Lesson 05 Multiple LR. Intro to Logistic Regression

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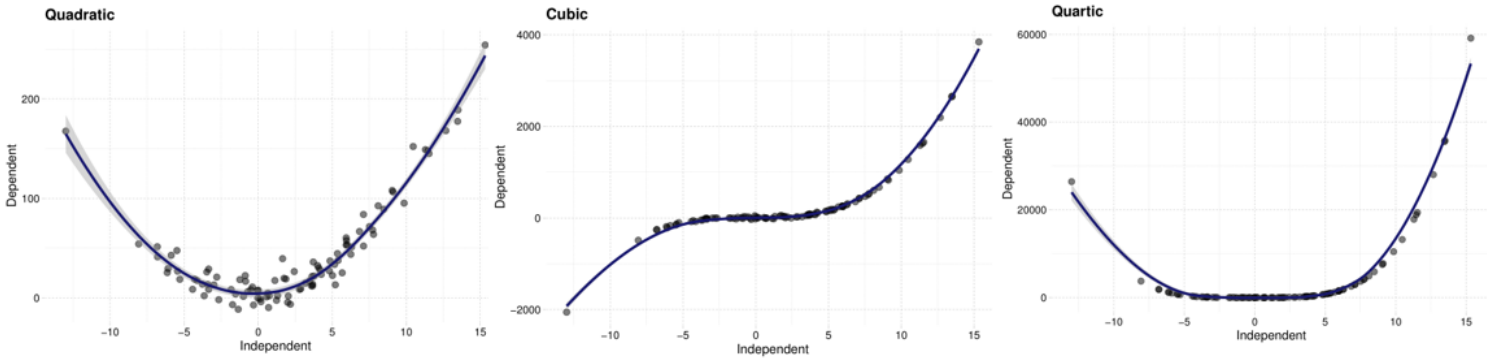

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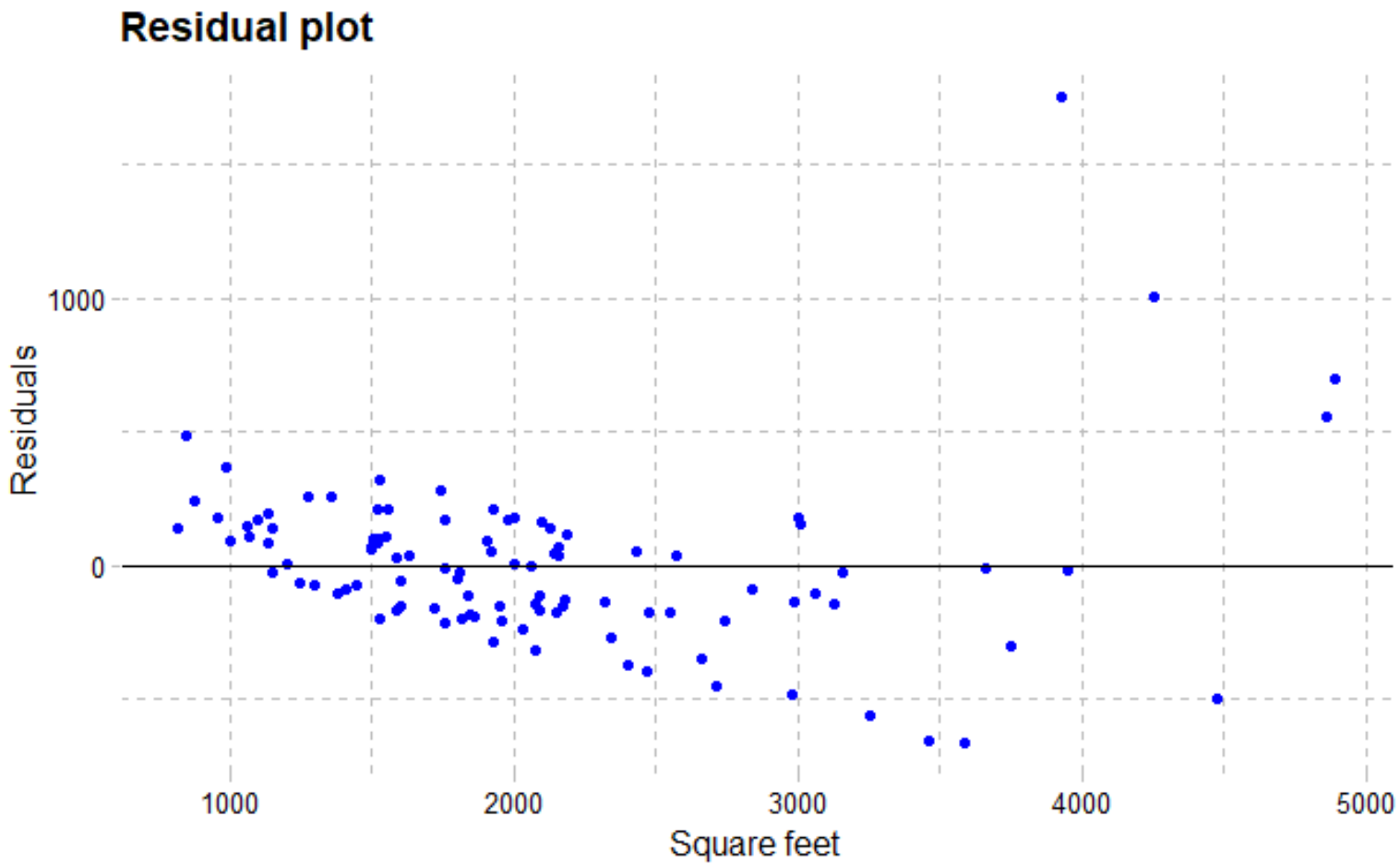

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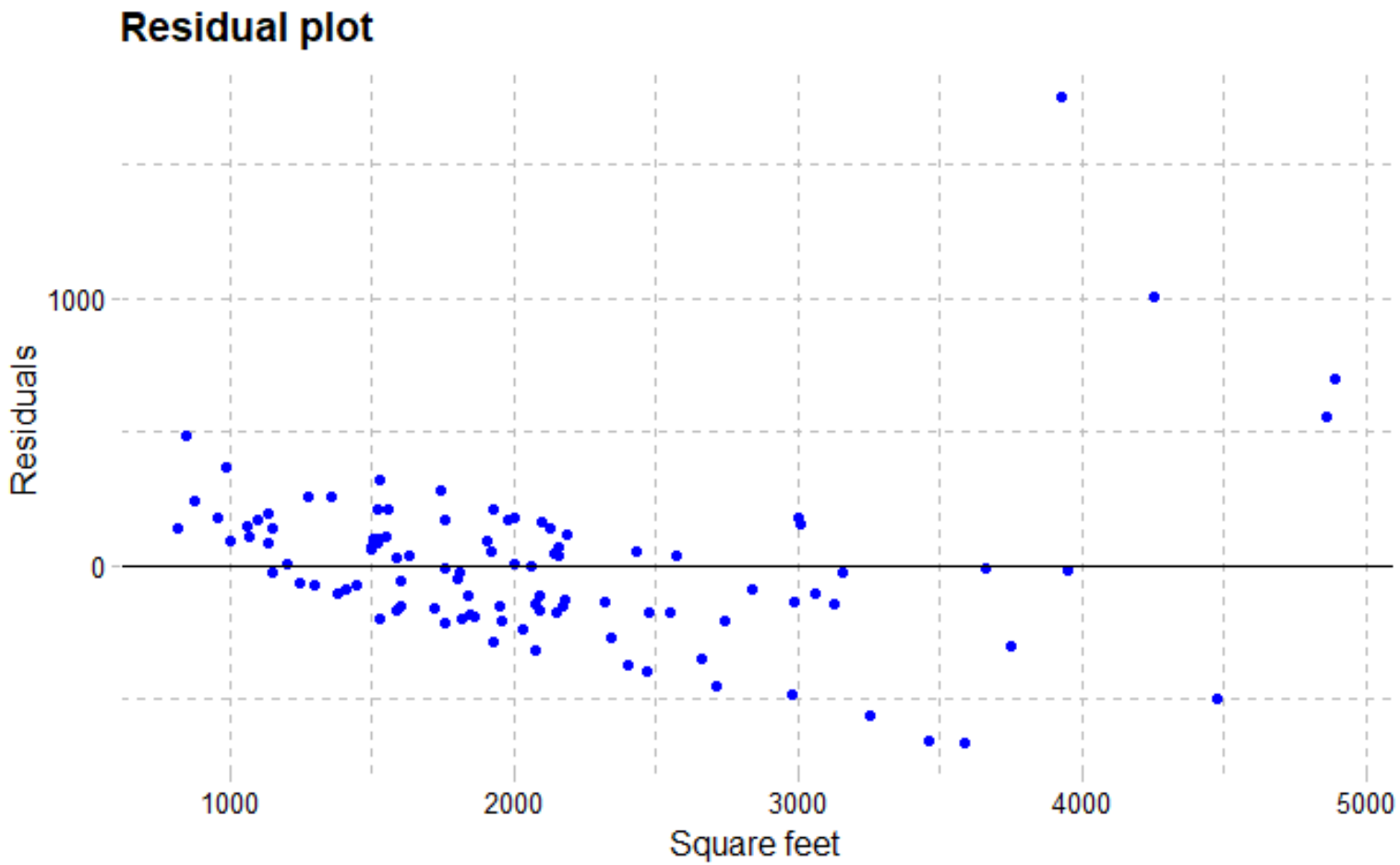

- Tests (Breusch-Pagan, Goldfeld-Quandt, Spearman, etc.)

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   - Fail to reject $H_0 \Rightarrow$ probability of correctly detecting a non-zero coefficient is reduced

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```
(A <- matrix( c(1, 2, 3, 2, 4, 6, 4, 7, 9, 12, 24, 36),
  nrow = 4, byrow= TRUE))
```

```
##      [,1] [,2] [,3]
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```
AtA <- t(A) %*% A
qr(A)$rank
```

```
## [1] 2
```

```
qr(A)$rank == qr(AtA)$rank
```

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

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```
solve(AtA)
```

```
## Error in solve.default(AtA): system is computationally sing
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- Look at the correlation matrix of the predictors.

```
##                      price sqft_living Sqft_with_garden
## price            1.0000000   0.6960595        0.6938874
## sqft_living      0.6960595   1.0000000        0.9972430
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With multicollinearity, small changes in the model or the data can case the erratic change in coefficient estimates and/thus their significance.

Table 1: Multicollinearity

	Dependent variable:	
	price	
	(1)	(2)
Square feet	0.727	0.405***
	(0.599)	(0.035)
With garder	−0.320	
	(0.594)	
Constant	−247.245**	−275.659***
	(96.426)	(80.419)
Observations	101	101
R^2	0.572	0.570
Adjusted R^2	0.563	0.566
Residual Std. Error	312.706 (df = 98)	311.582 (df = 99)
F Statistic	65.396*** (df = 2; 98)	131.445*** (df = 1; 99)
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	Dependent variable:
	sqft_living
Sqft_with_garden	0.990***
	(0.006)
Constant	−80.571***
	(14.005)
Observations	101
R^2	0.996
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Go to **socrative.com** to show your knowledge :)

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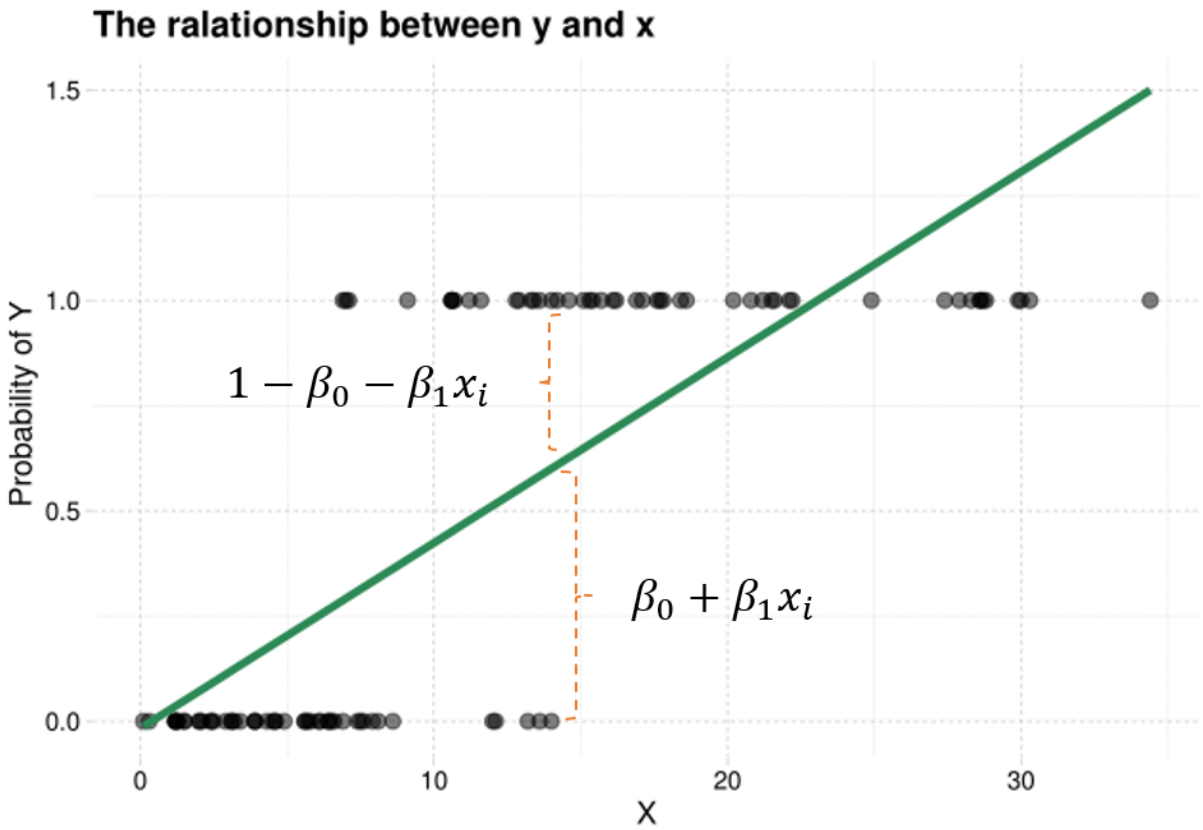
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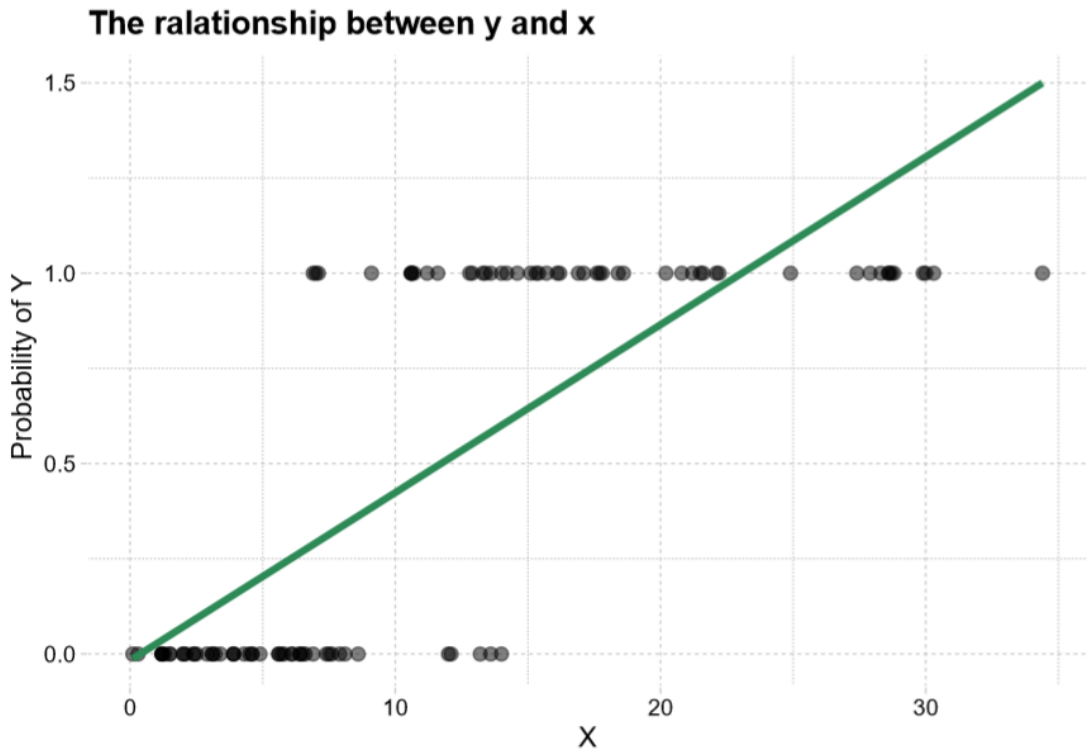

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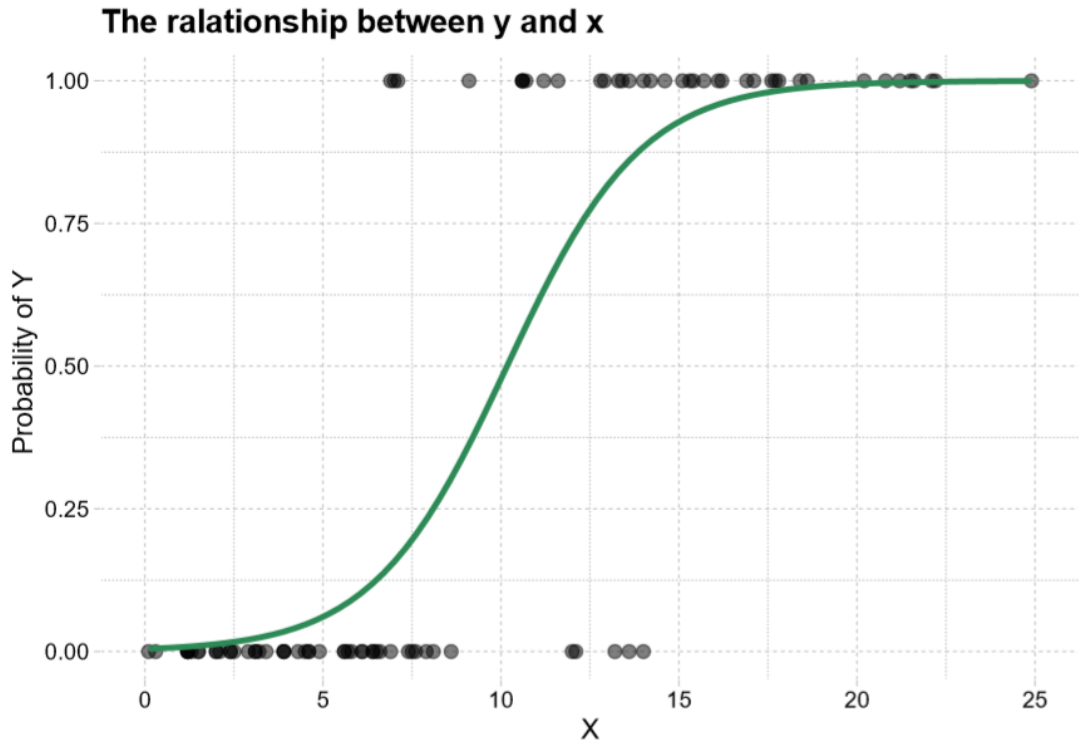

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