

431 Class 09

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Today's R Packages

```
library(broom) # for tidying up output
library(haven) # new today, importing files from SPSS
library(janitor)
library(knitr)
library(magrittr)
library(naniar)
library(patchwork)
library(readxl)
library(tidyverse)

theme_set(theme_bw())
```

Today's Data

Today, we'll use an SPSS file (.sav) to import the dm1000 data.

```
dm1000 <- read_sav("data/dm_1000.sav") %>%  
  clean_names() %>%  
  mutate(across(where(is.character), as_factor)) %>%  
  mutate(across(where(is.labelled), as_factor)) %>%  
  mutate(subject = as.character(subject))
```

- Note the next-to-last line in the code above, which is used to turn “labelled” variables (from SPSS) into factors in R.
- There are also functions called `read_sas()` and `read_xpt()` to read in SAS files, and `read_dta()` to read in Stata .dta files, available in the `haven` package.

The dm1000 tibble

```
# A tibble: 1,000 x 17
```

| | subject | sbp | dbp | insurance | age | n_income | ht |
|----|---------|-------|-------|------------|-------|----------|-------|
| | <chr> | <dbl> | <dbl> | <fct> | <dbl> | <dbl> | <dbl> |
| 1 | M-0001 | 145 | 70 | Medicaid | 55 | 29853 | 1.63 |
| 2 | M-0002 | 151 | 77 | Commercial | 52 | 31248 | 1.75 |
| 3 | M-0003 | 127 | 73 | Medicare | 69 | 23362 | 1.65 |
| 4 | M-0004 | 125 | 74 | Medicaid | 57 | 26033 | 1.63 |
| 5 | M-0005 | 120 | 73 | Medicare | 68 | 85374 | 1.69 |
| 6 | M-0006 | 127 | 75 | Medicaid | 56 | 31273 | 1.71 |
| 7 | M-0007 | 114 | 81 | Commercial | 54 | 25445 | 1.68 |
| 8 | M-0008 | 166 | 110 | Medicare | 45 | 67526 | 1.69 |
| 9 | M-0009 | 111 | 77 | Medicare | 61 | 15203 | 1.91 |
| 10 | M-0010 | 146 | 102 | Medicaid | 63 | 17628 | 1.86 |

```
# ... with 990 more rows, and 10 more variables:
```

```
#   wt <dbl>, a1c <dbl>, ldl <dbl>, tobacco <fct>,
```

```
#   statin <dbl>, eye_exam <dbl>,
```

```
#   race_ethnicity <fct>, sex <fct>, county <fct>,
```

Describing the association of sbp and dbp

Numerical Summaries of sbp and dbp

```
mosaic::favstats(~ sbp, data = dm1000)
```

| min | Q1 | median | Q3 | max | mean | sd | n | missing |
|-----|-----|--------|-----|-----|----------|----------|-----|---------|
| 84 | 122 | 132 | 142 | 209 | 132.7746 | 17.95214 | 994 | 6 |

```
dm1000 %$% mosaic::favstats(~ dbp)
```

| min | Q1 | median | Q3 | max | mean | sd | n | missing |
|-----|----|--------|----|-----|----------|----------|-----|---------|
| 41 | 66 | 75 | 82 | 137 | 74.46378 | 12.42027 | 994 | 6 |

Are the same people missing sbp and dbp?

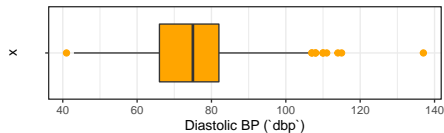
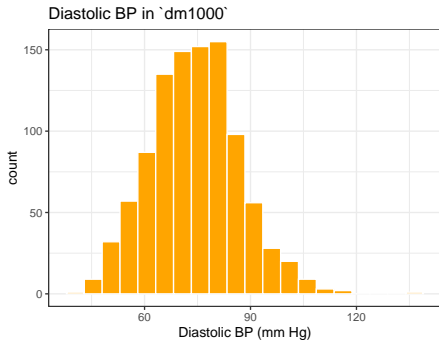
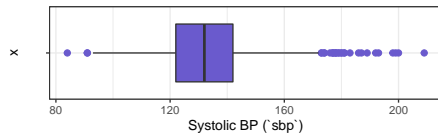
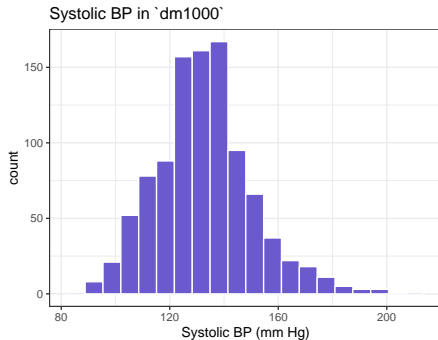
```
dm1000 %>% select(sbp, dbp) %>%  
  miss_case_summary()
```

```
# A tibble: 1,000 x 3
```

| | case | n_miss | pct_miss |
|----|-------|--------|----------|
| | <int> | <int> | <dbl> |
| 1 | 107 | 2 | 100 |
| 2 | 230 | 2 | 100 |
| 3 | 284 | 2 | 100 |
| 4 | 385 | 2 | 100 |
| 5 | 440 | 2 | 100 |
| 6 | 970 | 2 | 100 |
| 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 | 4 | 0 | 0 |

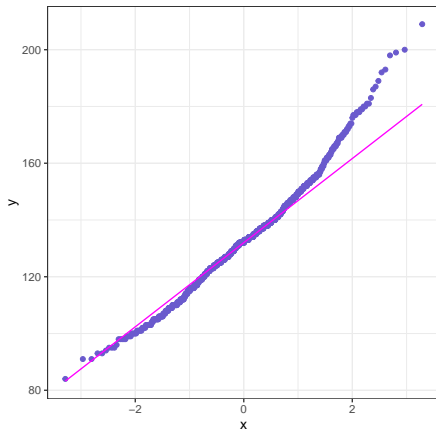
```
# ... with 990 more rows
```

Distributions of sbp and dbp

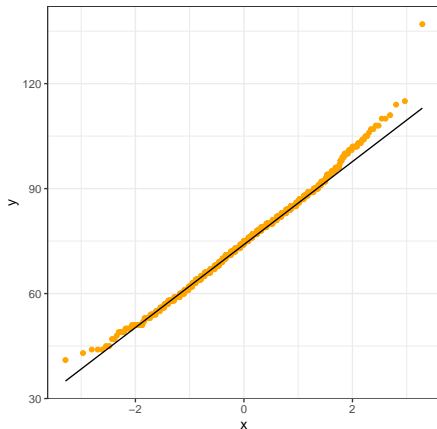


Normal model for sbp and dbp?

Normal Q-Q: dm1000 sbp



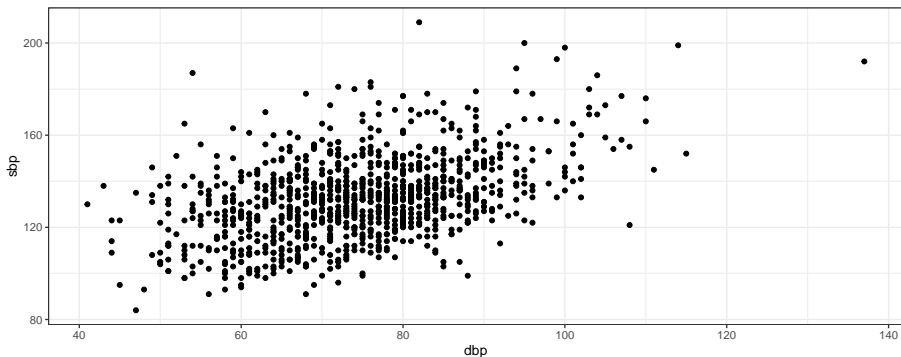
Normal Q-Q: dm1000 dbp



How closely associated are sbp and dbp?

```
ggplot(data = dm1000, aes(x = dbp, y = sbp)) +  
  geom_point()
```

Warning: Removed 6 rows containing missing values
(geom_point).



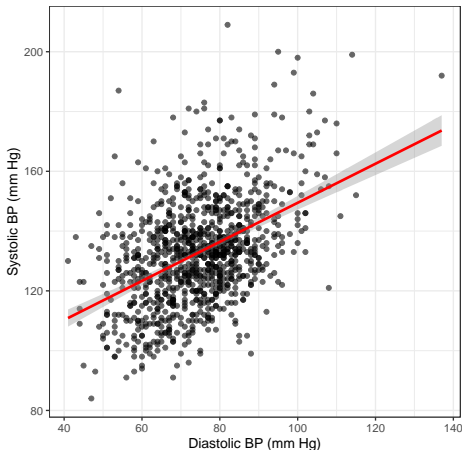
Improving the scatterplot (code)

```
dm1000 %>% filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp)) %>%  
ggplot(data = ., aes(x = dbp, y = sbp)) +  
  geom_point(alpha = 0.6) +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", col = "red",  
              formula = y ~ x, se = TRUE) +  
  theme(aspect.ratio = 1) +  
  labs(x = "Diastolic BP (mm Hg)",  
       y = "Systolic BP (mm Hg)",  
       title = "Strong Direct Association of `sbp` and `dbp`",  
       subtitle = "dm1000 data (6 subjects had missing data)")
```

- What am I doing in these lines of code?

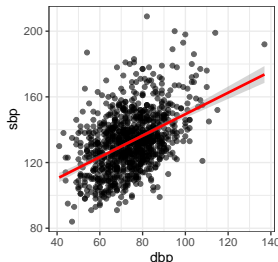
Higher DBP is associated with Higher SBP

Strong Direct Association of `sbp` and `dbp`
dm1000 data (6 subjects had missing data)



- One point for each of the 994 subjects with known SBP and DBP...

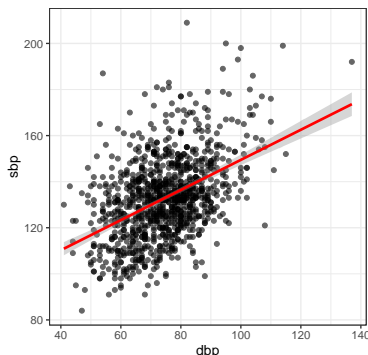
What are we looking for in this plot?



Is the association...

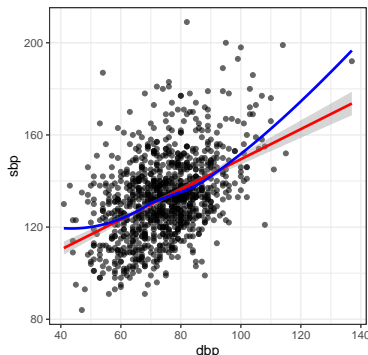
- ❶ **Linear or Non-Linear?** (is there a curve here?)
- ❷ **Direction?** (as X increases, what happens to Y?)
- ❸ **Outliers?** (far away on X, or Y, or the combination?)
- ❹ **Strength?** (points closely clustered together around a line?)

What might we conclude here?



- 1 **Linear?:** The points roughly follow the straight line's path.
 - Do you see any clear signs of a curve?
 - Would adding a loess smooth help us?

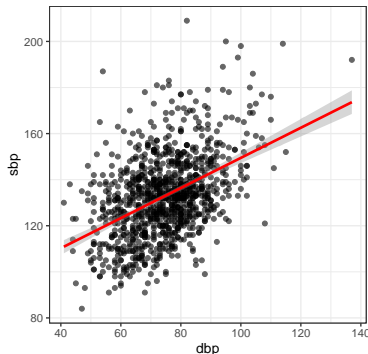
What might we conclude here?



1 Linear?

- The loess smooth (in blue) suggests a potential curve
- Is it overreacting to the highly leveraged point (dbp = 140)?

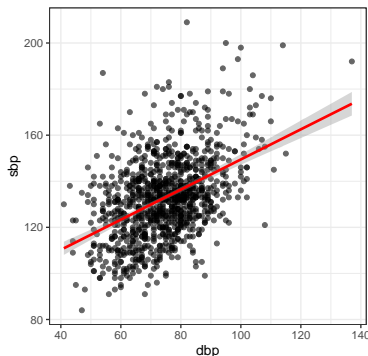
What might we conclude here?



2 Direction?

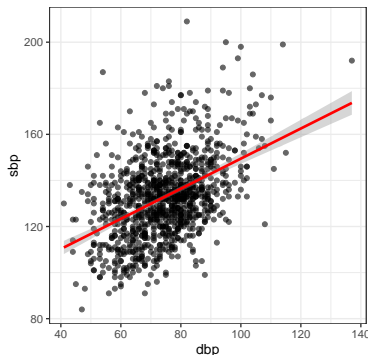
- As dbp increases, so does sbp, generally.
- Slope of the regression line is positive.

What might we conclude here?



- ① **Linear?:** No strong evidence of a meaningful curve.
- ② **Direction?:** As dbp increases, so does sbp, generally.
- ③ **Outliers?:** A few (out of 1000) worth another look, probably.

What might we conclude here?



④ **Strength?**: Does this association seem very strong?

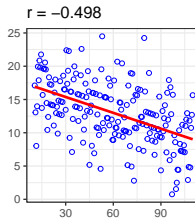
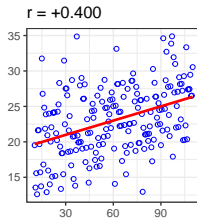
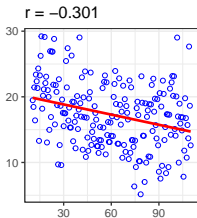
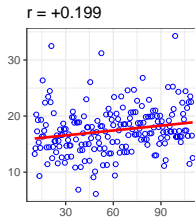
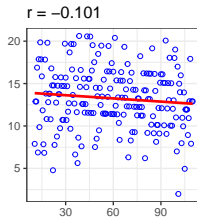
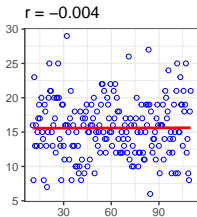
- sbp values associated with any particular dbp value range widely.
- If we know the dbp, that should help us make better predictions of sbp, but how much better than if we didn't know dbp?
- What might the **correlation** of sbp and dbp might be?

Summarizing Strength with the Pearson Correlation

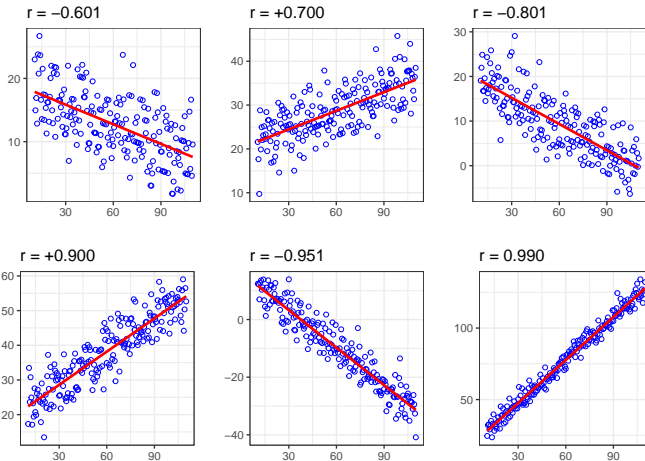
The Pearson correlation (abbreviated r) ranges from -1 to $+1$.

- The closer the absolute value of the correlation is to 1, the stronger a linear fit will be to the data, (in a limited sense).
- A strong positive correlation (near $+1$) will indicate a strong model with a positive slope.
- A strong negative correlation (near -1) will indicate a strong linear model with a negative slope.
- A weak correlation (near 0) will indicate a poor fit for a linear model, although a non-linear model may still fit the data quite well.

Gaining Some Insight into Correlation



Some Stronger Correlations



(Pearson) Correlation Coefficients for sbp and dbp

```
dm1000 %$% cor(sbp, dbp)
```

```
[1] NA
```

```
dm1000 %>%  
  filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp)) %$%  
  cor(sbp, dbp)
```

```
[1] 0.4521072
```

```
dm1000 %$% cor(sbp, dbp, use = "complete.obs")
```

```
[1] 0.4521072
```

- What does this correlation imply about a linear fit to the data?

What line is being fit in our model `m1`?

Least Squares Regression Line (a linear model) to predict sbp using dbp

```
m1 <- lm(sbp ~ dbp, data = dm1000)
m1
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = sbp ~ dbp, data = dm1000)
```

Coefficients:

| (Intercept) | dbp |
|-------------|--------|
| 84.1147 | 0.6535 |

Model `m1` is **$\text{sbp} = 84.11 + 0.65 \text{ dbp}$** .

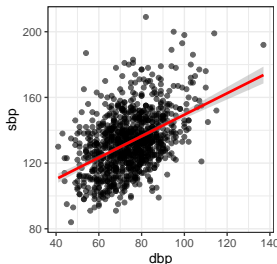
What does the slope mean?

$$\text{Weight (tons)} = 2.4 + \underline{0.3}(\text{height}) + \dots$$



if all other variables constant, we expect a 1 foot taller dragon to weigh 0.3 tons more, on average.

Linear Model m_1 : $sbp = 84.11 + 0.65 \text{ dbp}$

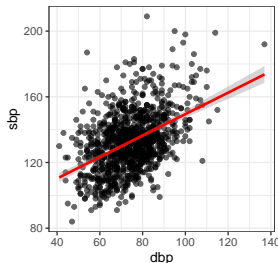


84.11 is the intercept = predicted value of sbp when dbp = 0.

0.65 is the slope = predicted change in sbp per 1 unit change in dbp

- What does the model predict for sbp for a subject with dbp = 100?
- What if the subject had dbp = 99? 101? 110?

Linear Model m_1 : $\text{sbp} = 84.11 + 0.65 \text{ dbp}$



84.11 is the intercept = predicted value of sbp when dbp = 0.

0.65 is the slope = predicted change in sbp per 1 unit change in dbp

- What are the units here?
- What does the fact that this estimated slope is positive mean?
- What would the line look like if the slope was negative?
- What would the line look like if the slope was zero?

Confidence Intervals for Regression Coefficients

We'll use the `tidy()` function from the `broom` package.

```
tidy(m1, conf.int = TRUE, conf.level = 0.90) %>%  
  select(term, estimate, std.error, conf.low, conf.high) %>%  
  kable(digits = 4)
```

| term | estimate | std.error | conf.low | conf.high |
|-------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| (Intercept) | 84.1147 | 3.0901 | 79.0271 | 89.2022 |
| dbp | 0.6535 | 0.0409 | 0.5861 | 0.7209 |

- How might we interpret the confidence interval for the slope of `dbp`?
 - Remember that the slope is the change in `sbp` per 1 unit change in `dbp` according to our model `m1`.
- How might we interpret the intercept term in model `m1`?

Obtaining R^2 and some Regression Fit Summaries

We'll use the `glance()` function, also from the `broom` package.

```
glance(m1) %>%  
  select(nobs, r.squared, adj.r.squared, AIC, BIC) %>%  
  kable(digits = c(0, 4, 4, 1, 1))
```

| nobs | r.squared | adj.r.squared | AIC | BIC |
|------|-----------|---------------|--------|------|
| 994 | 0.2044 | 0.2036 | 8339.3 | 8354 |

- `nobs` = # of observations actually used to fit the model
- R^2 = “r-squared” is the square of the Pearson correlation r .
 - Recall we had $r = 0.4521$ for the association of `sbp` and `dbp`.
 - Squaring r , we get 0.2044.
- R^2 can be interpreted as the percentage of variation in `sbp` that `m1` accounts for with `dbp`

Interpreting R^2 and other Regression Summaries

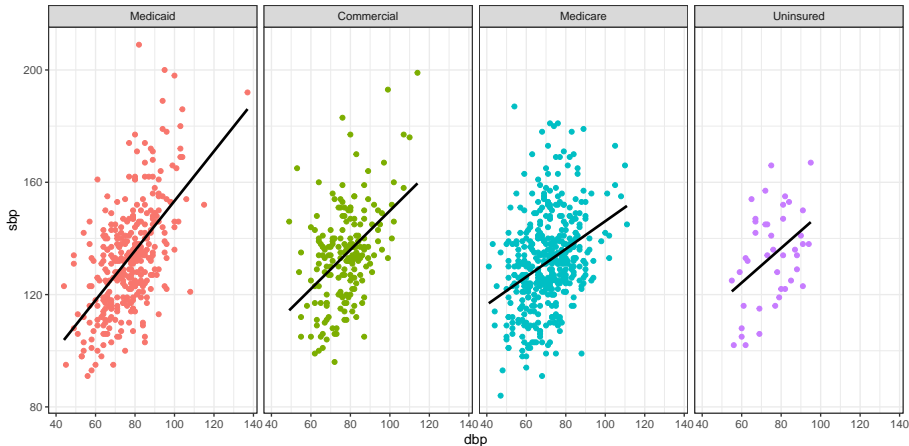
```
glance(m1) %>%  
  select(nobs, r.squared, adj.r.squared, AIC, BIC) %>%  
  kable(digits = c(0, 4, 4, 1, 1))
```

| nobs | r.squared | adj.r.squared | AIC | BIC |
|------|-----------|---------------|--------|------|
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- R^2 is also the proportionate reduction in error (as measured by sum of squared errors) in our predictions made using `m1` as compared to an “intercept only” regression model where we simply predict the mean of `sbp` for any subject, regardless of their `dbp`.
- Adjusted R^2 , AIC and BIC will become relevant as we compare multiple models for the same outcome.

sbp-dbp association in insurance subgroups?

- Different linear model for sbp using dbp in each insurance category.



Code for previous slide

```
dm1000 %>% filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp, insurance)) %>%  
  ggplot(data = ., aes(x = dbp, y = sbp, col = insurance)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", col = "black",  
              formula = y ~ x, se = FALSE) +  
  guides(col = "none") +  
  facet_wrap(~ insurance, nrow = 1)
```

Does sbp-dbp correlation vary by insurance?

```
dm1000 %>%  
  filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp)) %>%  
  group_by(insurance) %>%  
  summarize(n = n(), pearson_r = cor(sbp, dbp), r.squared = pe  
  kable(digits = 3)
```

| insurance | n | pearson_r | r.squared |
|------------|-----|-----------|-----------|
| Medicaid | 330 | 0.577 | 0.332 |
| Commercial | 193 | 0.452 | 0.204 |
| Medicare | 429 | 0.346 | 0.120 |
| Uninsured | 42 | 0.413 | 0.171 |

- How might we fit a linear model within each insurance type?
- Which of those models would have the largest R^2 ?

Model for subjects with Medicare insurance?

```
m2_medicare <- dm1000 %>%  
  filter(insurance == "Medicare") %>%  
  filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp)) %$%  
  lm(sbp ~ dbp)  
  
tidy(m2_medicare, conf.int = TRUE, conf.level = 0.90) %>%  
  select(term, estimate, conf.low, conf.high) %>%  
  kable(digits = 3)
```

| term | estimate | conf.low | conf.high |
|-------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| (Intercept) | 96.589 | 88.889 | 104.290 |
| dbp | 0.495 | 0.388 | 0.603 |

Glancing at the Medicare-Only Model

```
glance(m2_medicare) %>%  
  select(r.squared, nobs)
```

```
# A tibble: 1 x 2  
  r.squared nobs  
    <dbl> <int>  
1    0.120   429
```

Model including both dbp and insurance?

```
m3 <-  
  dm1000 %>%  
  filter(complete.cases(sbp, dbp, insurance)) %$%  
  lm(sbp ~ dbp * insurance)  
  
glance(m3) %>% select(nobs, r.squared, adj.r.squared) %>%  
  kable(digits = c(0, 3, 3))
```

| nobs | r.squared | adj.r.squared |
|------|-----------|---------------|
| 994 | 0.222 | 0.217 |

Coefficients of Model m3

```
tidy(m3) %>% select(term, estimate, std.error) %>%  
  kable(digits = 3)
```

| term | estimate | std.error |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|
| (Intercept) | 64.948 | 5.395 |
| dbp | 0.884 | 0.069 |
| insuranceCommercial | 15.337 | 9.613 |
| insuranceMedicare | 31.641 | 7.107 |
| insuranceUninsured | 22.247 | 17.604 |
| dbp:insuranceCommercial | -0.188 | 0.123 |
| dbp:insuranceMedicare | -0.389 | 0.094 |
| dbp:insuranceUninsured | -0.267 | 0.231 |

- What does this model imply for Medicare subjects?

Understanding the m3 model

Model m3 predicts sbp using

$$\begin{aligned} & 64.948 + 0.884 \text{ `dbp`} \\ & + 31.641 \text{ Medicare} - 0.389 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Medicare} \\ & + 15.337 \text{ Commer.} - 0.188 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Commer.} \\ & + 22.247 \text{ Medicaid} - 0.267 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Medicaid} \end{aligned}$$

- 1 What is the resulting equation for a Medicare subject?

Understanding the m3 model

Model m3 predicts sbp using

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What is the resulting equation for a Medicare subject?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{sbp} &= (64.948 + 31.641) + (0.884 - 0.389) * \text{dbp} \\ \text{sbp} &= 96.589 + 0.495 \text{ dbp} \end{aligned}$$

- This matches the result we obtained running the sbp on dbp regression for the Medicare subjects alone in model m2_medicare.

Understanding the m3 model

Again, model m3 predicts sbp using

$$\begin{aligned} & 64.948 & + & 0.884 \text{ `dbp`} \\ + & 31.641 \text{ Medicare} & - & 0.389 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Medicare} \\ + & 15.337 \text{ Commer.} & - & 0.188 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Commer.} \\ + & 22.247 \text{ Medicaid} & - & 0.267 \text{ `dbp`} * \text{ Medicaid} \end{aligned}$$

| Insurance | Predicted sbp |
|------------|---|
| Medicare | $96.589 + 0.495 \text{ dbp}$ |
| Commercial | $(64.948 + 15.337) + (0.884 - 0.188) \text{ dbp}$ |
| Commercial | or, $80.285 + 0.696 \text{ dbp}$ |
| Medicaid | $87.195 + 0.617 \text{ dbp}$ |
| Uninsured | $64.948 + 0.884 \text{ dbp}$ |

Which model shows better fit to the data?

```
g1 <- glance(m1) %>%  
  mutate(m_name = "m1 (dbp only)")  
g3 <- glance(m3) %>%  
  mutate(m_name = "m3 (dbp * insurance)")  
  
bind_rows(g1, g3) %>%  
  select(m_name, nobs, r.squared, adj.r.squared, AIC, BIC) %>%  
  kable(digits = c(0, 0, 3, 3, 0, 0))
```

| m_name | nobs | r.squared | adj.r.squared | AIC | BIC |
|----------------------|------|-----------|---------------|------|------|
| m1 (dbp only) | 994 | 0.204 | 0.204 | 8339 | 8354 |
| m3 (dbp * insurance) | 994 | 0.222 | 0.217 | 8329 | 8373 |

- Model m3 has better R^2 , and adjusted R^2 ; better AIC, but worse BIC.
- IGNORING: regression assumptions, and predictions in new data...

Coming Up

- More with your favorite movies
- Associations between categorical variables