

AIFFD Chapter 12 - Bioenergetics

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This document contains R versions of the boxed examples from **Chapter 12** of the “Analysis and Interpretation of Freshwater Fisheries Data” book. Some sections build on descriptions from previous sections, so each section may not stand completely on its own. More thorough discussions of the following items are available in linked vignettes:

- the use of linear models in R in the [preliminaries vignette](#),
- differences between and the use of type-I, II, and III sums-of-squares in the [preliminaries vignette](#), and
- the use of “least-squares means” is found in the [preliminaries vignette](#).

The following additional packages are required to complete all of the examples (with the required functions noted as a comment and also noted in the specific examples below).

```
> library(FSA)           # Subset, Summarize, residPlot
> library(car)           # Anova, recode
> library(plyr)          # ddply
```

In addition, external tab-delimited text files are used to hold the data required for each example. These data are loaded into R in each example with `read.table()`. Before using `read.table()` the working directory of R must be set to where these files are located on **your** computer. The working directory for all data files on **my** computer is set with

```
> setwd("C:/aaaWork/Web/fishR/BookVignettes/aiffd2007")
```

In addition, I prefer to not show significance stars for hypothesis test output, reduce the margins on plots, alter the axis label positions, and reduce the axis tick length. In addition, contrasts are set in such a manner as to force R output to match SAS output for linear model summaries. All of these options are set with

```
> options(width=90,continue=" ",show.signif.stars=FALSE,
          contrasts=c("contr.sum","contr.poly"))
> par(mar=c(3.5,3.5,1,1),mgp=c(2.1,0.4,0),tcl=-0.2)
```

12.1 Scope for Growth

THERE IS NO CODE TO CONVERT FOR THIS BOX

12.2 Sample Analysis of Striped Bass Data

Presented here is a step-by-step account of an approach to analyzing common energetic data such as C_{max} or metabolism. In the example provided here, data are from maximum consumption experiments for Striped Bass (*Morone saxatilis*) conducted by Hartman (1993). The data set (available in the Chapter 12 compact disc (CD) folder) is arranged by the variables wet weight, temperature, and ration.

12.2.1 Preparing Data

The [Box12_2.txt data file](#) is read and the structure of the data frame is observed below.

```
> d2 <- read.table("data/Box12_2.txt",header=TRUE)
> str(d2)
```

```
'data.frame': 170 obs. of 3 variables:
 $ wt : num 56.9 41.5 52.4 27.9 29.3 ...
 $ temp: num 2.04 2.16 2.21 2.25 2.26 2.35 2.38 2.43 2.46 2.46 ...
 $ Cmax: num 0 0.00175 0.0095 0 0.00768 ...
```

In addition, I created a new variable, called `tempA`, that contains the temperature groupings used to construct Figure A in the box. The temperature groupings were identified by examining the Excel file provided on the companion CD.

```
> d2$tempA <- NA
> d2$tempA[d2$temp>6 & d2$temp<9] <- 6.9
> d2$tempA[d2$temp>21 & d2$temp<24] <- 22.4
> d2$tempA[d2$temp>28 & d2$temp<31] <- 29.6
> d2$tempA <- factor(d2$tempA)
> str(d2)
```

```
'data.frame': 170 obs. of 4 variables:
 $ wt : num 56.9 41.5 52.4 27.9 29.3 ...
 $ temp: num 2.04 2.16 2.21 2.25 2.26 2.35 2.38 2.43 2.46 2.46 ...
 $ Cmax: num 0 0.00175 0.0095 0 0.00768 ...
 $ tempA: Factor w/ 3 levels "6.9","22.4","29.6": NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA N..
```

Another new variable, called `wtA`, was created to contain the size groupings used to construct Figure B in the box. The cutoff values were as stated in the caption for Figure B.

```
> d2$wtA <- NA
> d2$wtA[d2$wt<77] <- 38
> d2$wtA[d2$wt>130 & d2$wt<730] <- 403
> d2$wtA[d2$wt>800] <- 1567
> d2$wtA <- factor(d2$wtA)
> str(d2)
```

```
'data.frame': 170 obs. of 5 variables:
 $ wt : num 56.9 41.5 52.4 27.9 29.3 ...
 $ temp: num 2.04 2.16 2.21 2.25 2.26 2.35 2.38 2.43 2.46 2.46 ...
 $ Cmax: num 0 0.00175 0.0095 0 0.00768 ...
 $ tempA: Factor w/ 3 levels "6.9","22.4","29.6": NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA N..
 $ wtA : Factor w/ 3 levels "38","403","1567": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
```

12.2.2 Plots

The authors fit a power function to the maximum consumption versus weight variables for the 22.4 and 29.6 degrees grouping and a linear function to the 6.9 degrees group. The power functions are fit as linear models on the log-log data. The code below first transforms the maximum consumption and weight variables to the common log scale. The linear model for the 6.9 group is then fit with `lm()` using a formula of the form `response~explanatory`, submitting the data file containing the variables in the `data=` argument, and then using the `subset=` argument to isolate the 6.9 group. The model coefficients are extracted from the saved `lm` object with `coef()`. Linear models are fit to the log-log data for the other two groups.

```
> d2$logwt <- log10(d2$wt)
> d2$logCmax <- log10(d2$Cmax)
> lm.low <- lm(Cmax~wt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="6.9")
> coef(lm.low)
```

```
(Intercept)          wt
1.626563e-02 1.809897e-06
```

```
> lm.med <- lm(logCmax~logwt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="22.4")
> coef(lm.med)
```

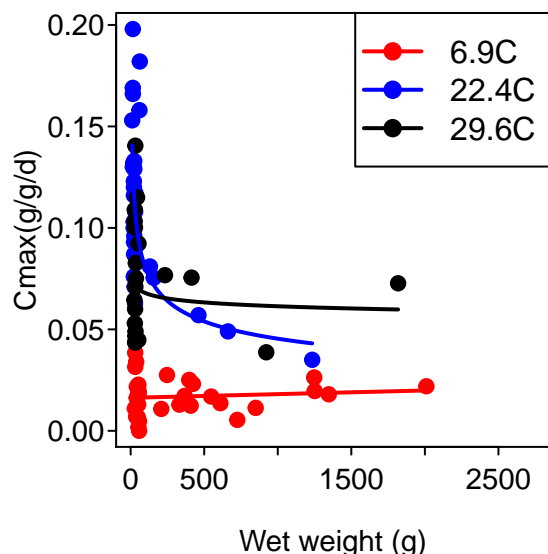
```
(Intercept)      logwt
-0.5995662  -0.2477909
```

```
> lm.hi <- lm(logCmax~logwt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="29.6")
> coef(lm.hi)
```

```
(Intercept)      logwt
-1.08058424 -0.04378962
```

Figure A is constructed in parts by first making a raw schematic plot (note that `type="n"` will result in no points or lines being plotted), then adding points for each grouping, and then adding the curves derived from the coefficients for each grouping.

```
> # schematic plot
> plot(Cmax~wt,data=d2,type="n",xlab="Wet weight (g)",ylab="Cmax(g/g/d)")
> # add points specific to each group
> points(Cmax~wt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="6.9",pch=19,col="red")
> points(Cmax~wt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="22.4",pch=19,col="blue")
> points(Cmax~wt,data=d2,subset=tempA=="29.6",pch=19,col="black")
> # add the fitted curve specific to each group
> curve(coef(lm.low)[1]+coef(lm.low)[2]*x,min(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="6.9"],na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="6.9"],na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="red",lwd=2)
> curve(10^(coef(lm.med)[1])*x^coef(lm.med)[2],min(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="22.4"],na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="22.4"],na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="blue",lwd=2)
> curve(10^(coef(lm.hi)[1])*x^coef(lm.hi)[2],min(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="29.6"],na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$wt[d2$tempA=="29.6"],na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="black",lwd=2)
> # add a legend
> legend("topright",legend=c("6.9C","22.4C","29.6C"),pch=19,col=c("red","blue","black"),
        lty=1,lwd=2)
```



The polynomial regressions for the relationship between maximum consumption and temperature shown in Figure B are also fit with `lm()` using a formula that represents the quadratic function. Note in the formula that `I()` must be wrapped around the quadratic term so that R will know to actually square that term (i.e., the `^2` notation has a special meaning in the model formula if not contained within `I()`). Figure B is then constructed in parts as described for Figure A.

```
> lm.sm <- lm(Cmax~temp+I(temp^2),data=d2,subset=wtA=="38")
> coef(lm.sm)
```

```
(Intercept)      temp      I(temp^2)
-0.0375854340  0.0119047823 -0.0002664605
```

```
> lm.int <- lm(Cmax~temp+I(temp^2),data=d2,subset=wtA=="403")
> coef(lm.int)
```

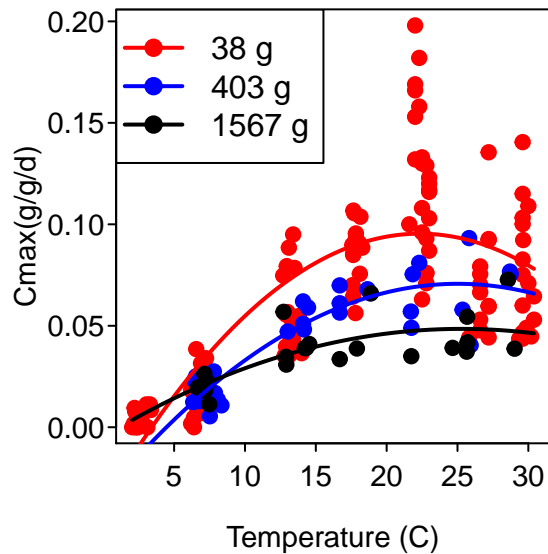
```
(Intercept)      temp      I(temp^2)
-0.0339716353  0.0083666745 -0.0001672247
```

```
> lm.lrg <- lm(Cmax~temp+I(temp^2),data=d2,subset=wtA=="1567")
> coef(lm.lrg)
```

```
(Intercept)      temp      I(temp^2)
-4.664772e-03  4.204417e-03 -8.317571e-05
```

```
> # The plot
> plot(Cmax~temp,data=d2,type="n",xlab="Temperature (C)",ylab="Cmax(g/g/d)")
> points(Cmax~temp,data=d2,subset=wtA=="38",pch=19,col="red")
> points(Cmax~temp,data=d2,subset=wtA=="403",pch=19,col="blue")
> points(Cmax~temp,data=d2,subset=wtA=="1567",pch=19,col="black")
> curve(coef(lm.sm)[1]+coef(lm.sm)[2]*x+coef(lm.sm)[3]*x^2,min(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="red",lwd=2)
> curve(coef(lm.int)[1]+coef(lm.int)[2]*x+coef(lm.int)[3]*x^2,min(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="blue",lwd=2)
```

```
> curve(coef(lm.lrg)[1]+coef(lm.lrg)[2]*x+coef(lm.lrg)[3]*x^2,min(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),
        max(d2$temp,na.rm=TRUE),add=TRUE,col="black",lwd=2)
> legend("topleft",legend=c("38 g","403 g","1567 g"),pch=19,col=c("red","blue","black"),
        lty=1,lwd=2)
```



12.2.3 Test for Significant Interaction Terms

The authors then begin to test for a significant interaction effect of weight and temperature on maximum consumption. Before doing this analysis the authors removed all observations where maximum consumption was equal to zero. This filtering is accomplished with `Subset()`, from the `FSA` package. This function requires the original data frame as the first argument and the conditioning statement as the second argument.

```
> d2a <- Subset(d2,Cmax>0)
```

The linear model is then fit with `lm()` using a formula of the form `response~explanatory1*explanatory2`. This formula is a short-hand method to tell R to fit the two main effects and the interaction effect of the two explanatory variables on the right-hand-side of the formula. The type-I ANOVA table is extracted by submitting the saved `lm` object to `anova()` and the Type-III ANOVA table is extracted by submitting the saved `lm` object to `Anova()` with the `type="III"` argument. As the authors' noted, the interaction term is not significant if a 5% significance level is used.

```
> lm1 <- lm(logCmax~logwt*temp,data=d2a)
> anova(lm1)
```

Analysis of Variance Table

```
Response: logCmax
      Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
logwt   1  1.4688   1.4688  18.8713 2.475e-05
temp    1 14.5110  14.5110 186.4424 < 2.2e-16
logwt:temp 1  0.2311   0.2311   2.9698  0.08676
Residuals 160 12.4530   0.0778
```

```
> Anova(lm1,type="III")
```

Anova Table (Type III tests)

Response: logCmax

	Sum Sq	Df	F value	Pr(>F)
(Intercept)	10.7009	1	137.4886	< 2.2e-16
logwt	0.0605	1	0.7774	0.37926
temp	2.4184	1	31.0718	1.034e-07
logwt:temp	0.2311	1	2.9698	0.08676
Residuals	12.4530	160		

12.2.4 Developing a Statistical Model

The authors then developed a multiple linear regression model to describe maximum consumption based on the logarithm of weight and linear and quadratic temperature terms. This model is again fit with `lm()`, the ANOVA table is extracted as described above, and the model coefficients are extracted from the `lm` object with `summary()`.

```
> lm2 <- lm(logCmax~logwt+temp+I(temp^2),data=d2a)
> anova(lm2)
```

Analysis of Variance Table

Response: logCmax

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
logwt	1	1.4688	1.4688	41.579	1.277e-09
temp	1	14.5110	14.5110	410.785	< 2.2e-16
I(temp^2)	1	7.0321	7.0321	199.069	< 2.2e-16
Residuals	160	5.6520	0.0353		

```
> Anova(lm2,type="III")
```

Anova Table (Type III tests)

Response: logCmax

	Sum Sq	Df	F value	Pr(>F)
(Intercept)	38.518	1	1090.394	< 2.2e-16
logwt	0.876	1	24.793	1.638e-06
temp	11.769	1	333.175	< 2.2e-16
I(temp^2)	7.032	1	199.069	< 2.2e-16
Residuals	5.652	160		

```
> summary(lm2)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = logCmax ~ logwt + temp + I(temp^2), data = d2a)
```

Residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-0.91139	-0.10603	0.02387	0.11803	0.36638

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-2.4125435	0.0730606	-33.021	< 2e-16
logwt	-0.1194826	0.0239963	-4.979	1.64e-06
temp	0.1450706	0.0079477	18.253	< 2e-16
I(temp^2)	-0.0032962	0.0002336	-14.109	< 2e-16

Residual standard error: 0.1879 on 160 degrees of freedom

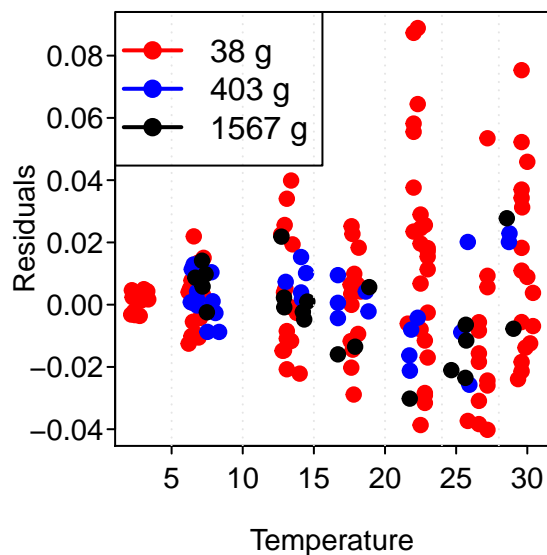
Multiple R-squared: 0.8028, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7991

F-statistic: 217.1 on 3 and 160 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

12.2.5 Evaluate Model Fit

The authors' Figure C shows the residuals *on the original maximum consumption scale* plotted against temperature. The residuals are found by first creating predicted maximum consumptions by back-transforming fitted *log* maximum consumptions. The differences between the observed maximum consumption and this predicted maximum consumption are the residuals plotted in Figure C. The predictions and residual computations are below and then Figure C is constructed in parts largely as described for Figure A above.

```
> d2a$pCmax <- 10^lm2$fitted
> d2a$resids2 <- d2a$pCmax-d2a$logCmax
> plot(resids2~temp,data=d2a,type="n",xlab="Temperature",ylab="Residuals")
> points(resids2~temp,data=d2a,subset=wtA=="38",col="red",pch=19)
> points(resids2~temp,data=d2a,subset=wtA=="403",col="blue",pch=19)
> points(resids2~temp,data=d2a,subset=wtA=="1567",col="black",pch=19)
> abline(v=c(5,10,15,20,24,28),col="gray90",lty=3)
> legend("topleft",legend=c("38 g","403 g","1567 g"),pch=19,col=c("red","blue","black"),
        lty=1,lwd=2)
```



The authors' Figure D was a bit more problematic to construct as they seemed to create “bands” of temperatures for which they summarized the predicted maximum consumptions. They appeared to use

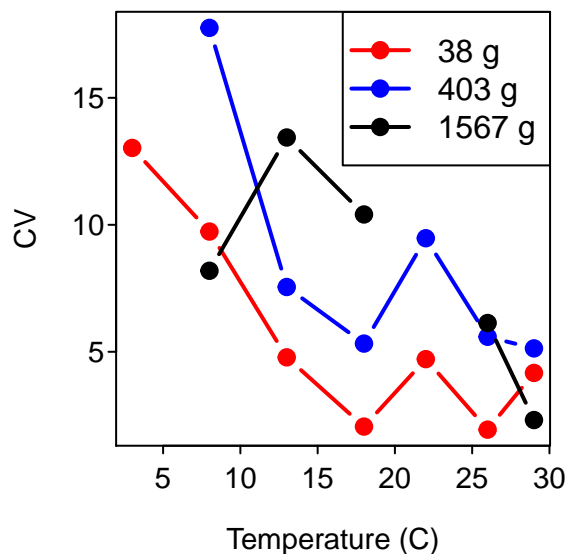
different temperature “bands” for different sizes of fish. I chose to create one set of “bands” that are illustrated by the faint gray lines in the plot above. The “bands” were created with `recode()` (from the `car` package) rather than the multiple lines depicted for some of the variables above (e.g., `tempA`). To do this, I created a new variable, called `tempB`, that contains the groupings for these “bands” and then computed the CV of the predicted maximum consumption for each weight grouping and temperature band using `ddply()`, from the `plyr` package.

```
> d2a$tempB <- recode(d2a$temp,"0:5='3'; 6:10='8'; 11:15='13'; 16:20='18';
                        21:23.5='22'; 24:28='26'; else='29'")
> sumcv <- ddply(d2a,c("wtA","tempB"),function(df) sd(df$pCmax)/mean(df$pCmax)*100)
> names(sumcv)[3] <- "CV"
> str(sumcv)
```

```
'data.frame':  19 obs. of  3 variables:
 $ wtA  : Factor w/ 3 levels "38","403","1567": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 ...
 $ tempB: num  3 8 13 18 22 26 29 8 13 18 ...
 $ CV   : num  13.03 9.73 4.78 2.05 4.71 ...
```

Figure D is then constructed in parts as shown below.

```
> plot(CV~tempB,data=sumcv,type="n",xlab="Temperature (C)",ylab="CV")
> points(CV~tempB,data=sumcv,subset=wtA=="38",type="b",pch=19,col="red",lwd=2)
> points(CV~tempB,data=sumcv,subset=wtA=="403",type="b",pch=19,col="blue",lwd=2)
> points(CV~tempB,data=sumcv,subset=wtA=="1567",type="b",pch=19,col="black",lwd=2)
> legend("topright",legend=c("38 g","403 g","1567 g"),pch=19,col=c("red","blue","black"),
        lty=1,lwd=2)
```



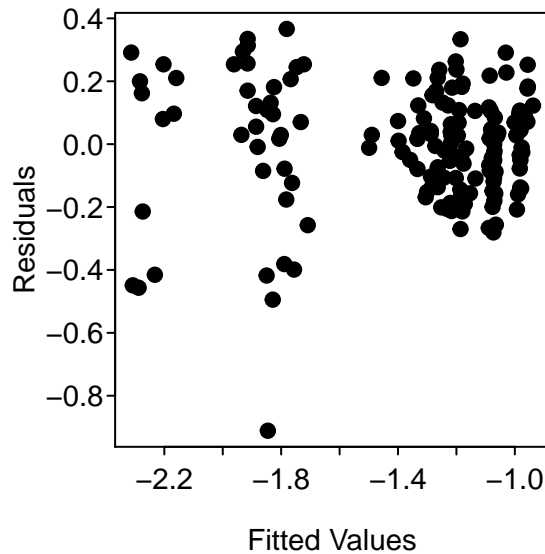
This graph does not perfectly match Figure D because I used different “temperature bands.” However, it is functionally the same.

12.2.6 Another Residual Plot

In my opinion it is important to look at the residual plot from the actual model fit (i.e., the residuals and fitted values from the log scale). This plot cannot be constructed with `residPlot()`, from the `FSA` package. Rather,

the residuals and fitted values must be extracted from the `lm` object and plotted as shown below. There does not appear to be a gross heteroscedasticity or non-linearity in this plot indicating that the assumptions of the linear model were approximately met on the scale to which the model was fit. There does appear to be slightly more variability at the smaller fitted values and a possible outlier.

```
> plot(lm2$residuals~lm2$fitted,pch=19,xlab="Fitted Values",ylab="Residuals")
```



Reproducibility Information

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Code Execution Time: 0.64 s

R Version: R version 3.2.0 (2015-04-16)

System: Windows, i386-w64-mingw32/i386 (32-bit)

Base Packages: base, datasets, graphics, grDevices, methods, stats, utils

Required Packages: FSA, car, plyr and their dependencies (dplyr, gdata, gplots, graphics, Hmisc, knitr, lmtest, MASS, mgcv, multcomp, nnet, pbkrtest, plotrix, quantreg, Rcpp, relax, sciplo, stats)

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sciplot_1.1-0, SparseM_1.6, splines_3.2.0, stringi_0.4-1,  
stringr_1.0.0, survival_2.38-1, TH.data_1.0-6, tools_3.2.0, yaml_2.1.13
```

References

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