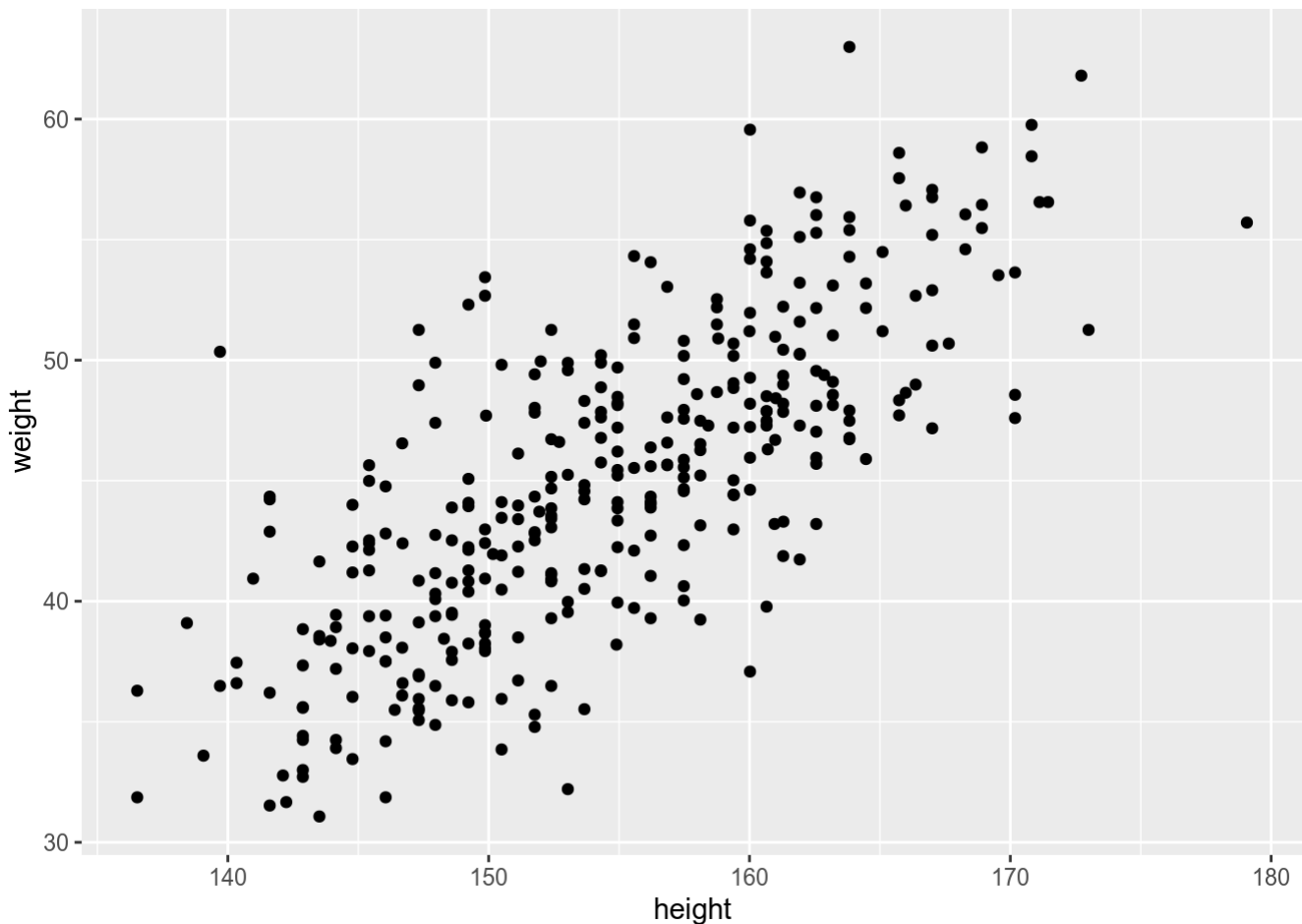


# Howell example

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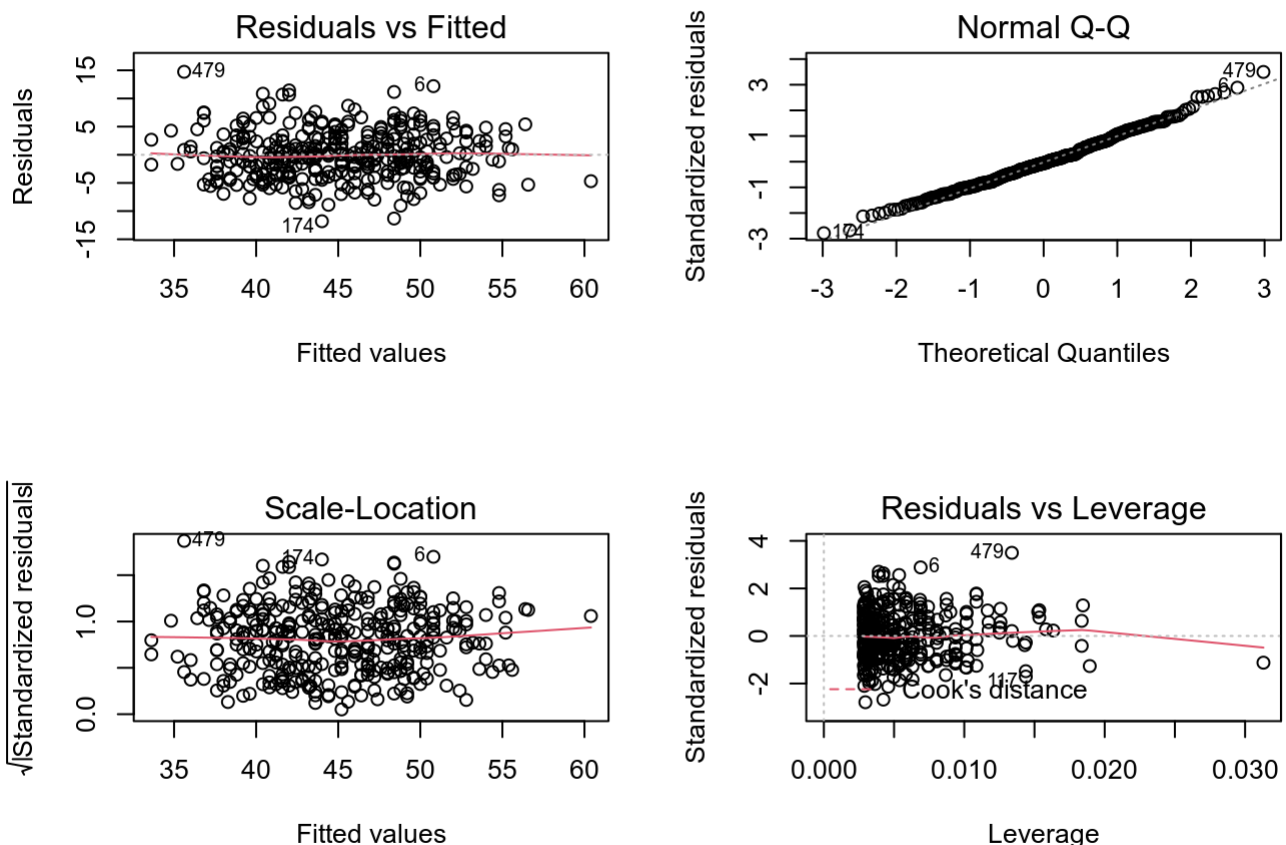
```
rm(list=ls())  
d <- read.csv("~/workspace/Baysian-inference/PART 1/Conjugate Normal Model and Linear  
Regression/Howell Data from the Lecture.csv", sep=';')  
d.adult <- d[d$age>=18,]  
library(ggplot2)  
ggplot(data=d.adult, aes(x=height, y=weight)) +  
  geom_point()
```



```
m1 <- lm(weight ~ height, data=d.adult)  
summary(m1)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = weight ~ height, data = d.adult)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -11.8022  -3.0183  -0.2293   2.8117  14.7348
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -52.31618    4.52650  -11.56  <2e-16 ***
## height       0.62942    0.02924   21.52  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.242 on 350 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.5696, Adjusted R-squared:  0.5684
## F-statistic: 463.3 on 1 and 350 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
par(mfrow=c(2,2)); plot(m1)
```



```
# The Bayesian way
library(MCMCglmm)
```

```
## Loading required package: Matrix
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```
## Loading required package: coda
```

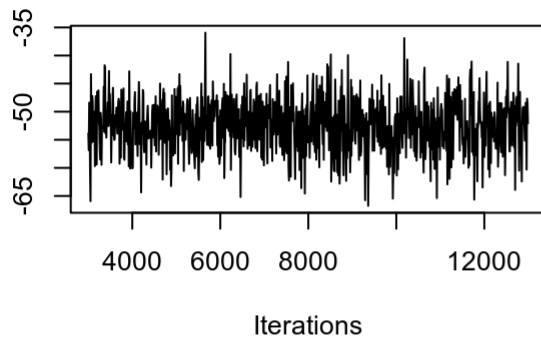
```
## Loading required package: ape
```

```
mlb <- MCMCglmm(weight ~ height, data=d.adult, verbose=F)
summary(mlb)
```

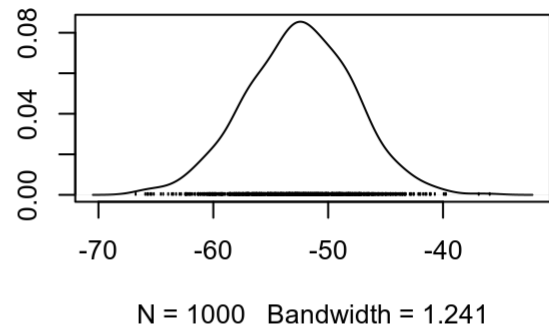
```
##
## Iterations = 3001:12991
## Thinning interval = 10
## Sample size = 1000
##
## DIC: 2020.148
##
## R-structure: ~units
##
##      post.mean l-95% CI u-95% CI eff.samp
## units      18.1    15.78    20.95      1000
##
## Location effects: weight ~ height
##
##      post.mean l-95% CI u-95% CI eff.samp pMCMC
## (Intercept) -52.4603 -61.3505 -43.3182     1000 <0.001 ***
## height       0.6304   0.5702   0.6875     1000 <0.001 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
plot(mlb)
```

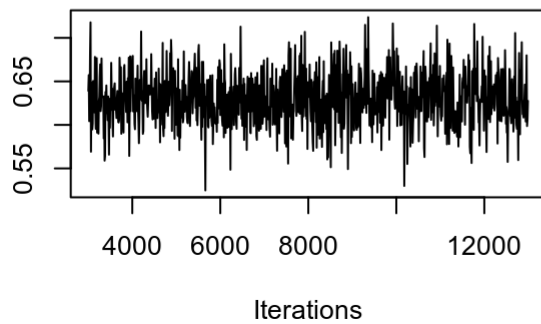
**Trace of (Intercept)**



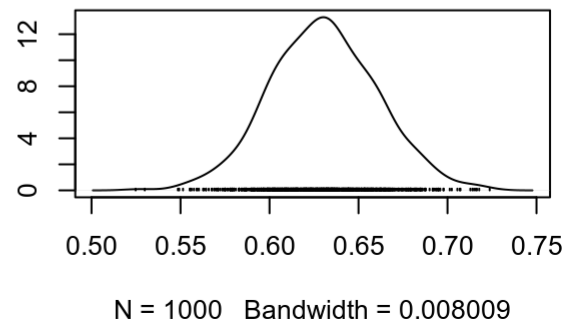
**Density of (Intercept)**



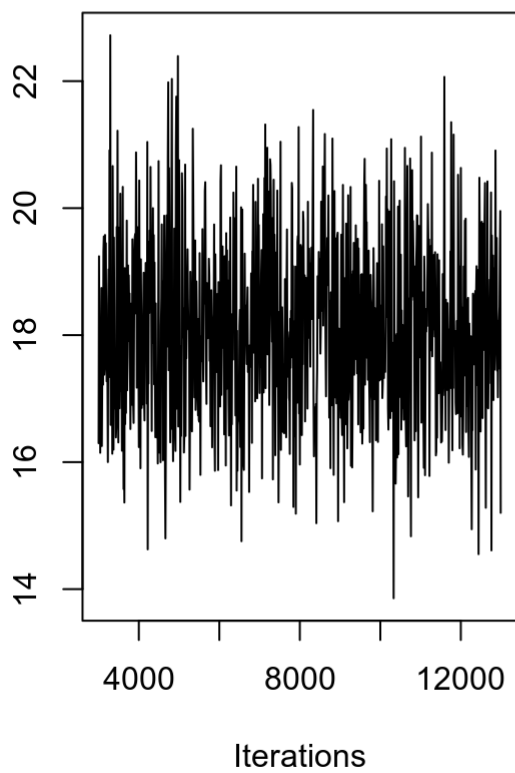
**Trace of height**



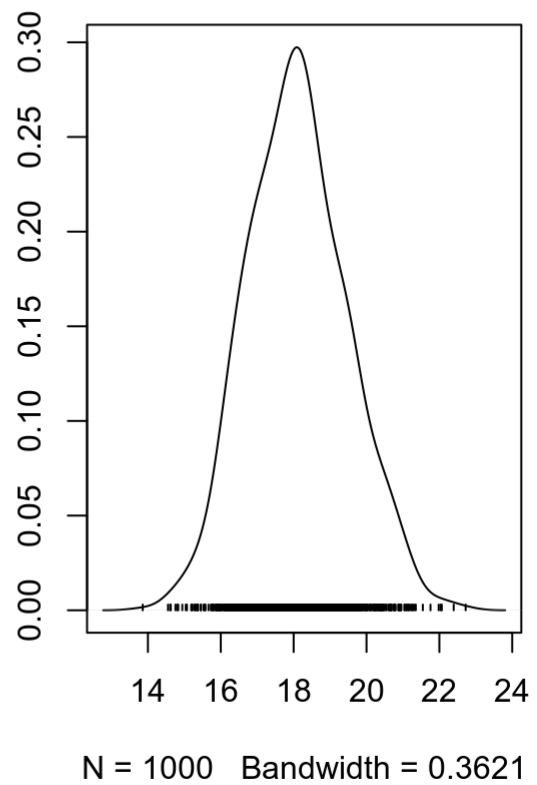
**Density of height**



**Trace of units**



**Density of units**



```

# Pr(beta[1]>0|data) > .999

### Model Fit: Using Posterior Predictive Distribution
# on a grid of reasonable values of height

dtf <- data.frame(height=seq(130,185,.1))

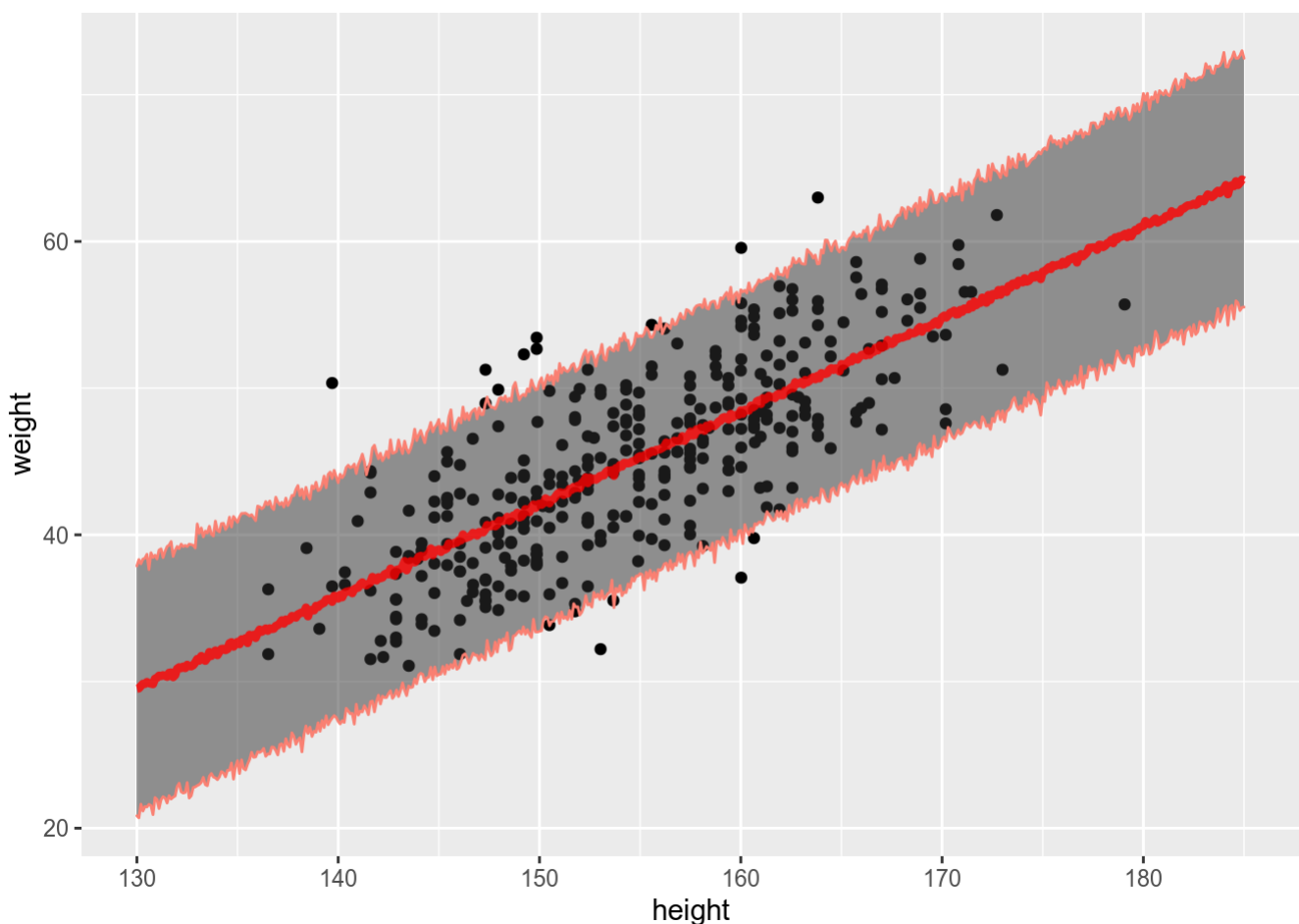
# a function to produce a posterior pred. estimate
pred.reg <- function(x,a,b,sigma){
  a+b*x+rnorm(length(a),0,sd=sigma)
}

mlb.pred <- sapply(dtf$height, pred.reg,
  a=mlb$Sol[,1],b=mlb$Sol[,2],sigma=sqrt(mlb$VCV))

dtf$pp.mean <- apply(mlb.pred,2,mean)
dtf$pp.q025 <- apply(mlb.pred,2,quantile,.025)
dtf$pp.q975 <- apply(mlb.pred,2,quantile,.975)

ggplot()+
  geom_point(data=d.adult,aes(x=height,y=weight))+
  geom_ribbon(data=dtf,aes(x=height,ymin=pp.q025,ymax=pp.q975),alpha=.5,col='salmon')
+
  geom_line(data=dtf,aes(x=height,y=pp.mean),size=1.5,alpha=.8,col='red')

```



```

# NB. for the posterior mean estimate (that's for mu, not for y):

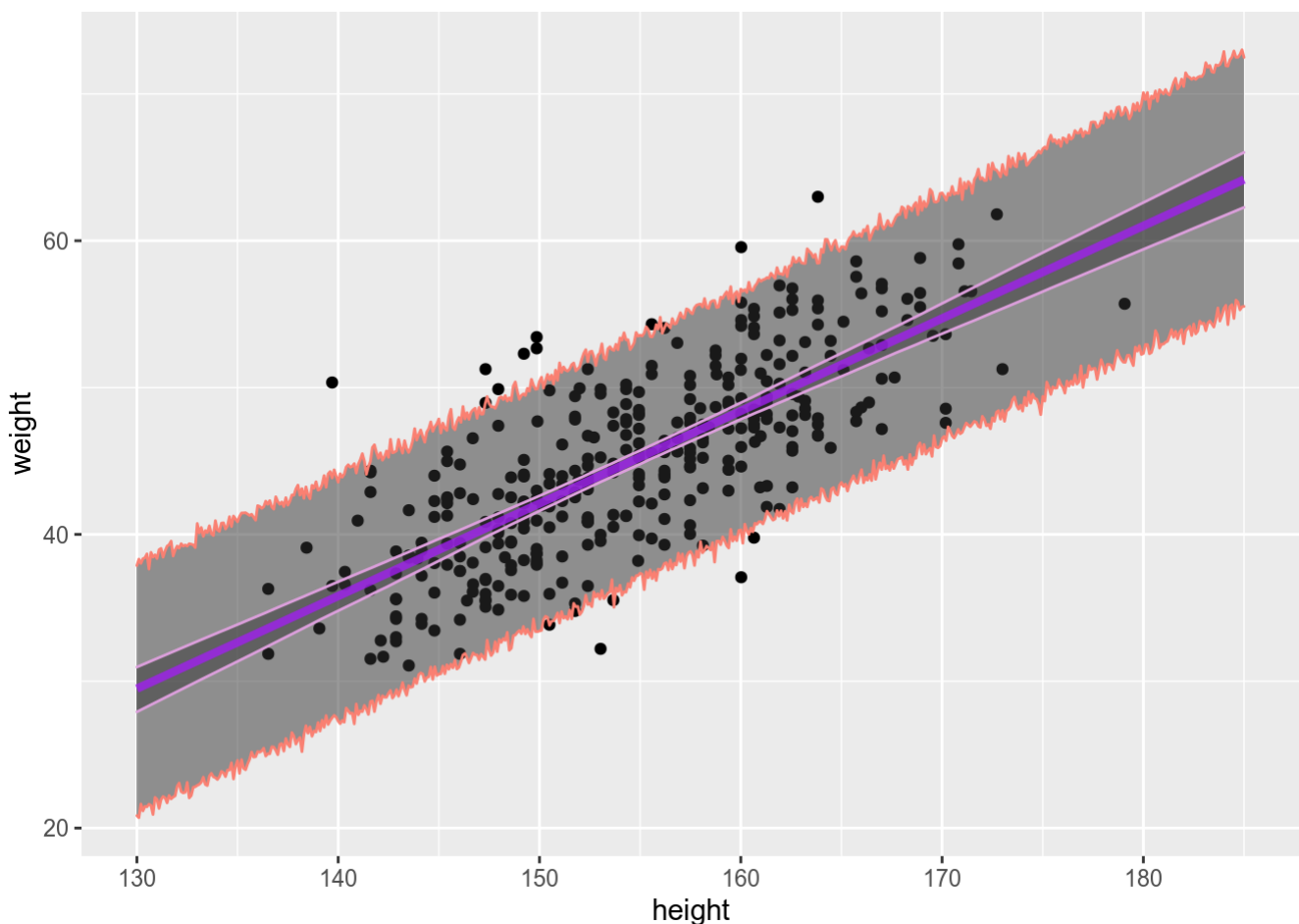
pred.reg.mean <- function(x,a,b){
  a+b*x
}

mlb.post.mn <- sapply(dtf$height, pred.reg.mean,
  a=mlb$Sol[,1],b=mlb$Sol[,2])

dtf$post.mean <- apply(mlb.post.mn,2,mean)
dtf$post.q025 <- apply(mlb.post.mn,2,quantile,.025)
dtf$post.q975 <- apply(mlb.post.mn,2,quantile,.975)

ggplot()+
  geom_point(data=d.adult,aes(x=height,y=weight))+
  geom_ribbon(data=dtf,aes(x=height,ymin=pp.q025,ymax=pp.q975),alpha=.5,col='salmon')
+
  #geom_line(data=dtf,aes(x=height,y=pp.mean),size=1.5,alpha=.8,col='red')+
  geom_ribbon(data=dtf,aes(x=height,ymin=post.q025,ymax=post.q975),alpha=.5,col='plum')
+
  geom_line(data=dtf,aes(x=height,y=post.mean),size=1.5,alpha=.8,col='purple')

```



```

# note posterior mean and posterior predictive mean lines will be the same.

```