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

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Add after completion of analysis

Problem Statement & Define the Question(s)

Assuming you work for Motor Trend, a magazine about the automobile industry. Looking at a data set of a collection of cars;

They are interested in exploring the relationship between a set of variables and miles per gallon (MPG) (outcome).

They are particularly interested in the following two questions:

```
## Q1 "Is an automatic or manual transmission better for MPG"
## Q2 "Quantify the MPG difference between automatic and manual transmissions"
```

Planned Approach

Experimental Design Considerations

```
Correlation
Deviance
Descriptive
        is.na
        str
        summary
Exploratory
Simple linear comparisons
Multivariate
        Additive
        Multiplicative
        Missing
        Steped
Coefficients
Residuals
        Influence
        Leverage
Inferential
        Null Hypothesis
```

```
Alternative Hypothesis
Power or Alpha
Confidence Interval = .95, one or two sided?
pValue
R^2
Predictive >
Causal ~ NA
Mechanistic ~ NA
```

Software Environment

System / session Info:

```
## 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
                        Rcpp_0.12.7
                                        stringi_1.1.1
                                                        rmarkdown 1.0
## [9] knitr_1.14
                        stringr_1.1.0
                                        digest_0.6.10
                                                        evaluate 0.9
```

Access the Data:

Raw Data overview:

Motor Trend 'mtcars' data set

```
##
                          cyl disp
                                     hp drat
                                                wt qsec
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Mazda RX4
## Mazda RX4 Wag
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Datsun 710
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Hornet 4 Drive
## Hornet Sportabout
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Valiant
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Duster 360
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 240D
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 230
## Merc 280
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 280C
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 450SE
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 450SL
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Merc 450SLC
                   FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Cadillac Fleetwood FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
```

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## Lincoln Continental FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Chrysler Imperial FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Fiat 128
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Honda Civic
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Toyota Corolla
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Toyota Corona
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Dodge Challenger
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## AMC Javelin
## Camaro Z28
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Pontiac Firebird
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Fiat X1-9
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Porsche 914-2
## Lotus Europa
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Ford Pantera L
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Ferrari Dino
## Maserati Bora
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## Volvo 142E
                     FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
##
                      gear carb
                     FALSE FALSE
## Mazda RX4
## Mazda RX4 Wag
                     FALSE FALSE
## Datsun 710
                     FALSE FALSE
## Hornet 4 Drive
                     FALSE FALSE
## Hornet Sportabout
                     FALSE FALSE
## Valiant
                     FALSE FALSE
## Duster 360
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## Merc 240D
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## Cadillac Fleetwood FALSE FALSE
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## Chrysler Imperial
                     FALSE FALSE
## Fiat 128
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## Camaro Z28
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## Pontiac Firebird
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## Fiat X1-9
                     FALSE FALSE
## Porsche 914-2
                     FALSE FALSE
## Lotus Europa
                     FALSE FALSE
## Ford Pantera L
                     FALSE FALSE
## Ferrari Dino
                     FALSE FALSE
## Maserati Bora
                     FALSE FALSE
## Volvo 142E
                     FALSE FALSE
##
                    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
                          6 160.0 110 3.90 2.875 17.02 0 1
## Mazda RX4 Wag
                   21.0
```

```
## Datsun 710
                   22.8 4 108.0 93 3.85 2.320 18.61 1 1
## Hornet 4 Drive
                   21.4 6 258.0 110 3.08 3.215 19.44 1 0
## Hornet Sportabout 18.7 8 360.0 175 3.15 3.440 17.02 0 0
## Valiant
                   18.1 6 225.0 105 2.76 3.460 20.22 1 0
                                                                  1
## Duster 360
                   14.3 8 360.0 245 3.21 3.570 15.84 0
                                                                  4
## 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
                   19.2 6 167.6 123 3.92 3.440 18.30 1 0
## Merc 280
                                                                  4
```

Pre-Process the data:

```
Transformations;
           1 factor variables 8:11;
           2 change variable labels in columns 8 & 9;
                   a Note for column header 8 = vs; V = V block motor, & S = Straight block motor;
                   b Note for column header 9 = am; A = automatic transmission = A, & M = manual transmission
## '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 : Factor w/ 2 levels "V", "S": 1 1 2 2 1 2 1 2 2 2 ...
## $ am : Factor w/ 2 levels "A", "M": 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ gear: Factor w/ 3 levels "3", "4", "5": 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 ...
## $ carb: Factor w/ 6 levels "1","2","3","4",..: 4 4 1 1 2 1 4 2 2 4 ...
##
                     mpg cyl disp hp drat
                                             wt qsec vs am gear carb
## Mazda RX4
                    21.0 6 160 110 3.90 2.620 16.46
## Mazda RX4 Wag
                    21.0 6 160 110 3.90 2.875 17.02 V M
                    22.8 4 108 93 3.85 2.320 18.61 S M
## Datsun 710
                                                                    1
                    21.4 6 258 110 3.08 3.215 19.44 S A
                                                               3
## Hornet 4 Drive
                                                                    1
## Hornet Sportabout 18.7 8 360 175 3.15 3.440 17.02 V A
                    18.1 6 225 105 2.76 3.460 20.22 S A
## Valiant
                                                                    1
```

Exploratory Analysis

Histograms
Boxplots
Rug
Barplots
Scatterplots
Multiple plots
Graphing - base, lattice, ggpplot2
ABline (h/v)
Confidence intervals

```
Standard error
Variance
Fitted lines
State the HO & Ha hypothesis 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
        lm - simple
        lm - multivariate
        lm - nested
        lm - remove the intercept (-1)
        lm - step function
Coefficients / Slope
Standard Error
T-Vales
pValues
Residuals
        Leverage
        Influence
Confidence Intervals
Residuals
Hatvalues
dfbetas
Influence Measures
Anova
        Chisq
Ancova
GLM
        ?
        ?
```

Assumptions Main:

A B C

Preliminary Findings: Quesions of Interest: & Interpretation of Results;

A B C

Inference

```
Hypothesis testing
Set Seed, if required
One or Two Sided Test
Power / Alpha
Beta = (1 - Alpha)
Confidence Intervals (.95 one sided, .975 two sided)
Standard Error
Variance
student's T-score
Z-score
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

```
Plots with Code
Pairs
Histograms
```

Box Plots QQ Plots Fitted Residuals Residuals vs Fitted

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