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

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

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

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# CHANGE ABSOLUTE PATH
# setwd("~/Desktop/stat341/R331project/data")
setwd("~/School/4A/STAT 331/R331project/data")
# setwd("~/Desktop/R331project/data")
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pollutants <- read.csv("pollutants.csv", header = TRUE) head(pollutants)</pre>

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length POP PCB1 POP PCB2 POP PCB3 POP PCB4 POP PCB5 POP PCB6 POP PCB7
     X
## 1 1 1.1587651
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     POP_furan1 POP_furan2 POP_furan3 POP_furan4 whitecell_count lymphocyte_pct
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## 1
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                                              19.4
            8.3
                        7.0
                                                                4.7
                                                                               39.5
##
     monocyte_pct eosinophils_pct basophils_pct neutrophils_pct
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## 1
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     race_cat male ageyrs yrssmoke smokenow ln_lbxcot
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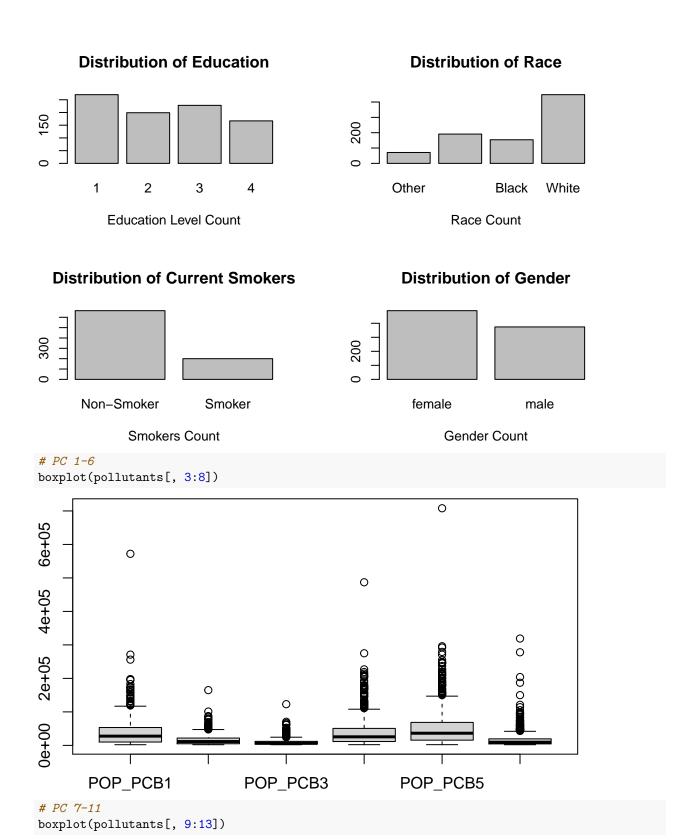
summary(pollutants)

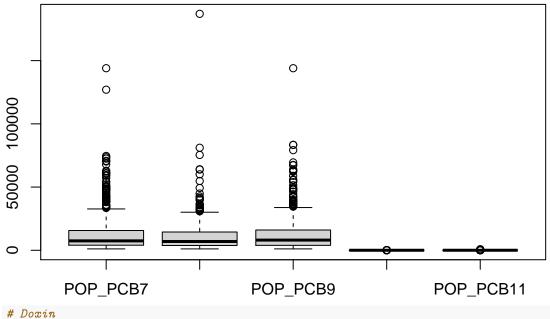
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##	Median :432.5	Median :1.0286	Median : 27600	Median : 11500
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##	3rd Qu.:648.2	3rd Qu.:1.2095	3rd Qu.: 53325	3rd Qu.: 21825
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##	1st Qu.: 3700	1st Qu.: 11475	1st Qu.: 15600	1st Qu.: 4400
##	Median: 6200	Median : 25550	Median : 36300	Median: 9400
##	Mean : 10158	Mean : 38456	Mean : 52650	Mean : 16820
##	3rd Qu.: 12000	3rd Qu.: 50650	3rd Qu.: 68625	3rd Qu.: 19500

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   1st Qu.: 4000
                    1st Qu.: 3800
   Median : 7450
                    Median: 6950
                                     Median: 8050
                                                     Median: 18.35
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   Mean : 12682
                    Mean : 10530
                                     Mean : 12220
                                                     Mean : 24.49
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                    3rd Qu.: 14425
                                     3rd Qu.: 16025
                                                     3rd Qu.: 34.90
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     POP PCB11
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                                      POP_dioxin2
                                                      POP dioxin3
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                    Median : 41.35
                                     Median: 37.80
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                    Mean : 57.65
                                     Mean : 47.81
   Mean : 38.15
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                                     3rd Qu.: 62.42
                                                     3rd Qu.: 603.0
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                                      POP_furan3
                                                       POP_furan4
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                    1st Qu.: 2.600
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                    Mean : 5.390
##
   Mean : 6.371
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                                                     Mean : 11.54
                                     3rd Qu.: 9.300
##
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                    3rd Qu.: 6.825
                                                     3rd Qu.: 14.00
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   whitecell_count
##
                    lymphocyte_pct
                                     monocyte_pct
                                                    eosinophils_pct
   Min. : 2.300
                    Min. : 5.80
                                    Min. : 1.600
                                                    Min. :21.60
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##
   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
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   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
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   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
                         :0.6669
                                     Mean :28.09
                                                    Mean :2.338
##
                    Mean
##
   3rd Qu.: 3.700
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##
          :28.200
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                   Median :0.0000
##
   Median :4.000
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   Mean :3.133
                   Mean :0.4329
                                                   Mean :10.6
                                    Mean :48.36
##
   3rd Qu.:4.000
                   3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                    3rd Qu.:63.00
                                                   3rd Qu.:20.0
         :4.000
                   Max. :1.0000
                                    Max. :85.00
                                                   Max. :69.0
##
   Max.
##
      smokenow
                      ln_lbxcot
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                    Min. :-4.5099
   Min.
   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. : 6.5848
   Max. :1.0000
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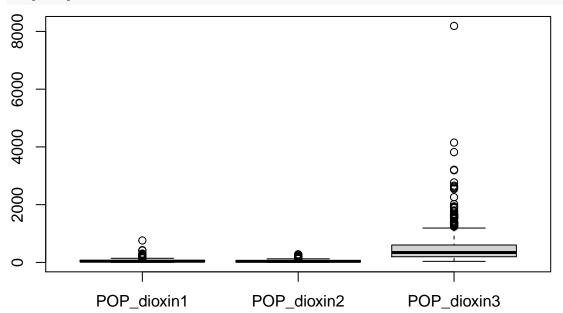
Covariates

```
names(pollutants)
   [1] "X"
                           "length"
                                             "POP PCB1"
                                                                "POP PCB2"
                                             "POP_PCB5"
   [5] "POP_PCB3"
                           "POP PCB4"
                                                                "POP PCB6"
## [9] "POP_PCB7"
                           "POP PCB8"
                                             "POP PCB9"
                                                                "POP PCB10"
## [13] "POP_PCB11"
                           "POP_dioxin1"
                                             "POP_dioxin2"
                                                                "POP_dioxin3"
                           "POP_furan2"
## [17] "POP_furan1"
                                             "POP_furan3"
                                                                "POP furan4"
## [21] "whitecell_count" "lymphocyte_pct"
                                             "monocyte_pct"
                                                                "eosinophils_pct"
## [25] "basophils_pct"
                           "neutrophils_pct"
                                             "BMI"
                                                                "edu_cat"
## [29] "race_cat"
                           "male"
                                                                "yrssmoke"
                                             "ageyrs"
## [33] "smokenow"
                           "ln_lbxcot"
Note that "edu_cat", "race_cat", "male", "smokenow" are 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"))
# 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")
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Doxin boxplot(pollutants[, 14:16])



Furan
boxplot(pollutants[, 17:20])

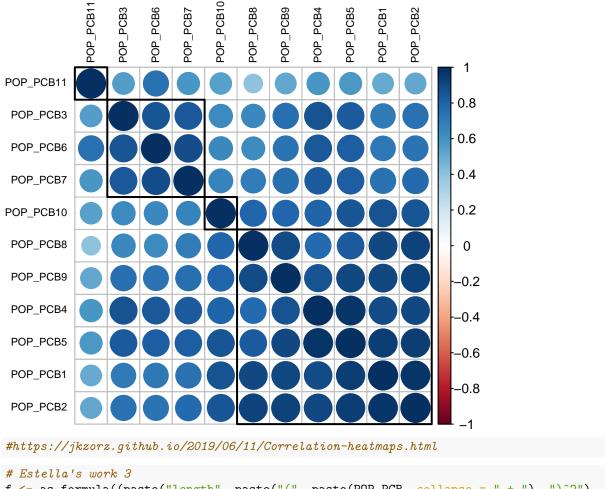
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907
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POP_furan1 POP_furan2 POP_furan3 POP_furan4
# Estella's work 1
library(corrplot)
```

corrplot 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_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 togethe corrplot(cc, tl.col = "black", order = "hclust", hclust.method = "average", addrect = 4, tl.cex = 0.7)</pre>
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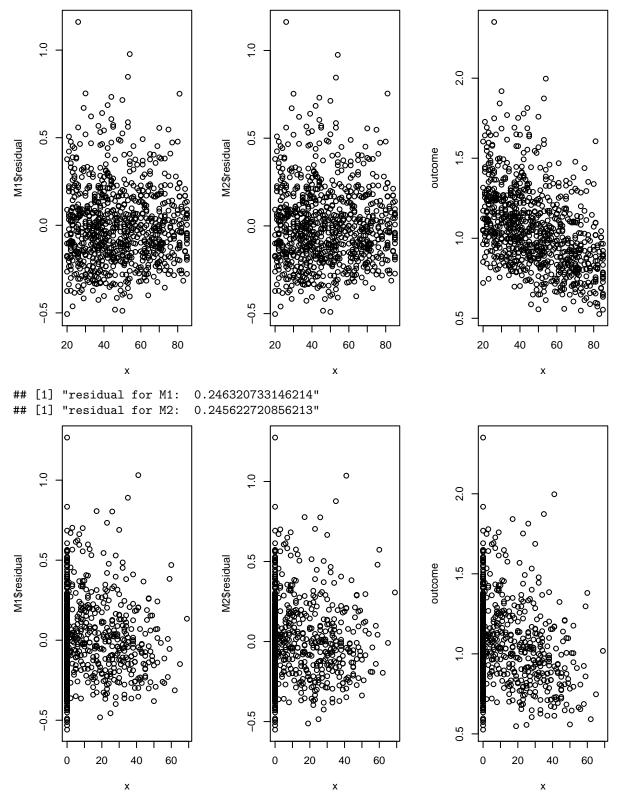
```
f <- as.formula((paste("length", paste("(", paste(POP_PCB, collapse = " + "), ")^2"), sep = " ~")))
m <- lm(f, data = pollutants)</pre>
summary(m)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = f, data = pollutants)
##
## Residuals:
##
                                              Max
        Min
                  1Q
                       Median
                                     3Q
  -0.53819 -0.16080 -0.01896 0.12149
                                        1.20671
```

```
## Coefficients:
##
                        Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                       1.153e+00 2.892e-02 39.876 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## POP_PCB1
                      -6.741e-06 3.521e-06
                                            -1.915
                                                     0.05591 .
## POP_PCB2
                                              0.407
                                                     0.68378
                       3.801e-06
                                  9.328e-06
## 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
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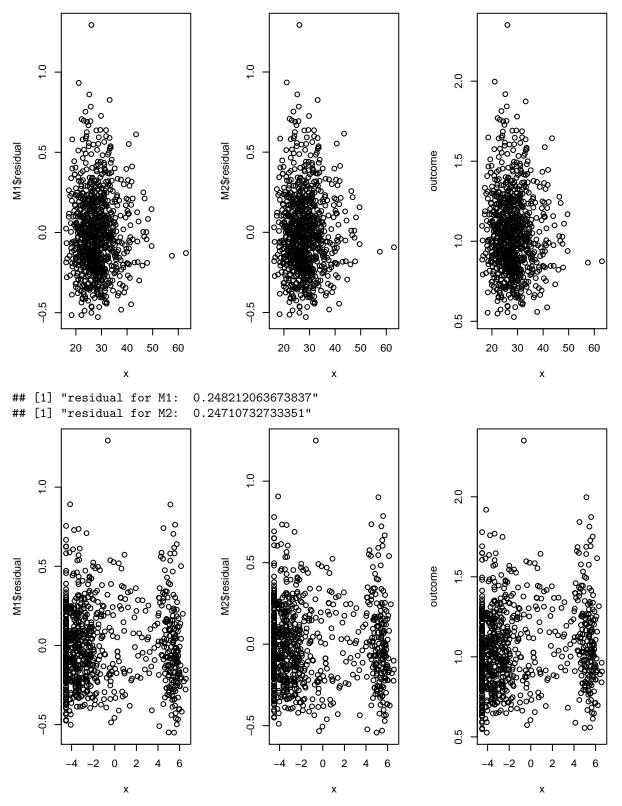
##

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## 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
                                                 -0.123
## POP PCB1:POP PCB5
                        -1.621e-11
                                     1.318e-10
                                                         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
                                                -1.935
                                     2.693e-10
                                                         0.05340
  POP_PCB1:POP_PCB9
                         4.146e-10
                                     2.287e-10
                                                 1.813
                                                         0.07020
## POP_PCB1:POP_PCB10
                         1.675e-07
                                                 1.277
                                     1.311e-07
                                                         0.20183
  POP_PCB1:POP_PCB11
                        -6.663e-08
                                     7.321e-08
                                                 -0.910
                                                         0.36303
## POP_PCB2:POP_PCB3
                                                 1.919
                         1.673e-09
                                                         0.05537
                                     8.717e-10
## 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
                                                 -2.444
                        -1.426e-09
                                     5.834e-10
                                                         0.01474 *
                                                 2.264
  POP_PCB2:POP_PCB7
                         1.532e-09
                                     6.770e-10
                                                         0.02387 *
  POP PCB2:POP PCB8
                                                 2.602
                         2.135e-09
                                     8.207e-10
                                                         0.00945 **
  POP_PCB2:POP_PCB9
                                                 -1.870
                        -1.356e-09
                                     7.249e-10
                                                         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
                                                 -0.333
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB4
                        -3.996e-11
                                     1.199e-10
                                                         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
                                                -0.772
  POP_PCB3:POP_PCB9
                        -4.221e-10
                                     5.470e-10
                                                         0.44059
## POP_PCB3:POP_PCB10
                        -4.835e-07
                                                -1.892
                                     2.555e-07
                                                         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
                                                -1.341
                        -2.117e-10
                                     1.579e-10
                                                         0.18019
  POP_PCB4:POP_PCB8
                        -4.525e-11
                                                 -0.114
                                     3.961e-10
                                                         0.90908
  POP_PCB4:POP_PCB9
                                                 0.464
                         1.217e-10
                                     2.625e-10
                                                         0.64294
                                                 1.505
## POP PCB4:POP PCB10
                         1.345e-07
                                     8.933e-08
                                                         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
                                                -1.076
                                                         0.28244
                                     1.446e-10
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB8
                        -4.639e-10
                                     3.185e-10
                                                -1.457
                                                         0.14562
## POP_PCB5:POP_PCB9
                                                -0.089
                        -1.626e-11
                                     1.822e-10
                                                         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
                                                 1.861
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB8
                         7.086e-10
                                     3.808e-10
                                                         0.06310
## POP_PCB6:POP_PCB9
                         4.295e-10
                                                 1.315
                                     3.267e-10
                                                         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
                                                 -0.298
                                     1.308e-07
                                                         0.76608
                                                 1.145
## POP_PCB7:POP_PCB11
                         4.226e-08
                                     3.690e-08
                                                         0.25246
## POP PCB8:POP PCB9
                         1.317e-10
                                     5.297e-10
                                                 0.249
                                                         0.80373
## POP_PCB8:POP_PCB10
                         5.264e-07
                                                 1.738
                                     3.029e-07
                                                         0.08265
## POP PCB8:POP PCB11
                        -5.764e-08
                                     1.285e-07
                                                -0.449
                                                         0.65382
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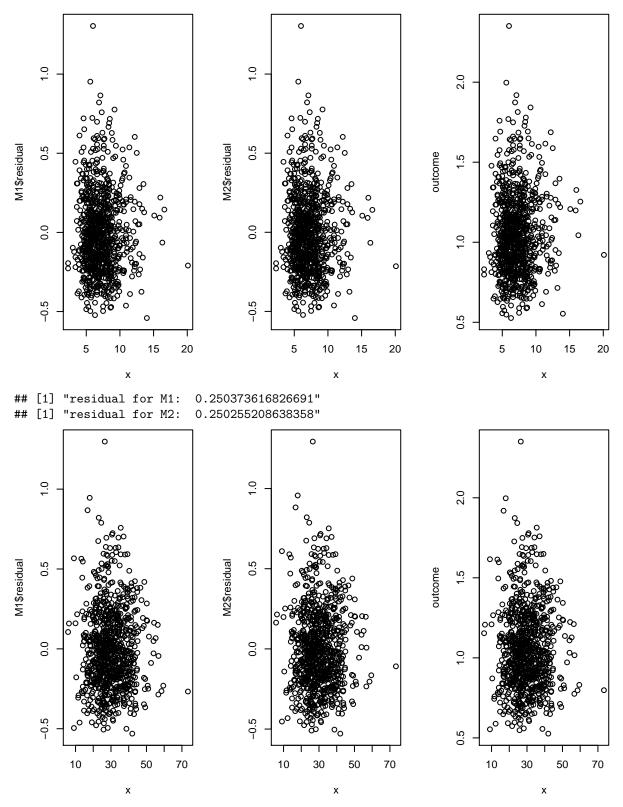
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## POP_PCB9:POP_PCB10 -2.240e-08 1.448e-07 -0.155 0.87712
## POP_PCB9:POP_PCB11 7.916e-08 6.811e-08 1.162 0.24548
## POP PCB10:POP PCB11 -5.384e-05 2.694e-05 -1.999 0.04599 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual 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
# 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$length</pre>
check <- function(x) {</pre>
 M1 <- lm(outcome ~ x)
  print(paste("residual for M1: ", sigma(M1)))
 M2 \leftarrow lm(outcome \sim x + I(x^2))
 print(paste("residual for M2: ", sigma(M2)))
 plot(x, M1$residual)
 plot(x, M2$residual)
 plot(x, outcome)
list <- list(pollutants$ageyrs, pollutants$yrssmoke,</pre>
             pollutants$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"
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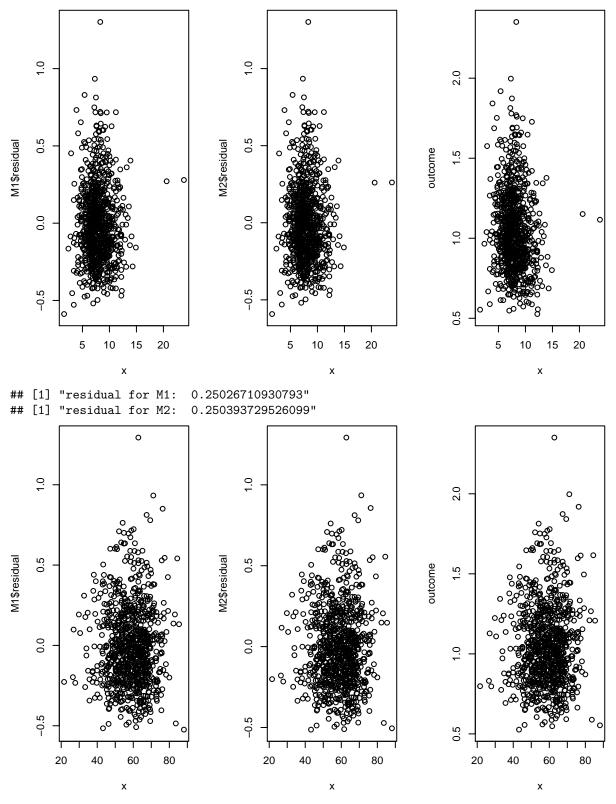
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[1] "residual for M2: 0.25036248052387"



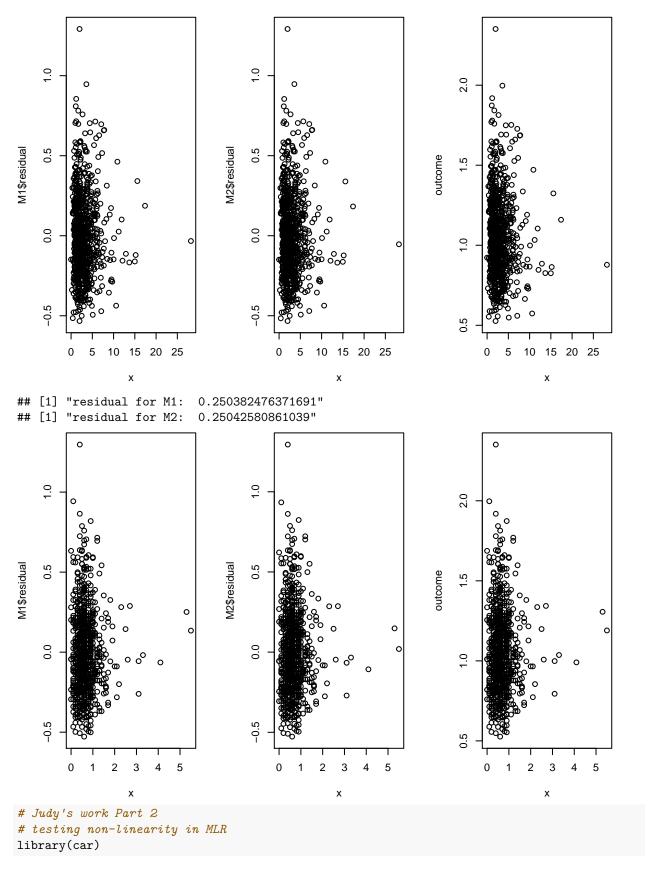
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[1] "residual for M2: 0.250210403543218"



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



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



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