# Regression Models Project - Motor Trend Data 'mtcars' Miles Per Gallon Analysis

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#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

#### Problem Statement / Define the Question(s)

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You work for Motor Trend, a magazine about the automobile industry. Looking at a data set of a coll Q1 "Is an automatic or manual transmission better for MPG"

Q2 "Quantify the MPG difference between automatic and manual transmissions"
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#### Planned Approach -

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Experimental Design Considerations
        Simple linear comparison to:
        Multivariate incrementing by additional variable
        Coefficients
        Residuals
                Influence
                Leverage
        Correlation
                Deviance
Descriptive
        head
        summary
Exploratory
        lm - simple
        lm - multivariate
        lm - nested
        lm - remove the intercept (-1)
        lm - step function
Inferential
        Null Hypothesis
        Alternative Hypothesis
        Power or Alpha
        Confidence Interval = .95, one or two sided?
        pValue
Predictive (test)?
        ????
Causal ~ NA
Mechanistic ~ NA
```

#### Software Environment

System / session Info:

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sessionInfo()
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## R version 3.3.1 (2016-06-21)
## Platform: x86_64-apple-darwin13.4.0 (64-bit)
## Running under: OS X 10.11.6 (El Capitan)
## locale:
## [1] en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/C/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8
## attached base packages:
## [1] stats
                graphics grDevices utils
                                             datasets methods
                                                                 base
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
## [1] magrittr_1.5
                       formatR_1.4
                                   tools_3.3.1
                                                      htmltools_0.3.5
## [5] yaml_2.1.13
                                                      rmarkdown_1.0
                       Rcpp_0.12.7
                                      stringi_1.1.1
## [9] knitr_1.14
                       stringr_1.1.0 digest_0.6.10
                                                      evaluate_0.9
```

#### Data Processing / Cleaning

Download, read & Date Downloaded

```
'insert code'
## [1] "insert code"
   Raw Data - what is the available data = Motor Trend 'mtcars' data set
head(mtcars, 10)
                    mpg cyl disp hp drat
                                           wt qsec vs am gear carb
## Mazda RX4
                   21.0 6 160.0 110 3.90 2.620 16.46 0 1
## Mazda RX4 Wag
                   21.0 6 160.0 110 3.90 2.875 17.02 0 1
                   22.8 4 108.0 93 3.85 2.320 18.61 1 1
## Datsun 710
                                                                   1
## Hornet 4 Drive
                   21.4 6 258.0 110 3.08 3.215 19.44 1 0
                                                                   1
## Hornet Sportabout 18.7 8 360.0 175 3.15 3.440 17.02 0 0
                   18.1 6 225.0 105 2.76 3.460 20.22 1 0
## Valiant
                                                                  1
                   14.3 8 360.0 245 3.21 3.570 15.84 0 0
## Duster 360
## Merc 240D
                   24.4 4 146.7 62 3.69 3.190 20.00 1 0
                                                                   2
## Merc 230
                   22.8 4 140.8 95 3.92 3.150 22.90 1 0
                                                                   2
## Merc 280
                   19.2 6 167.6 123 3.92 3.440 18.30 1 0
str(mtcars)
```

## 'data.frame': 32 obs. of 11 variables: ## \$ mpg : num 21 21 22.8 21.4 18.7 18.1 14.3 24.4 22.8 19.2 ...

```
## $ cyl : num 6 6 4 6 8 6 8 4 4 6 ...
## $ disp: num 160 160 108 258 360 ...
## $ hp : num 110 110 93 110 175 105 245 62 95 123 ...
## $ drat: num 3.9 3.9 3.85 3.08 3.15 2.76 3.21 3.69 3.92 3.92 ...
## $ wt : num 2.62 2.88 2.32 3.21 3.44 ...
## $ qsec: num 16.5 17 18.6 19.4 17 ...
## $ vs : num 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 ...
## $ am : num 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ gear: num 4 4 4 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 4 ...
## $ carb: num 4 4 1 1 2 1 4 2 2 4 ...
```

#### **Processed Data**

```
Transformations / modifications / changes / etc.
CodeBook (how you processed the data)

Explicit steps

1
2
3 etc.
```

### Exploratory Analysis w/ Processed Data

```
State the HO & Ha hypoyhesis here
        Comparisons
        Causality?
        Multivariate
        Nested Analysis
        Summaries
        Boxplots
        Histograms
        Rug
        Barplot
        ABline (h/v)
        Scatterplot
        Multiple scatter plots
        Graphing - base, lattice, ggpplot2
        Heatmap
        K-Means
        Dimension Reduction
                PCA
                SVD
        Figures: Exploratory
```

#### Statistical Modeling, Regression & Model Fit

```
Simple Linear Regression
Multivariate Linear Regression
Reference Variable ??
Coefficients / Slope
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```
Standard Error
T-Vales
pValues
Residuals
Leverage
Influence
Hatvalues
```

### **Assumptions Main:**

A

B C

Preliminary Findings: Quesions of Interest: & Interpretation of

Results A B C

#### Inference

Hypothesis testing
Set Seed if necessary
One or Two Sided
Power?
Confidence Intervals
Standard Error
Variance
p-Values
Residual Plots with diagnostics see Appendix

### Conclusions / Recommendations

A
B
C
Challenge the results ?
Measures of uncertainty 'e'

### What are some possible alternative analyses?

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## Appendix A

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Plots with Code
Histograms
Pairs
QQ Plots
Box Plots
Residuals vs Fitted?
Error Rates?
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 $=== \operatorname{End} ===$