

Simple Regression Tutorial

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R Markdown

Task: The purpose of this analysis/tutorial is to use simple regression to accurately forecast Sales based on the Ad Expenditure in our AdExp dataset

The Steps we will take are:

- 1) Load the dataset in RStudio and have a look at the data.
- 2) Look at the scatterplot for Sales vs Expenditure.
- 3) Check the correlation between variables.
- 4) Build the linear regression model.
- 5) Plot the original data and the regression line.
- 6) Plot the standardized residuals vs. fitted values.

Part 1: Load the libraries and dataset in RStudio.

```
#loading the libraries we will use for this exercise
library(readr)
library(ggplot2)

#loading the dataset in RStudio
AdExp<-read_csv(file= "/Users/devarshipancholi/Desktop/AdExp.csv")
```

Now lets have a look at our dataset

```
#printing the data to the pdf file
print(AdExp)
```

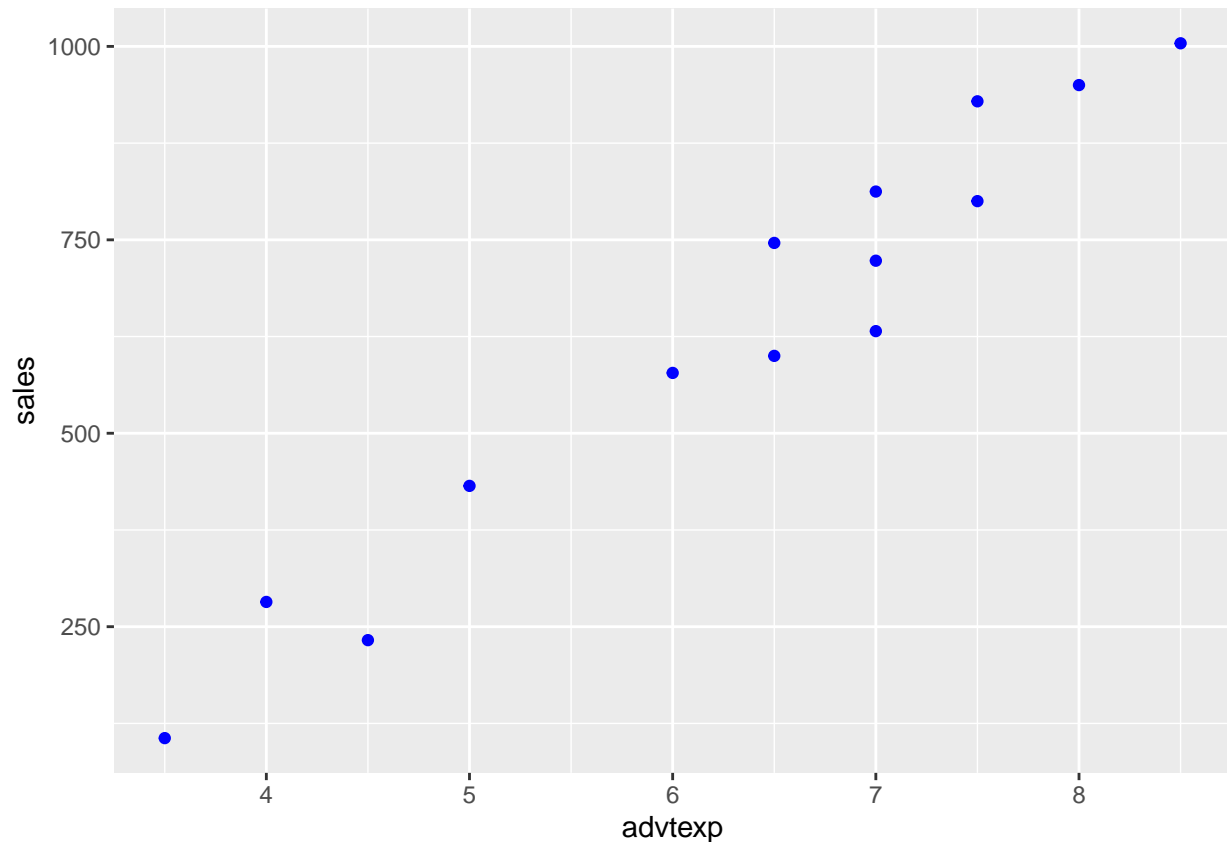
```
## # A tibble: 14 x 2
##   sales advtexp
##   <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1  432      5
## 2  723      7
## 3  578      6
## 4  600     6.5
## 5  950      8
## 6  106     3.5
## 7  282      4
## 8  233     4.5
## 9  746     6.5
## 10 812      7
## 11 800     7.5
## 12 929     7.5
## 13 1004    8.5
## 14 632      7
```

Part 2: Look at the scatterplot for Sales vs Expenditure. #the values are in 000's

To plot the regression line and scatterplot, I have used the library ggplot which we loaded in the beginning:

command for loading the plot and assigning the axis + plotting the points on graph in blue

```
ggplot(data= AdExp, aes(x= advtexp,y= sales)) + geom_point(color= 'blue')
```



As we can see, the graph looks roughly linear.

Part 3: Checking the co-relation

'all.obs' is used here as there are no missing data.

'pearson' method is used as our data is linear and normally distributed

```
cor(AdExp, use="all.obs", method="pearson")
```

```
##           sales  advtexp
## sales    1.000000 0.9743532
## advtexp  0.9743532 1.0000000
```

Part 4: Build the linear regression model.

The `lm()` function is used here to build linear regression models for comparison (sales vs. advtexp). `summary()` is used for the model to get the R-Squared values.

```
# simple regression model stored in the variable named "linearRegModel"
```

```
linearRegModel<- lm(sales ~ advtexp, data= AdExp)
print(linearRegModel)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sales ~ advtexp, data = AdExp)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      advtexp
##      -495.3         178.1
```

Next, we get the summary for our regression model. This function allows us to observe a number of values like R-Squared, t-values and p-values for our variable “advtexp”.

```
#getting the summary
summary(linearRegModel)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sales ~ advtexp, data = AdExp)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -119.346  -37.380   -4.869   54.998   88.609
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  -495.28      77.06  -6.427 3.27e-05 ***
## advtexp       178.09      11.87  15.000 3.89e-09 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 65.36 on 12 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9494, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9451
## F-statistic: 225 on 1 and 12 DF, p-value: 3.888e-09
```

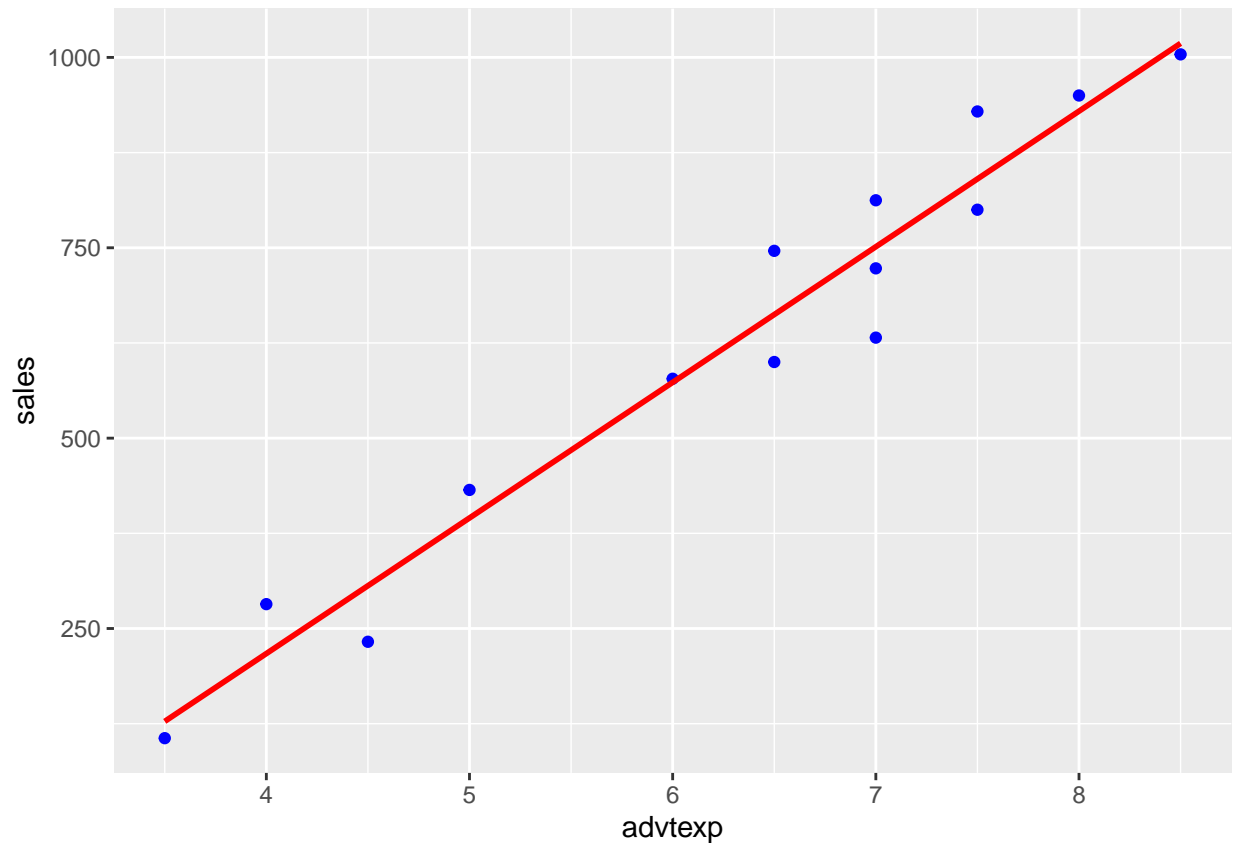
Part 5: Plot the original data and the linear regression line.

We will again use the library ggplot2 to add the regression line

```
# assigning the dataset
data(AdExp)
```

```
# deciding on X and Y axis + plotting the points on graph in blue
p1 = ggplot( data= AdExp,aes( x= advtexp,y= sales)) + geom_point( color= 'blue')
```

```
# plotting the regression line through the points
p1 + geom_smooth( method= 'lm', se= F, col= "red")
```



Part 6: Plot the standardized residuals vs. fitted values.

```
# obtaining standard residuals
linearRegModel.StdRes <- rstandard(linearRegModel)

# obtaining fitted values
linearRegModel.Fit <- fitted.values(linearRegModel)

# deciding on X and Y axis + plotting the points on graph in blue
p3=ggplot(data=AdExp,aes(x=linearRegModel.Fit,y=linearRegModel.StdRes))+geom_point(color='blue')

# plotting the best fitting line through the points in red
p3 + geom_smooth( method= 'lm', se= F, col= "red")
```

