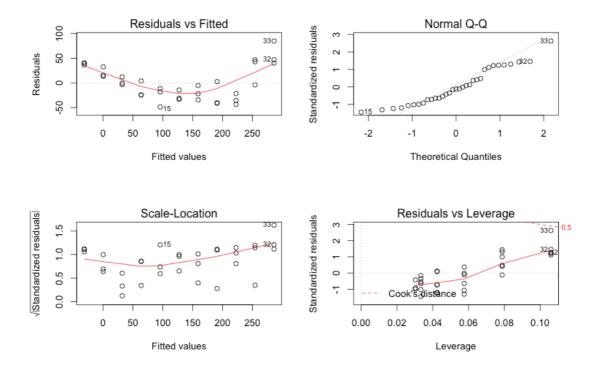
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1.
> distance <- read.csv("stoppingdistance.csv", header=TRUE)</pre>
> attach(distance)
> plot(dist~speed)
> speed
[1] 15 15 15 20 20 20 25 25 25 30 30 30 35 35 35 40 40 40 45 45 45 50 50 50
[25] 55 55 55 60 60 60 65 65 65
> reg.results <- lm(dist~speed)
> summary(reg.results)
Call:
lm(formula = dist \sim speed)
Residuals:
 Min 10 Median 30 Max
-48.73 -24.67 -3.98 32.63 84.97
Coefficients:
     Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
speed
          6.350 0.377 16.86 < 2e-16 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
Residual standard error: 34.2 on 31 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.902, Adjusted R-squared: 0.899
F-statistic: 284 on 1 and 31 DF, p-value: <2e-16
> par(mfrow=c(2,2))
> plot(reg.results)
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The assumptions of the linear regression model are,

- i) Independent, random sample from underlying population: Yes, each data in the sample is independent from the others, and they are randomly selected.
- ii) Linearity, the means of Y|X fall on a straight line:

Yes, from the plot, we can see the straight line  $\mu_{Y/X} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X$ .

From R, we can get the estimate  $\hat{Y} = -126.729 + 6.350X$ , which is  $\widehat{distance} = -126.729 + 6.350 * speed$ 

iii) Homoscedasticity, the variance of Y|X is the same for all X(variance of  $E_i$  is the same for all X):

Yes, from the above "Residuals vs Fitted" plot, variance of  $E_i$  is constant in the sample.

- iv) Normality, the distribution of Y|X follows a normal distribution for all X: Yes, we can see a straight line in the above "Normal Q-Q" plot, which means the distribution of Y|X follows a normal distribution for all X.
- v) Existence, the model holds for valid values of X:

Yes, we can see the values of X through the command "speed" in R.

- 2.
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- > reg.results <- lm(dist~speed)
- > summary(reg.results)

Call:

 $lm(formula = dist \sim speed)$ 

Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -48.73 -24.67 -3.98 32.63 84.97

Coefficients:

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 $\widehat{distance} = b0 + b1 * speed$ 

From the above results, we can get the estimate b0 = -126.729, and b1 = 6.350. distance = -126.729 + 6.350 \* speed

2a. Yes, there is a significant association between speed and stopping distance. From the results of "summary(reg.results)", we can see that the p-value is very small(< 2e-16), so we can reject the null hypothesis that  $\beta = 0$  (no association between speed and stopping distance), which means there is a significant association between speed and stopping distance.

2b.

$$\Delta speed = 60 - 50 = 10$$
  
 $\Delta distance = 10 * 6.35 = 63.5$ 

(95%) Confidence interval for  $\beta_1$ :

b1±t(crit)\*se(b1)=6.350±2.04\*0.377 =(5.581, 7.119)

95% CI for this increase in distance = (5.581, 7.119) \* 10 = (55.81, 71.19)

So the stopping distance expected to increase from 55.81 to 71.19 mph with 95% CI.

3a.

|           | Parameter | Standard | t-value |         |                |
|-----------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|----------------|
|           | Estimate  | Error    | (df)    | p-value | 95% CI         |
| Intercept | 115.44    | 14.73    |         |         |                |
| Maternal  | -0.49     | 0.56     | -0.875  | 0.389   | (-1.64, 0.658) |
| Age       |           |          |         |         |                |

$$t_{obs} = \frac{b_1}{se(b_1)} = -0.49/0.56 = -0.875$$
, df=28, p-value=0.389

95% Confidence interval for the slope (t(crit) = 2.05)

 $-0.49 \pm 2.05 (0.56)$  or (-1.64, 0.658)

H0:  $\beta_1$  = 0 (No association between maternal age and a child's cognitive ability) The p-value is 0.389 (>0.05), so we fail to reject the null hypothesis that  $\beta$  = 0(no association between speed and stopping distance), which means there is not a significant association between maternal age and a child's cognitive ability.

With 95% confidence, we can say the slope for maternal age is between -1.64 and 0.658.

The slope is not big enough, which shows a weak association between maternal age and a child's cognitive ability. In addition, the p-value is 0.389 (>0.05), also showing that there is not a significant association between the two.

3b.

Predicted IQ for a child born to a 20 year old mother:

 $\hat{y}_{X0} = 115.44 - 0.49 * 20 = 105.64$ 

$$\hat{y}_{X0} \pm t_{crit} s_{Y|X} \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x0-\overline{x})^2}{(n-1)s_X^2}} = 105.64 \pm 2.05*13.5 \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{30} + \frac{(20-27)^2}{(30-1)*4.5^2}} = (76.394, 134.89)$$

We are 95% confident that the IQ for a child born to a 20 year old mother is between 76.394 and 134.89.

3c.

Predicted mean IQ for children born of 30 year old mothers:

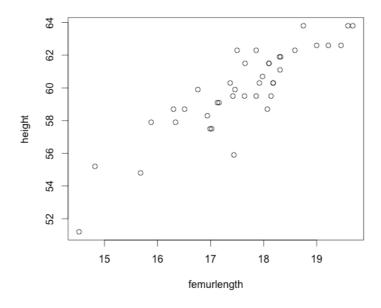
 $\hat{y}_{x0} = 115.44 - 0.49 * 30 = 100.74$ 

$$\hat{y}_{X0} \pm t_{crit} s_{Y|X} \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} + \frac{(x0-\bar{x})^2}{(n-1)s_X^2}} = 100.74 \pm 2.05*13.5 \sqrt{\frac{1}{30} + \frac{(30-27)^2}{(30-1)*4.5^2}} = (94.635, 106.84)$$

We are 95% confident that the mean IQ for children born of 30 year old mothers is between 94.635 and 106.84.

4a.

- > csi <- read.csv("CSI femur stature inches.csv", header=TRUE)
- > attach(csi)
- > plot(height~femurlength



4b.

> mean(femurlength)

[1] 17.604

> sd(femurlength)

[1] 1.1652

Mean +/- sd for femur length: 17.604+/-1.1652

> mean(height)

[1] 59.892

> sd(height)

[1] 2.6374

Mean +/- sd for height: 59.892+/-2.6374

4c.

> reg.results <- lm(height~femurlength)

> summary(reg.results)

## Call:

lm(formula = height ~ femurlength)

## Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -3.667 -0.740 0.015 0.678 2.614

## Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|) (Intercept) 24.848 3.083 8.06 9.5e-10 \*\*\* femurlength 1.991 0.175 11.39 8.1e-14 \*\*\*

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 1.27 on 38 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.773, Adjusted R-squared: 0.768 F-statistic: 130 on 1 and 38 DF, p-value: 8.1e-14

> confint(reg.results, "femurlength")

2.5 % 97.5 %

femurlength 1.637 2.3446

Linear regression predicting height (inches) from femur length (inches)

|           | Parameter | Standard | t-value |         |                 |
|-----------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|-----------------|
|           | Estimate  | Error    | (df)    | p-value | 95% CI          |
| Intercept | 24.848    | 3.083    | 8.06    | 9.5e-10 |                 |
| Femur     | 1.991     | 0.175    | 11.39   | 8.1e-14 | (1.637, 2.3446) |
| Length    |           |          |         |         |                 |

4d. height = 24.848 + 1.991 \* femurlength

For each inch increase in the femur length, on average, the height expected to increase 1.991 inch.

4e. 
$$s(y|x) = \sqrt{s_{Y|X}^2} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}{n-2}} = 1.27$$

s(y|x) is called the 'standard error of the estimate', and so the standard deviation of femur length, for the sub-set of subjects with a particular height value is 1.27 inches.

4f.

Predicted height for a person with a femur of 19.00 inches: > predict(reg.results,data.frame(femurlength=19),interval="predict")

fit lwr upr

1 62.673 60.02 65.325

We are 95% confident that the height for a person with a femur of 19.00 inches is between 60.02 and 65.325.

4g.

Predicted mean height for people with a femur of 19.00 inches:

> predict(reg.results,data.frame(femurlength=19),interval="confidence") fit lwr upr

1 62.673 62.032 63.313

We are 95% confident that the mean height for people with a femur of 19.00 inches is between 62.032 and 63.313.