

Scatterplots & Line Plots

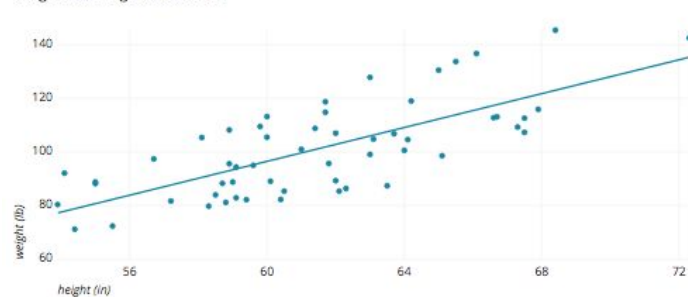
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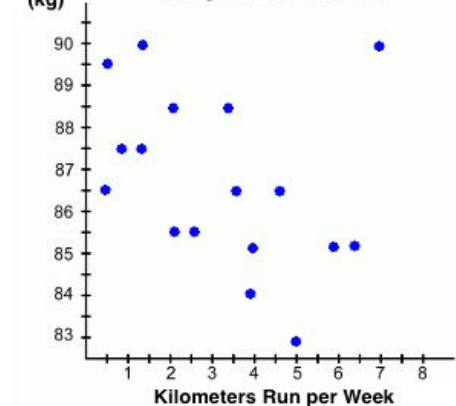
Scatter Plot

- the values of two variables are plotted along two axes
- Used to reveal a pattern, if any of the resulting points revealing any correlation present
- Displays the relationship between two continuous variables
- Each value in a data set is represented by a point

Weight and Height of Children

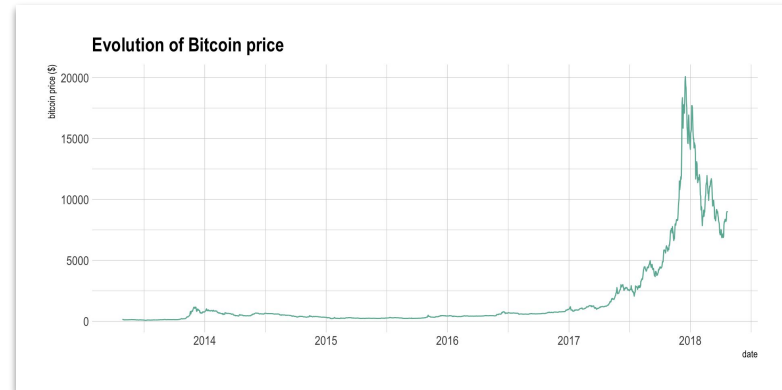
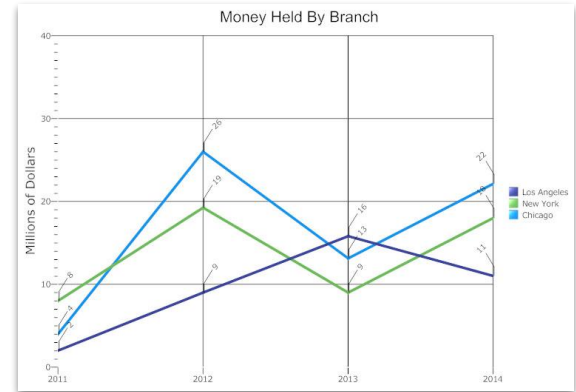


Weight vs. Exercise



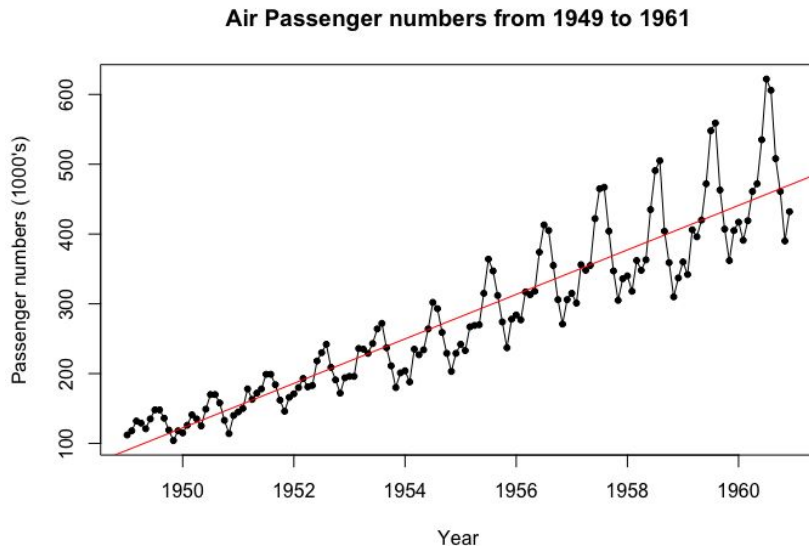
Line Plots

- a series of data points called 'markers' connected by straight line segments.
- similar to a scatter plot except that the measurement points are ordered (typically by their x-axis value) and joined with straight line segments
- often used to visualize a trend in data over intervals of time – a time series – thus the line is often drawn chronologically.



Line Plots Using Base Graphics

```
plot(AP, xlab="Year", type = "o", pch = 20,  
     ylab = "Passenger numbers (1000's)",  
     main="Air Passenger numbers from 1949 to 1961")
```



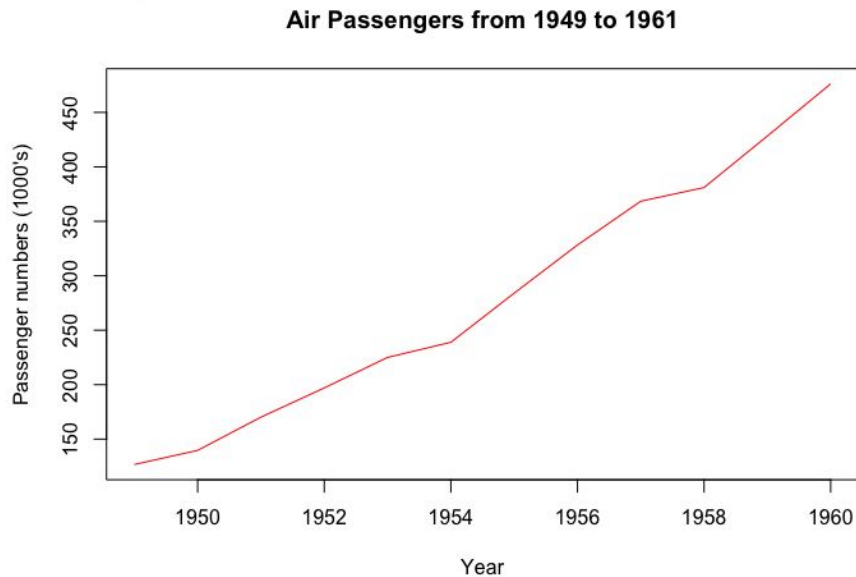
Since “Air Passenger” is a time series data set, Base Graphics automatically does a line graph

- Use `abline` function to add a line that best fits

```
abline(reg=lm(AirPassengers~time(AirPassengers)), col = "red")
```

Line Plots Using Base Graphics

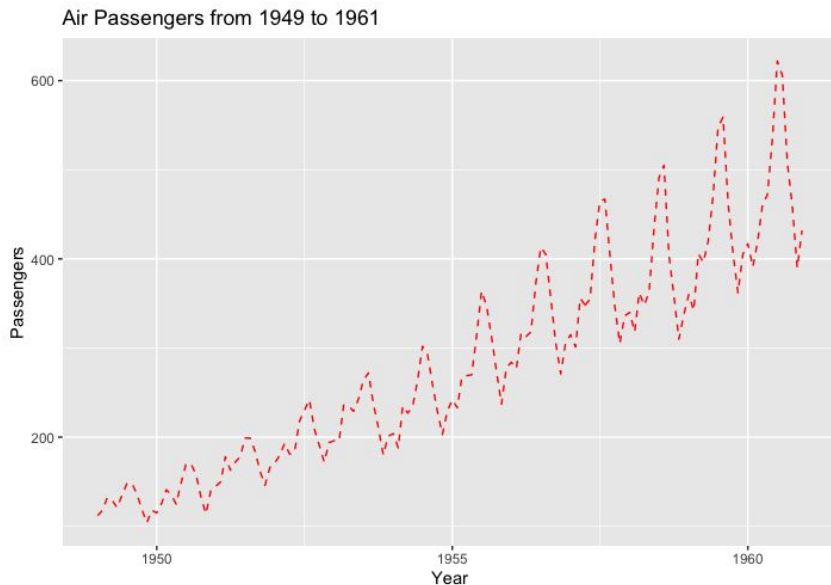
```
plot(aggregate(AirPassengers,FUN=mean),  
     main="Air Passengers from 1949 to 1961",  
     xlab="Year", ylab = "Passenger numbers (1000's)",  
     col = "red")
```





Line Plot Using ggplot2

```
autoplot(AirPassengers,  
  main = "Air Passengers from 1949 to 1961",  
  xlab = "Year",  
  ylab = "Passengers",  
  ts.colour = 'red', ts.linetype = 'dashed')
```



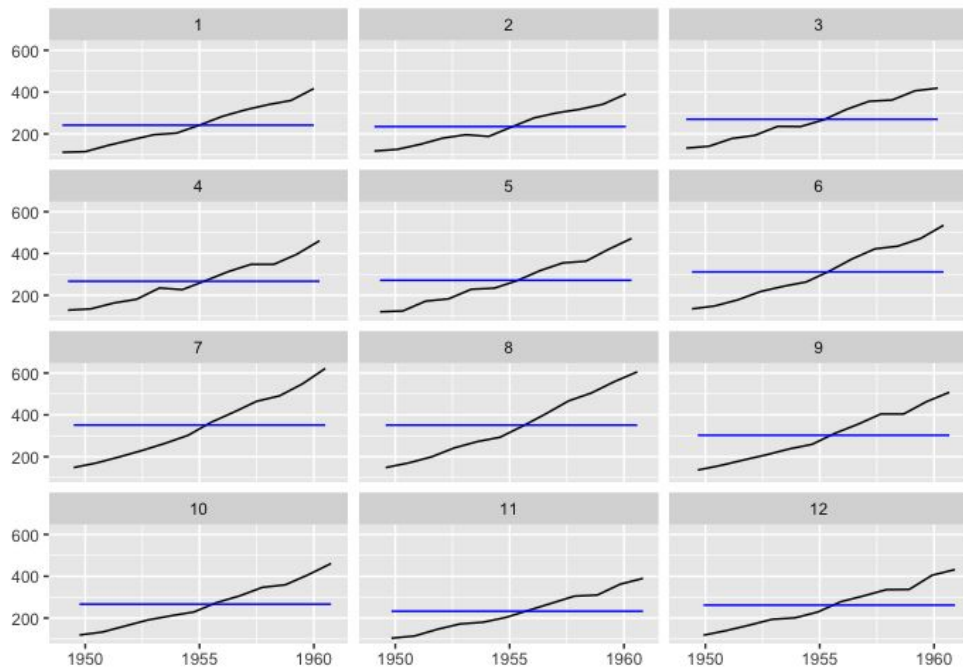
Use an extension of ggplot2 known as ggfortify

- Allows you to easily plot time series datasets



Line Plot Using ggplot2

```
ggfreqplot(AirPassengers)
```

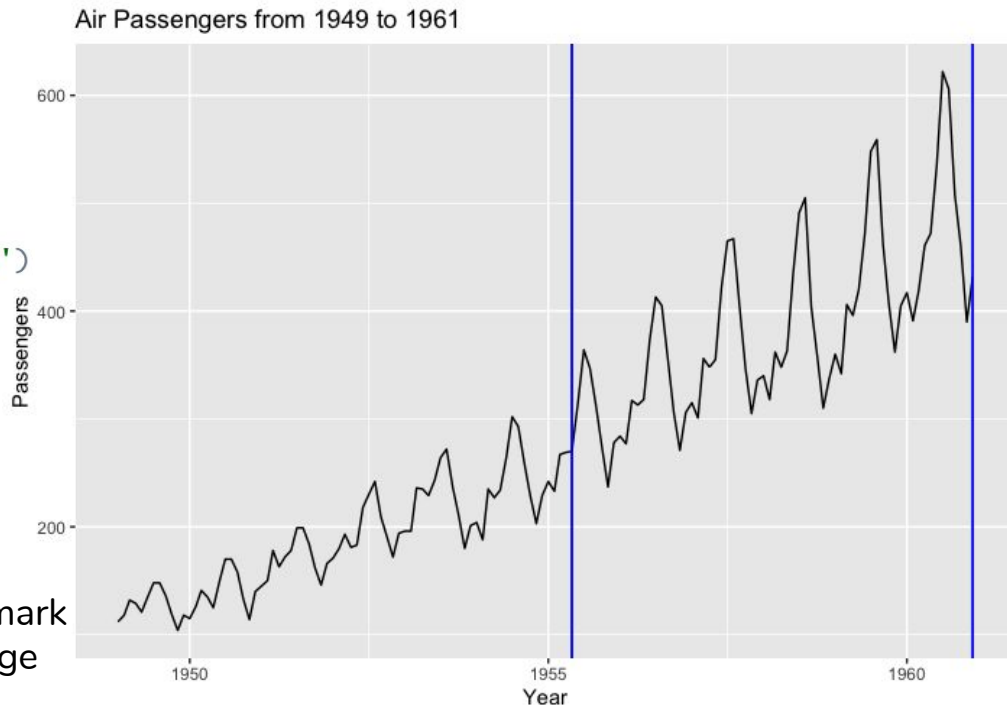




Line Plot Using ggplot2

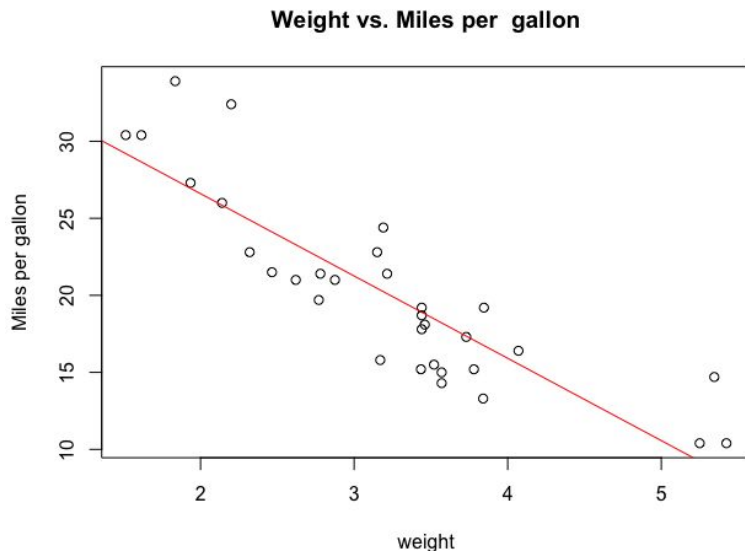
```
autoplot(cpt.meanvar(AirPassengers),  
  main = "Air Passengers from 1949 to 1961",  
  xlab = "Year",  
  ylab = "Passengers",  
  cpt.colour = 'blue', cpt.linetype = 'solid')
```

Using another package,
changept, ggplot2 will mark
the points of greatest change



Scatter Plot using Basic Graphics

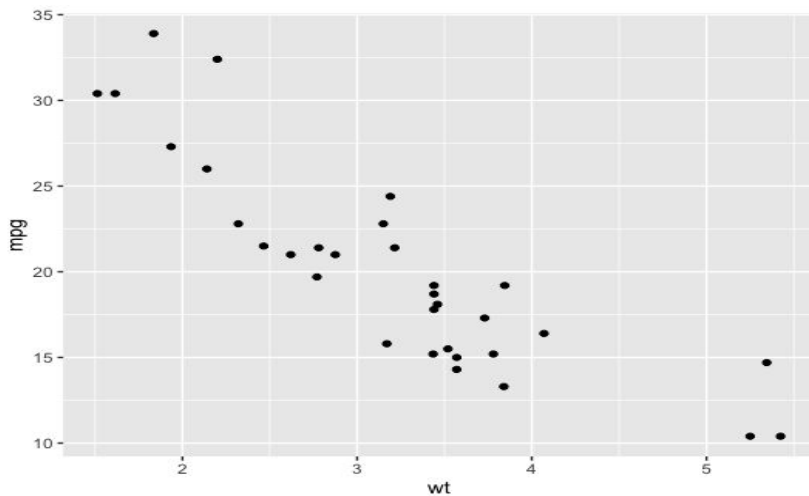
```
plot(mtcars$wt,mtcars$mpg, main= "Weight vs. Miles per gallon",  
     xlab= "weight",ylab="Miles per gallon")  
abline(lm(mpg ~wt, data=mtcars), col= 'red')
```





Scatter Plot using ggplot2

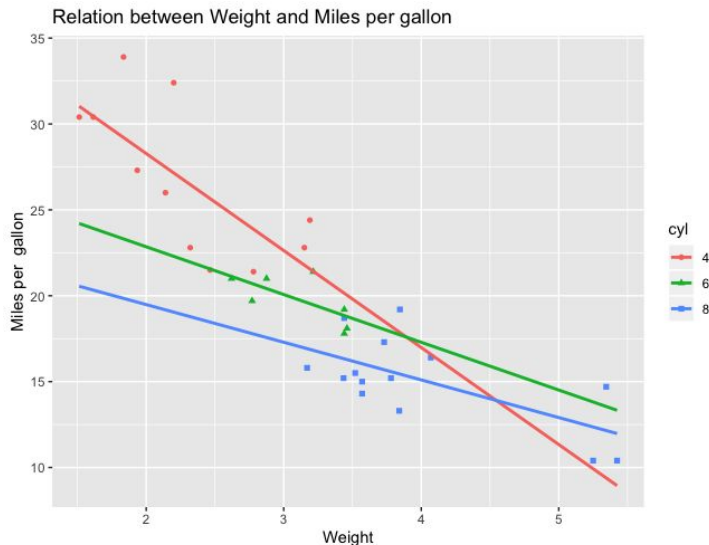
```
library(ggplot2)
data("mtcars")
ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg)) + geom_point()
```



This is a simple scatter plot of the data "mtcars".

Scatter plot using ggplot2

```
library(ggplot2)
data("mtcars")
mtcars$cyl <- as.factor(mtcars$cyl)
p <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(x=wt, y=mpg, color=cyl, shape=cyl)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method=lm, se=FALSE, fullrange=TRUE)
p+labs(title = "Relation between Weight and Miles per gallon", x= "Weight", y= "Miles per gallon")
```



This is a more complex scatter plot that adds different color shapes to represent points, regression lines without confidence intervals, and add a title plus x and y labels.



Citations

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