

Regression Models Project - Motor Trend Data 'mtcars'

Miles Per Gallon Analysis

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I. Executive Summary:

Add after completing analysis

NOTE: include some info on cor, confint, ChisSq?, VIF

II. Problem Statement & Questions to Answer:

Q1 "Is an automatic or manual transmission better for 'mpg'?"

Q2 "Quantify the MPG difference between automatic and manual transmissions"

Grading - Criteria (remove on completion)!!!

Did the student interpret the coefficients correctly?

Did the student do some exploratory data analyses?

Did the student fit multiple models and detail their strategy for model selection?

Did the student answer the questions of interest or detail why the question(s) is (are) not answerable?

Did the student do a residual plot and some diagnostics?

Did the student quantify the uncertainty in their conclusions and/or perform an inference correctly?

Was the report brief (about 2 pages long) for the main body of the report and no longer than 5 with supporting appendix of figures?

Did the report include an executive summary?

YES Was the report done in Rmd (knitr) with pdf output?

III. Analysis Considerations:

Descriptive - (dim, str & summary) statistics

Exploratory - pairs, histograms, boxplots & (multiple plots)

Analysis - mean, sd, sigma², T-Test, OLS, simple linear regression,

statistical linear regression, multivariate regression & model selection,

pValues, adjustments, residuals (predict fit, residual fit (-1)), hatvalues,

variance, & dfbetas, R², diagnostics; ANOVA, coefficients, correlation,

covariance, confint, VIF

IV. Software Environment:

Set working directory:

System - session Info:

V. Accessing Data:

Clean up the work space & get the data:

```
rm(list=ls()); data("mtcars")
```

VI. Raw Data Overview: Motor Trend ‘mtcars’ data set:

A data frame with 32 observations on 11 variables.

```
[, 1] mpg Miles/(US) gallon
[, 2] cyl Number of cylinders
[, 3] disp Displacement (cu.in.)
[, 4] hp Gross horsepower
[, 5] drat Rear axle ratio
[, 6] wt Weight (1000 lbs)
[, 7] qsec 1/4 mile time
[, 8] vs V/S
[, 9] am Transmission (0 = automatic, 1 = manual)
[,10] gear Number of forward gears
[,11] carb Number of carburetors
```

VII. Process Data:

Transformationns = Factor variables 8:11; modify variable names for col 8 & 9

```
data(mtcars)
mtcars$vs <- factor(mtcars$vs, labels = c("V-eng", "S-eng")); mtcars$am <- factor(mtcars$am, labels = c("A", "M"))
head(mtcars,3)
```

VIII. Exploratory Analysis:

Add narrative here!!

```
??mtcars
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 : Factor w/ 2 levels "V-eng","S-eng": 1 1 2 2 1 2 1 2 2 2 ...
## $ am : Factor w/ 2 levels "Automatic","Manual": 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 ...
```

```
names(mtcars)
```

```
## [1] "mpg" "cyl" "disp" "hp" "drat" "wt" "qsec" "vs" "am" "gear"
## [11] "carb"
```

See Appendix A, Figures 1:4

IX. Statistical Modeling, Regression & Model Fit:

Assumptions:

- A A correlation to mpg ratings may exist among multiple variables
- B
- C

```
?mtcars
t.test(mpg ~ am, data = mtcars)
```

```
##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: mpg by am
## t = -3.7671, df = 18.332, p-value = 0.001374
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -11.280194 -3.209684
## sample estimates:
## mean in group Automatic mean in group Manual
## 17.14737 24.39231
```

X. Preliminary Findings:

Questions of Interest:

- A What other regressors if any correlated with mpg rating and transmission type?
- B

Interpretation of Results:

- A Using ANOVA table with Nested Multivariate Regression fit it is clear that the variable w
- B Based on the
- C

XI. Inference:

Hypothesis':

- A H_0 = The difference between Automatic and Manual transmission MPG = 0
- B H_a = The difference between Automatic and Manual transmission MPG \neq 0
- C Desired confidence interval = .95 (one sided) ??

XII. Conclusions / Recommendations:

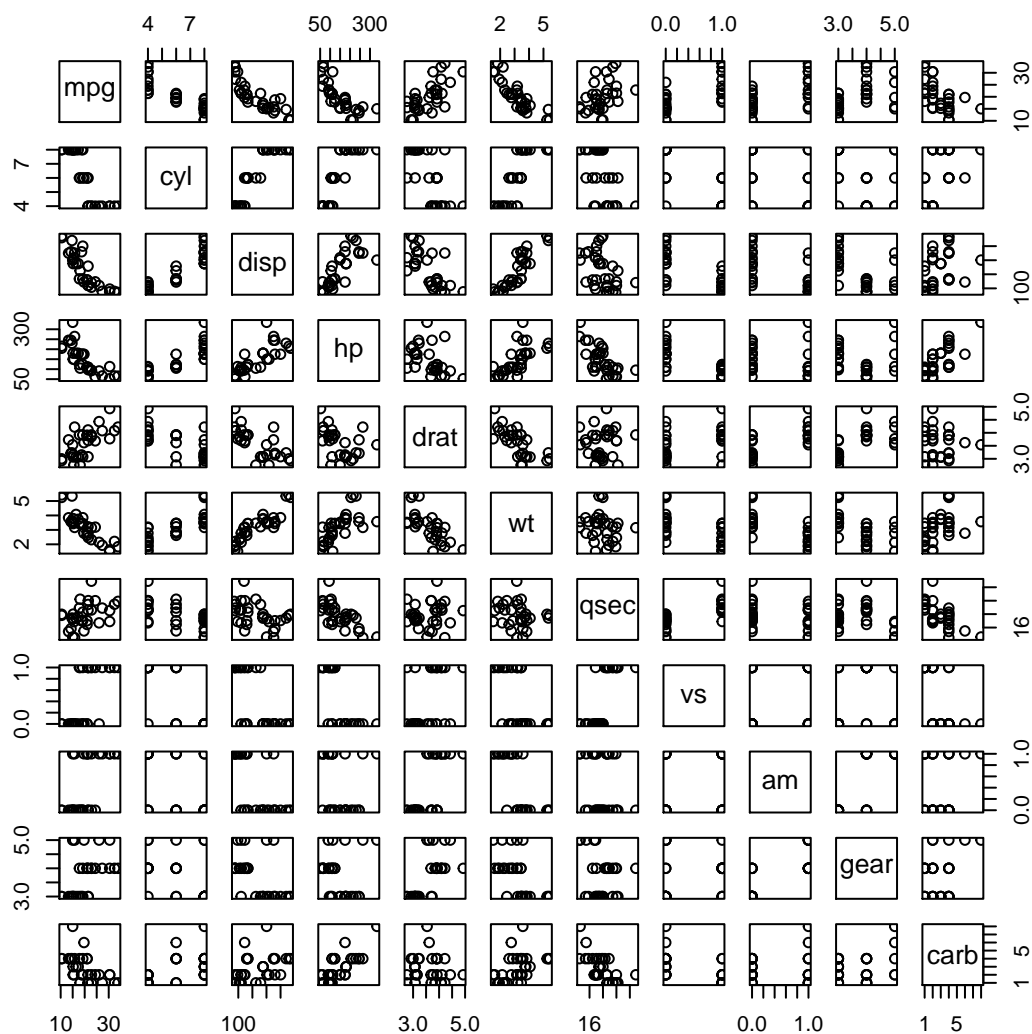
- A
- B

XIII. Are there other alternative analyses?

- A VIF
 - B Challenge the results ?
 - C Measures of uncertainty 'e'
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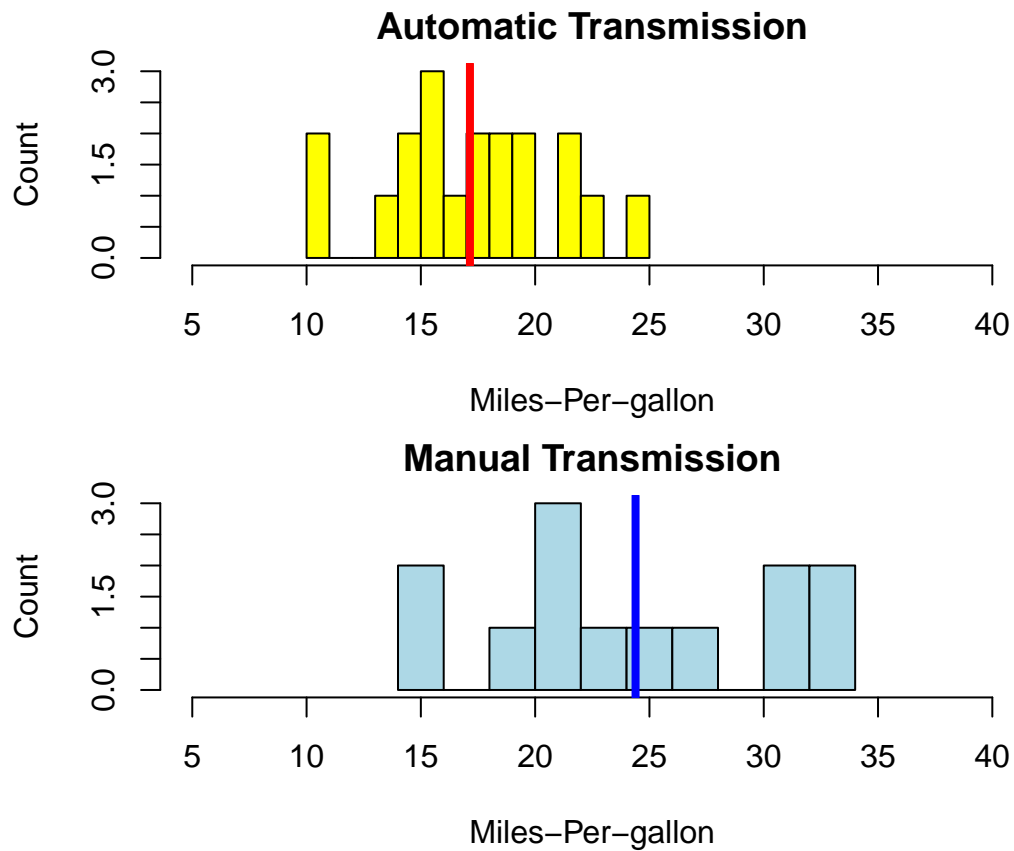
XIV. Appendix A, “Graphical Analysis”

Pairs



Histograms

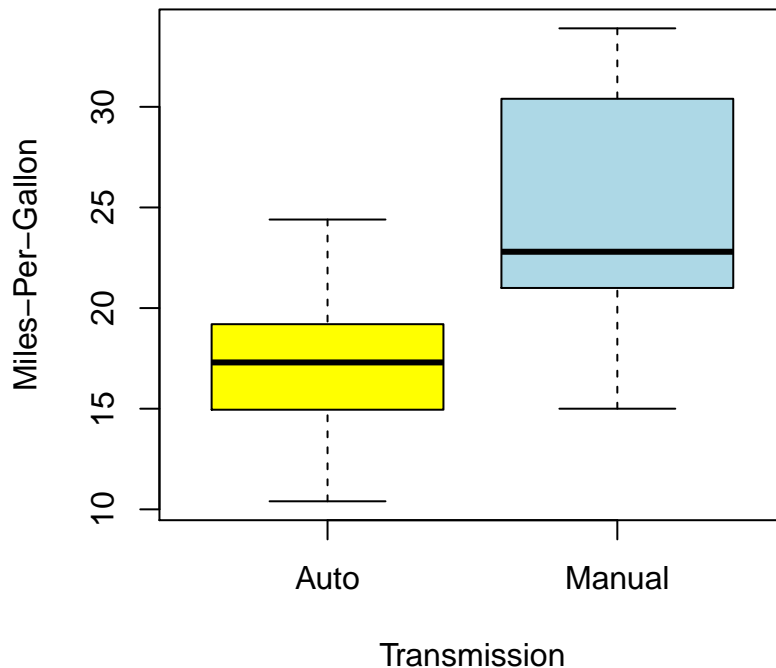
##	mpg	cyl	disp	hp	drat	wt	qsec	vs	am	gear	carb
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## Mazda RX4 Wag	21.0	6	160	110	3.90	2.875	17.02	V-block	Manual	4	4
## Datsun 710	22.8	4	108	93	3.85	2.320	18.61	S-block	Manual	4	1



Box Plots

##	mpg	cyl	disp	hp	drat	wt	qsec	vs	am	gear	carb
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Simple Linear Regression Single Variable Plot

```
##           Estimate Std. Error  t value    Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 17.147368   1.124603 15.247492 1.133983e-15
## amManual     7.244939   1.764422  4.106127 2.850207e-04
```

Bivariate Linear Model Regression plot

```
##           Estimate Std. Error    t value    Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 37.32155131  3.0546385 12.21799285 5.843477e-13
## factor(am)1 -0.02361522  1.5456453 -0.01527855 9.879146e-01
## wt          -5.35281145  0.7882438 -6.79080719 1.867415e-07
```

```
##           Estimate Std. Error    t value    Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 31.416055  3.0201093 10.402291 4.001043e-11
## factor(am)1 14.878423  4.2640422  3.489277 1.621034e-03
## wt          -3.785908  0.7856478 -4.818836 4.551182e-05
## factor(am)1:wt -5.298360  1.4446993 -3.667449 1.017148e-03
```

Multivariate LM (all vars)-Residuals/Fitted/Residuals vs Fitted

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Multivariate LM Nested Plot

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