

# Assignment 8 - DEA Analysis

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The Hope Valley Health Care Association owns and operates six nursing homes in adjoining states. An evaluation of their efficiency has been undertaken using two inputs and two outputs. The inputs are staffing labor (measured in average hours per day) and the cost of supplies (in thousands of dollars per day). The outputs are the number of patient-days reimbursed by third party sources and the number of patient-days reimbursed privately.

Let us now calculate the weights to achieve the efficiency values for each nursing home

```
#install.packages("Benchmarking")
library(Benchmarking)
library(tidyverse)
library(dplyr)
```

**Loading all the packages.** Our problem has 6 Nursing Homes with  
2 inputs: staff Hours per day and supplies per day  
2 outputs: Reimbursed Patient-days, Privately Paid patient-days.

```
input <- matrix(c(150,400,320,520,350,320, 0.2,0.7, 1.2,2.0,1.2,0.7),ncol=2)
output <- matrix(c(14000,14000,42000,28000,19000,14000, 3500,21000, 10500,42000,25000,15000),ncol = 2)
colnames(input) <- c("Staff Hours/day","Supplies/day")
colnames(output) <- c("ReimursedPateients","Privately Paid Patients")
main <- cbind(input, output)
main
```

##	Staff Hours/day	Supplies/day	ReimursedPateients	Privately Paid Patients
## [1,]	150	0.2	14000	3500
## [2,]	400	0.7	14000	21000
## [3,]	320	1.2	42000	10500
## [4,]	520	2.0	28000	42000
## [5,]	350	1.2	19000	25000
## [6,]	320	0.7	14000	15000

We now run the DEA analysis.

## DEA Analysis with FDH

```
e1 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "fdh")           # provide the input and output

efffdh<- eff(e1)                             # put efficiency in a dataset

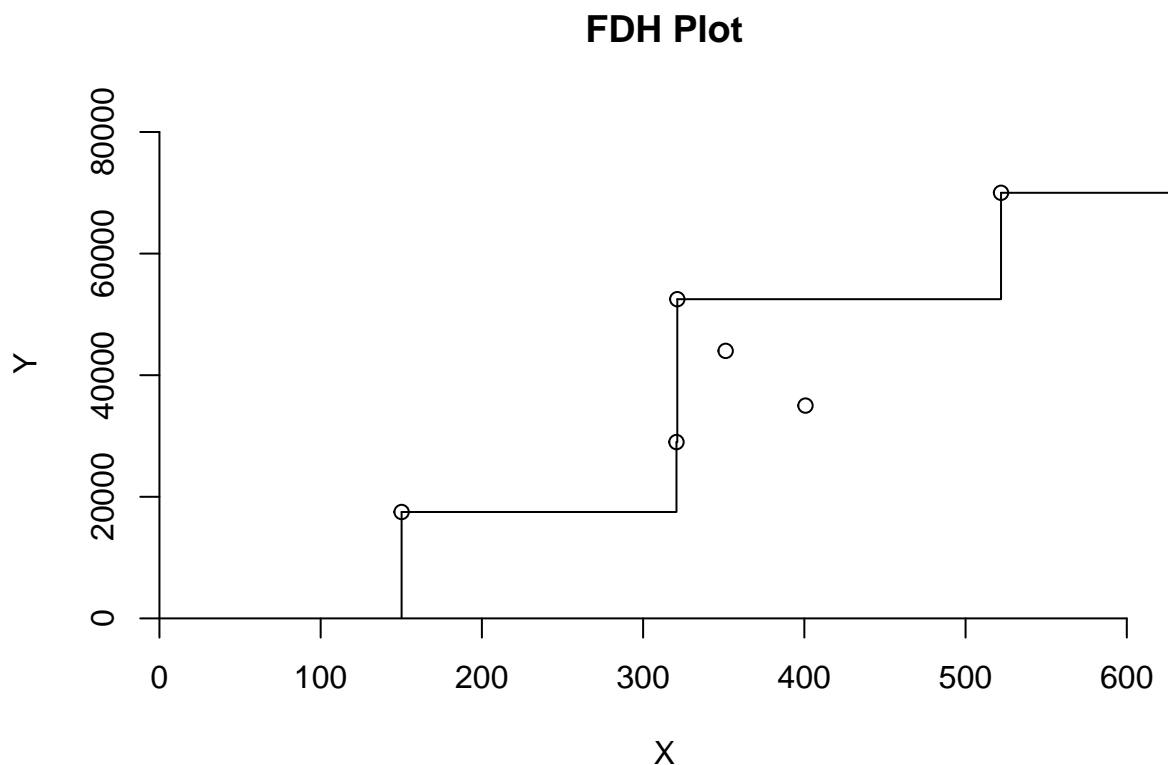
p1<- peers(e1)                              # identify the peers

colnames(p1)[1] <- "FDH_peer1"

l1<- lambda(e1)                             # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l1)[1] <- "FDH_L1"
colnames(l1)[2] <- "FDH_L2"
colnames(l1)[3] <- "FDH_L3"
colnames(l1)[4] <- "FDH_L4"
colnames(l1)[5] <- "FDH_L5"
colnames(l1)[6] <- "FDH_L6"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="fdh",ORIENTATION="in-out",txt=rownames(input),main="FDH Plot") # plot the r
```



```
table1<- cbind(main,p1,l1,effdh)            #Summarised table
table1
```

```
##      Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients
```

## [1,]	150	0.2	14000	3500				
## [2,]	400	0.7	14000	21000				
## [3,]	320	1.2	42000	10500				
## [4,]	520	2.0	28000	42000				
## [5,]	350	1.2	19000	25000				
## [6,]	320	0.7	14000	15000				
##	FDH_peer1	FDH_L1	FDH_L2	FDH_L3	FDH_L4	FDH_L5	FDH_L6	effdh
## [1,]	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
## [2,]	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
## [3,]	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
## [4,]	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
## [5,]	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
## [6,]	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

This Model suggests that all the Nursing Branches are efficient.

## DEA Analysis with CRS

```
e2 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "crs")           # provide the input and output

efcrs<- eff(e2)

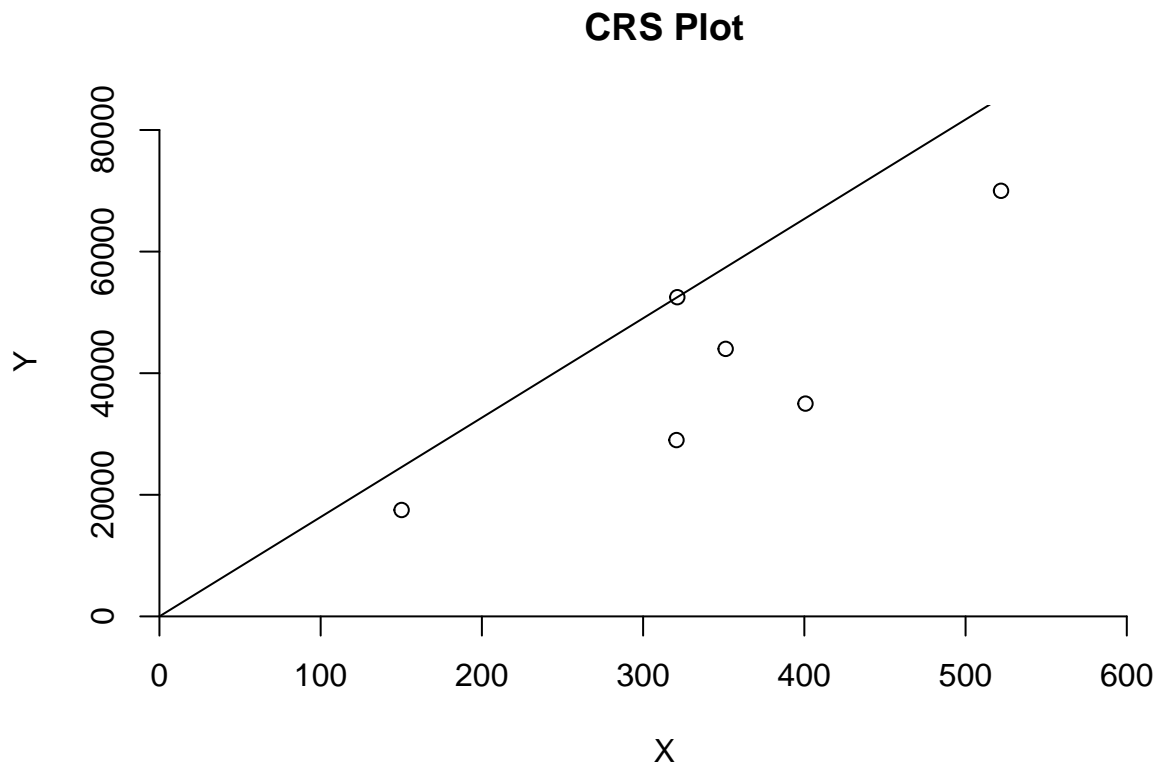
p2<- peers(e2)                               # identify the peers

colnames(p2)[1] <- "CRS_peer1"
colnames(p2)[2] <- "CRS_peer2"
colnames(p2)[3] <- "CRS_peer3"

l2<- lambda(e2)                             # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l2)[1] <- "CRS_L1"
colnames(l2)[2] <- "CRS_L2"
colnames(l2)[3] <- "CRS_L3"
colnames(l2)[4] <- "CRS_L4"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="crs",ORIENTATION="in-out",main="CRS Plot") # plot the results
```



```
table2<- cbind(main,p2,l2,efcrs)           #Summarize the result
table2
```

```
##      Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients
```

```

## [1,]          150          0.2          14000          3500
## [2,]          400          0.7          14000          21000
## [3,]          320          1.2          42000          10500
## [4,]          520          2.0          28000          42000
## [5,]          350          1.2          19000          25000
## [6,]          320          0.7          14000          15000
##      CRS_peer1 CRS_peer2 CRS_peer3      CRS_L1      CRS_L2 CRS_L3      CRS_L4
## [1,]          1         NA         NA 1.0000000 0.0000000      0 0.0000000
## [2,]          2         NA         NA 0.0000000 1.0000000      0 0.0000000
## [3,]          3         NA         NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      1 0.0000000
## [4,]          4         NA         NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0 1.0000000
## [5,]          1          2          4 0.2000000 0.08048142      0 0.5383307
## [6,]          1          2          4 0.3428571 0.39499264      0 0.1310751
##      efcrs
## [1,] 1.0000000
## [2,] 1.0000000
## [3,] 1.0000000
## [4,] 1.0000000
## [5,] 0.9774987
## [6,] 0.8674521

```

The result indicates that Nursing branches 1,2,3 and 4 are efficient.

Efficiency of Nursing Branch 5 is 97.74% and of Branch 6 is 86.74%.

Branch 5 has 1, 2, and 4 as it's peers with relative weight of 0.2, 0.08, and 0.53.

Branch 6 has 1, 2, and 4 as it's peers with relative weight of 0.34, 0.39, and 0.13.

## DEA Analysis with VRS

```
e3 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "vrs")           # provide the input and output

efvrs<- eff(e3)

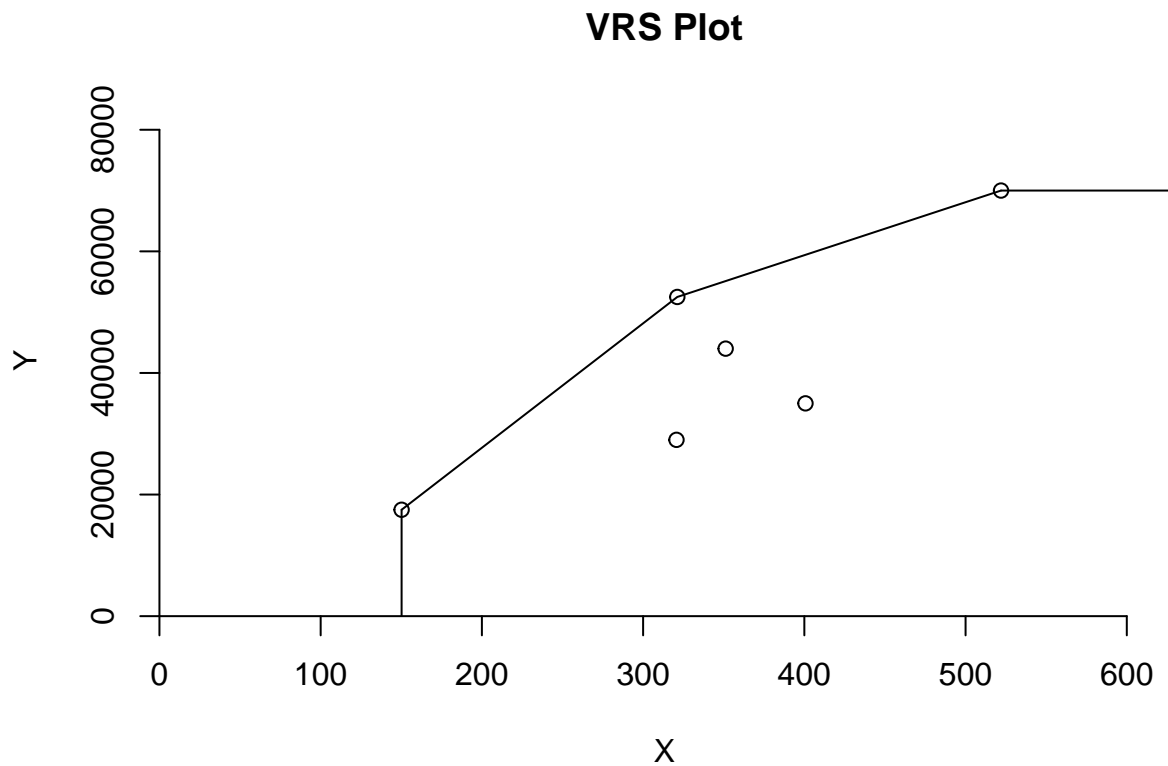
p3<- peers(e3)                               # identify the peers

colnames(p3)[1] <- "VRS_peer1"
colnames(p3)[2] <- "VRS_peer2"
colnames(p3)[3] <- "VRS_peer3"

l3<- lambda(e3)                              # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l3)[1] <- "VRS_L1"
colnames(l3)[2] <- "VRS_L2"
colnames(l3)[3] <- "VRS_L3"
colnames(l3)[4] <- "VRS_L4"
colnames(l3)[5] <- "VRS_L5"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="vrs",ORIENTATION="in-out",txt=rownames(input), main="VRS Plot") # plot t
```



```
table3<- cbind(main,p3,l3,efvrs)
table3
```

```

##      Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients
## [1,]           150           0.2           14000           3500
## [2,]           400           0.7           14000           21000
## [3,]           320           1.2           42000           10500
## [4,]           520           2.0           28000           42000
## [5,]           350           1.2           19000           25000
## [6,]           320           0.7           14000           15000
##      VRS_peer1 VRS_peer2 VRS_peer3      VRS_L1      VRS_L2 VRS_L3 VRS_L4      VRS_L5
## [1,]         1        NA        NA 1.0000000 0.0000000      0      0 0.0000000
## [2,]         2        NA        NA 0.0000000 1.0000000      0      0 0.0000000
## [3,]         3        NA        NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      1      0 0.0000000
## [4,]         4        NA        NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0      1 0.0000000
## [5,]         5        NA        NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0      0 1.0000000
## [6,]         1         2         5 0.4014399 0.3422606      0      0 0.2562995
##      efvrs
## [1,] 1.0000000
## [2,] 1.0000000
## [3,] 1.0000000
## [4,] 1.0000000
## [5,] 1.0000000
## [6,] 0.8963283

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Efficiency of Nursing Branch 6 is 89.63%.

Branch 6 has 1, 2, and 5 as it's peers with relative weight of 0.4, 0.34, and 0.25.

## IRS

```
e4 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "irs")           # provide the input and output

efirs <- eff(e4)

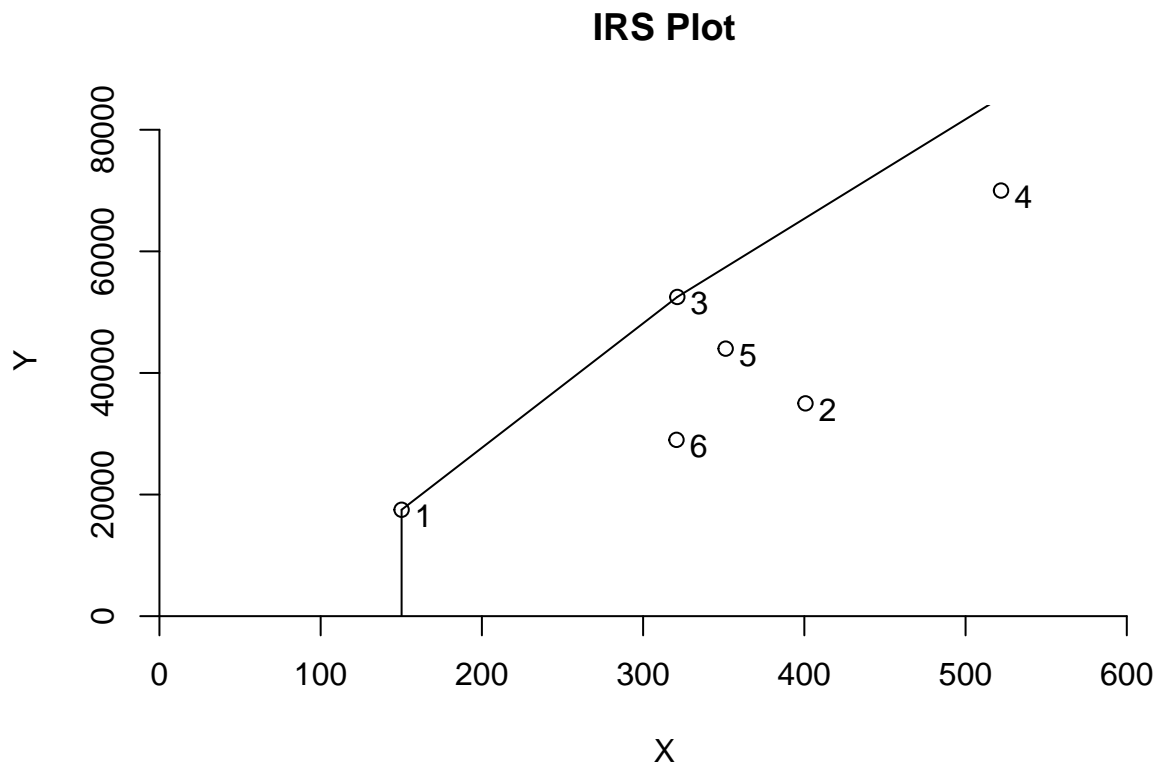
p4<- peers(e4)                               # identify the peers

colnames(p4)[1] <- "IRS_peer1"
colnames(p4)[2] <- "IRS_peer2"
colnames(p4)[3] <- "IRS_peer3"

l4<- lambda(e4)                              # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l4)[1] <- "IRS_L1"
colnames(l4)[2] <- "IRS_L2"
colnames(l4)[3] <- "IRS_L3"
colnames(l4)[4] <- "IRS_L4"
colnames(l4)[5] <- "IRS_L5"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="irs",ORIENTATION="in-out",txt=TRUE,main="IRS Plot")  # plot the results
```



```
table4<- cbind(main,p4,l4,efirs)
table4
```



```

##      Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients
## [1,]           150           0.2           14000           3500
## [2,]           400           0.7           14000           21000
## [3,]           320           1.2           42000           10500
## [4,]           520           2.0           28000           42000
## [5,]           350           1.2           19000           25000
## [6,]           320           0.7           14000           15000
##      IRS_peer1 IRS_peer2 IRS_peer3      IRS_L1      IRS_L2 IRS_L3 IRS_L4      IRS_L5
## [1,]         1      NA      NA 1.0000000 0.0000000      0      0 0.0000000
## [2,]         2      NA      NA 0.0000000 1.0000000      0      0 0.0000000
## [3,]         3      NA      NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      1      0 0.0000000
## [4,]         4      NA      NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0      1 0.0000000
## [5,]         5      NA      NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0      0 1.0000000
## [6,]         1         2         5 0.4014399 0.3422606      0      0 0.2562995
##      efirs
## [1,] 1.0000000
## [2,] 1.0000000
## [3,] 1.0000000
## [4,] 1.0000000
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## DRS

```
e5 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "drs")           # provide the input and output

efdrs<- eff(e5)

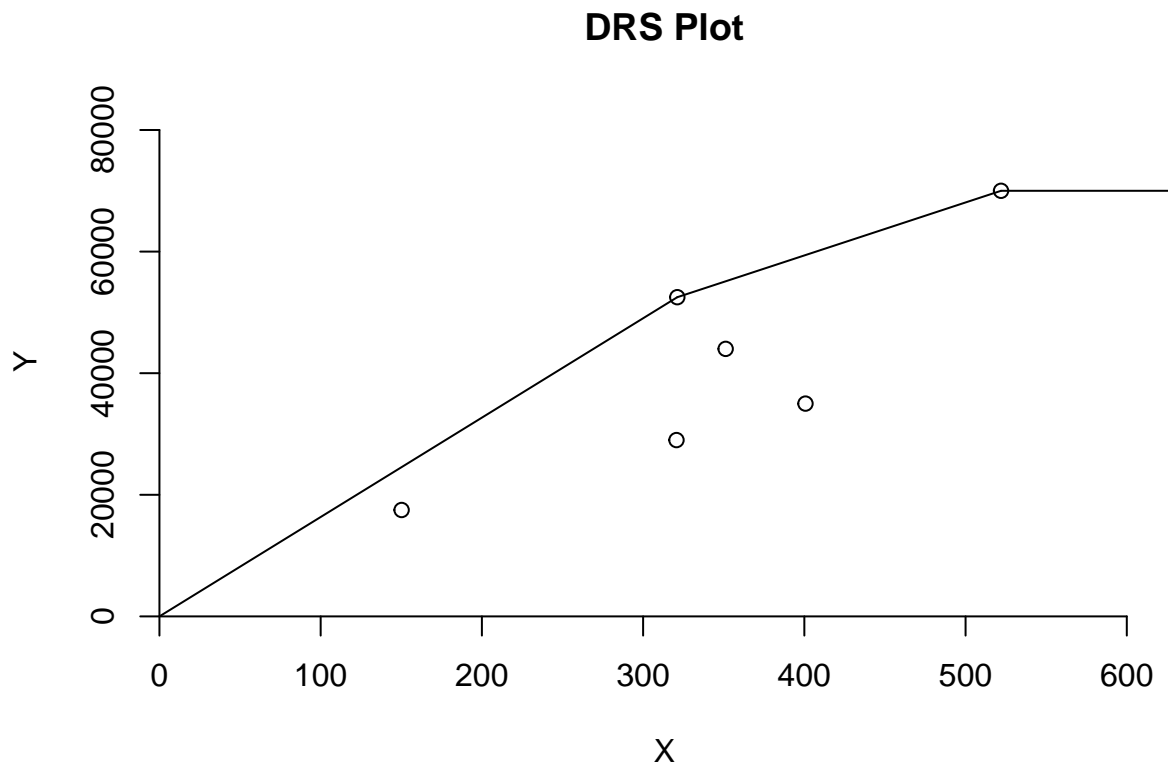
p5<- peers(e5)                               # identify the peers

colnames(p5)[1] <- "DRS_peer1"
colnames(p5)[2] <- "DRS_peer2"
colnames(p5)[3] <- "DRS_peer3"

l5<- lambda(e5)                             # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l5)[1] <- "DRS_L1"
colnames(l5)[2] <- "DRS_L2"
colnames(l5)[3] <- "DRS_L3"
colnames(l5)[4] <- "DRS_L4"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="drs",ORIENTATION="in-out", main="DRS Plot") # plot the results
```



```
table5<- cbind(main,p5,l5,efdrs)
table5
```

```
##      Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients
```

```

## [1,]          150          0.2          14000          3500
## [2,]          400          0.7          14000          21000
## [3,]          320          1.2          42000          10500
## [4,]          520          2.0          28000          42000
## [5,]          350          1.2          19000          25000
## [6,]          320          0.7          14000          15000
##      DRS_peer1 DRS_peer2 DRS_peer3      DRS_L1      DRS_L2 DRS_L3      DRS_L4
## [1,]          1          NA          NA 1.0000000 0.0000000      0 0.0000000
## [2,]          2          NA          NA 0.0000000 1.0000000      0 0.0000000
## [3,]          3          NA          NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      1 0.0000000
## [4,]          4          NA          NA 0.0000000 0.0000000      0 1.0000000
## [5,]          1          2          4 0.2000000 0.08048142      0 0.5383307
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## [1,] 1.0000000
## [2,] 1.0000000
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## [4,] 1.0000000
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## FRH

```
e6 <- dea(input,output,RTS = "add")           # provide the input and output

effrh <- eff(e6)

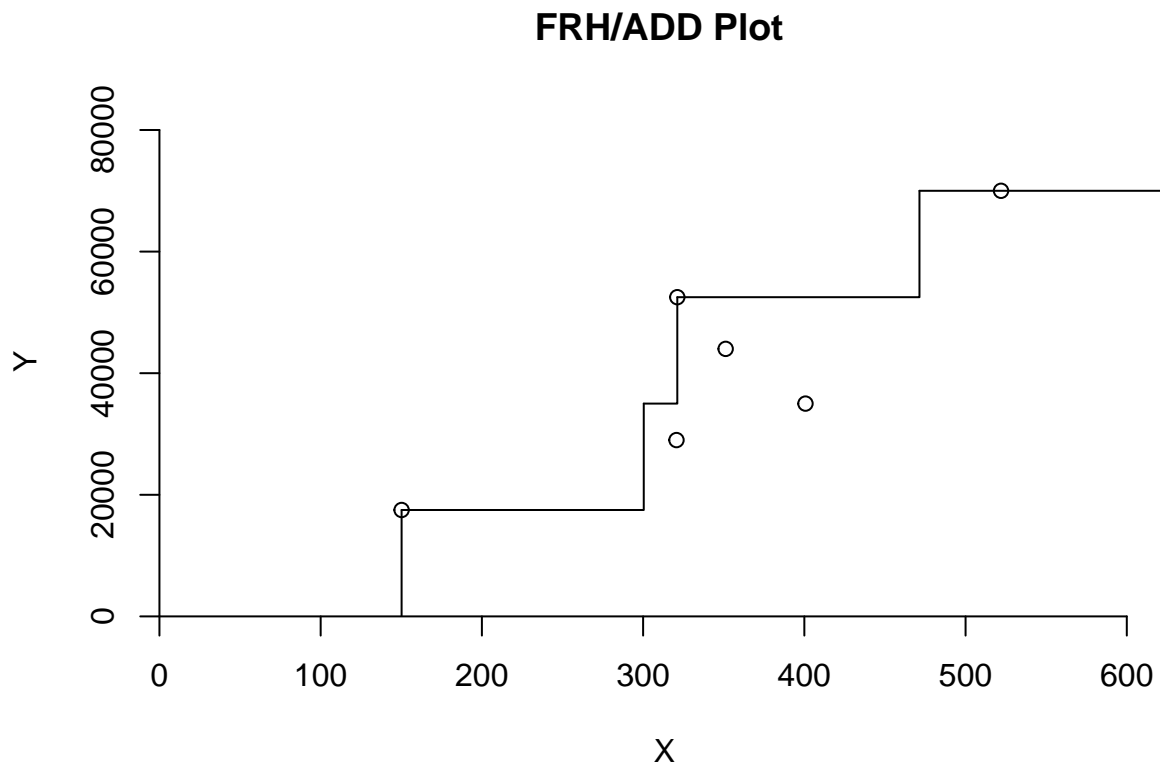
p6<- peers(e6)                               # identify the peers

colnames(p6)[1] <- "FRH_peer1"

l6<- lambda(e6)                             # identify the relative weights given to the peers

colnames(l6)[1] <- "FRH_L1"
colnames(l6)[2] <- "FRH_L2"
colnames(l6)[3] <- "FRH_L3"
colnames(l6)[4] <- "FRH_L4"
colnames(l6)[5] <- "FRH_L5"
colnames(l6)[6] <- "FRH_L6"

dea.plot(input,output,RTS="add",ORIENTATION="in-out",txt=rownames(input),main="FRH/ADD Plot ")
```



```
table6<- cbind(main,p6,l6,effrh)
table6
```

Staff Hours/day Supplies/day ReimursedPateients Privately Paid Patients

[1,]	150	0.2			14000			3500
[2,]	400	0.7			14000			21000
[3,]	320	1.2			42000			10500
[4,]	520	2.0			28000			42000
[5,]	350	1.2			19000			25000
[6,]	320	0.7			14000			15000
	FRH_peer1	FRH_L1	FRH_L2	FRH_L3	FRH_L4	FRH_L5	FRH_L6	effrh
[1,]	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
[2,]	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
[3,]	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
[4,]	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
[5,]	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
[6,]	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

According to this model, all the Nursing Branches are efficient.

Let's look at the efficiencies of all the models to compare them

```
effic <- cbind(effdh,efcrs,efvrs,efirs,efdrs,effrh)
effic
```

```
##      effdh      efcrs      efvrs      efirs      efdrs      effrh
## [1,]      1 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000      1
## [2,]      1 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000      1
## [3,]      1 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000      1
## [4,]      1 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000 1.0000000      1
## [5,]      1 0.9774987 1.0000000 1.0000000 0.9774987      1
## [6,]      1 0.8674521 0.8963283 0.8963283 0.8674521      1
```

So Looking at this we see that our model performs very similarly for:

FDH and FRH CRS and DRS VRS and IRS

In VRS, we can look at what will happen if we rescale a firm. In VRS, there are 2 possibilities: If we increase the input and the output increases - This is Constant Return to Scale. If we decrease the input and the output decreases - Decreasing Return to Scale.

Comparing CRS and VRS CRS - determined by the highest achievable ratio of outputs to inputs in the sample, regardless of size.

VRS - passes through the points where the Nursing Homes have the highest output to input ratios, given their relative size, then runs parallel to the respective axes beyond the extreme points.

Mostly the efficiency scores calculated under variable returns, VRS, will be higher than or equal to those obtained under constant returns, CRS. Which we can observe in our output.

When Efficiency score = 1, VRS and CRS coincide.

IRS, Increasing returns to scale shows a proportional increase in all inputs causes outputs to increase by a greater proportion.

FDH model relaxes the convexity assumption of basic DEA models. The efficiency scores of FDH input-oriented model are always greater than the ones of input-oriented variable returns to scale(VRS) model. We can easily see this in our output also, where we have efficiency score as 1 for all the Nursing Homes but it's not the same with efficiency scores for VRS.

Because of this above relationship: The production possibility set of FDH model is subset of VRS model as well as CRS model.

FRH model permits input and output to enter in only discrete amounts. It's helpful when we want to use mixed integer programming type.