

# STAT 331 Final Project

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## Requirement of the project

Your 7–10 page report must contain the following components:

- 1. Summary: A maximum of 200 words describing the objective of the report, an overview of the statistical analysis, and summary of the main results.
- 2. Objective: Describe your goals for the analysis.
- 3. Exploratory Data Analysis: Conduct exploratory data analyses: report summary statistics, visualize data (histograms, scatter plots, etc.). Report on any interesting findings and comment on how these inform the rest of your analysis.
- 4. Methods: Describe your statistical analysis: What is your model? Did you use any transformations or extensions of the basic multiple linear regression model? How did you select a model? Does the model fit the data well? Are the necessary assumptions met? Be sure to explain and justify your decisions.
- 5. Results: Report on the findings of your analysis
- 6. Discussion: Comment on your findings/conclusions; describe any limitations of your analysis.

## 1. Summary

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## 2. Objective

The goal of this project is to analyze the pollutants.csv data and write a report on your analysis. The specific goals of your analysis are up to you to decide.

## 3. Exploratory Data Analysis

Conduct exploratory data analyses: report summary statistics, visualize data (histograms, scatter plots, etc.). Report on any interesting findings and comment on how these inform the rest of your analysis.

can use this as a tutorial <https://r4ds.had.co.nz/exploratory-data-analysis.html>

Take a peak at the first 5 entries

```
# CHANGE ABSOLUTE PATH
# setwd("~/Desktop/stat341/R331project/data")
setwd("~/School/4A/STAT 331/R331project/data")
# setwd("~/Desktop/R331project/data")
```

```
# setwd("C:/Users/huawei/Desktop/R331project/data")
```

```
pollutants_raw <- read.csv("pollutants.csv", header = TRUE)
head(pollutants_raw)
```

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##      X      length POP_PCB1 POP_PCB2 POP_PCB3 POP_PCB4 POP_PCB5 POP_PCB6 POP_PCB7
## 1 1 1.1587651    20000      7600      3700      14700      18900      5300      5500
## 2 2 0.9011283    43900     14900      9700     32300     55500     13400     18700
## 3 3 1.2753948      3300      3300      3300      3300      3300      3300      3300
## 4 4 0.9369063      8500      4100      6000     11500     13500      6900     13500
## 5 5 0.7027998   159000     60200     29800    170000    215000     79200     47400
## 6 6 1.1516147    14400      7100     16900     28200     37200     22000     10200
##      POP_PCB8 POP_PCB9 POP_PCB10 POP_PCB11 POP_dioxin1 POP_dioxin2 POP_dioxin3
## 1      5700      2000      15.6      23.1      70.9      50.0      173
## 2     12000     16200      35.4      31.1     116.0     129.0      709
## 3      3300      3300       1.8       9.3      29.9       5.4      148
## 4      4100      4100       4.5      21.1      50.4      29.4      668
## 5     41400     53900      59.2      80.3      98.1      80.1      875
## 6      3800      6400      19.2      70.0     106.0      47.4      533
##      POP_furan1 POP_furan2 POP_furan3 POP_furan4 whitecell_count lymphocyte_pct
## 1         6.9         5.6         0.8         15.6             5.4             33.8
## 2        18.5        15.4        20.3         2.3             5.6             16.8
## 3         1.3         1.4         1.2         2.9             6.3             35.3
## 4         2.2         2.4         2.3        43.2             8.4             23.0
## 5        13.7         1.2         0.8        11.0             6.7             24.5
## 6         8.3         7.0         3.4        19.4             4.7             39.5
##      monocyte_pct eosinophils_pct basophils_pct neutrophils_pct BMI edu_cat
## 1         8.1             51.2             6.2             0.6 27.50         2
## 2        10.2             69.4             3.2             0.5 27.46         3
## 3         7.3             54.9             1.6             0.9 36.13         1
## 4         6.4             68.8             1.7             0.2 21.79         4
## 5         7.5             64.3             3.0             0.8 31.46         2
## 6         4.4             54.2             1.3             0.8 40.68         1
##      race_cat male ageyrs yrssmoke smokenow ln_lbxcot
## 1         4      1      41         0         0 -2.312635
## 2         4      0      77         0         0 -4.509860
## 3         2      0      22         0         0 -4.017384
## 4         4      0      27         0         0 -3.863233
## 5         4      1      78         0         0 -1.826351
## 6         3      0      35         0         0 -2.207275
```

```
summary(pollutants_raw)
```

```
##           X           length      POP_PCB1      POP_PCB2
## Min.      : 1.0      Min.      :0.5266      Min.      : 2000      Min.      : 2000
## 1st Qu.:216.8      1st Qu.:0.8754      1st Qu.: 9975      1st Qu.: 4800
## Median :432.5      Median :1.0286      Median : 27600     Median : 11500
## Mean      :432.5      Mean      :1.0543      Mean      : 38082     Mean      : 15637
## 3rd Qu.:648.2      3rd Qu.:1.2095      3rd Qu.: 53325     3rd Qu.: 21825
## Max.      :864.0      Max.      :2.3512      Max.      :572000     Max.      :165000
##           POP_PCB3      POP_PCB4      POP_PCB5      POP_PCB6
## Min.      : 2000      Min.      : 2100      Min.      : 2100      Min.      : 2000
## 1st Qu.: 3700      1st Qu.: 11475      1st Qu.: 15600      1st Qu.: 4400
## Median : 6200      Median : 25550      Median : 36300      Median : 9400
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## Mean : 10158	Mean : 38456	Mean : 52650	Mean : 16820
## 3rd Qu.: 12000	3rd Qu.: 50650	3rd Qu.: 68625	3rd Qu.: 19500
## Max. :123000	Max. :487000	Max. :708000	Max. :319000
## POP_PCB7	POP_PCB8	POP_PCB9	POP_PCB10
## Min. : 1100	Min. : 1100	Min. : 1100	Min. : 1.70
## 1st Qu.: 4000	1st Qu.: 3800	1st Qu.: 3900	1st Qu.: 9.10
## Median : 7450	Median : 6950	Median : 8050	Median : 18.35
## Mean : 12682	Mean : 10530	Mean : 12220	Mean : 24.49
## 3rd Qu.: 15625	3rd Qu.: 14425	3rd Qu.: 16025	3rd Qu.: 34.90
## Max. :144000	Max. :187000	Max. :144000	Max. :172.00
## POP_PCB11	POP_dioxin1	POP_dioxin2	POP_dioxin3
## Min. : 1.30	Min. : 1.90	Min. : 1.40	Min. : 36.8
## 1st Qu.: 14.80	1st Qu.: 23.90	1st Qu.: 21.27	1st Qu.: 197.0
## Median : 24.50	Median : 41.35	Median : 37.80	Median : 342.5
## Mean : 38.15	Mean : 57.65	Mean : 47.81	Mean : 494.4
## 3rd Qu.: 42.95	3rd Qu.: 71.62	3rd Qu.: 62.42	3rd Qu.: 603.0
## Max. :845.00	Max. :760.00	Max. :281.00	Max. :8190.0
## POP_furan1	POP_furan2	POP_furan3	POP_furan4
## Min. : 1.000	Min. : 0.800	Min. : 0.700	Min. : 0.90
## 1st Qu.: 3.200	1st Qu.: 2.600	1st Qu.: 2.200	1st Qu.: 6.40
## Median : 5.200	Median : 4.200	Median : 5.050	Median : 9.65
## Mean : 6.371	Mean : 5.390	Mean : 6.669	Mean : 11.54
## 3rd Qu.: 7.700	3rd Qu.: 6.825	3rd Qu.: 9.300	3rd Qu.: 14.00
## Max. :44.400	Max. :33.500	Max. :38.300	Max. :234.00
## whitecell_count	lymphocyte_pct	monocyte_pct	eosinophils_pct
## Min. : 2.300	Min. : 5.80	Min. : 1.600	Min. :21.60
## 1st Qu.: 5.600	1st Qu.:24.00	1st Qu.: 6.600	1st Qu.:52.35
## Median : 6.900	Median :28.95	Median : 7.700	Median :59.30
## Mean : 7.191	Mean :29.92	Mean : 7.936	Mean :58.62
## 3rd Qu.: 8.300	3rd Qu.:35.42	3rd Qu.: 9.100	3rd Qu.:65.22
## Max. :20.100	Max. :73.40	Max. :23.800	Max. :88.10
## basophils_pct	neutrophils_pct	BMI	edu_cat
## Min. : 0.000	Min. :0.0000	Min. :16.16	Min. :1.000
## 1st Qu.: 1.500	1st Qu.:0.4000	1st Qu.:23.88	1st Qu.:1.000
## Median : 2.300	Median :0.6000	Median :27.38	Median :2.000
## Mean : 2.903	Mean :0.6669	Mean :28.09	Mean :2.338
## 3rd Qu.: 3.700	3rd Qu.:0.8000	3rd Qu.:31.17	3rd Qu.:3.000
## Max. :28.200	Max. :5.5000	Max. :62.99	Max. :4.000
## race_cat	male	ageyrs	yrssmoke
## Min. :1.000	Min. :0.0000	Min. :20.00	Min. : 0.0
## 1st Qu.:2.000	1st Qu.:0.0000	1st Qu.:34.00	1st Qu.: 0.0
## Median :4.000	Median :0.0000	Median :46.00	Median : 0.0
## Mean :3.133	Mean :0.4329	Mean :48.36	Mean :10.6
## 3rd Qu.:4.000	3rd Qu.:1.0000	3rd Qu.:63.00	3rd Qu.:20.0
## Max. :4.000	Max. :1.0000	Max. :85.00	Max. :69.0
## smokenow	ln_lbxcot		
## Min. :0.0000	Min. : -4.5099		
## 1st Qu.:0.0000	1st Qu.: -4.0745		
## Median :0.0000	Median : -2.7334		
## Mean :0.2315	Mean : -0.9804		
## 3rd Qu.:0.0000	3rd Qu.: 2.8000		
## Max. :1.0000	Max. : 6.5848		

```

# Man's work
# clean the pollutants dataframe
pollutants <- subset(pollutants_raw , select = -X)

# deal with categorical data

# 1 = Less Than 9th Grade or 9-11th Grade (Includes 12th grade with no diploma)
# 2 = High School Grad/GED or Equivalent
# 3 = Some College or AA degree
# 4 = College Graduate
edu_factor=factor(pollutants$edu_cat)

# 1 = Other Race (Including Multi-Racial);
# 2 = Mexican American;
# 3 = Non-Hispanic Black;
# 4 = Non-Hispanic White
race_factor=factor(pollutants$race_cat,
                    labels = c("Other", "Mexican", "Black", "White"))

# 0 = does not currently smoke;
# 1 = currently smokes
smoke_factor=factor(pollutants$smokenow, labels = c("Non-Smoker", "Smoker"))

# 0 = female, 1 = male
gender_factor=factor(pollutants$male, labels = c("female", "male"))

pollutants$edu_cat = edu_factor
pollutants$race_cat = race_factor
pollutants$smokenow = smoke_factor
pollutants$male = gender_factor

head(pollutants)

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## 1 1.1587651   20000    7600    3700    14700    18900    5300    5500
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## 4 0.9369063    8500    4100    6000   11500   13500    6900   13500
## 5 0.7027998  159000   60200   29800  170000  215000   79200   47400
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##   POP_PCB8 POP_PCB9 POP_PCB10 POP_PCB11 POP_dioxin1 POP_dioxin2 POP_dioxin3
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## 1         6.9         5.6         0.8        15.6         5.4        33.8
## 2        18.5        15.4        20.3         2.3         5.6        16.8
## 3         1.3         1.4         1.2         2.9         6.3        35.3
## 4         2.2         2.4         2.3        43.2         8.4        23.0
## 5        13.7         1.2         0.8        11.0         6.7        24.5

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## 6      8.3      7.0      3.4      19.4      4.7      39.5
##  monocyte_pct eosinophils_pct basophils_pct neutrophils_pct BMI edu_cat
## 1      8.1      51.2      6.2      0.6 27.50      2
## 2     10.2      69.4      3.2      0.5 27.46      3
## 3      7.3      54.9      1.6      0.9 36.13      1
## 4      6.4      68.8      1.7      0.2 21.79      4
## 5      7.5      64.3      3.0      0.8 31.46      2
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##  race_cat  male ageyrs yrssmoke  smokenow ln_lbxcot
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## 2  White female  77      0 Non-Smoker -4.509860
## 3 Mexican female  22      0 Non-Smoker -4.017384
## 4  White female  27      0 Non-Smoker -3.863233
## 5  White  male   78      0 Non-Smoker -1.826351
## 6  Black female  35      0 Non-Smoker -2.207275
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## Median :1.0286 Median : 27600 Median : 11500 Median : 6200
## Mean :1.0543 Mean : 38082 Mean : 15637 Mean : 10158
## 3rd Qu.:1.2095 3rd Qu.: 53325 3rd Qu.: 21825 3rd Qu.: 12000
## Max. :2.3512 Max. :572000 Max. :165000 Max. :123000
##      POP_PCB4      POP_PCB5      POP_PCB6      POP_PCB7
## Min. : 2100 Min. : 2100 Min. : 2000 Min. : 1100
## 1st Qu.: 11475 1st Qu.: 15600 1st Qu.: 4400 1st Qu.: 4000
## Median : 25550 Median : 36300 Median : 9400 Median : 7450
## Mean : 38456 Mean : 52650 Mean : 16820 Mean : 12682
## 3rd Qu.: 50650 3rd Qu.: 68625 3rd Qu.: 19500 3rd Qu.: 15625
## Max. :487000 Max. :708000 Max. :319000 Max. :144000
##      POP_PCB8      POP_PCB9      POP_PCB10      POP_PCB11
## Min. : 1100 Min. : 1100 Min. : 1.70 Min. : 1.30
## 1st Qu.: 3800 1st Qu.: 3900 1st Qu.: 9.10 1st Qu.: 14.80
## Median : 6950 Median : 8050 Median : 18.35 Median : 24.50
## Mean : 10530 Mean : 12220 Mean : 24.49 Mean : 38.15
## 3rd Qu.: 14425 3rd Qu.: 16025 3rd Qu.: 34.90 3rd Qu.: 42.95
## Max. :187000 Max. :144000 Max. :172.00 Max. :845.00
##      POP_dioxin1      POP_dioxin2      POP_dioxin3      POP_furan1
## Min. : 1.90 Min. : 1.40 Min. : 36.8 Min. : 1.000
## 1st Qu.: 23.90 1st Qu.: 21.27 1st Qu.: 197.0 1st Qu.: 3.200
## Median : 41.35 Median : 37.80 Median : 342.5 Median : 5.200
## Mean : 57.65 Mean : 47.81 Mean : 494.4 Mean : 6.371
## 3rd Qu.: 71.62 3rd Qu.: 62.42 3rd Qu.: 603.0 3rd Qu.: 7.700
## Max. :760.00 Max. :281.00 Max. :8190.0 Max. :44.400
##      POP_furan2      POP_furan3      POP_furan4      whitecell_count
## Min. : 0.800 Min. : 0.700 Min. : 0.90 Min. : 2.300
## 1st Qu.: 2.600 1st Qu.: 2.200 1st Qu.: 6.40 1st Qu.: 5.600
## Median : 4.200 Median : 5.050 Median : 9.65 Median : 6.900
## Mean : 5.390 Mean : 6.669 Mean : 11.54 Mean : 7.191
## 3rd Qu.: 6.825 3rd Qu.: 9.300 3rd Qu.: 14.00 3rd Qu.: 8.300
## Max. :33.500 Max. :38.300 Max. :234.00 Max. :20.100
## lymphocyte_pct monocyte_pct eosinophils_pct basophils_pct
## Min. : 5.80 Min. : 1.600 Min. :21.60 Min. : 0.000
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## 1st Qu.:24.00 1st Qu.: 6.600 1st Qu.:52.35 1st Qu.: 1.500
## Median :28.95 Median : 7.700 Median :59.30 Median : 2.300
## Mean :29.92 Mean : 7.936 Mean :58.62 Mean : 2.903
## 3rd Qu.:35.42 3rd Qu.: 9.100 3rd Qu.:65.22 3rd Qu.: 3.700
## Max. :73.40 Max. :23.800 Max. :88.10 Max. :28.200
## neutrophils_pct BMI edu_cat race_cat male
## Min. :0.0000 Min. :16.16 1:270 Other : 71 female:490
## 1st Qu.:0.4000 1st Qu.:23.88 2:199 Mexican:191 male :374
## Median :0.6000 Median :27.38 3:228 Black :154
## Mean :0.6669 Mean :28.09 4:167 White :448
## 3rd Qu.:0.8000 3rd Qu.:31.17
## Max. :5.5000 Max. :62.99
## ageyrs yrssmoke smokenow ln_lbxcot
## Min. :20.00 Min. : 0.0 Non-Smoker:664 Min. : -4.5099
## 1st Qu.:34.00 1st Qu.: 0.0 Smoker :200 1st Qu.: -4.0745
## Median :46.00 Median : 0.0 Median : -2.7334
## Mean :48.36 Mean :10.6 Mean : -0.9804
## 3rd Qu.:63.00 3rd Qu.:20.0 3rd Qu.: 2.8000
## Max. :85.00 Max. :69.0 Max. : 6.5848
```

## Get the names of Covariates

```
names(pollutants)
```

```
## [1] "length" "POP_PCB1" "POP_PCB2" "POP_PCB3"
## [5] "POP_PCB4" "POP_PCB5" "POP_PCB6" "POP_PCB7"
## [9] "POP_PCB8" "POP_PCB9" "POP_PCB10" "POP_PCB11"
## [13] "POP_dioxin1" "POP_dioxin2" "POP_dioxin3" "POP_furan1"
## [17] "POP_furan2" "POP_furan3" "POP_furan4" "whitecell_count"
## [21] "lymphocyte_pct" "monocyte_pct" "eosinophils_pct" "basophils_pct"
## [25] "neutrophils_pct" "BMI" "edu_cat" "race_cat"
## [29] "male" "ageyrs" "yrssmoke" "smokenow"
## [33] "ln_lbxcot"
```

Note that “edu\_cat”, “race\_cat”, “male”, “smokenow” are categorical data.

```
# Man's work
# put bargraphs for categorical data onto one picture
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
```

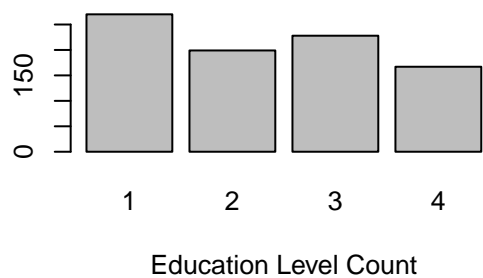
```
plot(edu_factor,
     main="Distribution of Education",
     xlab="Education Level Count")

plot(race_factor,
     main="Distribution of Race",
     xlab="Race Count")

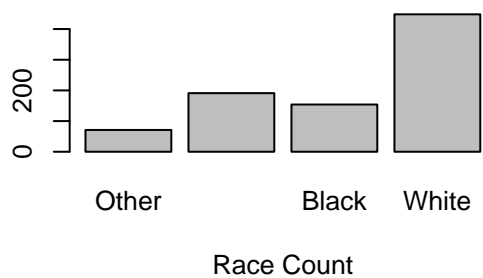
plot(smoke_factor,
     main="Distribution of Current Smokers",
     xlab="Smokers Count")

plot(gender_factor,
     main="Distribution of Gender",
     xlab="Gender Count")
```

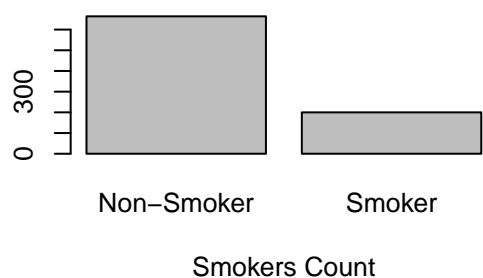
**Distribution of Education**



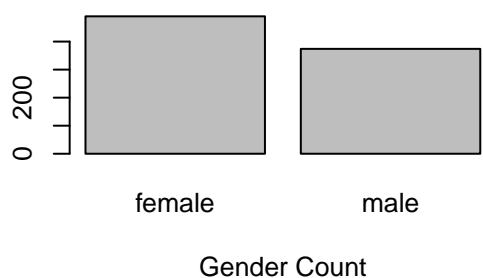
**Distribution of Race**



**Distribution of Current Smokers**



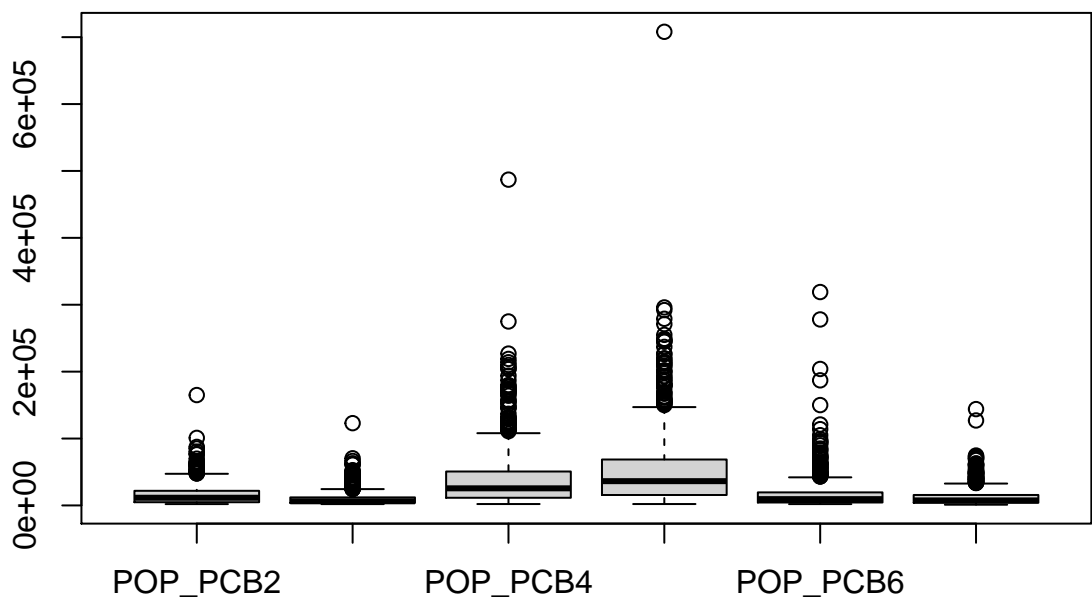
**Distribution of Gender**



*# Men's work*

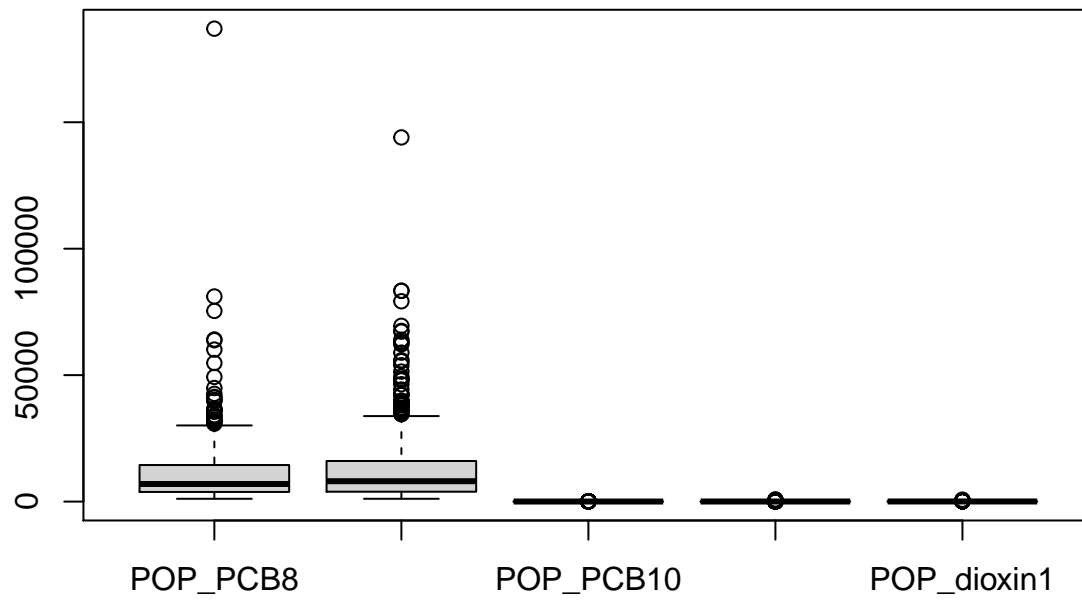
*# PC 1-6*

```
boxplot(pollutants[, 3:8])
```

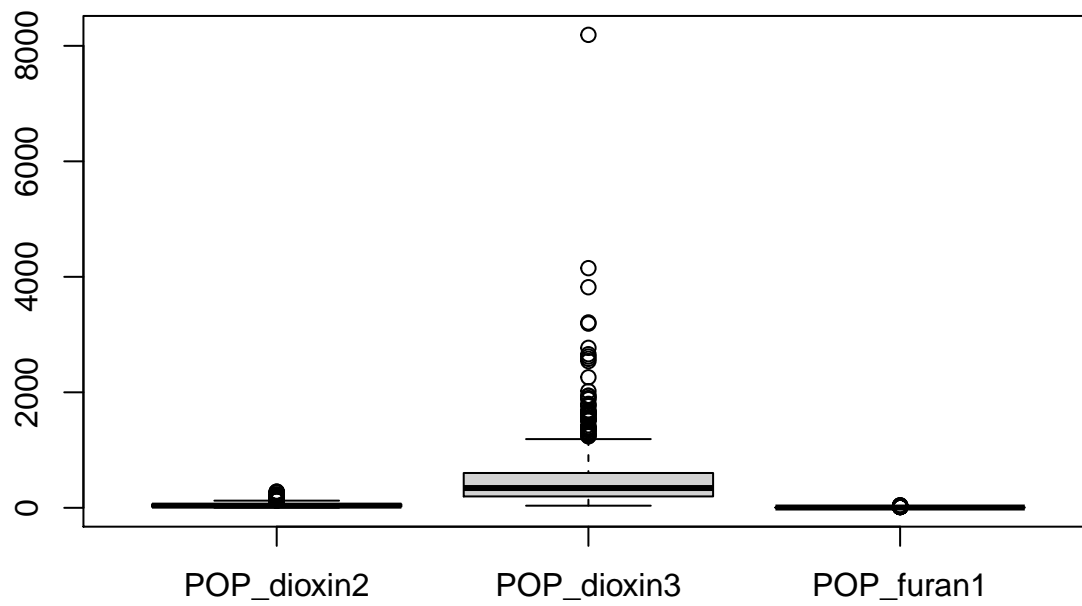


*# PC 7-11*

```
boxplot(pollutants[, 9:13])
```

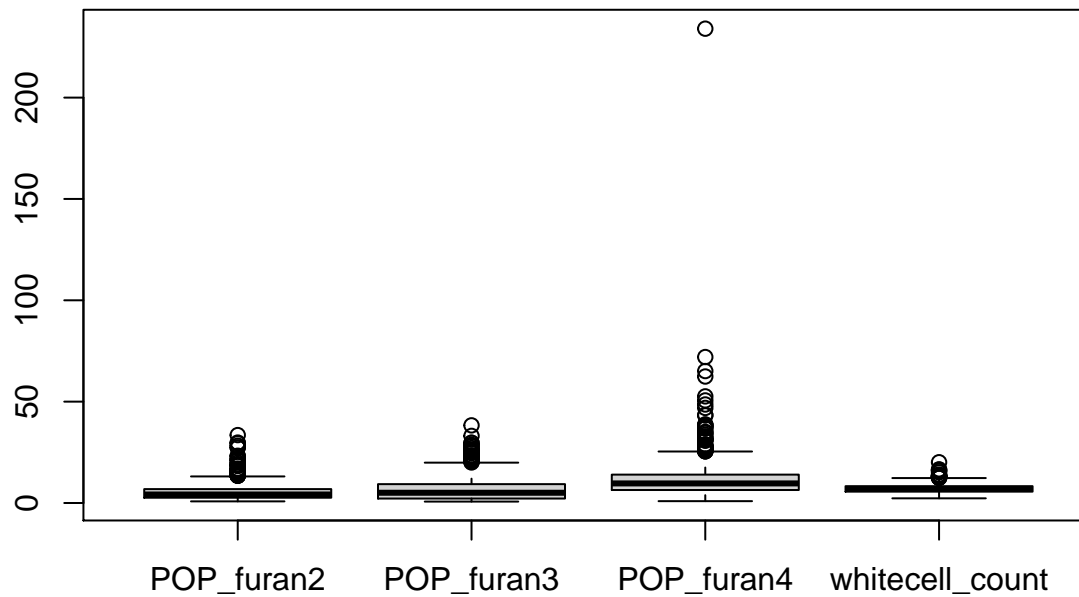


```
# Dioxin
boxplot(pollutants[, 14:16])
```



```
# Furan
boxplot(pollutants[, 17:20])
```



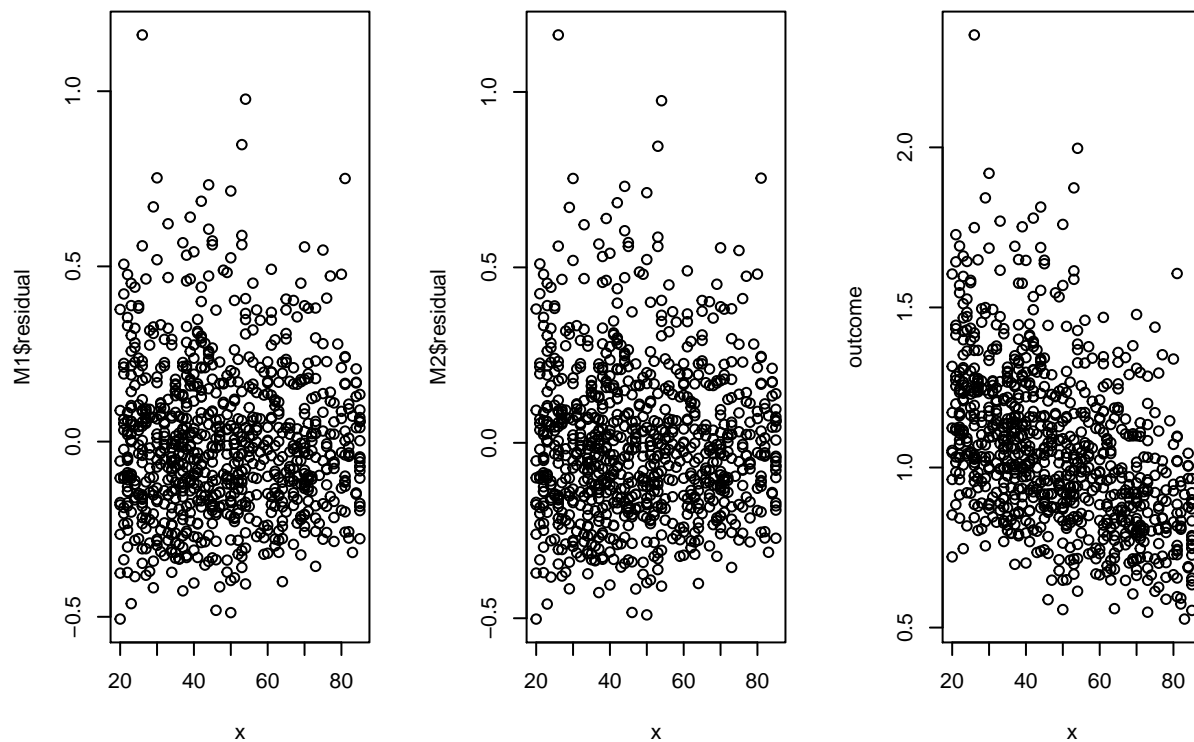


```
# Judy's work Part 1
# testing non-linearity in SLR
# if for any covariate, residual vs x for M1 has a pattern and
# residual vs x for M2 seems random, then y has a nonlinear
# relationship with with x.
# M1: fitting y to x
# M2: fitting y to x^2

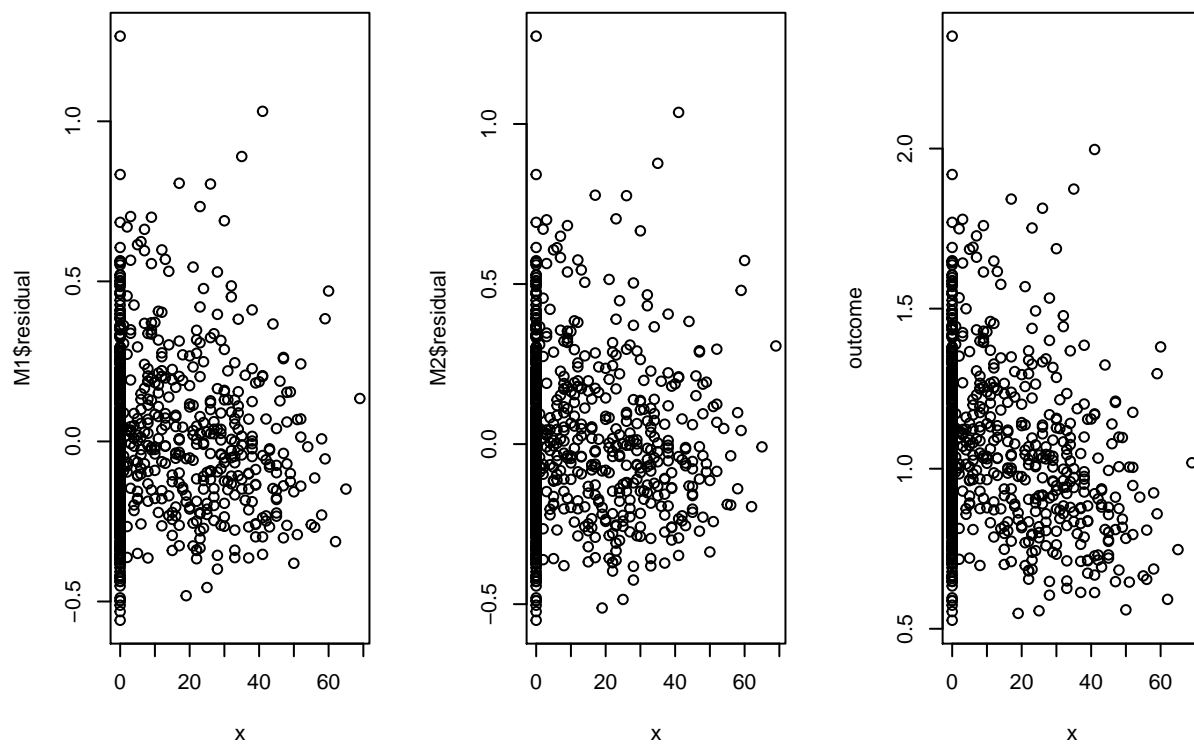
par(mfrow=c(1, 3))
outcome <- pollutants$length
check <- function(x) {
  M1 <- lm(outcome ~ x)
  print(paste("residual for M1: ", sigma(M1)))
  M2 <- lm(outcome ~ x + I(x^2))
  print(paste("residual for M2: ", sigma(M2)))
  plot(x, M1$residual)
  plot(x, M2$residual)
  plot(x, outcome)
}

list <- list(pollutants$ageyrs, pollutants$yrssmoke,
             pollutants$BMI, pollutants$ln_lbxcot,
             pollutants$whitecell_count, pollutants$lymphocyte_pct,
             pollutants$monocyte_pct, pollutants$eosinophils_pct,
             pollutants$basophils_pct, pollutants$neutrophils_pct)
for (column in list) {
  check(column)
}

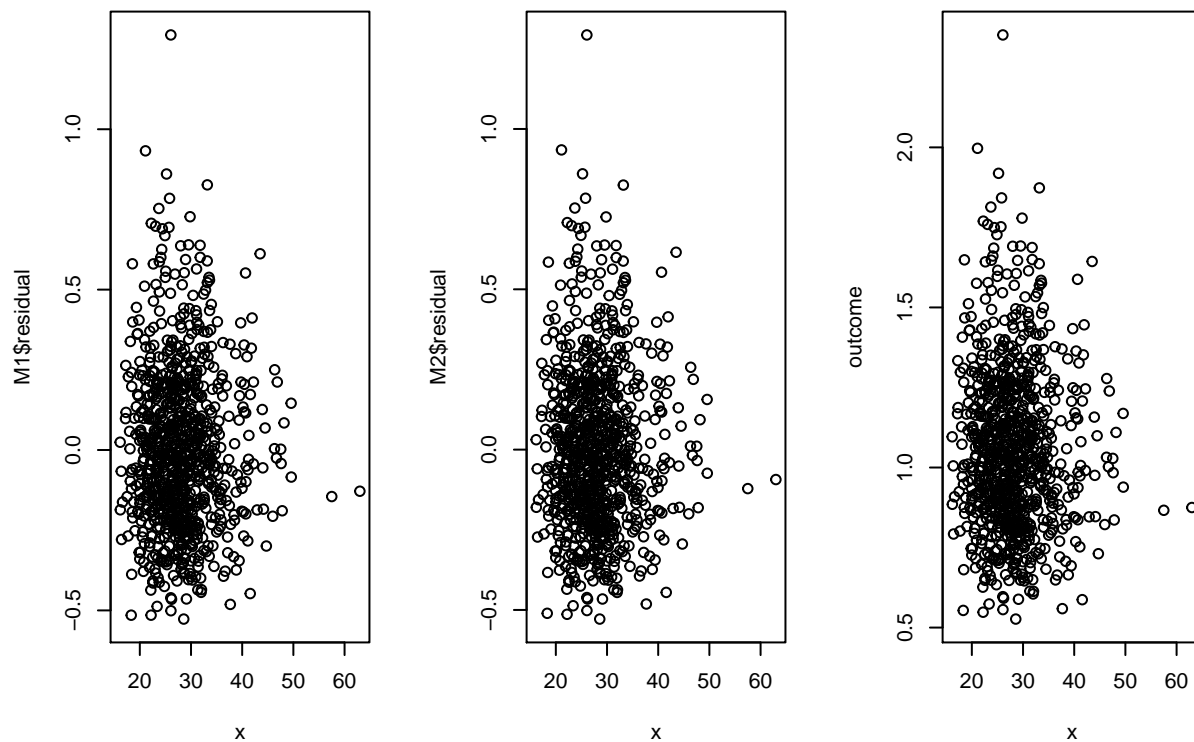
## [1] "residual for M1:  0.224172364185412"
## [1] "residual for M2:  0.22429269961392"
```



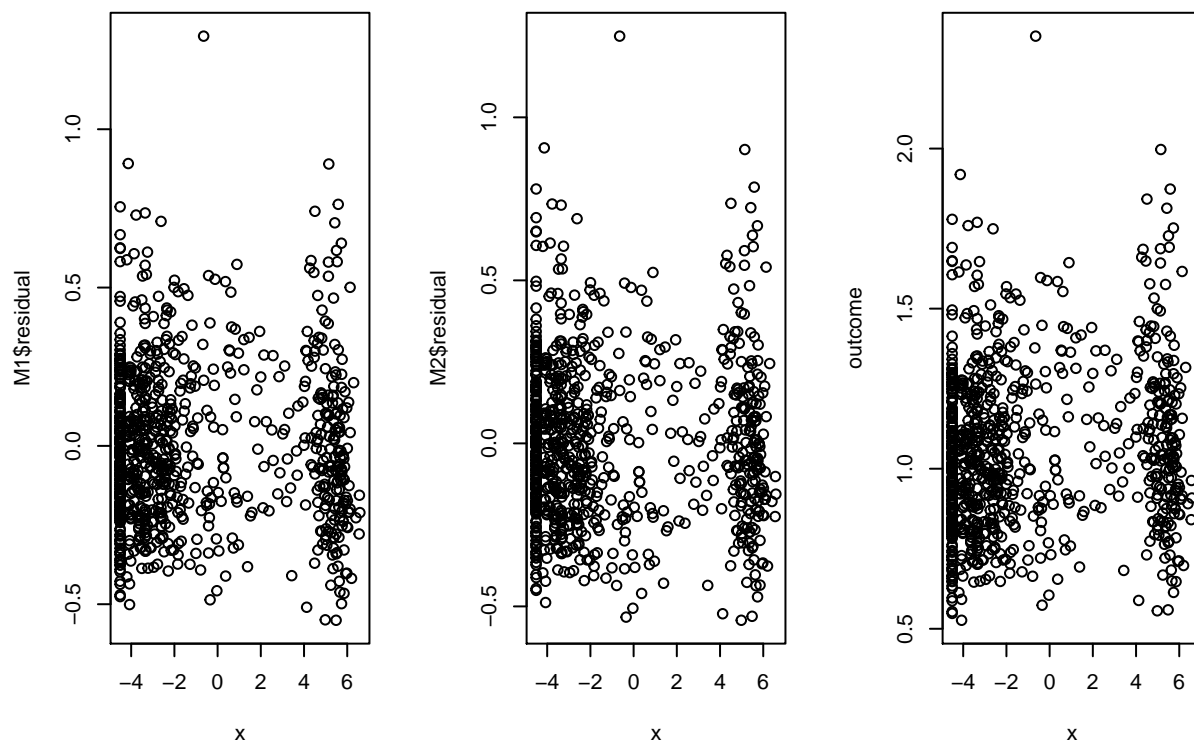
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.246320733146214"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.245622720856213"
```



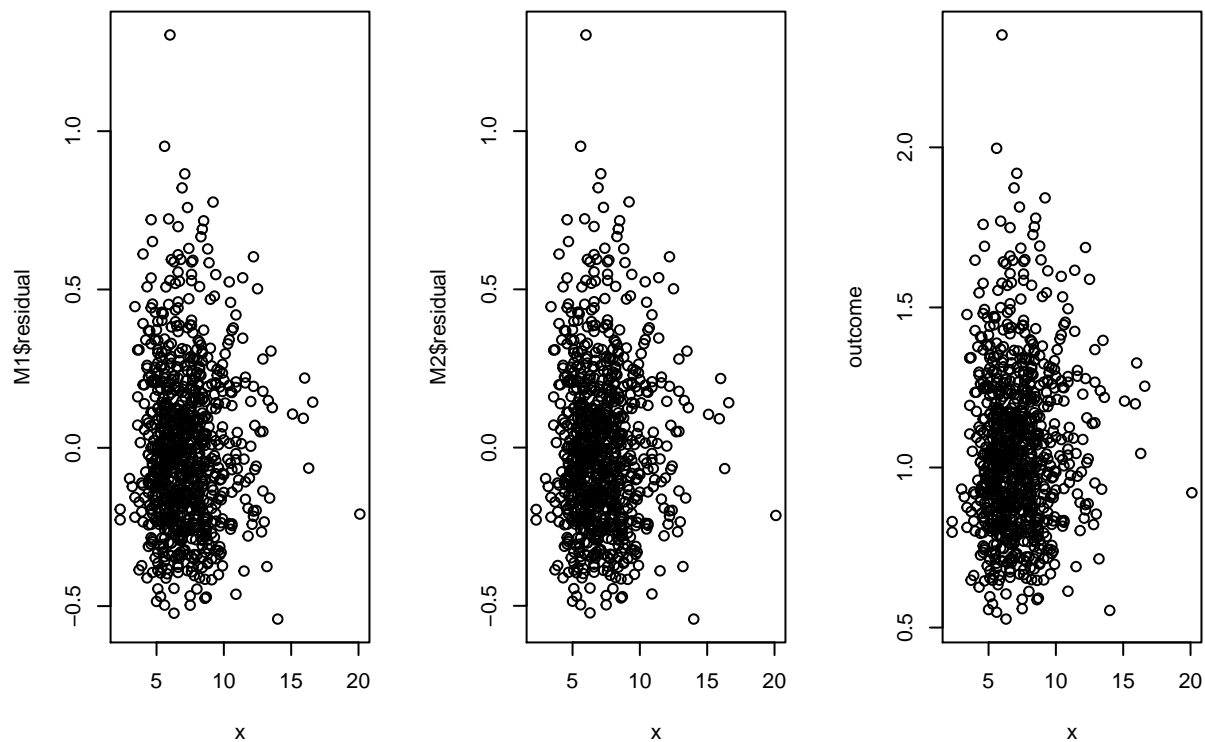
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.250228706427173"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.25036248052387"
```



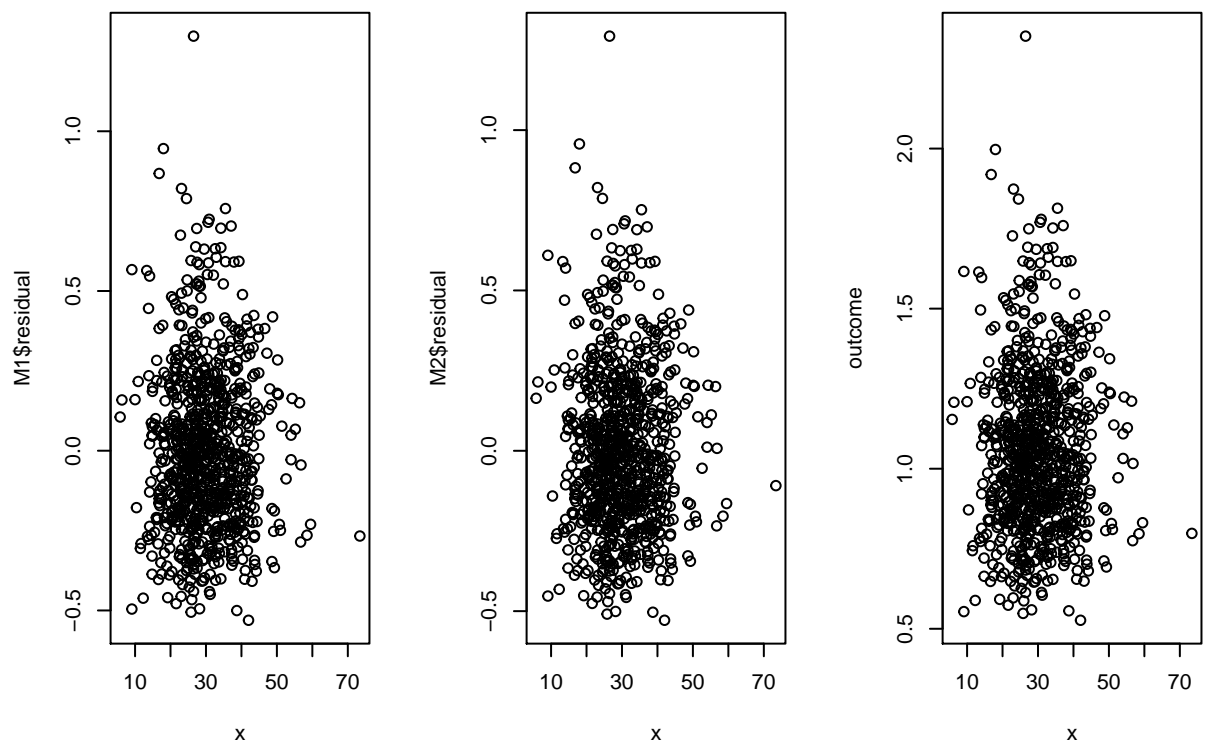
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.248212063673837"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.24710732733351"
```



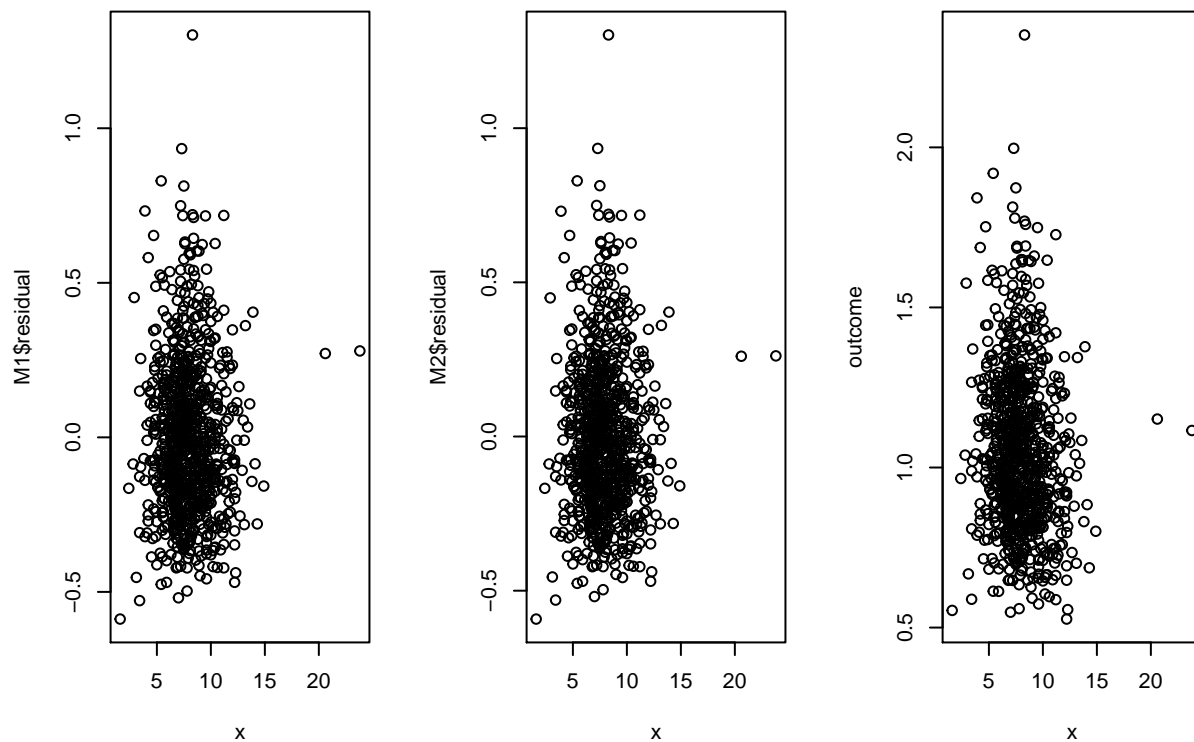
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.250065445847753"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.250210403543218"
```



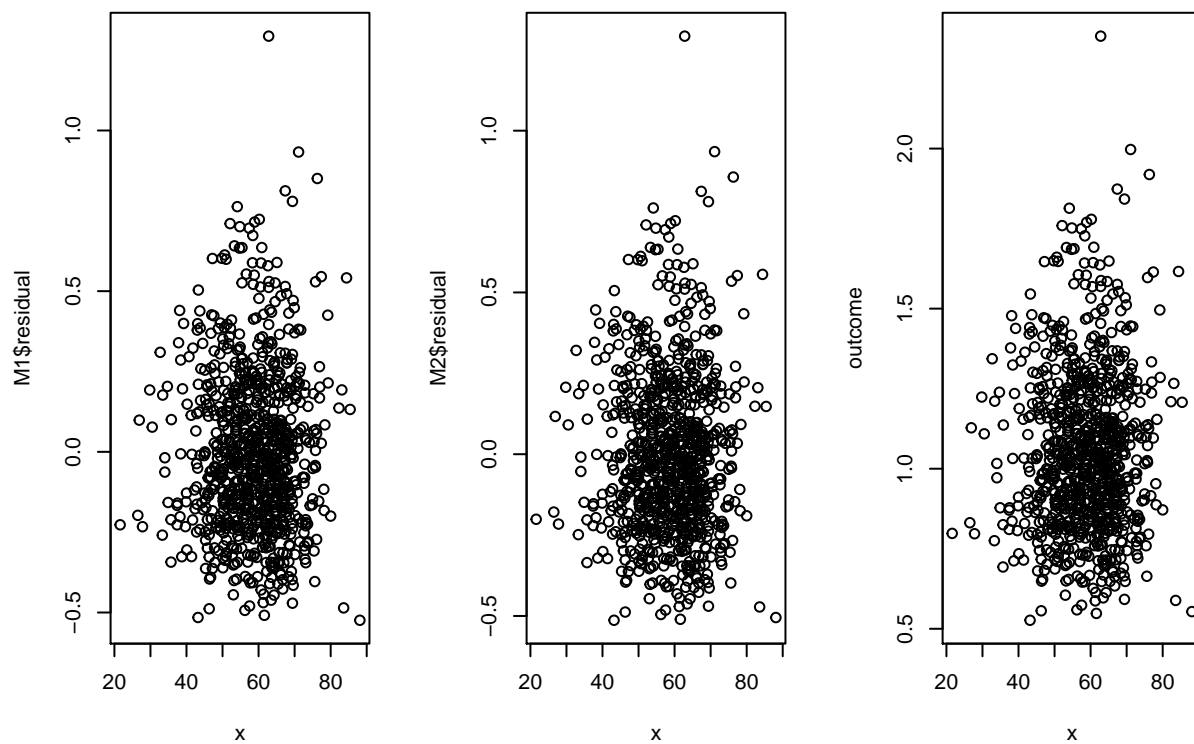
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.250373616826691"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.250255208638358"
```



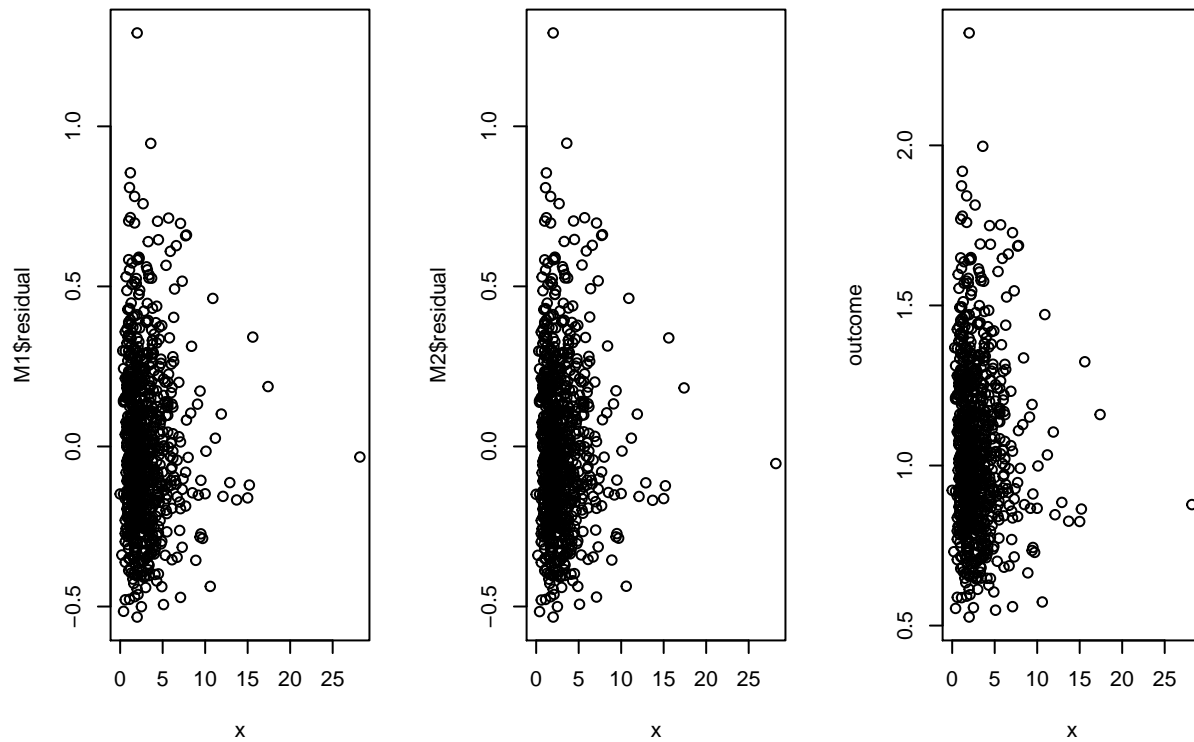
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.248704466454944"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.248847192837983"
```



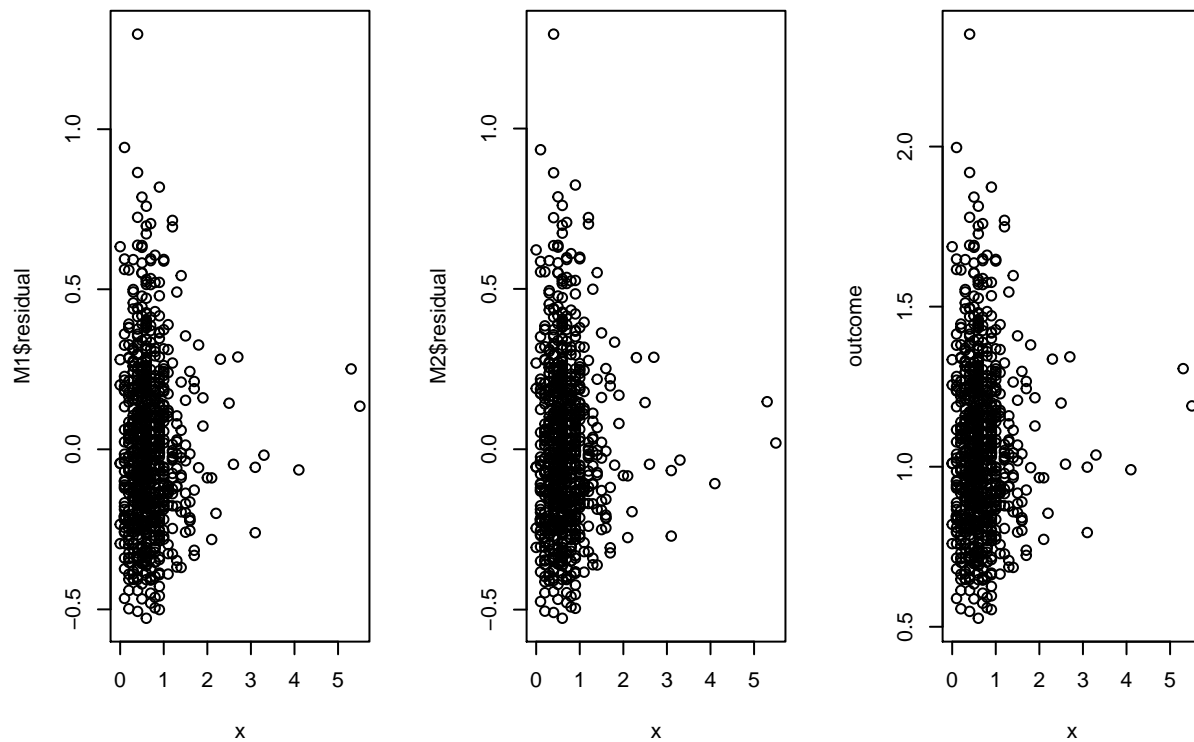
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.25026710930793"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.250393729526099"
```



```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.250043388210667"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.25018695270193"
```



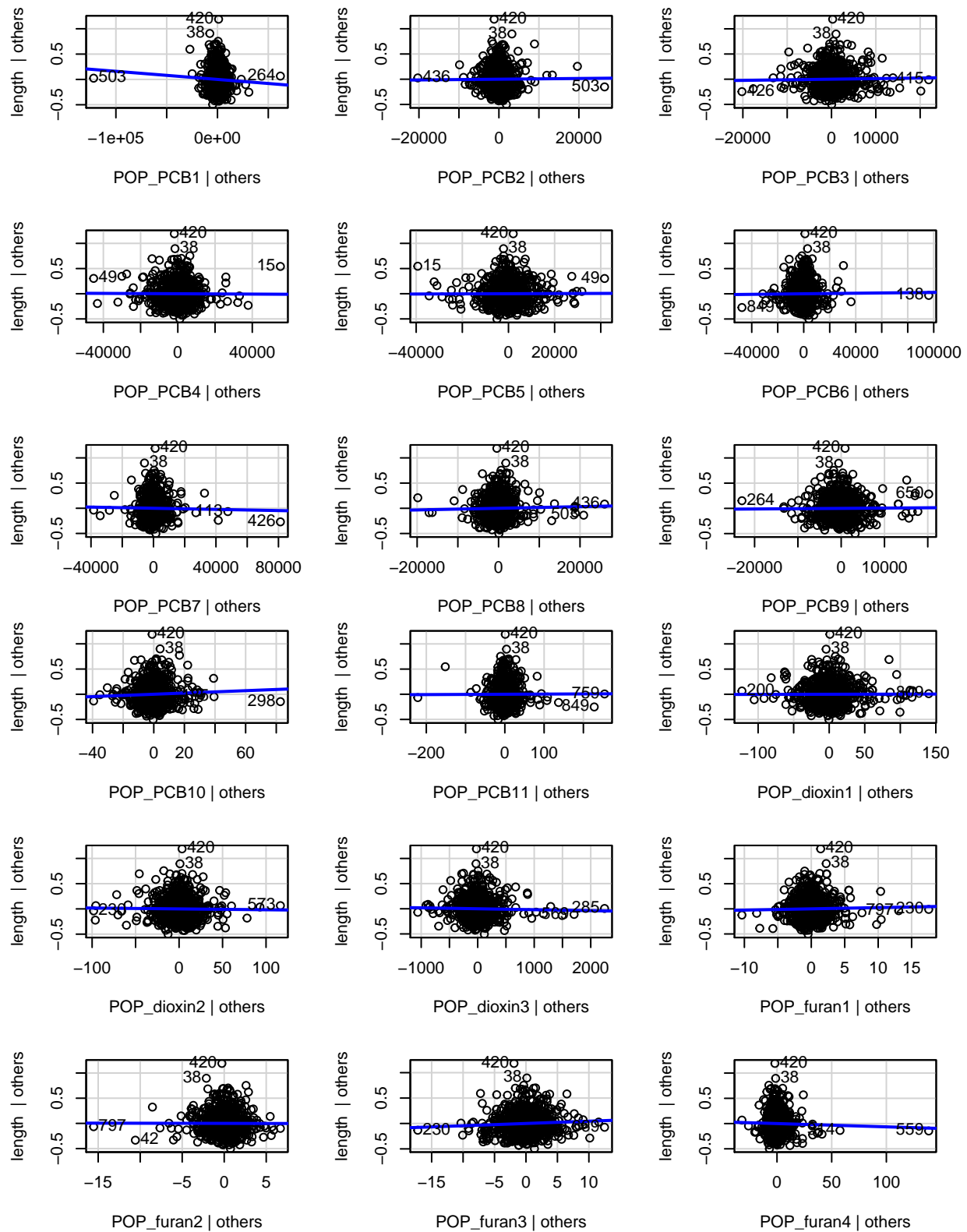
```
## [1] "residual for M1: 0.250382476371691"
## [1] "residual for M2: 0.25042580861039"
```

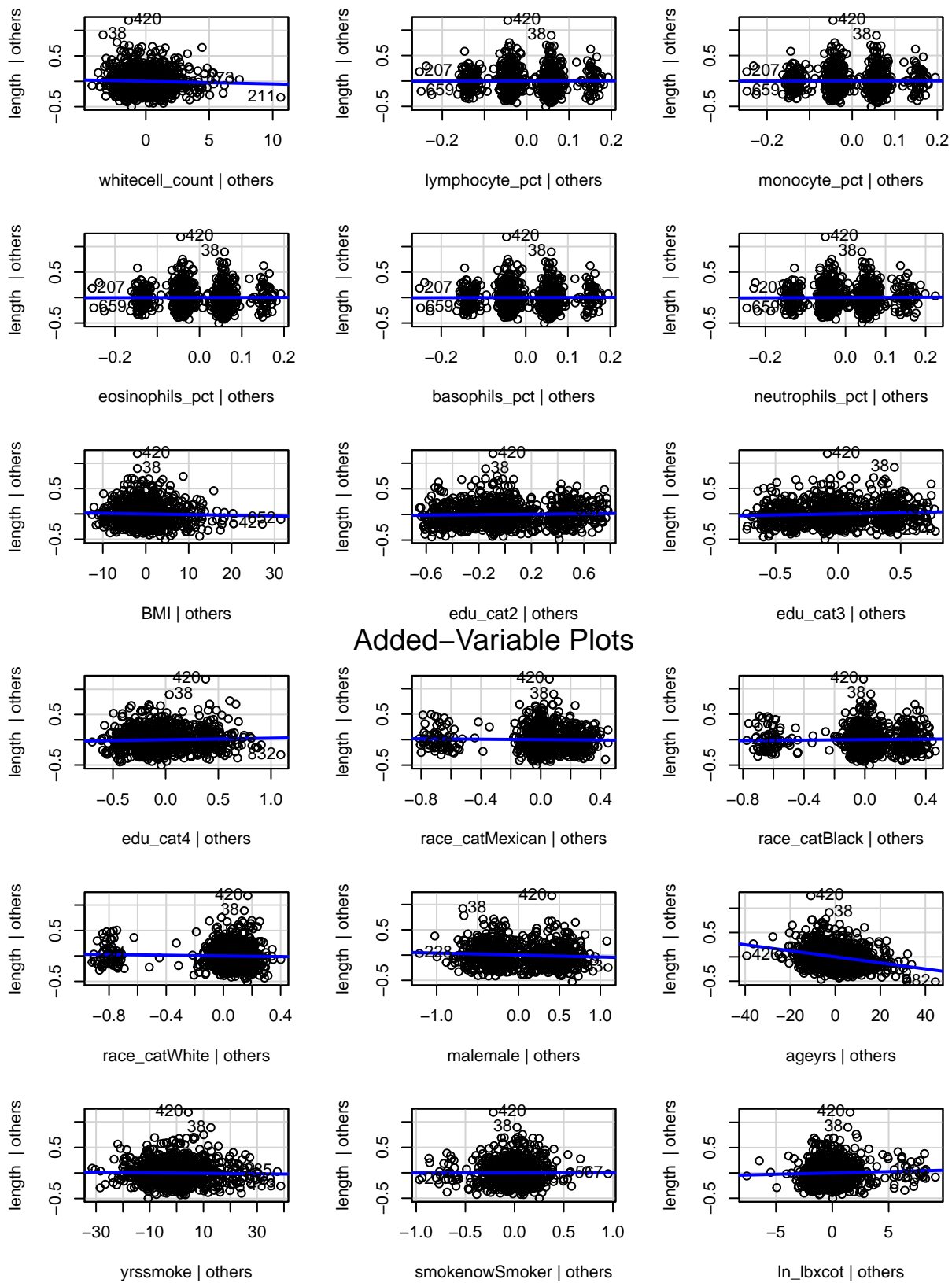


```
# Judy's work Part 2
# testing non-linearity in MLR
library(car)
```

```
## Loading required package: carData
```

```
M <- lm (length ~ ., data=pollutants)
avPlots(M)
```





### Added-Variable Plots

```
# Estella's work 1
library(corrplot)
```

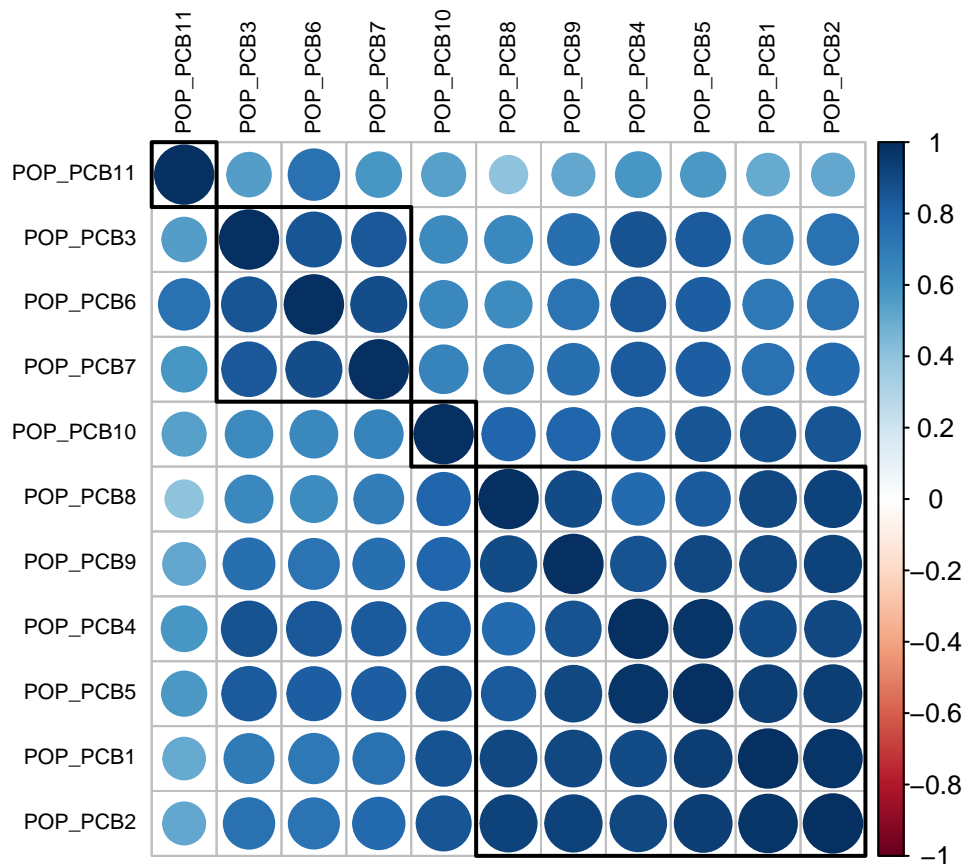


```
## corrrplot 0.84 loaded
library(ggplot2)

POP_PCB = c("POP_PCB1", "POP_PCB2", "POP_PCB3", "POP_PCB4",
            "POP_PCB5", "POP_PCB6", "POP_PCB7", "POP_PCB8",
            "POP_PCB9", "POP_PCB10", "POP_PCB11")

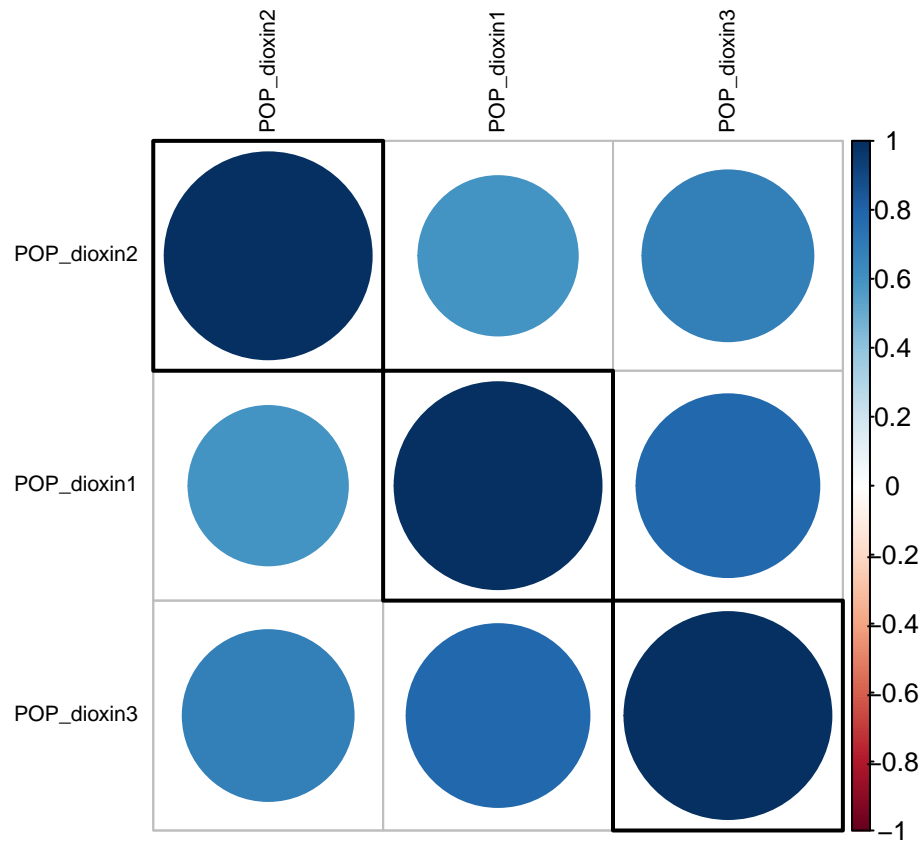
POP_PCB_data <- pollutants[, POP_PCB]
cc = cor(POP_PCB_data, method = "spearman")

# cluster my POP_PCB so that those with similar patterns
# of correlation coefficients are closer together.
# https://jkzorz.github.io/2019/06/11/Correlation-heatmaps.html
corrrplot(cc, tl.col = "black", order = "hclust", hclust.method = "average",
          addirect = 4, tl.cex = 0.7)
```



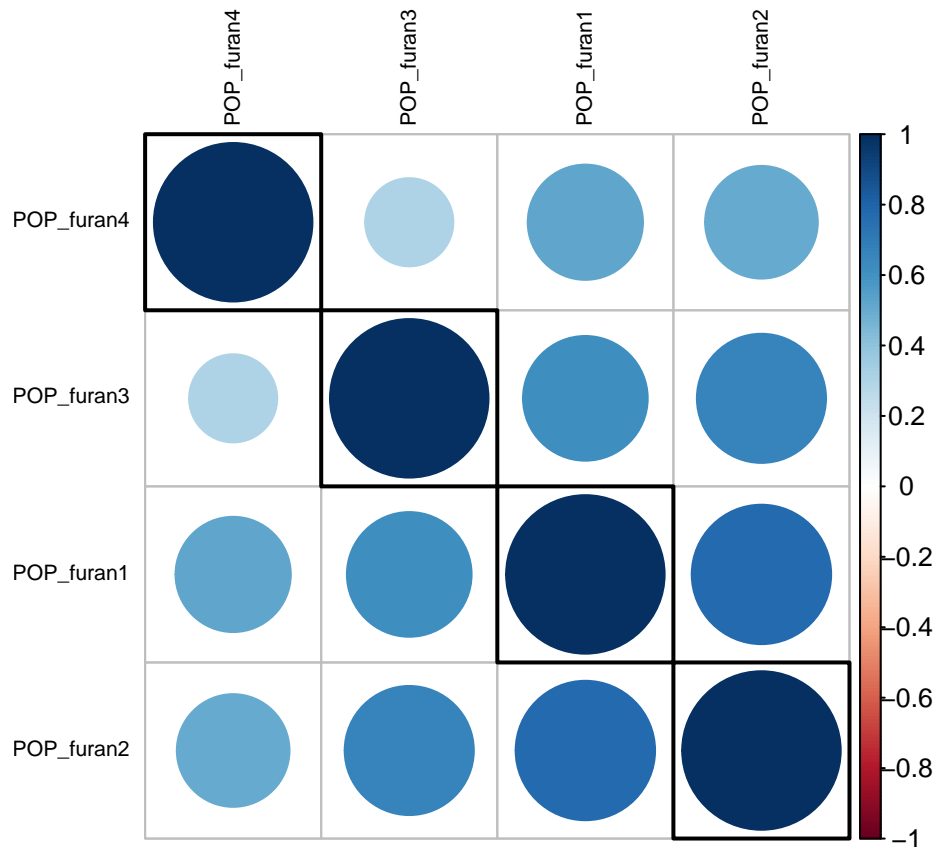
```
# Weiwei's work Part 1
POP_dioxin = c("POP_dioxin1", "POP_dioxin2", "POP_dioxin3")
POP_dioxin_data <- pollutants[, POP_dioxin]

# cluster my POP_dioxin so that those with similar patterns
# of correlation coefficients are closer together.
cc.dioxin = cor(POP_dioxin_data, method = "spearman")
corrrplot(cc.dioxin, tl.col = "black", order = "hclust",
          hclust.method = "average", addirect = 3, tl.cex = 0.7)
```



```
# Weiwei's work Part 2
POP_furan = c("POP_furan1", "POP_furan2", "POP_furan3", "POP_furan4")
POP_furan_data <- pollutants[, POP_furan]

# cluster my POP_dioxin so that those with similar patterns
# of correlation coefficients are closer together.
cc.furan = cor(POP_furan_data, method = "spearman")
corrplot(cc.furan, tl.col = "black", order = "hclust",
          hclust.method = "average", addrect = 4, tl.cex = 0.7)
```



```
# Estella's work 3
f <- as.formula(
  paste("length", paste("(", paste(POP_PCB, collapse = "+"), ")^2"), sep="~"))

m_pcb <- lm(f, data = pollutants)
summary(m_pcb)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = f, data = pollutants)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.53819 -0.16080 -0.01896  0.12149  1.20671
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   1.153e+00  2.892e-02  39.876 < 2e-16 ***
## POP_PCB1     -6.741e-06  3.521e-06  -1.915  0.05591 .
## POP_PCB2      3.801e-06  9.328e-06   0.407  0.68378
## POP_PCB3      6.747e-06  6.701e-06   1.007  0.31431
## POP_PCB4      1.373e-06  3.278e-06   0.419  0.67539
## POP_PCB5      1.920e-06  3.267e-06   0.588  0.55680
## POP_PCB6     -3.673e-06  4.336e-06  -0.847  0.39729
## POP_PCB7     -5.281e-06  4.697e-06  -1.124  0.26126
## POP_PCB8     -1.073e-05  8.331e-06  -1.288  0.19796
## POP_PCB9     -1.833e-06  5.806e-06  -0.316  0.75232
```

## POP_PCB10	2.720e-03	2.088e-03	1.303	0.19311
## POP_PCB11	4.644e-04	9.916e-04	0.468	0.63969
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB2	9.529e-11	2.113e-10	0.451	0.65216
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB3	-6.580e-10	4.156e-10	-1.583	0.11377
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB4	1.116e-10	1.917e-10	0.582	0.56080
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB5	-1.621e-11	1.318e-10	-0.123	0.90218
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB6	6.244e-11	2.176e-10	0.287	0.77423
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB7	2.221e-11	2.742e-10	0.081	0.93548
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB8	-5.209e-10	2.693e-10	-1.935	0.05340 .
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB9	4.146e-10	2.287e-10	1.813	0.07020 .
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB10	1.675e-07	1.311e-07	1.277	0.20183
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB11	-6.663e-08	7.321e-08	-0.910	0.36303
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB3	1.673e-09	8.717e-10	1.919	0.05537 .
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB4	-6.761e-10	4.688e-10	-1.442	0.14963
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB5	3.840e-10	3.632e-10	1.057	0.29069
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB6	-1.426e-09	5.834e-10	-2.444	0.01474 *
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB7	1.532e-09	6.770e-10	2.264	0.02387 *
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB8	2.135e-09	8.207e-10	2.602	0.00945 **
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB9	-1.356e-09	7.249e-10	-1.870	0.06183 .
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB10	-1.232e-06	4.242e-07	-2.904	0.00378 **
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB11	3.388e-07	2.013e-07	1.683	0.09270 .
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB4	-3.996e-11	1.199e-10	-0.333	0.73900
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB5	4.665e-11	2.413e-10	0.193	0.84674
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB6	-3.741e-10	2.662e-10	-1.405	0.16029
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB7	6.438e-10	2.896e-10	2.223	0.02649 *
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB8	7.340e-10	8.821e-10	0.832	0.40563
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB9	-4.221e-10	5.470e-10	-0.772	0.44059
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB10	-4.835e-07	2.555e-07	-1.892	0.05885 .
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB11	7.155e-08	7.874e-08	0.909	0.36382
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB5	3.002e-12	6.669e-11	0.045	0.96410
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB6	1.788e-10	1.543e-10	1.159	0.24694
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB7	-2.117e-10	1.579e-10	-1.341	0.18019
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB8	-4.525e-11	3.961e-10	-0.114	0.90908
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB9	1.217e-10	2.625e-10	0.464	0.64294
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB10	1.345e-07	8.933e-08	1.505	0.13265
## POP_PCB4:POP_PCB11	1.685e-08	5.047e-08	0.334	0.73861
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB6	4.714e-11	1.390e-10	0.339	0.73458
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB7	-1.555e-10	1.446e-10	-1.076	0.28244
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB8	-4.639e-10	3.185e-10	-1.457	0.14562
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB9	-1.626e-11	1.822e-10	-0.089	0.92890
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB10	9.703e-08	9.241e-08	1.050	0.29406
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB11	-5.549e-08	4.079e-08	-1.360	0.17407
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB7	-2.248e-11	1.147e-10	-0.196	0.84474
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB8	7.086e-10	3.808e-10	1.861	0.06310 .
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB9	4.295e-10	3.267e-10	1.315	0.18895
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB10	2.152e-07	1.182e-07	1.820	0.06909 .
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB11	-4.299e-08	2.038e-08	-2.109	0.03523 *
## POP_PCB7:POP_PCB8	-1.029e-09	4.279e-10	-2.404	0.01645 *
## POP_PCB7:POP_PCB9	-2.467e-10	3.622e-10	-0.681	0.49603
## POP_PCB7:POP_PCB10	-3.893e-08	1.308e-07	-0.298	0.76608
## POP_PCB7:POP_PCB11	4.226e-08	3.690e-08	1.145	0.25246
## POP_PCB8:POP_PCB9	1.317e-10	5.297e-10	0.249	0.80373
## POP_PCB8:POP_PCB10	5.264e-07	3.029e-07	1.738	0.08265 .
## POP_PCB8:POP_PCB11	-5.764e-08	1.285e-07	-0.449	0.65382

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## POP_PCB9:POP_PCB10 -2.240e-08 1.448e-07 -0.155 0.87712
## POP_PCB9:POP_PCB11 7.916e-08 6.811e-08 1.162 0.24548
## POP_PCB10:POP_PCB11 -5.384e-05 2.694e-05 -1.999 0.04599 *
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.2377 on 797 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.1666, Adjusted R-squared:  0.09763
## F-statistic: 2.415 on 66 and 797 DF,  p-value: 1.316e-08

f_dioxin <- as.formula(
  (paste("length", paste("(", paste(POP_dioxin, collapse = " + "), ")^2"), sep = " ~"))
m_dioxin <- lm(f_dioxin, data = pollutants)
summary(m_dioxin)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = f_dioxin, data = pollutants)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.55482 -0.17673 -0.03284  0.14352  1.25543
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      1.146e+00  1.839e-02  62.307 < 2e-16 ***
## POP_dioxin1      -4.963e-05  4.780e-04  -0.104   0.917
## POP_dioxin2      -1.938e-03  3.924e-04  -4.938 9.48e-07 ***
## POP_dioxin3      -2.509e-05  5.898e-05  -0.425   0.671
## POP_dioxin1:POP_dioxin2  1.207e-06  4.234e-06   0.285   0.776
## POP_dioxin1:POP_dioxin3 -4.810e-08  6.600e-08  -0.729   0.466
## POP_dioxin2:POP_dioxin3  3.850e-07  4.994e-07   0.771   0.441
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.2435 on 857 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.0598, Adjusted R-squared:  0.05322
## F-statistic: 9.084 on 6 and 857 DF,  p-value: 1.192e-09

# interaction in furan
f_furan <- as.formula(
  (paste("length", paste("(", paste(POP_furan, collapse = " + "), ")^2"), sep = " ~"))
m_furan <- lm(f_furan, data = pollutants)
summary(m_furan)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = f_furan, data = pollutants)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.61888 -0.18547 -0.02491  0.14317  1.26106
##
## Coefficients:
```

```
##               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      1.127e+00  2.511e-02  44.879   <2e-16 ***
## POP_furan1      -8.479e-03  8.177e-03  -1.037   0.3001
## POP_furan2      -4.371e-03  1.058e-02  -0.413   0.6795
## POP_furan3      -9.871e-03  4.039e-03  -2.444   0.0147 *
## POP_furan4       3.225e-03  2.008e-03   1.606   0.1086
## POP_furan1:POP_furan2  4.511e-05  3.122e-04   0.145   0.8851
## POP_furan1:POP_furan3 -3.070e-04  5.014e-04  -0.612   0.5406
## POP_furan1:POP_furan4  3.129e-04  4.206e-04   0.744   0.4571
## POP_furan2:POP_furan3  9.340e-04  6.074e-04   1.538   0.1245
## POP_furan2:POP_furan4 -5.346e-04  5.612e-04  -0.953   0.3410
## POP_furan3:POP_furan4  1.536e-04  2.389e-04   0.643   0.5203
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.2468 on 853 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.03869,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.02742
## F-statistic: 3.433 on 10 and 853 DF,  p-value: 0.0001986

# Estella's work 4
# setting threshold of pvalue to be 0.05 and assess possible interaction terms
pvalues <- summary(m_pcb)$coefficients[,4]
p_threshold = 0.05
selected <- which(pvalues <= p_threshold)
names(selected)

## [1] "(Intercept)"      "POP_PCB2:POP_PCB6"  "POP_PCB2:POP_PCB7"
## [4] "POP_PCB2:POP_PCB8"  "POP_PCB2:POP_PCB10" "POP_PCB3:POP_PCB7"
## [7] "POP_PCB6:POP_PCB11" "POP_PCB7:POP_PCB8"  "POP_PCB10:POP_PCB11"
```

## 4. Methods:

Describe your statistical analysis: What is your model? Did you use any transformations or extensions of the basic multiple linear regression model? How did you select a model? Does the model fit the data well? Are the necessary assumptions met? Be sure to explain and justify your decisions.

```
train_data <- pollutants[1:600,]
test_data <- pollutants[601:nrow(pollutants),]

#stepwise parameters selection without any interaction terms
M0 <- lm(length ~ 1, data = train_data) # minimal model
Mfull <- lm(length ~ ., data= train_data)

## 2 corresponds to AIC
## log(n) corresponds to BIC

# stepwise AIC
Mstart <- lm(length ~ ., data= train_data)
system.time({
  MAIC <- step(object = Mstart,
               scope = list(lower = M0, upper = Mfull),
               direction = "both", trace = 0, k = 2)
})

## user system elapsed
```

```
##    1.634    0.149    1.803

#stepwiseBIC
system.time({
  MBIC <- step(object = Mstart,
               scope = list(lower = M0, upper = Mfull),
               direction = "both", trace = 0, k = log(nrow(train_data)))
})

##    user  system elapsed
##    1.729    0.150    1.976

#stepwiseB_Adjusted R2
MAIC

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = length ~ POP_PCB1 + POP_PCB10 + POP_furan1 + POP_furan2 +
##     whitecell_count + monocyte_pct + edu_cat + race_cat + male +
##     ageyrs + ln_lbxcot, data = train_data)
##
## Coefficients:
##      (Intercept)      POP_PCB1      POP_PCB10      POP_furan1
##      1.443e+00     -5.602e-07      1.780e-03     -6.532e-03
##      POP_furan2  whitecell_count  monocyte_pct      edu_cat2
##      8.968e-03     -1.029e-02     -6.643e-03      4.105e-02
##      edu_cat3      edu_cat4  race_catMexican  race_catBlack
##      6.188e-02      8.254e-02     -3.635e-03      3.584e-02
##      race_catWhite      malemale      ageyrs      ln_lbxcot
##      -4.701e-02     -4.513e-02     -5.820e-03      7.573e-03

MBIC

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = length ~ POP_furan3 + ageyrs, data = train_data)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)  POP_furan3      ageyrs
##    1.355743    0.005969   -0.006922

# stepwise parameters selection with any interaction terms
M0 <- lm(length ~ 1, data = train_data) # minimal model

# tail to remove length column
single <- paste(tail(colnames(train_data),-1), collapse = " + ")
# tail to remove intercept column
interaction <- paste(tail(names(selected),-1), collapse = " + ")
f_interaction <- as.formula(
  paste("length", paste("(", single, "+", interaction, ")"), sep = " ~"))

Mfull <- lm(f_interaction, data = train_data)
Mstart <- lm(f_interaction, data = train_data)

# stepwise AIC
Mstart <- lm(length ~ ., data = train_data)
system.time({
```

```

MAIC_Interaction <- step(object = Mstart,
                        scope = list(lower = M0, upper = Mfull),
                        direction = "both", trace = 0, k = 2)
})

##    user  system elapsed
##   1.738   0.156   1.903

#stepwiseBIC
system.time({
  MBIC_Interaction <- step(object = Mstart,
                          scope = list(lower = M0, upper = Mfull),
                          direction = "both", trace = 0,
                          k = log(nrow(train_data)))
})

##    user  system elapsed
##   2.030   0.202   2.244

#stepwiseB_Adjusted R2
MAIC_Interaction

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = length ~ POP_PCB1 + POP_PCB6 + POP_PCB10 + POP_PCB11 +
##     POP_dioxin2 + POP_furan3 + whitecell_count + monocyte_pct +
##     BMI + edu_cat + race_cat + male + ageyrs + ln_lbxcot + POP_PCB10:POP_PCB11,
##     data = train_data)
##
## Coefficients:
##      (Intercept)      POP_PCB1      POP_PCB6
##      1.473e+00     -8.511e-07     1.150e-06
##      POP_PCB10      POP_PCB11      POP_dioxin2
##      2.839e-03      9.157e-04     -6.180e-04
##      POP_furan3    whitecell_count    monocyte_pct
##      4.745e-03     -9.472e-03     -6.707e-03
##      BMI           edu_cat2           edu_cat3
##     -2.272e-03      4.205e-02      5.902e-02
##      edu_cat4      race_catMexican    race_catBlack
##      7.656e-02      1.408e-03      4.927e-02
##      race_catWhite      malemale      ageyrs
##     -3.842e-02     -3.208e-02     -6.126e-03
##      ln_lbxcot  POP_PCB10:POP_PCB11
##      7.374e-03     -2.457e-05

MBIC_Interaction

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = length ~ POP_furan3 + ageyrs, data = train_data)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)  POP_furan3      ageyrs
##   1.355743    0.005969   -0.006922

# man's work
predAIC <- predict(MAIC, newdata=test_data)

```



```
predBIC <- predict(MBIC, newdata=test_data)
predAICInteraction <- predict(MAIC_Interaction, newdata=test_data)
predBICInteraction <- predict(MBIC_Interaction, newdata=test_data)

mean((test_data$length - predAIC)^2)

## [1] 0.05336494

mean((test_data$length - predBIC)^2)

## [1] 0.04804827

mean((test_data$length - predAICInteraction)^2)

## [1] 0.05230268

mean((test_data$length - predBICInteraction)^2)

## [1] 0.04804827
```