

Assignment 7: GLMs (Linear Regressios, ANOVA, & t-tests)

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OVERVIEW

This exercise accompanies the lessons in Environmental Data Analytics on generalized linear models.

Directions

1. Rename this file `<FirstLast>_A07_GLMs.Rmd` (replacing `<FirstLast>` with your first and last name).
2. Change “Student Name” on line 3 (above) with your name.
3. Work through the steps, **creating code and output** that fulfill each instruction.
4. Be sure to **answer the questions** in this assignment document.
5. When you have completed the assignment, **Knit** the text and code into a single PDF file.

Set up your session

1. Set up your session. Check your working directory. Load the tidyverse, agricolae and other needed packages. Import the *raw* NTL-LTER raw data file for chemistry/physics (NTL-LTER_Lake_ChemistryPhysics_Raw.csv). Set date columns to date objects.
2. Build a ggplot theme and set it as your default theme.

```
#1
getwd()

## [1] "/home/guest/EDA_Spring2024"

library(tidyverse)

## -- Attaching core tidyverse packages ----- tidyverse 2.0.0 --
## v dplyr      1.1.4      v readr      2.1.4
## v forcats    1.0.0      v stringr   1.5.0
## v ggplot2    3.4.4      v tibble    3.2.1
## v lubridate  1.9.3      v tidyr     1.3.0
## v purrr      1.0.2
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all conflicts to become errors

library(agricolae)
library(here)

## here() starts at /home/guest/EDA_Spring2024

library(lubridate)

NTL.LTER <- read.csv(here("Data/Raw/NTL-LTER_Lake_ChemistryPhysics_Raw.csv"),
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stringsAsFactors = T)
NTL.LTER$sampdate <- as.Date(NTL.LTER$sampdate, format = "%m/%d/%y")

#2
mytheme <- theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
  theme(axis.text = element_text(color = "black"),
        legend.position = "top")
theme_set(mytheme)

```

Simple regression

Our first research question is: Does mean lake temperature recorded during July change with depth across all lakes?

3. State the null and alternative hypotheses for this question: > Answer: H0: The mean lake temperature recorded during July does not change with depth across all lakes. Ha: The mean lake temperature recorded during July changes with depth across all lakes.
4. Wrangle your NTL-LTER dataset with a pipe function so that the records meet the following criteria:
 - Only dates in July.
 - Only the columns: lakename, year4, daynum, depth, temperature_C
 - Only complete cases (i.e., remove NAs)
5. Visualize the relationship among the two continuous variables with a scatter plot of temperature by depth. Add a smoothed line showing the linear model, and limit temperature values from 0 to 35 °C. Make this plot look pretty and easy to read.

```

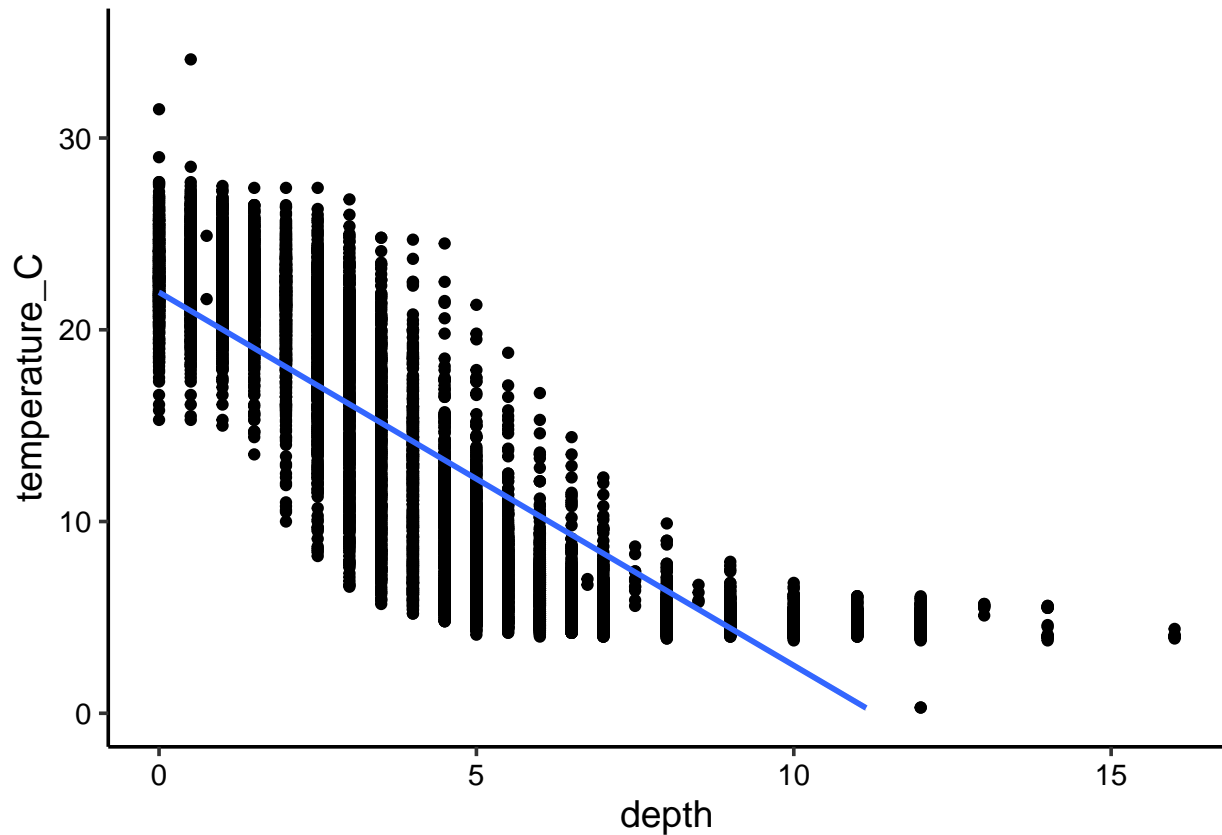
#4
NTL.LTER.new <- NTL.LTER %>%
  mutate(month = month(sampdate)) %>%
  filter(month == 7) %>%
  select(lakename, year4, daynum, depth, temperature_C) %>%
  na.omit()

#5
temp.depth <- ggplot(NTL.LTER.new,
  aes(x = depth, y = temperature_C)) +
  geom_point () +
  geom_smooth(method = lm) +
  ylim(0, 35)

print(temp.depth)

## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## Warning: Removed 24 rows containing missing values (`geom_smooth()`).

```



6. Interpret the figure. What does it suggest with regards to the response of temperature to depth? Do the distribution of points suggest about anything about the linearity of this trend?

Answer: The figure suggests that temperature changes with depth. As depth increases, temperature decreases. The distribution of points suggests that the relationship is nearly linear with some outliers.

7. Perform a linear regression to test the relationship and display the results.

```
#7
temp.depth.regress <- lm(
  data = NTL.LTER.new,
  temperature_C ~ depth)
summary(temp.depth.regress)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = temperature_C ~ depth, data = NTL.LTER.new)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.5173 -3.0192  0.0633  2.9365 13.5834
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  21.95597   0.06792   323.3  <2e-16 ***
## depth       -1.94621   0.01174  -165.8  <2e-16 ***
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.835 on 9726 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7387, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7387
## F-statistic: 2.75e+04 on 1 and 9726 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

8. Interpret your model results in words. Include how much of the variability in temperature is explained by changes in depth, the degrees of freedom on which this finding is based, and the statistical significance of the result. Also mention how much temperature is predicted to change for every 1m change in depth.

Answer: About 73.87% of the variability in temperature is explained by changes in depth because R-squared is 0.7387. The degree of freedom is 9726 which is based on the number of observations of data “NTL.LTER.new”. The p-value is less than 0.05, indicating that the result is significant and hence the null hypothesis should be rejected. The regression shows that with every 1m change in depth, the temperature is predicted to decrease by 1.94.

Multiple regression

Let’s tackle a similar question from a different approach. Here, we want to explore what might the best set of predictors for lake temperature in July across the monitoring period at the North Temperate Lakes LTER.

9. Run an AIC to determine what set of explanatory variables (year4, daynum, depth) is best suited to predict temperature.
10. Run a multiple regression on the recommended set of variables.

```
#9
temp.depth.AIC <- lm(
  data = NTL.LTER.new,
  temperature_C ~ year4 + daynum + depth
)
step(temp.depth.AIC)

## Start:  AIC=26065.53
## temperature_C ~ year4 + daynum + depth
##
##           Df Sum of Sq    RSS   AIC
## <none>                 141687 26066
## - year4      1         101 141788 26070
## - daynum     1        1237 142924 26148
## - depth      1       404475 546161 39189
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = temperature_C ~ year4 + daynum + depth, data = NTL.LTER.new)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      year4      daynum      depth
##   -8.57556      0.01134      0.03978     -1.94644

#10
summary(temp.depth.AIC)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = temperature_C ~ year4 + daynum + depth, data = NTL.LTER.new)
##
```

```
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.6536 -3.0000  0.0902  2.9658 13.6123
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error  t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -8.575564   8.630715  -0.994  0.32044
## year4        0.011345   0.004299   2.639  0.00833 **
## daynum       0.039780   0.004317   9.215 < 2e-16 ***
## depth       -1.946437   0.011683 -166.611 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.817 on 9724 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7412, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7411
## F-statistic: 9283 on 3 and 9724 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

11. What is the final set of explanatory variables that the AIC method suggests we use to predict temperature in our multiple regression? How much of the observed variance does this model explain? Is this an improvement over the model using only depth as the explanatory variable?

Answer: AIC suggests that we should use year4, daynum, and depth to predict temperature. The new regression explains 74.11% of the variance. It is not an improvement over the regression only using depth as the explanatory variable.

Analysis of Variance

12. Now we want to see whether the different lakes have, on average, different temperatures in the month of July. Run an ANOVA test to complete this analysis. (No need to test assumptions of normality or similar variances.) Create two sets of models: one expressed as an ANOVA models and another expressed as a linear model (as done in our lessons).

```
#12
temp.anova <- aov(data = NTL.LTER.new,
                  temperature_C ~ lakename)
summary(temp.anova)

##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## lakename      8  21642   2705.2      50 <2e-16 ***
## Residuals    9719 525813     54.1
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

13. Is there a significant difference in mean temperature among the lakes? Report your findings.

Answer: There is a significant difference in mean temperature among the lakes. According to the ANOVA test, the p-value is less than 0.05, so we will reject the null hypothesis, indicating that all lakes do not have equal mean temperature.

14. Create a graph that depicts temperature by depth, with a separate color for each lake. Add a `geom_smooth` (method = "lm", se = FALSE) for each lake. Make your points 50 % transparent. Adjust your y axis limits to go from 0 to 35 degrees. Clean up your graph to make it pretty.

```
#14.
temp.graph <- ggplot(NTL.LTER.new,
                     aes(x = depth, y = temperature_C, color = lakename)) +
```

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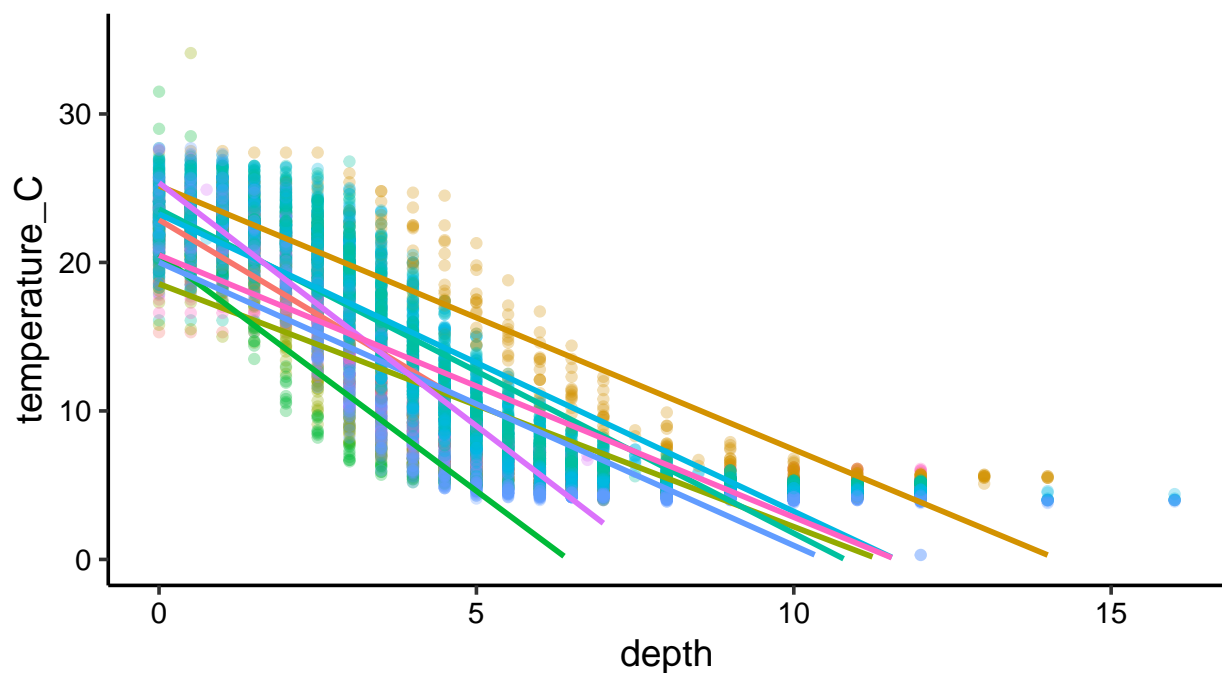
geom_point(alpha = 0.3) +
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = F) +
ylim(0, 35)

print(temp.graph)

## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## Warning: Removed 73 rows containing missing values (`geom_smooth()`).

ne
Central Long Lake East Long Lake Paul Lake Tuesday Lake
Crampton Lake Hummingbird Lake Peter Lake Ward Lake

```



15. Use the Tukey's HSD test to determine which lakes have different means.

```

#15
temp.HSD <- HSD.test(temp.anova, "lakename", group = T)
print(temp.HSD)

## $statistics
##   MSerror  Df    Mean    CV
##   54.1016 9719 12.72087 57.82135
##
## $parameters
##   test  name.t ntr StudentizedRange alpha
##   Tukey lakename  9      4.387504  0.05
##
## $means
##               temperature_C    std    r      se Min  Max   Q25  Q50
## Central Long Lake      17.66641 4.196292 128 0.6501298 8.9 26.8 14.400 18.40
## Crampton Lake          15.35189 7.244773 318 0.4124692 5.0 27.5  7.525 16.90

```

```
## East Long Lake      10.26767 6.766804 968 0.2364108 4.2 34.1 4.975 6.50
## Hummingbird Lake   10.77328 7.017845 116 0.6829298 4.0 31.5 5.200 7.00
## Paul Lake          13.81426 7.296928 2660 0.1426147 4.7 27.7 6.500 12.40
## Peter Lake         13.31626 7.669758 2872 0.1372501 4.0 27.0 5.600 11.40
## Tuesday Lake       11.06923 7.698687 1524 0.1884137 0.3 27.7 4.400 6.80
## Ward Lake          14.45862 7.409079 116 0.6829298 5.7 27.6 7.200 12.55
## West Long Lake     11.57865 6.980789 1026 0.2296314 4.0 25.7 5.400 8.00
##
## Q75
## Central Long Lake  21.000
## Crampton Lake      22.300
## East Long Lake     15.925
## Hummingbird Lake   15.625
## Paul Lake          21.400
## Peter Lake         21.500
## Tuesday Lake       19.400
## Ward Lake          23.200
## West Long Lake     18.800
##
## $comparison
## NULL
##
## $groups
##
## temperature_C groups
## Central Long Lake   17.66641      a
## Crampton Lake       15.35189     ab
## Ward Lake           14.45862     bc
## Paul Lake           13.81426      c
## Peter Lake          13.31626      c
## West Long Lake      11.57865      d
## Tuesday Lake        11.06923     de
## Hummingbird Lake    10.77328     de
## East Long Lake      10.26767      e
##
## attr(,"class")
## [1] "group"
```

```
TukeyHSD(temp.anova)
```

```
## Tukey multiple comparisons of means
## 95% family-wise confidence level
##
## Fit: aov(formula = temperature_C ~ lakename, data = NTL.LTER.new)
##
## $lakename
##
## diff lwr upr p adj
## Crampton Lake-Central Long Lake -2.3145195 -4.7031913 0.0741524 0.0661566
## East Long Lake-Central Long Lake -7.3987410 -9.5449411 -5.2525408 0.0000000
## Hummingbird Lake-Central Long Lake -6.8931304 -9.8184178 -3.9678430 0.0000000
## Paul Lake-Central Long Lake -3.8521506 -5.9170942 -1.7872070 0.0000003
## Peter Lake-Central Long Lake -4.3501458 -6.4115874 -2.2887042 0.0000000
## Tuesday Lake-Central Long Lake -6.5971805 -8.6971605 -4.4972005 0.0000000
## Ward Lake-Central Long Lake -3.2077856 -6.1330730 -0.2824982 0.0193405
## West Long Lake-Central Long Lake -6.0877513 -8.2268550 -3.9486475 0.0000000
## East Long Lake-Crampton Lake -5.0842215 -6.5591700 -3.6092730 0.0000000
## Hummingbird Lake-Crampton Lake -4.5786109 -7.0538088 -2.1034131 0.0000004
```

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## Paul Lake-Crampton Lake      -1.5376312 -2.8916215 -0.1836408 0.0127491
## Peter Lake-Crampton Lake     -2.0356263 -3.3842699 -0.6869828 0.0000999
## Tuesday Lake-Crampton Lake   -4.2826611 -5.6895065 -2.8758157 0.0000000
## Ward Lake-Crampton Lake      -0.8932661 -3.3684639  1.5819317 0.9714459
## West Long Lake-Crampton Lake -3.7732318 -5.2378351 -2.3086285 0.0000000
## Hummingbird Lake-East Long Lake 0.5056106 -1.7364925  2.7477137 0.9988050
## Paul Lake-East Long Lake     3.5465903  2.6900206  4.4031601 0.0000000
## Peter Lake-East Long Lake    3.0485952  2.2005025  3.8966879 0.0000000
## Tuesday Lake-East Long Lake  0.8015604 -0.1363286  1.7394495 0.1657485
## Ward Lake-East Long Lake     4.1909554  1.9488523  6.4330585 0.0000002
## West Long Lake-East Long Lake 1.3109897  0.2885003  2.3334791 0.0022805
## Paul Lake-Hummingbird Lake   3.0409798  0.8765299  5.2054296 0.0004495
## Peter Lake-Hummingbird Lake  2.5429846  0.3818755  4.7040937 0.0080666
## Tuesday Lake-Hummingbird Lake 0.2959499 -1.9019508  2.4938505 0.9999752
## Ward Lake-Hummingbird Lake   3.6853448  0.6889874  6.6817022 0.0043297
## West Long Lake-Hummingbird Lake 0.8053791 -1.4299320  3.0406903 0.9717297
## Peter Lake-Paul Lake        -0.4979952 -1.1120620  0.1160717 0.2241586
## Tuesday Lake-Paul Lake      -2.7450299 -3.4781416 -2.0119182 0.0000000
## Ward Lake-Paul Lake         0.6443651 -1.5200848  2.8088149 0.9916978
## West Long Lake-Paul Lake    -2.2356007 -3.0742314 -1.3969699 0.0000000
## Tuesday Lake-Peter Lake     -2.2470347 -2.9702236 -1.5238458 0.0000000
## Ward Lake-Peter Lake        1.1423602 -1.0187489  3.3034693 0.7827037
## West Long Lake-Peter Lake   -1.7376055 -2.5675759 -0.9076350 0.0000000
## Ward Lake-Tuesday Lake      3.3893950  1.1914943  5.5872956 0.0000609
## West Long Lake-Tuesday Lake  0.5094292 -0.4121051  1.4309636 0.7374387
## West Long Lake-Ward Lake    -2.8799657 -5.1152769 -0.6446546 0.0021080
```

16. From the findings above, which lakes have the same mean temperature, statistically speaking, as Peter Lake? Does any lake have a mean temperature that is statistically distinct from all the other lakes?

Answer: Paul and Peter Lake have the same mean temperature. Tuesday and Hummingbird Lake also have the same temperature. Their p-value of the difference in mean temperature is greater than 0.05 which means we will accept the null hypothesis that their mean temperature is statistically the same. East Long Lake and Central Long Lake has the greatest difference.

17. If we were just looking at Peter Lake and Paul Lake. What's another test we might explore to see whether they have distinct mean temperatures?

Answer: We also need to do a 2-sample t-test to compare the mean of Peter Lake to the mean of Paul Lake. The null hypothesis will set the mean temperature of the lakes equal to each other and test whether this statement is true.

18. Wrangle the July data to include only records for Crampton Lake and Ward Lake. Run the two-sample T-test on these data to determine whether their July temperature are same or different. What does the test say? Are the mean temperatures for the lakes equal? Does that match your answer for part 16?

```
Crampton.Ward <- NTL.LTER.new %>%
  filter(lakename == "Crampton Lake" | lakename == "Ward Lake")

summary(Crampton.Ward$lakename)
```

```
## Central Long Lake      Crampton Lake      East Long Lake      Hummingbird Lake
##              0              318              0              0
##      Paul Lake      Peter Lake      Tuesday Lake      Ward Lake
##              0              0              0              116
##      West Long Lake
##              0
```



```
ttest <- t.test(Crampton.Ward$temperature_C ~ Crampton.Ward$lakename)

print(ttest)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: Crampton.Ward$temperature_C by Crampton.Ward$lakename
## t = 1.1181, df = 200.37, p-value = 0.2649
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means between group Crampton Lake and group Ward Lake is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -0.6821129 2.4686451
## sample estimates:
## mean in group Crampton Lake      mean in group Ward Lake
##          15.35189              14.45862
```

Answer: The test says that the July temperature for Crampton and Ward Lake are the same because their p-value is greater than 0.05, meaning that we will accept the null hypothesis that their mean are equal to each other. This matches with my answer in part 16 but they are a little different. Part 16 cross-compared all lakes whereas part 18 only compared two. Part 16's null hypothesis sets all the data equal to each other whereas part 18 sets Crampton Lake = Ward Lake.