

# Project\_(631)

Our research question is - “How do Storage Capacity and RAM Size affect laptop price, and is there an interaction between them?”

Loading the dataset and necessary libraries

```
laptop <- read.table("Laptop_price.csv", header = TRUE, sep = ",")  
library(dplyr)
```

Attaching package: 'dplyr'

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

filter, lag

The following objects are masked from 'package:base':

intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

```
library(ggplot2)  
library(car)
```

Warning: package 'car' was built under R version 4.4.2

Loading required package: carData

Warning: package 'carData' was built under R version 4.4.2

Attaching package: 'car'

The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':

recode

Displaying summary statistics and first 6 rows of the dataset

`summary(laptop)`

Brand	Processor_Speed	RAM_Size	Storage_Capacity
Length:1000	Min. :1.512	Min. : 4.0	Min. : 256.0
Class :character	1st Qu.:2.089	1st Qu.: 8.0	1st Qu.: 256.0
Mode :character	Median :2.761	Median :16.0	Median : 512.0
	Mean :2.751	Mean :15.5	Mean : 584.6
	3rd Qu.:3.363	3rd Qu.:32.0	3rd Qu.:1000.0
	Max. :3.999	Max. :32.0	Max. :1000.0
Screen_Size	Weight	Price	
Min. :11.01	Min. :2.001	Min. : 8570	
1st Qu.:12.64	1st Qu.:2.717	1st Qu.:10114	
Median :14.10	Median :3.465	Median :17287	
Mean :14.06	Mean :3.467	Mean :19604	
3rd Qu.:15.53	3rd Qu.:4.213	3rd Qu.:31566	
Max. :16.99	Max. :4.991	Max. :33504	

`head(laptop)`

	Brand	Processor_Speed	RAM_Size	Storage_Capacity	Screen_Size	Weight
1	Asus	3.830296	16	512	11.18515	2.641094
2	Acer	2.912833	4	1000	11.31137	3.260012
3	Lenovo	3.241627	4	256	11.85302	2.029061
4	Acer	3.806248	16	512	12.28036	4.573865
5	Acer	3.268097	32	1000	14.99088	4.193472
6	HP	1.881348	16	256	11.94396	4.840268
	Price					
1	17395.093					
2	31607.606					
3	9291.024					
4	17436.728					
5	32917.991					
6	9543.720					

Converting columns to factors for categorical analysis

```
laptop <- laptop %>%  
  mutate(across(c(Storage_Capacity, RAM_Size, Brand), as.factor))
```

Checking whether our dataset is balanced or not

```
tapply(laptop[-1,]$Price,  
laptop[-1,]$Storage_Capacity:laptop[-1,]$RAM_Size, length)
```

```
      256:4  256:8  256:16  256:32  512:4  512:8  512:16  512:32  1000:4  1000:8  
      88    87    84    98    80    64    80    82    75    95  
1000:16 1000:32  
      72    94
```

Checking structure and data types of the dataset

```
str(laptop)
```

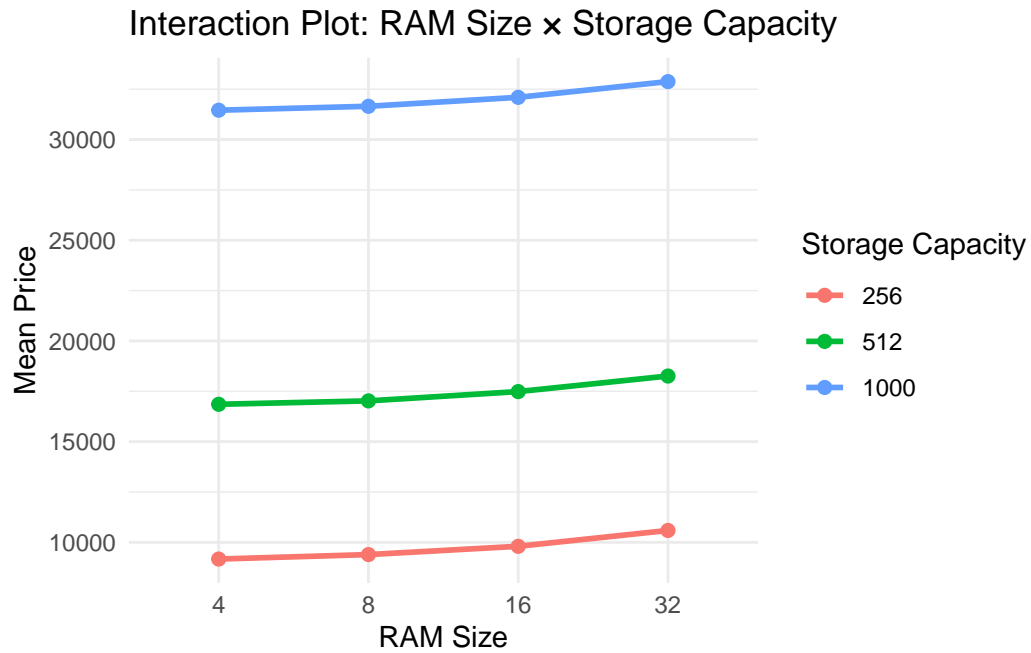
```
'data.frame':  1000 obs. of  7 variables:  
 $ Brand      : Factor w/ 5 levels "Acer","Asus",...: 2 1 5 1 1 4 5 5 5 1 ...  
 $ Processor_Speed : num  3.83 2.91 3.24 3.81 3.27 ...  
 $ RAM_Size      : Factor w/ 4 levels "4","8","16","32": 3 1 1 3 4 3 4 1 1 4 ...  
 $ Storage_Capacity: Factor w/ 3 levels "256","512","1000": 2 3 1 2 3 1 1 1 2 2 ...  
 $ Screen_Size   : num  11.2 11.3 11.9 12.3 15 ...  
 $ Weight        : num  2.64 3.26 2.03 4.57 4.19 ...  
 $ Price         : num  17395 31608 9291 17437 32918 ...
```

```
# Summarize mean price by group
```

```
summary_data <- laptop %>%  
  group_by(RAM_Size, Storage_Capacity) %>%  
  summarise(mean_price = mean(Price, na.rm = TRUE), .groups = "drop")
```

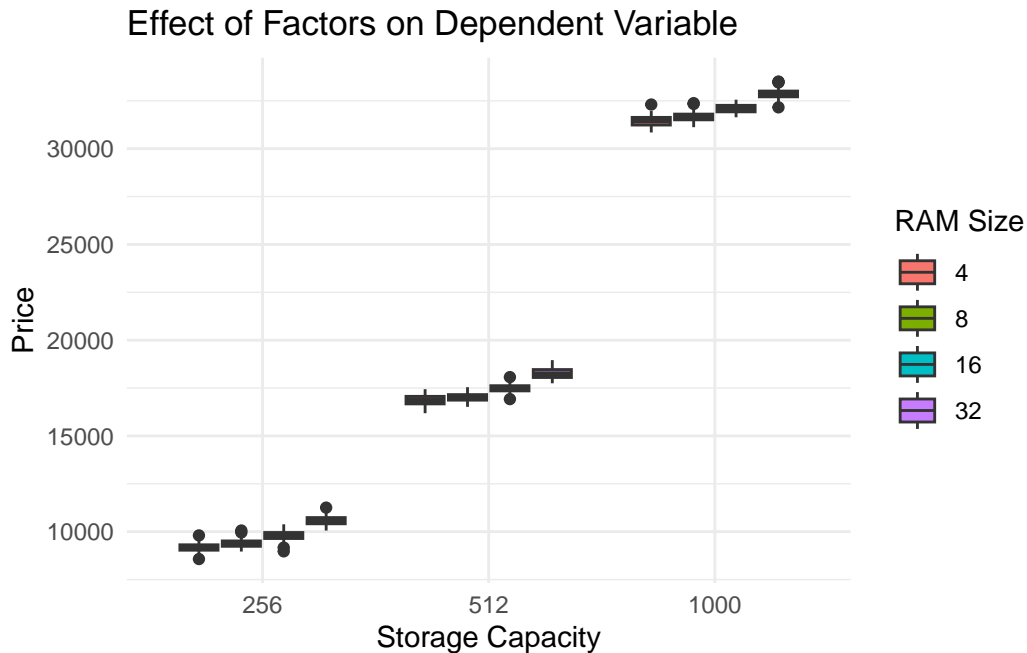
```
# Interaction plot
```

```
ggplot(summary_data, aes(x = RAM_Size, y = mean_price, color = Storage_Capacity, group = Storage_Capacity)) +  
  geom_line(linewidth = 1) +  
  geom_point(size = 2) +  
  theme_minimal() +  
  labs(title = "Interaction Plot: RAM Size × Storage Capacity",  
        x = "RAM Size",  
        y = "Mean Price",  
        color = "Storage Capacity")
```



Boxplot to visualize distribution of Price by Storage\_Capacity and RAM\_Size

```
ggplot(laptop, aes(x = Storage_Capacity, y = Price, fill = RAM_Size)) +  
  geom_boxplot() +  
  theme_minimal() +  
  labs(title = "Effect of Factors on Dependent Variable",  
        x = "Storage Capacity",  
        y = "Price",  
        fill = "RAM Size")
```



Fitting Two-Way ANOVA: Storage\_Capacity and RAM\_Size

```
# Fitting Two-Way ANOVA: Storage_Capacity and RAM_Size
model <- aov(Price ~ Storage_Capacity * RAM_Size, data = laptop)
Anova(model,type=2)
```

Anova Table (Type II tests)

Response: Price

	Sum Sq	Df	F value	Pr(>F)
Storage_Capacity	8.7763e+10	2	720444.501	<2e-16 ***
RAM_Size	3.0919e+08	3	1692.108	<2e-16 ***
Storage_Capacity:RAM_Size	7.4541e+04	6	0.204	0.9756
Residuals	6.0178e+07	988		

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

A **p-value < 0.05** indicates a **statistically significant** effect.

For both Storage\_Capacity and RAM\_Size have p value less than 0.05.

- **Storage\_Capacity** has a strong and significant impact on laptop price.

- **RAM\_Size** also has a strong and significant impact on laptop price.

Fitting updated Two-Way ANOVA: Storage\_Capacity and RAM\_Size

```
# Fitting updated Two-Way ANOVA: Storage_Capacity and RAM_Size
redmodel <- aov(Price ~ Storage_Capacity + RAM_Size, data = laptop)
Anova(redmodel,type=2)
```

Anova Table (Type II tests)

Response: Price

	Sum Sq	Df	F value	Pr(>F)
Storage_Capacity	8.7763e+10	2	723923.0	< 2.2e-16 ***
RAM_Size	3.0919e+08	3	1700.3	< 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals	6.0252e+07	994		

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Shapiro-Wilk test for normality of residuals

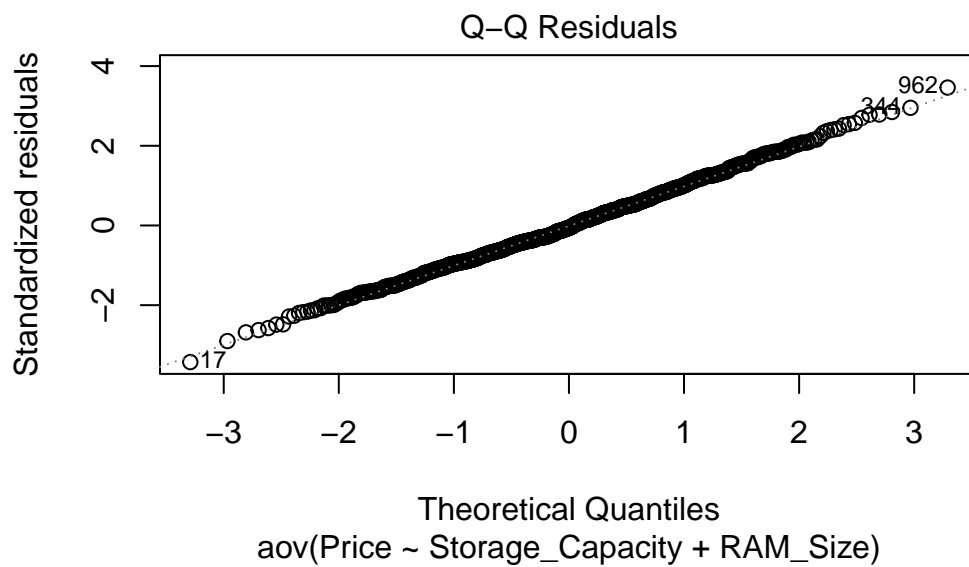
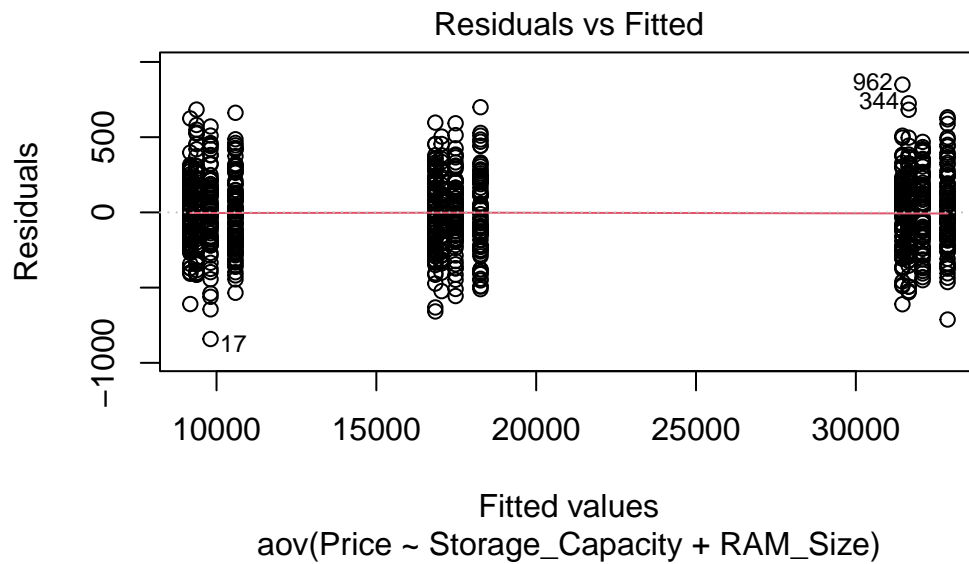
```
shapiro.test(residuals(redmodel))
```

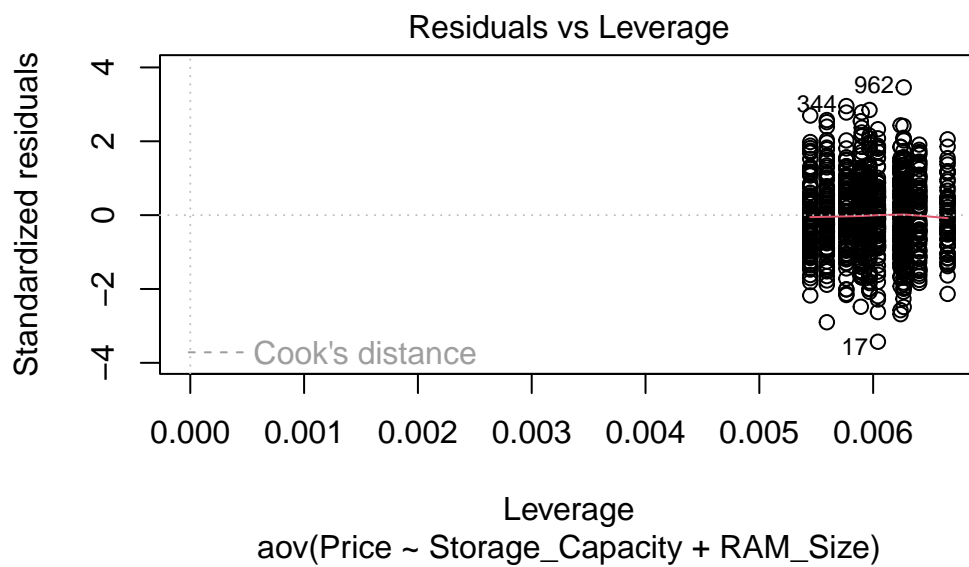
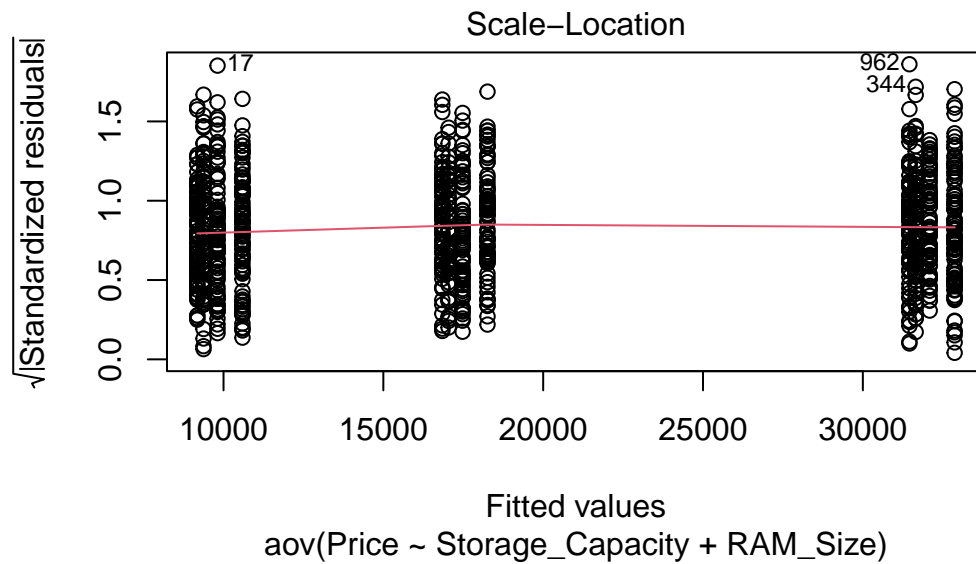
Shapiro-Wilk normality test

data: residuals(redmodel)  
W = 0.99825, p-value = 0.4054

Plotting to check for assumptions

```
plot(redmodel)
```





- **Residuals vs Fitted** - linearity and equal variance (homoscedasticity) assumptions are met
- **Q-Q plot** - Normality assumption is satisfied.



- **Scale-Location** - Homoscedasticity assumption satisfied.
- **Residuals vs Leverage** - No concerning outliers.
- **All assumptions are satisfied.**

Levene's test to check equality of variances

```
leveneTest(Price ~ Storage_Capacity * RAM_Size, data = laptop)
```

Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)

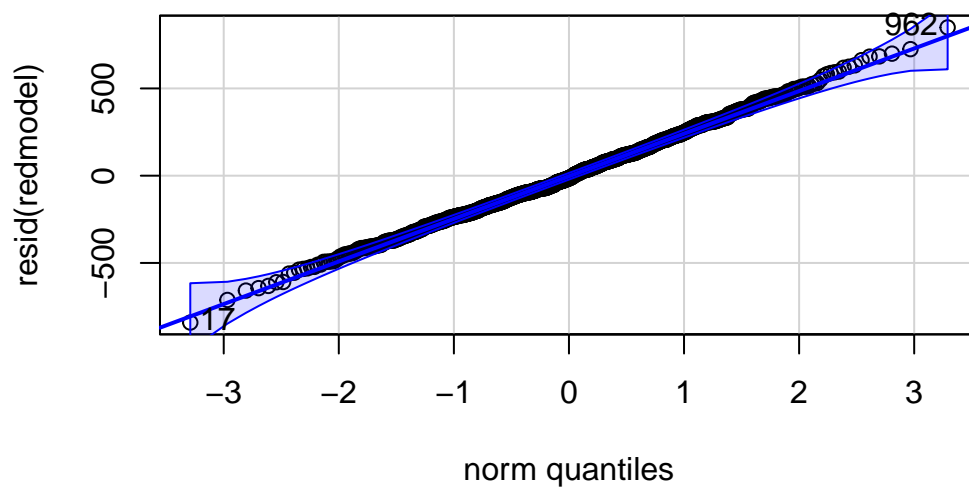
	Df	F value	Pr(>F)
group	11	0.9494	0.4917
	988		

```
#Equal variances are satisfied
```

**Residuals are normal**

Q-Q plot for reduced model residuals

```
qqPlot(resid(redmodel))
```



```
[1] 962 17
```

Tukey HSD test for pairwise comparisons among groups

```
tukey <- TukeyHSD(redmodel)
tukey
```

Tukey multiple comparisons of means  
95% family-wise confidence level

Fit: aov(formula = Price ~ Storage\_Capacity + RAM\_Size, data = laptop)

```
$Storage_Capacity
      diff      lwr      upr p adj
512-256  7666.62  7621.639  7711.601    0
1000-256 22280.25 22236.320 22324.170    0
1000-512 14613.63 14567.999 14659.252    0
```

```
$RAM_Size
      diff      lwr      upr p adj
8-4    196.2716  138.9680  253.5753    0
16-4   633.9371  576.0953  691.7789    0
32-4  1413.9737 1358.1440 1469.8034    0
16-8   437.6655  379.9981  495.3329    0
32-8  1217.7021 1162.0531 1273.3511    0
32-16  780.0366  723.8336  836.2396    0
```