Sample Answer Lab02: Multiple Regression Analysis, Factors and Interaction Effects

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Grading: This lab counts 12 % towards your final grade

Task 1. Partial Regression Coefficient [2 points]

Use the **CONCORD1.SAV** file for this task. You will demonstrate that in multiple regression the partial effect of an independent variable is free from any linear effects of the remaining independent variables.

Task 1.1: Run the multiple model water81~income+water80+educat and *interpret* its regression coefficients. [0.5 points]

```
lm1<- lm(water81 ~ income + water80 + educat, data = concord)</pre>
summary(lm1)
Call:
lm(formula = water81 ~ income + water80 + educat, data = concord)
Residuals:
   Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
-4635.2 -473.4 -65.0 405.6 4831.1
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 811.18243 196.29879 4.132 4.22e-05 ***
income 24.71652 3.54917 6.964 1.06e-11 ***
           water80
        -49.88881 14.18671 -3.517 0.000478 ***
educat
Signif. codes:
0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 914.9 on 492 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6233, Adjusted R-squared: 0.621
F-statistic: 271.3 on 3 and 492 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

<u>Comment:</u> The intercept and all regression coefficients are significant in this model. **Income** and **water80** have positive effects on **water81**, however **educat** has a negative influence on **water81**. When **income** increases one-thousand dollars, the water81 consumption increases 24.7 ft^3 units because affluent people have more money to support high water consumption. When **water80** increases one ft^3 , **water81** increases by **0.59** ft^3 . In other words, water consumption in 1981 is positively correlated the water consumption in the previous year. The water consumption in the previous year can be considered as the baseline demand not captured by the other variable in the model. Higher educated people tend to consume less water because they are concerned with saving water either because of environmental considerations or because they are better informed about saving water and, therefore,

reduce their water bills. Thus, if the household head has one more year of education, the water consumption in 1981 decreases 49.9 ft^3 . Overall, 62% of the variation in **water81** is explained by the independent variables.

Task 1.2: Calculate the residuals of the two models [a] water81~income+water80 and [b] educat~income+water80. What are these residuals specifically measuring? [0.5 points]

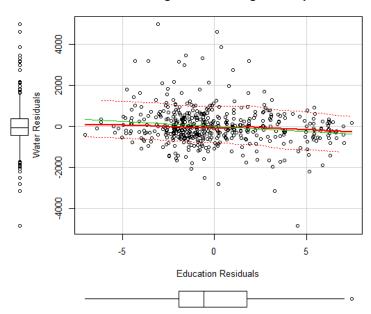
```
[a] water81~income+water80
lm2 <- lm(water81~income+water80, data=concord)</pre>
summary(lm2)
Call:
lm(formula = water81 ~ income + water80, data = concord)
Residuals:
                          3Q
           10 Median
   Min
-4861.1 -439.5 -67.5 382.5 4984.0
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 203.82169 94.36129 2.160 0.0313 *
income 20.54504 3.38341 6.072 2.52e-09 ***
water80
           Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 925.4 on 493 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6138, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6122
F-statistic: 391.8 on 2 and 493 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
[b] educat~income+water80
lm3 <- lm(educat~income+water80, data=concord)</pre>
summary(lm3)
Call:
lm(formula = educat ~ income + water80, data = concord)
Residuals:
           1Q Median 3Q
   Min
                                 Max
-7.0278 -1.9509 -0.5896 1.7503 7.4588
Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.217e+01 2.962e-01 41.106 < 2e-16 ***
income
           8.362e-02 1.062e-02 7.874 2.21e-14 ***
water80 -3.654e-05 7.862e-05 -0.465 0.642
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 2.905 on 493 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.1203, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1167
F-statistic: 33.7 on 2 and 493 DF, p-value: 1.911e-14
```

<u>Comment:</u> Residuals of model [a] and model [b] measure the unexplained variations of **water81** and **educat**, respectively, after controlling for the influence from **income** and **water80**. We can observe the regression coefficients of **income** have significant positive effects in both the model [a] and the model [b]. This positive

confounding correlation between **educat** and **income** causes **educat** in a bivariate model having a positive effect on **water81** compared to the multiple model. To solve this problem, we need to control for the effect of the confounding variable **income** to get the pure negative effect of **educat**.

Task 1.3: Generate the partial regression leverage scatterplot of the water residuals against the education residuals. Make sure to use properly labeled axes. *Briefly interpret the scatterplot*. [0.5 points] library (car)

Partial Regression Leverage Scatterplot



<u>Comment:</u> the water residuals and education residuals have a negative relationship. When education residuals increase, the water residuals decrease.

Task 1.4: Estimate a regression model of the water residuals on the education residuals and *compare* its estimate slope coefficient against the slope coefficient for **educat** of the multiple model from task 1.1. Why are you allowed to <u>suppress the intercept</u> in this model? [0.5 points]

```
> lm4 <- lm(resid(lm2)~resid(lm3))</pre>
> summary(lm4)
Call:
lm(formula = resid(lm2) ~ resid(lm3))
Residuals:
   Min 1Q Median
                             3Q
                                    Max
-4635.2 -473.4
                -65.0
                          405.6 4831.1
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -1.757e-14 4.100e+01
                                    0.000 1.000000
                       1.416e+01 -3.524 0.000465 ***
resid(lm3) -49.89
```

```
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 913.1 on 494 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.02452, Adjusted R-squared: 0.02254

F-statistic: 12.42 on 1 and 494 DF, p-value: 0.0004651
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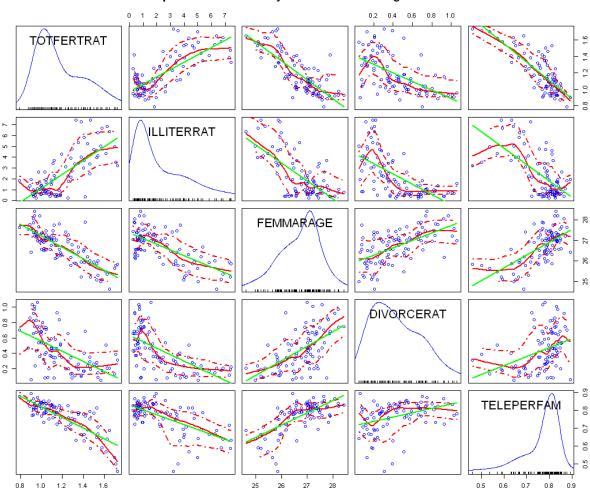
<u>Comment:</u> The estimate slope coefficient in this model and the slope coefficient for **educat** of the multiple model from task 1.1 are identical because both models control the confounding effect of **income.** The intercept can be suppressed because the mean of both residual vectors is zero, i.e., they are centered around zero. Therefore, the origin point (0,0) is on the regression line.

Task 2: A Multiple Regression Model with Factors and Partial *F*-test [4 points]

Task 2.1: Use common sense arguments *how* these four metric variables will influence the provincial fertility rates. Use one or two sentences per explanation, and formulate one or two-sided null and alternative hypotheses based on your explanation. Format everything in at table. [0.5 points]

Variable	Common Sense Arguments	Statistical Hypotheses
ILLITERRAT	A higher illiteracy rate leads to higher fertility rate due to lack of education.	$H_{0: \beta \leq 0}$ $H_{1: \beta > 0}$
FEMMARAGE	The latter a woman marries the lower will be her likelihood to have many children.	$H_{0: \beta \ge 0}$ $H_{1: \beta < 0}$
DIVORCERAT	A higher divorce rate leads to lower chance of having many children.	$H_{0: \beta \ge 0}$ $H_{1: \beta < 0}$
TELEPERFAM	An increased number of televisions will lead to more distractions and decreased fertility rate.	$H_{0: \beta \ge 0}$ $H_{1: \beta < 0}$

Task 2.2: Generate a scatterplot matrix showing the dependent variable and the four metric independent variables. *Briefly interpret the scatterplot matrix*. [0.5 points]



Relationship between total fertility rate and a set of exogenous variables

Comments:

- [a] Distributional characteristics: The distributions of the dependent variable and the four independent variables are unimodal. **TOTFERTRAT**, **DIVORCERAT**, and **ILLITERRAT** are positively skewed, and **FEMMARAGE** and **TELEPERFAM** are negatively skewed.
- [b] Y-X relationships: **FEMMARAGE**, **DIVORCERAT**, and **TELEPERFAM** have strong negative effects on **TOTFERTRAT**. However, **ILLITERRAT** has a positive relationship with **TOTFERTRAT**.
- [c] Positive X-X relationships: **FEMMARAGE- DIVORCERAT, FEMMARAGE- TELEPERFAM**, and **DIVORCERAT-TELEPERFAM** have positive relationships.
- [d] Negative X-X relationships: **FEMMARAGE-ILLITERRAT**, **DIVORCERAT-ILLITERRAT**, and **ILLITERRAT-TELEPERFAM** have negative relationships.

Task 2.3: Run a base model multiple regression with the four metric variables to explain the variation of the fertility rates. Interpret this model [a] in the light of your earlier stated hypotheses in task 2.1, [b] the significances of the estimate regression coefficients and [c] the goodness of fit. [0.5 points]

lm1<- lm(TOTFERTRAT~ ILLITERRAT+ FEMMARAGE+ DIVORCERAT+ TELEPERFAM,
data=Province)
summary(lm1)</pre>

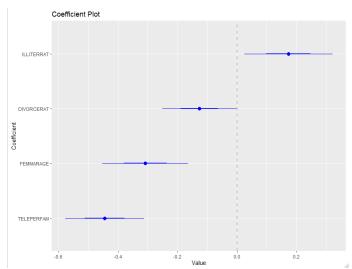
```
Call:
lm(formula = TOTFERTRAT ~ ILLITERRAT + FEMMARAGE + DIVORCERAT +
   TELEPERFAM, data = Province)
Residuals:
    Min
            10
                 Median
                              30
-0.21906 -0.06267 -0.00966 0.05425 0.41272
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 4.496337 0.513726 8.752 1.13e-13 ***
ILLITERRAT 0.020377 0.008735 2.333 0.0219 *
FEMMARAGE -0.088837 0.020771 -4.277 4.71e-05 ***
DIVORCERAT -0.112265 0.055648 -2.017 0.0466 *
TELEPERFAM -1.226364 0.183037 -6.700 1.76e-09 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 0.1035 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.8096, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8012
F-statistic: 95.69 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Comment: All independent variables exhibit a relationship with the dependent variable as stated by the one-sided alternative hypotheses in task 2.1. All regression coefficients are significantly different from zero at an error probability of $\alpha=0.05$. Since the reported error probabilities are associated with two-sided tests; for one-sided tests they need to be divided by 2. The overall goodness of fit of this model is high ($R_{adi}^2=0.8012$).

Task 2.4: Calculate the standardized *beta-coefficients* for the multiple model in task 2.3. Rank the independent variables *according to the absolute strength of their effects* on the fertility rates and plot the beta coefficients with the **coefplot()** function. Use proper options for the **coefplot()** function. [1 point]

```
prov <- foreign::read.dbf("provinces.dbf")
prov <- prov[,13:17]
prov <- as.data.frame(scale(prov))
beta.lm <- lm(TOTFERTRAT~., data=prov)
summary(beta.lm)
coefplot::coefplot(beta.lm, sort="magnitude", intercept=F)</pre>
```

Variables	Coefficients (absolute value)	Rank
TELEPERFAM	0.44537	1
FEMMARAGE	0.30905	2
ILLITERRATE	0.17303	3
DIVORCERAT	0.12638	4



Comment: The influence strengths of the independent variables on the variation of the dependent variable are: **DIVORCERAT** < **ILLITERRAT** < **FEMMARAGE** < **TELEPERFAM.**

Task 2.5: Run five separate regressions on the [a] independent variables and [b] the fertility rates using the factor **REGION** as independent variable.

Does the **REGION** factor *explain the variation* of the four independent variables as well as the fertility rates, i.e., is this factor highly correlated with other variables? [0.5 points]

```
lm2 <-lm(cbind(TOTFERTRAT,ILLITERRAT,FEMMARAGE,DIVORCERAT,TELEPERFAM)~REGION,</pre>
           data=Province)
summary(lm2)
Response TOTFERTRAT :
Call:
lm(formula = TOTFERTRAT ~ REGION, data = Province)
Residuals:
     Min
               1Q
                  Median
                                 3Q
                                         Max
-0.23300 -0.09275 -0.01300 0.07167 0.36333
Coefficients:
(intercept) 1.02300 0.02205 46.405
REGIONNorth 0.03367 0.02110
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                            <2e-16 ***
                                              0.283
REGIONSardinia 0.09950
                        0.06427
                                    1.548
                                             0.125
               0.53700
                           0.04589 11.702
                                             <2e-16 ***
REGIONSicily
REGIONSouth
               0.39473
                           0.03389 11.647
                                             <2e-16 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.1207 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.7409, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7294
F-statistic: 64.34 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Response ILLITERRAT :
Call:
lm(formula = ILLITERRAT ~ REGION, data = Province)
```

```
Residuals:
               1Q Median 3Q
-2.82455 -0.50394 -0.07267 0.34756 2.83545
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                1.4157 0.1844 7.676 1.89e-11 ***
(Intercept)
                           0.2608 -2.925 0.00435 **
               -0.7630
REGIONNorth
                           0.5377 3.360 0.00114 **
REGIONSardinia 1.8068 0.5377 3.360 0.00114 **
REGIONSicily 3.2466 0.3839 8.457 4.64e-13 ***
REGIONSouth 3.1689 0.2835 11.176 < 2e-16 ***
REGIONSouth
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 1.01 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.7485, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7373
F-statistic: 66.97 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Response FEMMARAGE :
Call:
lm(formula = FEMMARAGE ~ REGION, data = Province)
Residuals:
              10 Median
                                3Q
-0.96636 -0.31017 -0.04033 0.29057 1.21000
Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 27.25033 0.09179 296.888 < 2e-16 ***
REGIONNorth -0.27333 0.12981 -2.106 0.038 *
REGIONSardinia 0.18217 0.26760 0.681
                                             0.498
REGIONSicily -1.88033 0.19107 -9.841 6.11e-16 ***
              -1.19397 0.14111 -8.461 4.54e-13 ***
REGIONSouth
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.5027 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6288, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6124
F-statistic: 38.12 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Response DIVORCERAT :
Call:
lm(formula = DIVORCERAT ~ REGION, data = Province)
Residuals:
     Min
               1Q
                  Median
                                 3Q
-0.51233 -0.10767 -0.01267 0.13591 0.46767
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 0.59233 0.03703 15.994 < 2e-16 *** REGIONNorth -0.04967 0.05237 -0.948 0.346
```

```
REGIONSardinia -0.36733 0.10797 -3.402
                                                 0.001 ***
REGIONSicily -0.34789 0.07709 -4.513 1.93e-05 ***
REGIONSouth -0.38324 0.05694 -6.731 1.53e-09 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 0.2028 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.423, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3973
F-statistic: 16.49 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: 3.596e-10
Response TELEPERFAM:
Call:
lm(formula = TELEPERFAM ~ REGION, data = Province)
Residuals:
      Min
                  1Q Median
                                         3Q
-0.247360 -0.025351  0.008611  0.033786  0.106420
Coefficients:
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 0.812704 0.010775 75.422 < 2e-16 REGIONNorth -0.006805 0.015239 -0.447 0.656
                0.812704 0.010775 75.422 < 2e-16 ***
REGIONSardinia -0.049512 0.031416 -1.576 0.119
REGIONSicily -0.180715 0.022431 -8.057 3.12e-12 ***
REGIONSouth -0.106844 0.016566 -6.449 5.48e-09 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 0.05902 on 90 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.5306, Adjusted R-squared: 0.5098
F-statistic: 25.43 on 4 and 90 DF, p-value: 4.118e-14
Comment: Region is a significant variable in all five models. It can explain the 42.3% variation of DIVORCERAT,
74.85% variation of ILLITERRAT, 62.88% variation of FEMMARAGE, 53.06% variation of TELEPERFAM, and 74.09%
variation of TOTFERTRAT. In other words, Region is highly correlated with the dependent variable and all four
independent variables.
```

Task 2.6: Run the multiple regression model with the four metric variables plus the **REGION** factor to explain the variation of the fertility rates.

Speculate in an informed way why some independent metric variables are no longer significant? [0.5 points]

```
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 3.538560 0.609124 5.809 1.03e-07 **
FEMMARAGE -0.060186 0.023278 -2.585 0.011409 *
             3.538560 0.609124 5.809 1.03e-07 ***
FEMMARAGE
DIVORCERAT
            -0.086453 0.055473 -1.558 0.122795
ILLITERRAT
             -0.001634 0.010915 -0.150 0.881362
TELEPERFAM
             0.004793 0.027447
REGIONNorth
                                  0.175 0.861794
REGIONSardinia 0.031584 0.059267 0.533 0.595473
REGIONSicily 0.216287 0.060134 3.597 0.000537 ***
REGIONSouth 0.186853 0.046051 4.057 0.000109 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 0.09589 on 86 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.8438, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8293
F-statistic: 58.09 on 8 and 86 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Comment: **DIVORCERAT**, **ILLITERRAT**, and **TELEPERFAM** are no longer significant in this model. And the significance of **FEMMARAGE** also decreases dramatically. This drop in the significance is induced by the high correlation of these variables with the factor **REGION** which now also captures most of the variability in the dependent variable **TOTFERTRAT**. A high degree of multicollineary is present in the independent variables.

Task 2.7: Use a partial *F*-test to check whether the model in task 2.6 has improved the model fit of the base model in task 2.3 significantly. [0.5 points]

That is, test the null hypothesis: H_0 : $\beta_{Region\ 1} = \beta_{Region\ 2} = \cdots = \beta_{Region\ J} = 0$ against the alternative hypothesis is H_0 : $\beta_{Region\ j} \neq 0$ for at least one $j \in \{1,2,...,J\}$.

```
anova(lm3, lm1)
Analysis of Variance Table

Model 1: TOTFERTRAT ~ FEMMARAGE + DIVORCERAT + ILLITERRAT + TELEPERFAM + REGION

Model 2: TOTFERTRAT ~ ILLITERRAT + FEMMARAGE + DIVORCERAT + TELEPERFAM Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)

1 86 0.79079
2 90 0.96406 -4 -0.17327 4.7107 0.001743 **
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

Comment: The p-value (0.001743) is substantially smaller than 0.05, thus the null hypothesis can be rejected. We can conclude that the effect of the factor REGION is a significantly different from zero and the model in task 2.6 has improved the model fit of the base model in task 2.3 significantly.
```

Task 3. Identification of the Underlying Model Structure [6 points]

Use the workspace ModelSpecs.RData for this task. It contains the six data-frames mod1 to mod6. Each data-frame is comprised of three variables: **y** for the dependent variables, **g** for a binary *factor*, and **x** for a *metric* variable. Each of these data-frames is best *statistically* described by one of these competing models:

Name Models Structure

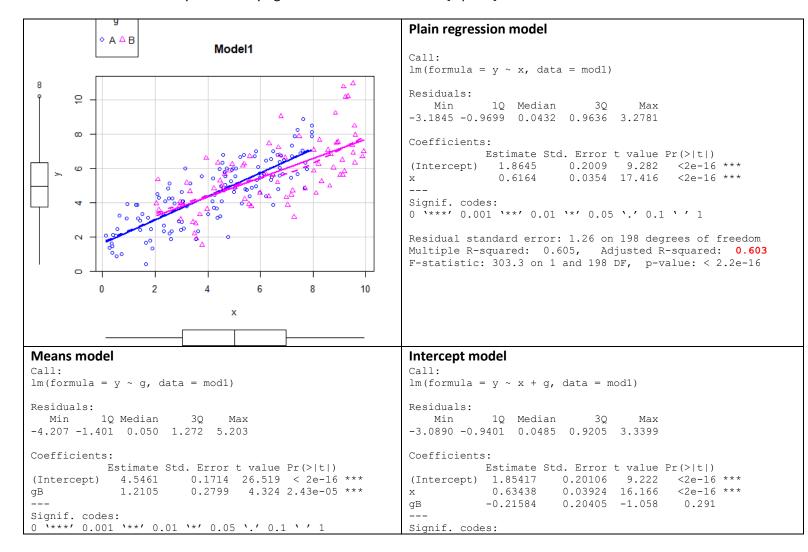
Full interaction model	<pre>lm(y~g+x+g:x, data=mod?)</pre>
	<pre>⇔ lm(y~g*x, data=mod?)</pre>
Intercept model	<pre>lm(y~g+x, data=mod?)</pre>
Slope model	<pre>lm(y~g:x, data=mod?)</pre>
Means model	lm(y~g, data=mod?)
Plain regression model	<pre>lm(y~x, data=mod?)</pre>

For each of the data-frame generate an informative scatterplot showing the regression regimes for both groups of observations. You can employ the syntax:

```
car::scatterplot(y~x|g,smoother=F,boxplots="xy",data=mod?,main="Model?")
```

Then identify which of the competing model structures best describes the given data-frame. If several competing model structures seem to be reasonably relevant then try to eliminate inferior models using by looking for statistically superior $R^2_{adjusted}$, non-significant coefficients' t-tests and <u>nested</u> partial F-tests. Provide a rational for your model selection.

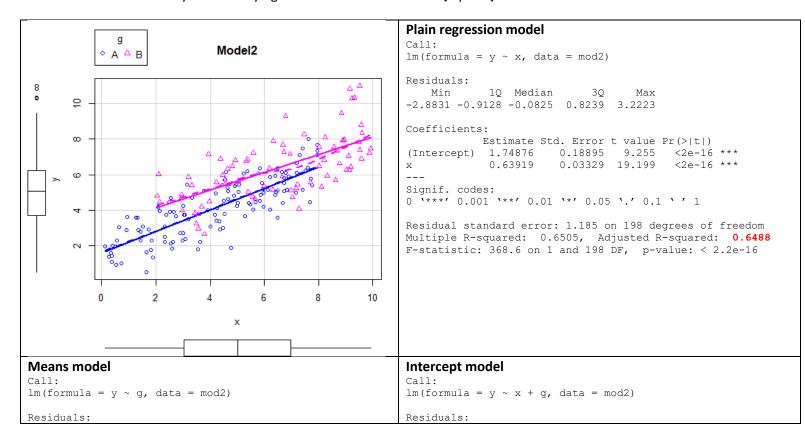
Task 3.1: Identify the underlying model structure for **mod1**. [1 point]



```
`***' 0.001 `**' 0.01 `*' 0.05 `.' 0.1 ` ' 1
Residual standard error: 1.917 on 198 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.08629, Adjusted R-squared:
                                                         Residual standard error: 1.26 on 197 degrees of freedom
                                                         Multiple R-squared: 0.6073, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6033
F-statistic: 18.7 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 2.425e-05
                                                         F-statistic: 152.3 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Full interaction model
                                                         Slope model
Call.
                                                         Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x * q, data = mod1)
                                                         lm(formula = y \sim x:q, data = mod1)
Residuals:
                                                         Residuals:
           1Q Median
                                                                    1Q Median
                          30
                                                                                    30
                                  Max
                                                            Min
                                                                                            Max
  Min
-3.0298 -0.9569 0.0743 0.9122 3.5398
                                                         -3.0276 -0.9537 0.0884 0.8988 3.4489
Coefficients:
                                                         Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.64686 0.24101 6.833 1.02e-10 ***
                                                         (Intercept) 1.76142 0.21013 8.383 9.75e-15 ***
                                                                      0.66210
                      0.05026 13.595 < 2e-16 ***
                                                                                0.04529 14.619 < 2e-16 ***
Х
            0.68324
                                                         x:gA
                               0.971
                                        0.333
                                                                               0.03555 17.130 < 2e-16 ***
            0.47813
                      0.49235
                                                                     0.60904
qΒ
                                                         x:qB
                                         0.123
x:aB
           -0.12382
                     0.08001 -1.548
                                                         Signif. codes:
                                                         0 \***' 0.001 \**' 0.01 \*' 0.05 \.' 0.1 \' 1
Signif. codes:
0 \***' 0.001 \**' 0.01 \*' 0.05 \.' 0.1 \' 1
                                                         Residual standard error: 1.255 on 197 degrees of freedom
                                                         Multiple R-squared: 0.6101, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6062
Residual standard error: 1.255 on 196 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.612, Adjusted R-squared:
                                                         F-statistic: 154.2 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
0.6061
F-statistic: 103.1 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Comment: Except the mean model, the relatively R^2_{adj} values of the rest four models are very close. After conducting the nested partial F-test, we can conclude the plain regression model is not significantly different from the other three models due to such large p-value. Based on the parsimony rule, we should choose the **plain regression** model for mod1.

Task 3.2: Identify the underlying model structure for mod2. [1 point]



Min

1Q Median

30

Max

```
-2.72996 -0.83083 0.04285 0.81349
-3.7182 -1.2386 0.0442 1.1243 4.5981
Coefficients:
                                                         Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                                     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                          (Intercept) 1.79407 0.17769 10.097 < 2e-16 ***
           4.1731 0.1515 27.545 < 2e-16 ***
(Intercept)
             2.2051
                        0.2474
                                8.913 3.27e-16 ***
                                                                      0.56065
                                                                                 0.03468 16.166 < 2e-16 ***
gΒ
                                                                                0.18034 5.238 4.15e-07 ***
                                                         qΒ
                                                                      0.94458
Signif. codes:
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                                                         Signif. codes:
                                                         0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 1.694 on 198 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.2863, Adjusted R-squared:
                                                         Residual standard error: 1.113 on 197 degrees of freedom
0.2827
                                                         Multiple R-squared: 0.6933, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6901
F-statistic: 79.45 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 3.271e-16
                                                         F-statistic: 222.6 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Full interaction model
                                                         Slope model
                                                         Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x * g, data = mod2)
                                                         lm(formula = y \sim x:g, data = mod2)
Residuals:
                                                         Residuals:
    Min
              10
                  Median
                                30
                                       Max
                                                              Min
                                                                        10
                                                                            Median
                                                                                         30
                                                                                                 Max
-2.67768 -0.84564 0.06566 0.80622 3.12836
                                                          -2.67024 -0.88598 -0.00724 0.82261 2.85609
Coefficients:
                                                         Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                                     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.61085 0.21299 7.563 1.49e-12 ***
                                                          (Intercept) 1.98413 0.19122 10.38 <2e-16 ***
                       0.04442 13.595 < 2e-16 ***
            0.60383
                                                         x:qA
                                                                      0.53495
                                                                                 0.04122
                                                                                          12.98
                                                                                                  <2e-16 ***
X
                                                                                                  <2e-16 ***
                                3.580 0.000433 ***
gΒ
            1.55788
                       0.43513
                                                                      0.65608
                                                                                 0.03236
                                                                                           20.28
                                                         x:gB
                    0.07071 -1.548 0.123325
           -0.10943
x:qB
                                                         Signif. codes:
                                                         0 **** 0.001 *** 0.01 ** 0.05 *. 0.1 * 1
Signif. codes:
0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
                                                         Residual standard error: 1.142 on 197 degrees of freedom
                                                         Multiple R-squared: 0.6771, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6739
Residual standard error: 1.109 on 196 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.697,
                                                         F-statistic: 206.6 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
                           Adjusted R-squared:
0.6923
F-statistic: 150.3 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Min

10

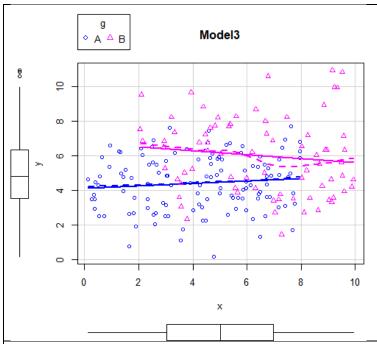
Median

30

Max

Comment: The intercept and full interaction models have relatively the highest R^2_{adj} values among all models. After conducting the nested partial F-test, we can conclude the intercept model is not significantly different from the full interaction model. Based on the parsimony rule, we should choose the **intercept model** for mod2.

Task 3.3: Identify the underlying model structure for **mod3**. [1 point]



```
Plain regression model
Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x, data = mod3)
Residuals:
            1Q Median
                            30
-4.8123 -1.5236 -0.1378 1.3752 5.3784
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 4.34500 0.31539 13.777 <2e-16 ***
                                       0.0215 *
            0.12877
                       0.05557 2.317
Signif. codes:
0 **** 0.001 *** 0.01 ** 0.05 *. 0.1 * 1
Residual standard error: 1.978 on 198 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.0264, Adjusted R-squared: 0.02149
F-statistic: 5.37 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 0.02151
```

Means model

```
Call:
```

 $lm(formula = y \sim g, data = mod3)$

Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -4.5585 -1.3911 0.0671 1.3607 4.9206

Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 4.4107 0.1658 26.605 < 2e-16 ***
gB 1.5714 0.2707 5.804 2.53e-08 ***
--Signif. codes:

0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 1.854 on 198 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.1454, Adjusted R-squared:

0.1411

F-statistic: 33.69 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 2.534e-08

Full interaction model

Call:

 $lm(formula = y \sim x * g, data = mod3)$

Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -4.4694 -1.4115 0.1096 1.3457 5.2216

Coefficients:

Residual standard error: 1.852 on 196 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.1557, Adjusted R-squared:

0.1428

F-statistic: 12.05 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: 2.834e-07

Intercept model

Call: $lm(formula = y \sim x + g, data = mod3)$

Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -4.5566 -1.3868 0.0715 1.3578 4.9268

Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 4.42062 0.29658 14.905 < 2e-16 ***
x -0.00233 0.05789 -0.040 0.968
gB 1.57662 0.30101 5.238 4.15e-07 ***
--Signif. codes:
0 `***' 0.001 `**' 0.01 `*' 0.05 `.' 0.1 ` ' 1

Residual standard error: 1.858 on 197 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.1454, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1367 F-statistic: 16.76 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: 1.896e-07

Slope model

Call:

 $lm(formula = y \sim x:g, data = mod3)$

Residuals:

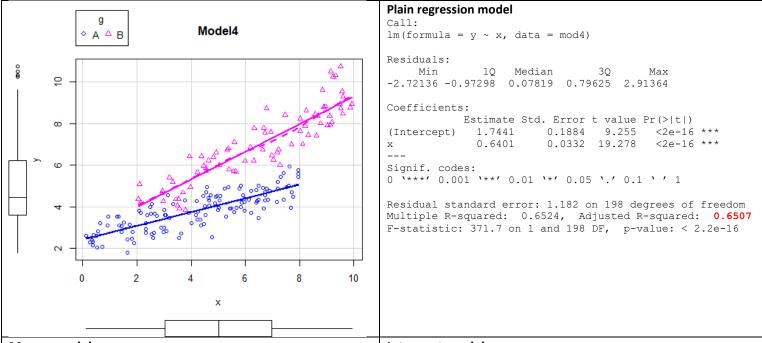
Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -4.4570 -1.4788 -0.0121 1.3730 4.7672

Coefficients:

Residual standard error: 1.906 on 197 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.1005, Adjusted R-squared: 0.09139 F-statistic: 11.01 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: 2.939e-05

<u>Comment:</u> The mean and full interaction models have relatively the highest R^2_{adj} -values among all models. Furthermore, the mean and the intercept model have similar R^2_{adj} -values, however, the slope coefficient of the intercept model is not significant. After conducting the nested partial *F*-test, we can conclude the mean model is not significantly different from the full interaction model. Based on the parsimony rule, we should choose the *mean* model for mod3.

Task 3.4: Identify the underlying model structure for **mod4**. [1 point]



Means model Call: $lm(formula = y \sim g, data = mod4)$ Residuals: Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -3.1446 -0.8339 0.0161 0.8261 3.7666 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) (Intercept) 3.8120 0.1147 33.24 <2e-16 *** 0.1873 16.92 <2e-16 *** gΒ 3.1680 Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1 Residual standard error: 1.282 on 198 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.591, Adjusted R-squared: 0.589 F-statistic: 286.1 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

```
Full interaction model
Call:
lm(formula = y ~ x * g, data = mod4)

Residuals:
    Min     1Q     Median     3Q     Max
-1.50698 -0.47592     0.03695     0.45373     1.76062

Coefficients:
    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
```

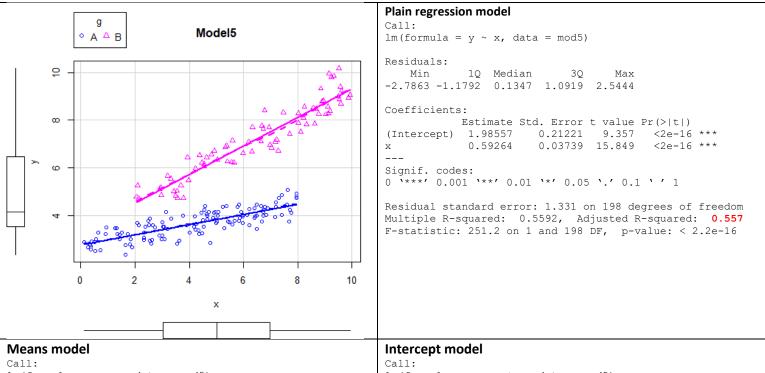
```
Intercept model
Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x + g, data = mod4)
Residuals:
    Min
           1Q Median
                             3Q
-1.89189 -0.49908 -0.02244 0.48997 2.36285
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.84605 0.11616
                             15.89 <2e-16 ***
                             20.43
                                    <2e-16 ***
                    0.02267
X
           0.46330
           gΒ
Signif. codes:
0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.7278 on 197 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.8689, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8676
F-statistic: 652.8 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```



```
(Intercept) 2.41024
                        0.11987 20.107 < 2e-16 ***
                                                           (Intercept) 2.46722
                                                                                   0.10451
                                                                                             23.61
                                                                                                      <2e-16 ***
                        0.02500 13.215 < 2e-16 ***
                                                                                                     <2e-16 ***
             0.33034
                                                           x:gA
                                                                        0.31983
                                                                                   0.02253
                                                                                             14.20
x
                                                                                   0.01768
                                                                                                     <2e-16 ***
gΒ
             0.23781
                        0.24489
                                  0.971
                                           0.333
                                                           x:gB
                                                                        0.69199
                                                                                             39.13
                                 8.468 5.84e-15 ***
             0.33697
                        0.03979
x:qB
                                                           Signif. codes:
                                                           0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
                                                           Residual standard error: 0.6243 on 197 degrees of freedom
Residual standard error: 0.6244 on 196 degrees of
                                                           Multiple R-squared: 0.9036, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9026
                                                           F-statistic: 922.8 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.904, Adjusted R-squared:
0.9025
F-statistic: 615.3 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

<u>Comment:</u> The slope and full interaction models have relatively the highest R^2_{adj} -values among all models. The g variable is not significant in the full interaction model. Based on the parsimony rule, we should choose the **slope** model for mod4.

Task 3.5: Identify the underlying model structure for mod5. [1 point]



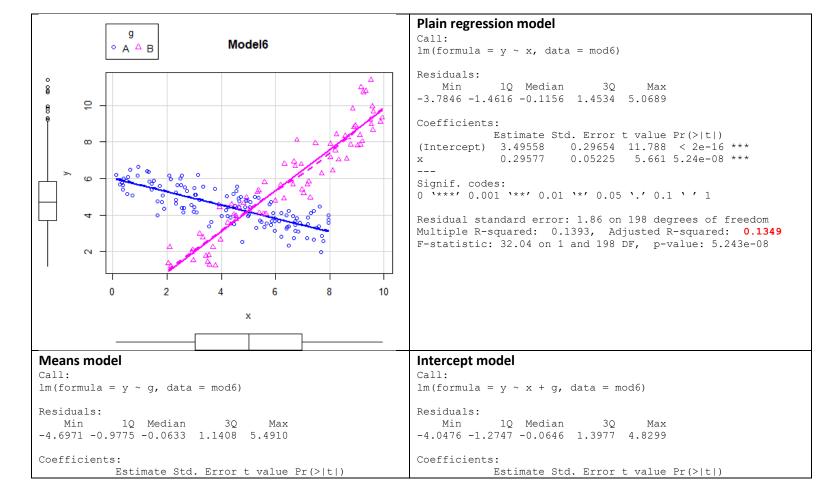
```
lm(formula = y \sim g, data = mod5)
Residuals:
    Min
              10
                   Median
                                3Q
                                        Max
-2.52264 -0.65840 0.00285 0.58932 2.94900
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
            3.67058
                    0.09143
                                40.15 <2e-16 ***
(Intercept)
                                         <2e-16 ***
                       0.14930
                                 23.75
gΒ
            3.54511
___
Signif. codes:
0 \***' 0.001 \**' 0.01 \*' 0.05 \.' 0.1 \ ' 1
Residual standard error: 1.022 on 198 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.7401, Adjusted R-squared:
0.7388
F-statistic: 563.8 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
lm(formula = y \sim x + g, data = mod5)
Residuals:
    Min
               1Q Median
                                 3Q
-1.50016 -0.39030 -0.02668 0.39717 1.83903
Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                       0.09418
                                  22.47
                                         <2e-16 ***
(Intercept)
            2.11610
                       0.01838
                                          <2e-16 ***
             0.36634
                                  19.93
X
                                         <2e-16 ***
gΒ
             2.72146
                       0.09558
                                 28.47
Signif. codes:
 `***' 0.001 `**' 0.01 `*' 0.05 `.' 0.1 ` ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.5901 on 197 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.9138, Adjusted R-squared: 0.913
F-statistic: 1045 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
Full interaction model
                                                            Slope model
Call:
                                                            Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x * g, data = mod5)
                                                            lm(formula = y \sim x:g, data = mod5)
Residuals:
                                                            Residuals:
                   Median
              10
                                 30
                                                                           1Q Median
-0.98031 -0.30959 0.02404 0.29516 1.14531
                                                            -0.97759 -0.32436 -0.00265 0.30116 1.04563
Coefficients:
                                                            Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                                        Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 2.75873 0.07798 35.38 < 2e-16 ***
                                                            (Intercept) 2.89539 0.07001 41.36 <2e-16 ***
                      0.01626 13.21 < 2e-16 ***
                                                                         0.18967
                                                                                    0.01509
                                                                                                      <2e-16 ***
                                                                                              12.57
            0.21489
             0.57035
                                   3.58 0.000433 ***
                                                                                                      <2e-16 ***
gΒ
                        0.15930
                                                            x:qB
                                                                         0.65790
                                                                                    0.01185
                                                                                              55.54
                       0.02589 14.83 < 2e-16 ***
x:qB
             0.38382
                                                            Signif. codes:
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.01 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
                                                            0 \( \dot***' \) 0.001 \( \dot**' \) 0.01 \( \dot*' \) 0.05 \( \dot*' \) 0.1 \( \dot*' \) 1
                                                            Residual standard error: 0.4182 on 197 degrees of freedom
Residual standard error: 0.4061 on 196 degrees of
                                                            Multiple R-squared: 0.9567, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9563
freedom
                                                            F-statistic: 2178 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Multiple R-squared: 0.9594, Adjusted R-squared:
0.9588
F-statistic: 1543 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

<u>Comment:</u> The slope and full interaction models have relatively the highest R_{adj}^2 -values among all models. All the variables are significant in the full interaction model, and its R_{adj}^2 is slightly higher than that of the slope model, so we should choose the **full interaction** model for mod5.

Task 3.6: Identify the underlying model structure for mod6. [1 point]



0.1683 26.54 < 2e-16 ***

(Intercept) 4.4662

0.29035 12.193 < 2e-16 ***

```
5.18 5.45e-07 ***
                                                                     gΒ
             1.4235
                       0.2748
                                                        x
                                                                                        3.166 0.00179 **
                                                                     0.93294
                                                                               0.29468
                                                        gΒ
Signif. codes:
                                                        ---
0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
                                                        Signif. codes:
                                                        0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 1.882 on 198 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.1193, Adjusted R-squared:
                                                        Residual standard error: 1.819 on 197 degrees of freedom
0.1149
                                                        Multiple R-squared: 0.181, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1726
F-statistic: 26.83 on 1 and 198 DF, p-value: 5.451e-07
                                                        F-statistic: 21.76 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: 2.888e-09
Full interaction model
                                                        Slope model
                                                        Call:
Call:
lm(formula = y \sim x * g, data = mod6)
                                                        lm(formula = y \sim x:g, data = mod6)
Residuals:
                                                        Residuals:
                                                        Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
-4.3291 -0.7890 0.0924 1.0581 3.7913
    Min
             1Q Median
                               30
                                       Max
-1.82531 -0.57645 0.04476 0.54958 2.13253
Coefficients:
                                                        Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 6.01986 0.14519 41.46 <2e-16 ***
                                                         (Intercept) 4.25467 0.25718 16.543 < 2e-16 ***
                                       <2e-16 ***
                     0.03028 -12.09
                                                                              0.05543 -0.729
Х
           -0.36614
                                                        x:aA
                                                                   -0.04043
                                                                                                 0.467
           -7.36695 0.29662 -24.84 <2e-16 ***
                                                        x:gB
                                                                    0.35022 0.04352 8.048 7.77e-14 ***
gΒ
           1.48092 0.04820 30.73
                                       <2e-16 ***
x:qB
                                                        Signif. codes:
                                                        0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Signif. codes:
0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
                                                        Residual standard error: 1.536 on 197 degrees of freedom
                                                        Multiple R-squared: 0.416, Adjusted R-squared: 0.4101
Residual standard error: 0.7562 on 196 degrees of
freedom
                                                        F-statistic: 70.16 on 2 and 197 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
Multiple R-squared: 0.8592, Adjusted R-squared: 0.857
F-statistic: 398.6 on 3 and 196 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

(Intercept) 3.54033

<u>Comment:</u> The R_{adj}^2 of the full interaction model is much higher than the other models, so we should choose the full interaction model for mod5.