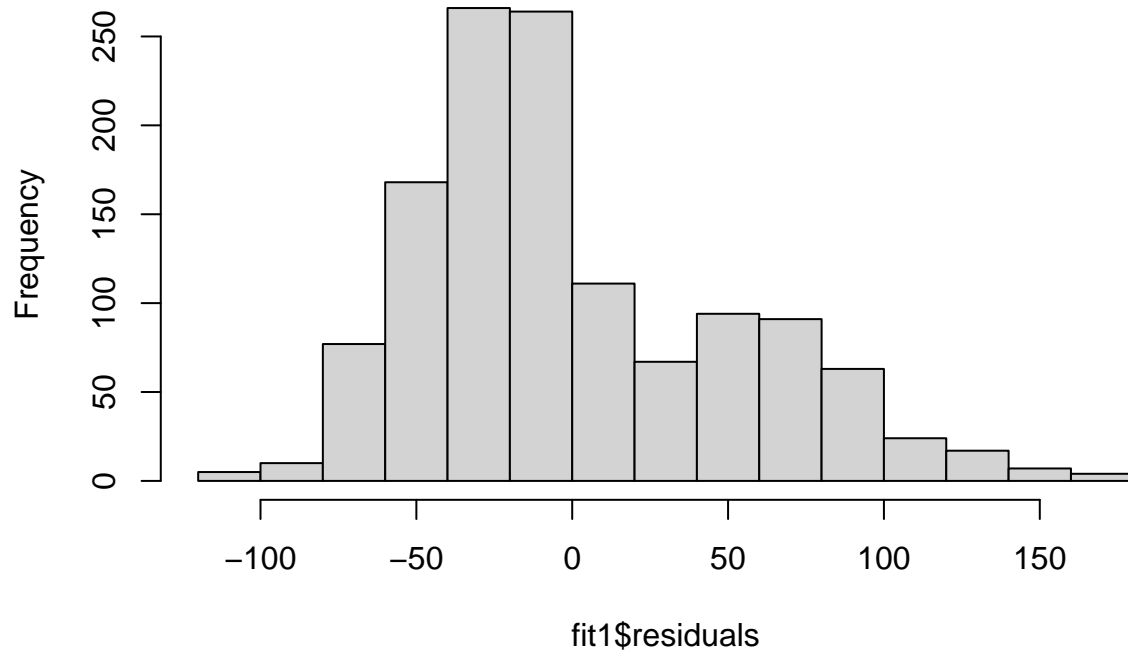


```
# State and species model
fit1 <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + species, data = green_kbs)
outlierTest(fit1) # no outliers
```

```
## No Studentized residuals with Bonferroni p < 0.05
## Largest |rstudent|:
##      rstudent unadjusted p-value Bonferroni p
## 1910 3.455976      0.00056677      0.71866
```

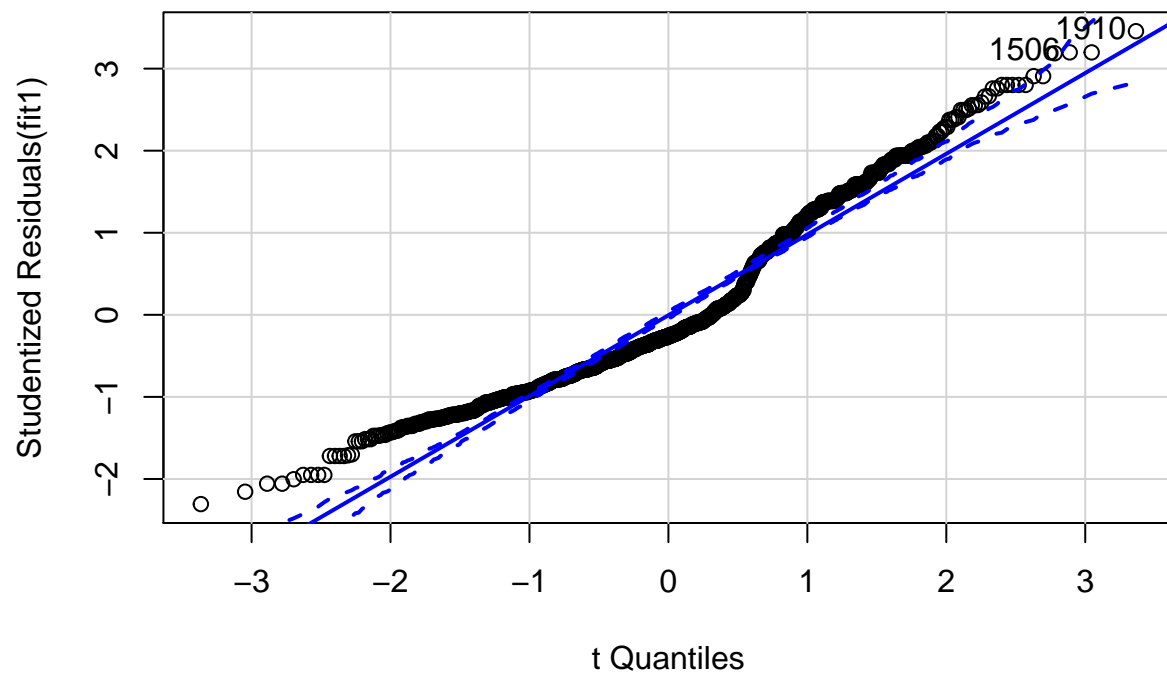
```
hist(fit1$residuals)
```


Histogram of fit1\$residuals



```
qqPlot(fit1, main = "QQ Plot")
```

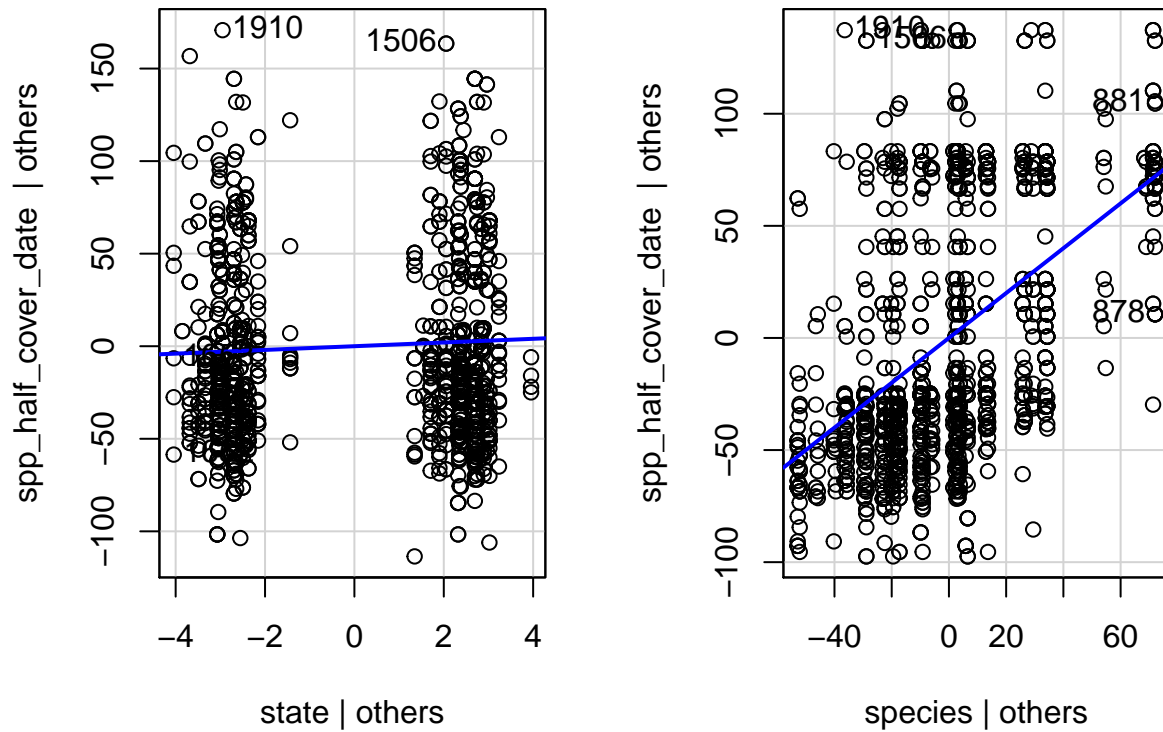
QQ Plot



```
## 1506 1910  
## 943 1152
```

```
leveragePlots(fit1)
```

Leverage Plots

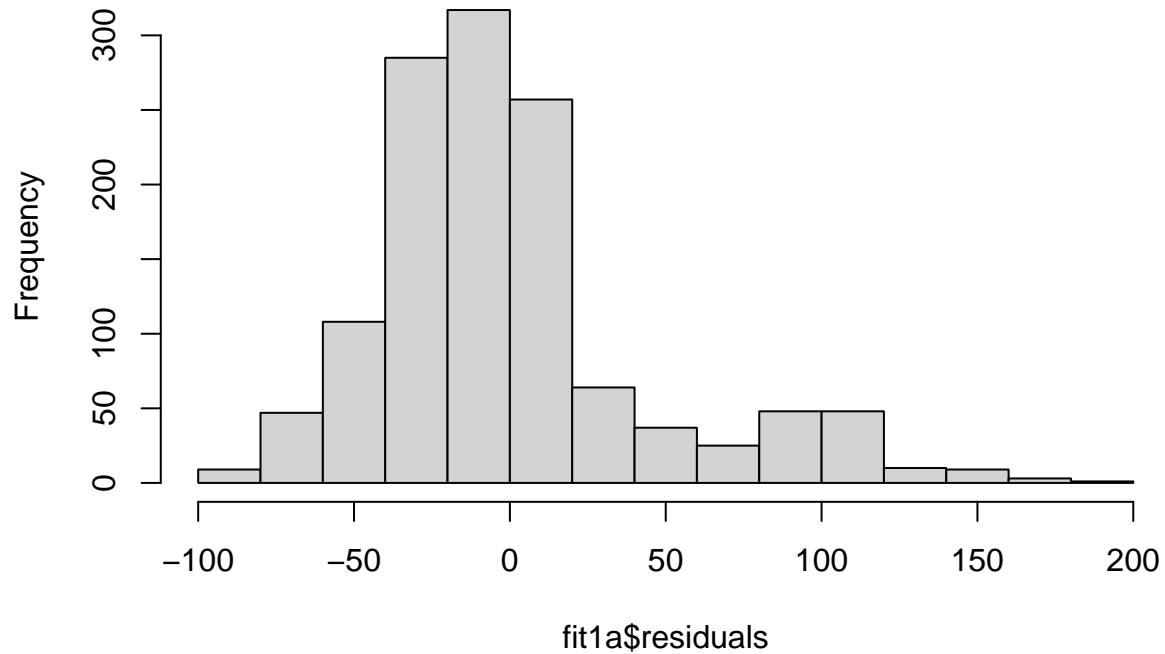


```
fit1a <- lm(min_green_date ~ state + species, data = green_kbs)
outlierTest(fit1a) # no outliers
```

```
##      rstudent unadjusted p-value Bonferroni p
## 473 4.211351      2.7212e-05      0.034505
```

```
hist(fit1a$residuals)
```

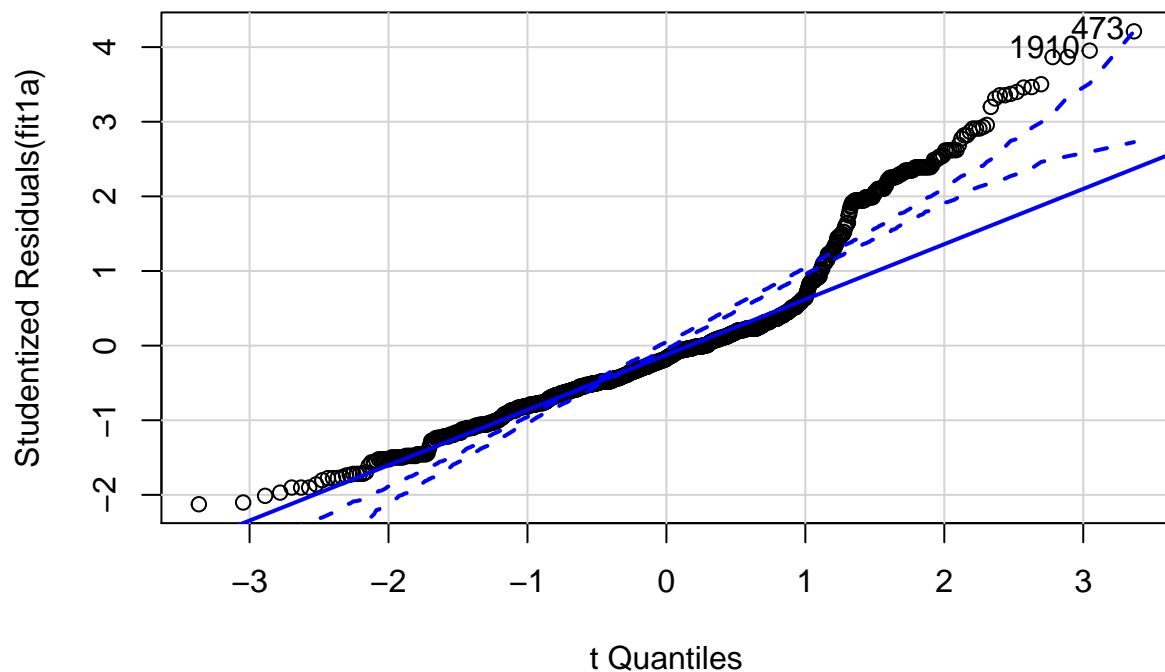
Histogram of fit1a\$residuals



```
qqPlot(fit1a, main = "QQ Plot")
```

```
## Warning in rlm.default(x, y, weights, method = method, wt.method = wt.method, :  
## 'rlm' failed to converge in 20 steps
```

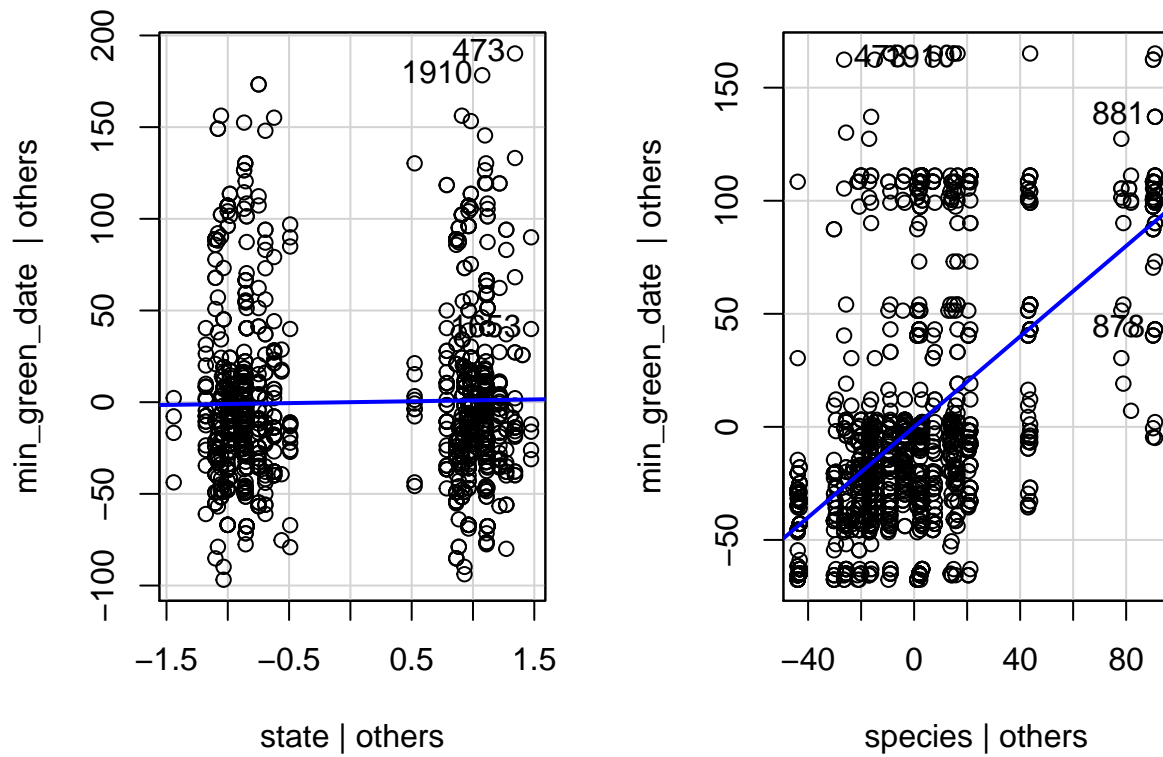
QQ Plot



```
## 473 1910
## 283 1152
```

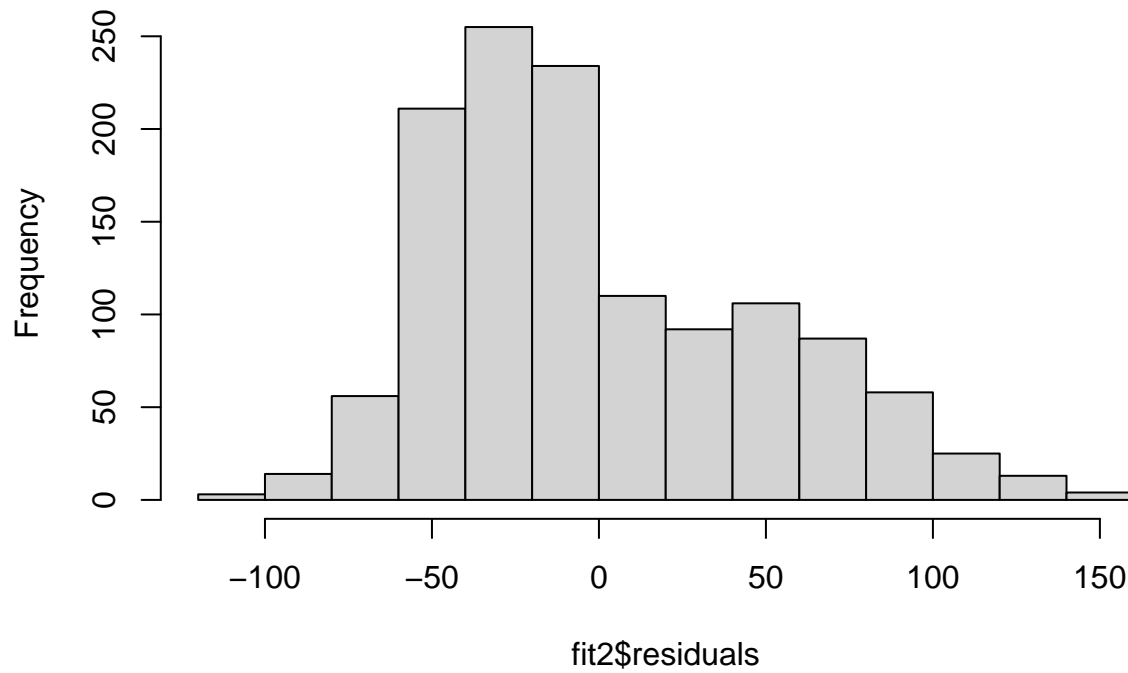
```
leveragePlots(fit1a)
```

Leverage Plots



```
# checking fit for date as a function of state and year
fit2 <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + species + year, data = green_kbs)
hist(fit2$residuals)
```

Histogram of fit2\$residuals

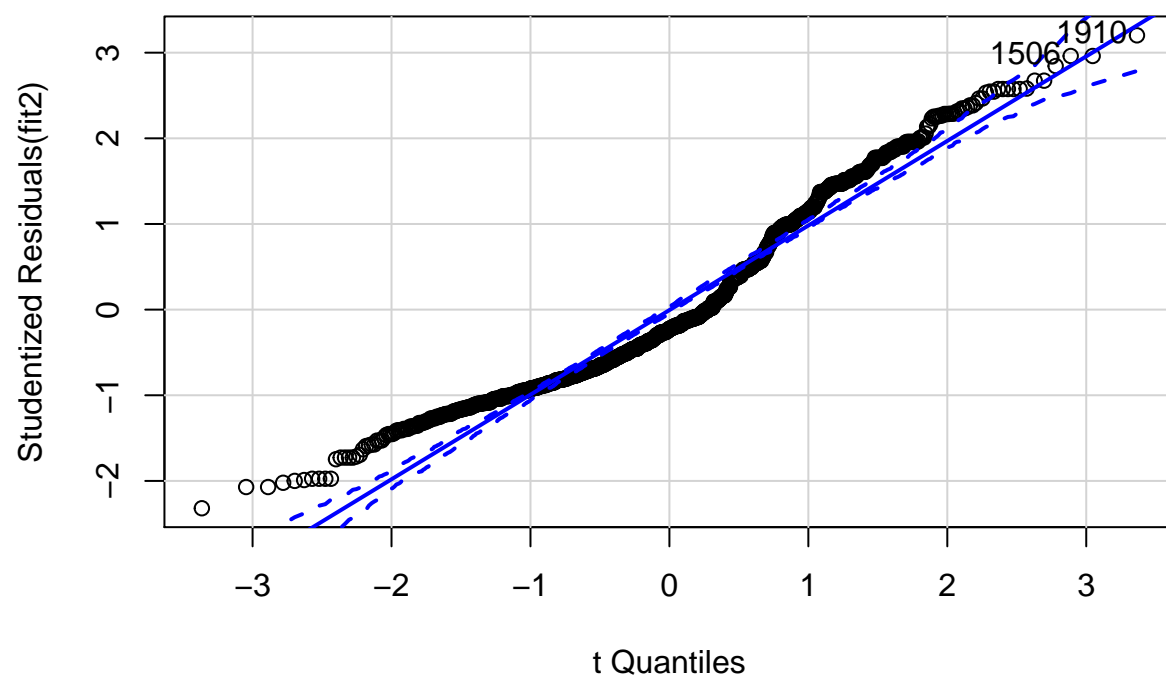


```
outlierTest(fit2) # no outliers
```

```
## No Studentized residuals with Bonferroni p < 0.05
## Largest |rstudent|:
##      rstudent unadjusted p-value Bonferroni p
## 1910 3.202366      0.0013976      NA
```

```
qqPlot(fit2, main = "QQ Plot")
```

QQ Plot

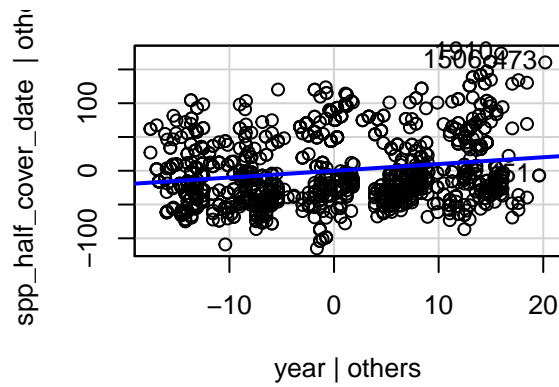
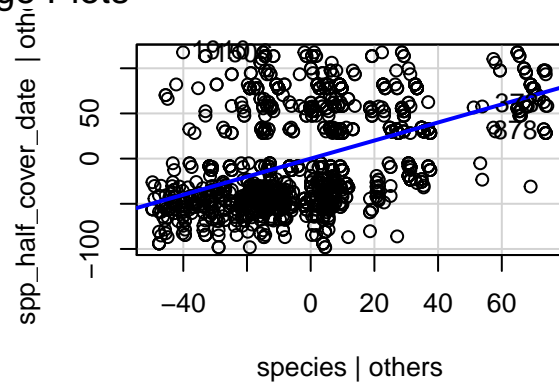
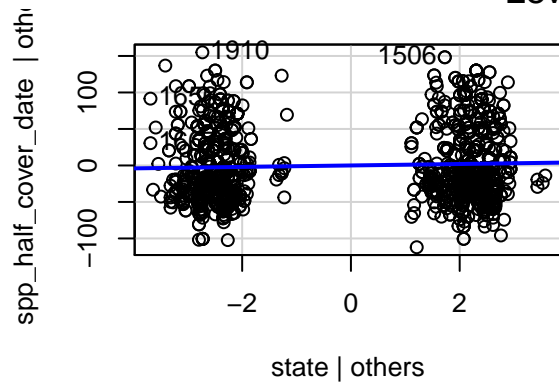


```
## 1506 1910
```

```
## 943 1152
```

```
leveragePlots(fit2)
```

Leverage Plots



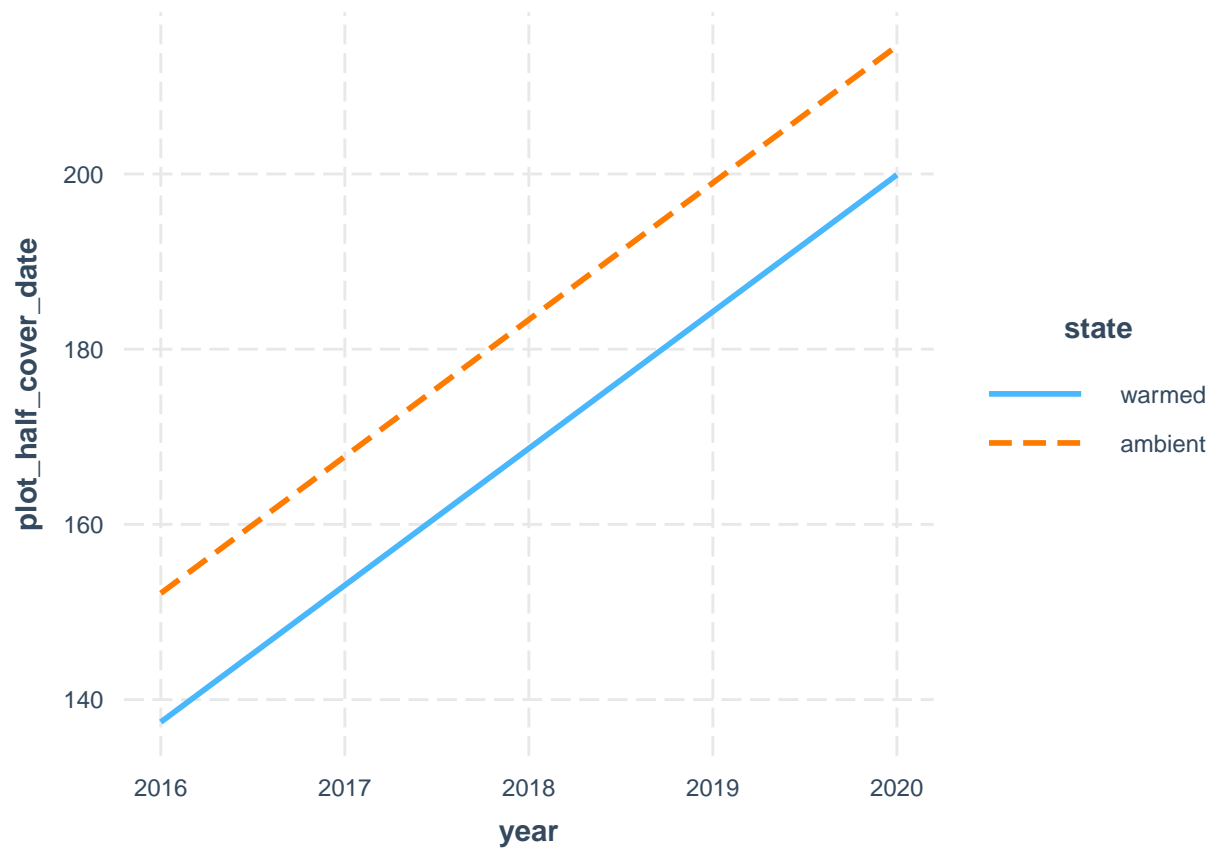
Normal distribution after accounting for species - we will be using species as a random effect to account for their variation. Set up some linear mixed effects models to evaluate. From Ben Bolker: "The traditional view of random effects is as a way to do correct statistical tests when some observations are correlated. ... Random effects are especially useful when we have (1) lots of levels (e.g., many species or blocks), (2) relatively little data on each level (although we need multiple samples from most of the levels), and (3) uneven sampling across levels. People sometimes say that random effects are "factors that you aren't interested in." This is not always true. While it is often the case in ecological experiments (where variation among sites is usually just a nuisance), it is sometimes of great interest." In our case, variation among plots is a nuisance, and not something we're interested in. For some questions, variation among species is also a nuisance for us. It's possible that variation among years is a nuisance if we only care about warm vs. ambient, but I think time is an interesting variable to consider with this study.

We should also think about how we're treating year. Some of the models have a state * year interaction as a fixed effect, which means that the warming or ambient treatment could affect the half_cover_date differently over time (there would be a different slope for each state in the relationship between half_cover_date (y) and year (x)). If we just had state + year, the states would have the same slope, indicating that they have no interaction in their effect on half_cover_date (but they could still have different intercepts).

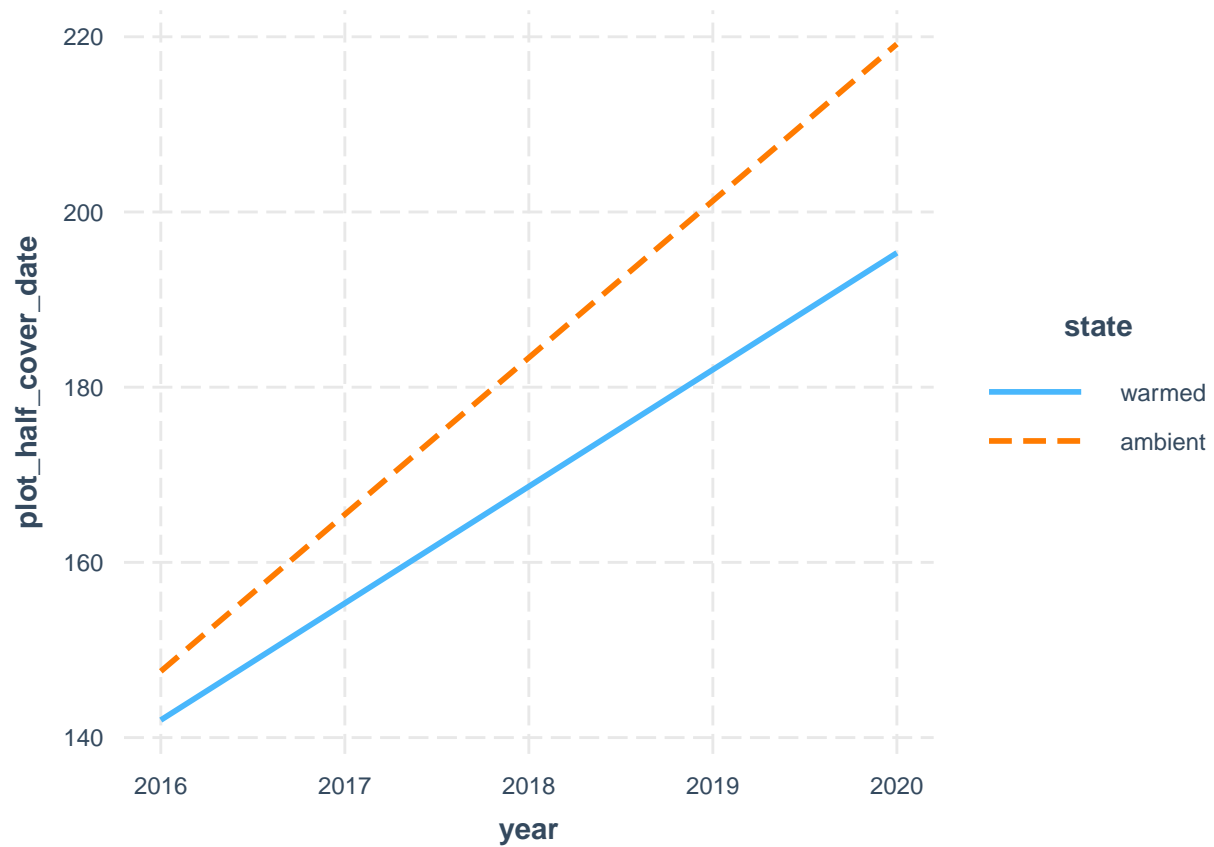
```
# Interaction plot (ignore for now the repeated measures with species); see:  
# https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/interactions/vignettes/interactions.html  
# and: https://interactions.jacob-long.com/
```

```
fit3 <- lm(plot_half_cover_date ~ state + year, data = green_kbsp)  
interact_plot(fit3, pred = year, modx = state)
```

```
## Warning: year and state are not included in an interaction with one another in the  
## model.
```

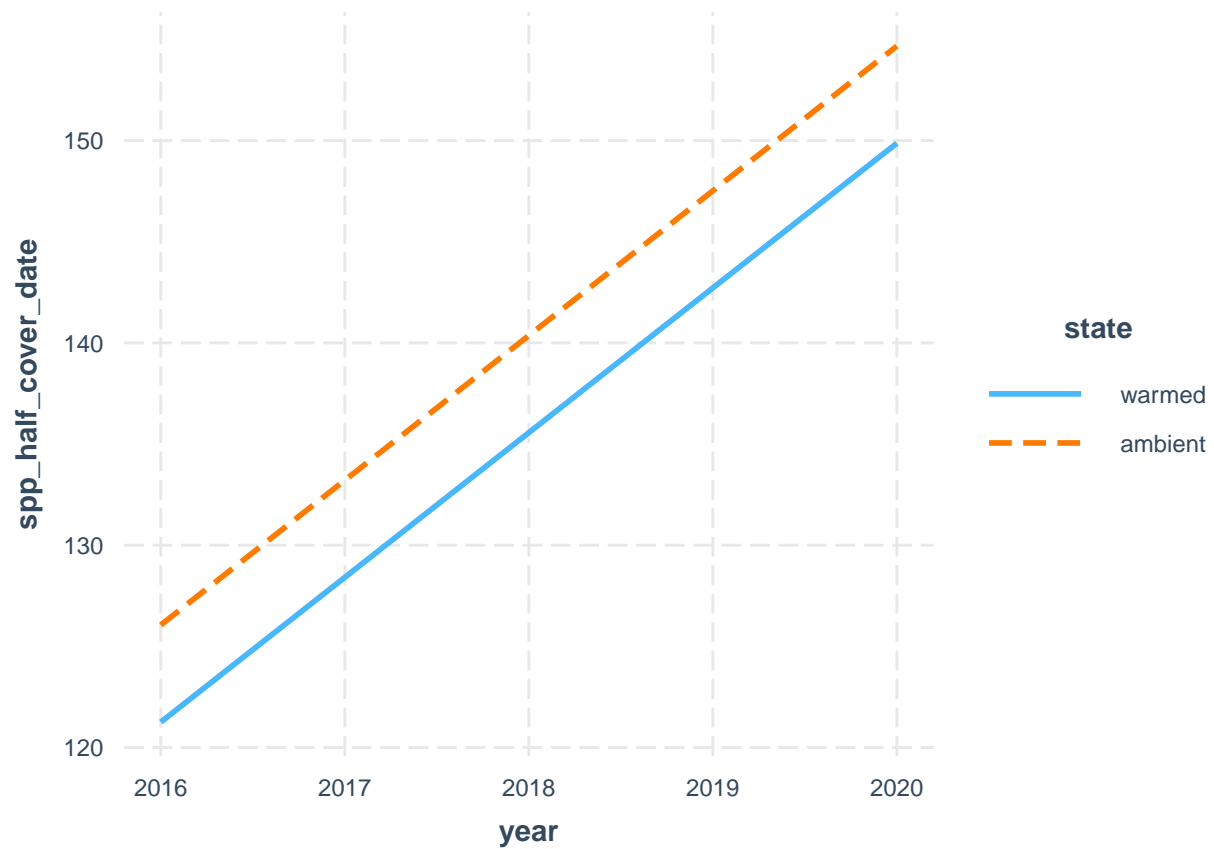



```
fit4 <- lm(plot_half_cover_date ~ state * year, data = green_kbsp)
interact_plot(fit4, pred = year, modx = state)
```



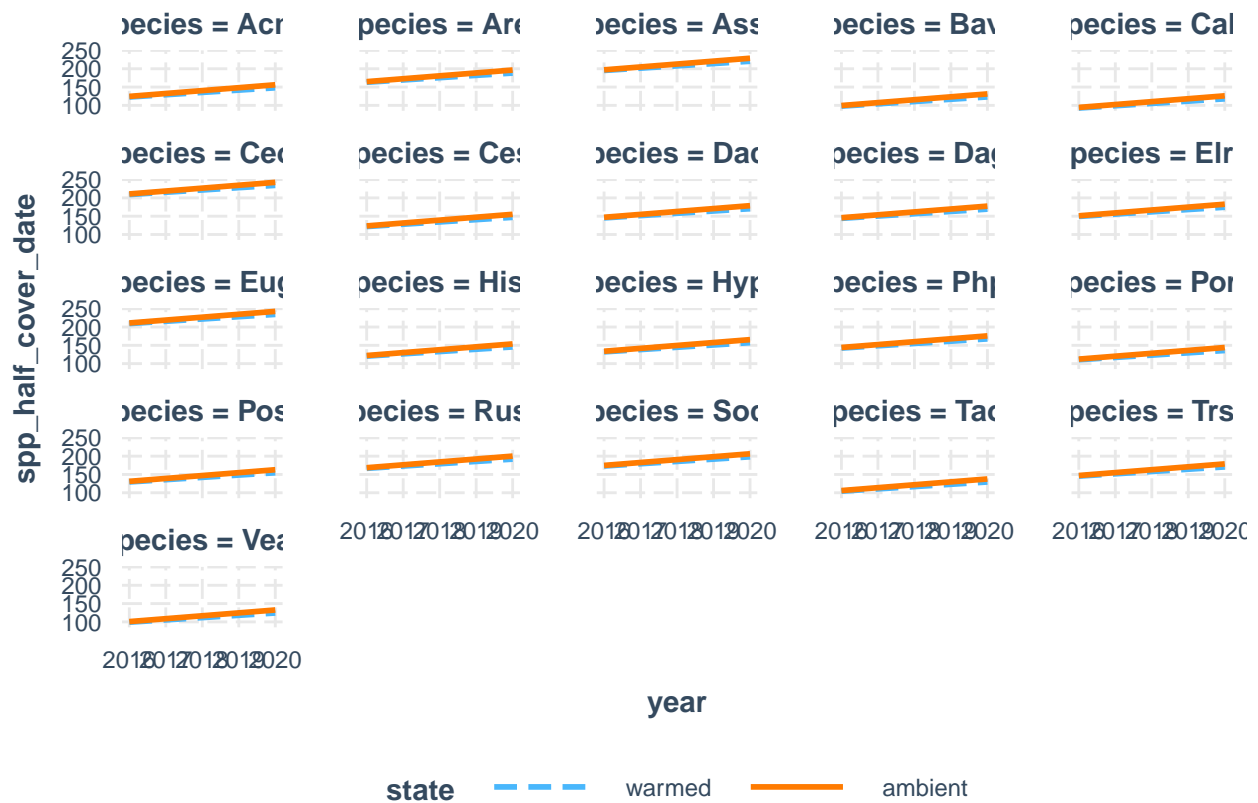
```
fit5 <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + year + species, data = green_kbs)
interact_plot(fit5, pred = year, modx = state)
```

```
## Warning: year and state are not included in an interaction with one another in the
## model.
```



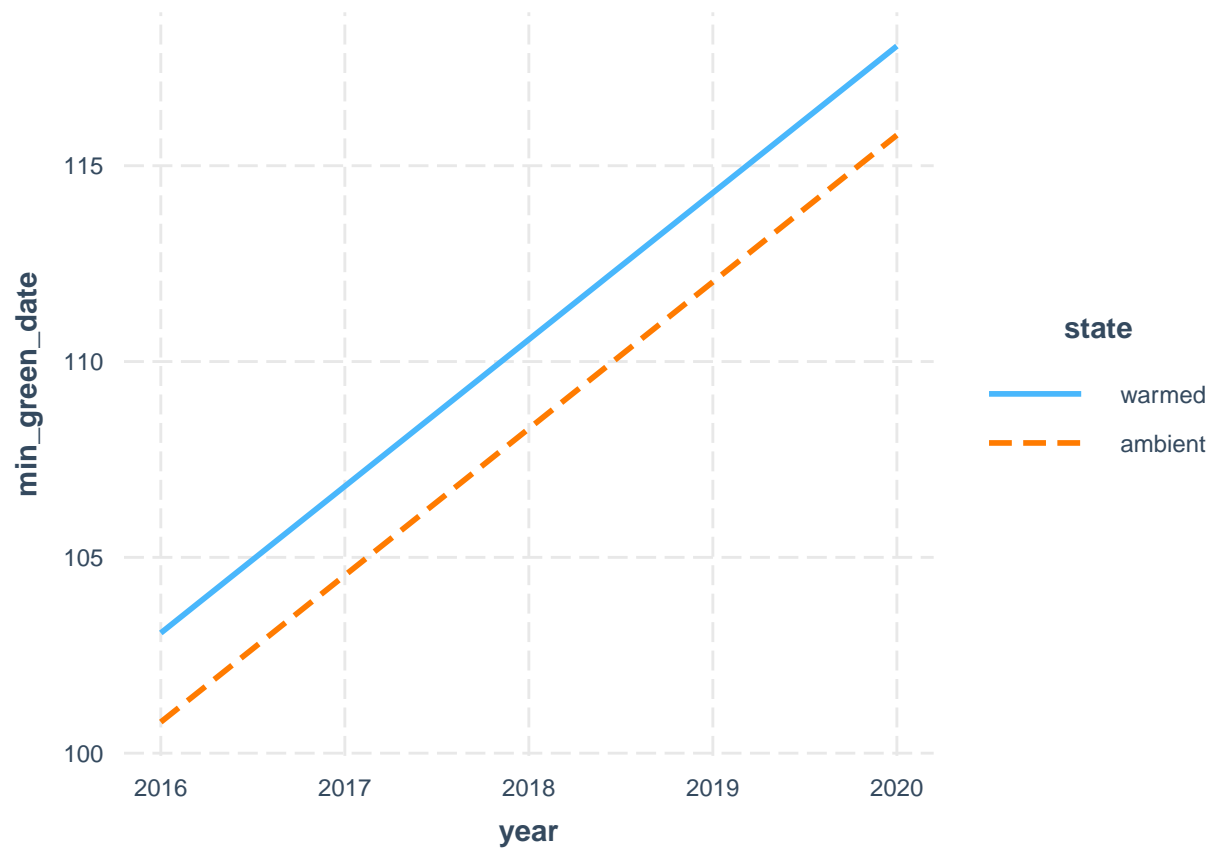
```
fit6 <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + species, data = green_kbs)
interact_plot(fit6, pred = year, modx = state, mod2 = species)
```

```
## Warning: year and state and species are not included in an interaction with one
## another in the model.
```



```
fit7 <- lm(min_green_date ~ state + year + species, data = green_kbs)
interact_plot(fit7, pred = year, modx = state)
```

```
## Warning: year and state are not included in an interaction with one another in the
## model.
```



```
fit8 <- lm(min_green_date ~ state * year + species, data = green_kbs)
interact_plot(fit8, pred = year, modx = state, mod2 = species)
```

```
## Warning: year and state and species are not included in an interaction with one
## another in the model.
```



Mixed Effects Models:

```
# Start by replicating (almost) what we did in the Decologia 2018 paper. The only
# difference here is that we have multiple years, so we are also including year
# as a fixed effect and as an interactive term. Our goal here is to find a model
# that is the best fit to the data. We also want to find a model that is the most
# parsimonious (one that has the fewest parameters).

# Do we need to include plot as a random effect with the KBS models?
mod1 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 | species) +
  (1 | plot), green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
mod2 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 | species),
  green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
# Run analysis of variance on each model (see this for more explanation on how
# anova on a linear mixed effects model is similar to an anova on a regular
# linear model: https://m-clark.github.io/docs/mixedModels/anovamixed.html)
anova(mod1)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
```

```
##               npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## state         1    5504     5504  2.2469
## year          1 136324 136324 55.6476
## insecticide   1    7561     7561  3.0866
## state:year    1    1563     1563  0.6380
## year:insecticide 1    3596     3596  1.4681
```

```
anova(mod2)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##               npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## state         1    9394     9394  3.7886
## year          1 133040 133040 53.6567
## insecticide   1   15357    15357  6.1937
## state:year    1    1618     1618  0.6527
## year:insecticide 1    3961     3961  1.5977
```

```
# Run an ANOVA to test if 2 models to test whether the more complex model is
# significantly better at capturing the data than the simpler model. If the
# resulting p-value is sufficiently low (usually less than 0.05), we conclude
# that the more complex model is significantly better than the simpler model, and
# thus favor the more complex model. If the p-value is not sufficiently low
# (usually greater than 0.05), we should favor the simpler model.
```

```
# https://bookdown.org/ndphillips/YaRrr/comparing-regression-models-with-anova.html
```

```
anova(mod2, mod1) # They are different so plot as a random effect should stay in the model (we go with
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod2: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
## mod2:   species)
## mod1: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
## mod1:   species) + (1 | plot)
##      npar   AIC   BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod2    8 13587 13628 -6785.6    13571
## mod1    9 13586 13632 -6784.0    13568 3.374  1    0.06623 .
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
summary(mod1)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood ['lmerMod']
## Formula: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
##   species) + (1 | plot)
## Data: green_kbs
##
##      AIC      BIC    logLik deviance df.resid
## 13585.9 13632.2 -6784.0 13567.9      1259
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.1194 -0.7683 -0.2513  0.6857  3.2607
##
```

```
## Random effects:
##   Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
##   plot     (Intercept)  32.77   5.725
##   species  (Intercept) 930.34  30.502
##   Residual                2449.77 49.495
## Number of obs: 1268, groups: plot, 24; species, 21
##
## Fixed effects:
##               Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept)    -11128.065   3367.723  -3.304
## stateambient    -2812.392   3902.785  -0.721
## year              5.589     1.669    3.349
## insecticideno_insects -4738.174  3915.775  -1.210
## stateambient:year      1.396     1.934    0.722
## year:insecticideno_insects 2.351     1.941    1.212
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##           (Intr) sttmbn year   insct_ sttmb:
## stateambint -0.583
## year        -1.000  0.583
## insctcdn_ns -0.519 -0.062  0.519
## statmbnt:yr  0.583 -1.000 -0.583  0.062
## yr:nsctcdn_  0.519  0.062 -0.519 -1.000 -0.062
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
```

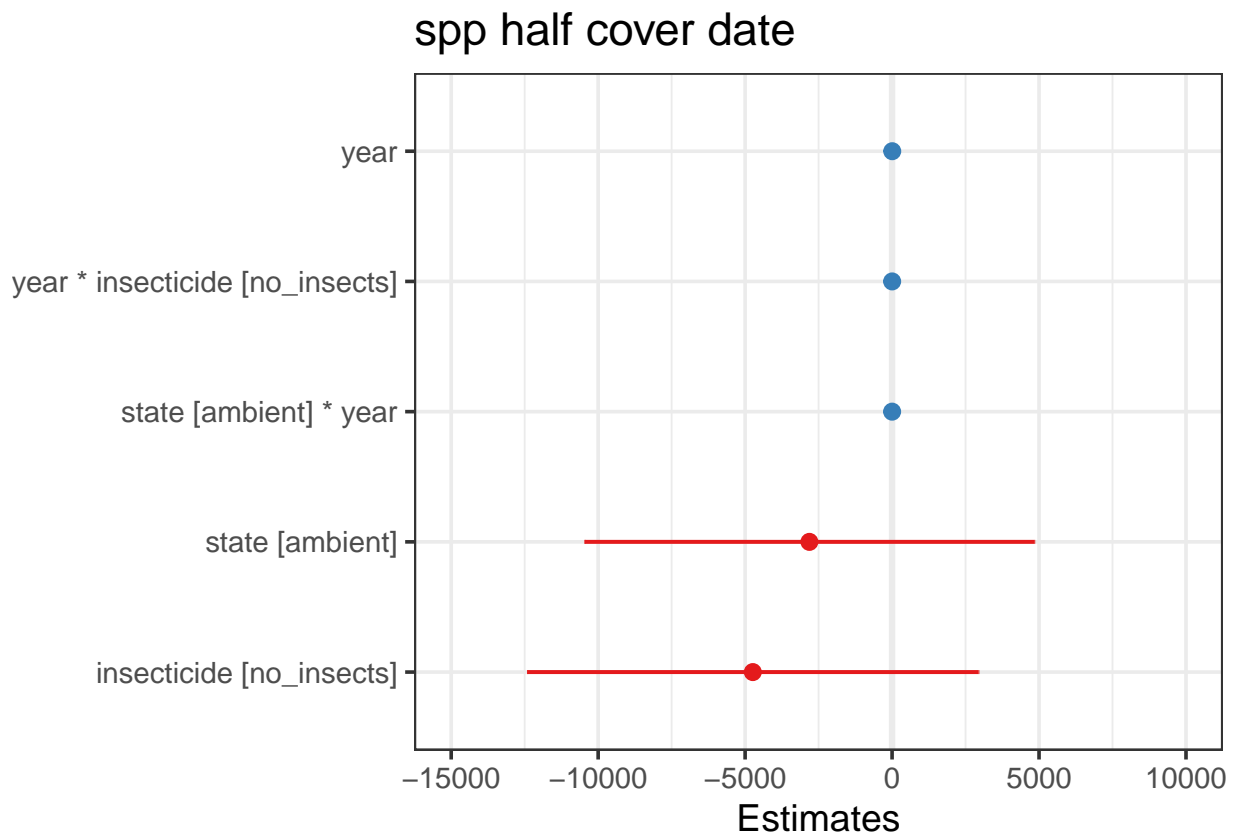
```
summary(mod2)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood ['lmerMod']
## Formula: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
##   species)
##   Data: green_kbs
##
##           AIC      BIC   logLik deviance df.resid
##  13587.3  13628.4  -6785.6  13571.3     1260
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.2600 -0.7665 -0.2441  0.6924  3.2567
##
## Random effects:
##   Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
##   species  (Intercept)  951.2   30.84
##   Residual                2479.5  49.79
## Number of obs: 1268, groups: species, 21
##
## Fixed effects:
##               Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept)    -10945.494   3381.228  -3.237
## stateambient    -2850.741   3918.330  -0.728
## year              5.498     1.676    3.282
## insecticideno_insects -4965.169  3933.683  -1.262
## stateambient:year      1.415     1.942    0.729
## year:insecticideno_insects 2.464     1.949    1.264
```



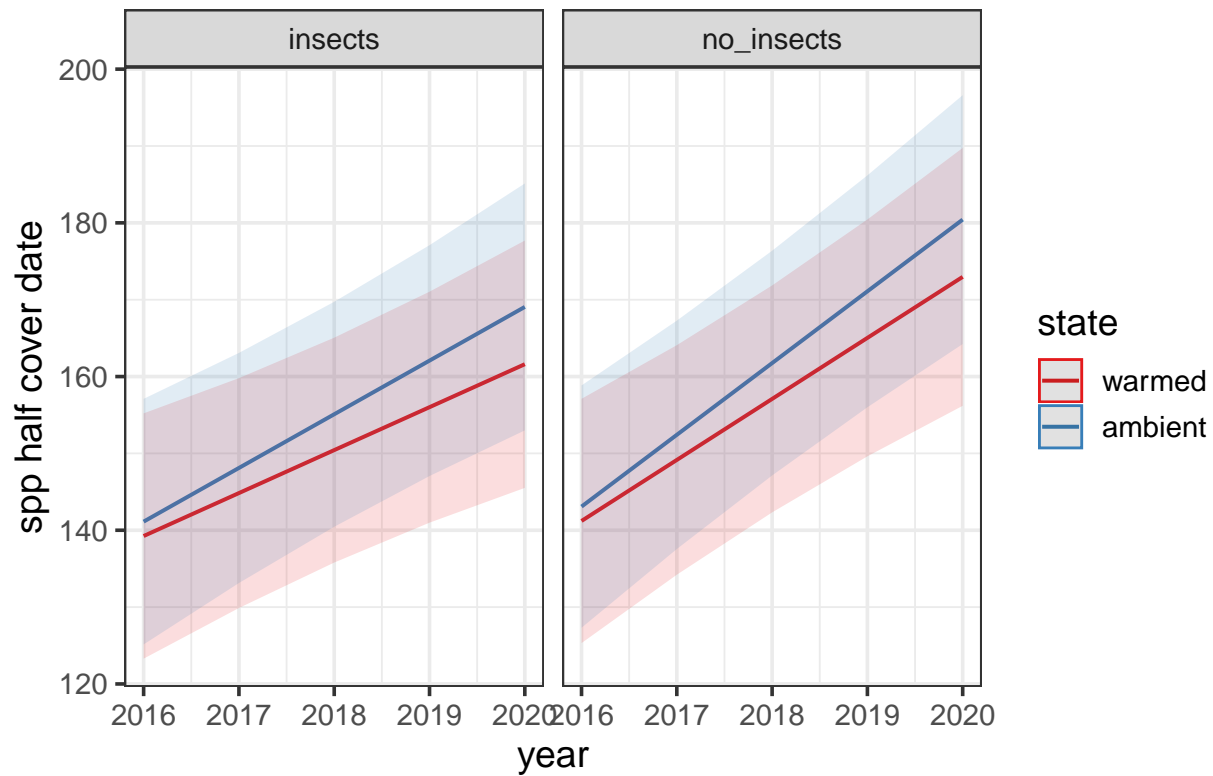
```
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##      (Intr) sttmbn year   insct_ sttmb:
## stateambint -0.583
## year        -1.000  0.583
## insctcdn_ns -0.520 -0.061  0.520
## statmbnt:yr  0.583 -1.000 -0.583  0.061
## yr:nsctcdn_  0.520  0.061 -0.520 -1.000 -0.061
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
```

```
# Next, plot the model. There are multiple variables but here's one way to do it
# based on this package sjPlot:
# https://strengjacke.github.io/sjPlot/articles/plot_model_estimates.html
# Annoyingly, this package somehow overwrites the factor order in its plotting so
# we will have to modify the code to get warmed = red. I haven't figured this out
# yet. It does seem to work on some of the plots. hmm.
'?'(plot_model)
# Plot the fixed effects estimates for different models these are the fixed
# effects estimates from summary(mod5)
plot_model(mod1, sort.est = TRUE)
```



```
# these are the fixed predicted values:
plot_model(mod1, type = "pred", terms = c("year", "state", "insecticide"))
```

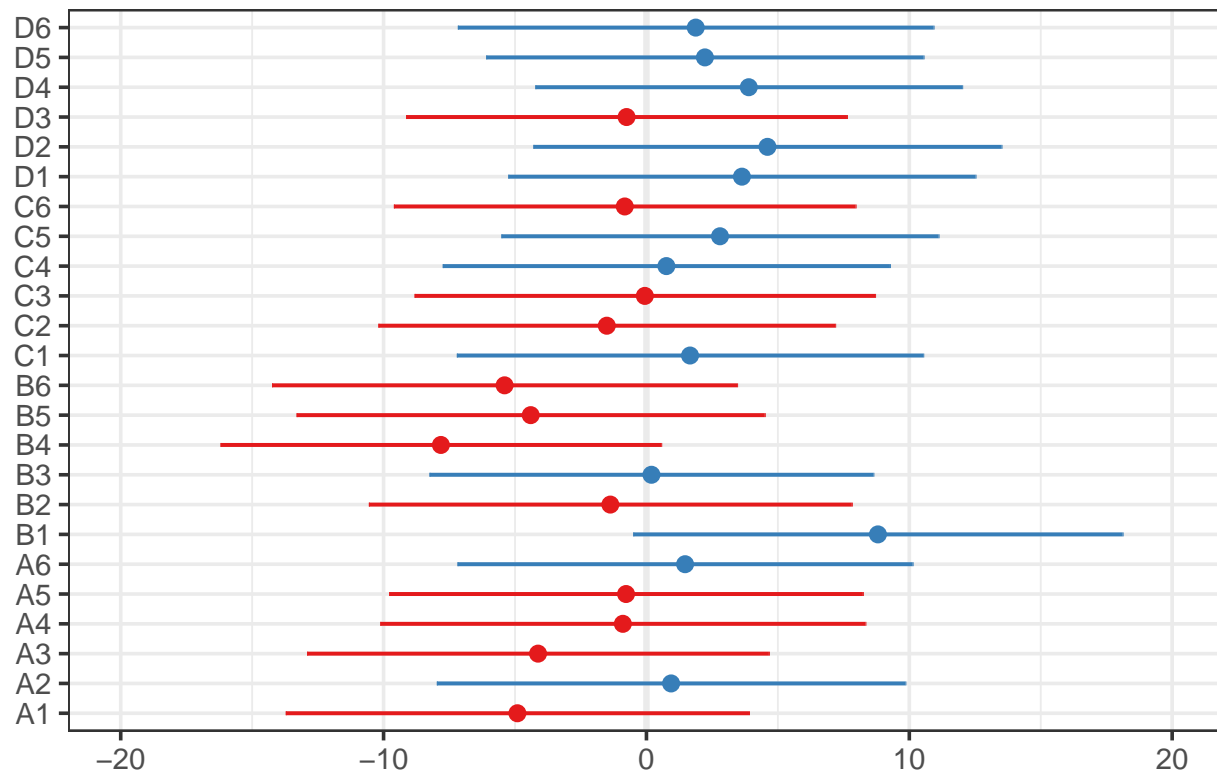
Predicted values of spp half cover date



```
# these are the random effects estimates
plot_model(mod1, type = "re", terms = c("species", "plot"))
```

```
## [[1]]
```

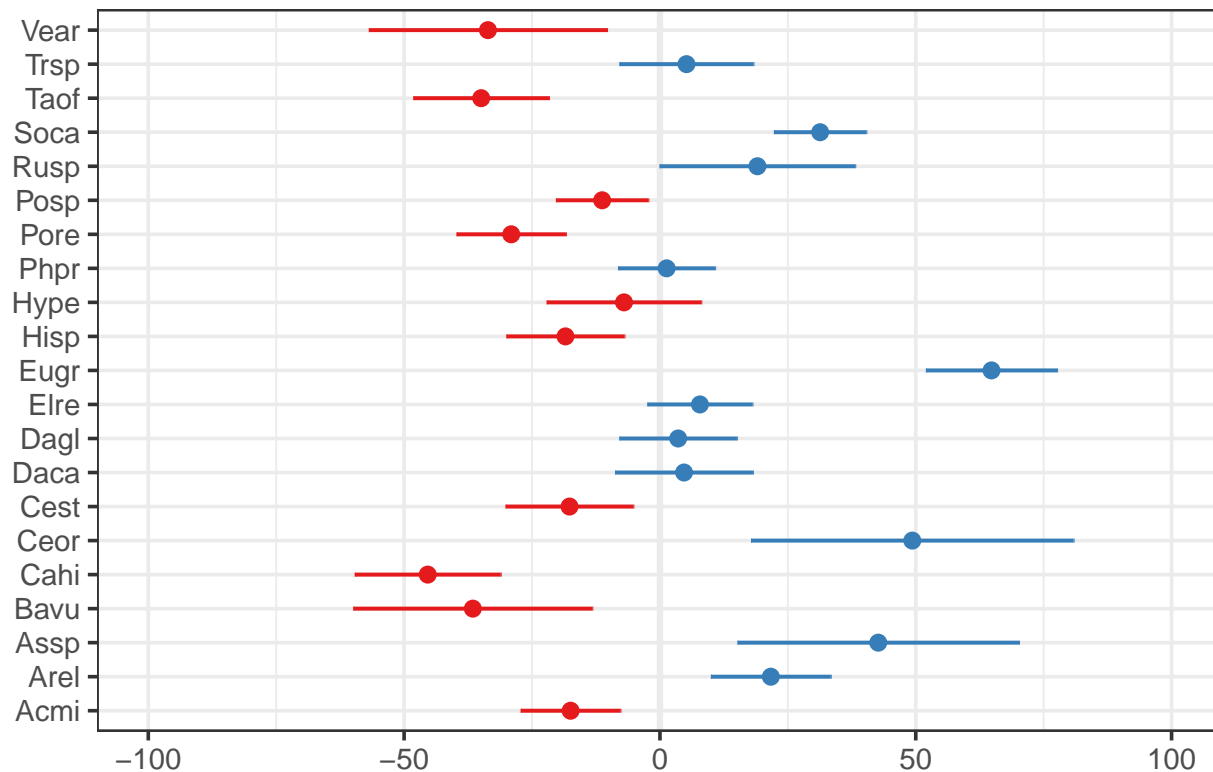
Random effects



##

[[2]]

Random effects



Do we need to include insecticide?

```
mod3 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 | species), green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
anova(mod1, mod3)
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
```

```
## Models:
```

```
## mod3: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 | species)
```

```
## mod1: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
```

```
## mod1: species) + (1 | plot)
```

```
##      npar    AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
```

```
## mod3      6 13591 13622 -6789.5    13579
```

```
## mod1      9 13586 13632 -6784.0    13568 10.994  3    0.01176 *
```

```
## ---
```

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

Looks like yes $P < 0.05$, insecticide improves model fit so we will continue to include it and stick with mod1

Does year need to be interactive with insecticide?

```
mod4 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) + (1 | plot), green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
anova(mod1, mod4)
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod4: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod4:      (1 | plot)
## mod1: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide * year + (1 |
## mod1:      species) + (1 | plot)
##      npar   AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod4      8 13585 13626 -6784.7    13569
## mod1      9 13586 13632 -6784.0    13568 1.4664 1      0.2259
```

```
# No, P>0.05 so insecticide*year doesn't strongly improve model fit so we will
# shift to mod4
anova(mod3, mod4)
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod3: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 | species)
## mod4: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod4:      (1 | plot)
##      npar   AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod3      6 13591 13622 -6789.5    13579
## mod4      8 13585 13626 -6784.7    13569 9.5277 2      0.008533 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Yes, P<0.05 so insecticide still improves model fit so we will stay with mod4
```

```
# Does year need to be interactive with state?
mod5 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + year + insecticide + (1 | species) + (1 |
  plot), green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
anova(mod4, mod5)
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod5: spp_half_cover_date ~ state + year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod5:      (1 | plot)
## mod4: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod4:      (1 | plot)
##      npar   AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod5      7 13584 13620 -6785.0    13570
## mod4      8 13585 13626 -6784.7    13569 0.6369 1      0.4249
```

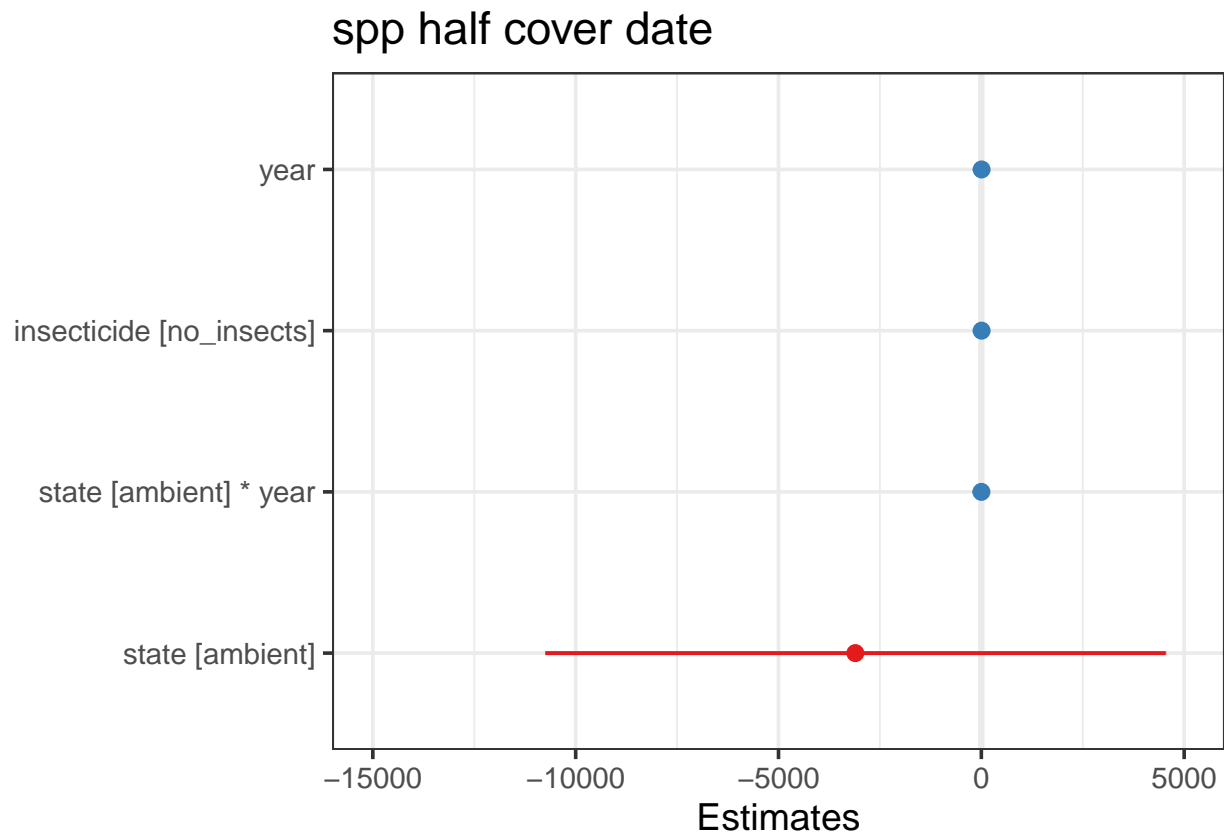
```
# No, P>0.05 so state*year doesn't improve model fit so we could drop it and go
# with mod5, but note that the AIC values are super close. mod4 makes sense, with
# increased divergence between warmed and ambient.
summary(mod4)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood ['lmerMod']
## Formula: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## (1 | plot)
## Data: green_kbs
##
##      AIC      BIC    logLik deviance df.resid
## 13585.4 13626.5 -6784.7 13569.4    1260
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.1148 -0.7659 -0.2457  0.6789  3.2173
##
## Random effects:
## Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
## plot     (Intercept) 33.48    5.786
## species  (Intercept) 928.65   30.474
## Residual                2452.34 49.521
## Number of obs: 1268, groups: plot, 24; species, 21
##
## Fixed effects:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept)   -13246.986   2880.397  -4.599
## stateambient   -3106.128   3897.363  -0.797
## year              6.639     1.427    4.651
## insecticideno_insects  6.358     3.690    1.723
## stateambient:year    1.542     1.931    0.798
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##              (Intr) sttmbn year  insct_
## stateambint -0.721
## year        -1.000  0.721
## insctcdn_ns -0.062  0.029  0.061
## statmbnt:yr  0.721 -1.000 -0.721 -0.029
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
```

```
anova(mod4)
```

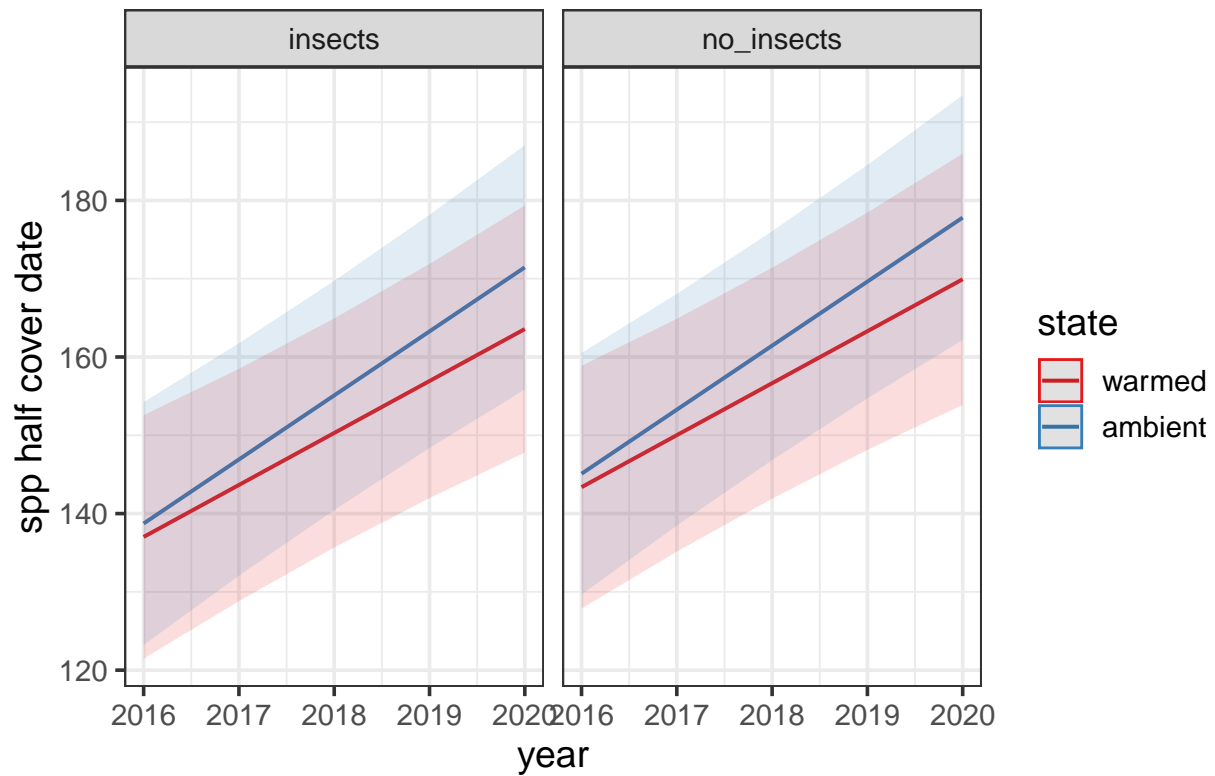
```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##              npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## state          1   5460    5460  2.2265
## year           1 136373 136373 55.6092
## insecticide     1   7482    7482  3.0510
## state:year      1   1562    1562  0.6371
```

```
# these are the fixed effects estimates from summary(mod5)
plot_model(mod4, sort.est = TRUE)
```



```
# these are the fixed predicted values:  
plot_model(mod4, type = "pred", terms = c("year", "state", "insecticide"))
```

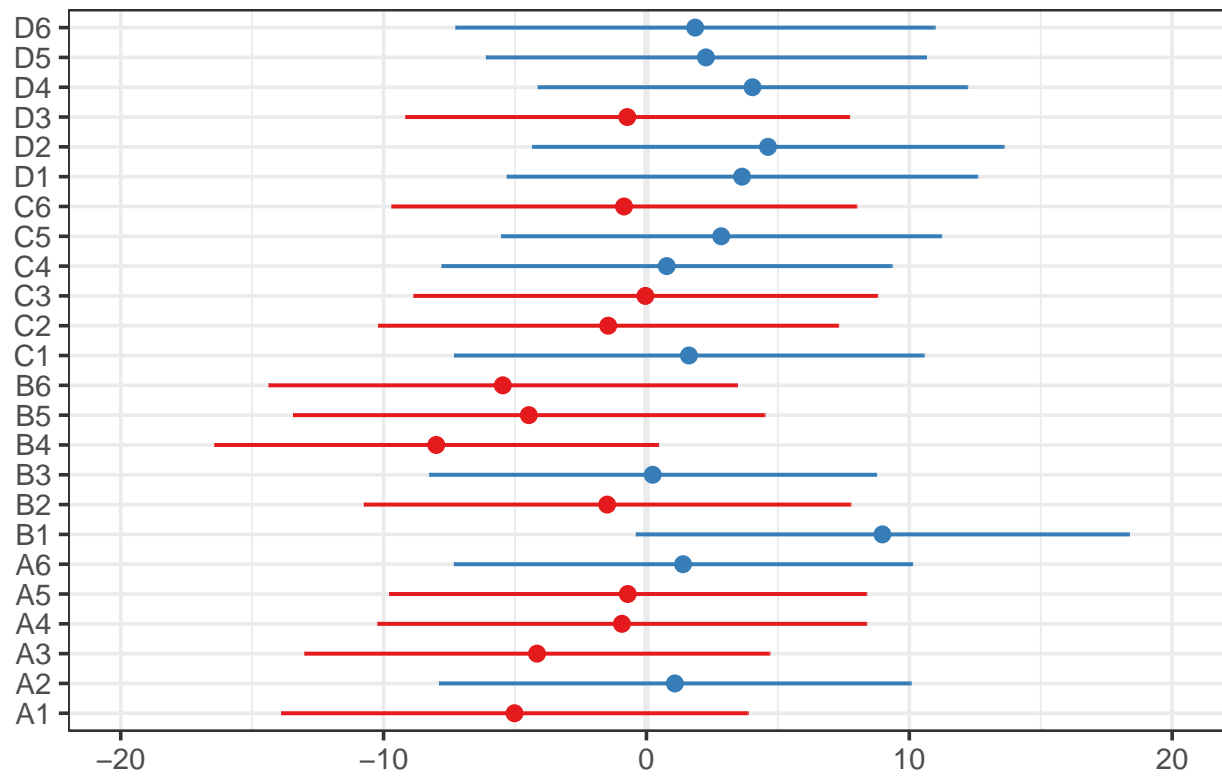
Predicted values of spp half cover date



```
# these are the random effects estimates  
plot_model(mod4, type = "re", terms = c("species", "plot"))
```

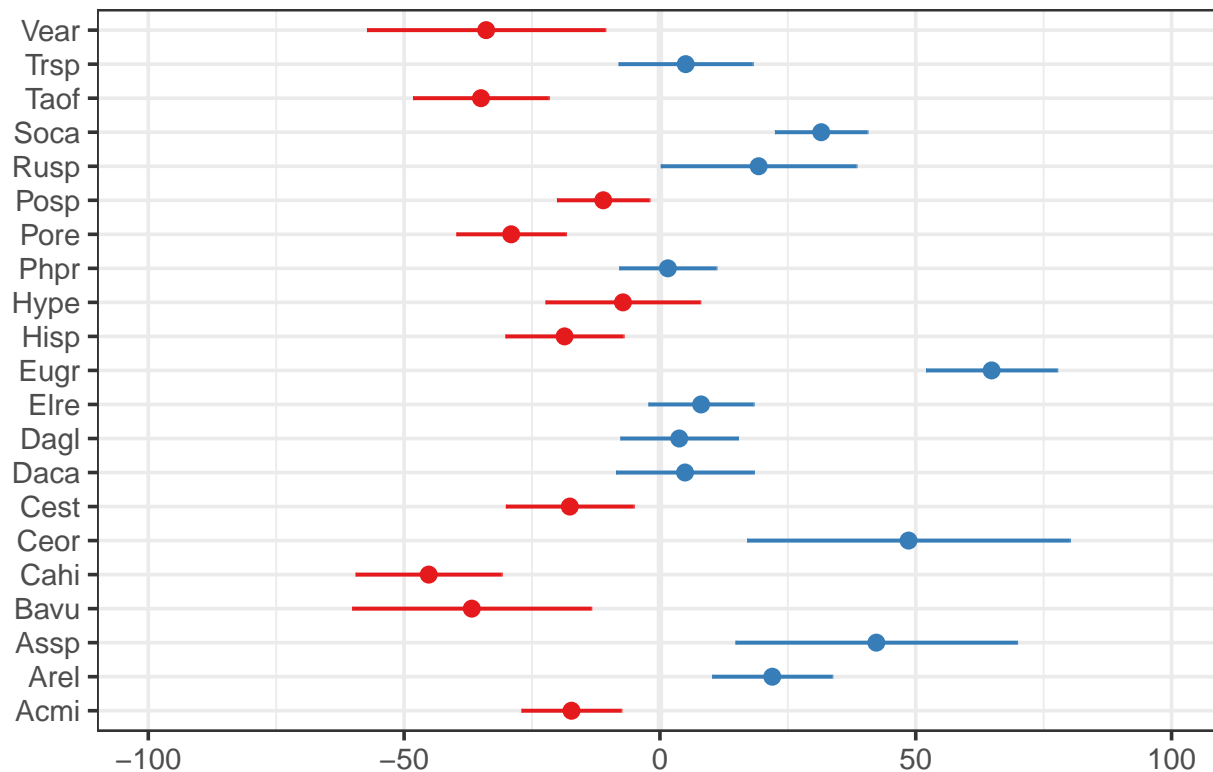
```
## [[1]]
```


Random effects



[[2]]

Random effects



```
# If we wanted to include plots nested within year it would look like this:
mod7 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) + (1 +
  year | plot), green_kbs, REML = FALSE)
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular
```

```
anova(mod4, mod7)
```

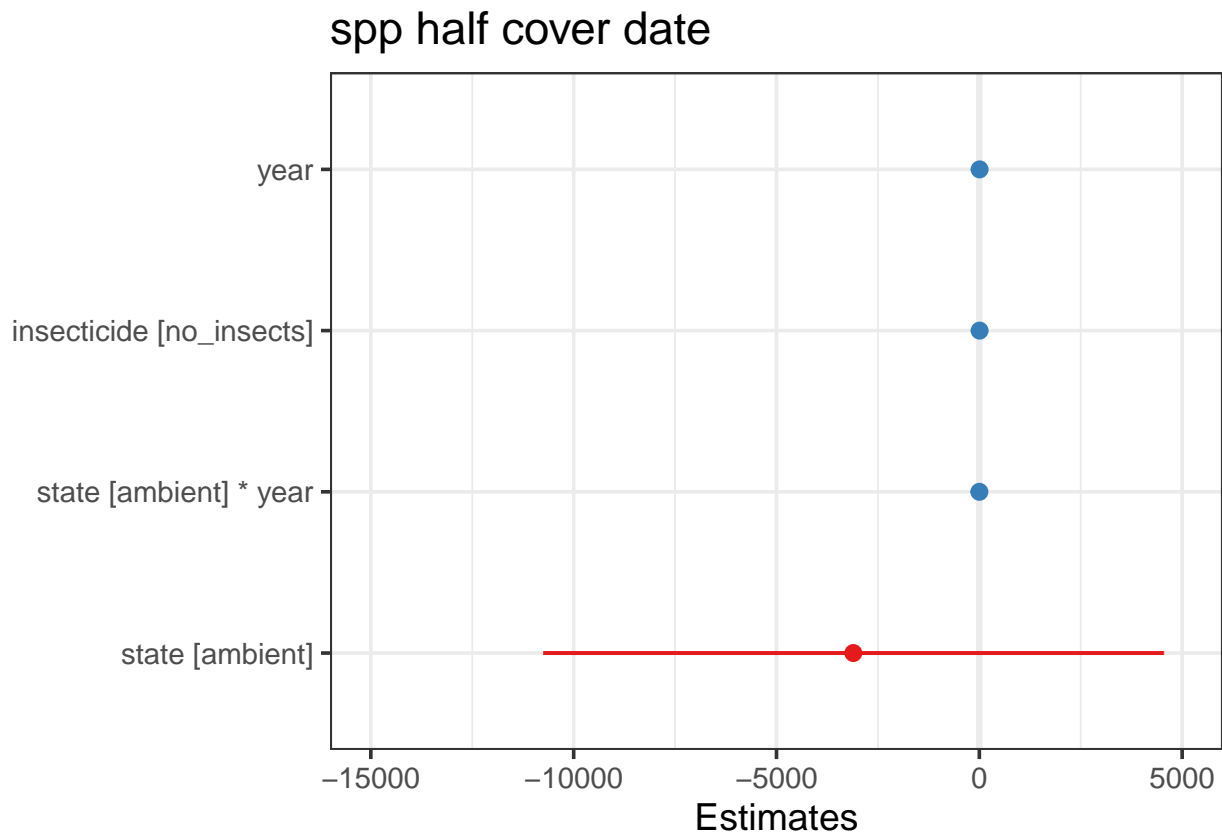
```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod4: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod4:      (1 | plot)
## mod7: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod7:      (1 + year | plot)
##      npar   AIC   BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod4     8 13585 13626 -6784.7   13569
## mod7    10 13590 13641 -6784.7   13570    0  2         1
```

```
anova(mod7)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##      npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
```

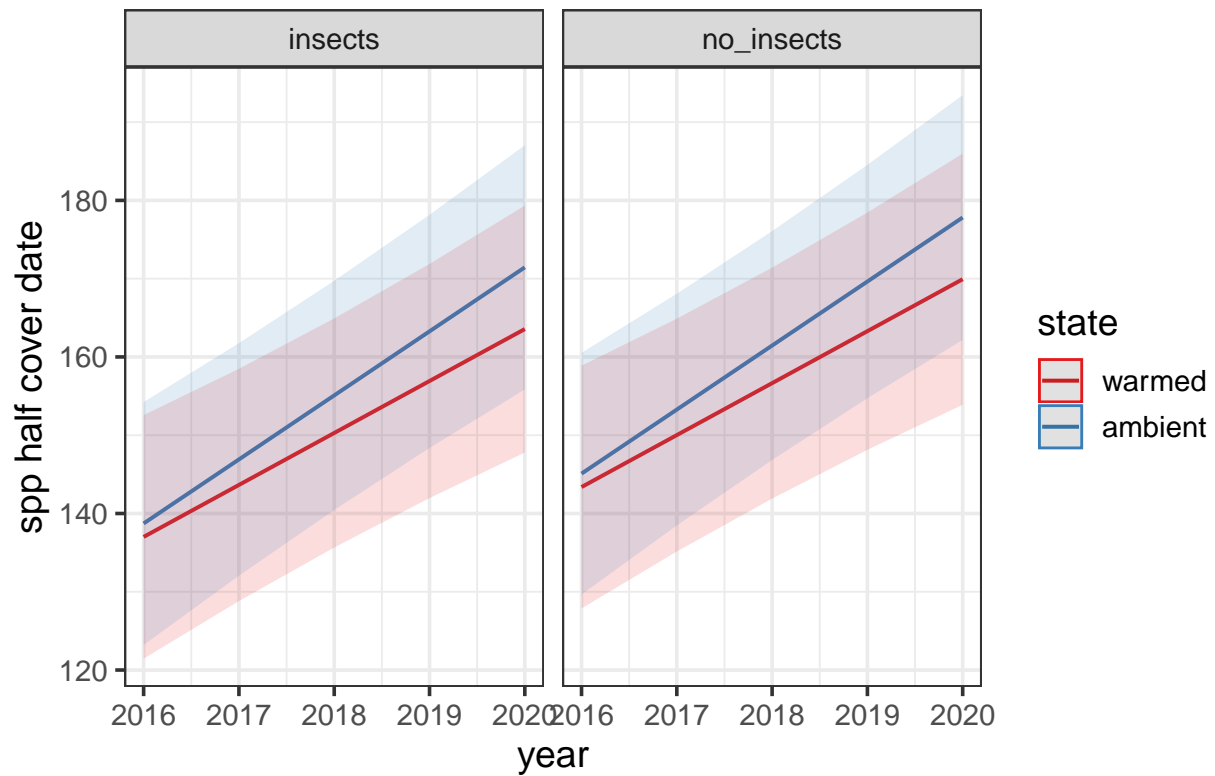
```
## state      1   5458   5458  2.2259
## year      1 136384 136384 55.6158
## insecticide 1   7450   7450  3.0380
## state:year 1   1562   1562  0.6371
```

```
# Yup, seems to matter but it is making this more complex, though not overly so
# because it's on the random effects structure only.
plot_model(mod7, sort.est = TRUE)
```



```
# these are the fixed predicted values:
plot_model(mod7, type = "pred", terms = c("year", "state", "insecticide"))
```

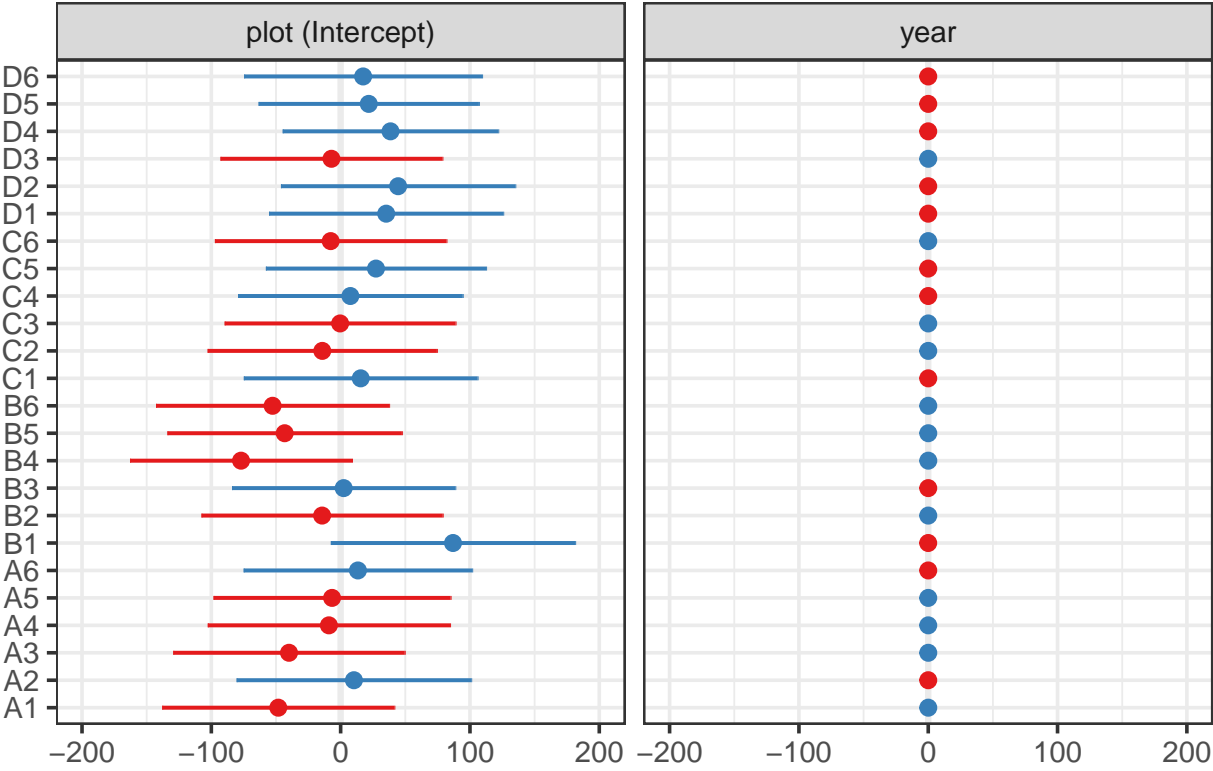
Predicted values of spp half cover date



```
# these are the random effects estimates  
plot_model(mod7, type = "re", terms = c("species", "plot"))
```

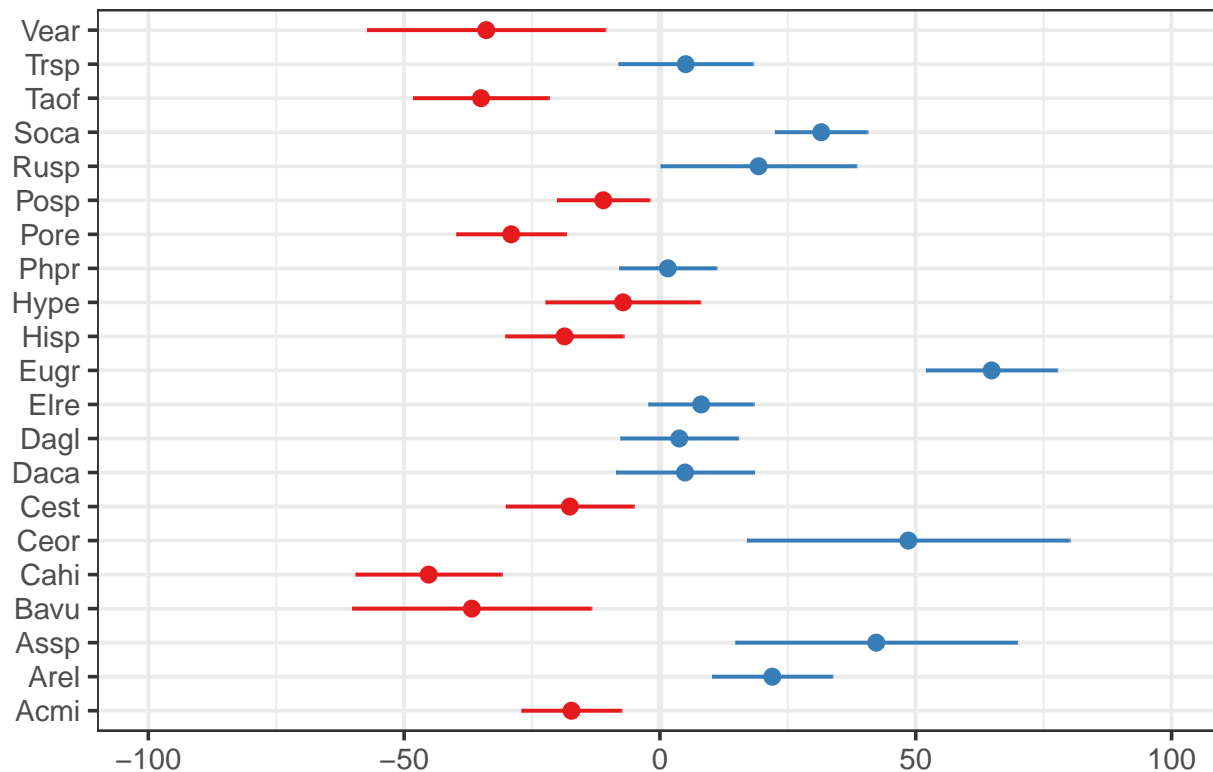
```
## [[1]]
```

Random effects



[[2]]

Random effects



mod4 (and mod7) are pretty complex in terms of interpretation (they actually don't have many parameters though). We could consider an alternative model that's simpler to understand and also one that provides more insight about the species. That would be something like this: We're going to use lmerTest for this example so you can see how to run through post-hoc tests.

```
library(lmerTest)
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'lmerTest'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:lme4':
```

```
##
```

```
## lmer
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
```

```
##
```

```
## step
```

```
mod8 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + species + (1 + year | plot), green_kbs,
  REML = FALSE)
```

```
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular
```

```
## Warning: Model failed to converge with 1 negative eigenvalue: -3.2e-01
```

```
anova(mod7, mod8) # model 8 is a better fit to data
```

```
## Data: green_kbs
## Models:
## mod7: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +
## mod7:      (1 + year | plot)
## mod8: spp_half_cover_date ~ state + species + (1 + year | plot)
##      npar    AIC    BIC logLik deviance Chisq Df Pr(>Chisq)
## mod7   10 13590 13641 -6784.7    13570
## mod8   26 13595 13729 -6771.6    13543 26.365 16    0.04911 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
summary(mod8)
```

```
## Linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood . t-tests use Satterthwaite's
## method [lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: spp_half_cover_date ~ state + species + (1 + year | plot)
## Data: green_kbs
##
##      AIC      BIC   logLik deviance df.resid
## 13595.1 13728.9 -6771.6  13543.1    1242
##
## Scaled residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -2.1232 -0.7237 -0.2572  0.7334  3.4828
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev. Corr
## plot (Intercept) 2.537e+03 50.36370
## year 4.741e-04 0.02177 -1.00
## Residual 2.518e+03 50.17603
## Number of obs: 1268, groups: plot, 24
##
## Fixed effects:
## Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 133.901 5.546 302.106 24.143 < 2e-16 ***
## stateambient 5.412 3.897 21.438 1.389 0.179229
## speciesArel 44.169 7.844 1260.160 5.631 2.21e-08 ***
## speciesAssp 70.545 16.757 1267.942 4.210 2.73e-05 ***
## speciesBavu -22.949 13.996 1267.915 -1.640 0.101318
## speciesCahi -35.193 9.011 1257.335 -3.906 9.90e-05 ***
## speciesCeor 84.001 19.822 1261.449 4.238 2.42e-05 ***
## speciesCest -5.209 8.183 1253.784 -0.637 0.524527
## speciesDaca 19.856 8.627 1256.246 2.302 0.021515 *
## speciesDagl 24.693 7.743 1258.750 3.189 0.001462 **
## speciesElre 30.733 7.252 1252.267 4.238 2.42e-05 ***
## speciesEugr 88.527 8.335 1264.020 10.621 < 2e-16 ***
## speciesHisp -1.916 7.762 1250.982 -0.247 0.805081
## speciesHype 12.271 9.416 1266.314 1.303 0.192754
## speciesPhpr 20.661 6.936 1250.109 2.979 0.002948 **
## speciesPore -11.775 7.410 1256.420 -1.589 0.112266
```

```
## speciesPosp      7.985      6.762 1247.878    1.181 0.237868
## speciesRusp      43.145     11.525 1262.439    3.744 0.000189 ***
## speciesSoca      51.527      6.762 1247.878    7.620 4.99e-14 ***
## speciesTaof     -19.080      8.535 1265.042   -2.236 0.025558 *
## speciesTrsp      20.983      8.462 1254.243    2.480 0.013279 *
## speciesVear     -27.931     13.943 1264.466   -2.003 0.045361 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
##
## Correlation matrix not shown by default, as p = 22 > 12.
## Use print(x, correlation=TRUE) or
##      vcov(x)          if you need it
```

```
## optimizer (nloptwrap) convergence code: 0 (OK)
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular
```

```
anova(mod8) # investigates whether at least one of the levels within each factor is significantly diff
```

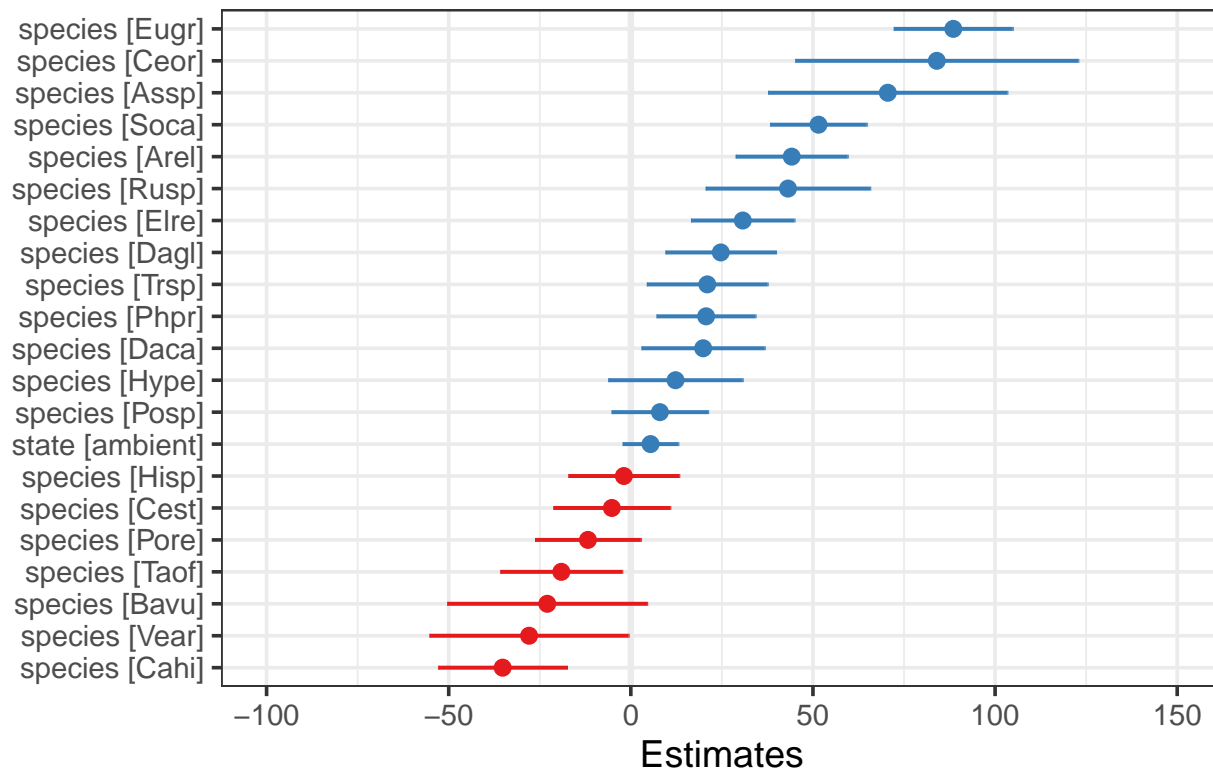
```
## Type III Analysis of Variance Table with Satterthwaite's method
##      Sum Sq Mean Sq NumDF   DenDF F value Pr(>F)
## state      4854      4854     1    21.44  1.9281 0.1792
## species 989680     49484    20 1260.49 19.6550 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
# Yes, at least one of the species is different (they do not all have the same
# half cover dates).
```

```
# Take a look at the estimates for each fixed effect. These are the estimates
# from summary(mod8). You'll see that species vary a lot - and many of them are
# different from zero (meaning their half cover date is significantly different
# from zero).
```

```
plot_model(mod8, sort.est = TRUE)
```

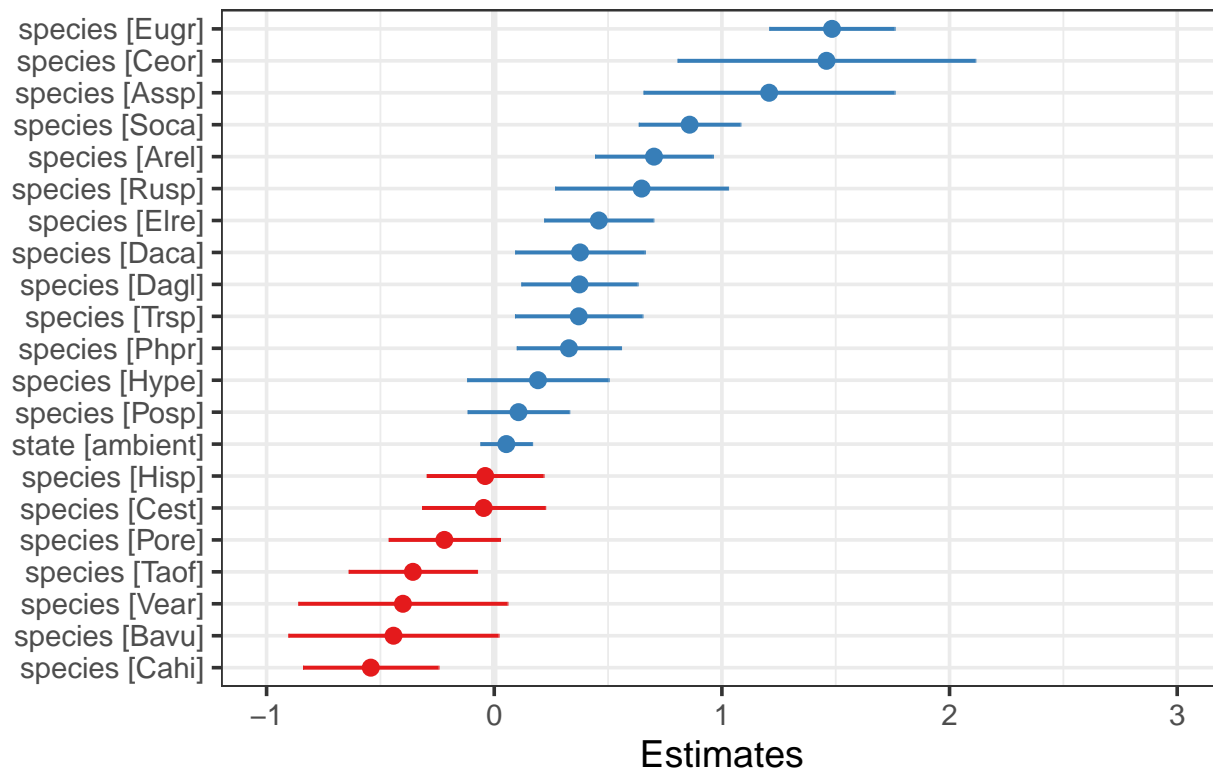

spp half cover date



```
# if you want to standardize the estimates:
plot_model(mod8, sort.est = TRUE, type = "std")
```

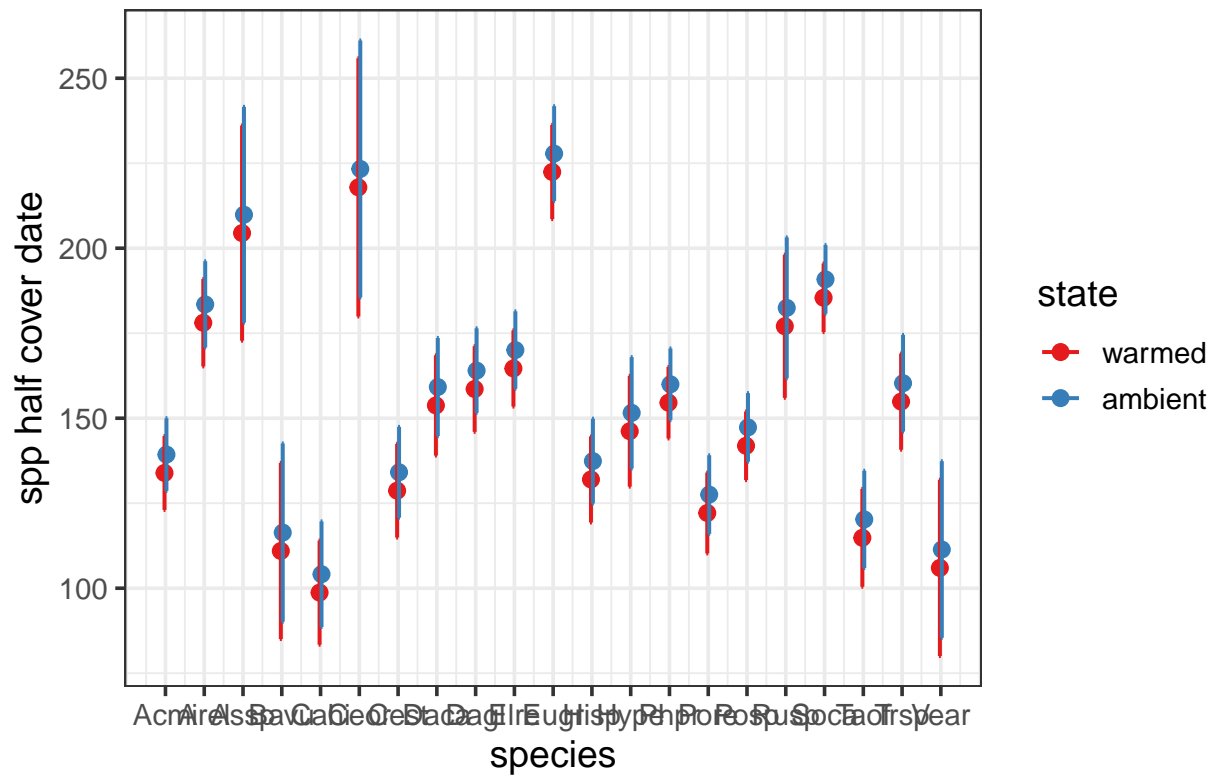
```
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular
```

spp half cover date



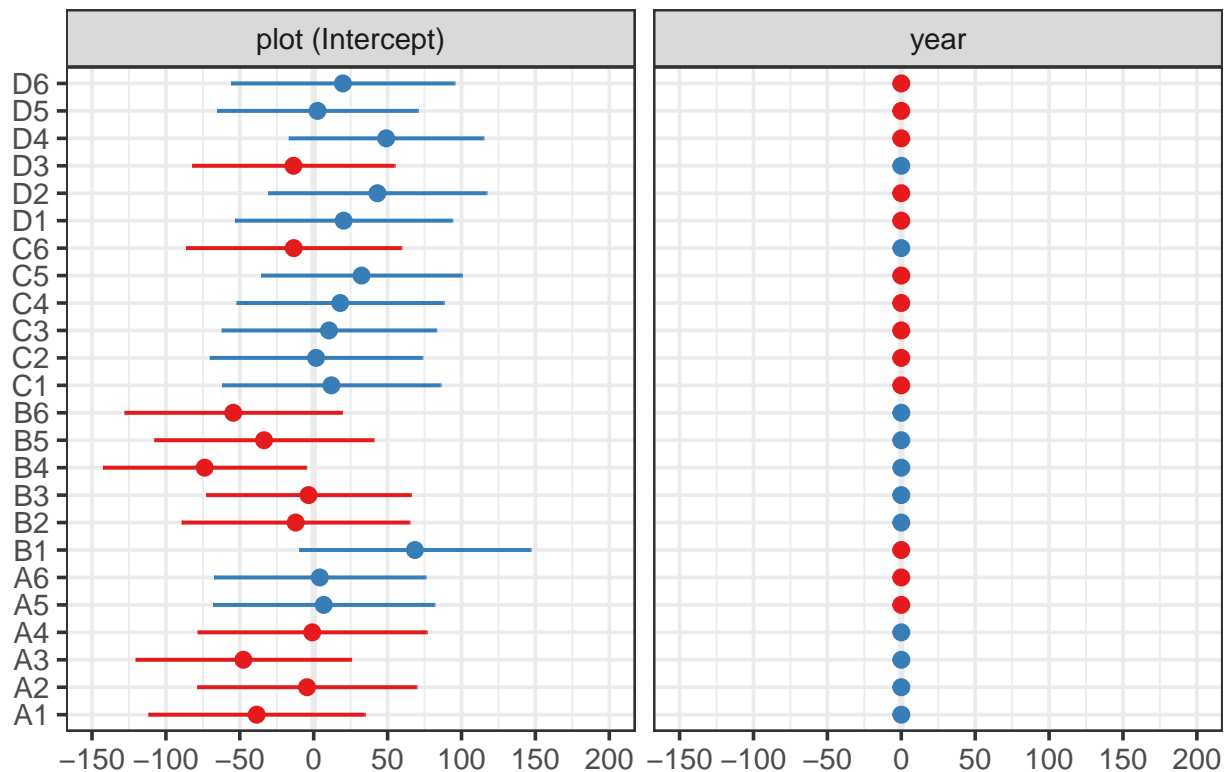
these are the fixed predicted values: - note this is a new plot
`plot_model(mod8, type = "pred", terms = c("species", "state"))`

Predicted values of spp half cover date



```
# these are the random effects estimates
plot_model(mod8, type = "re")
```

Random effects



*# You could now run some post hoc tests on these (see:
<https://stats.stackexchange.com/questions/169543/output-of-fixed-effects-summary-in-lmertest-in-r-and>*

*# Here are some other options for plotting these plots above:
<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/31075407/plot-mixed-effects-model-in-ggplot>*

*# Here's another approach:
<https://stats.stackexchange.com/questions/98958/plots-to-illustrate-results-of-linear-mixed-effect-mo>
Not quite working yet:*

```
newdat <- expand.grid(state = unique(green_kbs$state), year = c(min(green_kbs$year),
  max(green_kbs$year)), insecticide = unique(green_kbs$insecticide))
p <- ggplot(green_kbs, aes(x = year, y = spp_half_cover_date, colour = state, shape = insecticide)) +
  geom_point(size = 3) + geom_line(aes(y = predict(mod5), group = species, size = "species")) +
  geom_line(data = newdat, aes(y = predict(mod5, level = 0, newdata = newdat),
    size = "Population")) + scale_size_manual(name = "Predictions", values = c(species = 0.5,
    Population = 3)) + # facet_wrap(~insecticide) +
  theme_bw(base_size = 22)
# print(p)
```

*# New version of our model incorporating interaction term and species within year
so that there is a separate intercept and slope for each species. The issue
here is that there are some species that are not found each year. Easiest to
remove those from another version of this dataframe before running below.
Otherwise, it's not a balanced design.*

```
mod4 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 + year | species), green_kbs)
```

Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider

```
## rescaling

## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular

## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling

# So another version of this model would include the interaction but not include
# the nesting (and thus would assume that species aren't observed ea yr)
mod5 <- lmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 | species), green_kbs)

## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling

## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling

summary(mod5)

## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + (1 | species)
## Data: green_kbs
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 13564.2
##
## Scaled residuals:
## Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
## -2.2175 -0.7629 -0.2477 0.6407 3.1579
##
## Random effects:
## Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.
## species (Intercept) 1013 31.83
## Residual 2500 50.00
## Number of obs: 1268, groups: species, 21
##
## Fixed effects:
## Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -12607.448 2891.752 1246.674 -4.360 1.41e-05 ***
## stateambient -3486.287 3924.894 1243.930 -0.888 0.375
## year 6.323 1.433 1246.676 4.412 1.11e-05 ***
## stateambient:year 1.730 1.945 1243.931 0.890 0.374
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
## (Intr) sttmbn year
## stateambint -0.721
## year -1.000 0.721
## statmbnt:yr 0.721 -1.000 -0.721
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
```

ORIGINAL CODE BELOW; not edited by Phoebe

Seeing what other distribution could fit

```
descdist(green_kbs$spp_half_cover_date, discrete = FALSE)
```

While uniform looks the closest, I'll try poisson

```
fit <- lm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state, data = green_kbs)
residual <- fit$residuals
hist(residual, main = "Raw residuals")
pois <- glm(spp_half_cover_date ~ state, data = green_kbs, family = "poisson")
hist(pois$residuals, main = "Poisson glm residuals")
```

Below I try a few different generalized linear models with poisson distribution:

An interaction between state and year, plus insecticide as a fixed effect and species and plot as random effects

```
moda <- glmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide + (1 | species) +  
  (1 | plot), data = green_kbs, family = poisson)  
summary(moda)
```

No interaction between state and year, but with state and insecticide as fixed effects and species and plot as random effects

```
modb <- glmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + year + insecticide + (1 | species) +  
  (1 | plot), data = green_kbs, family = poisson)  
summary(modb)
```


State and insecticide as fixed effects & year, species and plot as random effects

```
modc <- glmer(spp_half_cover_date ~ state + insecticide + (1 | year) + (1 | species) +  
  (1 | plot), data = green_kbs, family = poisson)  
summary(modc)
```

Because no distributions seems to match well, I'll try a Friedman's test

```
# friedman_kbs <- green_kbs %>% friedman_test(spp_half_cover_date ~ state)
```

Error: Must extract column with a single valid subscript. x Subscript var can't be NA

Can't figure out what this means

If I include the blocks portion of the formula (from the documentation) I get this error

```
# friedman_kbs <- green_kbs %>% friedman_test(spp_half_cover_date ~ state | plot)
```

Error in friedman.test.default(c(141L, 202L, 122L, 101L, 127L, 120L, 197L, : not an unreplicated complete block design

Permanova?

```
per1 <- adonis2(green_kbs$spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide, data = green_kbs)
per1
per2 <- adonis(formula = green_kbs$spp_half_cover_date ~ state * year + insecticide,
  strata = green_kbs$plot, data = green_kbs)
per2
```

With per2, when controlling for “plot”, there is a difference btwn treatments

UMBS

Checking for normality

```
hist(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date)
qqnorm(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date)
shapiro.test(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date)
hist(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date[green_kbs$state == "ambient"])
hist(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date[green_kbs$state == "warmed"])
```

These look pretty good

Trying log transformation

```
green_umbs$date_log <- log(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date)
hist(green_umbs$date_log)
shapiro.test(green_umbs$date_log)
```

I think this looks good but shapiro-wilk is lower than 0.05

Trying inverse tranformation

```
green_umbs$date_inv <- 1/(green_umbs$spp_half_cover_date)
hist(green_umbs$date_inv)
shapiro.test(green_umbs$date_inv)
```

This also looks good but is also still low for shapiro-wilk