In [1]:

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import numpy as np
nations = np.genfromtxt("nations.csv", delimiter=",", skip_header=True)
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In [136]:

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# How many people live on earth?

amtPeopleOnEarth = np.sum(nations, axis=0)[6]
print(amtPeopleOnEarth)
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6482276104.0
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In [137]:

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# What is the average life expectancy of the world population?

avgLifeExp = np.mean(nations, axis=0)[4]
print(avgLifeExp)
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71.69006134969325
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In [138]:

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# Do people who can read live longer? Back up your claim with a diagram.

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.title("Literacy x Lifespan correlation")
plt.ylabel("average lifespan (years)")
plt.xlabel("literacy (percantage)")


plt.plot(nations[:,5]*100, nations[:,4], "og")

plt.show()
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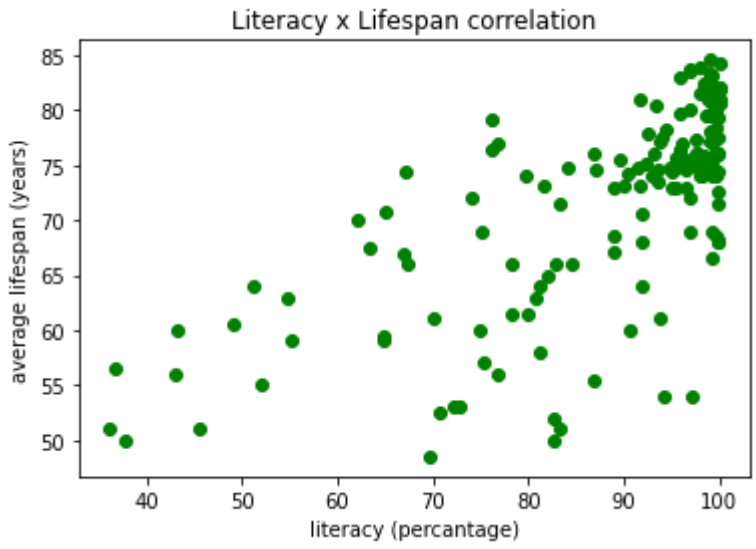

There appears to be a correlation between high literacy and a long life expactency. Although, high literacy does not always come with a high average lifespan. But on the opposite side of the spectrum there are no low-lifespan countries with higher-end literacy.
In conclusion: A high literacy is essential but not sufficient for long average lifespans.

In [139]:

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x, y = [34, 100], [51, 76] # rough approximation
plt.plot(x, y, marker = "o", color= "r")
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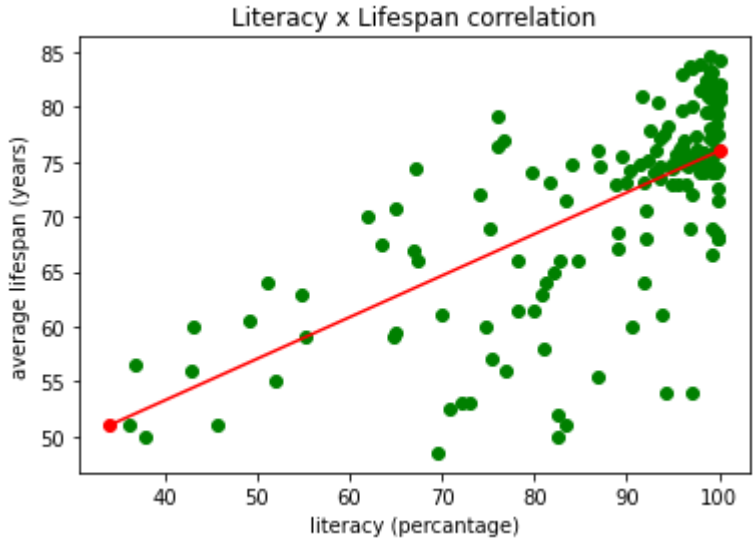

In [141]:

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# Create the appropriate linear equation and store it in a function.

def calcLifeSpan(literacy):

    # y = mx+n
    m=(51-76)/(34-100) # numbers from above (change in height)
    n=51-34*m # numbers from above (shift on y axis)

    # final equation: y = 0.378*x + 38.12

    return literacy*m+n




# Calculate how well the line approximates the data points by calculating the root-mean-squ

import math

sum = 0
lits = nations[:,5] # literacy array
spans = nations[:,4] # lifespan array

for x in range(len(lits)): # for every data point
    sum += (calcLifeSpan(lits[x]*100)-spans[x])**2 # sum up squares of difference between e

rmse = math.sqrt(sum/len(lits)) # root the sum divided by amount of sum-ups

print("RMSE: ", rmse) # result
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RMSE:  6.527986011830154
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In [143]:

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# Change the straight line by hand so that the error or deviation is smaller. Make a note o

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x, y = [34, 100], [49, 76.5] # rough approximation
plt.plot(x, y, marker = "o", color= "r")
plt.show()


def calcLifeSpan(literacy):

    # y = mx+n
    m=(49-76.5)/(34-100) # numbers from above (change in height)
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    # final equation: y = 0,416*x + 34.83

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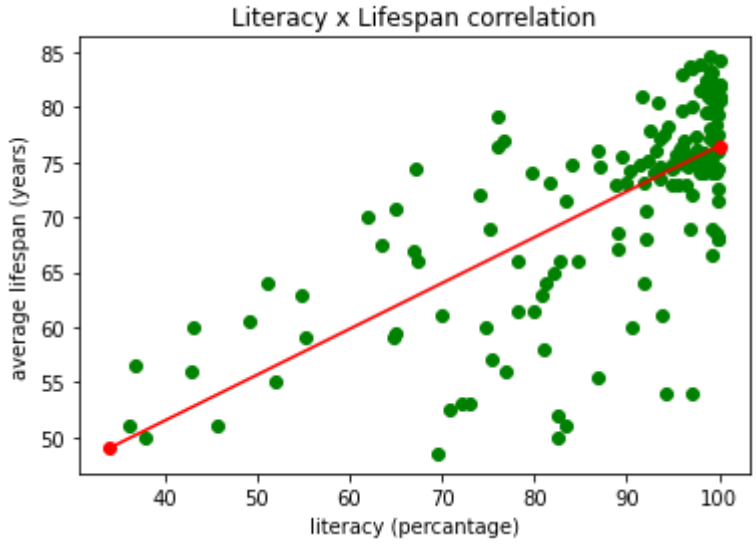


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RMSE:  6.508700975976927
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After trying for several minutes, I managed to achieve a slightly better result. Seems like the first approximation was already very close to the best I can come up with.

FINAL EQUATION:

$y = 0.416*x + 34.83$ RMSE ~ 6.508700975976927

PREVIOUSLY:

$y = 0.378*x + 38.12$ RMSE ~ 6.527986011830154