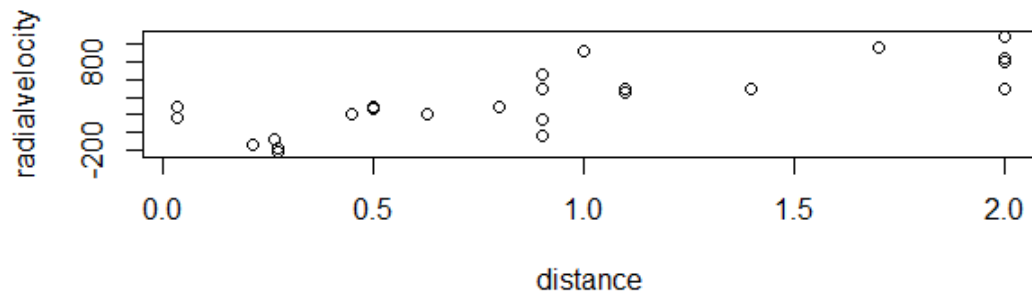


## Assignment 4

(a)



```
> hubble = read.table("hubbledata.txt", header=TRUE)
> plot.default(hubble[,2], hubble[,3], xlab="distance", ylab="radialvelocity")
```

(b)(i)

```
model {
  for (i in 1:length(y)) {
    y[i] ~ dnorm(beta1+beta2*x[i], sigmasqinv)
  }

  beta1 ~ dnorm(0, .00000001)
  beta2 ~ dnorm(0, .00000001)
  sigmasqinv ~ dgamma(0.0001, 0.0001)

  sigmasq <- 1/sigmasqinv
}
```

(ii)

Iterations = 2501:5000  
Thinning interval = 1  
Number of chains = 4  
Sample size per chain = 2500

1. Empirical mean and standard deviation for each variable,  
plus standard error of the mean:

	Mean	SD	Naïve SE
beta1	-40.98	88.36	0.8836
beta2	454.30	79.94	0.7994
sigmasq	59705.74	19919.73	199.1973

	Time-series SE
beta1	2.029
beta2	1.831
sigmasq	224.518

2. Quantiles for each variable:

	2.5%	25%	50%	75%
beta1	-216.8	-98.56	-41.64	16.5
beta2	294.3	403.36	454.05	505.6
sigmasq	32678.9	45803.21	56011.53	69165.1

	97.5%
beta1	135.8
beta2	612.7
sigmasq	108569.3

(iii)

```
> post.samp <- as.matrix(x1)
> mean(post.samp[, "beta2"] > 0)
[1] 1
> mean(post.samp[, "beta2"])
[1] 454.3007
> quantile(post.samp[, "beta2"], c(0.025, 0.975))
      2.5%      97.5%
294.2685 612.7440
```

Yes,  $H_0$  appears to be positive.

(iv)

```
> mean(post.samp[, "beta1"])
[1] -40.97998
> quantile(post.samp[, "beta1"], c(0.025, 0.975))
      2.5%      97.5%
-216.8190  135.8169
```

Yes, my interval contains zero.

(c)(i)

```
model {
  for (i in 1:length(y)) {
    y[i] ~ dnorm(beta2*x[i], sigmasqinv)
  }

  beta2 ~ dnorm(0, .00000001)
  sigmasqinv ~ dgamma(0.0001, 0.0001)

  sigmasq <- 1/sigmasqinv
}
```

(ii)

```
Iterations = 2501:5000
Thinning interval = 1
Number of chains = 4
Sample size per chain = 2500
```

1. Empirical mean and standard deviation for each variable,  
plus standard error of the mean:

	Mean	SD	Naïve SE
beta2	424.1	43.92	0.4392
sigmasq	57880.5	18620.93	186.2093

	Time-series SE
beta2	0.4356
sigmasq	190.3626

2. Quantiles for each variable:

	2.5%	25%	50%	75%
beta2	336.2	395.8	424	452.8
sigmasq	32060.1	44751.6	54532	67321.7

	97.5%
beta2	510.3
sigmasq	103043.4

(iii)

```
> mean(post.samp[, "beta2"])
[1] 424.0849
> quantile(post.samp[, "beta2"], c(0.025, 0.975))
      2.5%      97.5%
336.1757 510.2753
```

(iv) Standard deviation decreases by around 40 while mean decreases by around 30. The change is very much relative.

The credible interval is narrower than before.

(d)(i)

```
> x1 <- coda.samples(m1, c("beta2", "sigmasq"), n.iter = 2500)
> post.samp <- as.matrix(x1)
> epsilon = mean(hubble$radialvelocity) - mean(hubble$distance)*post.samp[, "beta2"]
```

(ii)

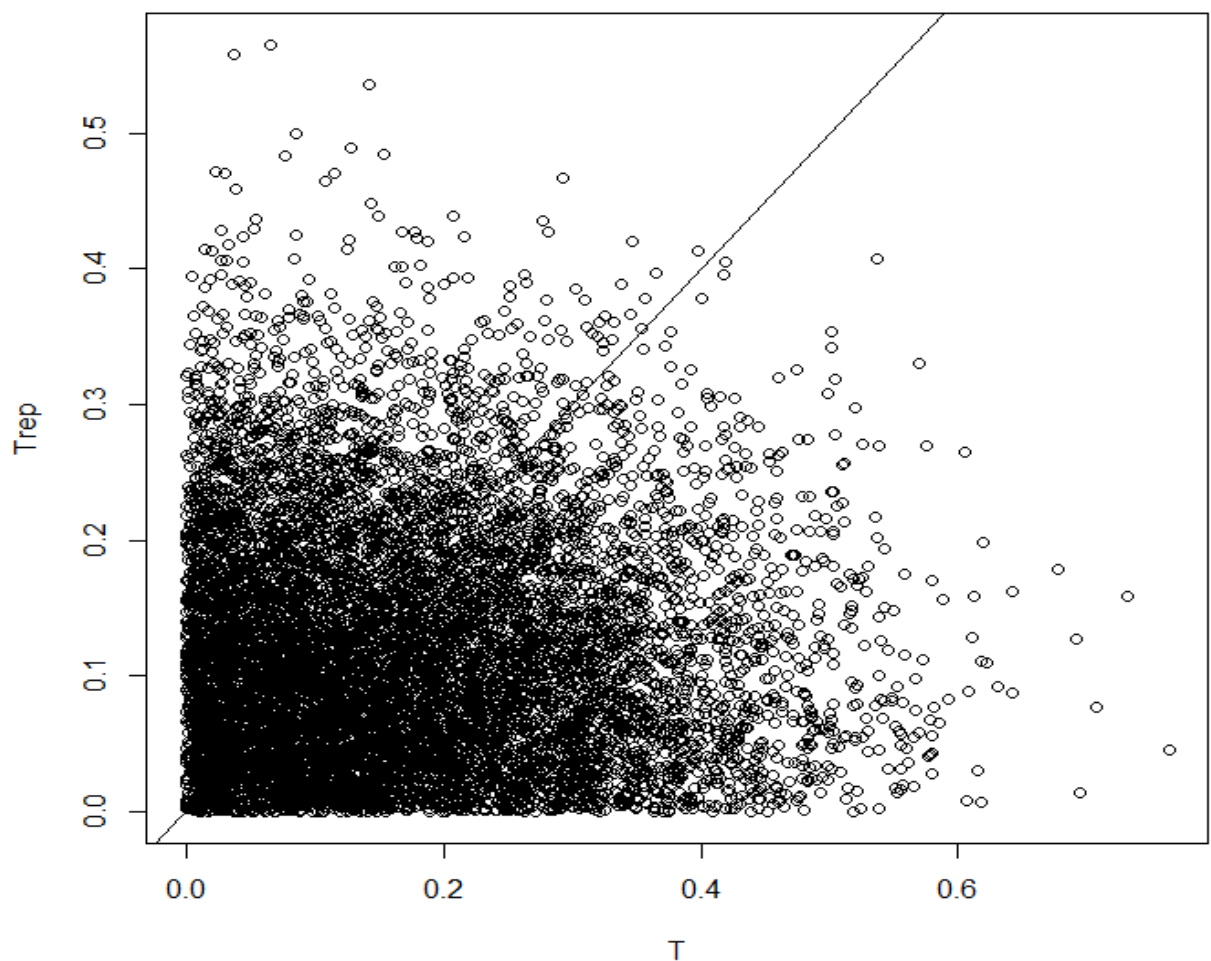
```
> sigma<-post.samp[,"sigmasq"]^0.5  
> epsilon_rep <- matrix(rnorm(10000*nrow(hubble),0,sigma),  
10000, nrow(hubble))
```

(iii)

```
> abs(cor(epsilon,hubble$distance))  
...  
> abs(cor(epsilon_rep,hubble$distance))  
...
```

(iv)

```
> Tfboy <- abs(cor(t(epsilon),hubble$distance))  
> Tfboy_rep <- abs(cor(t(epsilon_rep),hubble$distance))  
> plot.default(Tfboy_rep, Tfboy, ylab="Trep", xlab="T")  
> abline(coef=c(0,1))
```



(v)

```
> mean(Tfboy_rep >= Tfboy)
```

```
[1] 0.6123
```

There is no evidence provided that the no-intercept model  
does not fit.