

AMS 572 Data Analysis I

Simple Linear Regression

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Analysis of Variance

- ▶ Recall under $H_0 : \beta = 0$

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}}{\sqrt{s_{y.x}^2 / \sum_i (X_i - \bar{X})^2}} \sim t_{N-2}$$

- ▶ In general, if $T \sim t_\nu$, then $T^2 \sim F_{1,\nu}$. Thus

$$t^2 \sim F_{1,N-2}$$

Analysis of Variance

► Note

$$\hat{\beta} = \frac{\sum (X_i \bar{Y}_i - n \bar{X} \bar{Y})}{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2}$$

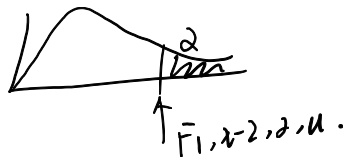
$$\begin{aligned} SSR &= \sum (\hat{Y}_i - \bar{Y})^2 = \sum \hat{\beta}^2 (X_i - \bar{X})^2 \\ &= \frac{(\sum (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y}))^2}{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^2} \end{aligned}$$

► Thus

$$MSE = S_{x,y}^2$$

$$t^2 = \frac{SSR}{MSE} = \frac{SSR}{SSE/(N-2)} \sim F_{1, N-2}$$

Analysis of Variance



- For $H_0 : \beta = 0$ vs $H_A : \beta \neq 0$, can use F with

$$C_\alpha = \{F : F > F_{1, 2-2, 2, \mu}\}$$

- For two sided alternative F and t tests equivalent
- For one sided alternative, use t

Analysis of Variance

$$MSR = SSR/1$$

- ANOVA table:

Source	df	SS	MS	F
Regression	1	SSR	$SSR = MSR$	MSR/MSE
Residual	$N - 2$	SSE	$SSE/(N - 2)$	
Total	$N - 1$	SST		

Diagnostics

► Assumptions for linear regression

1. Linearity: $Y_i = \alpha + \beta X_i + \epsilon_i$
2. X 's are fixed constants
3. ϵ_i iid $\sim N(0, \sigma^2)$

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constant

Diagnostics

- ▶ Assumptions: Linear model and homogeneity of variance
- ▶ *Residual plot*: Scatterplot of

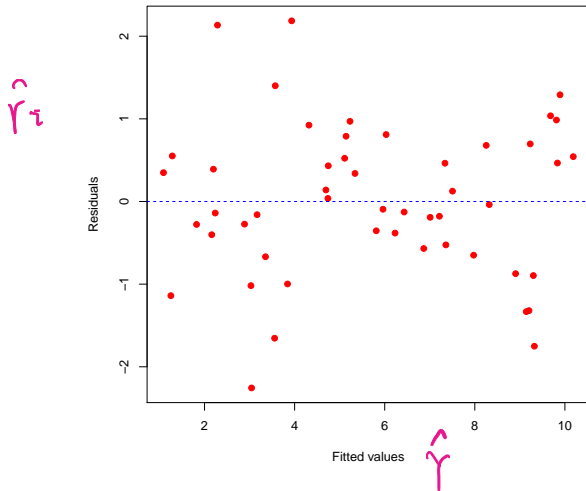
$$(\hat{Y}_i, r_i) = (\hat{Y}_i, Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)$$

- ▶ If we see lack of homogeneity of variance or linearity, consider transformations

Diagnostics

- ▶ The following three slides are prototypical residual plots indicating
 1. linear regression model is appropriate
 2. assumption of linearity questionable
 3. assumption of constant variance questionable

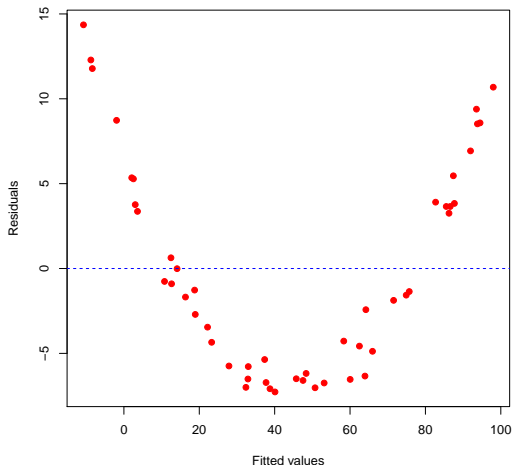
Residual plots



Residual plots

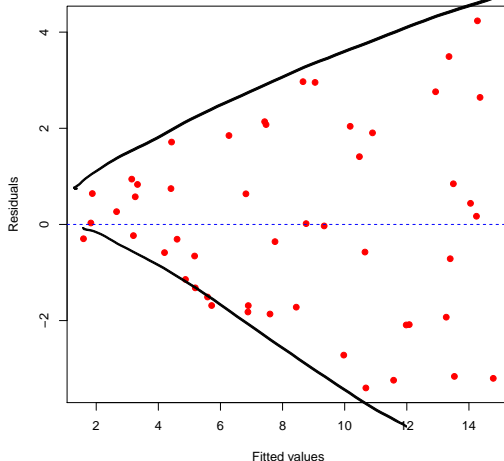
$$Y = \alpha + \beta_1 X + \beta_2 X^2$$

sth not right.



Residual plots

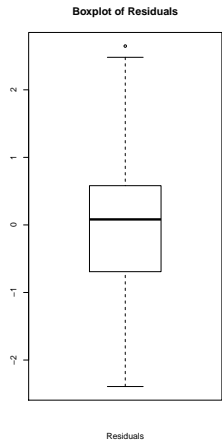
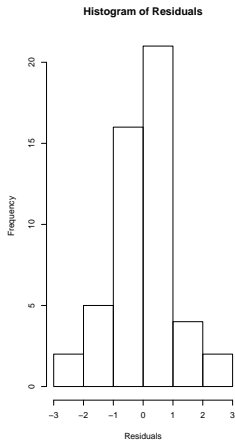
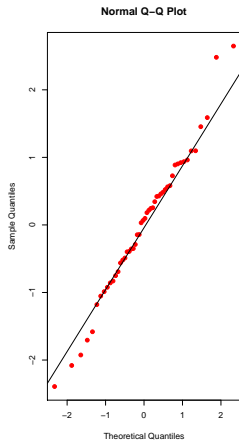
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assumption questionable



Normality Diagnostics

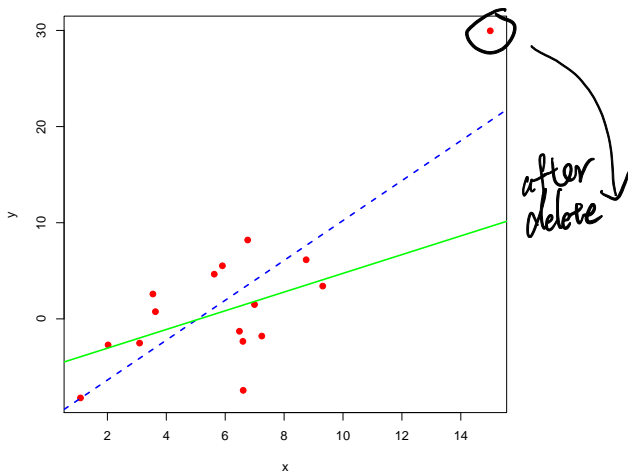
- ▶ Assumption: ϵ_i 's are normally distributed
- ▶ This assumption is not as important if N is large (CLT)
- ▶ Inference robust to small departures from normality
- ▶ Violations of other assumptions can suggest non-normality
- ▶ qq-plot, histogram, boxplot of residuals

Residual plots



Regression: Diagnostics

- Beware influential observations; always check scatterplot



Remedial Measures

- ▶ Transformations, e.g., $\log(Y) = \alpha + \beta X$
- ▶ Multiple regression, e.g., $Y = \alpha + \beta_1 X + \beta_2 X^2$
- ▶ Nonparametric procedures, e.g., Kendall's tau
- ▶ More sophisticated models allowing for
 - ▶ dependencies/clusters (e.g., GEE)
 - ▶ heterogeneity of variance (e.g., weight least squares)

non-constant / hetero scalability.