

# The Two-Factor Mixed Model



Section 13.3



# Nomenclature

- Two-Factor
  - Let  $F$  and  $R$  be our factors and note there are two
- Mixed Model
  - $F$  is a fixed factor
  - $R$  is a random factor

Thus we have a Two-Factor Mixed Model



# suppose we have a fictional fat city called McAllen, Texas



- We want to test a weight loss cake

fattest city in america



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## Most Overweight and Obese Cities in the U.S. - WalletHub

Mar 13, 2023 — **Fattest Cities** in the **U.S.** ; 1, McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX, 85.93 ; 2, Memphis, TN-MS-AR, 84.88 ; 3, Mobile, AL, 84.52 ; 4, Knoxville, TN, 84.31 ...



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## 10 most overweight US cities - Becker's Hospital Review

Mar 14, 2022 — McAllen, Texas, is the most overweight and **obese city** in the **U.S.**, according to an analysis by WalletHub, a personal finance website.

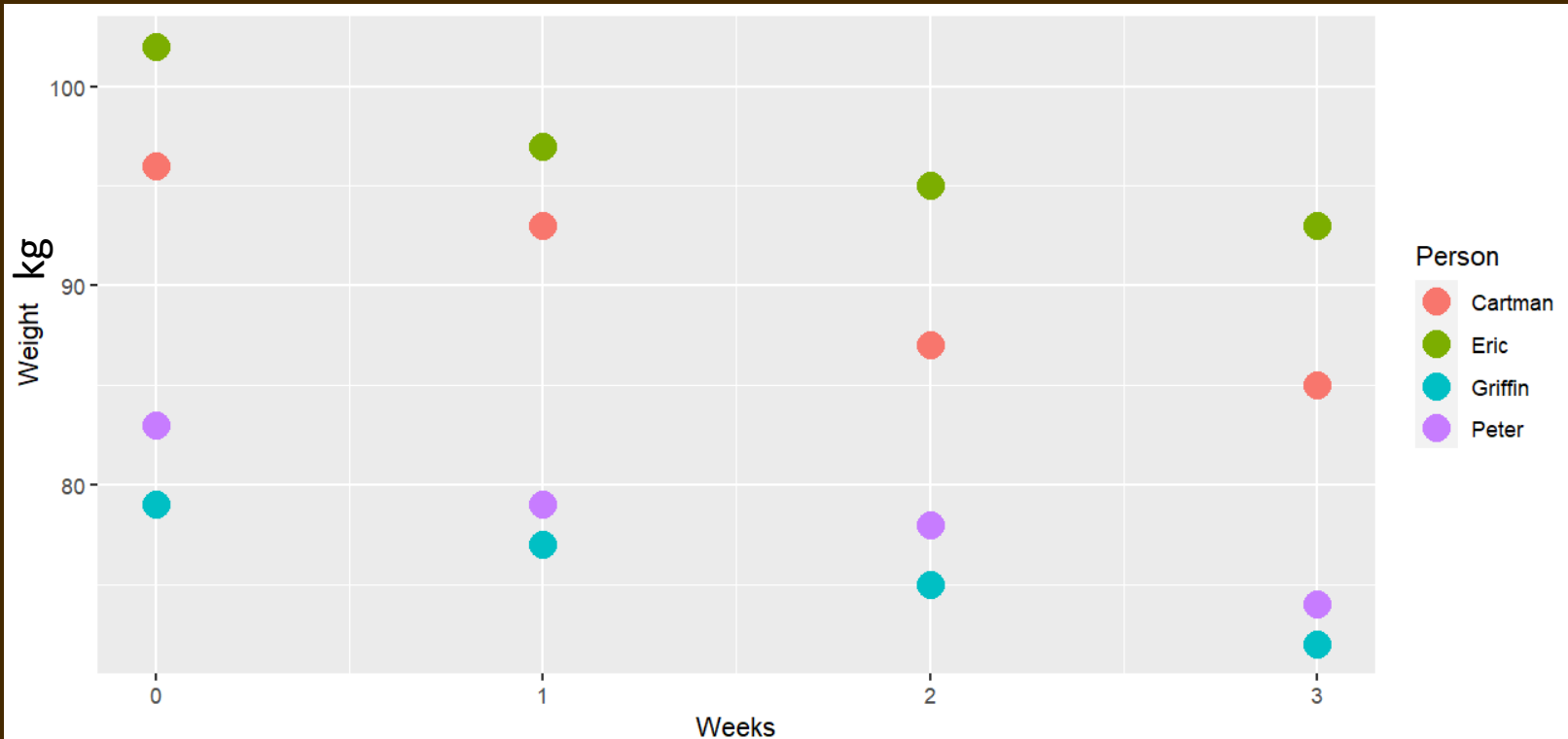


# Hypothesis testing

- $H_0: \mu_0 = \mu_{\text{Cake747}}$ 
  - Cake recipe 747 diet does not cause weight loss
- $H_a: \mu_0 > \mu_{\text{Cake747}}$ 
  - Cake recipe 747 in diet causes significant weight loss



# Data



```
df <- data.frame(  
  Person = c("Eric", "Cartman", "Peter", "Griffin"),  
  Diet = c(747, 747, 0, 0),  
  week0 = c(102, 96, 83, 79),  
  week1 = c(97, 93, 79, 77),  
  week2 = c(95, 87, 78, 75),  
  week3 = c(93, 85, 74, 72)  
)  
  
dfLong <- reshape(df, varying = c("week0", "week1", "week2", "week3"),  
  v.names = "Weight",  
  direction = "long",  
  timevar = "Weeks")
```



```
Call:
lm(formula = Weight ~ Weeks, data = dfSimpleRegression)

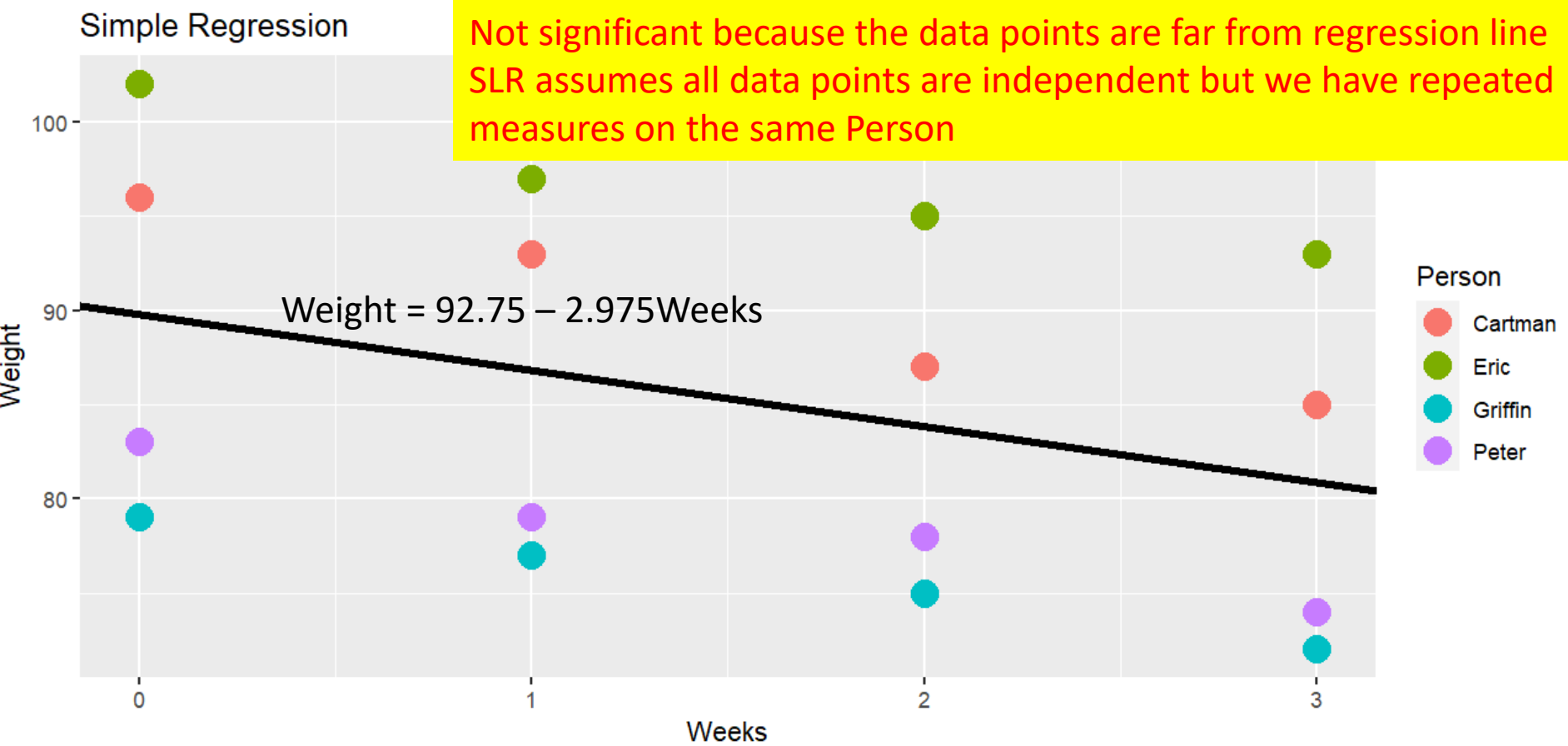
Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-10.775  -8.056  -1.325   7.219  12.225

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)  92.750      5.637   16.453 1.49e-10 ***
Weeks       -2.975      2.058   -1.445    0.17
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1
```

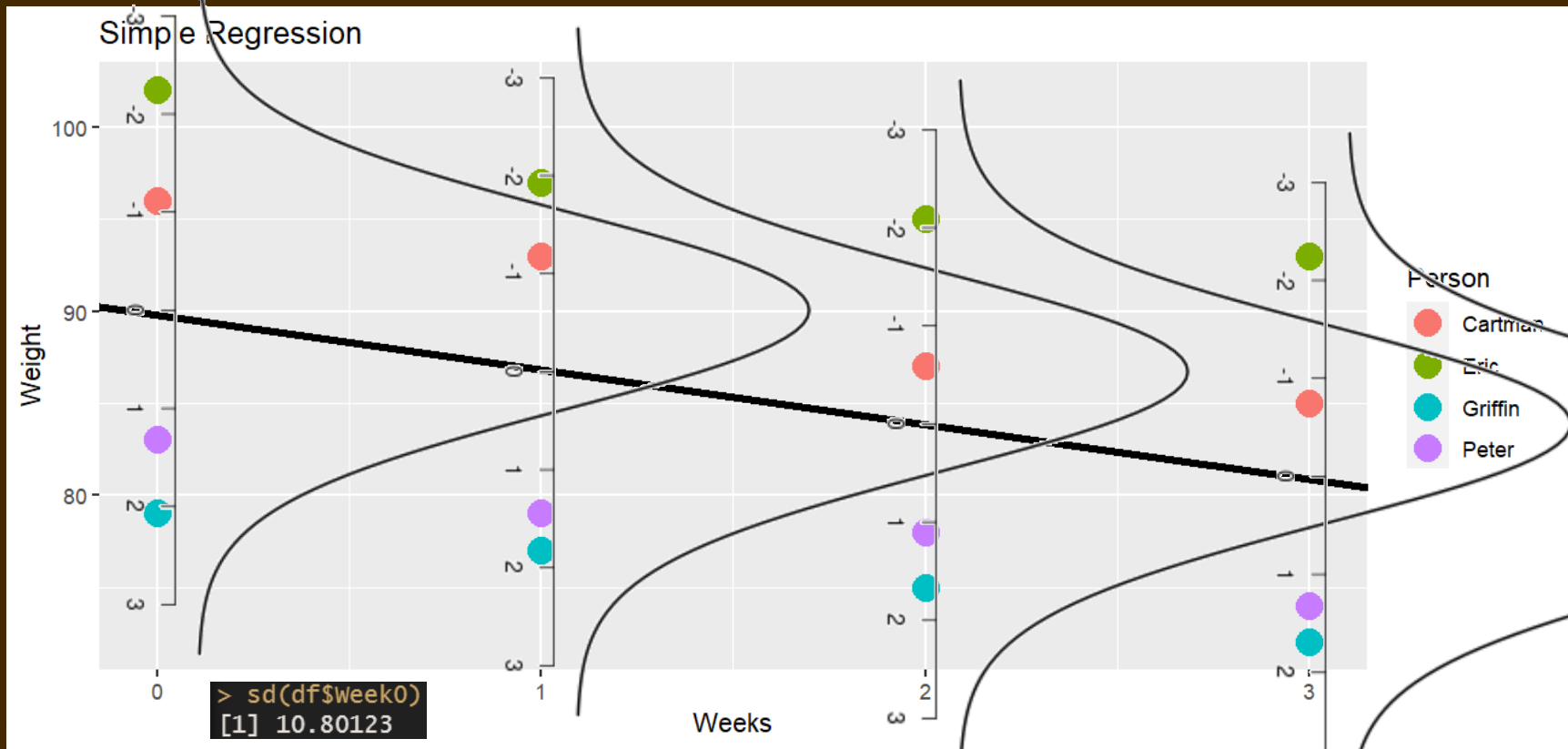
Residual standard error: 9.206 on 14 degrees of freedom  
Multiple R-squared: 0.1298, Adjusted R-squared: 0.06767  
F-statistic: 2.089 on 1 and 14 DF, p-value: 0.1704

```
library("ggplot2")
ggp <- ggplot(dfLong,aes(
  x=Weeks,
  y=Weight,
  group=Person))+geom_point(aes(color=Person), size=5)

dfLong.lm <- lm(Weight ~ Weeks, dfLong)
summary(dfLong.lm)
coeff<-coefficients(dfLong.lm)
intercept<-coeff[1]
slope<- coeff[2]
ggp = ggp + ggtitle("Simple Regression")
+ geom_abline(intercept = intercept, slope = slope, color="red", size=1.5)
```

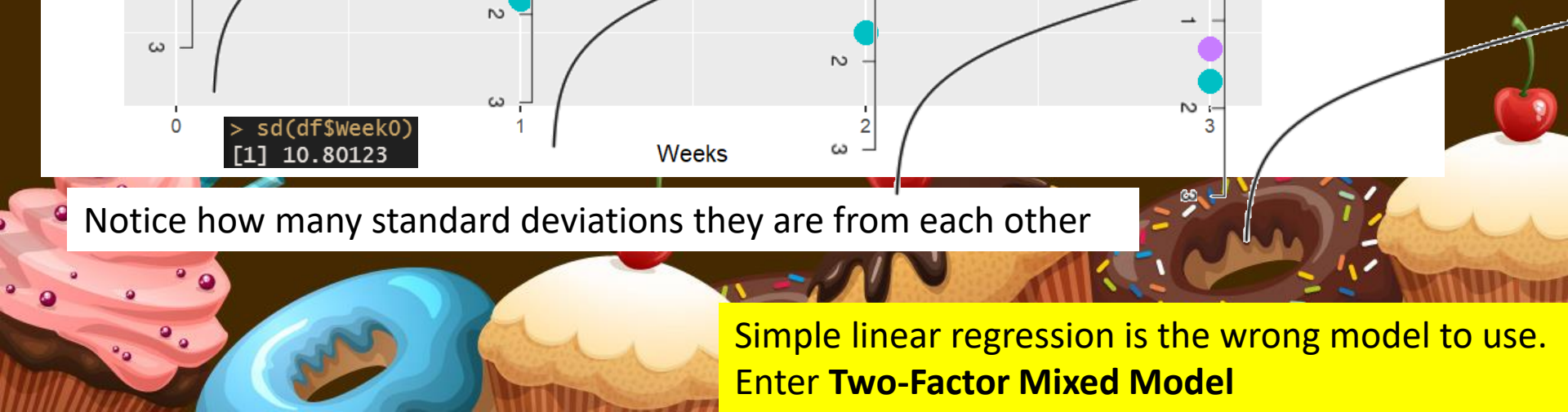


# Mistake is the 4 Person randomly selected had different weights



Notice how many standard deviations they are from each other

Simple linear regression is the wrong model to use.  
Enter **Two-Factor Mixed Model**





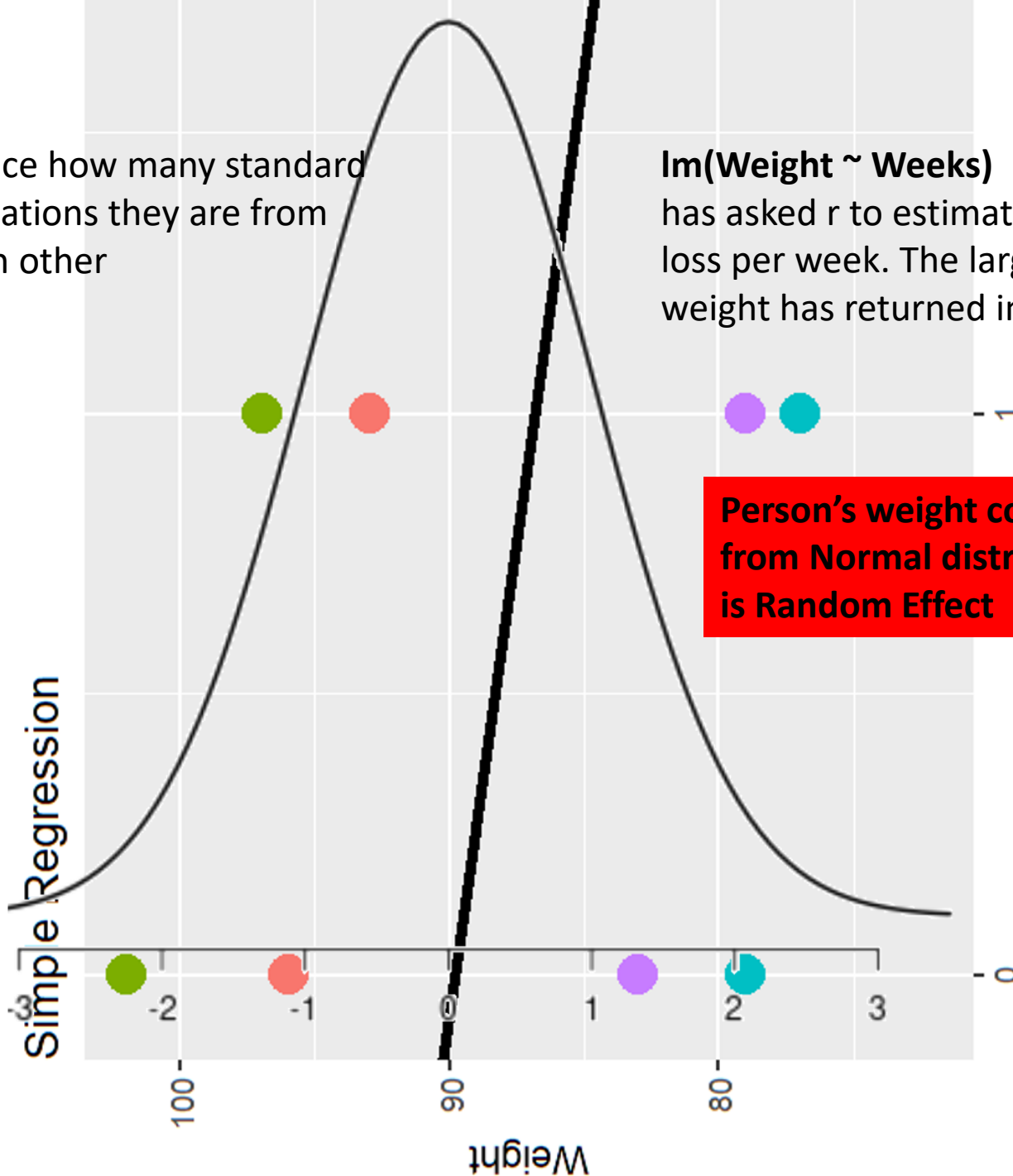
Weeks

$\text{lm}(\text{Weight} \sim \text{Weeks})$

has asked `r` to estimate the overall weight loss per week. The large variations in ALL weight has returned insignificant p-value.

Person's weight comes from Normal distribution is Random Effect

Simple Regression







Weeks

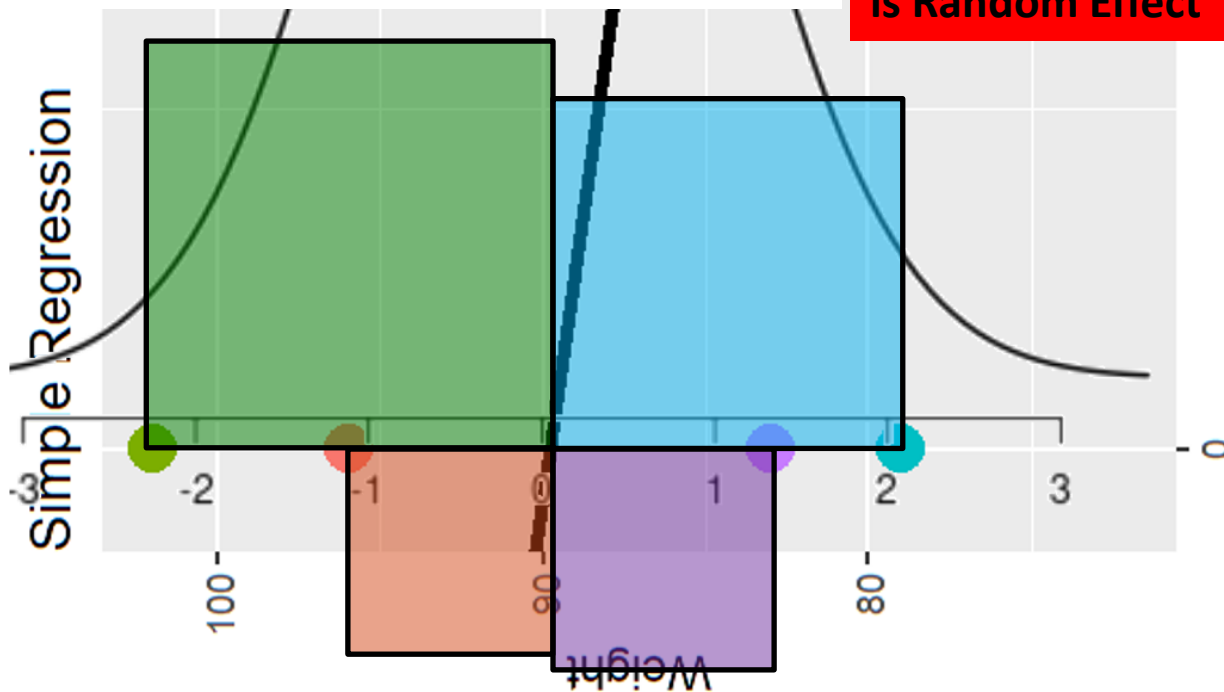
Notice how many standard deviations they are from each other

`lm(Weight ~ Weeks)`

has asked `r` to estimate the overall weight loss per week. The large variations in ALL weight has returned insignificant p-value.

Variance is (standard deviation)<sup>2</sup>  
Total area represents Sum of Squares Error at Week0

**Person's weight comes from Normal distribution is Random Effect**



**lm(Weight ~ Weeks)** has asked R to estimate the overall **weight** loss per **week**.

lm has estimated our population mean **weight** before diet to be 92.75kg  
with slope negative 2.975kg loss per **week** but is insignificant relative to variation in data

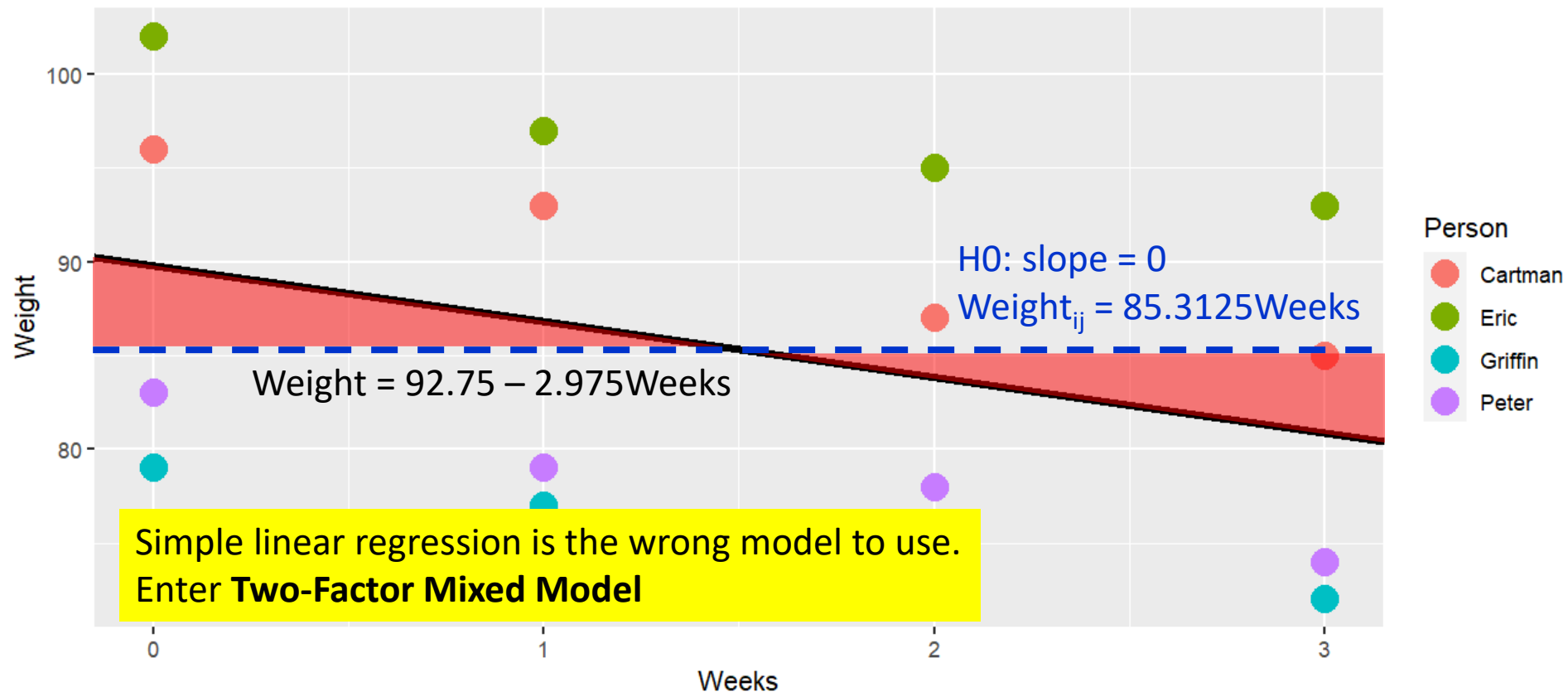
```
> mean(dfLong$Weight)
[1] 85.3125
```

It has a null hypothesis that our population mean **Weight** before diet to be 85.3125kg  
and the slope is zero. That is, any given **Weeks** has an estimated **Weight** of 85.3125kg for any **Person**

The large variations in ALL weight has returned insignificant p-value  $0.17 > \alpha$   
We conclude that nobody eating Cake747 is losing weight in McAllen, Texas



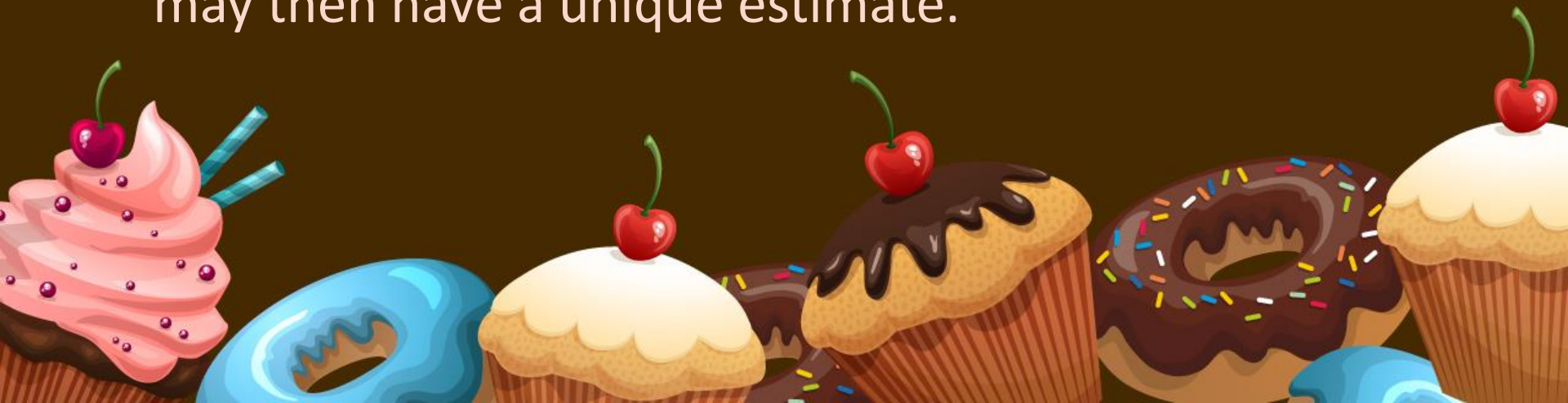
## Simple Regression





# Definitions

- Fixed effects represent things like the population mean that do not vary. These may represent the population parameters that we like to estimate in, for example, linear regression.
- Random effects represent parameters that can vary between groups of dependent data points. For example, if we do several measurements on the same individual, the mean of these measurements can represent one estimated parameter. Each individual may then have a unique estimate.



```
dfLong.lm <- lm(Weight ~ Weeks, dfLong)
```

```
library(lmerTest)
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=dfLong)
summary(lmer0)
ranef(lmer0)
```

**Weeks** is our fixed effect  
**Person** is our random effect  
**1** specifies to use random intercept for Person  
**ranef()** give random offset from fixed effect

```
ac <- 4.921144
ae <- 11.399612
ag <- -9.530824
ap <- -6.789933
```

```
ggp = ggp + geom_abline(intercept = intercept+ac, slope = slope, color="red", size=.5)
ggp = ggp + geom_abline(intercept = intercept+ae, slope = slope, color="green", size=.5)
ggp = ggp + geom_abline(intercept = intercept+ag, slope = slope, color="blue", size=.5)
ggp = ggp + geom_abline(intercept = intercept+ap, slope = slope, color="purple", size=.5)
```

```
> ranef(lmer0)
$Person
      (Intercept)
Cartman    4.921144
Eric      11.399612
Griffin   -9.530824
Peter     -6.789933
```

with conditional variances for "Person"

```
Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks + (1 | Person)
Data: dfLong
```

REML criterion at convergence: 66.2

Scaled residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-1.53483	-0.73032	-0.01984	0.67606	1.14606

Random effects:

Groups	Name	Variance	Std.Dev.
Person	(Intercept)	97.359	9.867
Residual		1.294	1.138

Number of obs: 16, groups: Person, 4

Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t )	
(Intercept)	92.7500	4.9825	3.1000	18.61	0.000277	***
Weeks	-2.9750	0.2544	11.0000	-11.69	1.52e-07	***
---						

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**Significant**

Correlation of Fixed Effects:

	(Intr)
Weeks	-0.128

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Description

Key Functions and Methods

Details

Author(s)

References

Examples

### Description

The lmerTest package provides p-values in type I, II or III `anova` and `summary` tables for linear mixed models (`lmer` model fits cf. lme4) via Satterthwaite's degrees of freedom method; a Kenward-Roger method is also available via the pbkrtest package. Model selection and assessment methods include `step`, `drop1`, anova-like tables for random effects (`ranova`), least-square means (LS-means; `ls_means`) and tests of linear contrasts of fixed effects (`contrast`).



$$\text{Weight}_i = a_i + b * \text{Weeks}$$

$$a_{\text{Eric}} = 92.75 + 11.40 = 104.1496$$

$$a_{\text{Cartman}} = 92.75 + 4.9211 = 97.67114$$

$$a_{\text{Peter}} = 92.75 - 6.80 = 85.96007$$

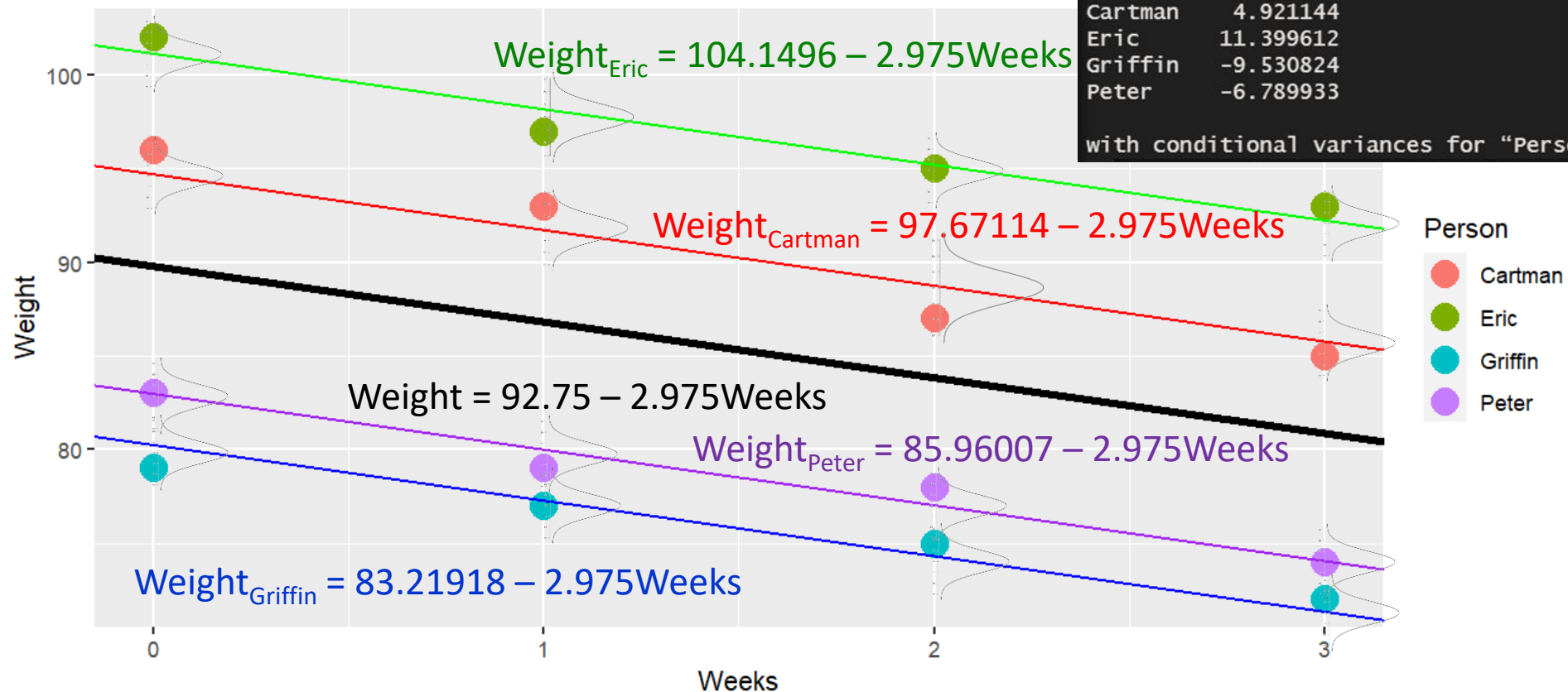
$$a_{\text{Griffin}} = 92.75 - 9.53 = 83.21918$$

Notice how small the variances are from their own lines  
The advantage is that the data points are now much closer to the lines, which will result in a much smaller standard error and therefore a smaller p-value.

Mixed Effect Model, Random intercept, Fixed slope

```
> ranef(lmer0)
$Person
      (Intercept)
Cartman    4.921144
Eric      11.399612
Griffin   -9.530824
Peter     -6.789933

with conditional variances for "Person"
```



Notice how small the variances are from their own lines  
Hence the drop in SE and huge drop in SSR

## SLR

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )	
(Intercept)	89.775	3.851	23.312	1.33e-12	***
Weeks	-2.975	2.058	-1.445	0.17	

```
> summary(aov(weight ~ weeks, df0))
```

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
Weeks	1	177	177.01	2.089	0.17
Residuals	14	1186	84.74		

## 2FMM

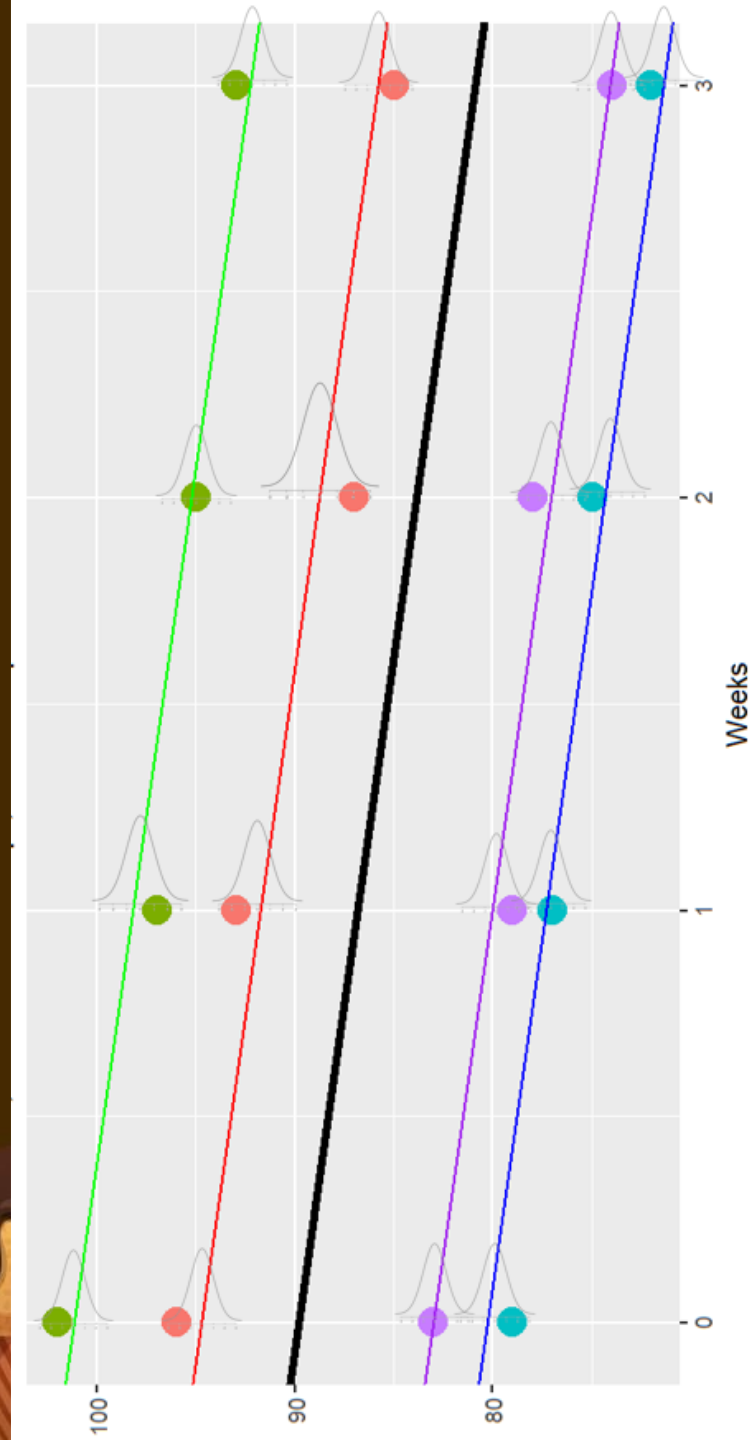
Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t )	
(Intercept)	89.7750	4.9564	3.0359	18.11	0.000342	***
Weeks	-2.9750	0.2544	11.0000	-11.69	1.52e-07	***

```
> sum(residuals(lmer0)^2)
[1] 14.25036
```

Don't know how to call SSR  
so manually calculated it

LIKE



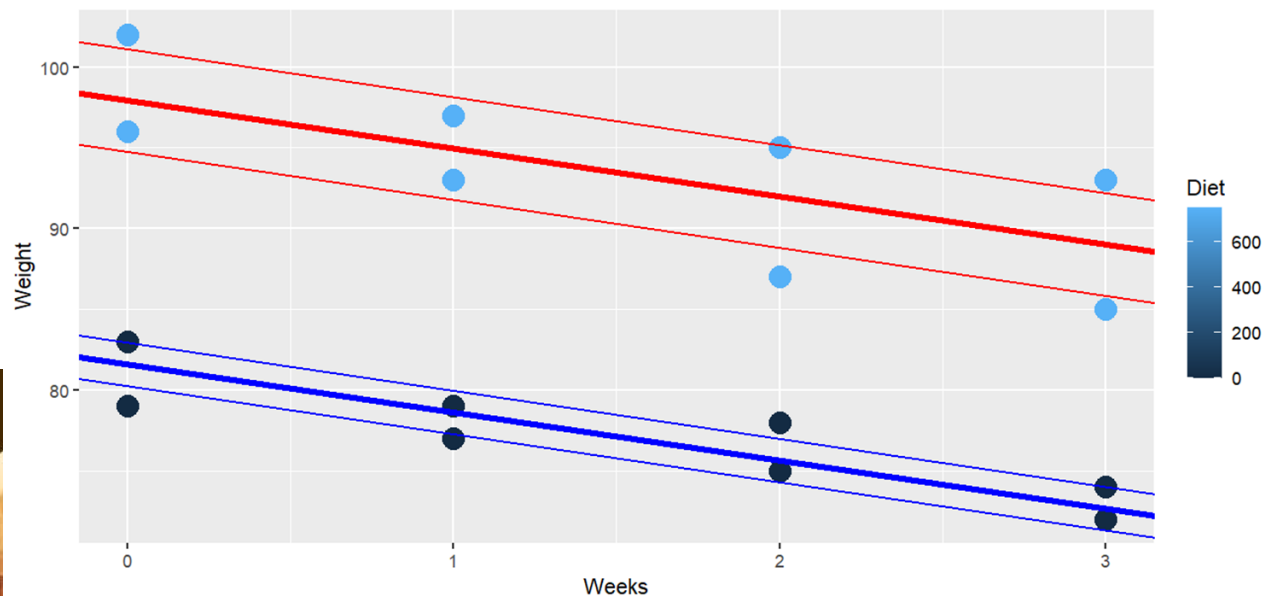


# Hypothesis testing



- $H_0: \mu_{\text{Cake0}} = \mu_{\text{Cake747}}$ 
  - Cake recipe 747 in diet does not cause weight loss compared to cake recipe 0
- $H_a: \mu_{\text{Cake0}} > \mu_{\text{Cake747}}$ 
  - Cake recipe 747 in diet causes significant weight loss compared to cake recipe 0

There was a different flatter slope all this time to force a higher **lm()** pvalue and be reused later in other tests. Can you already guess the answer? Shout it out!



# Random intercept & Random Slope

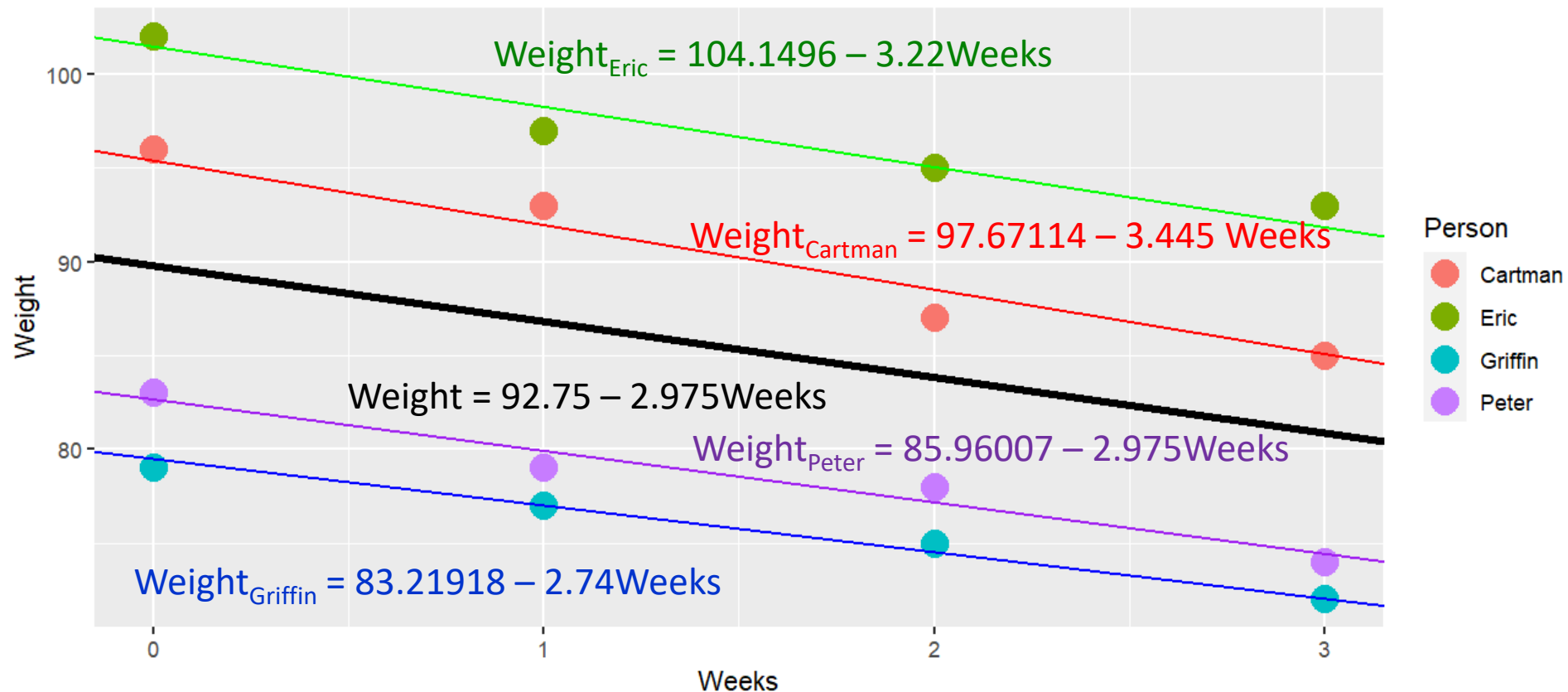


```
# random intercept, fixed slope
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=dfLong)
# random intercept, random slope
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=dfLong)
ranef(lmer1)
```

Person	(Intercept)	Weeks
Cartman	5.653001	-0.4702121
Eric	11.763864	-0.2462449
Griffin	-10.278128	0.4862867
Peter	-7.138737	0.2301703

with conditional variances for "Person"

Mixed Effect Model, Random intercept, Random slope



# “Weeks” P-Values so far



- Simple Linear Regression
  - ✓ 0.17
- Fixed Effect Weeks, Random Effect Person
  - Random Intercept, fixed Slope
    - ✓  $1.52e-07$
  - Random Intercept, Random Slope
    - ✓ 0.003013
- Multiple Linear Regression
  - Should not be used since it violate the assumption of independence.
  - the observations are not independent because we have four data points from the same person.



When should I use Mixed Model vs another Model?

# lmer will run with NA values



```
dfMissing <- dfLong
dfMissing[9,4] = NA
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=dfMissing)
summary(lmer0)
```

Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method  
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks + (1 | Person)

Data: dfMissing

REML criterion at convergence: 63.7

Scaled residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-1.47020	-0.75226	0.02032	0.61565	1.10688

Random effects:

Groups	Name	Variance	Std.Dev.
Person	(Intercept)	97.932	9.896
Residual		1.415	1.189

Number of obs: 15, groups: Person, 4

Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	92.7500	5.0013	3.1052	18.55	0.000277 ***
Weeks	-2.9675	0.2682	9.9989	-11.06	6.25e-07 ***

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Correlation of Fixed Effects:

	(Intr)
Weeks	-0.132

	Person	Diet	Weeks	Weight	id
1.1	Eric	747	1	102	1
2.1	Cartman	747	1	96	2
3.1	Peter	0	1	83	3
4.1	Griffin	0	1	79	4
1.2	Eric	747	2	97	1
2.2	Cartman	747	2	93	2
3.2	Peter	0	2	79	3
4.2	Griffin	0	2	77	4
1.3	Eric	747	3	NA	1
2.3	Cartman	747	3	87	2
3.3	Peter	0	3	78	3
4.3	Griffin	0	3	75	4
1.4	Eric	747	4	93	1
2.4	Cartman	747	4	85	2
3.4	Peter	0	4	74	3
4.4	Griffin	0	4	72	4

Repeated Measures ANOVA would have dropped Eric thus reducing statistical power

When should I use Mixed Model vs another Model?

# lmer will run binary outcomes



- that is, dependent variable (Weight) was instead a binary count such as Heads in a coin flipping experiment
- **ANOVA assumes dependent variable is continuous.**



When should I use Mixed Model vs another Model?



# Repeated Measures ANOVA

requires measures to be categorical



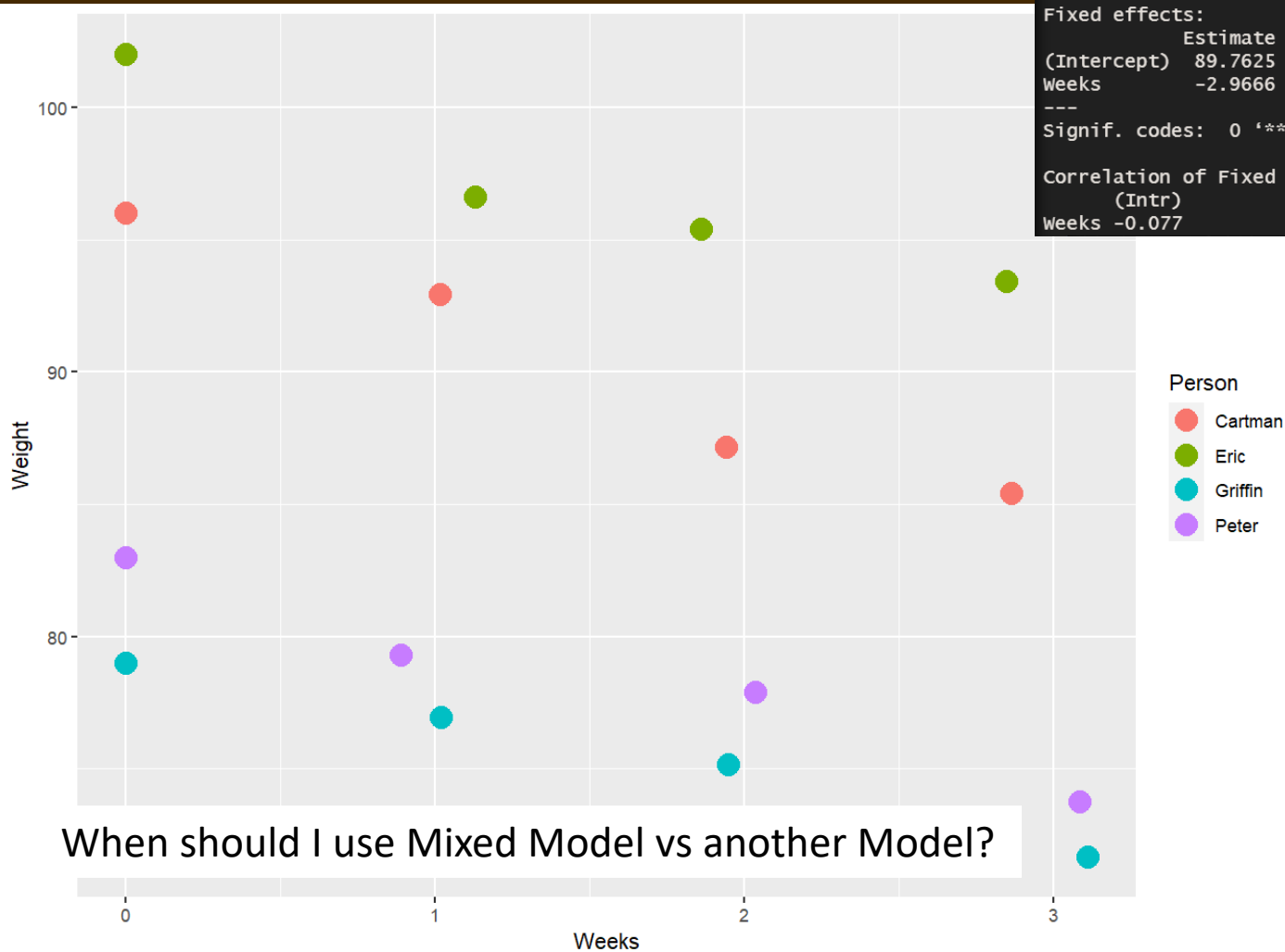
- That is, Weight measurements need to be on  $\text{Week}_0, \text{Week}_1, \dots, \text{Week}_n$
- lmer will run using data where Weight is measured at any  $\text{Week}_R$  such as  $\text{Week}_0, \text{Week}_{1.618}, \text{Week}_{2.718}, \text{Week}_{3.14}$ 
  - More flexibility in taking measurements
  - Simple Linear Regression will also run any real x-axis



When should I use Mixed Model vs another Model?



# Imer can use any real x-axis



Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method  
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks + (1 | Person)  
Data: dfAnyReal

REML criterion at convergence: 66.2

Scaled residuals:  
Min 1Q Median 3Q Max  
-1.53850 -0.73703 -0.02012 0.67110 1.15688

Random effects:  
Groups Name Variance Std.Dev.  
Person (Intercept) 97.364 9.867  
Residual 1.294 1.138  
Number of obs: 16, groups: Person, 4

Fixed effects:  
Estimate Std. Error df t value Pr(>|t|)  
(Intercept) 89.7625 4.9566 3.0359 18.11 0.000342 \*\*\*  
Weeks -2.9666 0.2573 11.0000 -11.53 1.75e-07 \*\*\*  
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Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Correlation of Fixed Effects:

(Intr)  
Weeks -0.077

Weeks	Person	Diet	Weight
0.0000000	Eric	747	102.00000
0.0000000	Cartman	747	96.00000
0.0000000	Peter	0	83.00000
0.0000000	Griffin	0	79.00000
0.8910867	Peter	0	79.32402
1.0180665	Cartman	747	92.94625
1.0217975	Griffin	0	76.93515
1.1306092	Eric	747	96.61144
1.8629605	Eric	747	95.40769
1.9415453	Cartman	747	87.17390
1.9482054	Griffin	0	75.15409
2.0364102	Peter	0	77.89168
2.8480295	Eric	747	93.45211
2.8639079	Cartman	747	85.40487
3.0841013	Peter	0	73.74980
3.1122404	Griffin	0	71.66608



# Simple Linear Regression will also run any real x-axis

```
> summary(lm(weight ~ Weeks, dfAnyReal))

Call:
lm(formula = weight ~ Weeks, data = dfAnyReal)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-10.577  -7.991  -1.323   7.389  12.423

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)   89.577     3.253   27.536  <2e-16 ***
Weeks         -2.876     1.660   -1.733   0.0949 .
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 8.819 on 26 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.1036,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.06908
F-statistic: 3.003 on 1 and 26 DF,  p-value: 0.09493

> summary(aov(weight ~ Weeks, dfAnyReal))

              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
Weeks           1  233.6    233.62   3.003  0.0949 .
Residuals      26 2022.3     77.78
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```



# If we only have two Weight measurements per Person



- the linear mixed-effects model with random intercepts will result in the exact same p-value as the repeated measure ANOVA and the paired t-test but only if the repeated measurements have a positive correlation

When should I use Mixed Model vs another Model?



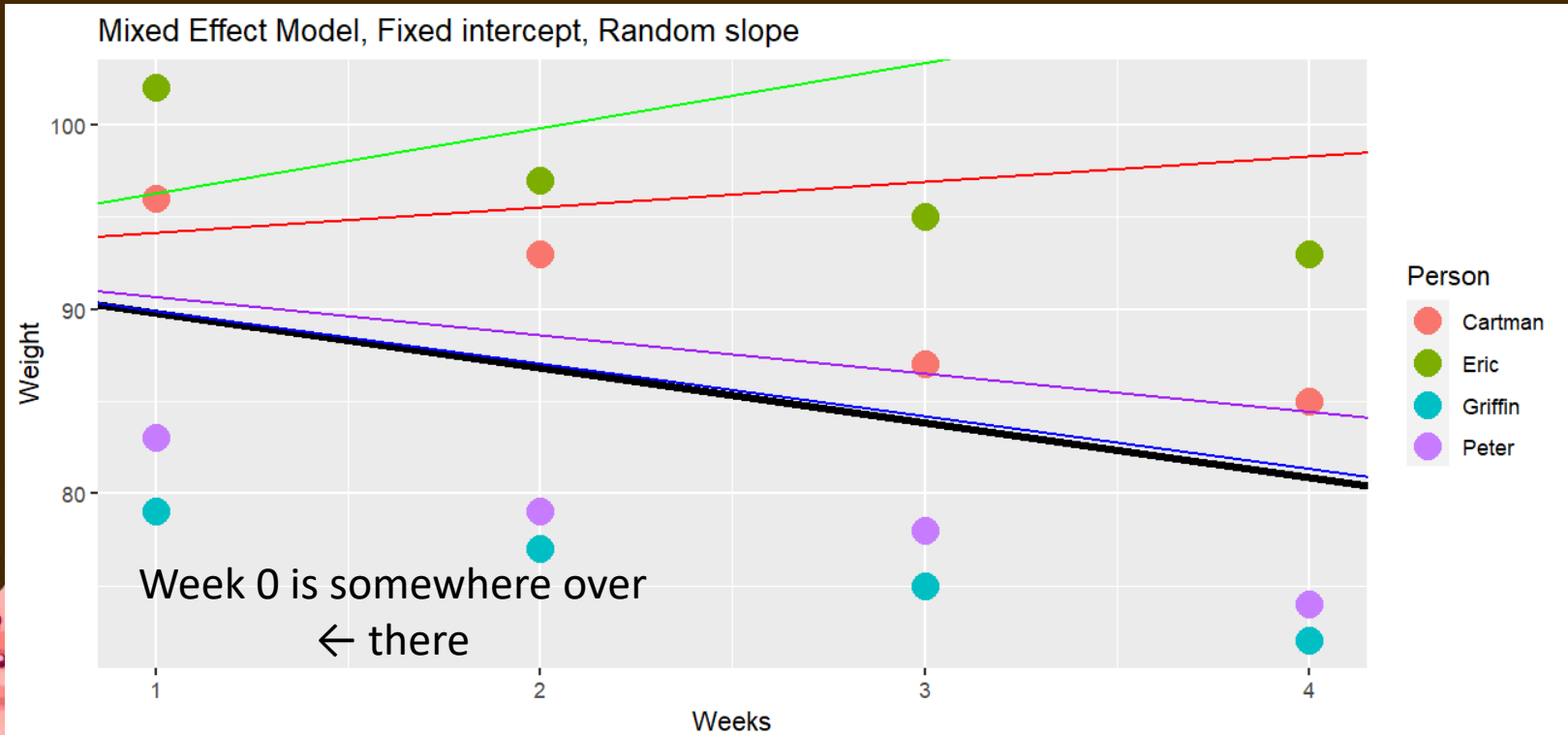
# Random Slope only



Reshape started Weeks at 1

```
# random intercept, fixed slope
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=dfLong)
# random intercept, random slope slope
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=dfLong)
# fixed intercept, random slope
lmer2 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(0+Weeks|Person), data=dfLong)
```

```
dfLong <- reshape(df, varying = c("Week0", "Week1", "Week2", "Week3"),
  v.names = "Weight",
  direction = "long",
  timevar = "Weeks")
# fixes reshape starting at 1
library(dplyr)
df0 <- dfLong %>% mutate(across(Weeks, ~ . - 1))
```



Back to how to use lmer



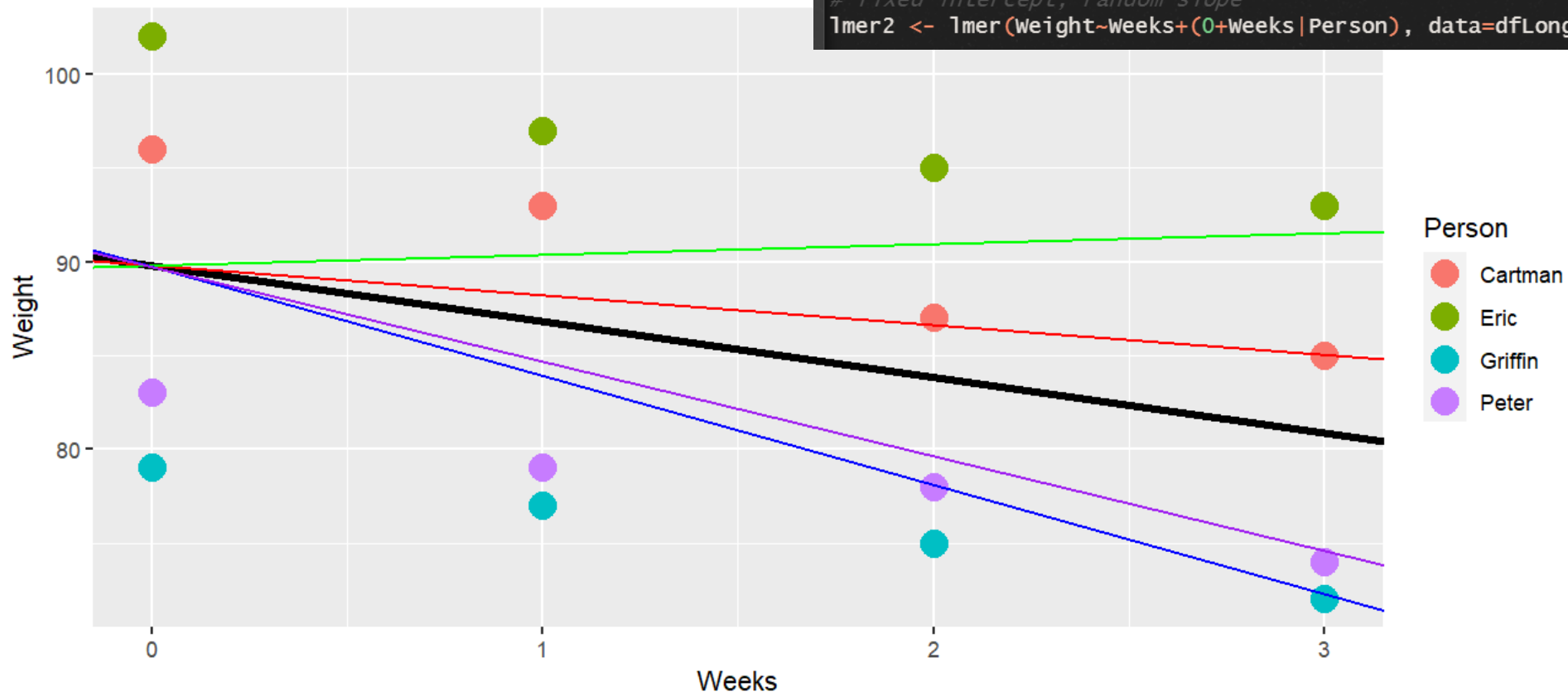
# Random Slope, Fixed intercept



- This looks wrong
- Transform our data to use Fixed Intercept, Random Slope

```
# random intercept, fixed slope  
lmer0 <- lmer(weight~weeks+(1|Person), data=dfLong)  
# random intercept, random slope  
lmer1 <- lmer(weight~weeks+(1+weeks|Person), data=dfLong)  
# fixed intercept, random slope  
lmer2 <- lmer(weight~weeks+(0+weeks|Person), data=dfLong)
```

Mixed Effect Model, Fixed intercept, Random slope



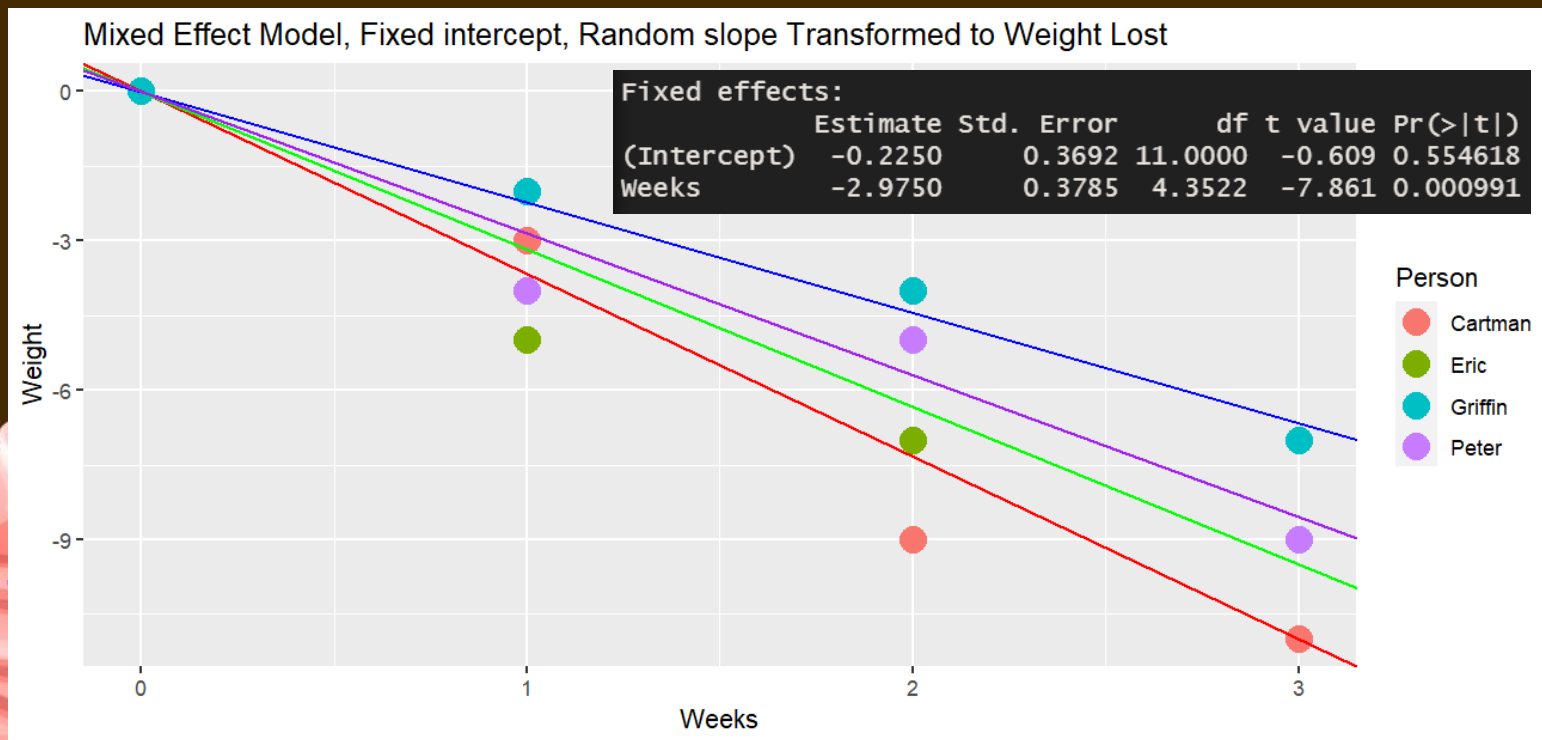


# Random Slope, Fixed intercept

```
weightLoss <- df
for(r in 1:4){
  for(c in 6:3) {
    weightLoss[r, c] = weightLoss[r, c] - weightLoss[r,3]
  }
}
```

Get difference from right to left is most efficient

	Person	Diet	Week0	Week1	Week2	Week3
1	Eric	747	0	-5	-7	-9
2	Cartman	747	0	-3	-9	-11
3	Peter	0	0	-4	-5	-9
4	Griffin	0	0	-2	-4	-7





# Random Slope Fixed intercept



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Running SLR on Weight Loss  
would have worked from the start

```
> weightLoss.lm <- lm(Weight ~ Weeks, weightLossLong0)
> summary(weightLoss.lm)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = Weight ~ Weeks, data = weightLossLong0)
```

Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-2.8250	-0.8063	0.2125	0.4625	2.1750

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	-0.2250	0.5961	-0.377	0.711
Weeks	-2.9750	0.3186	-9.337	2.17e-07 ***

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

Residual standard error: 1.425 on 14 degrees of freedom  
Multiple R-squared: 0.8616, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8518  
F-statistic: 87.18 on 1 and 14 DF, p-value: 2.169e-07

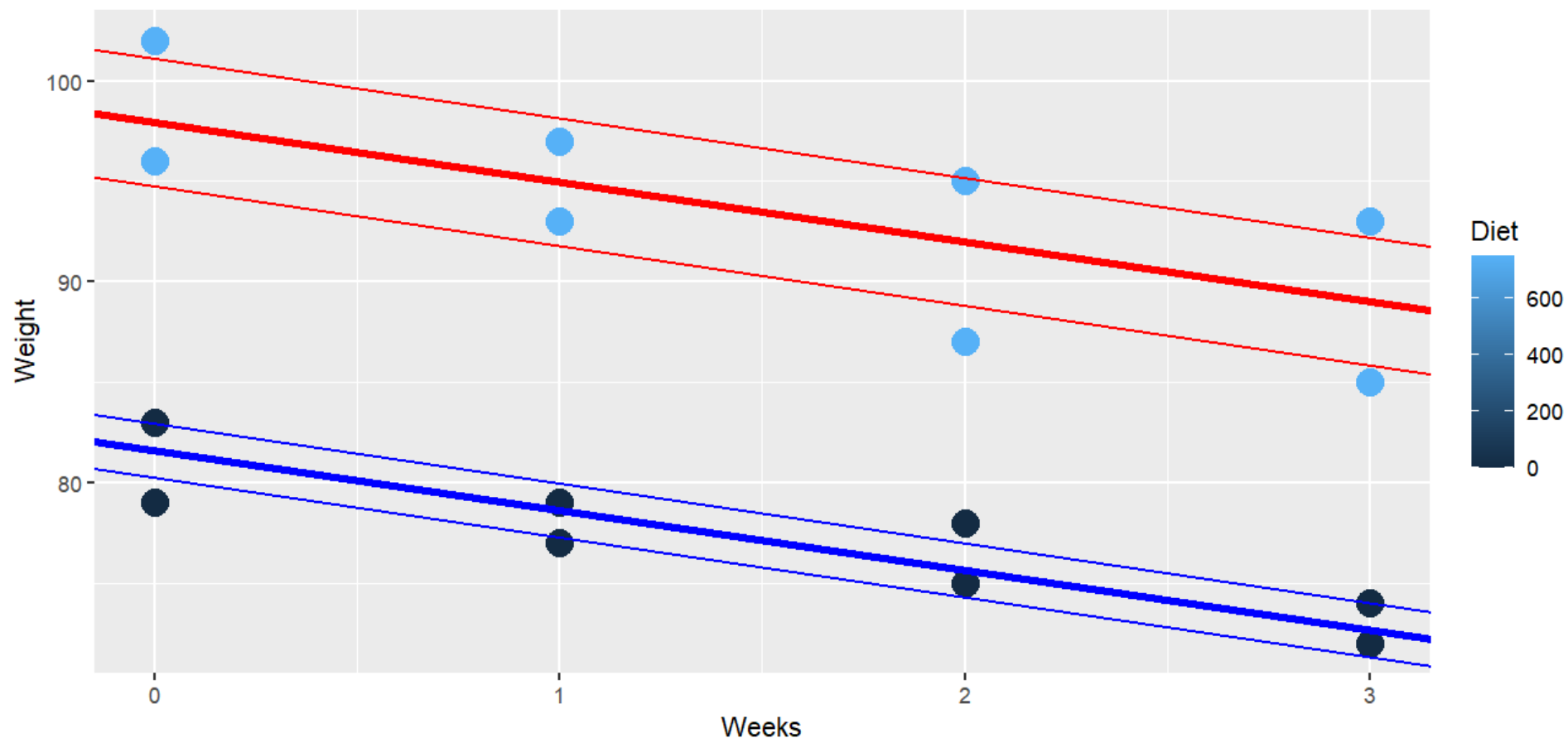




# Random intercept + Diet

```
# random intercept, fixed slope  
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=df0)  
# random intercept, random slope  
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=df0)  
# fixed intercept, random slope  
lmer2 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(0+Weeks|Person), data=df0)  
# random intercept + Diet, fixed slope  
lmer4 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+Diet+(1|Person), data=df0)
```

Random Effect is thin line from  
Thick Fixed Effect line

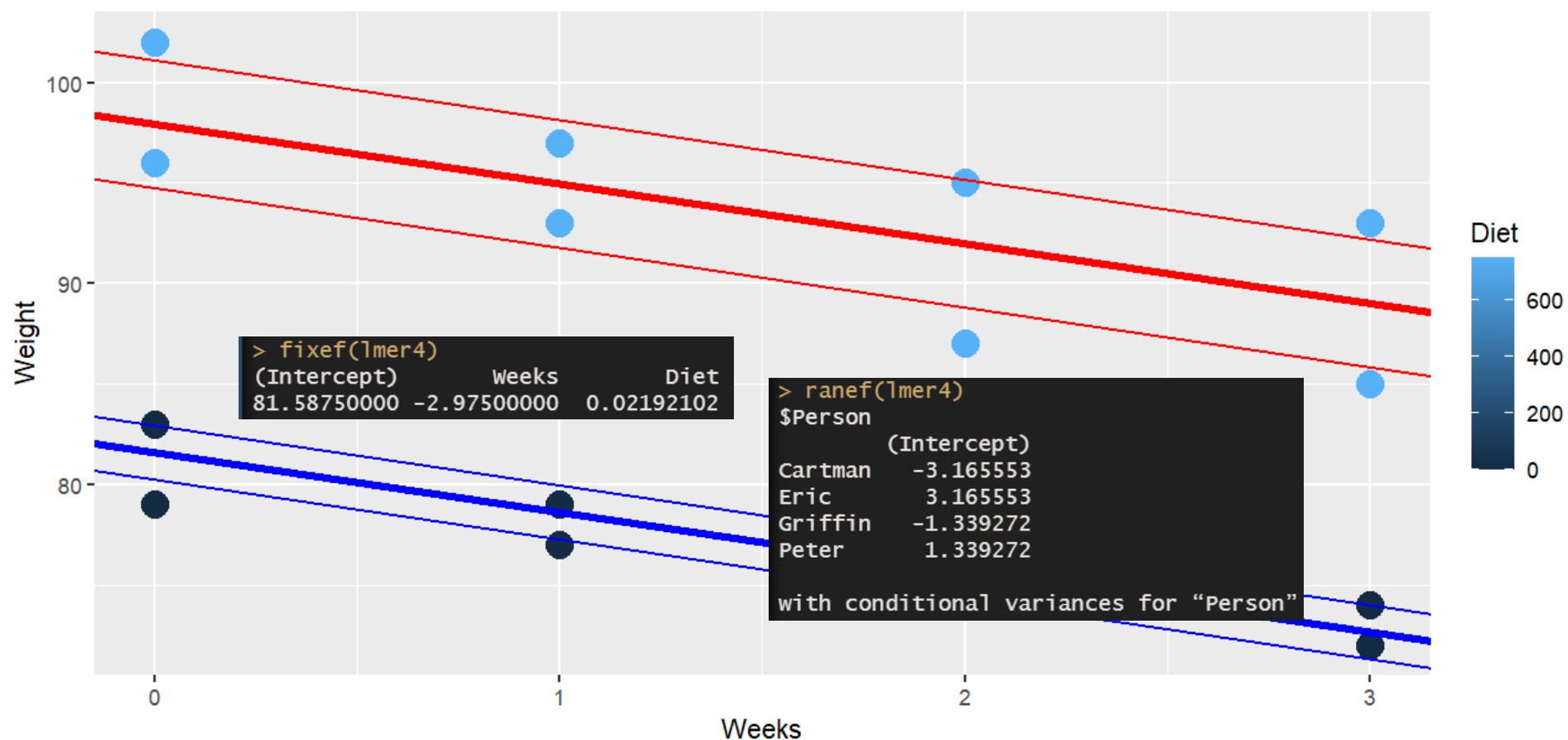




# Random intercept + Diet

```
# random intercept, fixed slope
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept, random slope
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# fixed intercept, random slope
lmer2 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(0+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept + Diet, fixed slope
lmer4 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+Diet+(1|Person), data=df0)
```

Random Effect is thin line from  
Thick Fixed Effect line



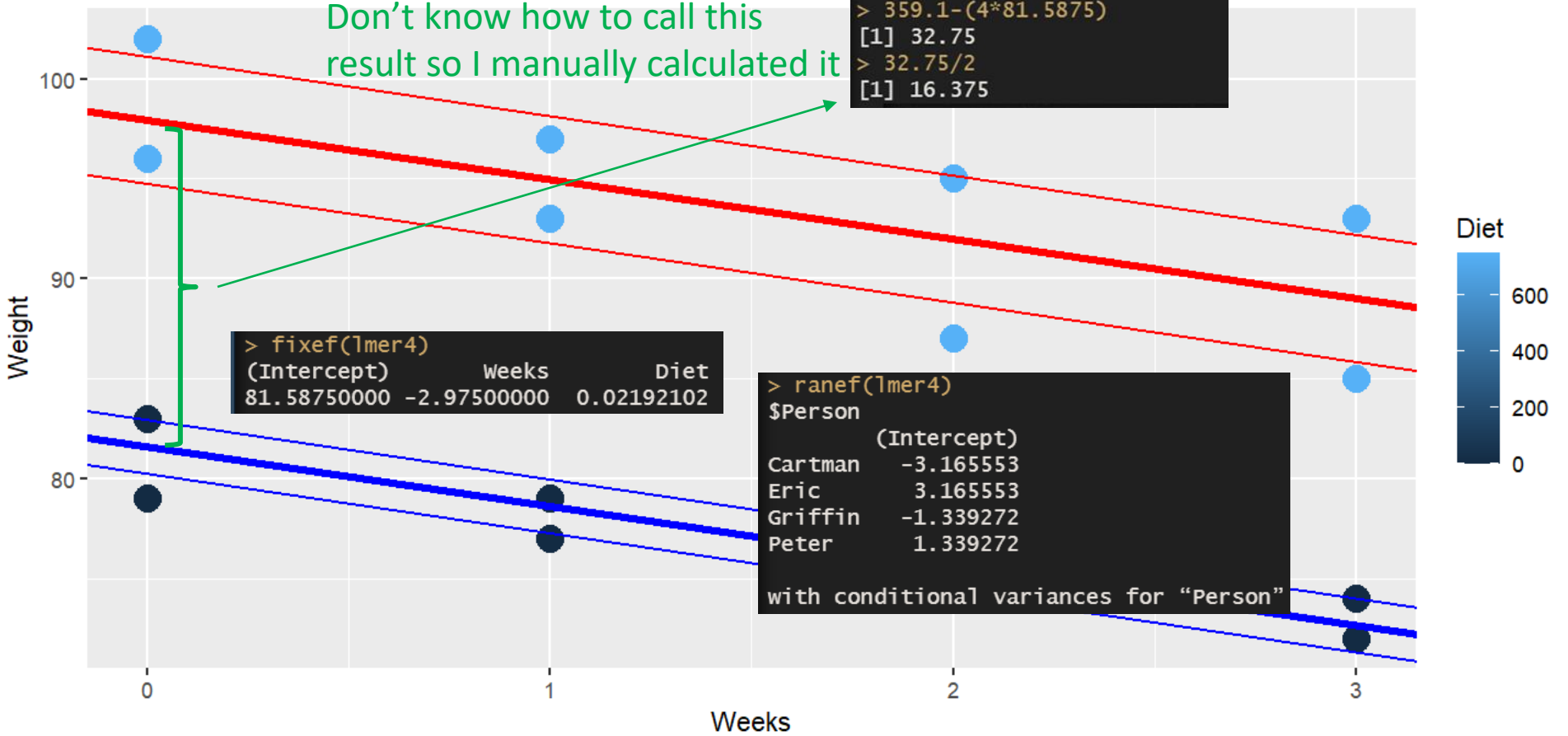


# Random intercept + Diet

```
# random intercept, fixed slope
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept, random slope
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# fixed intercept, random slope
lmer2 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(0+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept + Diet, fixed slope
lmer4 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+Diet+(1|Person), data=df0)
```

```
> coef(lmer0)$Person[1]
(Intercept)
Cartman    94.69614
Eric      101.17461
Griffin    80.24418
Peter      82.98507
> sum(coef(lmer0)$Person[1])
[1] 359.1
> 359.1-(4*81.5875)
[1] 32.75
> 32.75/2
[1] 16.375
```

Don't know how to call this result so I manually calculated it





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```

```
> summary(lmer4)
Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method ['lmerModLmerTest']
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks + Diet + (1 | Person)
Data: df0

REML criterion at convergence: 67.9

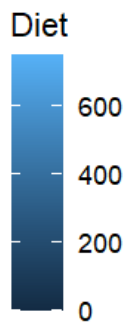
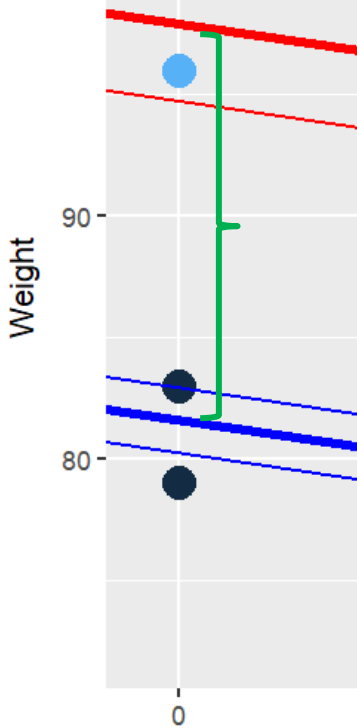
Scaled residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.6234 -0.7840  0.0314  0.7170  1.0575

Random effects:
 Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
Person   (Intercept) 12.130   3.483
Residual              1.294   1.138
Number of obs: 16, groups: Person, 4

Fixed effects:
              Estimate Std. Error    df t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)  81.587500   2.524316  2.094427   32.32 0.000733 ***
Weeks        -2.975000   0.254393 11.000000  -11.69 1.52e-07 ***
Diet          0.021921   0.004724  2.000000    4.64 0.043439 *
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Correlation of Fixed Effects:
      (Intr) Weeks
Weeks -0.151
Diet  -0.699 0.000
```

p-value tells us Person eating Cake747 have a significantly higher initial weight than Person on Cake0 diet





# Is there a significant difference in the Weight loss per Week between the two Diets?

```
# random intercept, fixed slope
lmer0 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept, random slope slope
lmer1 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(1+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# fixed intercept, random slope
lmer2 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+(0+Weeks|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept + Diet, fixed slope
lmer4 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks+Diet+(1|Person), data=df0)
# random intercept * Diet interaction, fixed slope
lmer5 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks*Diet+(1|Person), data=df0)
```

**Weeks\*Diet** interaction now allow Diet747 to have different slope from Diet0







# Weeks \* Diet interaction

Diet0 has slope of -2.55  
Diet747 has slope  $-2.55 - 0.707 = -3.257$   
p-value of the interaction is not significant. We conclude that the slopes of Diet747 and Diet0 are not significantly different

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Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks + Diet + (1 | Person)
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Correlation of Fixed Effects:
      (Intr) Weeks
Weeks -0.151
Diet  -0.699 0.000
```

```
> summary(lmer5)
Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method
Formula: Weight ~ Weeks * Diet + (1 | Person)
Data: df0

REML criterion at convergence: 77.7

Scaled residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.57097 -0.59631  0.03153  0.59333  1.37695

Random effects:
 Groups   Name      Variance Std.Dev.
 Person  (Intercept) 12.188   3.491
 Residual                1.062   1.031
Number of obs: 16, groups: Person, 4

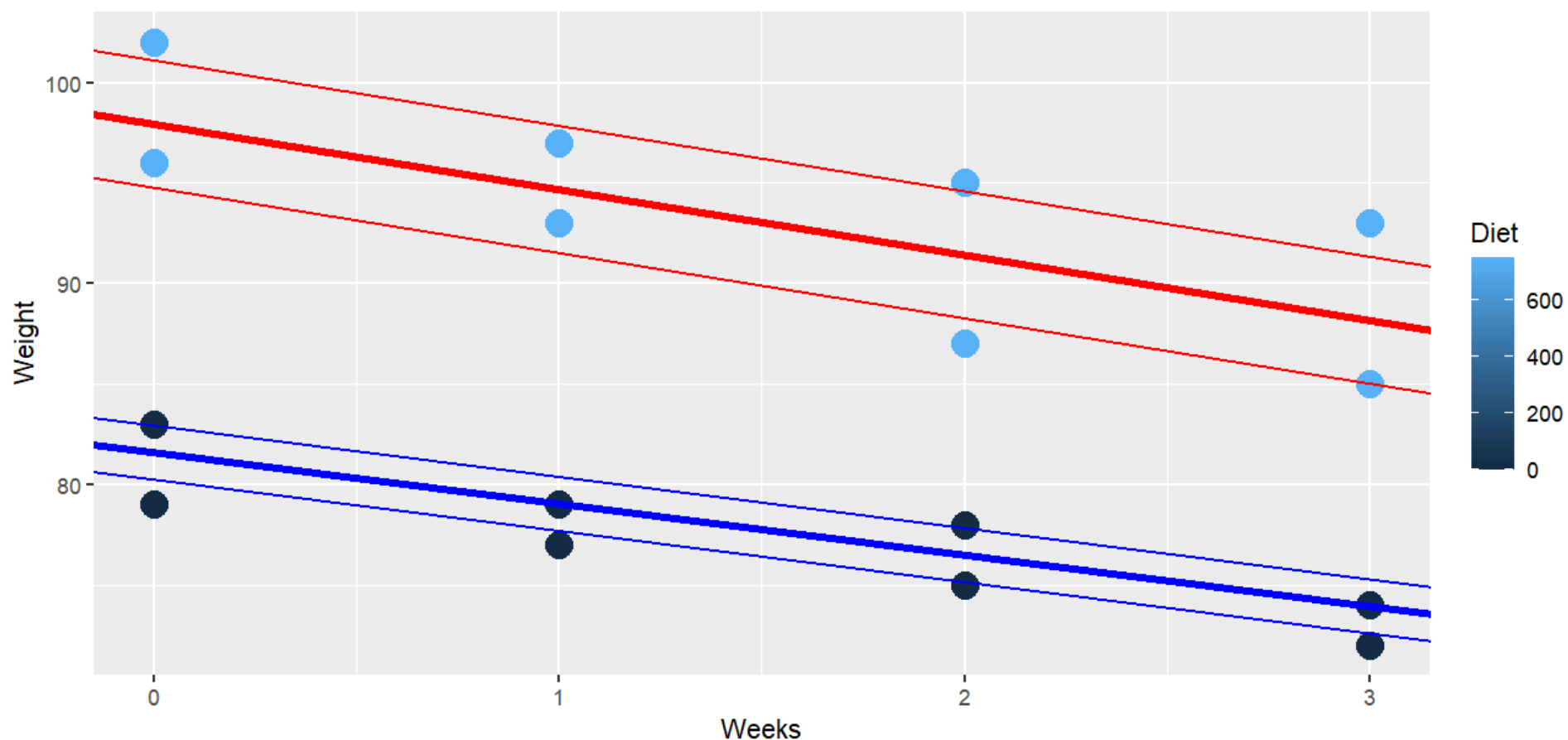
Fixed effects:
              Estimate Std. Error      df t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 80.9500000    2.5427594    2.1558884   31.835 0.000638 ***
Weeks       -2.5500000    0.3259601   10.0000000   -7.823 1.43e-05 ***
Diet        0.0236278    0.0048139    2.1558884    4.908 0.033556 *
Weeks:Diet  -0.0011379    0.0006171   10.0000000   -1.844 0.094989 .
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Correlation of Fixed Effects:
      (Intr) Weeks  Diet
Weeks   -0.192
Diet    -0.707  0.136
Weeks:Diet 0.136 -0.707 -0.192
```

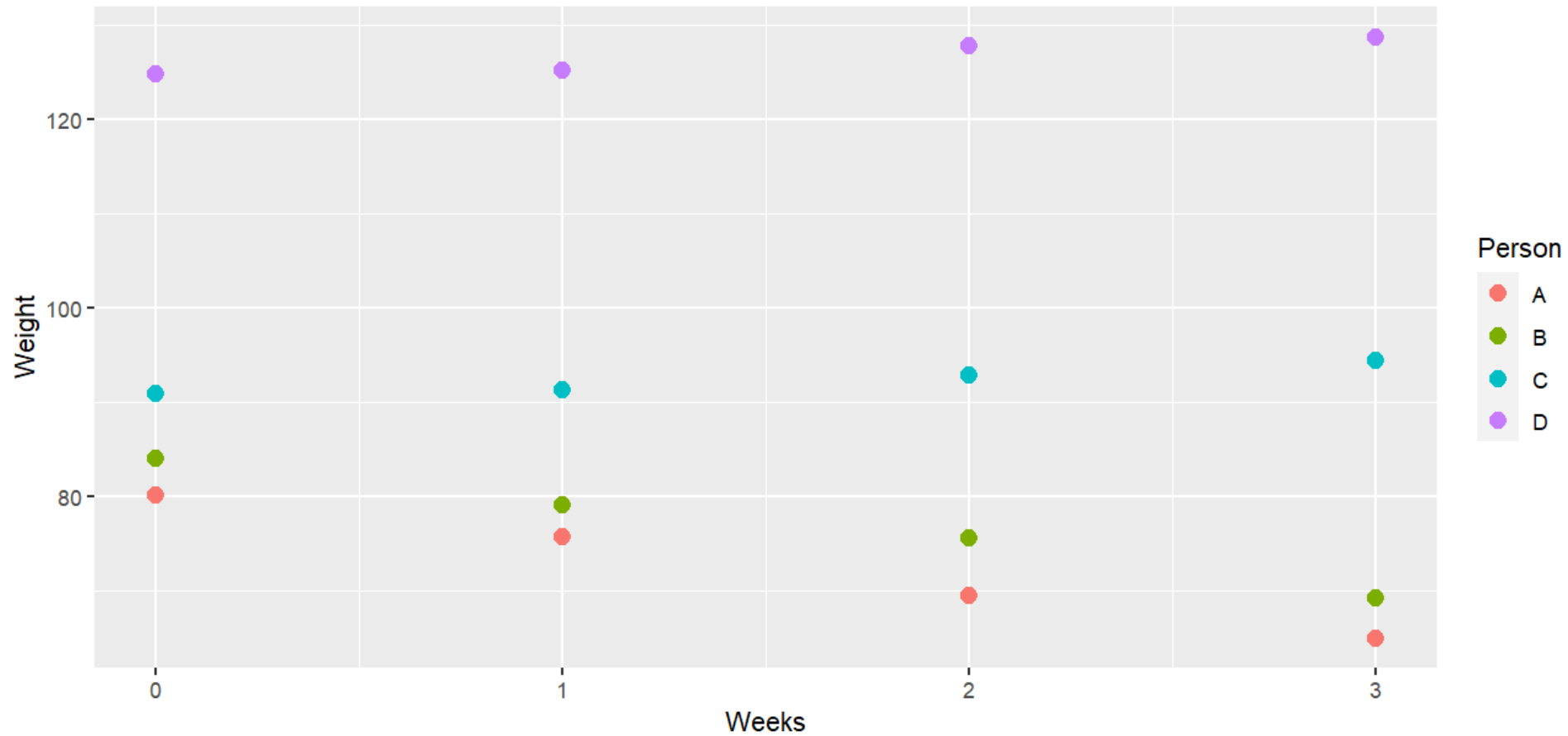


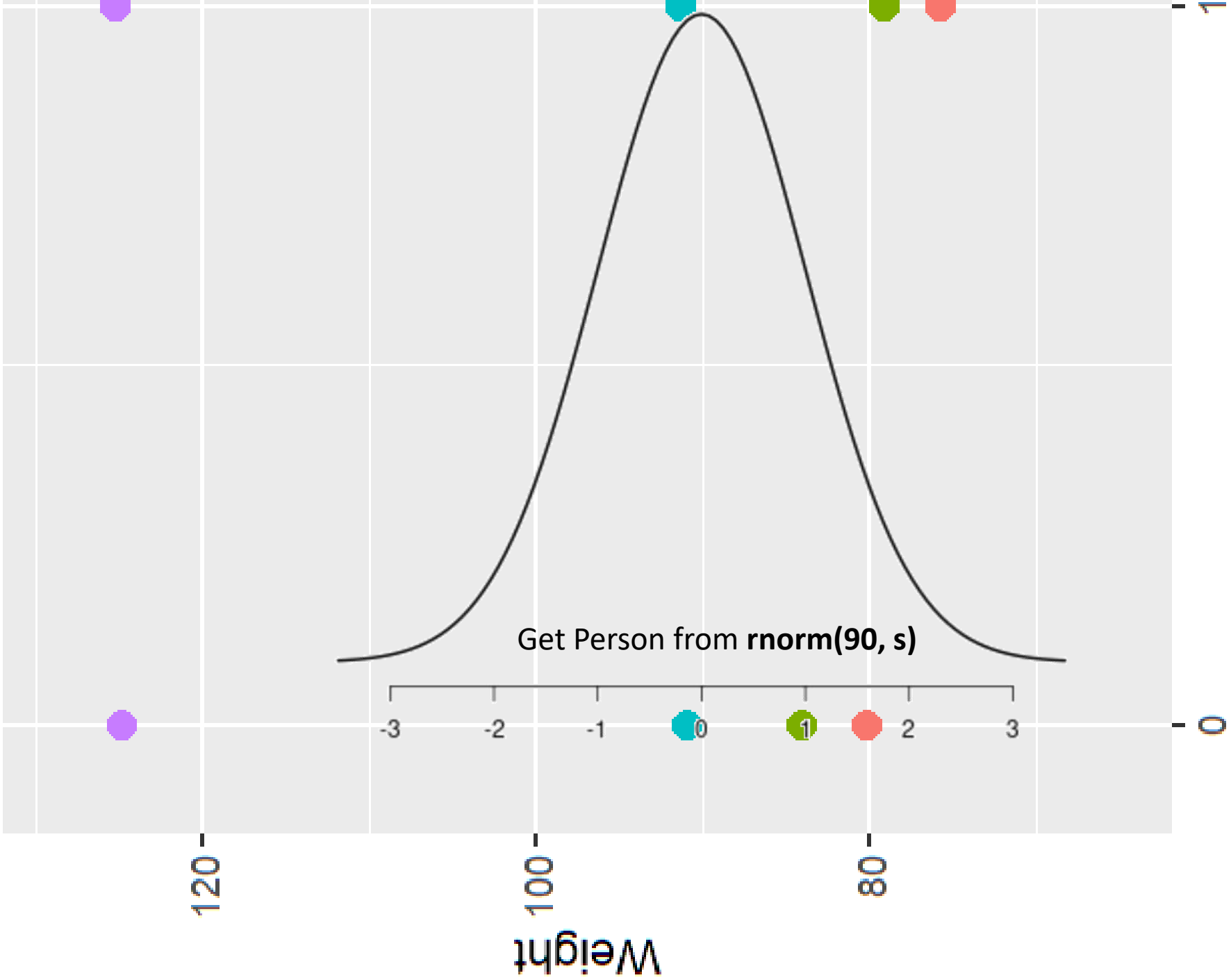
# Weeks\*<sup>\*</sup>Diet interaction

There is no significant difference between average weight loss for Person on Diet with Cake747 and Person on Diet with Cake0  
Let's look at a case where there is a significant difference.



# Generate Synthetic Data



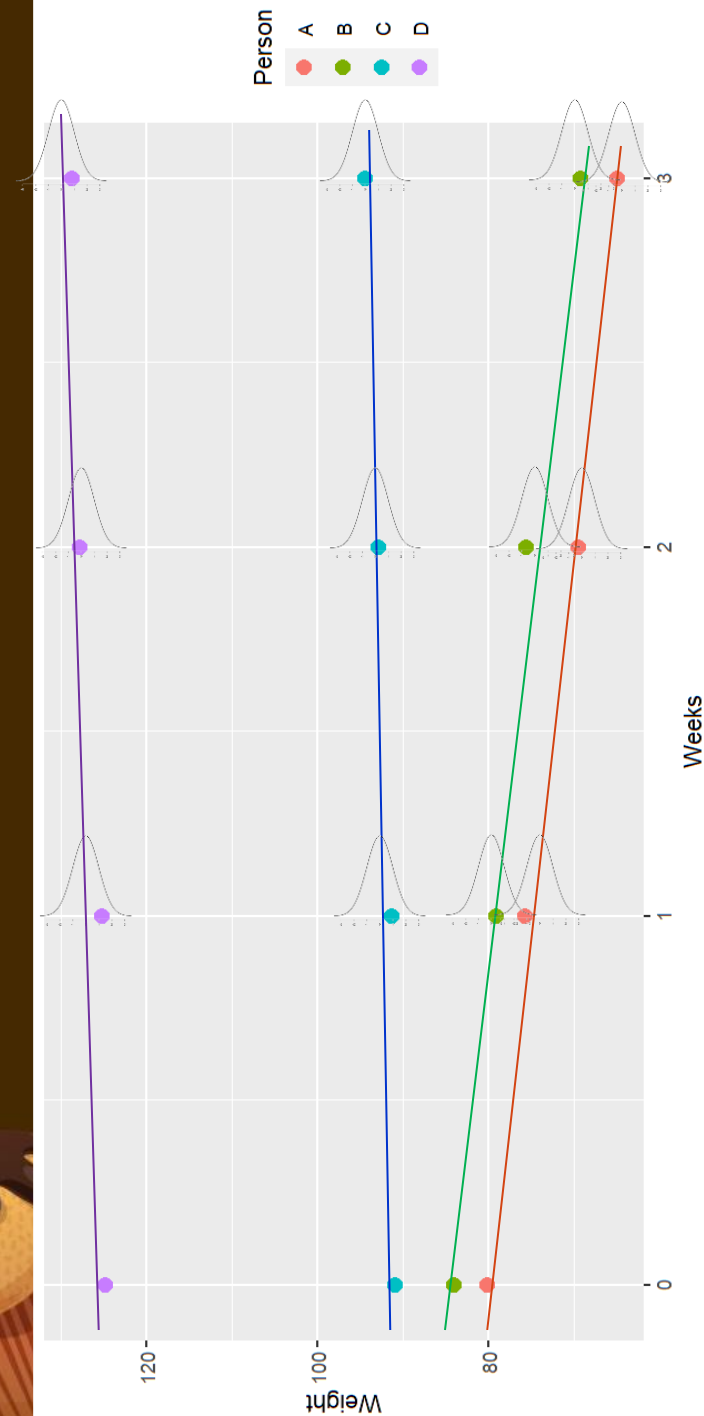


Get  $\text{Person}_i$  from  $\text{rnorm}(90, s)$

Calculate predicted  $\text{Weight}_{i,j}$  at  $\text{Week}_j$

Add Gaussian noise to knock predicted weight  
randomly off its line

$\text{Weight}_{i,j} + \text{rnorm}(0, s')$



Person{C, D} given Cake0 was generated with flat slope.

Person{A,B} given Cake747 was generated with -5 slope (Weeks)

`rnorm(mean=90, sd=15)` was used, which SLR got wrong due to  $15^2$  variation but 2FMM predicted correctly because our two Cake0 happens to be generated next to mean. 2FMM averages Weight of Week0 within each Diet group

We expect simple linear regression (on left) to be insignificant due to high variance  $15^2$  kg

We expect Two-Factor Mixed Model (on right) to have significant Weeks:Diet interaction

If you've understood this slide, you've understood the entire presentation

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	97.791	3.203	30.527	3.28e-14 ***
Weeks	-2.753	1.712	-1.608	0.13

```
synth0.lm <- lm(Weight ~ Weeks, synth0)
summary(synth0.lm)
```

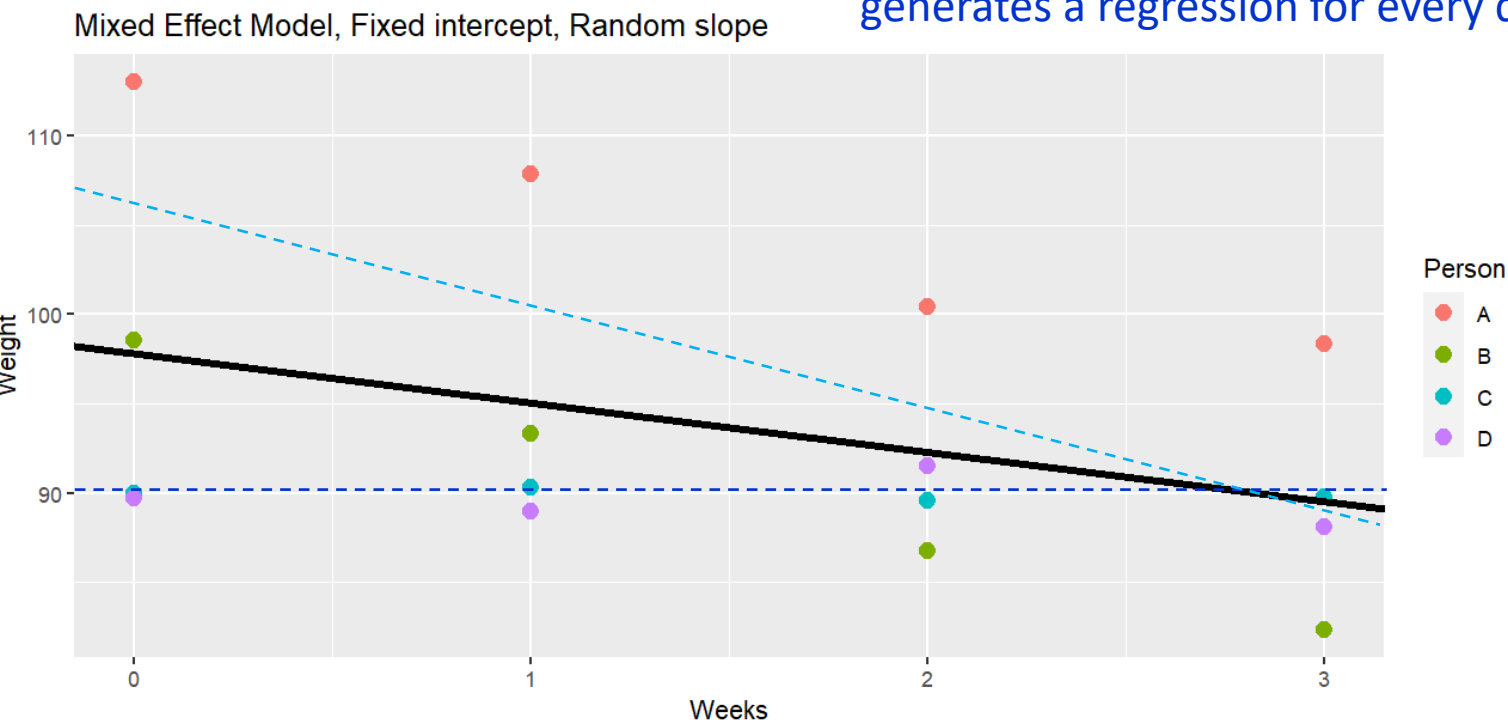
generates an overall regression

Fixed effects:

	Estimate	Std. Error	df	t value	Pr(> t )
(Intercept)	90.0146054	5.2137050	2.0427617	17.265	0.00304 **
Weeks	-0.1799600	0.3567269	10.0000000	-0.504	0.62486
Diet	0.0208194	0.0098705	2.0427617	2.109	0.16674
Weeks:Diet	-0.0068881	0.0006754	10.0000000	-10.199	1.33e-06 ***

```
lmer5 <- lmer(Weight~Weeks*Diet+(1|Person), data=synth0)
summary(lmer5)
```

generates a regression for every diet





# Questions?



```
synthetic <- data.frame(  
  Person = LETTERS[1:4],  
  Diet = rep(c(747, 0), each=2),  
  week0 = rnorm(4, mean=90, sd=15),  
  week1 = rep(0, 4),  
  week2 = rep(0, 4),  
  week3 = rep(0, 4)  
)  
  
# Cake747  
b1 <- -5  
sd1 <- 1  
for(i in 1:2) {  
  a <- synthetic$Week0[i]+b1+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd1)  
  b <- synthetic$Week0[i]+(2*b1)+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd1)  
  c <- synthetic$Week0[i]+(3*b1)+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd1)  
  synthetic$Week1[i]=a  
  synthetic$Week2[i]=b  
  synthetic$Week3[i]=c  
}  
  
# Cake0  
b2 <- 0  
sd2 <- 1  
for(i in 3:4) {  
  a <- synthetic$Week0[i]+b2+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd2)  
  b <- synthetic$Week0[i]+(2*b2)+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd2)  
  c <- synthetic$Week0[i]+(3*b2)+rnorm(1, mean=0, sd=sd2)  
  synthetic$Week1[i]=a  
  synthetic$Week2[i]=b  
  synthetic$Week3[i]=c  
}
```

