

Regression Analysis

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CORRELATION

The *coefficient of correlation* can be used to test for a linear relationship between two variables.

The range of the coefficient of correlation is [-1, +1]

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• If r = -1 (negative association)
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- If r = +1 (positive association)
- If r = 0 (no association)



REGRESSION ANALYSIS

Regression analysis is useful to find a relationship between a response and a set of predictors

The relation can be used to predict the value of the response

Response variable: **Y**

predictors : $X_1, X_2, ..., X_k$



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Two Regression Models

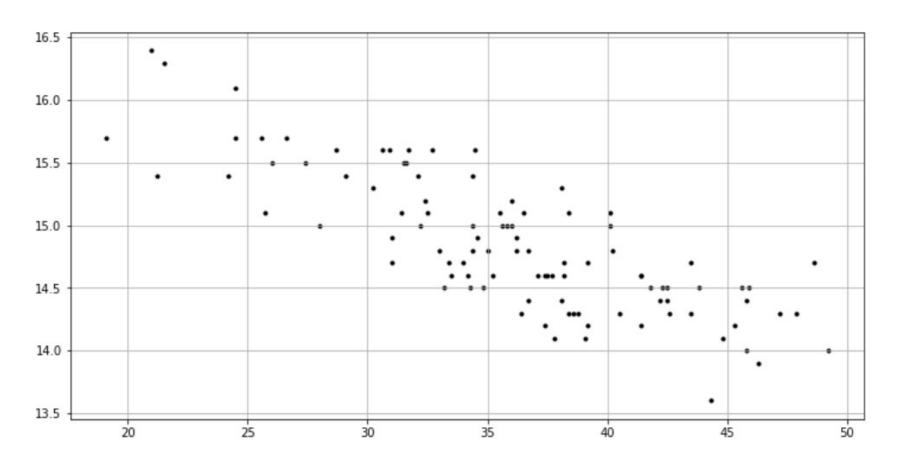
- Simple linear regression (SLR)
- Multiple linear regression (MLR)



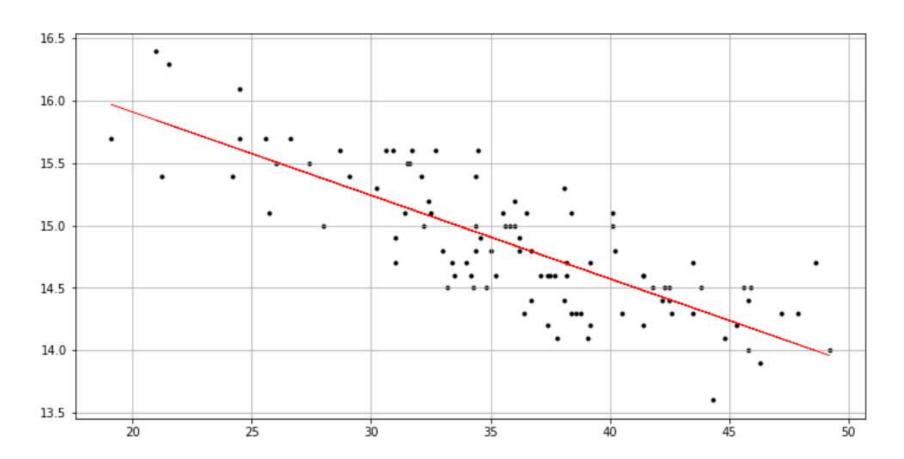
Least Squares line (OLS)



scatterplot







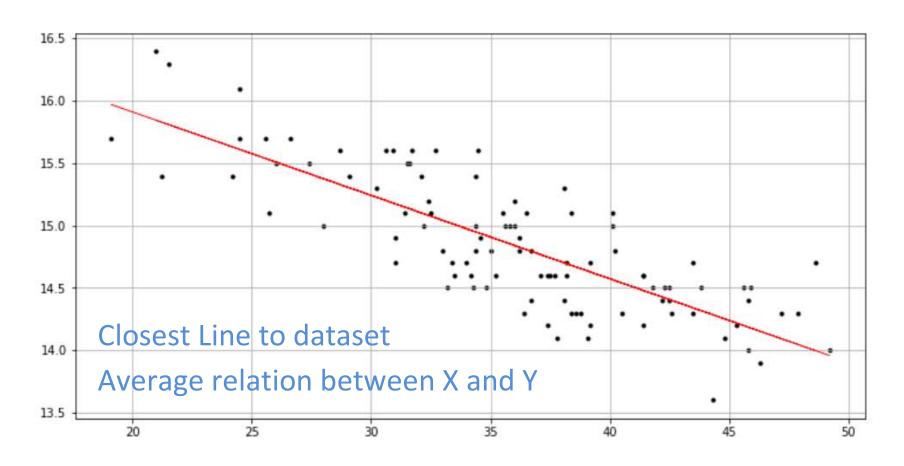


What is the OLS line?



- X, Y not random variables
- No statistics
- Not a regression line



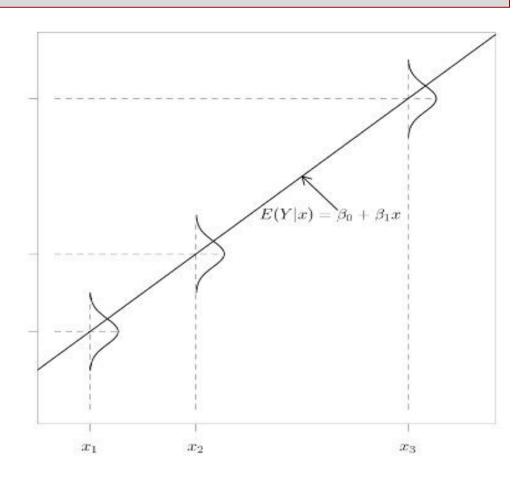


Analytics

Regression line

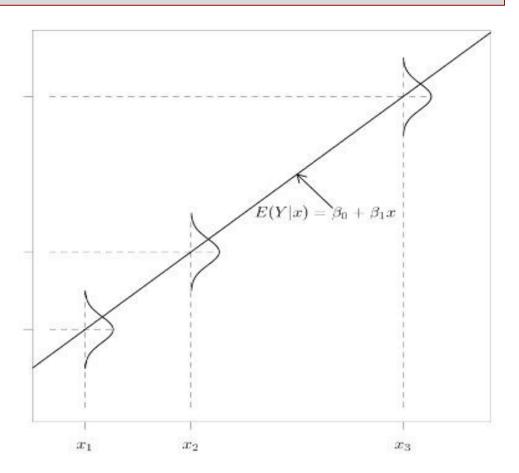


- Y is random variable
- X is not random
- Mean of Y varies with X





- This is an unknown relation
- We will try to estimate it from an OLS line
- Obtained from a random sample





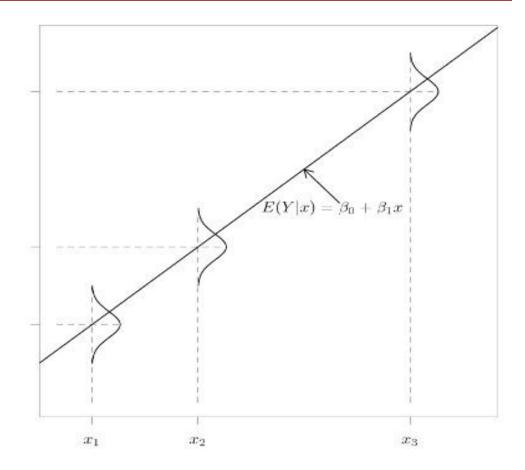
- At each value of X, say x,
 Y is a normal random variable
- with mean that changes with X

$$\beta_0 + \beta_1 x$$

- There is one rv. Y for each X
- All rv. Y with same variance σ^2

$$Y \sim N(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x, \sigma^2)$$

All Y variables are independent

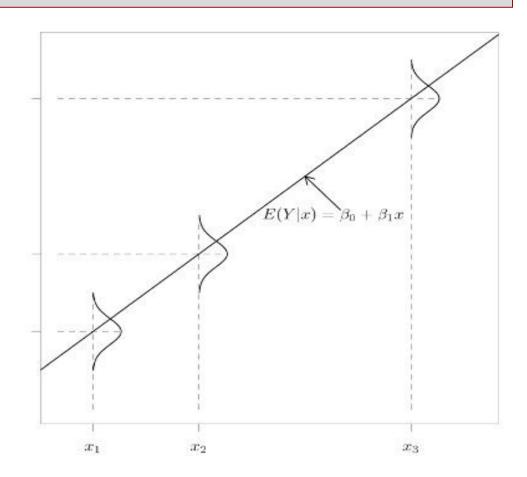




Notice that the line is

$$\mathsf{E}[\mathsf{Y}] = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x$$

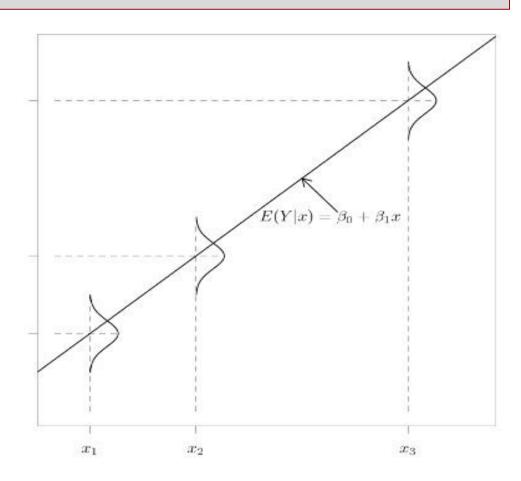
(no random term)





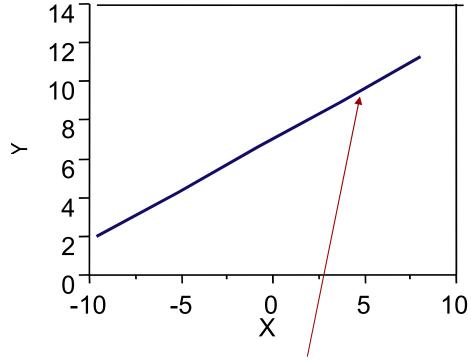
The mean of Y changes with X

 The regression relation is between X (not random) and the mean of variable Y





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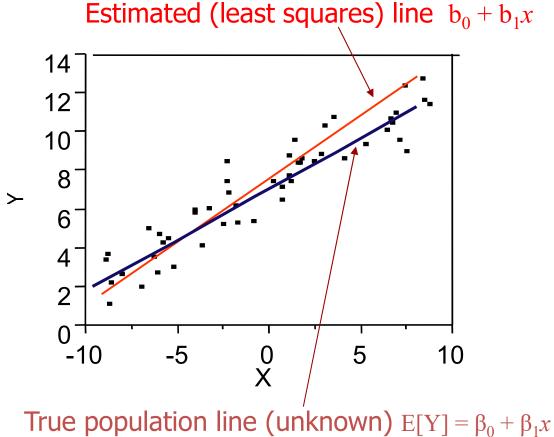
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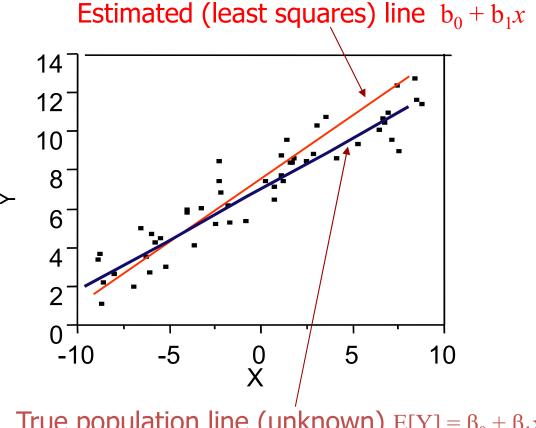
Regression assumptions

 $Y_1, Y_2, ..., Y_n$ are random vars.

independent (independence)

(normality) normal

with same variance (constant variance)



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The least squares method will always produce a straight line,

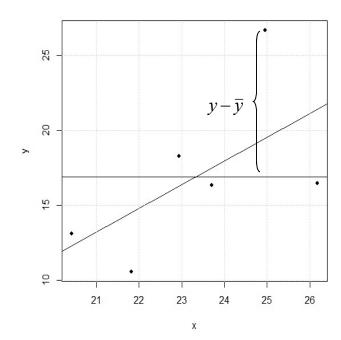
even if there is no relationship between the variables, or if the relationship is other than linear

Hence, in addition to determining the coefficients of the least squares line, we need to assess it,

to see how well it "fits" the data.



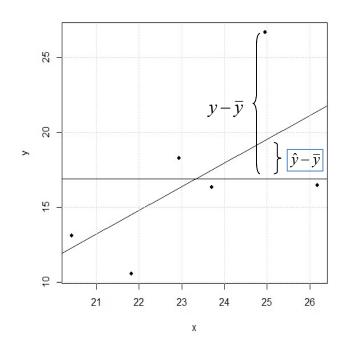
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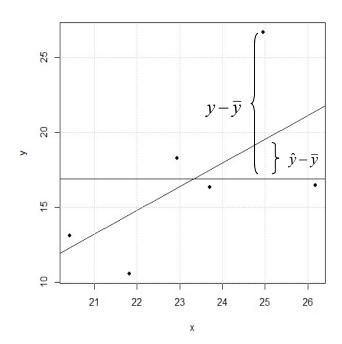




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 $S = 0.3265 = \sqrt{MSE}$ is average distance to regression line



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$$= 1 - \frac{SSE}{SSTotal}$$



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