

**Regression and Analysis of Variance STAT 3340 / MATH 3340**  
**Fall 2020**  
**Final Project**

**Weight** (% of final grade): 25%  
**Due Date:** 11:59 ADT December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**Motivation:**

Upon successful completion of this project, students will possess a working knowledge of Github and R Markdown, and mastery in the practice of regression analysis. These skills are highly valued globally by employers in search of data scientists.

**Project Description:**

Each group will be assigned a dataset. Collectively, group members are to perform a complete regression analysis of their data, details of which must be presented on **GitHub** (<https://github.com>) using **R Markdown** ([https://rmarkdown.rstudio.com/articles\\_intro.html](https://rmarkdown.rstudio.com/articles_intro.html)).

The following sections must be included:

*Abstract* (150 words or less)

*Introduction* (must contain a thorough description of the questions of interest)

*Data Description* (must contain data visualizations that are properly labelled and explained)

*Methods* (must contain a complete description of all analysis tools used)

*Results* (all figures should be properly labelled and discussed)

*Conclusion* (must contain a concise discussion of what has been learned from the analysis)

*Appendix* (must include all data and R Markdown files for reproducibility)

**Data:**

Datasets are found at <https://lionbridge.ai/datasets/10-open-datasets-for-linear-regression/>. Groups 1-5 are to analyse Dataset 1 (Cancer), Groups 6-10 are to analyse Dataset 2 (CDC), Groups 11-15 are to analyse Dataset 3 (Fish Market), Groups 16-20 are to analyse Dataset 4 (Medical Insurance), Groups 21-25 are to analyse Dataset 5 (New York Stock Exchange), Groups 26-30 are to analyse Dataset 7 (Real Estate), Groups 31-35 are to analyse Dataset 8 (Red Wine), Groups 36-40 are to analyse Dataset 9 (Vehicle), Groups 41-45 are to analyse Dataset 10 (WHO).

Note: Before commencing your analysis, **you must introduce one new additional data point** into your assigned dataset. A description of this unique data point must be included in your *Data Description* section along with some rationale for the values chosen.

**Grading Scheme:**

6 Overall presentation and organization of materials

3 Quality of data visualizations

6 Correctness of analysis

4 Quality and selection of relevant figures

6 Interpretation of results

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