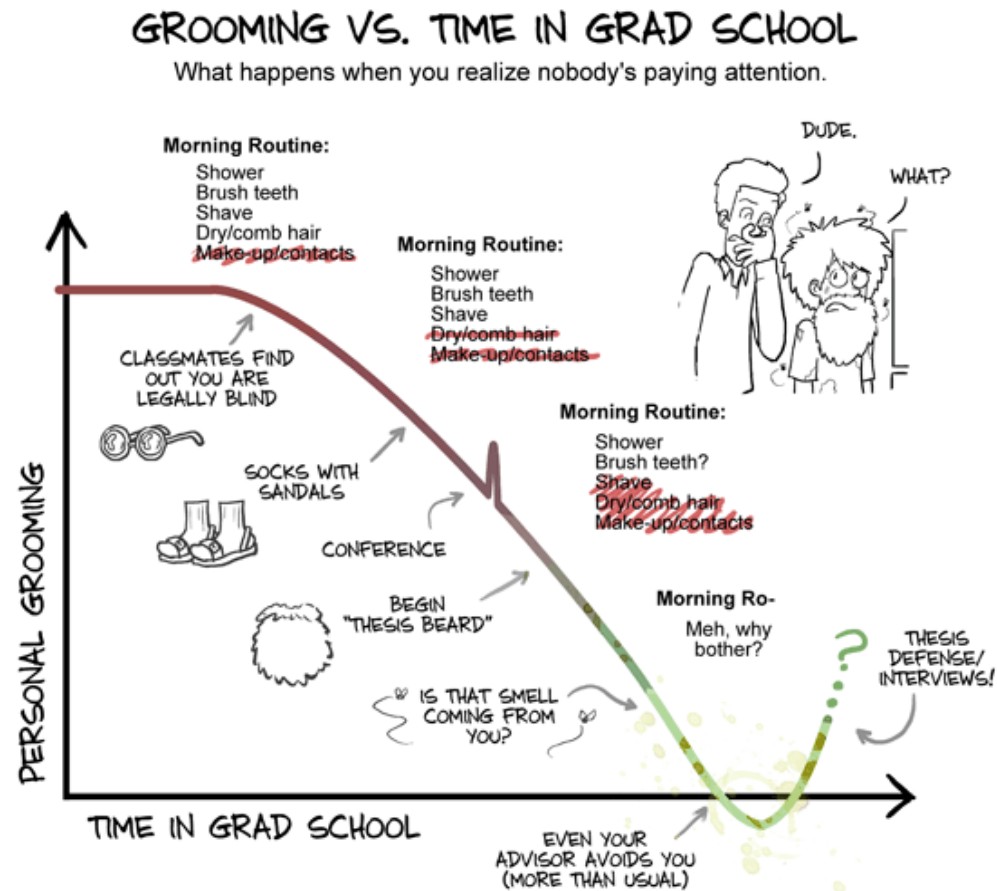


# Linear Models

ENTMLGY 6707 Entomological Techniques and Data Analysis



# Learning objectives

- 1) Understand when to conduct a simple linear regression
- 2) Interpret the outcome of a simple linear regression
- 3) Evaluate assumptions of simple linear regression

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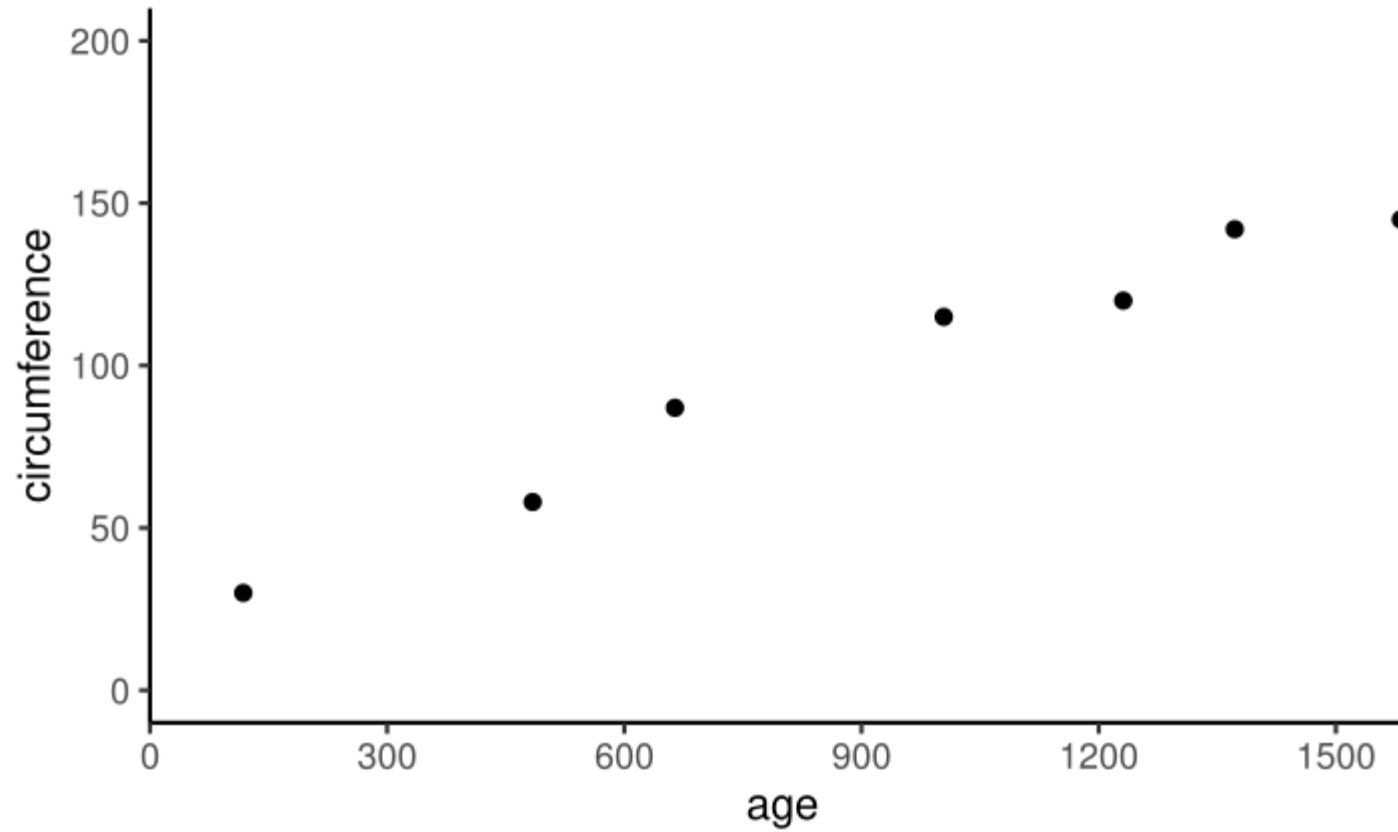
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**Slope coefficient** (rise over run, or  
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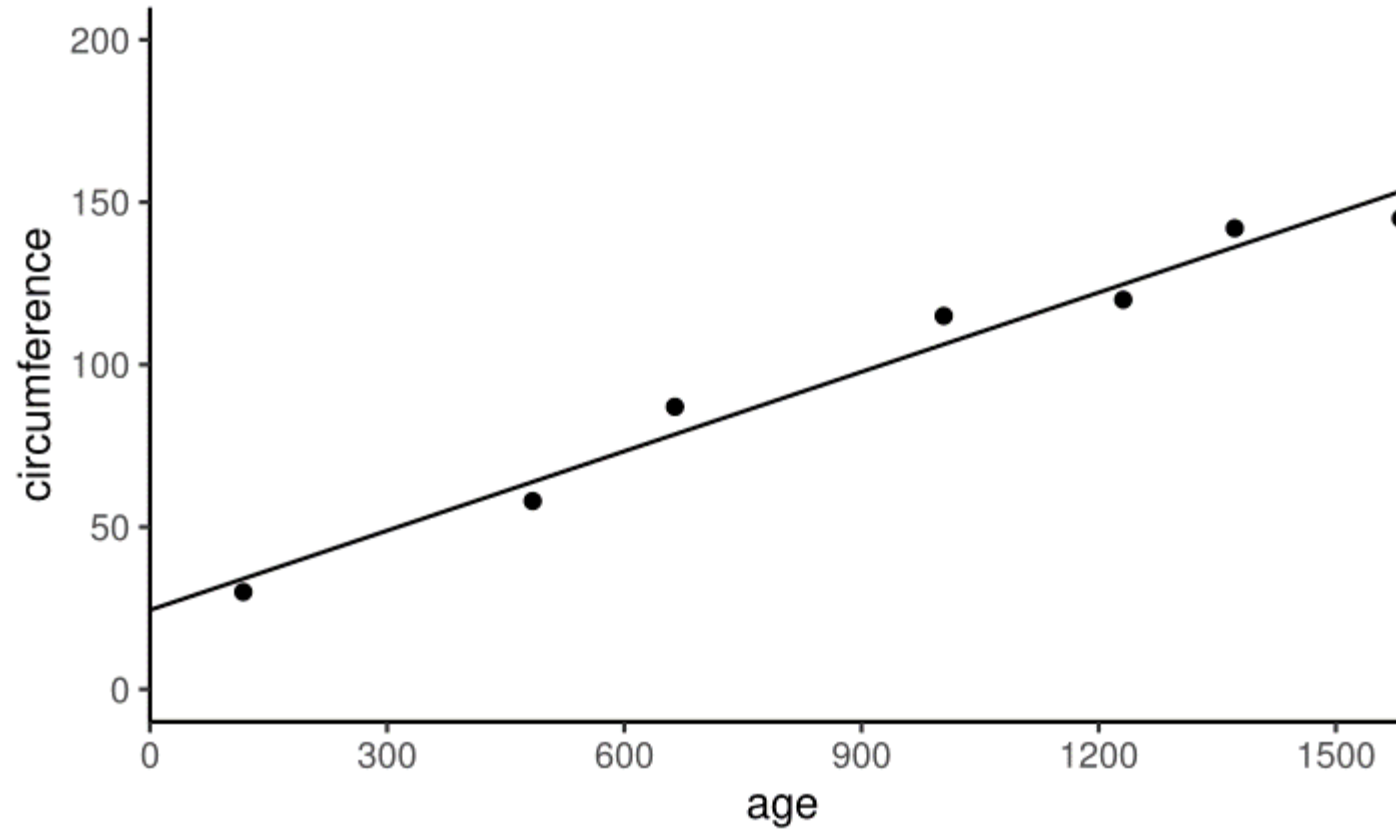
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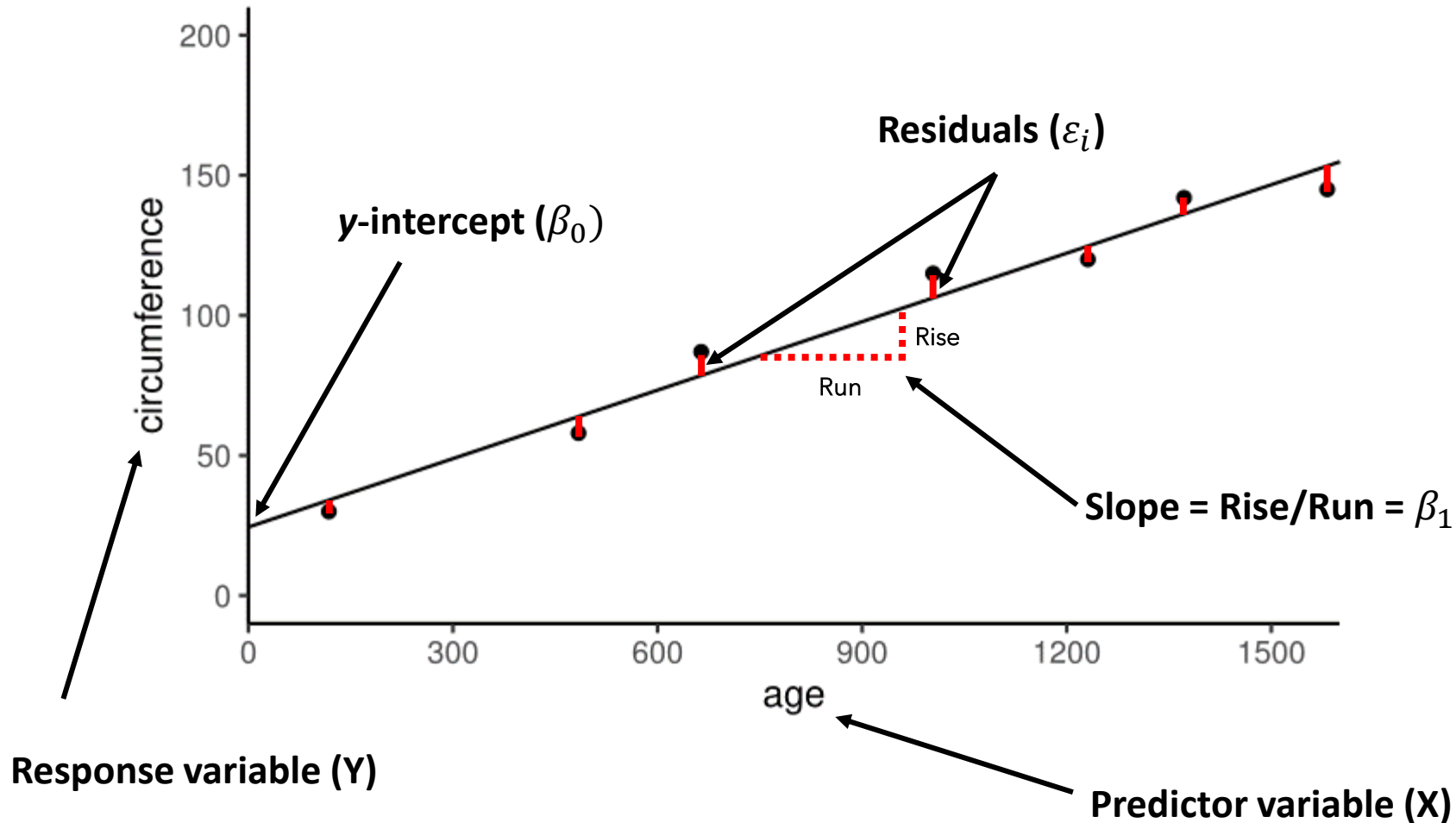
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##  
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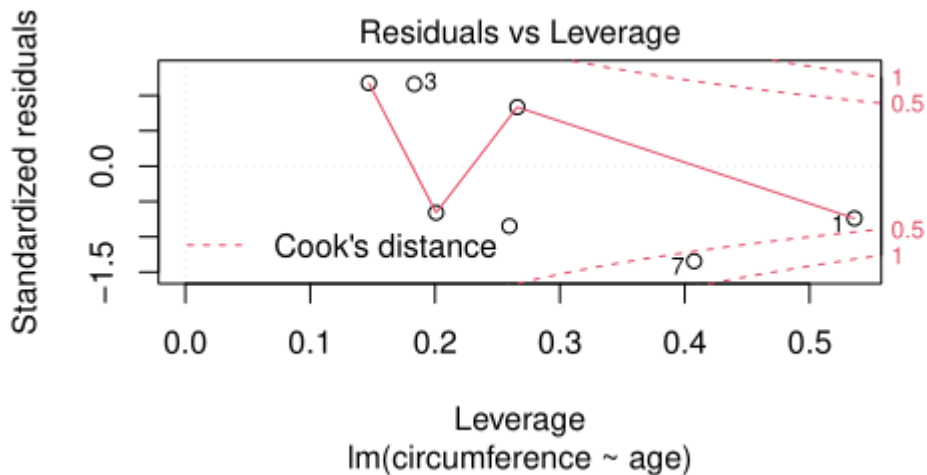
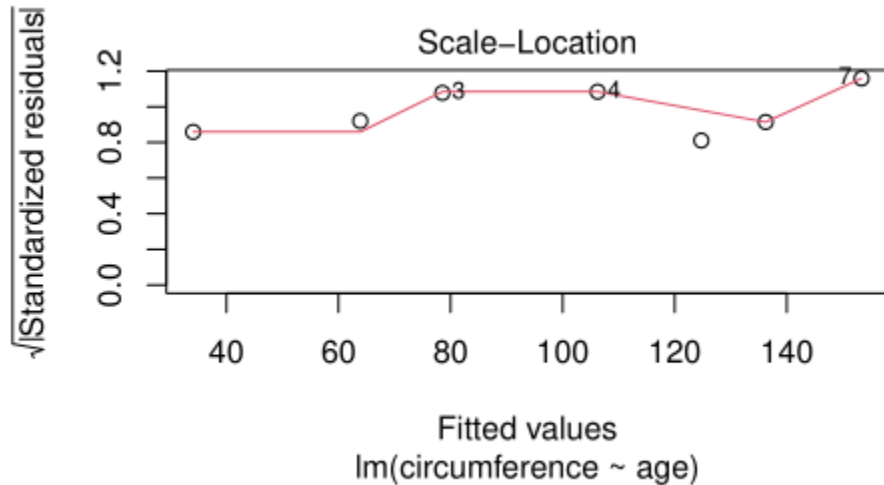
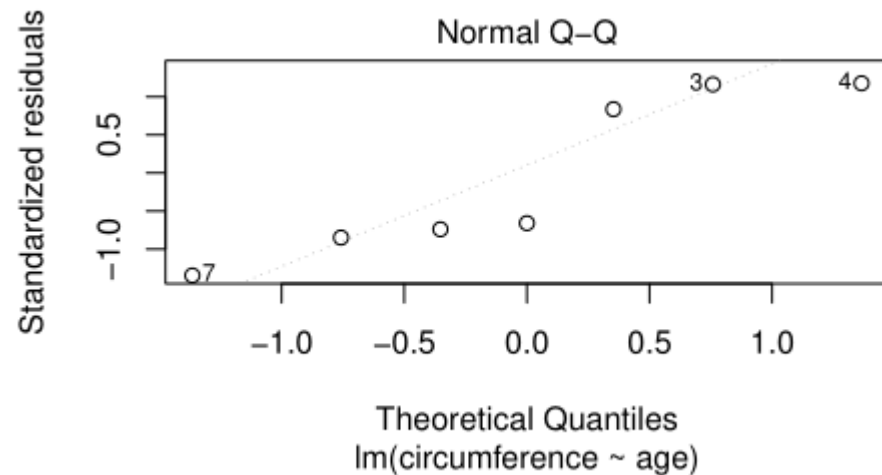
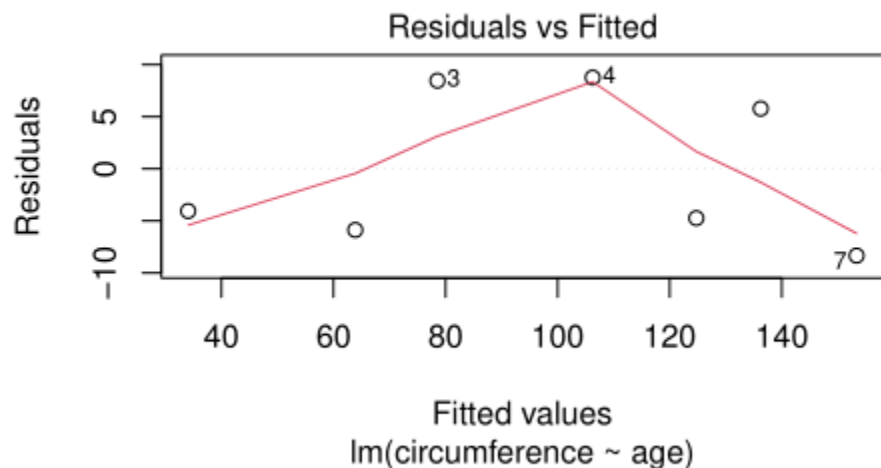
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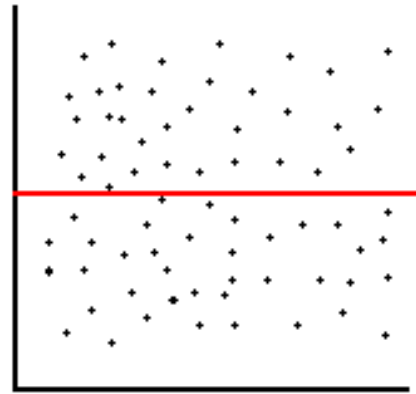
1. The relationship between response and predictor is linear
2. Residuals are independent
3. Residuals are normally distributed
4. Residuals are homoscedastic (i.e., the variance in Y does not increase or decrease as X increases or decreases)

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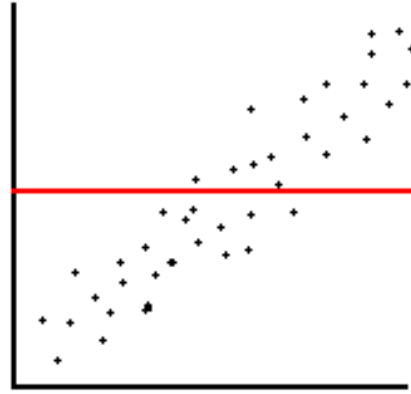
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plot(fit_oranges_1)
```



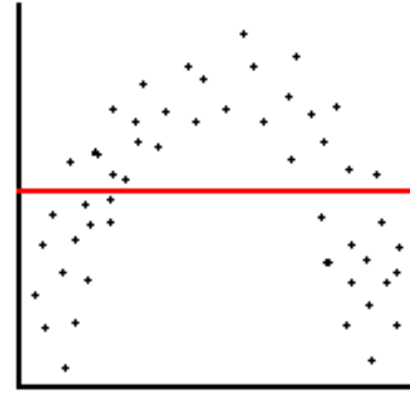
# Residual plots



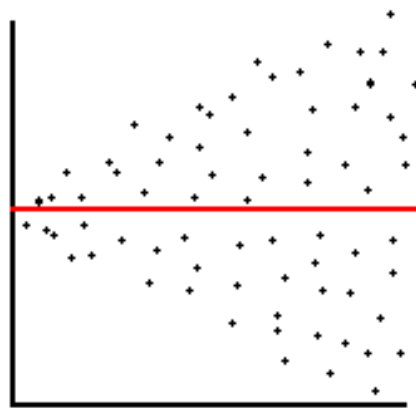
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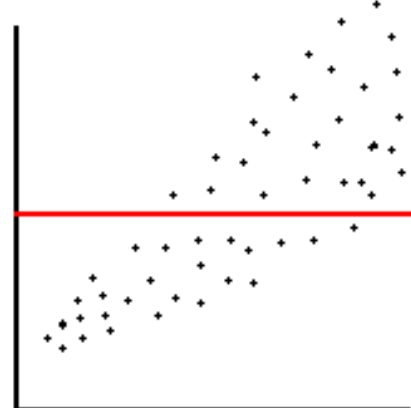
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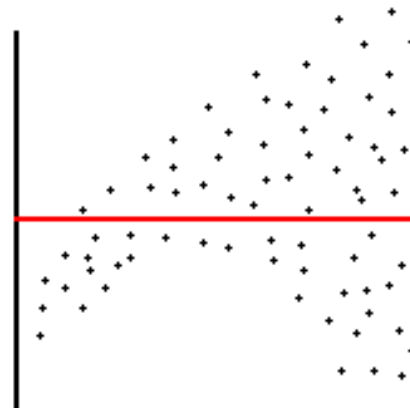
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(d) Unbiased and Heteroscedastic



(e) Biased and Heteroscedastic



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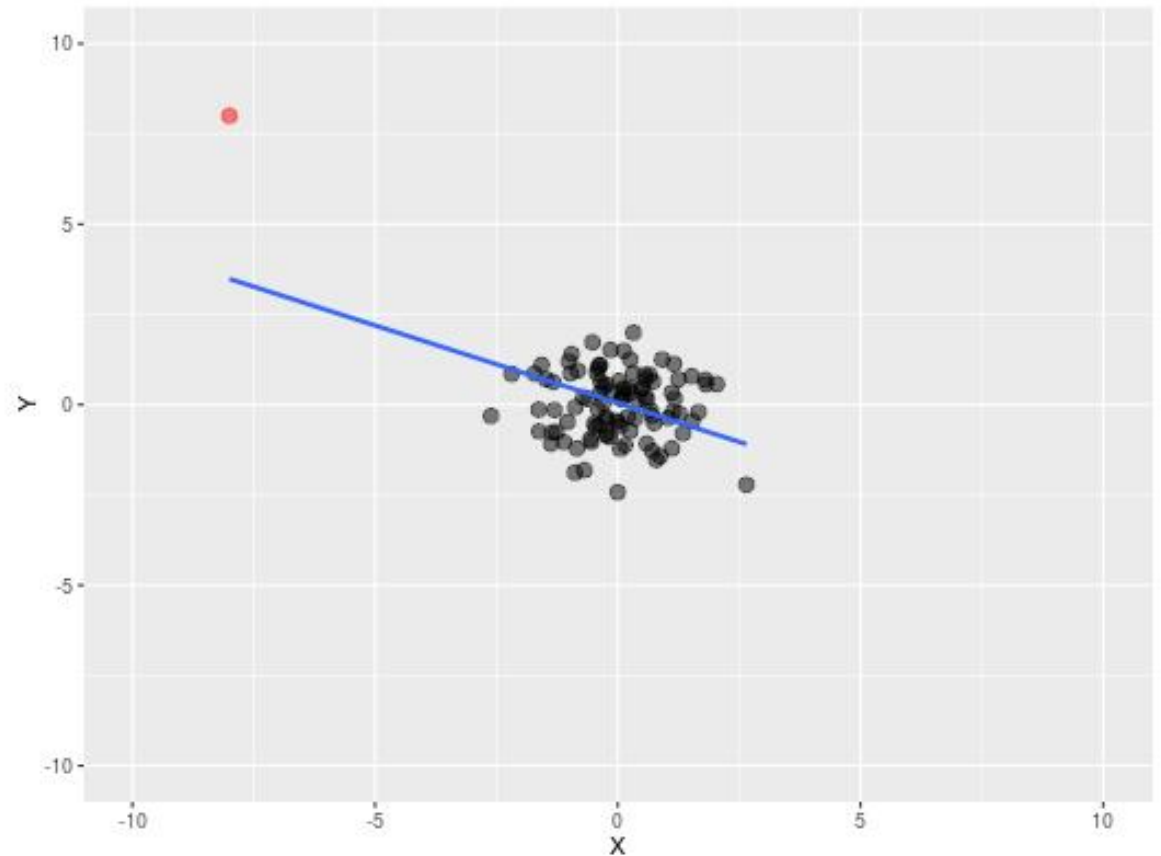
# Leverage

Linear regression model coefficients

	Coefficient	Value
1	Intercept	0.04516
2	Slope	-0.42981

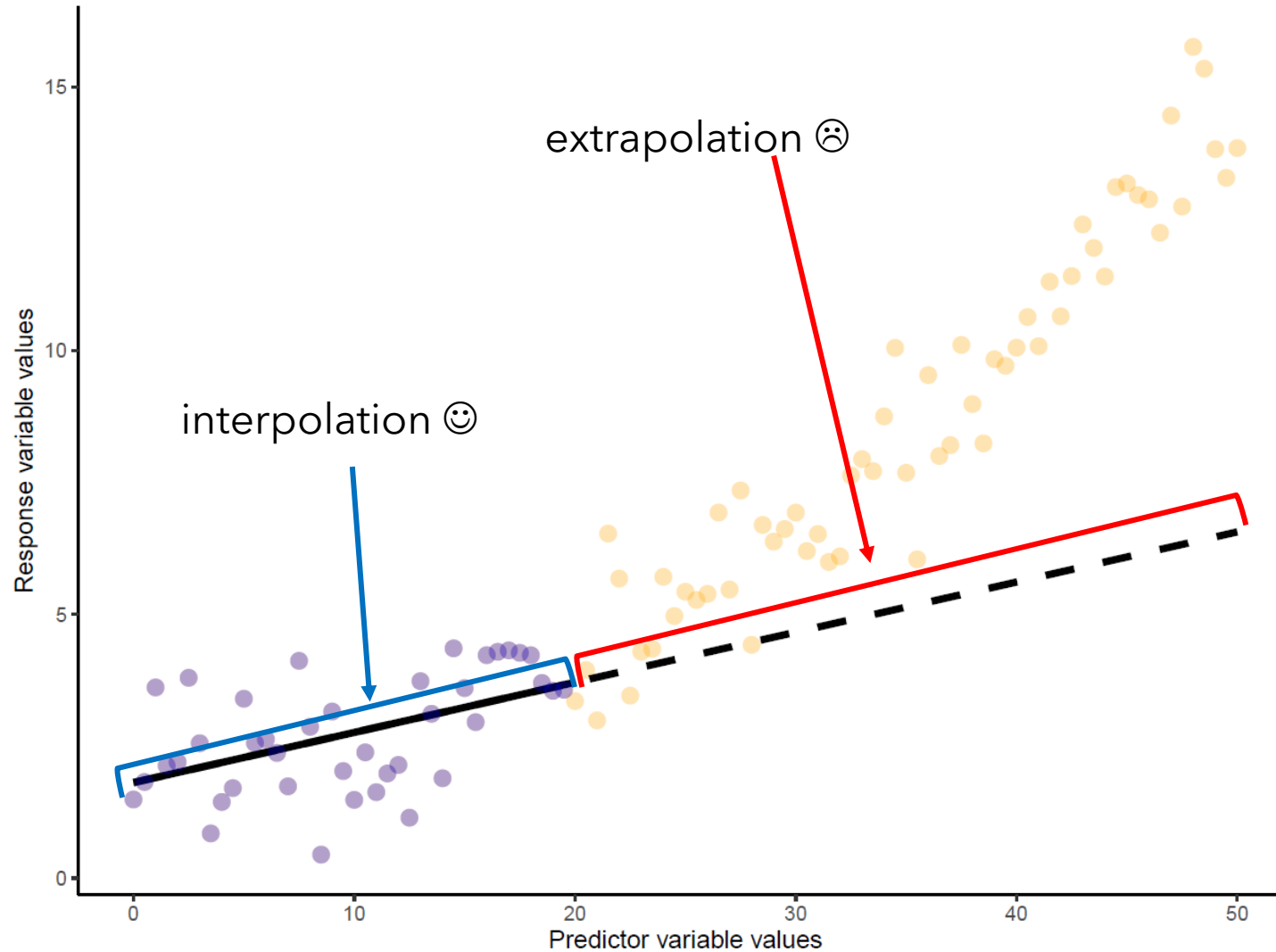
Influence measures for the adjustable point

	Measure	Value
1	hatvalue	0.41424
2	residual	4.51638
3	dfbeta.1	0.50038
4	dfbeta.x	-5.41604




<https://www.r-bloggers.com/2016/06/leverage-and-influence-in-a-nutshell/>

# Interpolation vs. extrapolation






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```
> summary(growth)
```

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1st Qu.: 59.0	L. militaris:50	low-quality :87	
Median :122.0	O. binodis :36		
Mean :138.3	O. taurus :41		
3rd Qu.:219.5			
Max. :289.0			
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## *Liatongus militaris*



**Genus** *Liatongus*

**Length** 8–10 mm

**Colour**

brown to dark brown; distinctive black broken stripes on wing covers. Yellow 'shoulder patches' and a dark oval patch on the top and bottom of each femur.

**Horns** none

**Flight time** day

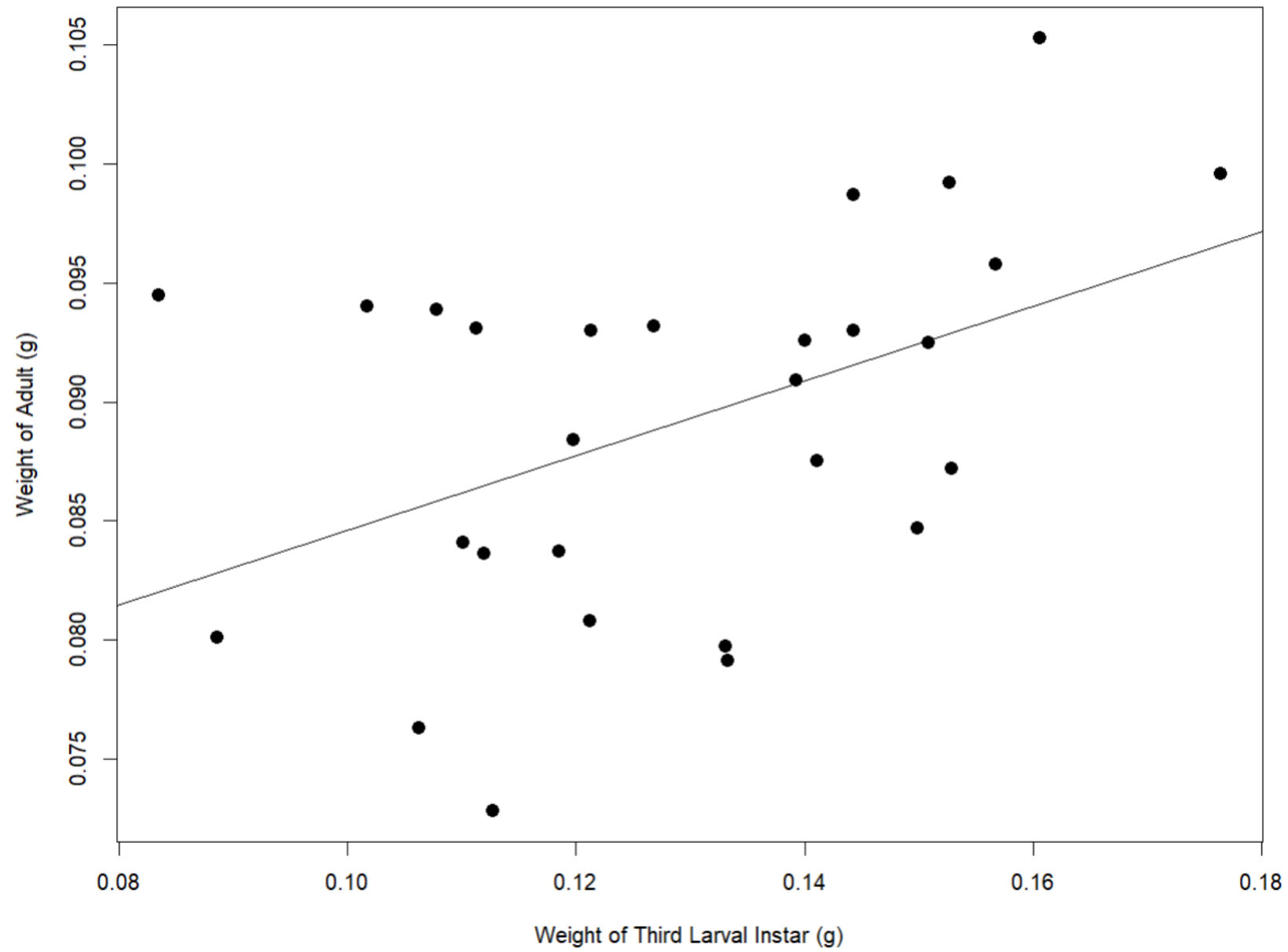
**Yearly Activity** spring to autumn

**Distribution** QLD, NT, northeast NSW

**Similar Species** Unlikely to be confused with other species.



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```
> summary(beetle_mod)
```

```
Call:
```

```
lm(formula = weight.adult ~ weight.L3, data = beetle_high)
```

$e_i \longrightarrow$  Residuals:

	Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
	-0.0138056	-0.0042889	0.0004019	0.0053646	0.0124737

```
Coefficients:
```

		Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
$\beta_0 \longrightarrow$	(Intercept)	0.068932	0.007904	8.721	3.38e-09 ***
$\beta_1 \longrightarrow$	weight.L3	0.156824	0.060297	2.601	0.0151 *

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Residual standard error: 0.00711 on 26 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.2065, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1759

F-statistic: 6.764 on 1 and 26 DF, p-value: 0.01514

```
> anova(beetle_mod)
```

```
Analysis of Variance Table
```

```
Response: weight.adult
```

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
weight.L3	1	0.00034194	0.00034194	6.7645	0.01514 *
Residuals	26	0.00131429	0.00005055		

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