Homework 8

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- Note: For each question, include R code and output pertinent to your answers.
- 1. Faraway Chapter 7. Exercise 5.
 - For the prostate data, fit a model with lpsa as the response and the other variables as predictors.
- 1.A. Compute and comment on Kappa and the condition numbers.
- 1.B. Compute and comment on the correlations between the predictors. Round to 3 decimal places.
- 1.C. Compute the variance inflation factors. Comment on whether any appear problematic and why.
- 2. Faraway Chapter 8. Exercise 4.
 - For the cars dataset, fit a linear model with distance as the response and speed as the predictor.
- 2.A. Test the homoscedasticity assumption using both a scatter plot between the residuals and fitted values and an F-test of equal variance below and above the fitted value of 30. What do you conclude about whether the assumption is met?
- 2.B. Report the estimate of the heteroscedastic consistent variance for the regression slope.
- 2.C. Construct 95% confidence interval of the regression slope assuming homoscedasticity and using the results in 2.B. How do they compare?
- 2.D. Check for the lack of fit of the model.