

MATH 423 A3

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Question 1

The number of rings is indicative of the age of the abalone. The research group believes that there is a linear relationship between the height of the abalones and their age. The linear model is:

$$\text{Age} = \text{beta_0} + \text{beta_1} * \text{Height} + \text{epsilon}$$

where beta_0 is the intercept of the linear regression line, beta_1 is the coefficient of the slope of the regression line, and epsilon is iid Normal ($\text{mean} = 0$, $\text{variance} = \sigma^2$) we can estimate the model as follows:

```
names(abalone)
```

```
## [1] "Height" "Rings"
```

```
summarise_all(abalone, mean)
```

```
##      Height      Rings
## 1 0.1395164 9.933684
```

```
summarise_all(abalone, sd)
```

```
##      Height      Rings
## 1 0.04182706 3.224169
```

```
range_height <- max(abalone$Height)-min(abalone$Height)
range_age <- max(abalone$Rings)-min(abalone$Rings)
Ranges <- c(range_height, range_age)
Ranges
```

```
## [1] 1.13 28.00
```

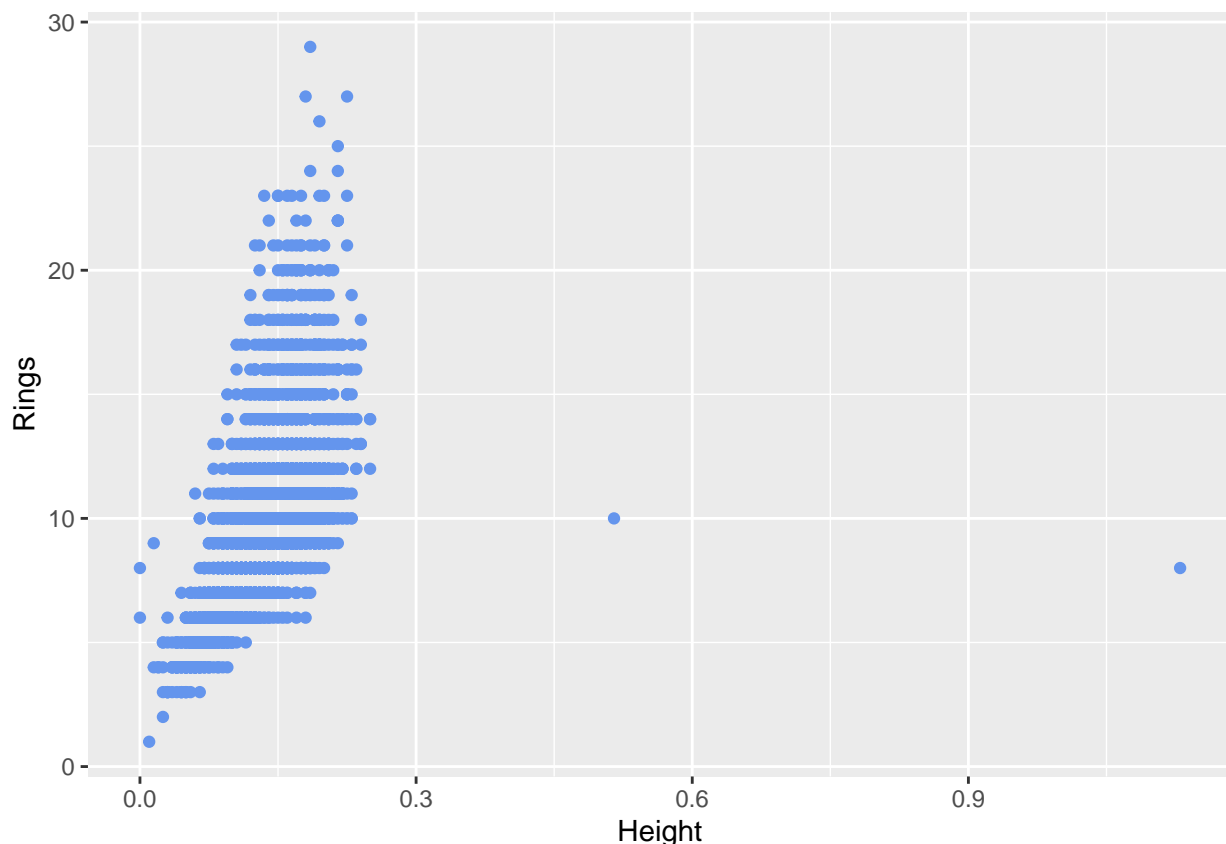
```
m<-lm(Rings~Height, data=abalone)
```

```
summary(m)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Rings ~ Height, data = abalone)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -44.496  -1.657  -0.607   0.839  17.112
##
```

```
## Coefficients:
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   3.9385     0.1443   27.30  <2e-16 ***
## Height       42.9714     0.9904   43.39  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2.677 on 4175 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.3108, Adjusted R-squared:  0.3106
## F-statistic: 1882 on 1 and 4175 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
ggplot(abalone, aes(x=Height, y= Rings))+
  geom_point(col="cornflowerblue")
```



The plot seems to indicate that there is a correlation between Rings and Height. As we can see, the estimate of the intercept of the regression line is

$\beta_{\text{hat}_0} = 3.9385$. The estimate of the slope coefficient is $\beta_{\text{hat}_1} = 42.9714$.

The estimated regression model is $\text{Age}_{\text{hat}} = 3.9385 + 42.9714 \cdot \text{Height}$. As the slope coefficient is greater than zero, this implies that a larger height is associated with an older age. The value of the slope coefficient suggests that for a one unit increase in the height of an abalone, the age increases by 42.9714. We test the following hypotheses to see if the linear relationship is significant and if the value of the slope coefficient is positive. $H_0 : \beta_1 = 0$, i.e. the height is not a predictor of the age of the abalone. $H_a : \beta_1 > 0$, i.e. a larger height is associated with an older age. $\alpha = 0.05$.

Question 2

Given that $Y_i = \beta_1 x_{1,i} + \beta_2 x_{2,i} + \epsilon_i$ The least square estimate of β_{hat_1} and β_{hat_2} from the multiple regression will be the same as the sample separate regression on x_1 and x_2 $y_{ix_1,i} + \epsilon_i; i=1,2,\dots,n$ thus: $\beta_{hat_1} = (x_1, x_1)^{-1} x_1 y$ where $y' = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$ and $x_1' = (x_{1,1}, \dots, x_{1,n})$ we have $y_i = \beta_2 x_{2,i} + \epsilon_i$ thus, the least squares est. of β_{hat_2} is $\beta_{hat_2} = (y_2' x_2)^{-1} x_2 y$, $x_2' = (x_{2,1}, \dots, x_{2,n})$ Multiple regression model: $y_i = \beta_1 x_{1,i} + \beta_2 x_{2,i} + \epsilon_i$ $\sum(x_1, ix_2, i)=0 \ 1 \leq i \leq n$ $(y_1, y_2, y_3)^T = (x_1, x_2)(\beta_1, \beta_2)^T + (\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2, \epsilon_3)^T$ $y x \beta + \epsilon$ where: $y' = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$ $x = (x_1, x_2)$ $\beta' = (\beta_1, \beta_2)$ Thus we have: $\beta_{hat} = (x'x)^{-1} x'y = ((x_1', x_2')^T (x_1, x_2))^{-1} * \text{matrix}((x_1', x_2', y, y, ncol = 2)) = \text{matrix}(x_1'x_1, x_2'x_1, x_1'x_2, x_2'x_2, ncol=2)^{-1} * \text{matrix}((x_1', x_2', y, y, ncol = 2)) = \text{matrix}(x_1'x_1, 0, 0, x_2'x_2, ncol=2) * \text{matrix}((x_1', x_2', y, y, ncol = 2)) = (\beta_{hat_1}, \beta_{hat_2})^T = \beta_{hat} = \text{matrix}(x_1'x_1, x_2'x_1, x_1'y, x_2'y, ncol=2)$ We can see that the values are the same as in the seperated model.

Question 3

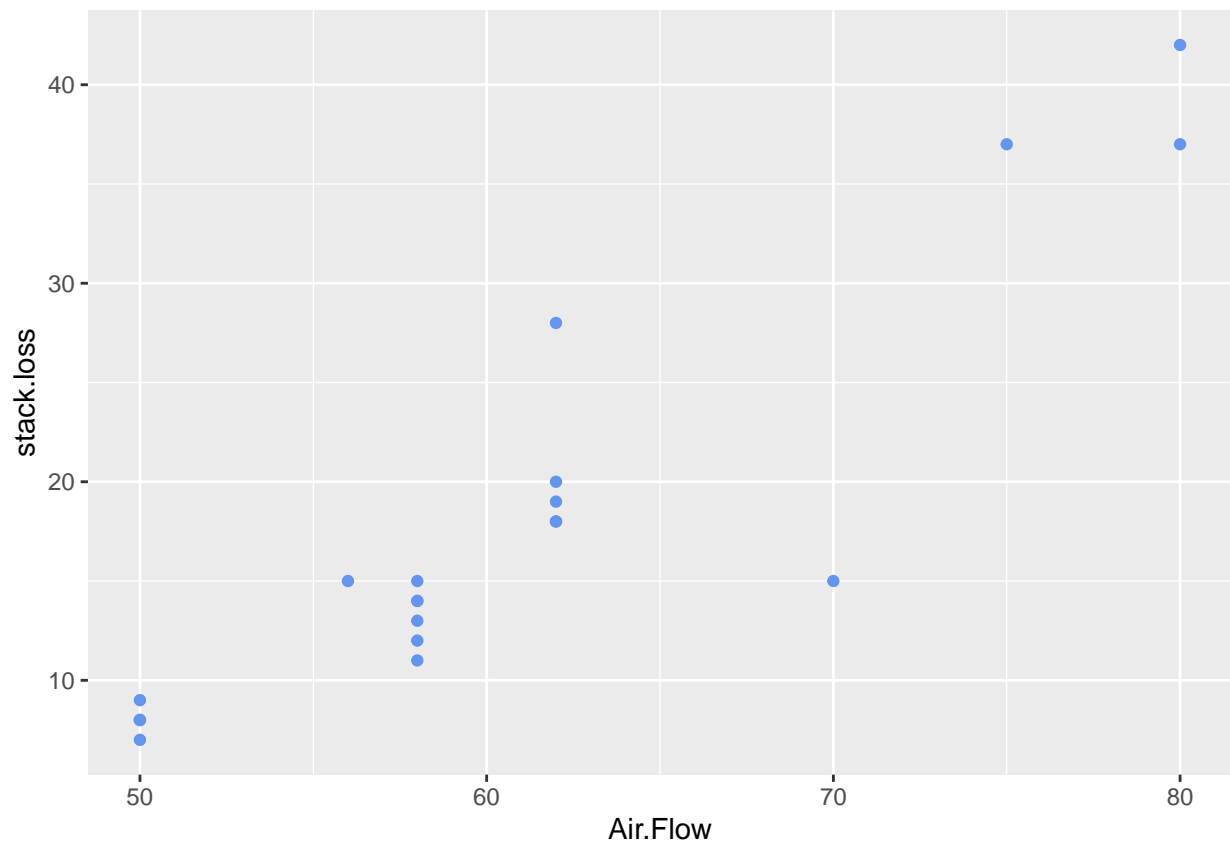
```
stackloss<-read.csv("stackloss.csv")
stackloss
```

```
##      X Air.Flow Water.Temp Acid.Conc. stack.loss
## 1    1      80         27         89         42
## 2    2      80         27         88         37
## 3    3      75         25         90         37
## 4    4      62         24         87         28
## 5    5      62         22         87         18
## 6    6      62         23         87         18
## 7    7      62         24         93         19
## 8    8      62         24         93         20
## 9    9      58         23         87         15
## 10  10      58         18         80         14
## 11  11      58         18         89         14
## 12  12      58         17         88         13
## 13  13      58         18         82         11
## 14  14      58         19         93         12
## 15  15      50         18         89          8
## 16  16      50         18         86          7
## 17  17      50         19         72          8
## 18  18      50         19         79          8
## 19  19      50         20         80          9
## 20  20      56         20         82         15
## 21  21      70         20         91         15
```

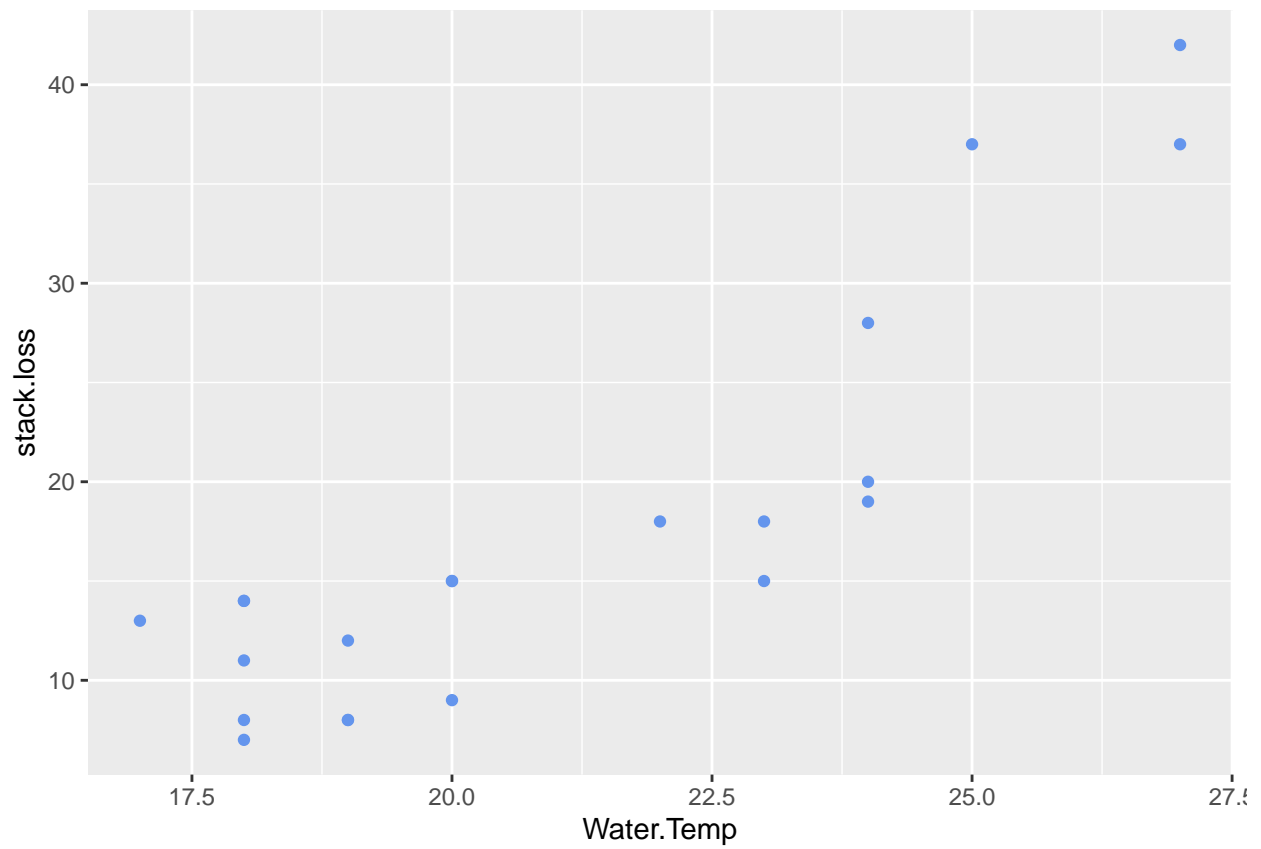
```
colnames(stackloss)
```

```
## [1] "X"          "Air.Flow"   "Water.Temp" "Acid.Conc." "stack.loss"
```

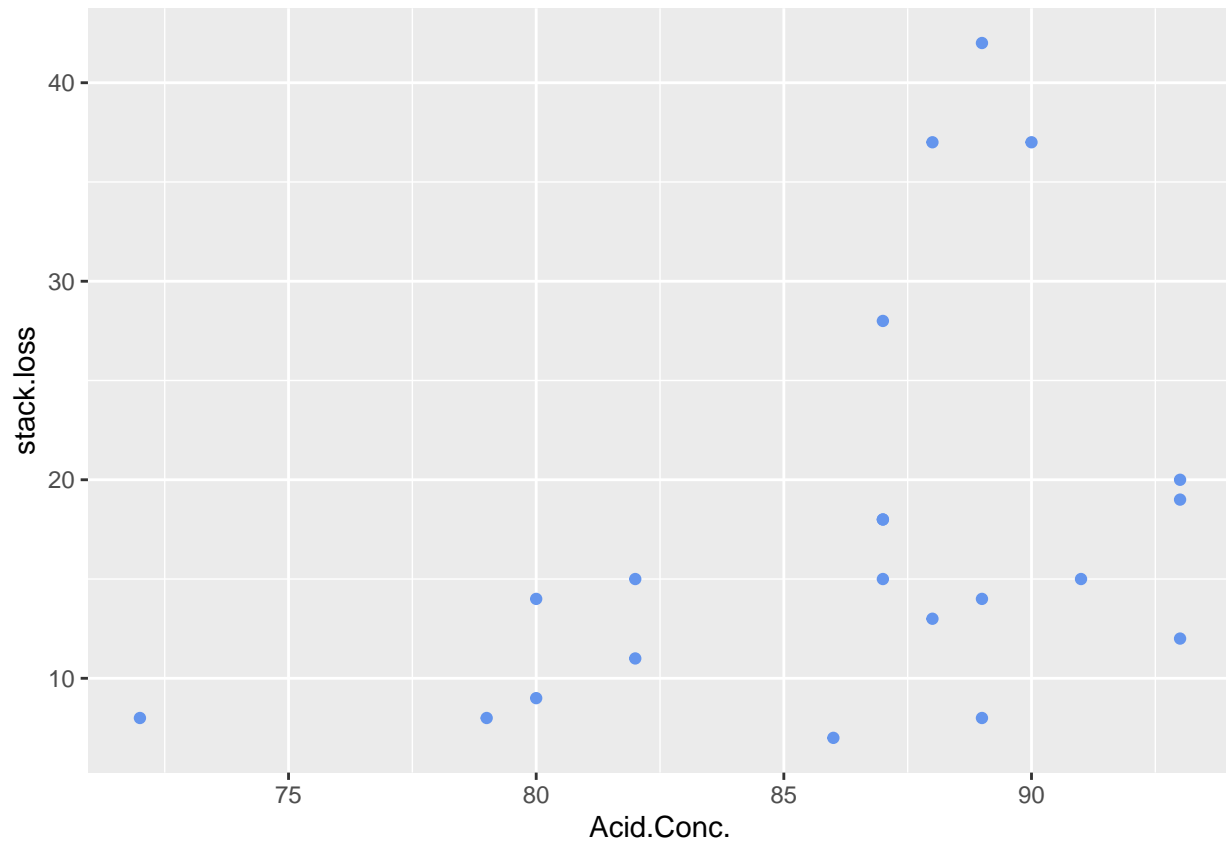
```
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
ggplot(stackloss, aes(x=Air.Flow, y= stack.loss))+
  geom_point(col="cornflowerblue")
```



```
ggplot(stackloss, aes(x=Water.Temp, y= stack.loss))+  
  geom_point(col="cornflowerblue")
```



```
ggplot(stackloss, aes(x=Acid.Conc., y= stack.loss))+  
  geom_point(col="cornflowerblue")
```



```
reg_model <- lm(stack.loss ~ ., data=stackloss)
summary(reg_model)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = stack.loss ~ ., data = stackloss)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3.974 -2.282  0.373  1.369  4.400
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -19.8549    14.0712  -1.411   0.1774
## X            -0.3779     0.1713  -2.206   0.0423 *
## Air.Flow      0.6656     0.1238   5.376 6.18e-05 ***
## Water.Temp    0.8694     0.3842   2.263   0.0379 *
## Acid.Conc.   -0.1973     0.1425  -1.384   0.1853
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2.927 on 16 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9337, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9172
## F-statistic: 56.36 on 4 and 16 DF,  p-value: 3.149e-09
```

this explains 91% of the variation in the data by the independent variables. Both Airflow and Water temp

are significant in explaining the variation in the data. We can see that acid conc. is not too significant as its p-value is greater than 0.05.

```
confint(reg_model, level=0.9)
```

```
##              5 %          95 %
## (Intercept) -44.4214632  4.71175789
## X            -0.6769469 -0.07885415
## Air.Flow      0.4494467  0.88178063
## Water.Temp    0.1986802  1.54016631
## Acid.Conc.    -0.4462103  0.05153996
```

```
predict( reg_model, data = data.frame(Air.Flow = 58, Water.Temp = 20, Acid.Conc. = 86), interval = "pre
```

```
## Warning in predict.lm(reg_model, data = data.frame(Air.Flow = 58, Water.Temp = 20, : predictions on o
```

```
##      fit      lwr      upr
## 1 38.927939 29.1708391 48.68504
## 2 38.747374 28.9292272 48.56552
## 3 32.907888 23.6207650 42.19501
## 4 23.599592 14.3555020 32.84368
## 5 21.482844 12.4040576 30.56163
## 6 21.974367 13.0069976 30.94174
## 7 21.281879 11.8395922 30.72417
## 8 20.903978 11.4409125 30.36704
## 9 18.178211  9.0480937 27.30833
## 10 14.834540  5.0633986 24.60568
## 11 12.680623  3.3274310 22.03382
## 12 11.630634  2.0144664 21.24680
## 13 13.306168  4.0338887 22.57845
## 14 11.627004  2.2211471 21.03286
## 15  5.844111 -3.4890042 15.17723
## 16  6.058216 -3.0353738 15.15181
## 17  9.312432 -0.8518983 19.47676
## 18  7.553185 -1.7352360 16.84161
## 19  7.847372 -1.7046626 17.39941
## 20 11.068484  1.5766449 20.56032
## 21 18.233158  7.1870655 29.27925
```