

## Topic 10 - Diagnostics

STAT 525 - Fall 2013

## Outline

- Scatterplots
- Correlation Matrix
- Residual Plots
- Tests
- Remedies
- Example

## Diagnostics

- Diagnostics play a key role in both the **development and assessment** of multiple regression models
- Most of the previous diagnostics carry over to multiple regression
- However, given more than one predictor, must also consider relationship between predictors
- Specialized diagnostics discussed later in Chpts 9 and 10

## Scatterplots

- Scatterplot matrix summarizes bivariate relationships between  $Y$  and  $X_j$  as well as between  $X_j$  and  $X_k$  ( $j, k = 1, 2, \dots, p - 1$ )
  - Nature of bivariate relationships
  - Strength of bivariate relationships
  - Detection of outliers
  - Range spanned by  $X$ 's
- Scatterplot matrix combines many scatterplots
- Examples presented later in this topic

## Correlation Matrix

- Complementary summary
- Displays all pairwise correlations
- When interpreting, be wary of
  - Nonlinear relationships
  - Outliers
  - Influential observations

## Residual Plots

- Used for similar assessment of assumptions
  - Model is “correct”
  - Errors are Normally distributed
  - Errors have constant variance
  - Errors are independent
- Plot  $e$  vs  $\hat{Y}$  (overall)
- Plot  $e$  vs  $X_j$  (with respect to  $X_j$ )
- Plot  $e$  vs non-included variable (e.g.,  $X_j X_k$ )

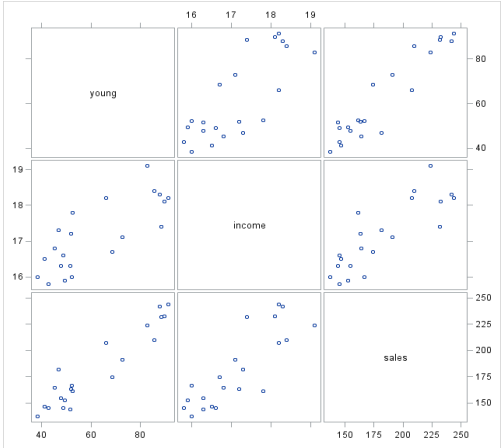
## Tests

- Univariate graphical summaries of  $e$  still preferred
- NORMAL option in UNIVARIATE test normality
- Modified Levene's and Breusch-Pagan for constant variance
- Lack of fit test : But need repeat observations where all  $X$  fixed at same levels or can be comfortably grouped together....this hinders its applicability

## Example I - Dwaine Studios (pg 236)

- Company that specializes in portraits of children. It has studios in 21 medium-sized cities nationwide and is considering expansion into other cities.
- Goal: To investigate whether sales are associated with certain characteristics of the city. If so, this could help in determining where to expand.
- Variables:
  - Annual sales ( $Y$ ) - expressed in thousands of \$
  - Persons aged 16 and younger ( $X_1$ ) - expressed in thousands
  - Per capita disposable income ( $X_2$ ) - expressed in thousands of \$

# Scatterplot Matrix



# Correlations

```
proc corr data=a1;
var young income sales;
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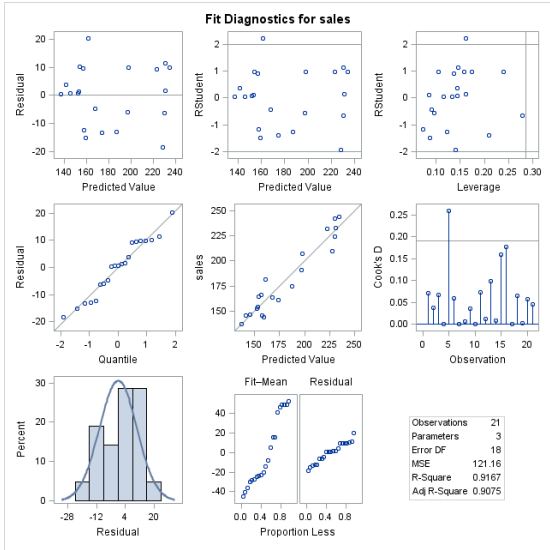
Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 21

Prob > |r| under H0: Rho=0

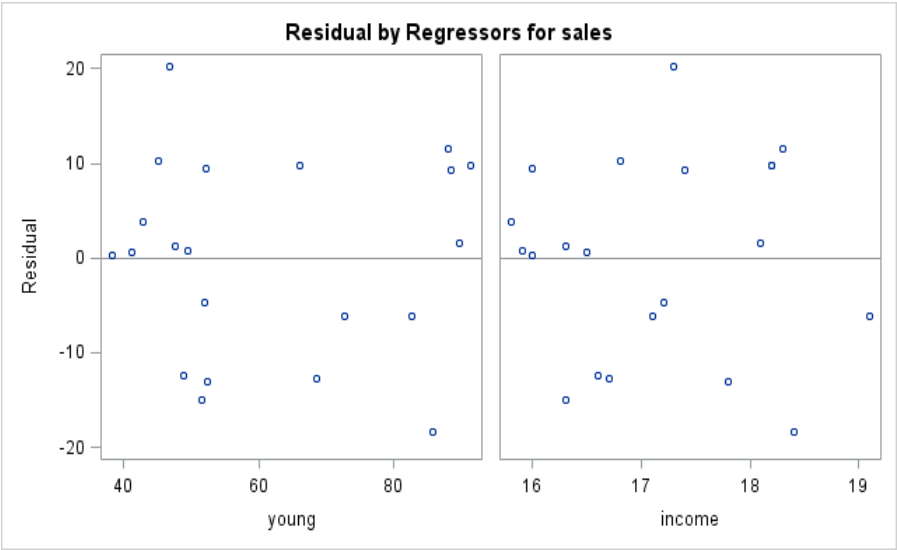
	young	income	sales
young	1.00000	0.78130	0.94455
income	0.78130	1.00000	0.83580
sales	0.94455	0.83580	1.00000

<.0001 <.0001 <.0001

# Model Fit Diagnostics



# Residual Plot Panel



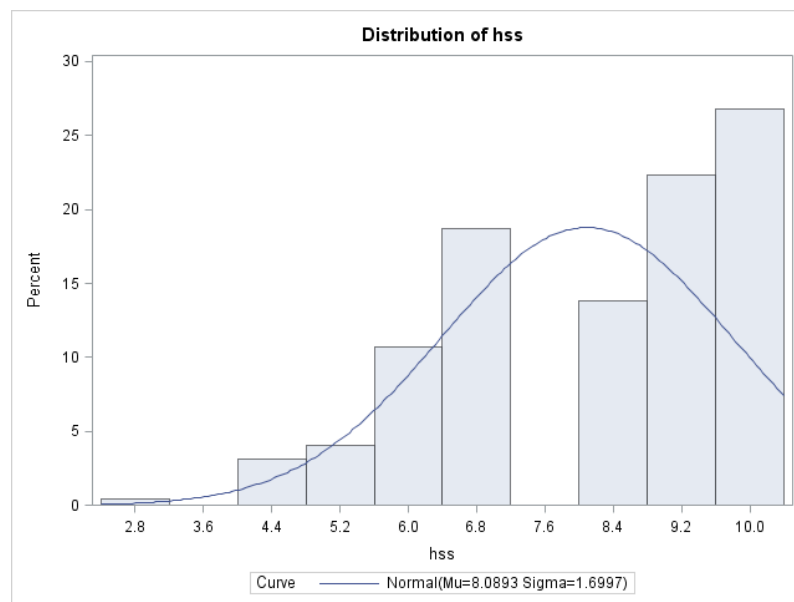
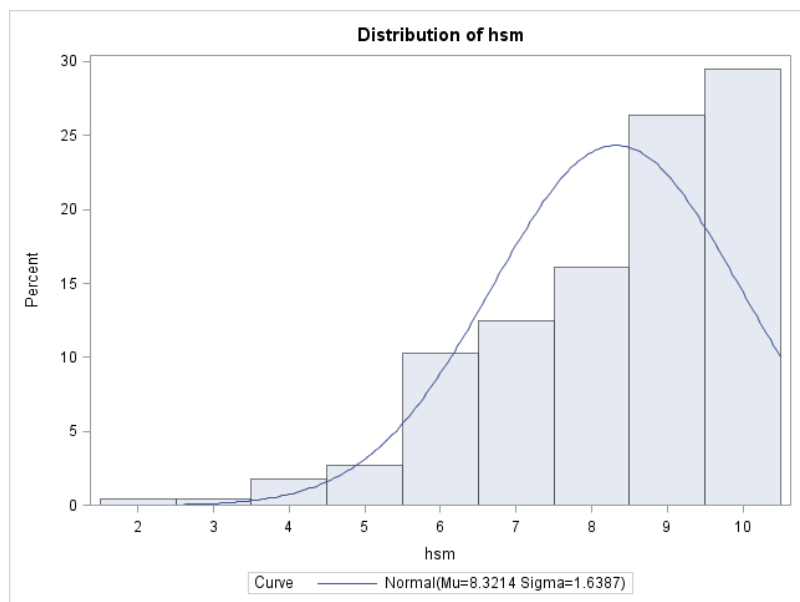
## Example II - Predict Success?

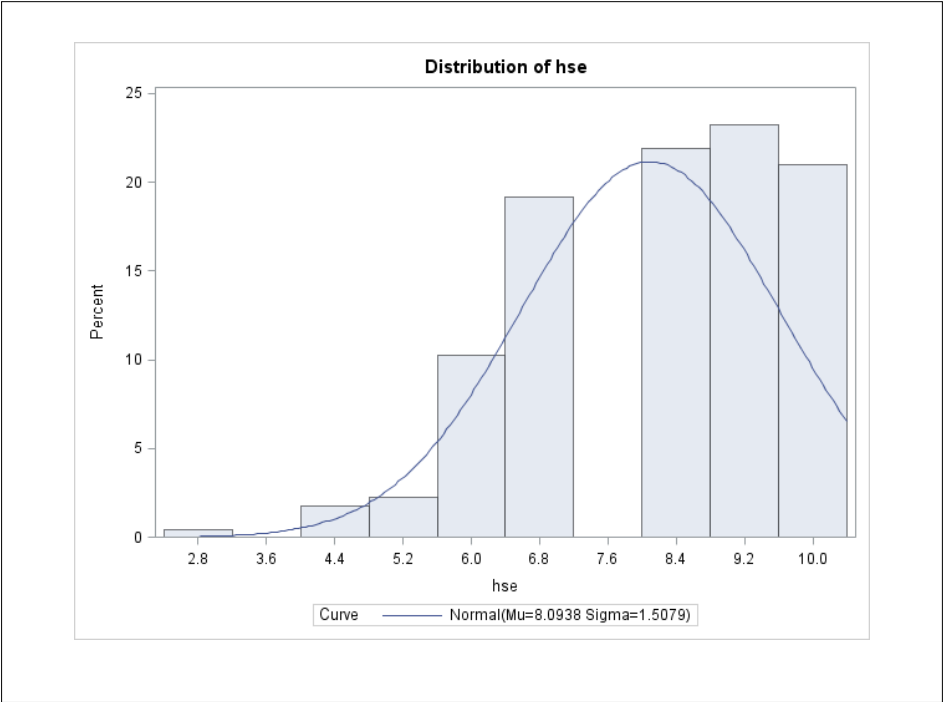
- Goal: To find entry-level predictors of academic success
- Define academic success as high GPA after 3 semesters
- Predictors include
  - GPA after three semesters
  - HS math grades
  - HS science grades
  - HS english grades
  - SAT Math
  - SAT Verbal
- Data available on  $n = 224$  students

## Descriptive Statistics

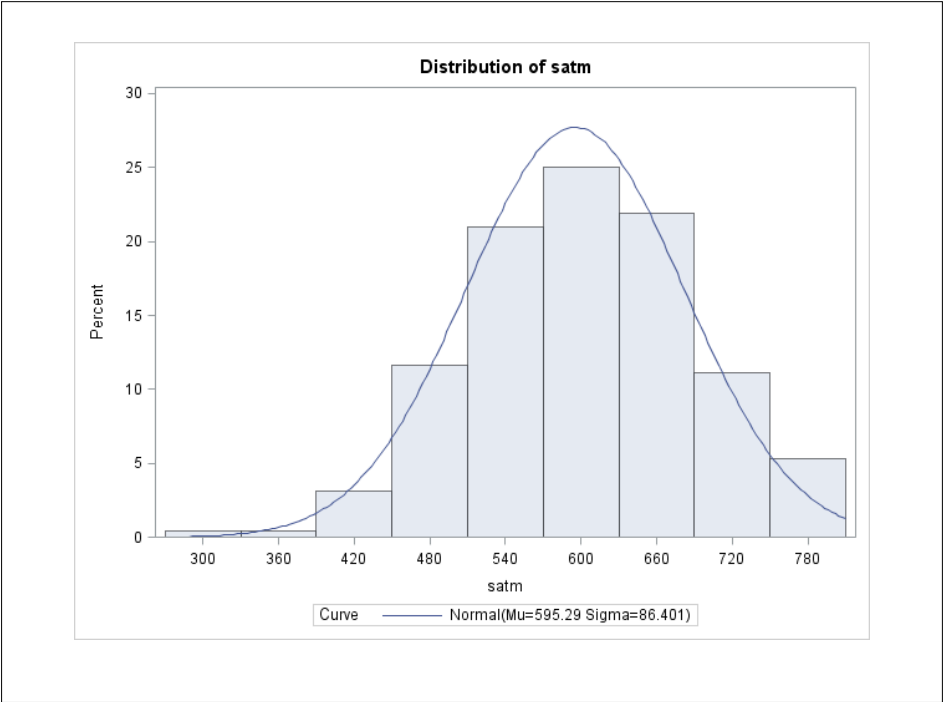
- Using Proc MEANS or Proc UNIVARIATE

Var	N	Mean	Std Dev
gpa	224	2.64	0.78
hsm	224	8.32	1.64
hss	224	8.09	1.70
hse	224	8.09	1.51
satm	224	595.29	86.40
satv	224	504.55	92.61

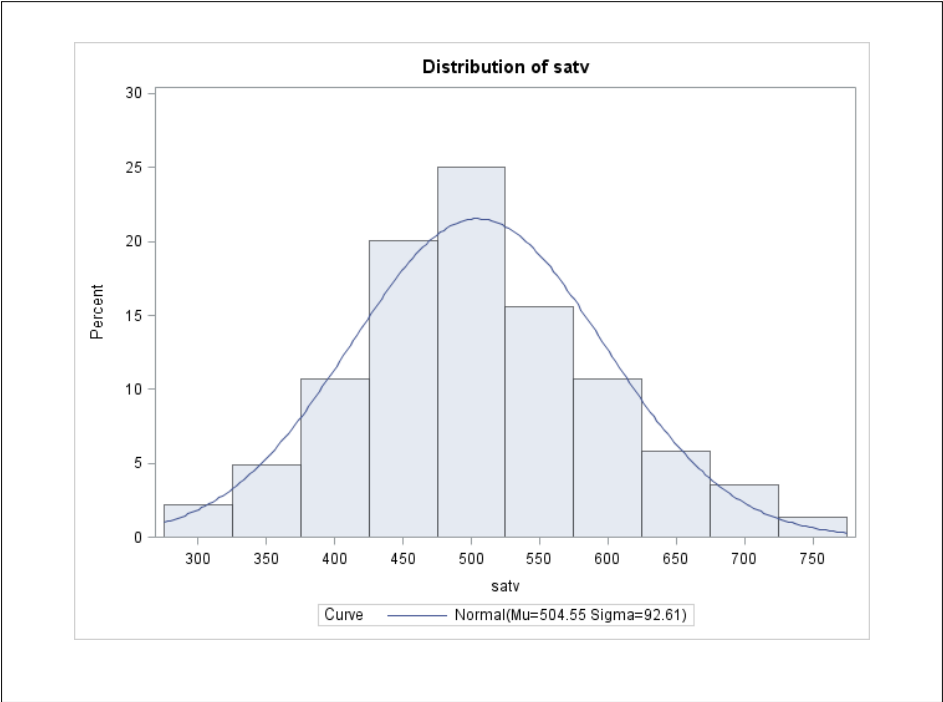




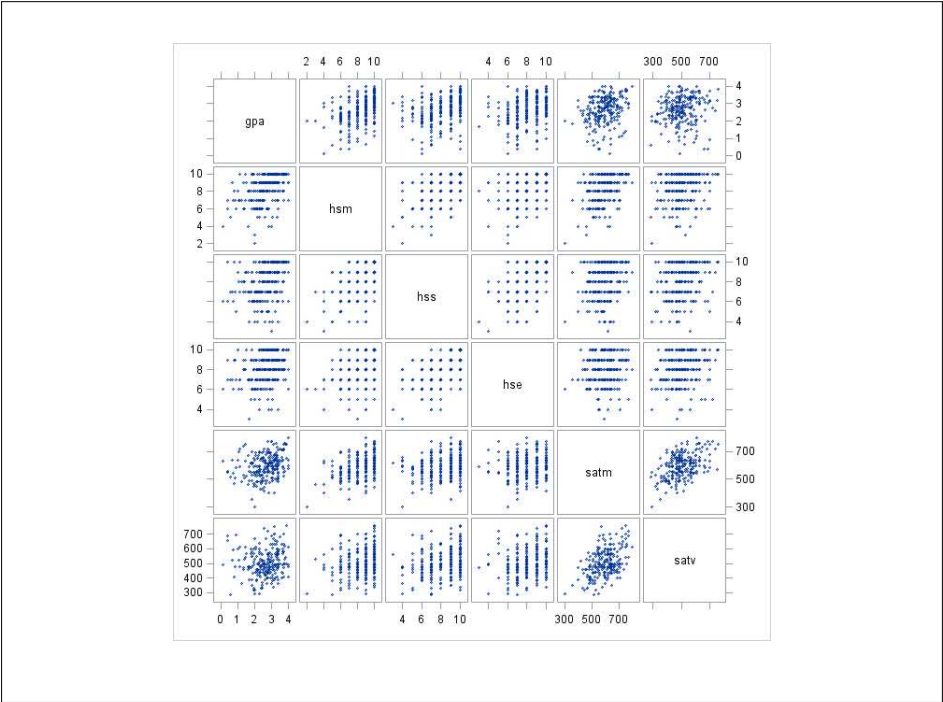
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# Correlations

```
[1] proc corr data=a1;
    var hsm hss hse;

    hsm    hss    hse
hsm  1.00   0.57   0.44
      <.0001 <.0001
hss  0.57   1.00   0.57
      <.0001 <.0001
hse  0.44   0.57   1.00
      <.0001 <.0001
```

```
[2] proc corr data=a1;
    var satm satv;

    satm    satv
satm  1.00   0.46
      <.0001
satv  0.46   1.00
      <.0001
```

# Correlations

```
[3] proc corr data=a1;
    var hsm hss hse satm satv;
    with gpa;

    hsm    hss    hse
gpa  0.43   0.32   0.28
      <.0001 <.0001 <.0001

    satm    satv
gpa  0.25   0.11
      0.0001 0.0873
```

# Regression Models

- Will now investigate:  
Model 1:  $GPA = HSM + HSS + HSE$   
Model 2:  $GPA = HSM + HSE$   
Model 3:  $GPA = HSM$   
Model 4:  $GPA = SATM + SATV$   
Model 5:  $GPA = HSM + HSS + HSE + SATM + SATV$
- Should check residuals prior to any inference

# Model 1

Analysis of Variance					
		Sum of	Mean		
Source	DF	Squares	Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	3	27.71233	9.23744	18.86	<.0001
Error	220	107.75046	0.48977		
Corrected Total	223	135.46279			

Root MSE	0.69984	R-Square	0.2046
Dependent Mean	2.63522	Adj R-Sq	0.1937
Coeff Var	26.55711		

Parameter Estimates					
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr >  t
Intercept	1	0.58988	0.29424	2.00	0.0462
hsm	1	0.16857	0.03549	4.75	<.0001
hss	1	0.03432	0.03756	0.91	0.3619
hse	1	0.04510	0.03870	1.17	0.2451

# Model 2

Analysis of Variance					
		Sum of	Mean		
Source	DF	Squares	Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	2	27.30349	13.65175	27.89	<.0001
Error	221	108.15930	0.48941		
Corrected Total	223	135.46279			

Root MSE	0.69958	R-Square	0.2016
Dependent Mean	2.63522	Adj R-Sq	0.1943
Coeff Var	26.54718		

## Parameter Estimates

		Parameter	Standard		
Variable	DF	Estimate	Error	t Value	Pr >  t
Intercept	1	0.62423	0.29172	2.14	0.0335
hsm	1	0.18265	0.03196	5.72	<.0001
hse	1	0.06067	0.03473	1.75	0.0820

# Model 3

Analysis of Variance					
		Sum of	Mean		
Source	DF	Squares	Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	1	25.80989	25.80989	52.25	<.0001
Error	222	109.65290	0.49393		
Corrected Total	223	135.46279			

Root MSE	0.70280	R-Square	0.1905
Dependent Mean	2.63522	Adj R-Sq	0.1869
Coeff Var	26.66958		

## Parameter Estimates

		Parameter	Standard		
Variable	DF	Estimate	Error	t Value	Pr >  t
Intercept	1	0.90768	0.24355	3.73	0.0002
hsm	1	0.20760	0.02872	7.23	<.0001

# Model 4

Analysis of Variance					
		Sum of	Mean		
Source	DF	Squares	Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	2	8.58384	4.29192	7.48	0.0007
Error	221	126.87895	0.57411		
Corrected Total	223	135.46279			

Root MSE	0.75770	R-Square	0.0634
Dependent Mean	2.63522	Adj R-Sq	0.0549
Coeff Var	28.75287		

## Parameter Estimates

		Parameter	Standard		
Variable	DF	Estimate	Error	t Value	Pr >  t
Intercept	1	1.28868	0.37604	3.43	0.0007
satm	1	0.00228	0.00066291	3.44	0.0007
satv	1	-0.00002456	0.00061847	-0.04	0.9684

# Model 5

Analysis of Variance					
		Sum of	Mean		
Source	DF	Squares	Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	5	28.64364	5.72873	11.69	<.0001
Error	218	106.81914	0.49000		
Corrected Total	223	135.46279			

Root MSE	0.70000	R-Square	0.2115
Dependent Mean	2.63522	Adj R-Sq	0.1934
Coeff Var	26.56311		

## Parameter Estimates

		Parameter	Standard		
Variable	DF	Estimate	Error	t Value	Pr >  t
Intercept	1	0.32672	0.40000	0.82	0.4149
satm	1	0.00094359	0.00068566	1.38	0.1702
satv	1	-0.00040785	0.00059189	-0.69	0.4915
hsm	1	0.14596	0.03926	3.72	0.0003
hss	1	0.03591	0.03780	0.95	0.3432
hse	1	0.05529	0.03957	1.40	0.1637

## General Linear Test

- Can use TEST statement in SAS

```
proc reg data=a1;
  model gpa=satm satv hsm hss hse;
  sat: test satm, satv;
  hs: test hsm, hss, hse;
```

Test sat

Results for Dep Var gpa

Mean

Source	DF	Square	F	Pr > F
Num	2	0.46566	0.95	0.3882
Den	218	0.49000		

Test hs

Results for Dep Var gpa

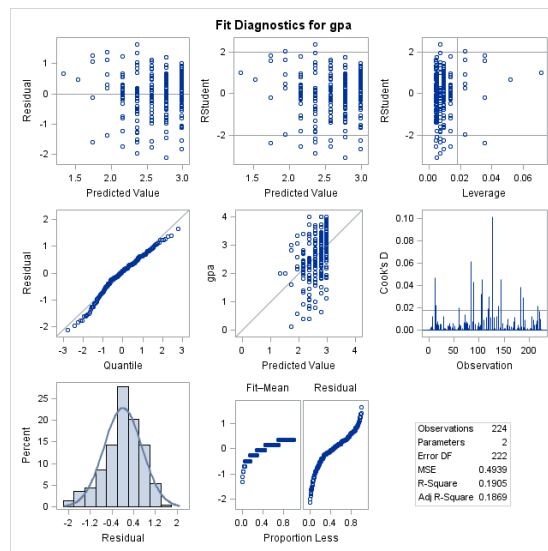
Mean

Source	DF	Square	F	P
Num	3	6.68660	13.65	<.0001
Den	218	0.49000		

## What's the Best Model?

- Will discuss selection approaches in Chpts 8,9, and 10
- Appears HSM only is best model
- Should also be looking at diagnostics
- Important:
  - Look at variables one at a time
  - Look at all pairwise relationships
  - PLOT! PLOT! PLOT!

## Model Fit Diagnostics



## Key Results

- The relationship between  $Y$  and  $X_j$  depends on the other predictors in the model
- A predictor may be significant alone but not significant when other variables are in the model
- Similarly, coefficients and standard errors depend on the variables that are in the model



## Background Reading

- KNNL Sections 6.8-6.9
- KNNL Sections 7.1-7.3