Lesson 04 Multiple Linear Regression Models

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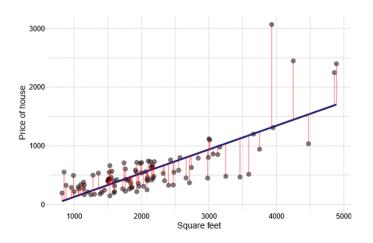
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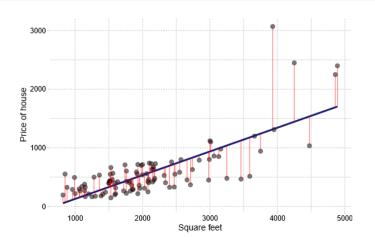
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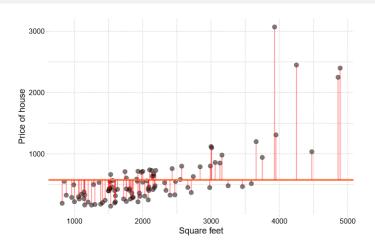
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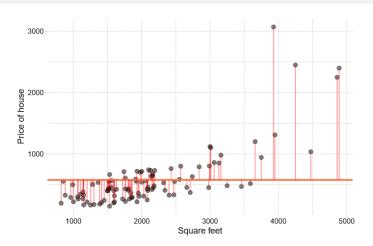
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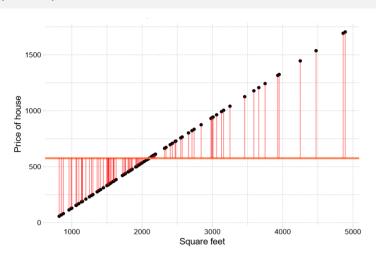
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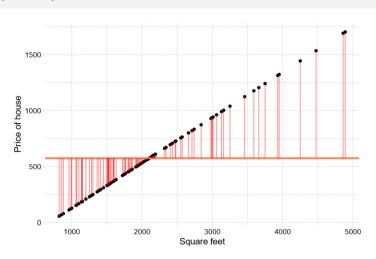
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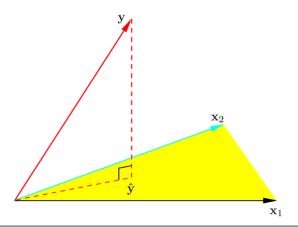
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Geometry of least squares regression with two predictors

Source: T. Hastie, R. Tibshirani, J. Friedman, The Elements of Statistical Learning





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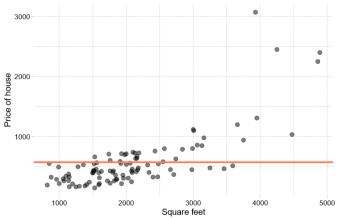
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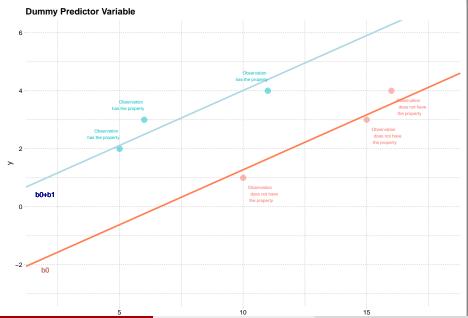
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- What about another way of coding?



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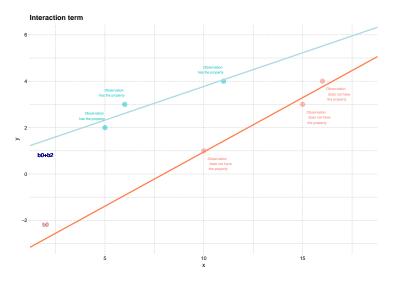
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